

PRESIDENT LYNDON B. JOHNSON

DAILY DIARY (Worksheet)

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Entry No.	Time	Telephone f or t		Activity (include visited by)*	Expenditure Code
		Lo	LD		
	7:00			Breakfast and papers - ordered - met w/ JV - didn't do exercises. met w/ HB	
	7:55	t		Bill Moyers (fr. mans.)	
C	8:25	t		Clark Clifford (fr. mans.)	
C	8:28	t		Cong. Carl Albert (fr. mans.)	
	8:37	t		Bill Moyers (fr. mans.)	
C	8:41	t		Clark Clifford (fr. mans.)	
C	9:00		f	Mrs. Herbert Lehman - Cleveland, Ohio (fr. mans.) (b.2)	
	9:15	t		Bill Moyers	
C	9:16	f		Cong. Carl Albert (fr. mans.) (b.2)	
C	9:20	t		Senator Hubert Humphrey (fr. mans.) (b.2)	
C	9:30	t		Senator Clinton Anderson (fr. mans.) - re medicare	
	9:55			To the office w/ JV, HB	
	10:00	t		J. Valente (pl)	
	10:01	t		W. Jenkins (pl)	
C	10:05			To Flower Garden to sign S. 2642 - Poverty Bill - made remarks	
				Sen. Birch Bayh	Sen. Eugene McCarthy
				Sen. Frank B. Rowland	Sen. Ralph Yarborough
				Sen. Joseph Clark	Sen. Gale McGee
				Sen. Thomas Dodd	Sen. Pat McNamara
				Sen. Hubert Humphrey	Sen. Warren Magnuson
				Sen. Vance Hartke	Sen. Wayne Morse
				Sen. Daniel Inouye	Sen. Gaylord Nelson
				Sen. Henry Jackson	Sen. John Pastore
				Sen. Edward Long	Sen. Claiborne Pell
					Sen. Jennings Randolph
					Sen. George Smathers
					Sen. Russell B. Long
					Cong. John Brademas
					Cong. George Brown
					Cong. Hugh Carey
					Con. Dominick Daniels
					Cong. John Dent
					Cong. Carl Elliott
					Cong. Don Fuqua
					Cong. James Fulton
					Cong. Sam Ray Gibbons

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Cong. Thomas Gill				Howard Bertsch Gov. Richard Hughes Glen Olds	
Cong. Edith Green				Andrew Biemiller Monsignor Francis Hurley William Patrick	
Cong. Seymour Halpern				Andrew F. Brimmer Nelson C. Jackson Joseph Patton	
Cong. Augustus Hawkins				James Carey Bill Kelly Donald Petrie	
Cong. Elmer Holland				John Carley Lane Kirkland Wade Robinson	
Cong. Gillis Long				Wilbur Cohen Herbert Klotz John Rubel	
Cong. James O'Hara				Jack Conway Joseph McDonald Dwight Rettie	
Cong. Alvin E. O'Konski				Nelson Cruikshank Donald McGannon Gov. Terry Sanford	
Cong. Wright Patman				Milton Cummings Thomas McLennon Spencer Smith	
Cong. Carl Perkins				Evelyn Dubrow Mayor Henry W. Maier Mayor Robert Wagner	
Cong. Adam C. Powell				India Edwards Edgar May Thomas Watson	
Cong. Roman Pucinski				Eugene Foley Robert Murray Adm. Robert Weaver	
Cong. James Roosevelt				Glenn Ferguson George Meany Robert Wolf	
Cong. John Saylor				Harry L. Graham Edwin Michaelian Adam Yarmolinsky	
Cong. Carlton Sickles				George Eribbin Mayor Arthur Naftalia Richard Warden	
Cong. Frank Thompson				Patrick Healy George Nelson	
Cong. Stanley Tupper				Walter Heller Herschel Newsom Secretary Celebrezze Secy. Freeman	
Mr. Vernon Alden				Lt. Gen. Lewis Hershey Thomas Nichols Secretary Hodges Secy. Udall	
Mayor Joseph M. Barr				Richard H. Holton Dr. Jeanne Noble Attorney General Kennedy Secy. Wirtz	
C	10:30			<i>to office to meet w/ Senator Joseph Clark of Pa.</i>	<i>out at 10:35</i>
C	10:35			<i>Secretary of Labor, Willard Wirtz</i>	<i>→ 10:41</i>
C	10:41			<i>Mr. George Meany and his assistant, Lane Kirkland</i>	<i>OFF RECORD</i>
C	10:47			<i>Senators Warren Magnuson and Henry Jackson of Washington -</i>	<i>→ 10:47</i>
C	11:02			<i>Mayors Robert Wagner of NYC</i>	<i>OFF RECORD 11:09</i>

