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	6:45a -	8:00a	t		Intercom system in House - "bring me my coffee and my papers)	
	%x0x0x				Awake and reading newspapers in bed.	
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	8:24a		+		Jake Jacobsen (guest Lause)	
0	9:08a -		t		Dale Malachek	
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9	9:25a		t		Judge A. W. Moursund - (his	YE .
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	9:56a -	9:59a			The President to the Office - to check microphone set-up w/Signal people -	
	7.5	//			sits at his desk and begins first paragraph - as rehearsal only - for proper	
					audio, etc reception in Wash, DC - Mayflower Hotel. (Stodderl takes pics)	
					Asks that Mrs. Johnson be called into the office - and stand by his side at his desk	
					while he makes	
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C	10:00a	10:15a			TELEPHONE ADDRESS - to Business Council group gathered in the Mayflower Hotel	,
					Washington, D.C. (re wages, prices and economy)	
	4				The speaker for the Business Council - at the conclusion of the President's remarks	-
					thanked him by saving "Mr. President, we just want to express our appreciation for	
					your fine message which was so well liked. We do feel that next year will be a good	
					business year. I think we can speak for the entire business community with all	
					of the facts on the table. We know even our most difficult problems can be resolved.	
					I would like to add one more thing, Mr. President and that is, that we're prepared to	P
					give full support to the government and we're behind you 100%."	
	10:172	- 11:25a			The President said "Thank you - and good morning." (see page 5 for complete transpersed the Main House - driving alone.	scrip

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1	l:15p -	2:55p			The President and Secy Rusk resumed meeting in the living room - Secy Freeman ar	d
T					JV into the office.	
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-	3:05p		1		Into the office - to his desk, talking w/Secy Freeman, reading some papers.	†
-†			1	-	The President briefed Secy Freeman with Jack Valenti present about what	†
+			1		to tell the press in Austin when he and Secy Rusk meet with press there before	1
+			1	1	leaving for Wash, DC	†
7	3:10p		1		Mrs. Johnson into the office.	
	3:15p				Departed the Main House w/Secy Rusk, Secy Freeman, JV and Mrs. Johnson	
1			-		by car - to the hanger and see group aboard Helicopter for their trip to Austin.	-
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7	3:30p				To the office - working his desk w/mf and JJ. Pouch brought quite a bit of	1
\neg			1		correspondence this morning and Pres.'s desk pretty heavy w/things.	
					He asks mf "where did all this come from?" she replies - "In this morning's pouch	n, si
	4:20p		+	t	Earle Deathe - Austin, Texas (car radio)	-
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	4:15 -				Departs the office by car - driving alone - towards Johnson City	
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	4:30p		t		Judge A. W. Moursund - Johnson City, Texas (car radio)	
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\dashv	(10		ļ, —	-	Jake Jacobsen - car radio (that he was at Judge Moursund's and would be back	-
\dashv	6:40p		t	-	at the Main House in approx. 15 minutes).	-
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	6:41p			t	Joe Laitin, - car radio - asking how the press conference had gone and what	-
		-		 	news there were.	-
-	7:05p		+		Arrived at the Main House - to the Office.	
			_		Working his desk w/mf - reading tickers, etc. on his desk.	-
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V	7:10p		 t		Dale Malachek	
	7:16 -	7:45p	1		DINNER w/Jake Jacobsen (Stuffed peppers, squash, tomato & onion salad,	
					mf and yb green peas, gelatin and cream dessert)	
_			-	ļ	(Pres. asked mf to say grace and she did) President delighted in talking about the fr	riend.
	7:45p -	8:15p			To the office ship of his family w/Moursund family and at length about this subject) - see p. 6 for	talke or mo
-	8:15p		t		Earle Deathe (who was in a car leaving the LBJ Ranch) and whom the President	
	O. P. P.				heard on the radio unit talking to Dale Malachek.	-
	0.15				To the bedroom - to retire.	-
	8:15p		\dagger	-	To the bedroom - to retire.	-
U	10:21p			t	Justice Abe Fortas - Wash, DC (returning his call)	-
	10:52p		+		Joe Califano - Wash, DC 11:00p Retired	

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	11:10p			f	Chairman Joseph C. Swidler of Federal Power Commission (Wash,DC)	
					to advise that power had been restored in the affected areas at 9:55 pm local time	-
I					El Paso, Las Cruces, NMex and White Sands, NMex.	
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					Today announced the selection of Dr. Finn J. Larsen of Hopkins, Minn	
					an industrial executive and former Asst Secy of the Army, as Principal	
		()			Deputy Director of Defense Research and Engineering. He succeeds Dr.	
			-		E. G. Fubini, who served as Asst Secy of Defense until last July 15. The	
					position has since been redesignated Principal Deputy Director of Defense	
					Research and Engineering.	
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+					Re entry 10:00a - 10:15a (complete transcript of W. B. Murphys remarks to the Pre	side
1					"On behalf of the members of the Business Council, I would like to express our	-
1			<u> </u>		appreciation for your fine message which so well summarized our present	-
1					situation and our prospects. We, too, feel that next year will be a good business	1
1			↓		year. I think I can speak for the members of this group when I say that we feel	1_
4			<u> </u>		that when there is full consultation of all parties concerned, when all the facts	_
4			ļ		are on the table, even our most difficult problems can be solved. I would like	1_
4			_		to add one more thing, I have never known a businessman, I have never heard a	_
1					businessman say anything but to give full support to the government on VietNam.	
+				-	We are behind you 100%, I believe. Thank you, Mr. President."	+
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1				-	Issued proclamation proclaiming blec. 10, 1965 as	1
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					Re: Entry 7:16p - 7:45p - Cont'd conv. at Dinner	
					The President proceeded to tell x historical xxxx information about Judge Moursund'	\$
	# 1				Mother and Father - about the Judge's mother and Mrs. Rebekah Baines Johnson (the	
					President's Mother) being room-mates at Baylor and how fond they were of each oth	er
	a				but that Sam Ealy Johnson, Jr. (the President's father) and Judge Moursund's father	
					could not stand each other and would avoid talking and just didn't see each other for	
					many, many years. That the President's father forbade Mrs. Johnson (President's	
1					mother) from continuing their friendship in spite of their fond respect and admiration	
					for each other. That it wasn't until Judge Moursund's father's death that the Presid	ent's
1					Mother could then seek out Mary Moursund (Judge Moursund's mother) and since the	
1					were inseparable.	İ
1				1	The President also told about giving Judge A. W. Moursund \$250.00 to help him	T
1					get elected as County Judge and went out and bought \$250.00 worth of pencils w/word	ding
_		<u> </u>	1	1	on the pencils that read "use this pencil and write-in your vote for A. W. Moursund	
				1	for Country Judge." A. W. Moursund was elected County Judge and the President	
		1	1	1	seem exhuberant in telling how fond he was of A. W. and his family and how for so	1
1					many years both their fathers had not spoken and pursued this personal feud for so l	ng
					in spite of both their mother's great admiration and respect for each other.	1
					The President said "I'm so fond of A. W and he's a wonderful businessman but	t _
\perp					when he drinks - which is now and then, he gets carried away and I can still see sha	ades
					of his father in him. He gets belligerant and antagonistic and he sure gets in a bad	
					when he has a few too many, but he's one of my closest friends and I think the world	
				1	of him and his family. You know he's Norwegian and he sure can deal a lot of hell	
					but he gets the job done and I respect his judgment on business matters, especially	
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