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Mansfield Oral History Collection  
Ambassador Mansfield's 83rd Birthday Party  
at Kibo-Kai (Prime Minister Nakasone song)  
OH #22-447a

[SIDE A]

- 000-050 Someone is speaking in Japanese. Someone is speaking in English welcoming the Prime Minister and hoping that everyone has a good time.
- 051-100 Someone reads a telegram from President Reagan. Translation into Japanese. They then sing Happy Birthday for MJM.
- 101-200 Someone speaks in English and congratulates MJM on his birthday. Someone is speaking in Japanese. MJM gets up to speak. He makes a few introductory comments. MJM talks about the Kibo-Kai which is a group of people who were born in the same year as MJM.
- 201-250 MJM talks about the newspaper that reported that MJM and Kibo-Kai were only going to be 73. MJM says that he likes that kind of reporting. MJM notes that the people who belong to Kibo-Kai have lived under 16 out of the 40 Presidents of the United States and 3 Emperors out of 124 on the Japanese side. MJM notes that the US Presidents represent 200 years of history and the Emperors represent 2600 years of history. MJM comments that the US is a new country that is made up of all of the different peoples of the world. Japan is an ancient country that has reformed and accommodated itself to modern times.
- 251-300 MJM comments that they are a unique group because they have exceeded the average age of the Japanese which is 73 for men and 80 for women. MJM comments that both the US and Japan are related in what he thinks is the most important bilateral relationship in the world. MJM thanks everyone.
- 301-575 Someone is speaking in Japanese. [Applause]. Someone else is speaking in Japanese. Someone else is speaking in Japanese. [Continued applause].
- 576-950 Music. It sounds like a recording from a record to this tape.

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[SIDE B]

000-278 Music continued.

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000-950 Music. It sounds like its recorded from a record to  
this tape.

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[SIDE B]

000-351 Continuation of music.

[END OF TAPE]