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	In	Out	Lo	LD		
	7:20a				Breakfast	
	9:05a		t		Harry McPherson	
	9:25a		t		Francis Bator	
c	10:00a				Secretary Fowler (b.2) re pros & cons of investment credit proposals	
	10:56a		f		Mrs. Johnson - LBJ Ranch	
Lo	11:00a				To grounds of Washington Monument for REMARKS to summer interns w/mw, JJ. Bob Fleming 14,000 students	
					Macy requested that the president address the students. Greeted and introduced by John Macy	

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FOR TRAVEL ACTIVITY

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					The three Congressmen presented to the President an original painting (framed) depicting an air evacuation scene. The picture of the painting will be on the front of the September issue of Medical Times, dealing also with an article in same issue entitled "Jet Age Evacuation of VietNam Casualties." Artist: Wally Richards	
	12:20	12 30p			Joe Califano	
✓	12:35p		t		Chairman <i>John</i> Macy <i>of Civil Service Comm.</i>	
C	12:36p	<i>1:20p</i>			Frank McCulloch OFF RECORD to discuss Natl Labor Rlations Board vacancy -- appt requested by Mr. McCulloch who is Chairman of NLRB for purpose of discussing Gerald Brown	
	1:10p		t		Bill Moyers (pl)	
	1:11p		t		Joe Califano (pl)	
	1:12p		t		Harry McPherson (pl)	
✓	1:29p		t		George Meany (b. l)	
C	1:30p	- 1:35p			<i>Special</i> Benjamin Romualdez, Amb of the Philippines <i>Courtesy Call</i> Mr. <del>██████████</del> OFF RECORD (Mr. Romualdez is the brother-in-law of Philippine President Marcos) Mr. Romualdez presented Pres. Johnson with a Gift of His. Ex. Ferdinand E. Marcos President of the Philippines. Gift is an enormous mounted bull's head with brass plate that reads -- "Garao or Tamaraw shot in head by Pres. Ferdinand E. Marcos Dec. 20, 1956 in the Philippines with a 30-06 Winchester Model 70 when the Garao charged Pres. Marcos after he had shot another bull at 300 yards."	

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	1:35p	1:40p			To MJDR's room - reading newspapers w/ Marvin Watson. Then picked up items for signing on left hand corner of MJDR's desk taking them back to Oval Rm Ofc	
	1:40p				In Oval Rm Ofc w/MW	
	1:41p		t		Bill Moyers (pl)	
	1:42p		t		Bob Fleming (pl)	
	2:05p		f		Col. Cross	
C	2:05p				Secy Freeman in	
	2:06p				To MJDR's room w/Secy Freeman saying "well we're going over to lunch."	
	2:11p				Reported Upstairs in the Mansion	
C		3:00p			LUNCH w/Secy Orville Freeman	
	3:39p		t		Marvin Watson	



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	4:00p		f		Califano (Pres. in bedroom)	
	4:15p		t		Bill Moyers (Pl)	
C	5:05p		f		<sup>van</sup> Ed Weisl, Sr., from residence in N. Y.	
	5:08p		f		Califano	
	5:15p		t		Kintner (Pl)	
	5:17p		t		Bill Moyers (Pl)	
	5:34p		t		Juanita Roberts--Wanted 13 pictures with Mrs. Johnson to give to the telephone operators at reception tonight. Also wants 100 made up and mounted to take on trip.	
	5:37p				To Oval Office by way of Juanita Roberts office--Said to call Ken Gaddis to bring bracelets to take to telephone operators.	
	5:38p		t		Watson (Pl)	

