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## THE DAILY DIARY OF PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD

PLACE DAY BEGAN  
THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON, D.C.

DATE (Mo., Day, Yr.)  
MARCH 29, 1976  
TIME DAY  
7:12 a.m. MONDAY

TIME		PHONE P = Placed R = Rec'd	ACTIVITY
In	Out		
7:12			The President had breakfast.
7:41			The President went to the doctor's office.
7:47			The President went to the Oval Office.
8:05	8:30		The President met with his Counsellor, Robert T. Hartmann.
8:35	9:10		The President met with:
8:40	8:50		Richard B. Cheney, Assistant James T. Lynn, Director of the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) and Assistant for Management and Budget
8:45	8:50		Paul H. O'Neill, Deputy Director of the OMB
9:10	9:20		The President met with his Counsellor, John O. Marsh, Jr.
9:20	10:20		The President met with:
			Henry A. Kissinger, Secretary of State Donald H. Rumsfeld, Secretary of Defense Lt. Gen. Brent Scowcroft, Assistant for National Security Affairs Mr. Cheney
9:27		R	The President was telephoned by Congressman John T. Myers (R-Indiana). The call was not completed.
10:25	10:55		The President met to discuss the 1976 Foreign Assistance Appropriations Bill with:
			Congressman George H. Mahon (D-Texas) Congressman Elford A. Cederberg (R-Michigan) Congressman Garner E. Shriver (R-Kansas) Congressman Otto E. Passman (D-Louisiana) Lt. Gen. Scowcroft Max L. Friedersdorf, Assistant for Legislative Affairs Robert K. Wolthius, Deputy Assistant for Legislative Affairs Donald G. Ogilvie, Associate Director for National Security and International Affairs, OMB
11:06	11:25		The President met with: Mr. Hartmann Mr. Marsh Mr. Cheney Mr. Friedersdorf

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TIME		PHONE	ACTIVITY
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			Ronald H. Nessen, Press Secretary John G. Carlson, Deputy Press Secretary
11:30			The President went to the South Grounds of the White House.
11:30	11:37		The President motored from the South Grounds to the Pentagon.
11:37	12:07		The President participated in a ceremony to present the Department of Defense Medals for Distinguished Service to:
			David K.E. Bruce, former Ambassador from the U.S. to the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO)
			Francois de Tricornot de Rose, former Ambassador from France to NATO
			Andre Marie de Staercke, former Ambassador from Belgium to NATO
			Members of the press, in/out
11:37			The President was greeted by: Secretary Rumsfeld Ambassador Bruce Ambassador de Rose Ambassador de Staercke
11:40			The Presidential party went to the platform. For a list of platform guests, see <u>APPENDIX "A."</u>
11:43			The President and Secretary Rumsfeld reviewed the troops.
11:46			The President and Secretary Rumsfeld returned to the platform.
11:49			The President was introduced by Secretary Rumsfeld.
11:50	11:57		The President addressed approximately 1,000 guests attending the ceremony.
12:05			The President, accompanied by Secretary Rumsfeld, returned to his motorcade.
12:07	12:14		The President motored from the Pentagon to the South Grounds of the White House. He was accompanied by: George Bush, Director of the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) Lt. Gen. Scowcroft

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12:14			The President, accompanied by Mr. Cheney, returned to the Oval Office.
12:14	12:35		The President met with Mr. Cheney.
12:35			The President went to the Rose Garden.
12:35	12:45		The President met to congratulate the winner of syndicated columnist Jack Anderson's "Slogans U.S.A. Contest." The winning slogan, "Freedom's Way - U.S.A." was submitted by Mrs. Burt (Ellen M.) Harness, Claims Supervisor for Root and Boyd, Incorporated, Waterbury, Connecticut. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "B."</u>
12:45			The President returned to the Oval Office.
12:45	1:00		The President participated in a ceremony to present the National Security Medal to [REDACTED] official. For a list of guests attending the ceremony, see <u>APPENDIX "C."</u>
2:04		R	The President was telephoned by Senator Thomas J. McIntyre (D-New Hampshire). The call was not completed.
2:10	2:18		The President met with Richard W. Murphy, Ambassador from the U.S. to the Syrian Arab Republic.
2:20	2:25		The President met with Mr. Cheney.
2:56	2:59	P	The President talked with correspondent for the <u>Chicago Daily News</u> Peter Lisagor.
3:00		P	The President telephoned Chairman of the Federal Election Commission Thomas B. Curtis. The call was not completed.
3:52	4:05	P	The President talked with Mr. Curtis.
4:25	5:20		The President met with:
4:25	5:20		Secretary Kissinger
4:34	5:20		Lt. Gen. Scowcroft
4:34	5:20		Hushang Ansary, Minister of Economic Affairs and Finance for Iran
4:34	5:20		Ardeshir Zahidi, Ambassador from Iran to the U.S.
4:34	5:20		Charles W. Robinson, Under Secretary of State for Economic Affairs
			Members of the press, in/out

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5:25			The President went to the Cabinet Room.
5:25	6:20		The President met with members of the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce of Los Angeles, California. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "D."</u> Members of the press, in/out
6:20			The President returned to the Oval Office.
6:20	7:05		The President met with: Howard H. Callaway, Chairman of the President Ford Committee (PFC) temporarily resigned
6:05	7:30		Mr. Cheney
7:37			The President returned to the doctor's office.
7:45			The President returned to the second floor Residence.
7:48	7:49	P	The President talked with his daughter, Susan.
8:10			The President had dinner with: Susan Ford Rear Adm. William M. Lukash, Physician
10:10		R	The President was telephoned by Congressman Frank Horton (R-New York). The call was not completed.
10:26			The President went to the swimming pool.
10:50			The President returned to the second floor Residence.
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APPENDIX "A"

Attendance confirmed by  
White House photographs.  
All present.

