## THE WHITE HOUSE PRESIDENT LYNDON B. JOHNSON DAILY DIARY

March 17, 1967 Date.

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	: 7:30a				Breakfast	
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0-	-8:00p	8:45a			Dr. George Burkley and Dr. James Cain	
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	9:30a		t		Walt Rostow (pl)	<u> </u>
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	9:31a		1		The President asked for George Meany found he was en route back from Brussels	
					and the President said he would talk to Lane Kirkland instead	
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0	9:50a		t		Lane Kirkland - AFL-CIO	-
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<u>.</u>	9:55a		-		OFF RECORD: Dr. Charles Turchin	-
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0	10:10a		t		Director of Bureau of the Budget, Charles Schultze	1
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	10:29a		f		Walt Rostow	-
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to receive credentials of H. E. Abdullah Malikyar, Amb-designate of Afghanistan DOS escort officer: Amb. Symington Norman Armour

RECORD 11:45a | 11:47a Antonio Won Pat OFF I (Guam's Washington representative) Mr. Won Pat was chosen by popular vote of the people of Guam under Guamanian law to be their official spokesman in the National Capital. He was speaker of the Guam legislature under both Navy and Interior administrations; he is a father of the Guam Organic Act, a founder of the Democratic Party of Guam, and a bringer-in of 7 members into the President's Club. Ltr from Stewart French dtd March 14.:mf 11:48a | 11:53a To the Cabinet Room where the President greeted a group of 24 leading negro publishers w/ Louis Martin prior to the President's going into the room, Harry McPherson had dictated a memo to the President concerning what had happened in the room in the meeting. Walt Rostow had briefed on VietNam and received one question--from a man that Louie Martin described as

Mr. Rostow's answers) -- McPherson's memo to DT

the only "dove" in the crowd. McPherson's memo outlines the man's questioning and

-- the President walked around the room and shook hands w/ everyone present.

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					presented to the President a special citation establishing the President "as a	1
18	ent che	ked			living symbol of the goal of the nation's 176 negro newspapers."	
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10					After shaking hands w/ the group, the President accepted the citation from	- 1
					Mr. Howard Woods (a former Associate Director of USIA). The President made	
					no remarks, but he did thank the group for the citation, expressed his gratitude,	
					and then departed. Cliff Alexander: mf	
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	11:55a The President was in mjdr's room looking at things on the side of her desk							
					Amb. Symington came in w/ retiring Moroccan Ambassador Dr. Ahmed Laraki			
					The Ambassador was enroute to the outer corridors to wait for his appt, but the			
					President struck by the awkwardness of having the Ambassador come in and find			
	× ×				him there, said, "Won't you come on in now?"			
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	M:56a	12:02p			Oval Office - the courtesy call of the retiring Ambassador			
0					H.E. Dr. Ahmed Laraki - of Morocco			
orge	Abell w	as DOS			Ambassador Symington			
		escort	office	r	Jose DeSeabra (interpreter)			
					Amb. Laraki will return to Morocco to assume the post of Foreign Minister			
	17th gorden	2			Secretary Rusk in his memo to the President says that "King Hassan II has appointe	d		
	Raston	is of	5		Dr. Laraki Minister of Foreign Affairs. He has already assumed his new responsib	_		
	Royal	that			In view of the special circumstances involved, I consider that we are justified in mal	ing		
	me Lar	aki's			exception to our practice of not recommending that you receive departing Ambassado	rs.		
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==	12:12	12:55p			Oval Office - cleaning desk w/ mjdr, mf, MW			
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	12:43p	170	-t	- 1.0	-Marvin-Watson-(pl)-			
	12:49p		f		Marvin Watson (pl) (this was Mary Jo Cook telling MW that Sen Mansfield			
		-			was accompanying Amb. Fay)	-		
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	4:35p		t		Marvin Watson (pl)	$\pm$
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	4:39p		t		Henry Wilson (pl)	1
	4:41p		t		Robert Kintner (pl)	#
	4:44p		t		Harry McPherson (pl)	
	4:57p		t		Marvin Watson (pl)	-

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-	4:58p		f		Walt Rostow	-
	5:05p		f		Mike Manatos	
	5:08p		1		The President asked for Secy Rusk - he was en route to the airport	1
	J.00P				so he asked for Mr. Macomber	
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-,	5:10p		t		William Macomber - Assistant Administrator for Near East and South Asia - AID	+
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	6:30p			To the Barber Shop via Marvin Watson's office		1
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1	7:15p	8:25p		To the Fish Room with Marvin Watson - MW out at 7:24p	0	
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	8:25p			To Oval Rm Ofc w/MW		
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	8:40p		t		Walt Rostow (at home ) - President ret. his call of earlier this p.m.	
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-	8:50p	- 11:55			Mrs. Simon McHugh	+
	0.500				(gave Mrs. McHugh an ashtray, and two other items not known)	+
	9:10p				Departed the Office w/Mrs. McHugh - for the Mansion	
	9:14p		t.		Op. "get me Jack Valenti" - Op. repirted he was at Art Buchwald's residence for a and President said "never mind."	dinne
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1	9:38p		t		Atty General Ramsey Clark	
	9:20p		t		Op. "get me Mrs. J. W. Fulbright." Op. reported her number did not answer at home - so DIDN'T TALK. President said never mind.	#
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0	10:15p				DINNER w/Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Simon McHugh	1
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	10:19p		t		The Op "get me the Vice President." - Op. reported he too was at a dinner at Art Buchwald's. President said "never mind."	+

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