

THE WHITE HOUSE  
PRESIDENT LYNDON B. JOHNSON  
DAILY DIARY

Date May 16, 1968

The President began his day at (Place) The White House Day Thursday

Entry No.	Time		Telephone f or t		Activity (include visited by)	Expenditure Code
	In	Out	Lo	LD		
	12:00a				President and Mrs. Johnson at the North Portico to say good night to His Excellency, The President of the Republic of Tunisia, Habib Bourguiba and his Official Party	
	12:02a				President to second floor	
	12:08a		t		Unsher's Office - to send up Yuki	
	12:09a				Yuki in President's bedroom	
C	12:10a			t	Dale Malechek - at the ranch	
	1:00a				The last of the guests departed	
	1:10a				The President retired	
	8:45a				The President was awakened	
	9:00a				President had breakfast	
	9:10a	9:30a			Dr. George Burkley, White House Physician - to the President's bedroom with	
L					Dr. William Narva, Commander, USN - a dermatologist	
	9:24a		f		Simone Pulaine	
	9:30a		t		Joe Califano - pl	

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C	9:40a	11:10a			Vice President of the United States, Hubert H. Humphrey to bedroom (see 10 am entry also in this connection)	
	9:45a		f		Douglass Cater - in his office	
e	10:00a	11:10a			Joe Califano Walter Heller, Professor of Economics at University of Minnesota (Former Chairman of the Council of Economic Advisors) joined the President and the Vice President in the bedroom	
	11:19a		f		Walt Rostow - in his office	
C	11:38a	12:16p			President into Dr. Burkley's Office saw: <del>Dr. Lucian Thomas</del> Dr. Thomas, Dentist Dr. Charles Turchin - podiatrist	

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	2:58p				President to bedroom	
	3:22p		t		Jim Jones - pl	
e	3:25p			f	(Mrs. Floyd Odum) Jacqueline Cochran called and spoke with Jim Jones - the President said he wanted to talk with her, too and told Jim to stay on the line. (She was calling from New York)	
	3:38p				President into Lynda Bird's room pob was there - the President just wanted to say "hello" and tell her that he received a nice letter from Chuck and he just wanted her to know that he was fine. Lynda said she received a letter to and Chuck told her to go buy some clothes - without belts - and to look pretty. Chuck said he would send her some loose things if he could find them, but all he had seen where black pajamas and she didn't want those. The President laughed, kissed her goodbye and left.	
	4:00p		f		Walt Rostow	
	4:10p				Joe Califano - pl	
	4:12p	4:20p			Joe Califano in to bedroom	
	4:16p		t		Tom Jonson	



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C	4:24p		t		Arthur Krim - who was in Marty Underwood's office	
	4:46p		t		Walt Rostow - pl	
	5:00p				President into Oval Office	
		5:05p			Jim Jones	
	5:02p	5:05p			Mildred Stegall	
	5:07p	5:37p			President into Cabinet Room	
C					with Ambassador Angier Biddle Duke, Chief of Protocol	
					joining:	
C					His Excellency Habib Bourguiba, President of the Republic of Tunisia	
					and members of his Official Party	
C					His Excellency Habib Bourguiba, Jr. - Secy. of State for Foreign Affairs	
C					His Excellency Ahmed Ben Salah - Secy. of State for Planning & Natl Economy	
C					His Excellency Chedli Klibi - Secy. of State for Information & Cultural Affairs	
C					His Excellency Rachid Driss - Ambassador of Tunisia	
C					Mr. Hamed Ammar - Minister, Embassy of Tunisia - Williamsburg, Washington	
					and New York Only	
C					Mr. Mohamed Amamou - Director of the American Department in the Foreign Ministry	
C					Major Abdelhamid Fehri - Aide-de-Camp to President Bourguiba	
C					NOTE: Americans present --- The Honorable Francis H. Russell - American Amb. to Tunisia	
C					Mr. A. Jose DeSeabra - Language Services Officer - State Department	
	5:37p	5:46			President into Oval Office	
					Diana	

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	In	Out	Lo	LD		
	7:00p				President to mjdr's office with Larry Temple reading "in" box	
		7:01			Larry Temple out	
	7:02p				President and Diana into oval office to signing table	
✓	7:06p				Ambassador and Mrs. Angier Biddle Duke into oval office	
7:	7:13p				Back into mjdr's office to tell Diana to call the ushers and inform them that	
					Mr. Arthur <del>Kirm</del> Krim might be a houseguest	
c					Mr. Walter Heller would be a house guest	
c					and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Guajardo and two daughters, Acapulco (Houseguests)	
c	7:14p				President and Amb. and Mrs. Duke departed for the Return Reception hosted by His Excellency Habib Bourguiba - President of the Republic of Tunisia at the	
					Grand Ballroom at the Mayflower Hotel	
c	7:40p				Returned from the Mayflower and into oval office with Ambassador Angier Biddle Duke	
		7:45p			(The Ambassador said good night to the President at his signing table and then departed)	



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	7:48p				Diana in - The President was at the signing table and working his papers	
	8:30p		t		Larry Temple - pl The President asked him to get Willard Deason for him	
	8:35p			f	Willard Deason	
	8:50p				Larry Temple in Larry and the President read over a copy of a paper regarding the Secret Service and Post Presidency. The President asked Larry to draw up an Executive Order regarding this matter.	
	9:54p		t		Barefoot Sanders - regarding the Tax Bill	
	10:02p				President to the Mansion for dinner with Diana Lynda Bird joined but did not eat. The President called Walter Heller and asked him to join. Mr. Heller did not eat dinner, either. During dinner the President discussed economic matters with Dr. Heller and talked considerably long time with Lynda about Chuck and the coming baby.	
	10:32p		t		Situation Room - talked with Charles Hayden who was on duty	
	10:50p		t		President called the garage and asked for a car for Diana. He discovered that Diana was not taking a car home late at night. He told her that that was what the cars were for and she was not to drive herself home any more late at night.	

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