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THE WHITE HOUSE
PRESIDENT LYNDON B. JOHNSON
DAILY DIARY

Date N ovember 1, 1966

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	8:00a				Presidentinto living room where mary s was talking on the phone. He told her to comebackto his bedroom with himforbreakfast. Duringthema l, mf joimed --The President watched thea rrival ceremony of the previous evening on on tv.	
	9:15a				JakeJacob sen	
	10:38a				LeftEm eraldVilla with Chairman of the reception committee andMrw. Chang Ki-Yong Ambassador Brown Marvin Watson by car inmotorca de to helicopter pad.	
	10:42a				Arrive Walker Hill Helicopter pad	
	10:43a				President's Helicopter departed for Blue House with SecretaryR usk AmbassadorBrown Chairman and Mrs. Chang Dr. Fox Marvin Watson	
	10:52a 11:02				Arrive BlueHouse office building for official visit with President Park. The Chief of Protocal met the Presidential party of the Blue House helo pad. President Park met The President atthe frontentrance of the conference building, and following an exchange of greetings betweentheconference participants and both Presidents, the two two Presidentswent to a separate room with interpreters only and began official discussions. The other members of both official parties mets eparately.	

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	11:56a				The President and President Park departed Blue House by motorcade. People were along the route, waving flags, waving, with colored fans, and with homemade signs. Among the signs were: "Welcome Texas Cattle," "Welcome Grandpa Johnson," "Welcome Bold Builder of the Great Society," "We Koreans Like You," "Hail Bing Man from Texas," "World Peace by You," "Ugly Communists--We wiped Them Out,"-- Many bands were along the way--most playing the "Eyes of Texas"	
	12:10p				Arrive Seoul Railroad Station--The Presidents were met by the Minister of Defense, Mr. Kim, Song Un, who accompanied President Park on the train, and Mr. Yu, Kyong Hui, the Station Master General Charles Bonesteel, III, UN Forces, Commanding General 8th US Army and Commander, US Forces Korea	
	12:15p				Train departed Station for vicinity of 26th ROK Division near Uijongbu. While on the train the President was given a Perpetual Pass to ride on the railroad and a medal of welcome.	

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					People were gathered along the railroad tracks, waving flags and cheering as the train went past. Shortly before the train arrived, a pool of four photographers went back to the Presidents' car.	
	<u>1:00p</u>				Train arrived --met by General ChangX, Ch' and Kik; Major General Kim; Commanding General Suh; Lt. General Andrew J. Boyle.	
	<u>1:05p</u>				Motorcade moving. In the car with the President were: General Bonesteel General Chang Marvin Watson interpreter President Park	
					The motorcade route was approximately 2.7 miles to the Headquarters 26th ROK Division. Along the way, people had flags flying over their homes and were standing out waving.	
					Along the 26 mile train route, and along the route from the train to the ROK Division there were 2375 Korean troops lining the way. They had been marched out to position earlier in the day.	
	<u>1:17p - 2:02p</u>				The President and party arrived Headquarters, 26th ROK Division (Commanded by Brig. Major General Moon Joong Sut.) Met by Brig. General Moon and General Kim, Army Chief of Staff	
					Here the President stood at attention on the platform facing the troops during military honors--approximately five minutes. He then reviewed the troops, not walking in among the ranks, then viewing an equipment display. The Presidents then returned to the platform to observe Tae Kwon Do demonstration--a karate-type demonstration of self-defense by techniques which are taught to all Korean troops. During this demonstration the team split cement blocks, bricks, pieces of lumber, etc. with their hands, feet, and heads. A nine-year-old boy also split a piece of cement with with his hands.	

