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PRESIDENT LYNDON B. JOHNSON
DAILY DIARY

Date January 4, 1967

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					A cloudy, gloomy day to start. Notcold, but clammy, chilly (39°).	
	8:30a				The President had breakfast	
✓	9:12a			t	Hon. John Ben Shepperd - Odessa, Texas	
	9:20a			t	Wh. Hse Operator - "get me Sen. Geo. Smathers." Operator reports Sen. Smathers could not be located in all of Florida .. she reported this to the President after trying to find him for a good 25 min... President said then to cancel.	
	9:41a			t	Marvin Watson	
✓	9:56a			t	Director Charles Schultze	

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	10:10		+		Joe Califano (pl)	
	10:15a		+		Henry Wilson (pl)	
J	10:16a		+		Director Chas. Schultze	
	10:28a		t		Marvin Watson (pl)	
	10:57a				The President arrived in Oval Rm Office with Bill Moyers	
	11:01a		t		Walt Rostow (pl)	
	11:02a		t		Marvin Watson (pl)	

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✓ 11:20a				f	Senator George Smathers - Jacksonville, Florida (b. l) -- returning the President's call of earlier this a. m. re Robt K. High, Mayor of Miami. Pres. asked for good or bad points of him and evaluation. Being considered for either replacement of Dr. Blue in Farris Bryant's Ofc or Asst to Pres. in capacity dealing w/City problems. <i>Blue</i>	
11:32a				f	Marvin Watson (pl) - to announce Amb. McGhee ready and waiting to see President.	
11:34a				t	Doug Cater (pl) about Jim Wright draft of speech on Vietnam -- may use some of it in State of Union.	
11:34a				t	MJDR - she went into Oval Rm Ofc to work desk w Pres.	
✓ 11:35a				t	Secy McNamara re Sit Rm rpt of missile "lost" off cuba. Mr. M said they were issuing a statement to press - no need to contact and tell Cuba. Also discussed sales fr stockpile.	
11:36a				t	Joe Califano (pl) to discuss sales fr stockpile matter and other budget and fiscal matters	
✓ 11:45a - 12:25p					Amb. George McGhee, TAKEN in by MW (The Amb. had been ushered in to see Pres. to report on his discussions twice before, first time at 11:34a, then w/Chancellor Kiesinger. (Oke for pics) again at 11:36a..however Pres. was on the phone and was not then ready to see him)	
11:56a- 12:29p					Walt Rostow	
- 12:29p					Francis Bator joined above	

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	1:43p				mary s took the President his morning briefing --President in the little office reading some papers on his desk.	
	1:55		x		Bill Meyers (pl)	
	2:00p	2:17p			Hon. Farris Bryant, Director Office of Emergency Planning Joe Califano Marvin Watson	
C	2:25p				The Vice President joined	
C	3:31p				The President, The Vice President, Joe Califano, Farris Bryant, Marvin Watson into the Fish Room for meeting with the super-grade people Raymond J. Albright, Asst to the Secy for National Security Affairs, Treasury Dept Herbert S. Fuhrman, Asst Administrator for Administration, Natl HiWay Safety Agency, Dept of Commerce Peter H. Haas, Asst to the Deputy Director (Experimental Research), Defense Atomic Support Agency, Department of Defense Dr. Woodrow C. Jacobs, Director, Environmental Data Service, ESSA, Commerce Karl R. Johannessen, Associate Director, Weather Bureau, Commerce Dept William H. Kolberg, Director, Office of Planning and Policy Development, Man-power Administration, Dept of Labor	

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	6:27p				The President to the Oval Office w/ Bob Kintner and The Vice President	
		7:30p				
		7:45p				
	6:29	7:35p			Bill Meyers	
	6:40		f		Secy McNamara (t-2)	
	6:52		f		Justice William Douglas (t-2)	
	7:21		t		Walt Rostow (pl)	
	7:45p				The President into mjdr's office--Asked mary s to get Senator Dirksen for him and said he would talk to him while he saw the Road Administrator. The President saw the Carl Sandburg volumes on mjdr's desk and commented on what a nice set they were (mary s told him that they were his Christmas gift from DT and mjdr)	
	7:47p				To oval office	
	q	8:24			Francis C. Turner--Chief Engineer for the Bureau of Public Roads Today appointed acting Highway Administrator by Secy of Commerce.	

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✓	7:53p			t	Senator Everett Dirksen, Dubary, Florida -- (b-3) Today was the Senator's birthday and while the President was talking to him he had Marvin Watson and Mary assembling some nice gifts that the Senator did not have--gold cufflinks, Asian medalion, a copy of "The Living White House", and a gold lighter.	
	7:55p	8:24			Marvin Watson	
	8:00		t		Mrs. Johnson	
	8:25		t		Joe Califano (pl)	
✓	8:31p		t		Charles Schultze, Director BOB	
✓	8:40p		f		Secy Robert McNamara--when the President answered this call he told Marys to come in to help work his desk	
	8:45p		t		Marvin Watson (pl)--told MW to come in--the President gave him instructions	
✓	9:01p		t		Hon. Charles Schultze	
	9:16p		t		Marvin Watson (pl)--come in	
	9:18p		f		Mrs. Johnson	

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