

THE WHITE HOUSE
 PRESIDENT LYNDON B. JOHNSON
 DAILY DIARY

Date August 17, 1967

The President began his day at (Place)

The White House

Day Thursday

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| | In | Out | Lo | LD | | |
| | 7:20p | | | | Breakfast alone | |
| | 8:47a | | | | The President asked for Col. James U. Cross--he was out flying-- | |
| | 9:20a | | t | | Col. Cross | |
| ✓ | 9:43a | | t | | Horace Busby | |
| ✓ | 9:58a | | t | | Secy Robert McNamara | |
| ✓ | 10:29a | | t | | Secy Robert McNamara --in Dep Secy Nitze's ofc | |
| | 10:38a | | t | | Joe Califano -pl | |
| | 11:16a | | t | | Marvin Watson -pl | |
| | 11:25a | | t | | Bob Hardesty | |
| ✓ | 11:25 | 11:53a | | | Dr. Burkley took Mr. Duke Rose of the Johnson Murphy Shoe Company and mr. Jack Settle, President, Johnson Murphy Shoe Company to second floor--they had two pairs of shoes to fit on the President. | |
| | 11:53a | | | | The President to the oval office | |
| | 12:07p | | t | | Joe Califano -pl | |

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| C | 12:09p | 12:13p | | | U. S. Ambassadors OFF RECORD for a picture Hon. Sheldon Vance, Amb to the Republic of Chad Hon. Leonard Unger, Amb to Thailand | |
| | | | | | * these newly named ambassadors depart for their posts soon. -- handshake picture | |
| C | 12:15p | 12:25p | | | OFF RECORD: PMG Lawrence F. O'Brien Asst PMG Leo Packer (Asst PMG for Bureau of Research & Engineering) Asst PMG John O'Marra (Asst PMG for Bureau of Facilities) Asst PMG Ronald Lee -- former White House Fellow, now Director of Office of Planning and Systems Analysis, P. O. Dept. | |
| | | | | | They were new within the past year in the Dept. and the PMG thought a brief visit w/ the President would be good for their morale. Appt requested by the PMG | |
| C | 12:32p | | | | The President to the South Grounds, accompanied by Major Hugh Robinson to meet H. E. Felix Houphouet-Boigny, President of the Ivory Coast for an informal arrival at the Diplomatic Entrance. The two Presidents then walked together along the collonade. They stopped briefly in the Cabaret Room w/ the official delegations, then | |
| | 12:38p | | | | The President to the oval office w/ President Felix Houphouet-Boigny | |

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| | 12:42p | | t | | Joe Califano -pl | |
| | 1:10p | | t | | Joe Califano -pl | |
| | 1:38p | | | | The President w/ President Houphouet-Boigny ^N to the mansion for LUNCHEON | |
| | 1:40p | | | | To the Second floor to join Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Houphouet-Boigny ^N and staffs | |
| | 2:00p | | | | --Amb. Timothee N'Guetta Ahoua, Minister of Foreign Affairs and Mrzs Usher, H. E. and The President and Mrs. Johnson Mrs. Konan Bedie; the Vice President President & Mrs. Houphouet-Boigny Amb and Mrs. George Morgan, and official party down the grand staircase--for pictures Secy and Mrs. Rusk and Amb. and Mrs. Symington | |
| | | | | | To the East Room to receive guests | |
| | 2:10p | | | | To the State Dining Room for ^{state} LUNCHEON--117 guests At the President's table - reading from his right -- Mrs. Houphouet-Boigny, Secy Rusk, Mrs. Charles Terry, Governor John King, Mrs. Gerald Siegel, Mr. Edgar Kaiser, Mrs. James Rhodes, Secretary Weaver, Mrs. Usher. | |
| | 3:00p | | | | <i>Tasets</i> | |
| | 3:40p | | | | The President escorted President Houphouet-Boigny ^N to the North portico and bid him farewell. | |
| | 3:42p | | | | The President to the apartment | |

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| | 4:22p | | t | | Joe Califano - pl | |
| | 4:26p | | t | | George Christian - pl | |
| | 4:27p | | t | | George Joe Califano - pl | |
| | 4:30p | | t | | George Christian - pl | |
| | 5:20p | | t | | George Christian - pl | |
| | 5:25p | | t | | MW - pl | |
| | 5:45p | | | | To Oval Office - | |
| | 5:55p | | | | To the barbershop | |
| <i>C</i> | 6:21p | | | | To the Cabinet Room for mtg with Congressional Group - House Republican Freshmen | |
| | | 7:44p | | | | |
| | | | Cong | | Edward G. Biester, Jr., (Pa.) | |
| | | | | | Cong. Benjamin B. Blackburn (Ga.) | |
| | | | | | Cong. Garry E. Brown (Mich) | |
| | | | | | Cong. J. Herbert Burke, (Fla.) | |
| | | | | | Cong. George Bush (Texas) | |
| | | | | | Cong. William O. Cowger (Ky.) | |