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					The President then presented American medals earned in Vietnam (approved by General Westmoreland):	
					Silver star to Captain Lee, Choon Kun	
					Silver star to MSG Lee, Jyong Sae	
					Silver star to the widow of Marine Major Lee, In Ho.	
					The Korean National Anthem was then played, and the President then departed Headquarters 26th ROK Division by helicopter for lunch with American troops at Camp Stanley.	
					(President Park remained at the ROK Headquarters -- Deputy Prime Minister Chang accompanied The President for the visit to U. S. troops and th Suwon.)	
	2:02	2:10p			Helicopter ride to Camp Stanley	
					The President	
					Deputy Prime Minister CHANG Ki-yong	
					Gen. Charles H. Bonesteel III (CINCUNC/COMUSFK/CG 8th U. S. A.)	
					Lt. Gen. Andrew J. Boyle, Commander I U. S. Corps	
					Secretary of State Dean Rusk	
					Ambassador Brown	
					Agent Lem Johns	
					Mr. Marvin Watson	
					The President's helicopter landed at the ceremony site and the President was met by Col. Edward Anderson, Commanding Officer of Camp Stanley, who escorted the President to the P position for the ceremony. Gen. Charles H. Bonesteel, III, Commander-In-Chief, UNC/X USFK/Commanding General 8th US Army and LTGEN Andrew J. Boyle, Jr., Commanding General, US I Corps, accompanied the President.	
					The President took position for the ceremony with Gen. Bonesteel and LtGen Boyle to his left as a 21-gun salute was fired. The band played "Ruffles and Flourishes" and "Hail to the Chief".	

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					The President, General Bonesteel, and Lt. General Boyle went to the UN Honor Guard Commander and trooped the line, in front of troops only. The President and the Generals returned to their positions; the band played the ROK and US National Anthems; the UN Honor Guard passed in review.	
	2:00p				Colonel Anderson escorted the President to motorcade for ride to Mess Hall--the President stood in an open jeep, waving to the troops, occasionally shaking an outstretched hand.	
	2:30p				When the motorcade arrived the Mess Hall, the Mess Hall was approximately 2/3 full of men with 1/3 still in line. VIP's greeted the men in the mess line--the President first met Lt. James Champion, CO, HQs Co., 11th Engineering Battalion who introduced the Bn CO and SGM, Gp SGM, CO ISO and Mess SGT. The President took his tray and went through the line, then was seated at the head table, approximately in the center for a very informal meal of turkey and all the trimmings	
					(The Soldier of the Month for the preceding month had, as one of his honors, the privilege of serving KP for this Presidential visit.)	
	2:45p				Following the meal, the President got up and visited with the boys in the mess hall. He made REMARKS in which he told the boys why they were there and how proud he was of them. The troops gave the President a brass plate with an inscription on it. Before departing the mess hall, the President shook hands with the serving line.	
	3:08p				Departed the mess hall in jeep via motorcade to helicopter site. The President shook several hands that were lifted up to him and stopped for about three minutes to visit with the troops.	
	3:28p				Arrive chopper site and off after saying goodbye to Gen. Bonesteel, Lt Gen. Boyle, and Col. Anderson. On board were: The President, Deputy PM CHANG Ki-yong; Secy Rusk; Ambassador Brown; Agent Lem Johns; Colonel Crane; Joel Bernstein; Marvin Watson	

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					During this visit with the troops, it seemed that every branch of the services was represented and that every man there had a camera taking pictures of the President. The soldiers seemed uncertain how to act--whether to salute or wave, so many did both.	
	3:51p				President's helicopter arrived Suwon (School Athletic Field adjacent to Tae An agricultural demonstration area. There was a large crowd gathered, waiting for the President waving United States and Korean flags. The President was welcomed at the landing site by Prime Minister Chung and Governor Pak. The President then got into a jeep (which had brocade seats for the President) and motorcaded through the farm country to the briefing site.	
	4:03p				The President arrived the top of the hill, later to be renamed Johnson Hill, which was the briefing site. As the President approached, he and American and Korean flags, waving them back to the crowds.	
					Briefing identified on the ground key elements of the rural development program, indicating the main national significance and some relationships to U. S. aid. Following the briefing, the President asked a question about co-operatives.	
	4:18p				Gift exchange --- Governor Pak gave the President embroidery which symbolized Tae-an Mynn and Johnson Hill A village elder presented an archery set, a product of the village handicraft. The students of the local school presented the President a scroll signed by all students. The local 4-H club gave the President a p special flag The President was also given a Korean costume, which he put on briefly. He drew a laugh from the crowd when he also put on the stetson of someone in the crowd briefly.	
	4:32p				Governor Pak conducted the ceremony naming "Johnson Hill" and then the President and the Prime Minister unveiled the monument.	

