

THE WHITE HOUSE
PRESIDENT LYNDON B. JOHNSON
DAILY DIARY

Date February 24, 1965 *called*
Day Wednesday

The President began his day at (Place) White House

Entry No.	Time		Telephone f or t		Activity (include visited by)	Expenditure Code
	In	Out	Lo	LD		
	8:00				Awake - ^{8:00 9:10 9:30} MW, JV, BM	
	8:10		+		Situation Room	
C	8:17		+		Abe Fortas	
C	9:05		f		Secretary McNamara	
C	9:28		f		Attorney General Katzenbach re judgeships, story to appear in Evening Star re postal employees, Senator Long and mail cover, Bill Moyers and immigration bill	
	9:38		+			
	10:26		+		Geo Reedy	
C	10:50		f		Mayor of Chicago, Richard Daley	
C	11:25		f		Sen. Mansfield	
	11:29		+		Bill Moyers	
	11:53		f		Bill Moyers	
C	11:55				To Cabinet Room for filming of Physical Fitness film. This was filmed to up-date the current film which carries a message from President Kennedy - JV	
	12:00				To office w/ MW	
C	12:01p	12:30p			Ranier Barzel, Chairman of the German CDU/OSU Parliamentary Group	
C					Mr. Alfred Puhan, Director of the Office of German Affairs, DOS	
C					Ambassador of Germany, H. E. Heinrich Knappstein	
GER briefing noted that Mr. Barzel is here in the United States for just some general visits and discussions and this was a courtesy call upon the President.						
	12:31p	12:42p	C		Winners of the White House Photographers Association Photography Contest	
					Each winner was introduced to the President by Ollie Atkins (President of the Association) and the President posed for pictures with each winner. At the end of the session a group picture was taken.	

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	Mr. Atkins introduced each winner to the President, the man held up his picture, greeted the President and was photograph him. Charles Gorry, who took the ear-pulling Beagle picture, hesitantly held his picture at his knees and was reluctant raise it for the President's attention. The group urged him on, and when the President saw it he grinned, and said, "Did you pay you off for that one?" and the group laughed.					
C	12:43p	2:16			James "Scotty" Reston of the New York Times	OFF RECORD
	1:34		f		Larry O'Brien	
C	2:16	2:21			(Carl Bagge) - re possible appointment to Federal Power Commission	OFF THE RECORD
C	2:21	2:26			(Robert Amory)	OFF THE RECORD
	2:29		t		George Reedy (pl)	
	2:50p	2:53p			Departed office via automobile for 2339 Massachusetts Avenue w/ Marvin Watson	
	3:00p				MEMORIAL SERVICE for retired Justice Felix Frankfurter in his apartment in the above building. Attending were Supreme Court Justices, their wives and 15-20 close friends. The Washington Post, Feb 25, 1965, reported that all the justices of the high court except for Justice William Douglas attended (Douglas is out of town); that others in attendance included Former Secretary of State Dean Acheson, Former attorney General Francix X. Biddle, and AG Katzenbach, Joseph Rauh, Jr. Alice Longworth and Leverett Saltonstall; that only a few more than 100 people attended the 30 minute service; that the President spoke to Mrs. Frankfurter and then departed, being the first to leave the service.	
	3:30p				To White House and to second floor at 3:35p	
	3:45				Lunch - alone	
					NOMINATION SENT TO THE SENATE TODAY:	
					Rear Admiral Herschel J. Goldberg, Supply Corps, USN, for appointment as Chief of the	

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	3:50p		t		George Reedy	
	5:30				To the Blue Room for formal press coverage press coverage of the President receiving credentials for the Following Ambassadors to the United States:	
					<i>Protect of accompanying:</i> His Excellency Ramon De Clairmont Duenas --- EL SALVADOR	
					<i>C Chester Carter</i> His Excellency Olavi Munkki -- FINLAND	
					<i>C Rafael Sancho Bonet</i> His Excellency H. L. T. Taswell -- SOUTH AFRICA (Harold)	
					<i>C Samuel King</i> H. E. Diogenes de la Rosa -- PANAMA -- Special Ambassador	
					with Julian Nicholas	
					Fernado van Reigersberg -- interpreter	
	5:35				Then to the Red Room for informal visits -- Hon. Lloyd N. Hand also in attendance	
	6:10	6:40			The President returned to his office with Marvin Watson, Mr. Bryant and the dogs and went straight through to the Fish Room to meet with Larry O'Brien and approx. 55 Congressional members: liaison people from all the departments and agencies. The meeting had started at 5:00p, so Larry O'Brien took a short time to bring the President up to date on what discussed had been discussed, then the President made REMARKS to the group emphasizing the need for coordination between agencies	
	6:50	7:10			To Bill Moyers office and departments, Larry O'Brien's office, and the Hill.	
	7:11	8:25			<i>OFF RECORD</i> Anne Mansfield (the Majority Leader's daughter) is the Washington Correspondent for Vision Incorporated, a Latin American publication, and had seen the President on his Inauguration Day at which time he agreed to let her interview him. Her main area of interest lies in the Alliance for Progress	
	7:12		f		Secretary Rusk	
	8:32		t		Situation Room (pl)	
	8:35		t		Cathy MacArthur (pl) -- "See if you can get the operator to get Senator Dirksen's nurse and Senator Russell's nurse."	
	8:45		t		Secretary McNamara	

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C	9:18				Lt. Deck, Senator Dirksen and Senator Dirksen Russell's nurse	
	9:55				The President left the office for the mansion	
	10:05				Dinner - alone (Mrs Johnson and Lynda) at National to see	
C	10:35		f		Secretary Rusk	
	10:45		f		Bromley Smith	
	11:15				Retired	
C	10:55		f		Secretary Rusk	
					Nomination sent to Senate:	
					Luther L. Terry, of Alabama, to be Surgeon General	
					of the Public Health Service for a term of four years	