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Another one of those Sundays, just as I would have ordered it.

Jane and Bill Wirtz, Jane and Orville Freeman, came over about

10:30. We went to National City Christian Church. They were not

strange there Aeither one or both the women, I forget which, had attended

a Christian Church in their childhood.

There was the usual full treatment from the Press going in and coming out, and during the coffee hour, I think we met half the tourists in Washington.

Then we came back and went to the pool, where Jane Freeman, the men and I had a good swim. The Bundys joined us, and Jane Wirtz, who has an infected ear, sat on the side lines. I did my 20 rounds out of deference to the stay-fit program; someo ne came in with Bloody Marys, and it was a thoroughly relaxing hour.

This morning there had been a piece in the paper about the Presidential scholars. The committee to choose them is headed by Milton Eisenhower, President of Johns Hopkins University.

Lyndon had introduced McGeorge Bundy to the committee, as "McGeorge Bundy, Vice President in charge of everything."

This is one of the good small things that happened and something that

I want to make sure happens again the program to bring bright young

people to Washington to work in government departments during the summer.

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I think Kennedy sent back, during those three years that he did it, a good number of informed, enthusiastic friends and possibly future public servants themselves.

We had a late lunch, and then Lyndon, Walter Jenkins, McGeorge Bundy, went out to the golf course, just as Jessje Kellam was arriving from Austin.

Jessfe is a bit thinner and whiter than ever, and speaks more of Louise than I had thought that man of iron would. He mentioned they would have had their thirtieth anniversary in a few months.

After everybody left, I took the time to do some reading and some work, and then close to seven, Jessie and I drove over to Woody's to Warren Woodwards to join Lyndon, for an informal buffet supper.

How quickly the Woodwards had made themselves completely acozy.

He's a young man on the way up. The sidewalk outside was lined with children. Tony and Barbara Byrd in the vanguard.

It was an easy, informal buffet supper, mostly Texans, the Leonard

And by 9:30, we were home on the second floor.

Sundays are our life savers, our chance to float, plan, think.