

THE WHITE HOUSE
PRESIDENT LYNDON B. JOHNSON
DAILY DIARY

Date Monday, July 17, 1967

The President began his day at (Place)

The White House

Day

Entry No.	Time		Telephone f or t		Activity (include visited by)	Expenditure Code
	In	Out	Lo	LD		
	7:45a				Breakfast	
	9:25a		t		Walt Rostow - pl	
	9:28a		t		Barefoot Sanders - pl	
✓	9:29a		t		Hon. Covey Oliver - in his office	
	10:02a		t		Juanita - at Walter Reed Hospital	
	p					
	10:10a		t		Harry McPherson	
	10:11a		t		MW - pl	
	11:10		f		Joe Califano	
	11:15a		+		JAC-pl	
	11:25a		f		Mike Manatos	
	11:26a		f		Joe Califano	
✓	11:30		+		Hon. Robert Wallace, Asst Secy of Treasury	

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	11:34a		t		Joe Califano - pl	
✓	12:00n		f		Hon. Robert Wallace	
	12:05p		f		Mike Manatos - at the Capitol	
	12:11p				To Oval Ofc - w/MW	
✓	12:14p		t		Mrs. Simon McHugh	
✓	12:20	12:25p			Miss Alaska Centennial, Colleen Ann Pettit	
					Senator E. L. Bartlett	
					Cong. Howard Pollock	
					<i>Mrs. Laurene</i> Loreen Harrison (chaperone) (pics)	
					Appt requested by Cong. Pollock - Miss Pettit's trip to Washington is part of a goodwill tour of the East Coast to promote Alaska's Centennial Year, and her trip is sponsored by the Alaska Purchase Centennial Commission.	
✓	12:26p	12:35p			Vicente Ximenes	
					Commissioner of the Equal Employment Opportunities Commission	
					To report on his mtg with the Cabinet group on Mexican-Americans	

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	1:30p		t		Joseph Califano - pl	
✓	1:31p	1:45p			OFF RECORD: Henry Hall Wilson (former White House staffer -- now President of Chicago Board of Trade)	
	1:45p		t		[REDACTED] Barefoot Sanders - pl	
	1:32p		f		Joe Califano	
✓	1:55p	2:10p			Mrs. Simon McHugh	
					Today announced the President's intention to nominate Robert E. Lee of the District of Columbia, to a third seven-year term as a member of the FCC	
					Today announced the appointment of John T. McNaughton to be a member of the National Armed Forces Museum Advisory Board of the Smithsonian Institution.	
					Today announced appt of Charles F. Baird as a Federal member of the Commission on Marine Science, Engineering and Resources.	
					Today announced intention to nominate Lawrence C. McQuade of Arizona to be Asst Secy of Commerce for Domestic and International Business.	

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					Today announced his intention to nominate three Federal Judges for the Eastern District of Virginia -- Robert R. Merhige, Jr., Richard B. Kellam, and John A. MacKenzie.	
	2:10p		t		George Christian - pl	
	2:11p		f		MW - pl	
	2:12p		f		George Christian	
	2:15p		f		MW - pl	
	2:20p		t		Joe Califano • pl	
	2:21p		t		MW - pl	
	2:22p		t		Walt Rostow - pl	
	2:23p - 340				Hon. George Christian and group of newspaper reporters:	OFF RECORD
	-340				Merriman Smith, UPI	
	340				Al Spivak, UPI	
	340				Douglas Cornell, AP	

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	2:25p				To the dog pens w/ George Christian and the reporters	
	2:27p				Then for a walk on the South Grounds w/ above	
	2:30p				To the mansion - reported on second floor	
		3:40p			for LUNCH w/ merriam smith, DC, al Spivak + Doug Carnell Bress Card	
	2:35p		f &		Joe Califano	
	2:35p		t		Joe Califano--calling him back, immediately	
✓	2:36p		t		Cong. J. J. Pickle	
	2:50p		f		Joe Califano	
	3:45p		f		Mike Manatos, at the Capitol	
	4:03p		t		Marvin Watson (pl)	
	4:11p		f		Mike Manatos, at the Capitaol	

