

THE WHITE HOUSE  
PRESIDENT LYNDON B. JOHNSON  
DAILY DIARY

Date March 7, 1966

The President began his day at (Place)

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Entry No.	Time		Telephone f or t		Activity (include visited by)	Expenditure Code
	In	Out	Lo	LD		
	1:00a				Arrived Andrews AFB aboard AF-One w/	
	1:13a				Arrived South Grounds aboard Helicopter w/ Mrs. Johnson, Arthur Krims	
					(Arthur Krims overnight Mansion guests)	
	1:17a				Upstairs in the Mansion	
	2:00a				Retired	
	7:40a		t		Jack Valenti	
					7:55a Breakfast in bedroom	
C	8:00a		t		Senator Russell Long	
C	8:18a		t		Secy Henry Fowler	
	9:06a		t		Mike Manatos	
C	9:25a		t		Secy Robert McNamara (b.6) re progress in Vietnam over the weekend, and discussion of Sunday's TV programs	
C	9:30a		t		Walter Reuther - Fort Meyer, Florida (b.6) to talk about the general world picture and the domestic problems in Congress, and to see what labor problems are developing	

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C	10:02a		t		Secy Henry Fowler	
	10:20a				The President arrived in the Oval Rm Ofc w/JV --met by Marvin Watson	
C	10:30a		t		Secy Wirtz's Office - talked to Mr. Frank Erwin (b. 1) (The President asked to talk to Secy Wirtz about the employment figures to be used in the 10:30 briefing - Secy Wirtz could not be reached because he is on the Hill testifying) The President said he wanted to talk to Secy Wirtz at lunchtime when he is free about A P-20...ticker)	
	10:32a		t		Joe Califano (pl)	
C	10:34a		t		Hon. Lawson Knott (b. 1)	
	10:40		f		Joe Califano	
	10:41		f		MW (pl)	

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C	12:02p	12:36			former Governor Farris Bryant of Florida (Pres. accompanied him out to MJDR's Office)	
C	12:15p		f		Secy W. Willard Wirtz (returning the President's call of earlier today) (re AP #20) (b. 2) - re employment figures	
C	12:40p		f		Secy Henry Fowler (b. 3)	
C	1:00p	1:10p			Cong. Michael Kirwan -- appt requested by Cong Kirwan to deliver to the President a letter signed by Senator Russell and other congressional people asking for a revision or possibly a restudy of the criteria on water transportation.	
C	1:05		f		Secy Henry Fowler	
	1:32				Joe Califano	
	1:41		+		NA	
	1:45p		+		Joe Lartin (je)	
C	1:59p		f		Cong Wright Patman (b. 1) w/ Joe Califano	
	2:00p				TV in	
C	2:02p		+		Secy Connor	



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	2:36p				Bob Fleming	
C	2:40p		t		General Andrew Goodpastor	
C	2:55p		f		Hon. V. Alexis Johnson (b.5) returning the President's call	
C	3:00p		f		Secretary Rusk (b.5)	
	3:25				To mansion for lunch alone	
C	3:45p		+		Secy Rusk	
	4:47		+		Mike Manatos	
	4:58		+		mf	
	5:02p		+		J. Califano	
	5:14p				To theater	
	5:29p				To the office	

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C	5:36p				Secretary Rusk and Under Secretary of State, George Ball	
C	5:43				<i>Robert Komer joined</i>	
C	5:45	6:30p			<i>Secretary McNamara joined</i> (during session, the President and his advisors drafted and edited letters <del>for</del> de Gaulle, Wilson, Erhard)	
C	6:30	6:32			<i>Mothers and Children</i> Mrs. Jack Valenti and Courtenay Mrs. Nancy Dickerson and child -- Mrs. Marvin Watson and child Mrs. Eddie Weisl, Jr. and child Mrs. Paul Rogers and child	
					<i>The President had told JF that he wanted to meet some of Courtenay's friends, so this mtg. was arranged.</i>	

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					<b>LEADERSHIP MTG.</b>	
C	6:33	7:33			Senator Mike Mansfield	
		7:33			Senator Russell Long	
		7:33			Speaker John McCormack	
		7:33			Congressman Carl Albert	
		7:33			Congressman Hale Boggs	
		7:33			Mike Manatos	
		7:33			Henry Wilson	
		7:33			Joe Califano	
		7:37			Jack Valenti	
					Henry Wilson's agenda for this mtg included: messages for this week, tax bill, minimum wage, <del>viet</del> Vietnam economic supplemental authorization, VietNam Supplemental Appropriations, Electoral College Reform, Community Relations Service Transfer, Truth in packaging, Civilian Pay, Transportation Dept, House and Cities Legislation.	
	7:35	7:37			Joe Califano	
	7:44		t		Joe Califano (pl)	
	7:56		t		Jack Valenti (pl)	
	7:58		t		Bob Fleming (pl)	
	8:01		t		Bill Moyers (pl)	
	8:11		f		Henry Wilson	
	8:21		t		JV (pl)	
	8:26		t		JV (pl)	
	8:30	8:33			JV in	

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	8:37		f		MW (pl)	
	8:38	8:39			MW in	
	8:40		t		JV (in JAC's office -- talked to JAC instead)	
	8:43		t		JV (pl)	
	9:08		t		Mrs. Johnson	
	9:10		f		Bill Moyers	
	8:16		t		Joe Califano	
	9:20				Working MW's night reading on vm's desk	
	<i>C 9:28</i>		<i>+</i>		<i>Hon. Sheldon Cohen</i>	
	<i>9:48</i>				<i>to the Mansion</i> - Upstairs at 9:45p	
	<i>C 10:00p</i>				DINNER w/ Mrs. Johnson and Mr. Anthony Taylor (Mrs. Johnson's brother) (Mr. Taylor departed at 11:00p)	
	11:20p				Retired	



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					Released exchange of ltrs between the President and the Hon Wright Patman, Chairman, Banking and Currency Committee, House of Rep.	
					Released statement on agricultural education in Colombia being greatly expanded and developed under an agreement signed today in Bogota between the Govt of Colombia and the U S Agency for Intenatl Development	
					NOMINATION SENT TO THE SENATE today: Stanley Tupper, of Maine, to be Commissioner General for United States participation in the Canadian Universal and Intl Exhibition	
					Today awarded the Distinguished Unit Citation to the 121st Aviation Company (Air Mobile Light) of the U S Army and its attached units for extraordinary heroism while engaged in action against a heavily armed and <del>ex</del> entrenched enemy in VietNam on Decm 5, 1964	
					Released exchange of ltrs between the President and the Hon G Mennen Williams, Asst Secy of State	
					Released text of memo to heads of Depts and Agencies re reducing cost of carrying out governmental programs.	
					Sent Civilian Pay message to Congress	