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	11:10	f		G. Reedy (b.1)	
	11:15	+		Bill Moyers (pl)	
	11:17	+		J. Valente (pl)	
C	11:19	+		Secy Willard Wirtz (b.1)	
	11:21	+		McGeorge Bundy (pl)	
C	11:25			Undersecretary George Ball, Robert Komer, McGeorge Bundy Phillips Talbot - Asst. Secy.	
					→ 11:32
	11:33	+		Bill Moyers (pl)	
C	11:35			To the Fish Room to meet with the Directors of the National Committee for International Development - pics made	OFFRECORD
				Sol Linowitz, Chairman	
				John Gardner Gardner	
				Leonard H. Goldenson	
				Alfred M. Gruenther, Gen., USA, Ret.	
				Fowler Hamilton	
				Dan Kimball	
				Mrs. Oswald B. Lord	
				Mr. Thomas D. Cabot	
				Mr. Wallace Edgerton	
				Mr. Charles E. Bosley Bosley, Exec. Director of the Committee	
	11:50			To office	
	11:51	+		W. Jenkins (pl)	
C	11:56	f		Secretary W. Willard Wirtz (b.1)	
C	12:00	f		Cong. Charlie Halleck (b.1)	
	12:03	+		Ashton Bonella (n/r)	

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c	12:05			^{annual} The President received a report from the United Service Organizations	out @ 12:06
				Mr. Harvey S. Firestone, Jr., Chmn., Gen'l. Emmett O'Donnell, Pres., Edwin E. Bond, Exec Dir.	
	12:06	+		George Reedy (pl)	
	12:10	+		Bill Moyers (pl) 12:11 to mjdr -- "Get my dogs over here."	
	12:12	+		George Reedy (pl)	
	12:13			President departed his office w/ Bill Moyers to take a walk around -- "Bill Moyer and I are going to take a little walk, and tell Jack that we'll be back in time for my next appt." (Press flocked after the 2 -- as they strolled around the South Lawn.)	
	12:39	+		Returned fr. walk Jack Valenti (pl)	
c	12:42			Officilas of National Brotherhood Week and National Conference of Christians and Jews	out at 12:45
				Dr. Lewis Webster Jones, Nat'l. Conf. of Christians and Jews	
				Dr. Sterling Jones	
				Mr. Brooks Hays	
				^{from Brooks Hays} The President is honorary chairman of Brotherhood week and has made a short television film on the subject. Since the work of the Conference touches matters of racial peace and justice,	
	12:46			George Reedy felt the conference particularly urgent and meaningful.	
	12:47	t		Walter Jenkins (pl)	
	12:50	+		Jack Valenti (pl)	
	12:53	+		George Reedy (pl)	
	12:54			Larry O'Brien called in w/ a message to be given to the Pres. and dictated to vm -- "Appalachia Rule voted and will be scheduled House floor -- Wednesday, Sept. 2." vm then took it in to the Pres.	
	12:56	t		George Reedy (pl)	
	1:01	+		McGee Bundy (pl)	
	1:20	+		Clifton C. Carter (b.3)	
	1:24	+		H. Busby (b.3)	
c	1:26			To Ken O'Donnell's ofc. for pictures w/ John Montgomery, owner-editor of Daily Union, Junction City, Kan. and candidate for second congressional district of Kansas	

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c	1:30	+		Sen. Geo Smathers (b.3) (see below see note from JV, re this call)	
	1:40			To mansion - for lunch - alone	
	1:50	+		J. Valente (fr mans)	
	1:55	+		W. Jenkins (" ")	
	2:10	+		W. Jenkins (fr mans)	
c	2:16	+		Secretary Dillon (fr mans.)	
	2:50	+		Ashton Gonella (" ")	
	3:01	+		Bill Moyers (fr mansion)	
	3:50	+		Clark Clifford (fr mans.)	
	3:55	+		Walter Jenkins (fr mans.)	
	4:00p			The President arrived in the office.	
c	4:05p	t		Walter Heller - (b.4)	
c	4:10 - 4:28			The President with JV and Claude DeSautels to Cabinet Room for Signing of S. 1642 Securities and Exchange Commission Amendments. <i>Made remarks</i>	
				Attendance:	
				Senator A. Willis Robertson	Cong. Harley Staggers
				Senator Harrison A. Williams, Jr.	Cong. Wm. Springer
				Cong. Oren Harris	Cong. Hastings Keith

Re call from Sen. Smathers. . JV says the Senator wanted to talk to the Pres before leaving town this afternoon. When JV queried on the subject matter of phone call he blew up and said "Damnit, I don't have to do what the Pres. asked me to do. . and I don't have to go thru 10 people when I talk to him. You tell him I'm doing what I'm doing because he asked me. . . I don't have (over)

