

THE WHITE HOUSE
PRESIDENT LYNDON B. JOHNSON
DAILY DIARY

Date August 9, 1966

The President began his day at (Place)

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Entry No.	Time		Telephone for t		Activity (include visited by)	Expendi- ture Code
	In	Out	Lo	LD		
	8:00 a				Breakfast in bedroom.	
✓	8:48 a		f		Secy Wirtz.	
✓	9:25a				Mr. Edgar M. Linkenhoger from Texas.	
	9:40 a		f		Joe Califano.	
✓	10:05a		t	f	Douglas Dillon, <i>Dan's Harbor, Maine (p. 4)</i> <i>re personnel matters in DOS</i>	
✓	10:35a		t		Secy Rusk.	
✓	10:55a			t	Dale Meeks.	
	11:04a		t		Bill Moyers.	
	11:00				<i>see page 3</i>	
	11:25a				Returned to oval office.	
	11:30a		t		Bill Moyers (PI)	

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✓	11:34a	12:05p			Press conference in oval office. -- the President opened by saying that he had no announcements, but was willing to take questions.	
✓		1:14p			Sen Eugene McCarthy attended conference and remained in office with the President. after conference had ended.	
✓	12:12p			t	Mrs. Arthur Krim in New York. 212/TR 9-6052.	
✓	12:55p				Hon. Arthur Goldberg, Ambassador to United Nations -appt requested by the Ambassador to report on his talks in Geneva	
	12:56	12:57			Bm	

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1	11:00a	11:20a			Presentation of Credentials by Ambassador of Mauritania, H. E. Abdallahi Ould Daddah Ambassador of Ghana, H. E. Abraham B. B. Kofi	
					Accompanied by Ambassador Joseph Palmer, Asst Secy of State Jose DeSeabra, interpreter Norman Armour, Ofc of Protocol, DOS George Abel, Ofc of Protocol, DOS	
					"The President warmly welcomed the Ambassadors and invited them to speak freely of any problems that they might have concerning U. S. policy --either jointly or alone with him. Neither Neither accepted the President's offer. The President xx told both of them that he felt that there was a more understanding relationship developing between the African continent and the U. S. and that he was very hopeful that the two of them would be able to convey to their countries the true nature of the U. S. people. -- there was no response from the Ambassadors -- "they just sat there and smiled," says Chet Carter of Protocol:mf	

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✓ 1:35					To mansion w/ Amb Goldberg	
		4:15p			for LUNCH w/ a group of newspaper publishers	
(Amb Goldberg remained until 2:01p visiting w/ publishers -- he did not eat lunch)						
					Gene Robb, President, American Newspapers Publishers Assoc -- Albany Times-Union, Albany, NY	
					Jack Tarver, Atlanta Constitution, Journal, and Journal Constitution, Atlanta, Ga	
					William Davis Taylor, Boston Globe, Boston, Mass.	
					W. D. Maxwell, Chicago Tribune, Chicago, Ill	
					Palmer Hoyt, Denver Post, Denver, Colorado	
					Jack S. Knight, Miami Herald, Detroit Free Press, and Akron, Beacon Journal	
					John Cowles, Jr., Minneapolis Star and Tribune, Minneapolis, Minn	
					W. H. James, Exec VP of New York News, NYC	
					Arthur Ochs Sulzberger, NY Times	
					Richard Amberg, St. Louis Globe-Democrat	
					Eugene C. Pulliam, Indianapolis Star, News, and Phoenix Republic, Gazette, Phoenix, Arizona	
					also Bill Moyers	
					and Bob Kintner	
✓ 2:45p	4:20p				Secretary Wirtz joined - dining room	
✓ 2:55p	4:20p				Secy McNamara joined - dining room	
✓ 3:25p	4:20p				Secy Rusk joined - dining room	

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	3:12p			f	Mrs. Patrick Nugent - in the Bahamas	
	3:19p		f		Bob Fleming	
			f		Bill Moyers	
	5:45p		t		Bill Moyers (pl)	
	6:00p				To Oval Office	
	6:15p		f		Henry Wilson	
	6:17p		t		Cong. J J Pickle (b. 1)	
✓	6:29p	6:35p			The Attorney General of Texas, Waggoner Carr	
✓	6:35p	7:20p			George Meany (note: the President said at dinner tonight that Mr. Meany planned to hold a press conference to give his views on airline strike negotiations) mf	
✓	7:30p		t		Secy Wirtz (b. 2)	
	7:41p		f		Henry Wilson	

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	7:50p		t		Mrs. Johnson	
	8:00p		t		Vicky McCammon	
C	8:25p	8:50p			Jim Jones, Marty Underwood, Sherwin Markman, MW	
C	9:05p		f		Cong J J Pickles (b.3)	
	9:13p				To second floor w/ MF -- to join Mrs. Johnson for a drink prior to dinner. The President outlined to Mrs. Johnson his plans for campaigning this fall--mostly weekend trips, leaving on a Friday afternoon and returning to Washington late Sunday. He said that he had promised to be in all 50 states before election and he ought to be getting busy on it.	
	9:30p		t		Marvin Watson	
	9:50p				The President asked for Harry Jersig in San Antonio -- he was in Europe, and the President said, "never mind."	
	10:05p				DINNER w/ Mrs. Johnson and mf The President told Mrs. Johnson during the dinner that he wanted to watch the film of the Mexico trip sent to them by the President of Mexico. He also asked that Warrie Lynn Smith and Mary Rather be asked to join--they were out. He talked about Mrs. Fowler's errand for him--locating antiques for wedding gifts. The President said he wanted to buy about \$500-1,000 worth of gifts--to be given to Vicky, to Patsy, to Luci, to Cabinet members children for their wedding gifts--the McNamara daughter, the Wirtz son, the Vice President's son.	
C	10:20p		t		Mrs. Jack Valenti - to inquire about "young Lyndon's health"	

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