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| | | | | | Cong. John R. Dellenback (Oregon) Cong. Larry Winn (Kansas) | |
| | | | | | Cong. Edwin D. Eshleman (Pa.) Cong. Louis C. Wyman (N.H.) | |
| | | | | | Cong. James C. Gardner (N.C.) Cong. Chalmers P. Wylie (Ohio) | |
| | | | | | Cong. George Goodling (Pa.) Cong. Roger H. Zion (Indiana) | |
| | | | | | Cong. Gilbert Gude (Md.) Cong. John M. Zwach (Minn.) | |
| | | | | | Cong. John P. Hammerschmidt (Ark.) | |
| | | | | | Cong. Margaret M. Heckler (Mass.) Staff: | |
| | | | | | Cong. Thomas S. Kleppe (N. Dak.) Tom Johnson | |
| | | | | | Cong. Dan Kuykendall (Tenn) George Christian | |
| | | | | | Cong. John H. Kyl (Iowa) Barefoot Sanders | |
| | | | | | Cong. Sherman P. Lloyd (Utah) | |
| | | | | | Cong. James A. McClure (Idaho) | |
| | | | | | Cong. Jack H. McDonald (Mich.) Cong. William Cowger called to request this | |
| | | | | | Cong. Robert B. Mathias (Calif) appt w/ the President. He said the 59 | |
| | | | | | Cong. Wiley Mayne (Iowa) republican freshmen would be particularly | |
| | | | | | Cong. Thomas J. Meskill (Conn.) interested to have the President use them as a | |
| | | | | | Cong. Clarence E. Miller (Ohio) sounding board on the proposed Tax increase. | |
| | | | | | Cong. John T. Myers (Indiana) | |
| | | | | | Cong. Howard W. Pollock (Alaska) | |
| | | | | | Cong. Robert D. Price (Texas) <i>L Johnson's notes to</i> | |
| | | | | | Cong. William V. Roth, Jr. (Del.) <i>D.L.</i> | |
| | | | | | Cong. Charles W. Sandman (N. J.) | |
| | | | | | Cong. William J. Scherle (Iowa) | |
| | | | | | Cong. William L. Scott (Va) | |
| | | | | | Cong James V. Smith (Okla) | |
| | | | | | Cong. Fred Schwengel (Iowa) | |
| | | | | | Cong. M. G. Snyder (Ky.) | |
| | | | | | Cong. Sam Steiger (Arizona) | |
| | | | | | Cong. William A. Steiger (Wisc) | |
| | | | | | Cong. William C. Wampler (Va) | |
| | | | | | Cong. Charles W. Whalen (Ohio) | |
| | | | | | Cong. Charles E. Wiggins (Calif) | |

Tom Johnson's notes on this mtg to DT

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| <u>C</u> | <u>7:45p</u> | | | | <p>The President departed the Oval Office - via car - en route the Pan American Union - for RECEPTION commemorating the Sixth Anniversary of the Alliance for Progress</p> <p>w/ MW</p> <p>REMARKS by the President</p> <p>Reception held on the occasion of the Washington visit of 29 teenage students, from 14 Latin American countries, winners of the essay contest on the Alliance for Progress, and on secondly, on the sixth anniversary date of the Alliance for Progress.</p> <p>Dr. Jose A. Mora, Secretary General of the OAS invited the President to come along w/ 300 leaders of the inter-American community in Washington and their wives.</p> <p>Dr. Jose Mora greeted the President on his arrival</p> | |
| | <u>8:00p</u> | | | | <p>The President departed the Pan American Union - en route the White House returning to the White House - at 8:02p</p> | |

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| | 10:15 | 11:00p | | | DINNER w/ Mrs. Johnson George Christian Tom Johnson | |
| C | 10:32p | | t | | Justice Fortas | |
| C | 10:39p | | | t | Wx Ed Weisl, Sr., NYC | |
| | 10:43p | | t | | Marvin Watson | |
| | 10:47p | | | t | Donald S. Thomas--in Dallas--never mind | |
| | 11:00p | | | | The President retired | |
| | | | | | Today announced appt of three new members to the General Advisory Committee on Foreign Assistance Programs -- Dr. Theodore M. Hesburgh, Mr. Rudolph A. Peterson, and Dr. Frank Stanton. | |
| | | | | | Today announced that the President will present the nation's highest award for valor Monday to Gunnery Sergeant Jimmie E. Howard of Burlington, Iowa-- at 12 n at the White House | |

