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✓	12:50p	1:22pm			The Prime Minister of Jamaica Hugh Shearer	
✓		1:22pm			Hon. Covey Oliver, Asst Secy of State for Inter-American Affairs	
					The Prime Minister is in Washington to receive an honorary degree at Howard University on Friday, June 7. -- courtesy call.	
					mf in briefly - President introduced her to the Prime Minister and they talked about her vacation in Jamaica.	
✓	1:31pm	2:27p 2:27p			Oliver Quayle and Tom Johnson	OFF RECORD
	1:50pm	1:55pm			Lynda Robb - show her father some pictures of Chuck	
	2:27p				Into mjdr's room - reading items in box on corner of mjdr's desk and talking to mjdr about instructions on various memos. Inquired about his lunch.	

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	2:32p				To Flower Garden - for LUNCH	
					and The President ate alone, but was joined by Mrs. Johnson and others who did not eat.	
	2:36p		t		Mrs. Johnson	
	2:40p	2:43p			Mrs. Johnson all joined in the Garden Ashton Gonella and Mrs. John Rogers, Dallas, Tex OFF RECORD Mr. Wayne Ingram, Ft. Worth, Tex	
					he is an artist, and they are here today doing preliminary work for a painting	
	3:00p				To Oval Ofc - w/ Ashton Gonella and Mrs. Rogers and Mr. Ingram	
		3:05p				

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	6:20pm		t		Jim Jones, pl	
C	6:25p		t		Director Leonard Marks	
Q	6:30pm		f		Chairman John Macy	
	6:35pm		t		Jim Jones, pl	
	6:45p				President to Oval Office	
U	6:50pm				Mr. Frank Medina, of the University of the University University - for handshake	OFF RECORD
Medina is the physical therapist and athletic trainer for the Univ of Texas, and is en route to assignment this summer in Turkey						
U	6:56p				Mrs. India Edwards -- Mrs. Edwards asked to see the President to discuss "matters she is handling at the Committee and certain ideas she has." -- Mrs. Edwards has agreed to serve as a volunteer assistant to the Chairman*for the next three months due to illness of Vice Chairman and Director of Women's Activities, Margaret Price.	
*of the Democratic National Committee						

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✓	7pm	7:55pm			President to Cabinet Room for meeting w/ Secy. Henry Fowler, Dept. of Treasury Hon. Frederick L. Deming, Under Secy. of Treasury for Monetary Affairs Hon. Eugene Rostow, Under Secy. of State for Political Affairs Hon. Art Okun, Chairman of Council of Economic Advisers Walt Rostow Ed Fried This meeting was for the purpose of discussing International monetary matters - possible franc-sterling crisis, and German offset negotiations	
	7:55pm				President from Cabinet Room to secretaries' office -- paused to look at accumulation of staff memorandums, incoming mail, etc., and said he didn't see how he could ever read all of it before morning. Glanced at a few, re- marked that he guessed he would have to; and then went into Oval Office saying "send it all over to the Mansion for night reading."	
	8:04p	8:15p			President moved directly on to Jim Jones' office for a few minutes, then back to his own office with Jim accompanying him. Talked with Jim while approving pictures that George Christian was asking permission to release, and others Phyllis had left for autographing by President.	
	8:15p				Jones returned to his own office and President commenced signing outgoing letters and official documents. Asked that Mrs. Johnson be telephoned that he had about 10 minutes more	

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					signing to do (it was really about 30 minutes more) and would then be home for dinner; hoped Lynda and Luci could eat with them and that the baby(Lyn) "has not gone to bed."	
					Inquired whether Sterling Steves and his wife had ever been invited to the White House, and said "we must invite them and others like them while we are still here." Also said J. Waddy Bullion and Hunter McLean should be invited again, and others like that "we will be expecting to see a lot of when we return to Texas."	
	8:3pm				Asked operator to see if George Christian or Tom Johnson were in their offices. Both had left for home.	
	8:35pm		f		Tom Johnson from home returning the President's call.	
					President said he was so tired he didn't know whether he could finish his work, but he continued.	
	8:45pm	9:45p			Asked Larry Temple and Jim Jones to come into his office	
	8:49pm		t		Joe Califano, pl	
	8:50pm	9:45p			In Oval Office - Joe Califano Larry Levinson	

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	8:50p				President asked to talk to Warren Woodward, Dallas, Texas (he wanted to tell Woodward that he had just signed Hal Woodward's commission as United States District Judge). Mr. Woodward was out until 10:30pm (Texas time) and President said leave word to report when he came home.	
✓	9:35pm		f		Gov. Nelson Rockefeller, New York, - asking to see the President next week. (See mr's notes) - <i>to DT</i>	
	9:45pm		f		Mrs. Johnson -- to tell the President that the baby was very sleepy and only had about 5 more minutes "left in him."	
	9:48pm				President to Mansion (first insisting that mr come and eat dinner also. She protested there were guests -- he had just previously told Jim Jones to come eat with the Johnsons also and bring Olivia Barkley -- and mr knew there were already 4 other guests at the Mansion. President was adamant that they surely had enough food for one more person.)	
✓					Dinner guests: <i>Hon. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Watson, The Postmaster General</i> Marie Fehmer John Criswell	

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					President spent most of his time trying to attract Lyn who was more interested in walking around inspecting everything he could pick up -- purses, ash trays, fountain pens, etc, until Lyn was put to bed	
✓					Dinner w/ Mrs. Johnson Luci Nugent Hon. and Mrs. Marvin Watson, <i>the Postmaster General</i> Marie Fehmer John Criswell Jim Jones Olivia Barkley Mary Rather	
	10:09 p		f		Joe Califano	
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✓	11:09p		f	f	Warren Woodward in Dallas returning the President's call	

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