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THE WHITE HOUSE PRESIDENT LYNDON B. JOHNSON

Date	November	19,	1968	

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Tuesday Day

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	7:00a				President awake	
	7:05a				President had breakfast with Mrs. Johnson	
0	8:14a			t	Dale Malkchek - at the ranch	
<u>a</u>	8:40a			f	Hon. Edwin Weisl, Sr - New York	
	8:53a		f		Walt Rostow - pl (Mr. Rostow called and said he had to talk to the President right the sergeant took a note in and the President terminated his conversation with Meisl and rang Mr. Rostow on the pl)	
	9:00a				Tom Johnson - second floor Larry Temple	
	9:20a		f		Walt Rostow	

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10:35a			f	Mrs. Arthur Krim - in New York		
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ll:07a				Hon. Charles Zwick, Director, Burea	au of the Budget - to second floor	
ll;20a		t		Churmin Hon. John Macy, Civil Service Comm	nission - in his office at CSC	
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11,304				they were introduced to the Presid they chatted for about two m inutes		
- 11:39a				President to East RoomArmy Band played "Hail to the Chie MEDAL OF HONOR CEREMONY	PRESS REMARKS	
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ntry	Time		Telephone f or t		Activity (include visited by)	
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					Medal of Honor winners:	n
					Chaplain (Captain) Angelo J. Liteky, USA	
9					Captain James Allen Taylor , USA	
					Sergeant Sammy Lee Davis , USA	
					Specialist Five Dwight Hal Johnson , USA	
					Specialist Four Gary George Wetzel , USA	
7.5	- 7				after ceremony President to Blue Room to receive guests	
_					Secretary of the Army Stanley Resor	
+			-	_	Army Chief of Staff, General William Westmoreland	-
				1	enterestablished to the destruction of the second of the s	
	12:20p				President to midr's office	
	•				walked over from East Room with Tom Johnson and Oke - they both departed	when
					he reached midr's office	
-			\vdash		President looked at books that needed autographing for Christmas	-
	12:22p				President in Oval Office	
_		\$ = 15 = 1	-		Juanita	-
					said that he wanted to sign the books and letters that were on his desk.	
4-	o laterary					1
1	12:27p				Tom Johnson - pl	

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					He then read a quote that his mother used to use when whe had every one gather								
					about her. It is by Robert Burton and comes from the "Anatomy of								
					Melancholy":								
					"Cornelia kept her in talk till the children came from school", XXXX								
	12				MXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX								
					the President said that we are his jewels								
			1		Tom came in with the wrong present and the President sent Juantia out to								
					to find the right one.								
_1	:29p	-	-		EXEMIX President to Jim JOnes' Office	+							
	:31p		0		President to Fish Room - again - showd the girls what the bracelet looked like.								
1	:34p				President to Oval Office								
	1:40p		f		Ken Gaddis								
	1:52p		ť		George C hristian - pl								
-	1:54p		f		Ken Gaddis	+							
	1:55p				Tom and President to midr's office								
\Box					talked about Thanksgiving Day prodamation book								
	2:00p				Tom and President to Mansion								
	2:10;		t		Fred Panzer								
	-1677 225												
	3:13p		f	45	Walt Rostow	2222							
	3:14p				(Leonard Marks called - the President said he was trying to rest - to take a leave	word							
1	3:25p		t		Walt Rostow - pl								

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	5:28p			f	Mrs. Johnson - in New York	
	5:32p		f		Walt Rostow - in his office	
	5:34		t		DeVier Pierson - pl	
	5:35p		t		Tom J ^O hnson - pl	
	5:35p		t		Larry Temple	
	5:36p				President to the Oval Office	
	5:39p	6:04p			Walter Reuther, President United Automobile, Aerospace and Agricultural Implem	
			<u> </u>	1-	Hon. Clark Kerr, Chmn. Carnegie Commission on the Future of Higher Education	
					Walt Rostow	
		(i)	4	<u> </u>	Mr. Reuther said his mtg w/ the President "concerns Vietnam, and he has discus	sed it
					with the President in a previous telephone conversation."	
	(05		<u> </u>	1		
	6:05p			1	President departed for the mansion	
	-		 '	+	to meet Secy Rusk who was arriving on South Grounds	
			-		via helicopter from NATO ministers meeting in Europe	
	6:12pm				Secretary Dean Rusk arrived	

