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	In	Out	Lo	LD		
EDT:	11:05a				To Andrews AFB via 'copter enroute New Orleans, La accompanied by:	
					Dr. George Burkley	
					Col. Haywood Smith	
					Bob Hardesty	
					Harry Middleton	
					George Christian	
					Jim Jones	
					Mildred Stegall	
					Marie Fehmer	
					Juanita Roberts	
					Paul Glynn	
					Bob Knudsen	
					Bob Taylor, USSS	
					enroute, President talked with Geo. Christian about the Hugh Sidey appearance on TV	
					this morning and looked over reference materials on first time The Great Society	
					was used by the President in a public utterance.	
	11:15a				Wheels down and immediately to Air Force-1	
					Yoichi Okamoto	
					Wesley King	
					Col. Jack L. Albright	
					Robert Recco	
					Chief D'Andrea	
					Connie Gerrard	
					Rosemary McBride	
					Mr. James Davis	
					Mrs. James Davis	
					James Davis, Jr.	
					Freddie Davis	
					John P. Jones	
					Arnold Lau	

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					David Grant	
					Buddy Cosby	
					Senator Allen Ellender	
					R. Pontius	
					D. Connell	
					Melchiori	
	11:23a				Take off for New Orleans, La. to address American Legion in National Convention.	
					The President and Senator Ellender together in lounge.	
					The President worked last night's "Night Reading" in flight to New Orleans.	
					Lunch with Senator Ellender: Chili and salad.	
EDT	1:08				President walked with Sen. Ellender to Secretaries' desk and introduced "Colonel Roberts and Mrs. Stegall." Asked for playing cards for the Senator and went into his cabin to "freshen up". MF in to "Make up". Called for the Doctor to come up and put "something in my eyes."	
	1:23p				James and Mary Davis into the cabin to see the President.	
CENTRAL DAYLIGHT TIME:						
	12:30p				Arrived Moissant International Airport, New Orleans, La.	
	12:35p				Deplaned, Senator Ellender accompanying President down steps.	
					Cartha D. DeLoach met the President at the foot of the steps.	
	12:36p				Small motorcade moved out enroute Municipal Auditorium, New Orleans, La.	

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					The weather was hot and humid and sunny with some overcast. No effort to get out crowds movement into area not announced in advance; however here and there small crowds had gathered at intersections. No signs seen until in town ---- a single boy and girl team had a banner: PEACE.	
					President accompanied into town by: Senator Ellender Mr. DeLoach Jim Jones Robert H. Taylor, USSS	
CDT:	1:00 p.m.				Arrived Municipal Auditorium and met by Congressman Olin Teague (Tiger) and others	
					People began applauding as they recognized the President with the whole audience applauding and shouting enthusiastically as he was seen on the platform.	
	1:05p				Presented the American Legion's Distinguished Service Medal (Guardians of Freedom) by the National Commander: <i>William E. Galbraith</i> XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX (a mounted bronze plaque given as well as a miniature medal on ribbon and a lapel pin for wearing as desired)	
<i>C</i> 1:07p	1:08p	1:50p			REMARKS to American Legion in 50th annual convention	

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					The President was WAXX well received -- interrupted by applause several times with 1 minute and 35 seconds of applause at end of speech. XXXX	
					Mr. and Mrs. Wm. S. White (of Wash., D.C.) were among those seated on the platform. Upon conclusion of remarks, the President shook hands with the front row platform guests, and then returned to the microphone and introduced Senator Ellender to the audience.	
CDT:	1:53p				To car to return to plane.	
	2:15 p				Arrived Moissant International Airport and went immediately to greet and shake hands with people gathered.	
	2:22				Visiting with the press and photographers.	
	2:24				General Wm. (Westy) Westmoreland arrived. The President walked to meet him. They visited and posed for pictures.	
	2:25p				Boarded plane, taking off coat (shirt wet from perspiration). To cabin to change shirts. To lounge to visit with Veterans Administration Administrator Wm. J. Driver and Mrs. Driver and Senator Ellender.	
					Others on board:	
					Dr. George C. Burkley	
					Col. Haywood R. Smith	
					Juanita Roberts	
					Mildred Stegall	
					Yoichi Okamoto	
					Paul J. Glynn	
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CDT:					Manifest New Orleans - Washington, D.C. continued:	
					Chief D'Andrea	
					George Christian	
					Connie Gerrard	
					Rosemary McBride	
					Marie Fehmer	
					Jim Jones	
					Harry Middleton	
					Bob Hardesty	
					Robert Taylor, USSS	
					John P. Jones, USSS	
					Mr. Arnold Lau	
					Mr. David Grant	
					Mr. Buddy Cosby	
					R. Pontius	
					Melchiori	
	2:33p				Wheels up --- enroute Washington, DC	
	2:45p				To cabin	
					staff members in and out -- Jim Jones, mjdr, mf, Geo Christian and Col. Jack Albright	
					the President had a rub and warm compresses put on his eye.	
					talked to mjdr re research on Barbard Ward-Goodwin roles in the	
					"borning" of the phrase, "The Great Society."	

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STERN DAYLIGHT TIME:						
	5:29p				Wheels down at Andrews AFB -- gusty and raining.	
	5:31				George Christian and Col. Albright out of Cabin -- President joining them shortly in the passageway	
	5:35p				' To the White House via 'copter accompanied by Dr. Burkley Paul Glynn Col. Haywood Smith Marie Fehmer Mildred Stegall Juanita Roberts Loyd Hackler Y. Okamoto Harry Middleton Bob Hardesty George Christian Jim Jones Bob Taylor John Paul Jones visited with Christian, Middleton and Hardesty enroute.	
	5:42p				Wheels down on South Grounds and went directly to the oval office	

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	7:05p				To Oval Ofc	
	7:10p		t		Jones - pl	
	7:11p		t		Temple - pl	
	7:10					
	7:19p		f		Hon. Ramsey Clark, the Attorney General	
	7:35p		t		Temple - pl	
	7:36p				In mjdr's room -- - looking at things on corner of her desk	
	7:37p				To Cabinet Room rejoing: Bob Hardesty Harry Middleton George Christian Arthur B Krim Harry McPherson	
	7:45p				To mjdr's room -- and then to Oval Office	

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