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PRESIDENT LYNDON B. JOHNSON  
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Date April 20, 1967

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Entry No.	Time		Telephone f or t		Activity (include visited by)	Expenditure Code
	In	Out	Lo	LD		
	11:47a				To the Oval Office - w/ MW	
	11:48a		t		Mrs. Johnson	
C	12:00n	12:40p			OFF RECORD: Abraham "Abe" Feinberg <i>prior to his departure for Israel.</i>	
C	12:40p	2:20p			Admiral Ulysses S. Grant Sharp Admiral Sharp is back for <del>xxxx</del> routine consultation with the Joint Chiefs -- he is the ranking military officer in the Pacific. Rostow recommended the President seeing Sharp for "his reporting to the President could serve as a useful backdrop to Westmoreland's visit	
	1:10		f		<i>Walt Rostow</i>	
	1:15p	2:20p			Walt Rostow joined Adm. Ulysses S. Grant Sharp	
	1:15p		t		Marvin Watson (pl)	
<i>w/</i>	1:16p	1:20p - 120			Hon. Douglas MacArthur II - U.S. Amb. to Austria Hon. Karl Rolvaag - U.S. Amb. to Iceland to Oval Rm Office w/Amb. James Symington - <i>out at 120p</i> to join Adm. Ulysses S. Grant Sharp MW also in	Frank Wolfe & Bill Fisher photogs in for pics
					This was a courtesy call paid by the Ambassadors prior to their departing <del>for</del> for their posts.	

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	3:15p		t		Ashton Gonella	
	3:20p		t		Marvin Watson	
	3:34p		t		mf - saying the wire he had to Mayor Daley was "no good," and he then dictated another directing that it be sent right away. (Mayor Richard Daley of Chicago begins a new term of office today)	
	4:00p		t		Walt Rostow (pl)	
					The President today signed an executive order establishing the Great Lakes Basin Commission. Also announced the appointment of former Congressman Raymond Clevenger of Michigan as chairman of the Commission	
					The President today announced his intention to nominate Mr. R. Peter Straus of New York to be Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development in charge of the Bureau of African Affairs.	
					Press office today announced in press briefing #814-A that the President has accepted the <del>xxxx</del> retirement of Judge Allin H. Pierce as a Judge of the Tax Court of the United States.	
					The President today named Lt. Gen Ferdinand J. Chesarek, U.S. Army, for assignment as Assistance Vice Chief of Staff for the Army -- a new position.	
					Today named Major General Frank J. Sackton, U.S. Army, to replace General Chesarek.	

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	4:31p		t		Tom Johnson (pl)	
	4:40p		t		MW (pl)	
Q	4:45p		t		Robert B. Anderson - NYC (returning his call) (b. 1) - Mr. Anderson reported on his talk w/ several people concerning the Federal Reserve Vacancy -- talks w/ Wortham, O'Leary, Irons, Randall, and Walker re Leonard Scruggs, Bill Sherrill, and Dolph Brisco	
	5:04p		t		MW (pl)	
✓	5:05p		f		Cong. Jack Brooks - to give the President a report on the housing bill	
✓	5:10p		f		Secretary Henry Fowler	
	5:11p		t		Mike Manatos (pl)	
	5:12p		f		MW (pl)	
	5:15p				To Oval Office	
	5:20p		f		Mike Manatos	

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<u>C</u>	5:21p	- 6:43p			Speaker John McCormack	
		- 6:43p			Cong. Carl Albert	
		- 6:43p			Cong. George Mahon	
		- 6:43p			Henry Wilson	
<i>my asked: Wilson for gist</i>						
					Henry Wilson memo of gist to DT--	
					excerpts indicate the President discussed the recent conference at Punte del Este and his upcoming trip to Germany. There was a discussion of pending legislation with special reference to appropriations for Teachers Corps, Intl Education, Rent Supplements, Model Cities, OEO, and Foreign Aid. There also was discussion of the problems in the upcoming House Floor fight on the <del>1969</del> 1969 Elementary and Secondary Education Authorization.	
<u>✓ 620</u>			<u>f</u>		<u>Secy Henry Fowler</u>	
<u>C</u>	6:35p				To the Cabinet Room w/	
		- 6:43p			The Speaker	
		- 6:43p			Cong. Carl Albert	
		- 6:43p			Cong. George Mahon	
		- 6:43p			Henry Wilson	
					Marvin Watson - out right away	
					already in Cabinet Rm were Secy Rusk	
					Secy McNamara, Walt Rostow	

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	6:37p	6:43p			Back to Oval Rm w/ Speaker John McCormack	
	6:43p	7:45p			To the Cabinet Room for Meeting w/ Secy Dean Rusk Secy Robert McNamara Walt Rostow George Christian	
	7:46p				To the Oval Rm Office - alone	
	7:50p		t		Harry McPherson - at home (ret. his call of 5:32pm)	
	7:50p - 9:00p				Francis Bator in	
	8:20 - 9:00p				McGeorge Bundy in - joined Francis Bator	
	7:55p		t		Sen. Russell Long (of La.) - returning his call	



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