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	5:13pm				President to the Cabinet Room w/ Meeting with regard to European mone	tary
		7:1050 _F 7:00)		Secretary Dean Rusk to meet with crisis and about Vietnam Secretary Clark Clifford	
		7:00 7:00			Walt Rostow Secy. Rusk stayed until 7:15 talking George Christian Harry McDhargan after President a	
		7:15	р		George Christian Harry McPherson after President a departed William Mc Chessey Martin	nd other
7	00p				President to the Mansion accompanied by PRESS Tom Johnson for OFF RECORD backgrounder	
					meeting with columnists - Yellow Oval Room Carl Rowan - Publishers Newspaper Syndicate	
					Marianne Means - The Hearst Corporation Dr. Henry Graf - Columbia University Saville Davis - Christian Science Monitor	
	£				Eric Severeid - CBS Peter Lisagor - Chicago Daily News	
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		/			To New YORK CITY:	
	8:24p	/			President to the South Grounds	
1					to board helicopter	
	8:28p	8:34p	L Legendre		Depart South Grounds aboard Marine I (OFF RFCORD) for Andrews Air Force President Johnson	Base
					Tom Johnson	
					Larry Temple	9 3
		1			CDr. Wm. M. Lukash	
					Dr. Henry Graf (Columbia University) - Graf had attended the backgrounder meet	ting
					Ken Gaddis with the PRESS and President asked him to	
					Bob Taylor - SS agent fly to NY with him instead of going back co	
					Mary Rather	4.5
					President talked to Dr. Graf while on helicopter and als	0
-					read speech he would give in New York	i i
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					Land and the second of the sec	
	8:34p				Arrive Andrews Air Force Base and boarded	
					Air Force I (Jet Star) (OFF RECORD)	A
					for New York City	
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	0.12-				Depart Andrews Air Force Base aboa	nd Air Force 1	
-	8:43p				for La Guardia Airport accompanied		
			1		President Johnson	President ate supper - sandwiches, dev	ilad
-					Dr. Henry Graf	egg, potato salad, olives, pickles, ice	neu
					Tom Johnson	cream, cookies	
		75			Larry Temple	Talked to Dr. Graf all the way about pla	226
			1		Dr. Lukash	for next year with Dr. Graf inquiring a	
					Ken Gaddis	the different colleges, how often he wou	
					Robert Taylor - SS agent	his talks, and asking President if he wo	
					Arthur Godfrey - SS agent	come to Columbia. Dr. Graf said that	
					Mike Geisinger - photographer	President would have to talk some about	
					Mary Rather	tion and other matters, but he surely h	
					Mary Rather	he would not fail to talk about the Presi	
						Dr. Graf said he would help the Preside	
						any way that he could	3111111
						any way that he could	
	9:20pm				Wheels down at LaGuardia Airport, N	lew York City	
	9:25p				On the ground at LaGuardia, Departe	d Jet Star and	
					entered automobile (the new limousi		
					had been in New York for the use	of the President-Flect Nixon.	
					and President Johnson had not us	ed it before.)	

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+	9:30p				Departed LaGuardia via car to go into town accompanied by		
					Tom Johnson		
					Larry Temple President on way in to town comme	ented on how man	y
					Clint Hill cars were in front and behind him,		7
					Mary Rather many and who were they. Clint sa		_
					ours but 8 others in front were NY		
					dent said that was the best way he l	,	
					why couldn't he just come in quietly? Clir		
					it that way for security. As car approach		
					men every few feet. Riding along Preside		
					beauty of the bridges we were crossing an		
					some light conversation. Discussed the n		
					in windows was one inch thick, he thought.		-
					he finished his speech and went to his hote		
					long enough for the Press to to go away, a		
					go to the party that was being given for M		
					it was about 9 blocks from President's hot	el.	
					President asked about Marie who has been	sick the last tw	day
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4	9:50p				Arrived at New York Hilton Hotel and met at		
+					entrance by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Krim who escorted		-
1					President through lobby and on to the room where the		
+					National Urban League was having its 12th Annual Equal		-
+			-		Opportunity Day Awards Dinner		
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+					Mr. James A. Linen (President of Time-Life, Inc.)	
\top					introduced President Johnson and read a resolution	
					commending the President for what he has done in the	
	G.				area of economic opportunity. Resolution was beautifully	
					worded, and copy of it on parchment is to be sent to the	
					President.	
-	10:00	10:16p			REMARKS by President Johnson	
\perp					After Président finished his prepared remarks he	
\rightarrow					read part of the last portion of his remarks to a	
\perp					Joint Session of the Congress entitled The American	
_					Promise on March 15, 1965, and then spoke very briefly	
+					extemporaneously. Good applause and very kind, friendly audience	
					President then left the room. As he walked around edges of the	
\rightarrow					dining room, through the hall to elevator, and through the lobby,	
_					followed by Press, quite a crowd stretched out hands in greeting	B
					and many were saying "Mr. President, we want you again."	
+					"We want you back," "We need you, Mr. President."	
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-	11.05	11:17p			STRICTLY	
\dashv	11:05p	11.11	-		President departed Pierre Hotel for the residence of Mrs. Jeanne Vanderbilt, accompanied by OFF RECORD	
\dashv					Tom Johnson and (not in Signal Switch	board
\dashv					Tom Johnson and	
-	11:17p	11.57			Larry Temple	
\dashv	11:11p	11:5/p			Arrived at Mrs. Vanderbilt's - 171 57th St.	
\dashv					where a dinner was being given for Mrs. Johnson.	
-			20		Following guests were there:	_
					Mr. and Mrs. Tyler Abell	
\dashv					Mollie Parnis	
\dashv					Jack Valenti	
\dashv					Douglas Fairbanks	
					Marc Connelly	
\neg					Edward Bennett Williams	
					Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Cowles	
\neg	78	747			Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Cowles Mr. and Mrs. David Olgivy - Ogsloy Mr. and Mrs. Richard Clurman	
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\neg			124		Lansing Lamont	
					Heidi Vanderbilt	
_					Nicholas Wyeth Teddy Kallek, Mayor of Jerusalema	
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					The Walter Cronkites (who were invited after dinner)	
					arrived about the time President and Mrs.	
\neg					Johnson were departing	
\dashv	11:57p				Departed Mrs. Vanderbilt's (for New York Hilton Hotel) in Mrs. Johnson's car with her. U.S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1967 OF-256-957	

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