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|           | In     | Out   | Lo               | LD |  |                  |
|           | 10:34a |       |                  | f  | Tom Johnson, Austin --prior to briefing  |                  |
|           |        |       |                  |    | The President started on this call in the living room, then moved to the office.                       |                  |
|           |        |       |                  |    | He asked for BM to talk to Tom to help him prior to the briefing. While the                            |                  |
|           | 10:49a |       |                  |    | President was talking, Mrs. Johnson entered the office w/ Sargeant Shriver.                            |                  |
|           |        |       |                  |    | Jake Jacobsen immediately steered Shriver on to another part of the house.                             |                  |
| approx    | 10:55a | 11:15 |                  |    | The President went into another part of the house--the living room--to meet w/ Thomas Donahue, AFL-CIO |                  |
| approx    | 11:15  | 11:35 |                  |    | Meeting in the livingroom w/ Amb Llewellyn Thompson  |                  |
|           |        |       |                  |    | Reviewed a number of matters concerning US-USSR relations prior to the                                 |                  |
|           |        |       |                  |    | Ambassador's departure for Moscow next week.   |                  |
|           | 11:35a |       |                  |    | Into the office briefly  |                  |
| approx    | 11:45a |       |                  |    | Meeting w/ Sargeant Shriver in the living room alone   |                  |
|           |        |       |                  |    | They reviewed the progress of the War on Poverty during the past twelve                                |                  |
|           |        |       |                  |    | months and discussed certain legislative matters. They discussed the Head                              |                  |
|           |        |       |                  |    | Start program in particular  |                  |
| approx    | 1:02p  |       |                  |    | Bill Moyers joined at the President's instructions   |                  |

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| approx    | 2:00p |     |                    |    | The President left the dining room and went into the office where Bill Moyers was typing and shut the door.  |                          |
|           | 2:20p |     |                    |    | Lunch ended--as the group was leaving the dining room, the President re-entered and stood in the dining room talking with Amb Thompson for a few minutes |                          |
|           | 2:31p |     |                    |    | The President to the office--said he would work a little of his desk now while he had time---  |                          |
|           |       |     |                    |    | Bill Moyers came in and the President talked w/ him for a while  |                          |
|           | 2:55p |     |                    |    | The President and Bill Moyers left the office  |                          |
|           | 2:56p |     |                    |    | The President<br>Bill Moyers<br>Sargeant Shriver<br>departed the house for a walk, heading east in front of the Main House--                             |                          |



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|           | 4:09p |     |                  |    | The President into the office<br>worked desk w/ mf, JJ, and BM  |                  |
|           | 4:23p |     |                  |    | The President and Bill Moyers on front porch talking  |                  |
|           | 4:33p |     |                  |    | The President drove Sargeant Shriver, Amb Thompson, and Thomas Donahue to the south end of the runway and bid them goodbye<br>he then stopped briefly outside the office and picked up Wesley West then the two drove west  |                  |
|           | 5:00p |     |                  |    | The President called Bill Moyers on the <del>xxx</del> radio--aides trailer relayed to BM who was in a chopper going to Austin  |                  |
|           | 5:04p |     |                  | f  | Bill Moyers--The President was telling Bill to tell the press that the reason the people from Washington did not meet the press as they might have was that Amb Thompson had a dinner engagement which he already would be an hour late for since the talks had lasted longer than anticipated. |                  |
|           | 5:19p |     |                  |    | The President entered the <del>xxx</del> office--Mr. West and Mrs. Johnson to the livingroom to join Cong. & Mrs. Ed Edmondson (D-Muskogee, <del>OK</del> Okla.) & their family   |                  |
|           |       |     |                  |    | The President talked with JJ at his desk for a while and opened a letter -- the President then went to his own desk w/ mf   |                  |
|           | 5:27p |     |                  |    | The President joined the group in the livingroom--- Cong. & Mrs. Ed Edmondson, and family--Jim (20), 'Drew (19), John (17), Junie (13) and Brian (6)--Mr. & Mrs. Wesley West, Jim Jones, and Mrs. Johnson<br>Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. West took Junie and Brian riding to look at the deer.        |                  |

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|           |         |      |                    |    | The remainder of the group stayed in the livingroom with the Presidnet to discuss Okalhoma politics, Cong. Carl Albert's health, the poverty program, and the next Congress. The President gave each child an Asian medalion, the little girl a charm, and Mrs. Johnson gave them each a copy of "A More Beautiful American" which she and the President autographed. JRJ:Mary S |                  |
|           | 6:23p   |      |                    |    | Ed Edmondson and family departed   |                  |
|           | 6:25p   | 6:29 |                    |    | The President came into the office, read the tickers on his desk, kidded mary s, gave JJ some instructions, and went outside to join Mrs. Johnson, and Mr. & Mrs. Wesley West  |                  |
|           | 6:30p   |      |                    |    | The President, Mrs. Johnson, Mr. & Mrs. Wesley West departed in Lincoln hardtop driving west on road in front of main house--on Ranch Road 645   |                  |
|           |         |      |                    |    | toured the Martin and Dantz Ranches  |                  |
|           | 7:43p   |      |                    |    | North end of the run way   |                  |
|           | 7:53p   |      |                    |    | Arrived the main house --entered to visits with other guests who were<br>✓ J. C. Kellam<br>✓ Don Thomas<br>✓ J. W. Bullion<br>✓ Ann Bullion  |                  |
|           | ✓ 8:20p |      | t                  |    | A. W. Mourusnd   |                  |
|           | ✓ 8:45p |      |                    |    | DINNER w/<br>Mrs. Johnson<br>Mr. & Mrs. Wesley West<br>J. W. Bullion<br>Ann Bullion<br>J. C. Kellam  |                  |

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