

THE WHITE HOUSE  
 PRESIDENT LYNDON B. JOHNSON  
 DAILY DIARY

Date *March 3, 1965*

*calls made*

*White House*

Day *Wednesday*

The President began his day at (Place)

Entry No.	Time		Telephone f or t		Activity (include visited by)	Expenditure Code
	In	Out	Lo	LD		
	8:00				Awake, breakfast in bed w/ Mrs J M. Watson, J. Valente Mr. Burkley	
	10:00		f		Mr George Bundy	
C	10:05		f		Secy Rusk (b.1) re sending Wm. Gaudin on a mission	
✓	10:09		f		Secy Rusk (b.1) re above	
C	10:10		f	+	Leonard Goldenson, ABC (b.1) NYC re his appointment w/ Mrs. Jean Kennedy Smith last week and his decision not to have a WH dinner for members of movie industry to solicit funds for Kennedy Center because of possible criticism	
	10:29		f		G. Reedy	
	11:15				To Oval Office in a happy mood, stopping in mjdr's room to make a remark about the smudge of ashes on mf's forehead... "look at that poor child. Is this Ash Sunday or something?"	
	11:30		+		Jack Valente - re the President's utterances on Viet Nam	
	11:34		+		McGeo Bundy	
	<del>11:40</del>		f		McGeorge Bundy	
C	11:45a	11:50a			To the Department of Health, Education and Welfare Met there by The Secretary of HEW, Anthony Celebrezze, and went with him into the lobby of the building, shaking hands with the crowds gathered there. He went then to the auditorium and to the stage. "Hail to the Chief" was played. Secretary <del>ix</del> Celebrezze introduced him and he delivered	
	11:54				REMARKS	
C					On the stage were Senator and Mrs. Abraham Ribicoff, Secretary Celebrezze, and the artist who painted the picture, AARON A. SHIKLER	

*calls made by WH for collecting funds*

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					Senator Ribicoff made brief remarks and then the President and Secy Celebrezze unveiled the portrait. Pictures were made, and then the President proceeded to Secy Celebrezze's office where he shook hands and had pictures made with outstanding people selected by the Secy for their leading role in achieving <del>improved</del> improved management and cost reduction:	
		<i>c</i>			Mr. Jack S. Futterman, Exec. Asst., Social Security Administration	
		<i>c</i>			Mrs. Genevieve O. Dane, Budget Officer, U. S. Office of Education	
		<i>c</i>			Mr. John W. Finn, Asst Chief, Financial Management Branch, NIH, Public Health Serv	
		<i>c</i>			Mr. Donald F. Simpson, Exec Ofcr, Public Health Service	
		<i>c</i>			Mr. William C. Lanning, Director, Central Payroll Division, Office of the Secretary	
<i>C</i>	12:31p	12:34p			To Smithsonian Institute -- new building, Museum of Science and Technology	
					Met there by Dr. S. Dillon Ripley, Secretary of the Smithsonian Institue. and to the second floor, shaking hands with tourists gathered in the halls.	
					On the way to the second floor, the Director of the Air Museum, Paul Johnston, steered the President to a model of the proposed air museum building to be <del>constructed soon</del> constructed soon. Then the President proceeded to the place where the original flag that flew at Fort Henry was exhibited. Today is the 34th anniversary of the Congressional resolution setting aside the "Star Spangled Banner" as the National Anthem.	
					Dr. Ripley introduced the President	
	<i>C</i> 12:40p				REMARKS	
	12:50p	12:55			To White House and to office <i>w/ Him</i> (having stopped on the center drive to pick Him up from the caretaker)	
<i>C</i>	1:15p				Hon. Edward Allen Tamm, Judge U. S. District Court for the District of Columbia to thank the President personally for the appointment to the Circuit Court	
	1:30p				To mansion w/ Judge Tamm. who departed the mansion at 1:40p	
<i>a</i>	1:45p				LUNCH w/ Attorney General Katzenbach, Deputy Attorney General Ramsey Clark FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover	GER Press briefing #630 noted that the discussion was about problems in the nation and certain language in the crime message.

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<u>C</u>	2:45 p		t		Chairman Macy	
	2:59p		f		George Reedy	
					Today released statement on regular civilian employment in the executive branch being down 6,000 from January, 1964, and down 5,000 from January, 1963, standing now at 2,452,000 -- the second lowest employment figure since May of 1962	
	4:45p		t		Bill Moyers	
	5:10p		f		Larry O'Brien	
<u>C</u>	5:20p		t		Congressman Robert Jones of Alabama	
	5:39p		f		Larry O'Brien	
	5:45p				To the office w/ MW - stopped at GW's desk to look at photographs she was working with	
<u>C</u>	5:48p				To Cabinet Room to join	
<u>C</u>					<i>Secretary Russett</i>	
<u>C</u>					<i>Secretary Ball</i>	
<u>C</u>					<i>Hon. Phillips Talbott</i>	
<u>C</u>					<i>Donald Wilson</i>	
<u>C</u>					<i>Mr George Bundy</i>	

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	6:55				To Office w/ Mr. George Bundy	
C	6:58	7:25			George Meany - re East-West Trade - OFF RECORD Bundy memo dated March 3, 1965 to DT	
C	7:30	8:30			Senator Lister Hill, Senator John Sparkman, and Cong. Armistead Selden OFF RECORD Lee White - discuss the civil rights situation in Alabama	
	7:35	8:05			Mrs. Johnson	
C	8:10		A		Secretary Dean Rusk	
	9:15		+		Bill Moyers	
	9:17		+		George Reed	
	10:00		A		Mrs. Johnson	
C	10:13		+		Senator George Smathers, Rochester, Minnesota	
	10:35				To Mansion: "Tell them I'm on my way."	
C	10:47p		t		William J. Crockett	
	11:00p				DINNER w/ Mrs. Johnson (at 10:59 Yolanda Boozer called the President, but he was having dinner, so she left the following message to be given to him: "I am in Columbia Hospital, due to have the baby at any time") --the operator gave her message to the President at 11:05p	
	12:00m				Retired	