

It is almost dawn in Hawaii, and the two airplanes are ringed w/ security guards. Few personnel can be seen in the shadows of the almost empty buildings, but as the refueling process continues, dawn comes quickly, and at takeoff the

THE WHITE HOUSE first vestiges of the new day can be seen.

Date March 19, 1967

PRESIDENT LYNDON B. JOHNSON

DAILY DIARY

The President began his day at (Place)

Aboard AFOne 26000--en route Hickam AFB

Day Sunday

Entry No.	Time		Telephone f or t		Activity (include visited by)	Expenditure Code
	In	Out	Lo	LD		
5:18a					AFOne 26000 on the blocks at Hickam AF Base, Hawaii. Governor and Mrs. Burns departed, and the ground crews busily refueled and restocked the food supplied. (The President did not leave AF1 at Hickam)	
	5:30a				Secy Rusk and Secy McNamara left the bedroom and	
	5:45a	6:15a			Jake Jacobsen in (Jake had been under instruction to call Mr. Kellam in Texas upon arriving in Honolulu--he did so, and went in to the President to report on his conversation w/ Mr. Kellam)	
	6:18a	6:55a			George Christian	
	6:20a	6:55a			Harry McPherson The President was sitting in his chair in his bedroom, going over his speeches	
	6:20a				* Take off from Hickam AFB, Hawaii for Agana NAS, Guam Manifest the same as from Dulles Int'l Airport to Hickam except for the deletion of Governor and Mrs. John Burns	
	7:00a	7:30a			mf, marys in President's bedroom, mf rubbing the President's hands with oil as the President read the newspapers and talked.	
When asked by mf why he got up so early this morning, the President replied that he just couldn't sleep past 6:30p.					The President read an editorial and asked Harry McPherson and Walt Rostow to look at it and look into how long it takes us to visit Saipan.	
"Even if I go to bed 4:30a, I still wake up at 6:30 am," said the President.					He also read an editorial in the Sunday Star-Bulletin & Advertiser(of Honolulu, Hawaii) by William F. Buckley, Jr--"Anti-American Theme"-- He told marys and mf to be sure and read the article to see what "your young friends on the left" are doing. He was upset by the references to his own inadequacies in contrast to the glories of the JFK myth and explained that in this time JFK's three years little had been done, and went on to enumerate enumerate his own successes in the legislative field.	
					Then the President took two equanil and said that if he couldn't sleep, he'd get up and work, but he hoped that sleep would come.	

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	7:15a	EST			The President came out of his bedroom (which he was sharing with Secy Rusk) and to the back of the plane where he greeted the stewards and sat down in one of the typing chairs for breakfast as the cabin of AF One was dark with people sleeping on the couches and the floor. The President ate chipped beef, melon balls, and tea while he talked with Jake Jacobsen (the only person who preceded the President in getting up this morning), mf, and marys. The President and JJ were talking about the meeting with the governors of the preceding day--they agreed that Rhodes was very impressive and had given a very good speech. The President said he thought Governor Paul Johnson of Mississippi was a good man and that we should do more with him.	
	7:30a				Governor John Burns of Hawaii came out of his bunk which he had shared with Mrs. Burns in the back of the airplane and added his iddas about the conference--saying that several of the governors, including Governor Romney, said it was the best thing that had been done and had proved most helpful.	
					As a result of the conference Governor Bryant and his group had been invited to ten or fifteen more states. The President questioned JJ closely about those trips wanting to know who the impressive speakers were, etc.	
	7:45a				Secy Robert McNamara---He had been asked earlier to join the President for breakfast, but had been asleep. He now came to the back of the plane and sat on the bench by the typing table for breakfast.	
<i>W</i>	8:00a				Secy Rusk came out, and the President suggested that they all go back into the bedroom for further talks.	
	Change from EST to Honolulu Time					
<i>5:15a</i>	 	 			The President came out of the bedroom to say goodbye to Governor and Mrs. Burns who were sitting in the typing chairs in the rear of the airplane. Soon thereafter Secy McNamara and Secy Rusk came out (separately) to bid them farewell, also, as they were	

deplating in Honolulu.

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	7:30a	9:00a			(Honolulu time) President had a nap in his bedroom.	
	9:00a				President in his pajamas and robe to the conference room to join Hon. Dean Rusk, The Secretary of State Hon. Robert McNamara, The Secretary of Defense Hon. Harry McPherson	
					When the President went into the conference room to work, Governor and Mrs. Manuel Gaerrero of Guam left the conference room where they had been since take-off from Dulles and went into the forward compartment of the airplane.	
	9:28a	(2:28p EST)			Crossed INTERNATIONAL DATE LINE -- now Monday, March 20, 1967	