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					Following the Remarks, the President presented his gift to the village--a tv set. The Village Elder, an old man of 65 with a white goatee, tall balck hat, flowing blue robes, said this was the first time in his life he had seen a television. The President pushed the old man to a microphone, and the man made a few xxx sentences about US-Korean friendship.	
	4:50p				The President came down the x hill, walking along the crowds in a walkway, holding the Village Elder by tne hand. The President asked the old man if he would like to go for a ride in his helicopter--the old man replied, "How far you going?"	
6:03	4:55p 5:02p	5:10			Helicopter ride for the old man. They flew over his x home, the President and the old man waving out the door of the helicopter. When asked if he was frightened, the old man replied, "Not since I'm with you." Upon returning, the President escorted the old man back up the hill. Before parting the President asked him to come to the United States for a visit.	
	5:10p				The President arrived back at the helicopter site--but went into the crowd to shake hands. The people here were very friendly and receptive.	
	5:15p	5:30p			president's helicopter off to Walker Hill. With the President were: Secy Rusk, Marvin Watson, Lem Johns, Ambassador Brown, Deputy PM Chang, Dr. Bernstein, Col. Crane	
	5:31p				President leaving Walker Hill Helo Site by car for Villa Emerald	
	5:35				Arrive Villa Emerald--the Deputy Prime Minister Chang accompanied the President in for a drink. The President had m ^f and mary s come in and join.	

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	5:45p				Deputy Prime Minister Chang and the interpreter left after the President told him how much he liked his country and his people. As he was leaving the President told him he had better go wash the dirt out of his eye and get ready for the reception.	
					The President stayed in the living room and visited with various staff members, then went to get cleaned up for the reception which he and Mrs. Johnson gave.	
	6:35p				The President and Mrs. Johnson were met outside Villa Emerald by Ambassador and Mrs. Brown to go to the reception.	
	6:43-8:48				Main House	
	7:55p		f		Bill Moyers	

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	8:50p				The President and Mrs. Johnson returned to Villa Emerald--the President kidded Mary's and me about not going to the reception, then went to his bedroom to sign books for gifts in Korea.	
					When he had finished, the television repair men came to try to correct the faulty picture on the set in the President's bedroom. Since Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Brown were in the living room, the President suggested that he, me, and Mary's go into Mrs. Johnson's room. When Mrs. Johnson entered and found the group there, the President kidded her about his being run out of all rooms--so he then adjourned to the living room and Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Brown went to the President's desk in his bedroom to work.	
	9:45p	10:20p			Bill Moyers came in. He and the President talked about the helicopter ride with the village venerable. The President talked about how unfairly one of the news magazines had reported the story about him and the Marcos's and said something should be done about it. He then received the latest copy of "Newsweek" which had a good story (although the President said parts were untrue, he said on the whole it was good) about the Asian trip. The President and Bill discussed future plans. At one point the President remarked "All that is important in life is to know what is important."	
	10:10p				Mrs. Johnson and Ashton Gonella joined. The President kidded Ashton about being out of pocket for a few minutes and kept asking where Yolanda Boozer was.	
	10:25p				DINNER with Mrs. Johnson, Ashton Gonella, me, and Mary's	
	11:00p				to bedroom--asked for the chief to come in. The President was reading the new Newsweek as the chief was working on him.	