

THE WHITE HOUSE		THE DAILY DIARY OF PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD	
PLACE DAY BEGAN THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON, D.C.		DATE (Mo., Day, Yr.) JANUARY 8, 1975	
		TIME	DAY
		7:05 a.m. WEDNESDAY	
TIME		PHONE	ACTIVITY
In	Out	P=Placed R=Rec'd	
7:05			The President had breakfast.
7:58			The President went to the Oval Office.
7:58	8:08		The President met with his Counsellor, John O. Marsh, Jr.
8:08	8:26		The President met with: David A. Peterson, Chief, Central Intelligence Agency/Office of Current Intelligence (CIA/OCI) White House Support Staff Lt. Gen. Brent Scowcroft, Deputy Assistant for National Security Affairs
8:35	9:15		The President met with: James E. Connor, Cabinet Secretary Donald H. Rumsfeld, Assistant
9:20	9:22		The President met with Mr. Rumsfeld.
9:22	10:45		The President met with: Henry A. Kissinger, Secretary of State
9:42	10:45		Lt. Gen. Scowcroft
10:47	11:05		The President met with: Robert T. Hartmann, Counsellor Mr. Marsh Mr. Rumsfeld Max L. Friedersdorf, Assistant for Legislative Affairs Ronald H. Nessen, Press Secretary
11:11			The President went to the Cabinet Room.
11:11	12:14		The President attended a Cabinet Meeting. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "A."</u>
12:14			The President returned to the Oval Office. He was accompanied by: Nelson A. Rockefeller, Vice President Philip W. Buchen, Counsel Mr. Marsh Mr. Rumsfeld
12:14	12:24		The President met with: Vice President Rockefeller Mr. Buchen

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			Mr. Marsh Mr. Rumsfeld
12:24	12:34		The President met with: Earl L. Butz, Secretary of Agriculture Roy L. Ash, Director of the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) and Assistant for Management and Budget
12:35	1:25		The President met with: Mr. Hartmann
12:50	1:17		Mr. Rumsfeld
1:58	2:45		The President participated in an interview with <u>Washington Post</u> writers: Harry Rosenfeld, Assistant Managing Editor of the <u>Washington Post</u> Carroll Kilpatrick, White House Correspondent for the <u>Washington Post</u> Haynes Johnson, National Correspondent for the <u>Washington Post</u> Lou Cannon, member of national news staff for the <u>Washington Post</u> Frank Johnston, photographer for the <u>Washington Post</u> Mr. Nessen
2:52	?	P	The President talked with Senator Hugh Scott (R-Pennsylvania).
3:00	3:32		The President met with Staff Assistant Robert Orben.
3:06	?	P	The President talked with Senator Robert P. Griffin (R-Michigan).
3:32	3:44		The President met with William R. Brockett, Video Tape Recorder Operator, White House Communications Agency (WHCA).
5:04			The President went to the Roosevelt Room.
5:04	5:28		The President met to work with a teleprompter in preparation for his State of the Union Message with: Mr. Rumsfeld Mr. Nessen
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			Robert A. Mead, Television Adviser Cdr. Thomas A. Coates, Chief, Audiovisual Branch (WHCA)
5:28			The President returned to the Oval Office.
			The President met with:
5:32	6:45		Senator Mike Mansfield (D-Montana)
5:32	6:50		Secretary Kissinger
5:32	6:50		Mr. Marsh
5:32	7:53		Mr. Rumsfeld
6:45	7:40		Vice President Rockefeller
			The purpose of the meeting with Senator Mansfield was to discuss U.S. - People's Republic of China relations following the Senator's recent trip to China.
			Members of the press
7:53			The President returned to the Oval Office.
8:36			The President had dinner with: The First Lady Susan Ford
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✓ indicates present

Cabinet Meeting
The Cabinet Room
January 8, 1975

CABINET MEMBERS:

- Vice President, Nelson A. Rockefeller
- ✓ Secretary of State, Henry A. Kissinger
- ✓ Secretary of the Treasury, William E. Simon
- ✓ Secretary of Defense, James R. Schlesinger
- ✓ Deputy Attorney General, Lawrence Silberman
- ✓ Secretary of The Interior, Rogers C.B. Morton
- ✓ Secretary of Agriculture, Earl L. Butz
- ✓ Secretary of Commerce, Frederick B. Dent
- ✓ Secretary of Labor, Peter J. Brennan
- ✓ Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare, Caspar W. Weinberger
- ✓ Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, James T. Lynn
- ✓ Secretary of Transportation, Claude S. Brinegar

CABINET RANK INDIVIDUALS:

- ✓ Counsel to the President, Philip W. Buchen
 - ✓ Counsellor to the President, Robert T. Hartmann
 - ✓ Director of the Office of Management and Budget (OMB), Roy L. Ash*
 - ✓ Counsellor to the President, John O. Marsh, Jr.
 - ✓ Assistant to the President, Donald H. Rumsfeld
 - ✓ Ambassador to the United Nations, John A. Scali
- *also Assistant to the President for Management and Budget.

WHITE HOUSE/EXECUTIVE OFFICE:

- ✓ L. William Seidman, Executive Director of the Economic Policy Board and Assistant to the President for Economic Affairs
- Kenneth R. Cole, Jr., Executive Director of the Domestic Council and Assistant to the President for Domestic Affairs
- ✓ Alan Greenspan, Chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers (CEA)
- ✓ Ronald H. Nessen, Press Secretary to the President
- ✓ William J. Baroody, Jr., Assistant to the President for Public Liaison
- ✓ Max L. Friedersdorf, Assistant to the President for Legislative Affairs
- ✓ Lt. Gen. Brent Scowcroft, Deputy Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs

AGENCIES:

Russell E. Train, Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency
Frank G. Zarb, Administrator, Federal Energy Administration

OTHER:

- ✓ Mary Louise Smith, Chairman, Republican National Committee