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✓	4:35p		t		<i>Robert</i> "Bob" Wallace, <i>Asst Secy of Treasury</i>	
	4:36p		t		Marvin Watson (pl)	
	4:36p	4:37p	t		Joe Califano (pl)	
	4:58p		t		Marvin Watson (pl)	
✓	4:59p		t		The Attorney General in his car--asked him to call when he reached his residence.	
	5:00p		t		George Christian (pl)	
✓	5:03p		f		Senator Mike Mansfield	
	5:13p		t		Justice Abe Fortas--DID NOT TALK--left word	
✓	5:17p		f		Cong. Carl Albert-- xx returning the President's call	
✓	5:20p		t		Hon. Clark Clifford, in William Bundy's ofc at State Dept.	
	5:26p		f		George Christian--when the Operator told the President that GC was calling, the President immediately hung up and picked up the pl line to George Christian	
	5:27p		t		Joe Califano -pl	
	5:30p		t		Harry McPherson -pl	
✓	5:39		f		Sen. Mike Mansfield--returning the President's call	
	5:44p		f		George Christian	
✓	5:45p		f		Justice Abe Fortas--returning the President's call	

Flowers sent to Mrs. John McCormack in Providence Hospital from the President and Mrs. Johnson.
 Flowers sent to Bob Komer in ~~Walter~~ Walter Reed Hospital.

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✓	6:05p		f		Cong. Carl Albert	
✓	6:20p				The President to the oval office (Pictures taken)	
		6:33p			w/ Mr. & Mrs. Simon McHugh for swearing-in ceremony of Simon McHugh as member of Subversive Activities Control Board	
	6:22p		t		Marvin Watson (pl)	
	6:30p	6:33p			William J. Hopkins joined - McHugh's and President	
		6:33p			Carson Howell "	
	6:31p	6:35p 7:35p			Joe Califano joined w/ Larry Levinson	
✓	6:47p	6:52p 6:52p 6:52p			OFF RECORD: Cdr. & Mrs. John Paul Jones and children: Cdr. Jones is the Camp David commander, but is being transferred later this month. farewell visit. John Paul, Julie and Karen Lt. Cdr. F. Worthington Hobbs, Naval Aide	
					On one of his visits to Camp David, the President mentioned to Cdr Jones that he should bring his little girls and wife to the President's office sometime in order that they could grow up remembering having seen the President in his ofc. Cdr Jones is due to be reassigned to a Naval Engineering School on July 26.	

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✓	6:52p			t	Charles Luna / in Cleveland, Ohio <i>Laber Leaders Card</i>	
					Note taken to the President w/ message from Cong. Carl Albert: "They have started voting---forced a Record Vote. I can get the results to the President in 30 or 40 minutes."---while talking to Mr. Luna	
	7:20p				Joined by George Christian	
✓	7:25p		f		Cong. Carl Albert	
✓	7:26p		f		Speaker John McCormack	
	7:27p		f		Walt Rostow	
	7:27p				Joe Califano talking w/ Sen. Wayne Morse from the President's office	
	7:29p				Walt Rostow joined	
✓	7:29p		f		Justice Abe Fortas	
	7:34p		t		Harry McPherson (pl)	
					Chairman, the Pennsylvania Railroad	
✓	7:37p		t		Stuart Saunders -- / at Funkhouser residence in Philadelphia, Penn.	
✓	7:52p		t		The Attorney General, Ramsey B Clark--in his car	
	7:54p		t		Joe Califano (pl)	
✓	7:57p		f		Stuart Am Saunders - Phil, Pa	
✓	8:01p		t		Secy Wirtz	

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	8:27p		t		George Christian -pl	
	8:28p	8:30p			George Christian Christian	
	8:30p		t		Barefoot Sanders -pl	
✓	8:40p		t		Secy w. Willard Wirtz	
	8:42p		t		Joe Califano -pl	
✓	8:42p		f		The Attorney General, Ramsey Clark	
✓	8:57p			f	Stuart Saunders Saunders -- Philadelphia	
✓	9:00p		f		Secy W. Willard Wirtz	
✓	9:12p		t		Senator Mike Mansfield	
	9:36p		f		Mrs. Johnson	
✓	9:37p		f		The Attorney General	
	9:40p				To the mansion to join for DINNER Mrs. Johnson Hon. & Mrs. Willard Deason Mr. Louis Shanks	

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					Mr. & Mrs. Jake L. Hamon of dallas, Texas (houseguests) Mr. & Mrs. Dee J. Kelly of Fort Worth, Texas (Houseguests) Mr. & Mrs. Robert Anderson (houseguests)	
✓	9:52p			f	Stuart Saunders, Philadelphia <i>Laverett</i>	
✓	9:53p			t	Senator Everett Saltonstall, Maine <i>Kappil</i>	
✓	10:01p			t	Fred Kappil, Stockholm, Sweden	
	10:06p			t	Mary Slater in the office asked for memos on tax to be brought to the mansion	
	10:10	10:45p			Mary Slater joined in the mansion for Dinner.	
	10:26p			t	George Christian	
✓	10:47p			t	Mr. George Evans Meany, Miami, Florida <i>Rabon Leckers card</i>	
	10:50p				The President returned to the oval office	
✓	10:55p			t	Mr. Ted Kheel - <i>New York City</i> <i>"Theodore"</i>	
	11:01p			t	George Kheel Christian, at home --I am about ready to go on my board. I have talked to Kheel , Kheel, Saltonstall and Meany and will talk to Morse. We will announce it in the morning."	
✓	11:04p			t	Senator Wayne Morse--Asked him to be a member of the Board and perhaps be Chairman.	
	11:09p			t	Joe Califano Califano--You can go on home now. We have our board about ready, and it will be good.	
	11:20p				The President returned to the mansion.	

