

HIGHLIGHTS | President Trump Speaks to Reporters on the South Lawn

ON THE IMPEACHMENT SHAM

PRESIDENT TRUMP: "This is a witch hunt. It's a terrible thing. But even the Democrats, they couldn't find very much, because they put up two Articles that, frankly, are very weak."

PRESIDENT TRUMP: "I think the Democrats - I can't imagine they vote for it because we did nothing wrong. There was absolutely nothing done wrong."

PRESIDENT TRUMP: "They've analyzed my conversation every way you can and when you talk about, you know, the word 'favor' was mentioned and it was mentioned not 'me' a favor, you just saw the way it was, and it was nothing to do with me. This has to do with the United States."

PRESIDENT TRUMP: "When you look at it, and that was just a part of it, it was a congratulatory call, and there were two of them. Nobody even mentions the other one. We had another one where they won originally, he won the election and I think it's a disgrace that people can make impeachment out of nothing. That was a perfect conversation."

ON USMCA

PRESIDENT TRUMP: "Also they approved today, of all days - we've been waiting a year - and they approved today the USMCA. And I call that the silver lining to impeachment. Because, without the impeachment, they would have never approved it, in my opinion."

PRESIDENT TRUMP: "Very importantly today we get USMCA and that's going to be a great thing for our farmers, our manufacturers, for our -- for just about everybody. It's good for everybody, Unions included."

PRESIDENT TRUMP: "I spoke with Richard Trumka, I spoke to James Hoffa, and we had good talks -- that's union people. I did that a few days ago. We had some very good talks. And everybody is really loving the USMCA, so we're very happy about that. Very, very happy."

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