THE WHITE HOUSE
PRESIDENT LYNDON B. JOHNSON
DAILY DIARY

Date_Feb 16, 1966

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	7:15				Breakfast	
-	7:50a		t		Douglass Cater	
C	8:31a		t		Secy McNamara	
0_	9:05a		t		Secy McNamara	
	9:37a				To the Oval Ofc w/ JJ, Douglass Cater, BM	
					(note, JJ and BM departed, but Cater remained in the ofc working on speech draft) - Caler out at 10:40 a	
	9:58a		t		BM (pl) - Bill had asked that the President buzz him	
	10:05a		f		Mike Manatos	
	10:10a		 		mw (pe)	
	10:13				Bill Moyers and Joe Califano in - Bm out at 10:30a	
	10:144		t		Marvin Watson (pl)	
C	10:25a		f		Secy Freeman (returning his call) b. l	
	10:46a		-		Mrs. Johnson	
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C	10:50a				. To WashingtonNational Cathedral	
					w/ Mrs. Johnson - via car	
			-		At the Cathedral, they were met by Dean Francis Sayre,	-
					who escorted them to the Bethlehem Chapel in the Cathedral (seated left front)	
-	9.75		-		for MEMORIAL SERVICE for Congressmah Albert Thomas of Texas	
					This was a short service, no eulogy delivered, and	
					following the service, the President and Mrs. Johnson followed	
					the flag draped casket to the rear of the chapel, and offered their	
	;				sympathy to members of the family present:	
					Mrs. Albert Thomas	
	: .				Miss Lera Thomas	
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	11:20a		Departed Cathedral w/ Mrs. Johnson - via car									
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	1:30a		+	-	Returned to Oval Office w/ Lem Johns - Johns departed immediately							
-4	1.50a		 	-	Tietarnea to Gyaz erree wy men commercial and a commercia							
, 1	11:56a		1		To Theater for Savings Bond Ceremony w/ MW, JJ							
*	111300		†		The President delivered REMARKS in which he announced an increase in the inter-							
1300					on U.S. Savings Bonds from 3 3/4 to 4.15 percent.							
					and the same of th							
	+ 111	1) +			Attending:							
_			 		Senator A. Willia Robertson							
			 		Senator Norris Cotton							
-			┼──		Cong. Wright Patman	\longrightarrow						
-+			+		Cong. Wm Widnall							
-			+	-	Cong. Harley Staggers Cong. John Byrnes							
			+	-	William Neill							
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					Dept Commander, DAV				
<u>c</u>	1:40p	1:43p			OFF RECORD: State Representative George O'Farrell/of Massachusetts				
	y/T 20				George Wells, Mayor, Worcester, Mass.				
	1				Walter Mason , Past Bepartment Commander, Disabled American Veterans				
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		onal favo			Joseph Laurie				
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rman	ent posi	itions in	he B	oston	Postal District.				
0	l:44p	1:470		+	Congressman Abe Multer with - NY OFF RECORD				
	11.110	111/	 	+	Officers of Bnai Zion				
		1	†	+	Edward Sharff	_			
		 	 	1	Herman Quitman				
		 	†	+	Norman Levine				
	 		1-	-	Raymond Catt				
				1	Raymond Catt				
					Congressman Multer requested the appointment.				
					The officers presented to the President a Bill of Rights Medal resting in a				
					blue leather case w/ gold initialed L.B.J. letters. The medal is 18 karat gold,				
					On one side the medal shows the Lady of Justice bearing her scales, and the				