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				to run until 1968 and I'll be damned if I go thru an intermediary ex.	
				Cong. Gillis Long	Morgan Shipman
				Cong. Lionel Van Deerlin	Richard Phillips
				Cong. Milton W. Glenn	Prof. Louis Loss
				Cong. Willard S. Curtin	Peter A. Mack
				William L. Cary	Milton H. Cohen
				Byron D. Woodside	Henry M. Watts, Jr.
				Manual F. Cohen	Martin J. Keena
				Hamer H. Budge	Edwin Posner
				Jonathan Cohen	James E. Day
				Ralph S. Saul	Charles McNeill
				Edmund H. Worthy	John B Holton
				Philip A. Loomis, Jr.	James C. Kellogg
				O. Dubois	
				Leonard M. Leiman	
				William McChesney Martin, Jr.	
				Stafford R. Grady	
				Donald C. Cook	
				Dorsey Richardson	
				Robert W. Hasck	
				Sam Harris	
				John C. Williamson	
				Keith Funston	
				Dr. Andrew Stevenson	
				Anthony Flerscher	
				After the signing of the Bill, the President witnessed the SWEARING-IN of Hon. Manual F. Cohen as Chairman of the Securities and Exchange Commission in the presence of those gathered for the bill signing, and Mrs. Cohen, Jonathan Cohen, Molly Zion, and Richard Brill. Mr. Cohen, a Commissioner of the SEC, was sworn in by Mr. Carson Howell	

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	4:28			Returned to the Oval Room office.	
	4:30	+		George Reedy (p/h)	
	4:30			Donald Cook (of New York) ¹ telephoned Pres. ^{from cab. room} but @ 4:40 p	
C	4:40			Departed the office asking "does anybody know where this Reception is going to be held?" VM mentioned East Room and MJDR hastily called JV. but could not locate . President headed for Mansion accompanied by JV	
C	4:42			Upstairs in Mansion. RECEPTION For group of Small Businessmen - East Room - Attendance: 334 List sent to Dorothy Tennito for archives President made remarks in East Room, received each guest in Blue Room, and then joined guests in State Dining Room for refreshments.	

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	6:10			Returned to the office with Jack Valenti.	
<u>c</u>	6:12			To Cabinet Room to meet with JOINT Chiefs of Staff OFF THE RECORD (Regoing over Single Integrated Operations Plan -- our response to nuclear attack -- so that the Pres. will be up to-date) Attendance: General Earle G. Wheeler, USA, Chairman of JCS General Harold K. Johnson, USA General Curtis E. LeMay, USAF Admiral David McXXX McDonald, USN General Wallace M. Greene, USMC Lt. Col. James M. Connell, USA Cmdr. John V. Josephson, USN Briefing Officers were: Maj. Gen. John B. McPherson, USAF and Capt. Clyde B. Anderson, USN	
	6:50			Back to Oval Room Office.	
	6:55	t		Jack Valenti (p/l)	
	7:00	t		Walter Jenkins (p/l)	
	7:10			To Lounge - JV, Dick Goodwin join	
<u>c</u>	7:12			To Fish Room - to watch suggested advertising film for campaign with JV, Lloyd Wright, William Bernbach, Jim Graham and George Abraham (advertising people) and Dick Goodwin - until 7:50p OFF THE RECORD	
	7:55			To Oval Room office w/Dick Goodwin	

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				<i>Today approved S. 2642 - An act to mobilize the human and financial resources of the Nation to combat poverty in the United States</i>	
				Released text of message to the Congress of the United States - transmitting the six eighteenth annual report covering United States participation in the UN during 1963	
				Released statement by the President - re peaceful use of space and signing of two agreements today providing for the establishment of a global commercial communications satellite system.	
				TODAY APPROVED:	
				S. 1642, An Act to amend the Securities Act of 1933 as amended, and the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, to extend disclosure requirements to the issuers of additional publicly traded securities, to provide for improved qualification and disciplinary procedures for registered brokers and dealers, and for other purposes.	
				S. 136, An Act to place in trust status certain lands on the Rosebud Sioux Reservation in South Dakota	
				S. 1057, An Act to promote the cause of criminal justice by providing for the representation of defendants who are financially unable to obtain an adequate defense in criminal cases in the courts of the United States.	
				S. 1833, An Act to authorize Government agencies to provide quarters and facilities to civilian officers and employees of the Government, and for other purposes.	
				S. 2318, An Act to amend the joint resolution approved August 20, 1958, granting the consent of Congress to the several States to negotiate the and enter into compacts for the purpose of promoting highway traffic safety.	
				H. R. 1713, An Act to approve an order of the Secretary of the Interior canceling irrigation charges against non-Indian-owned lands under the Klamath Indian irrigation project, Oregon, and for other purposes.	
				H. R. 6128, An Act to amend Section 15 of the Life Insurance Act to permit any stock life insurance company in the District of Columbia to maintain its record of stockholders at its principal place of business in the District of Columbia or at the office of its designated stock transfer agent in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes.	

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