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	<del>5:00</del>					
	5:50p		t		Bill Moyers (Pl)	
	5:52p	5:57p	t		Henry Wilson (Pl)	
	6:00p		t		Bill Moyers (Pl)	
	6:02p		t		Watson (Pl)	
	6:07p				To Barber Shop---Cong. Jack Brooks joined him to report on a bust that is now in the Capitol (of LBJ)	
	6:20p		t		Watson (Pl)	
	6:35p				Watson took Sen. Russell Long to Barber Shop to see President.	
	6:50	7:10p			Reception for telephone operators in Navy Mess--took in Sen. Russell Long, Cong. Jack Brooks, Mrs. Bill Hopkins.	
					Miss Beverly A. Cole, Chief	Mrs. Ruby O'B. Youngs
					Miss Mary T. Crowe, Asst Chief	Mrs. Lucia Harris
					Mrs. Mildred Campbell	<del>Mrs.</del> Ruth Henry (Miss)
					Miss Elizabeth Fraser	Mrs. Ruby Judd
					Mrs. Mary Hoffer	Miss Barbara Knadler
					Mrs. Ruth Krell	Mrs. Doris M. Malsch
					Mrs. Audrey L. McIntosh	Mrs. Bernice E. Simonik
					Mrs. Kathryn M. McKeown	Mrs. Shellie A. Tew
					Mrs. Jean Woodward	Mrs. Helen A. White
					Mrs. Sarah Young	George A. Whitney, USAF Patrick Oberembt

*with C*  
*Mrs. Hopkins asked for guest*

*William J*

August 23, 1966

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

Mr. Watson arranged for a small reception in the Staff Mess in the West Wing on Thursday, August 18th at 6:00 p.m., for the Telephone Operators so that the President's Staff would have an opportunity to greet them personally now that the new switchboard is in operation and express their appreciation for the operators' helpfulness and devotion to duty. Mr. Watson indicated that he hoped that it would be possible for the President to attend but that such word should not be passed on to the operators until there was some certainty that the President's schedule would not prevent this.

The President came to the gathering at approximately 6:30 p.m. and was accompanied by Mr. Watson, Senator Long, of Louisiana, and Congressman Brooks, of Texas. After greeting each of the operators present at that time he had his picture taken with them and talked with them informally as he was grouped with them after the pictures were taken. In addition to expressing his appreciation to them he indicated that steps were being taken to have a Civil Service survey of the operators' position to see if any adjustments should be made in their behalf.

Since it was necessary for a number of the operators to man the board the operators who had already been greeted by the President relieved them and were replaced by the others. During the interim the President waited for the new group to come over and spent the time chatting with the members of his Staff present and reminiscing with Arthur Perry about some of his early days in Washington.

The President repeated for the second group of operators what he had done for the first. He left the gathering with those who had accompanied him there in the neighborhood of 7:00 p.m.

Of the twenty-three operators, twenty were in attendance at the reception and the Chief Operator has indicated that all of them were deeply grateful and highly appreciative of this personal recognition by the President. He had given the ladies a bracelet as a memento of the occasion and the young men a tie clasp.

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	7:36		f		Joe Califano	
	7:40		f		mw (re)	
<del>w/</del> c	8:07p				Departed the Office for the Mansion Rpt Upstairs at 8:10p where he joined: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B Krim (Pres., United Artists Corp., NYC) Mr. and Mrs. John L. Loeb, (Carl M. Loeb, Rhoades & Co., NYC) Mr. Cyril Magnin (Pres., Joseph Magnin Co., San Francisco, Calif) Mr. and Mrs. Dean A. McGee, (Chr. & Pres., Kerr-McGee Oil Industries, Inc., Oklahoma City, Okla) Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Saunders, Chr., The Pennsylvania Railroad Co., Phila Mr. and Mrs. Lew R Wasserman, Pres., Music Corp of America, Universal City, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bassine, NYC	
c	8:50p				<u>Dinner w/</u> all of above and Mrs. Johnson	
	9:05p				Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Nugent arrived from their honeymoon in the Bahamas	
	9:31p		f		Bill Moyers	
	9:29p				The President asked the operator for Samuel Newhouse in NYC -- he was out to dinner - "never mind."	

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