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✓	11:35p		t		Secretary Wirtz	
✓	11:37p		t		Attorney General Clark	
	11:38p		t		op - "have chief come up"	
	11:50p				Guests to their rooms on third floor	
	12:00mid				retired	
					Today announced appt of John T. McNaughton, who will become Secy of the Navy on Aug 1, 1967 as a member of the National Armed Forces Museum Advisory Board of the Smithsonian Institution.	
					Today issued statement of concern of prisoners re VietNam war	
					Transmitted ltr from the President to the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the Majority Deader of the Senate on the current rail strike situation.	
					Today issued statement by the President upon signing S. J. Res. 81	
					Today announced appt of Lt. Gen Earl C. Hedlund, USAF, to be a member of the Committee on Purchases of Blind-Made Products.	
					Today announced the appt of Charles F. Baird, as a Federal member of the Commission on Marine Science, Engineering and Resources.	
					Today appointed Dr. Alvin A. Price, of College Station, Tex, as a Member of the National Advisory Committee on the Selection of Physicians, Dentists, and Allied Specialists.	

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NOMINATIONS SENT TO THE SENATE ON JULY 17, 1967:

Robert E. Lee, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Federal Communications Commission for a term of seven years from July 1, 1967. (Reappointment)

Lawrence C. McQuade, of Arizona, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce.

Richard B. Kellam, of Virginia, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Virginia to fill a new position created by P.L. 89-372, approved March 18, 1966.

John A. MacKenzie, of Virginia, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Virginia to fill a new position created by P.L. 89-372, approved March 18, 1966.

Robert R. Merhige, Jr., of Virginia, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Virginia, vice John D. Butzner, Jr., elevated.

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TO SIGNING TABLE, JULY 17, 1967

7-17 Ltr to Spurgeon Cameron - re commendation of Thurgood Marshall appt

7-17 Ltr to Mr. Ashton Glassell - re visit on the fourth and Ashton

Nobles - Regional Director of New York City Post Office

Approve Goldman ___ Invite Goldman to meet w/ MW ___ Check Macy & O'Brien ___

No interest ___

7-17 Ltr to Philip Weightman - retiring fm AFL-CIO Comte on Political Education

7-17 Msg for Polish National Alliance National Convention

7-17 Ltr to Mrs. Arthur G. Rosenbluth, Pres., B'nai B'rith Women, Wash, DC
thanking for ltr endorsement approving Pres.'s Middle East policy.
(Chas Maguire)

7-17 Ltr to His Eminence Patrick Cardinal O'Boyle - thanking for warm message
of greetings from the Holy Father. (Chas Maguire)

left on desk Ltr to Mr. Denison Kitchel, La Jolla, Calif (fm Walt Rostow)

7-17 Ltr to Hon. Placido Aderaldo Castelo, Gov of State in Brazil thanking
for riding outfit he gave the President (fm Lucy Ferguson)

left on desk Macy memo - Katherine Peden as treasurer of U.S.--approved ___ discuss w/me ___

7-17 Barefoot Sanders memo - w/Budget amendment-emergency evacuation of
Americans fm the Middle East and Africa (Dept of State)

7-17 Ltr to Gov. John Connally - transmitting a copy of film "El Weekend". (L. Ferguson)

7-17 Ltr to Amb Alexander Matsas--farewell letter

7-17 Ltr to Mr. Peter Masters - OEO - artist who did work on booklets on
~~x~~ Govs Conference and Middle East address (chas maguire)

7-17 Ltr to Miss Patricia Allot - OEO - artist who did work on booklets on
Govs Conference and Middle East address (chas maguire)

approved Doug Naboles Memo on the Special Group on Trade Preferences with Less
Developed Countires, Treade Committee, OECD, Paris, July 26-28

left on desk frm DeVier Pierson re support for Dr. B. R. Sen of India as the Director-Gen.
of the Food and Agricultural Organization of the UN '

7-18 Message for the Jewish War Veterans of the U. S. --72nd annual natl. convention

Macy memo recommends Royce Hanson as ~~Dire~~ Chmn of the National Capital
Planning Commission vice Libby Rowe.