THE WHITE HOUSE

. PRESIDENT LYNDON B. JOHNSON

DAILY DIARY

The President began his day at (Place).

White House

Date February 12, 1965

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11.50				To the office w/ Marvin Watson The President stopped at Gerri Whittington's deek				
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11:53		1	37	Bill Bates (Senator Russell's aide at Walter Russe Reed hospital)				
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-	1:20				To mansion and to Each Com 120 accompanied by Mrs. Johnson	
				-	for presentation of medal from the United States Civil War Centennial Commission,	_
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	-				Norman C. Larson, and two other elderly luncheon guests Seneral Chifton and Law Jahre
		-			and General Clifton and Lem Johns
				-	On arriving the Memorial, the President sat in his car while two officers fromthe
	- i: i: i: i				Military District of Washington escorted the Luncheon guests from the busses and up
			10 100 2 10	1	to the top steps of the Memorial. When the last guest reached the top step of the Memoria
	A Tell of				the President and his party got out of the car. The President climbed the steps of the
					Memorial, where a soldier from the Military District of the Washington brought a
	0-	PRESIDENT	A Company		wreath to him. The President placed his hands on the wreath, too k several steps
7	VREATH	LAYIN	G		forward and placed the wreath at the best skx base of the Skatzex monument. He
					then stepped back a couple of steps, bowed his head and was reflective for a moment or
			14/4	7	two. He then, accompanied by party, walked down the steps, greeting on the outside
	1.51		t-	17	the national commander of the organization that had conducted the memorial service for
					Lincoln which was held this morning, and numerous tourists who had gathered around
2.1					the memorial and the motorcade. He departed the memorial in the company of Senator
			4 - 4		Yarborough, Mr. Larson, General Clifton, and Lem Johnsø. The elderly gentlemen did
					not accompany him.
- 0	3.200	3.25			To White Name. On arrival, the President got out of his car and talked with
- 1		7 27		L T	Mr. Valenti while waiting for the busses carrying luncheon guests to arrived in the
T					grounds. He xxix said goodbye to his guests as they got off the busses, and then went
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-					Davis, his son, Jim Symungton, and George Weard, assistant	
	7:10		1		Secretary Thomas Thann (Scentary of Lala	
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	8:58		+		Jack Valenti	
	9:10		+		Mrs. Johnson	
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	10: 55p				DINNER w/ Mrs. Johnson, Lynda, Dave LeFeve, W. W. Heath	5 A
					THE SECRET SECTION OF THE PARTY	
	12:32a				Mr. Heath departed	-
	12:40a				Retired	
4 4					Today received, through mjdr, from Eva Adams, Director of the Mint, two of the	
	E IN	\$ PE _7	150	(F	Annual Assay Commission Medals. The Medals are customarily given to members	- 6-8
1714		P 1.00	1		of the Commission only, but because Mr. Frank Gasparro (whom the President	1
1					nominated for appointment to Chief Sculptor and Engraver) did the portrait from	
1.74	prode 12 h	AND A	7 7		which the medal was made, Mrs. Adams thought the President and Mrs. Johnson	1
W. 1990		7025		1.27	would like to have the medals.	
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					David C. Mearns, Chief of the Manuscript Division of Libary of Congress,		
	Y	29 140 1			reported the following in the February 15 issue of the Library of Congress Information	-	
			-		tion Bulletin regarding the luncheon held today.		
	9				"The guests entered through the southwest gate and gathered in the		
					Diplomatic Reception Room and in the corridor beyond. The atmosphere was not		
			-	17 14 43	unlike a college reunion. At precisely one o'clock the company marked upstairs a	nd	
	4				took positions in the East Room. Photographers stood poised on oddly informal an		
		4- 11- 4			precarious wooden platforms. Flash bulbs exploded indiscriminately. Microphone		
×.	4.7	1			were put through rigid tests. Out in the foyer, the red-coated Marine Band blared	1	
	705 L	-			away contentedly. The Vice President came in and was promptly surrounded.	c	
	-	Larray .	-	- 100	"Suddenly the music stopped; the tune was changed to "Hail to the		
	P			= = :	Chief"; and there stood Lyndon Baines Johnson, looking nine feet tall. James I		
	An he		-		Robertson, Jr., Executive Director of the National Civil War Centennial Commiss	ion,	
	b			- 被- /	presented him with the goldmedal of honor, which the President acknowledged in a		
	F-1			14	brief and eloquent address. In part, he said: "Many of you in this room know muc		
			18 765		more about Abraham Lincoln than I. Yet I do know something of the soil from which		
			He Ha		he came, and the people he lived among. And sometimes at night, as I struggle w	STATE OF THE PARTY	
3 11	- 7				terrible problems, his presence seems almost real."		
	· · · · · ·			3	"Thereafter, the President and Mrs. Johnson received their guests in	1	
	ng leavi				the Red Room, from whence they moved on to the State Dining Room, where		
4		14			the party was seated at small tables. The menu, beginning with eggs Mornay and		
			1755		ending with a strawberry confections, was altogether admirable. When xixxx cigar	S	
					had been passed, and the last finger had been dampened in the last bowl, the Lady		
4	1111111111	- 7.		1.50	of the House, becomingly garbed in Lincoln green, arose to announce that because		
					this was so special an occasion, she and her husband wanted to exhibit the Lincoln		
	- 12			1771	Room on the second story. There, pointing to the great, long bed, Mrs. Johnson		
- 1			124	17:	commented that Winston Churchill had delighted in its association-comforts. The	- G29s	
		10.13	1,9		President remarks that he was going over to the Memorial and would like to have	gratia id	
		21.	1		everyone accompany him.		
. 52	PATER TE	10 to 10			In cars and Fort Myer buses, behind a police escort, they followed		
15	CAS.				him in the gray afternoon to the shrine on the Mall. The President placed a wreat	h	
	18 08	7-7-1-5			of carnationats at the feed of Axxx Daniel Chester French's Lincoln, and stood		

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			1		White House to disband. One bus had been nearly emptied, when the tall figure	
			-		of the President broke through the crowd; he mounted the lower step, and, turning	
	-	222		V	his head inside the bus, said: 'Thank you for having given me a most memorable	27.0
-,				- 7	day. The response to the President may have been incoherent, but only his	
			-		phrase could express the feeling of wondering gratitude; it had all seemed to be	
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