					words, "The Bnai Zion Bill of Rights Award, 1965," the reverse side shows				
		T		1	the following inscription, "Lyndon Baines Johnson, 36th President of the United				
	1			1	States of America, a Tribute to His inspiring leadership in the furtherance of the				
					letter and spirit of the Bill of Rights."				
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7	1:48p	- 2:55p			· Secretary Freeman and the Agricultural Team which has just returned	
					from VietNam	
		_			At 1:49p, the President escorted the group into the Cabinet Room	
	N.			\vdash	Matthew Drosdoff, Admin., Intl Agric Development Service, USDA	
					Eugene T. Olson, Asst to Secy Freeman	
					M. L. Peterson, Director of Calif Agric Experiment Station, Univ of Calif	
					E. B. Ratchford, VP for Extension, Univ of Missouri	
					Ken Naden, Exec VP, Natl Council of Farmer Cooperatives	
					Wayne D. Criddle, Harza Engineering Co., Salt Lake City	
					H.S. Swingle, Professor of Fisheries, Auburn Univ	
					William J. Darby, Biochemist, Vanderbilt Univ	
					*Xxx Clifton Wharton, Director, American Univ Research Corp., Agric	
					development Council, Inc.	
					Robert Nathan, Director, Nathan Associates, Washington, D. C.	
					O. G. Bentley, Dean of Agric, Univ of Illinois, Urbana, Ill	
				1	Horace Holmes	
	3				Walter Lanham mo Geo Bundy joined at 2 00p on invitation of the Preside	7
					The group sat around the Cabinet Room table, and the President heard their	
					remarks on their visit to VietNam. Each man spoke up, identifying himself	
					to the President, and commented on his special area. The President listened	
					intently, carefully and asked searching questions (Secretary Freeman, TODAY	
	<u> </u>				show, 2-17-66)	
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	2:56p				To Oval Rm Ofc w/MW - asks that Mr. McGeo. Bundy be called into Oval Rm Ofc.	T							
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	2:57p				McGeo. Bundy								
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0	3:00p	4.170	-		Secretary Henry Fowler and								
					William McChesney Martin								
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	3:35p				he President asked Operator to get Mrs. Kay Graham.								
			1		Operator reported Mrs. Graham was in NYC - at NEWSWEEK MAGAZINE offices	_							
					did he want to reach her there. President said "never mind No." -	4_							
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2	4.50	502	-		To andrews AFB via helicopter uf Mr. Billy Graham, a								
-		<u> </u>			Mr. T. W. Wilson, Willard "Bill" Deason, Dr. Young, Jake Jacobsen, Co) -							
_	5.15	1.12	-		Cross, BridayMax	+-							
	0 12p	5:43p	-		To atlantic City, N. J. via convair	+-							
			-		During the Flight the President visited w/ various members of the New Jersey	+							
					Delegation in his cabin.	+							
			-	1	The Manifest shows the following aboard:	+							
			-	(Senator Harrison Williams Cong. Cornelius Gallagher	+							
				-	Senator Clifford Case Cong. Peter Rodino	+							
		-			Cong. James J. Howard Cong. Paul Krebs	+-							
			-	-	Cong. Charles S. Joelson Cong. Edward Patten	+-							
					Cong. Thomas C. McGrath Cong. Joseph Minish								

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					Cong. William Cahill Willard Deason								
					Cong. William Widnall Jake Jacobsen								
7					Cong. Peter Frelinghuysen Col. Cross								
					Dr. Billy Graman Col. Jack Albright								
					Hon. Francis Keppel Dr. Gray Wilson								
					T.W.								
1	2				On arrival in Atlantic City, the president drove in a motorcadeto Hadden								
4					having been met by Governor Richard Hughes and Congressman Henry Helstocki,								
T					and Frank Platt who is President of the Natl Education Association.								
	5.53	6:25p			In the President's car were Governor Hughes, Congressman Thomas McGrath,								
1					Senator Harrison Williams, Senator Clifford Case, xxxxxxx Dr. Billy Graham,								
					Dr. Ex Gillson								
					At Hadden Hall, the President went to the Rutland Room for dinner no								
					speeches, the President did deliver a toast though approx 90 people attended								
					At the and of the dimen the Describent want to Suite 1424 whome he want into his	├							
					At the end of the dinner, the President went to Suite 1434 where he went into his	 							
\rightarrow					bed room for a short rest. The NJ Delegation remained in the suite, but stayed	┼							
					in the living room during this time.	+-							
-	8:26	8.32		-	Departed Hadden Hall, and to Convention Hall, where he waited in the wings unti	1							
7	0.,0				the platform guests were seated. approx 10,000 pe								
\neg					RJEANARKS	Topic							
					Once on the stage, the program began, and those Mr. Frank Platt presented to	1							
					the President a parchment award framed and boxed in blue leather The Ameri	ican							
					Education Award for 1966	1							
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					REMARKS by the President - to the American Association of School Administra	tors							
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	9:14p	9:40			Departed Convention Hall by motorcade	
					Riding w/ the President were Gov. Hughes, Cong. McGrath, Senator Harrison	
	3,4				Williams, Dr. Graham, Dr. Wilson	
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	9:48 p.	10:29			Departed Atlantic City via Convair during the flight, the President again	4
					visited members of the NJ delegation.	-
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	10:5 0 p				Returned to the White House, via believe Car - having lanked at	
			-	-	national airport w/ Ur Graham, Dr Welson, JJ	-
	10:51p	-	l t		Mike Manatos	+
0	10:55p			t	Senator Everett Dirksen, Sterling, Virginia (returning his call)	
	11:15p				Retired -	
			-		HOUSEGUESTS:	-
	ļ		 	-	Dr. Billy Graham	
			-	-	Dr. Wilson, and associate of Dr. Graham	-
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		*			Released text of Lr fr Lawson A Knott, Jr., reporting that in calerdar year
					1965 the Federal Government avoided \$11.1 million in costs as a result of waxx
	8				his directive of January 9
					Announcedthat the President is sending Astronauts Walter Schirra and Frank Borman
1	1		1		on an eight-country good will tour of the Far East beginning next Monday.
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-					Today announced his approval of the appt of Dwight A. Ink as Seexx Asst Sacy for
+			 		Administration, Department of Housing and Orban Development
+			+-+		
+			+-+		Today transmitted the Fifth Annual Report of the W.S. Arms Control and
+			+-+		Disarmament Agency
+		 	++		Issued Exec Order setting us Natl Advisory Council on Intl Monetary and
+		 	++		Fixex Financial Policies
+			1		EXSERT Financial Policies
1			1		Today transmitted to the Senate the Convention on the Settlement of Invesment Disput
					between States and Nationals of Other States.
					Transmitted a report of activity under authority of Public Law 88-451, describing th
					efforts of Five Federal depts and agencies to assist in the
1					recovery of Alaska following the earthquake of March 27, 1964,
_					to the Speaker and the VP
-					Released exchange of ltrs between the President and Secy Fowler re Savings Bonds
+		-			Issued memo for heads of Exec Depts and agencies re employee safety programs
1					Releasted text of statements on reducing the number and cost of injuries to
-		-	-		Federal employees 30 per cent by 1900
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NOMINATIONS SENT TO THE SENATE ON FEBRUARY 16, 1966:

Elmer Boyd Staats, of Kansas, to be Comptroller General of the United States for a term of fifteen years.

Dixon Donnelley, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of State.

Lee C. White, of Nebraska, to be a Member of the Federal Power Commission for the remainder of the term expiring June 22,1970.

Timothy J. May, of Colorado, to be General Counsel of the Post Office Department.

Frederick J. R. Heebe, of Louisiana, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Louisiana, vice Frank B. Ellis, retired.

Russell E. Smith, of Montana, to be United States District Judge for the District of Montana, vice William D. Murray, retired.

Joseph W. Keene, of Louisiana, to be United States Marshal for the Western District of Louisiana for the term of four years. (Reappointment)

The following-named persons to be Members of the Federal Farm Credit Board, Farm Credit Administration, for terms expiring March 31, 1972:

- R. D. Pennewell, of Missouri, vice Lester Clyde Carter
- A. Lars Nelson, of Washington, vice Robert T. Lister.