PRESENTATION CEREMONY FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE DISTINGUISHED  
SERVICE MEDALS<sup>4</sup>

The Pentagon  
Arlington, Virginia  
March 29, 1976

The President

Donald H. Rumsfeld, Secretary of Defense

David K.E. Bruce, former Ambassador from the U.S. to the North  
Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO)

Francois de Tricornot de Rose, former Ambassador from France to NATO

Andre Marie de Staercke, former Ambassador from Belgium to NATO

Col. Robert D. Weigand, Commander of the Third Infantry, U.S. Army,  
The Old Guard, Commander of the Troops

APPENDIX "B"

Attendance confirmed by Sandy  
Drake. All present.

PHOTO OPPORTUNITY WITH JACK ANDERSON "SLOGANS USA" CONTEST WINNER

The Rose Garden  
March 29, 1976

The President

Mrs. Burt (Ellen) Harness, Claims Supervisor for Root and Boyd, Inc.,  
Waterbury, Connecticut and winner of the Jack Anderson "Slogans  
USA" contest

Burt Harness, husband

Frank C. Ingo, Executive Vice President of Slogans USA

Mary "Mardi" Devolites, Program Coordinator, Slogans USA

Lewis W. Shollenberger, Vice President of The Advertising Council

Mrs. Jean McKee, Deputy Administrator of the American Revolution  
Bicentennial Administration (ARBA)

Jack Anderson, syndicated columnist

Edward J. Piszek, Sr., President of the Copernicus Society of America

Mrs. Edward J. (Olga) Piszek, Sr.

Edward J. Piszek, Jr., The Copernicus Society of America

Mrs. Edward J. (Margaret) Piszek, Jr.

John Cleghorn, Vice President of Holiday Inns, Inc.

Don Weiss, Director of Public Relations for the National Football League

Mary T. McNamara, Assistant Advertising Manager-Business, Newsweek

Ralph Graves, Associate Publisher, Time

Richard J. Durrell, Publisher, People

John H. Sweet, President and Publisher of U.S. News and World Report

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Mrs. Carroll E. (Mary Catherine) Miller, President of the General Federation  
of Women's Clubs

Warren Marr, Editor, The Crisis, National Association for the Advancement  
of Colored People (NAACP)

Steve Werner, President of Gemini Rising, Inc.

Rebel L. Robertson, Vice President of the Boy Scouts of America

Verna G. Harper, President of Campfire Girls

Dr. Gloria Scott, President of the Girl Scouts of the USA

Senator Abraham A. Ribicoff (D-Connecticut)

Senator Lowell P. Weicker, Jr. (R-Connecticut)

Congressman Anthony Toby Moffatt (D-Connecticut)

Richard L. Robinson, President of the United States Junior Chamber of  
Commerce (Haycees)

Ernest Cuneo, Copernicus Society of America

Frederick A. Stewart, Vice President for Government Affairs, American  
Motors Corporation

James C. Watkins, Director of the National Public Relations Division  
of the American Legion

Robert O'Brien, Senior Editor of Reader's Digest

Robert Young, Charles A. Pomerantz, Ltd.

Milton Weiss, Charles A. Pomerantz, Ltd.

White House Staff

John O. Marsh, Jr., Counsellor

Russell A. Rourke, Executive Assistant to Counsellor Marsh

Theodore C. Marrs, Special Assistant for Human Resources

Milton E. Mitler, Deputy Special Assistant for Bicentennial Affairs

Michael J. Farrell, Director of the White House Visitors Office

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APPENDIX "C"

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BY [redacted] NARA, DATE 2/8/10

Attendance confirmed by Carol Farrar. All present.

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PRESENTATION OF NATIONAL SECURITY MEDAL TO [redacted]

The Oval Office  
March 29, 1976

The President

[redacted] retired official with the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) and recipient of the National Security Medal

[redacted]

George Bush, Director of the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA)

D.S. Potter, Under Secretary of the Navy

Lt. Gen. Eugene F. Tighe, Jr., USAF, Acting Director of the Defense Intelligence Agency

Carl E. Duckett, Deputy Director for Science and Technology, CIA

Edward W. Proctor, Deputy Director for Intelligence, CIA

John F. Blake, Deputy Director for Administration, CIA

Enno H. Knoche, Acting Deputy to the DCI for the Intelligence Community

Ernest J. Zellmer, CIA staff

[redacted] CIA staff

Sayre Stevens, CIA staff



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William G. Hyland, Deputy Assistant for National Security Affairs

John O. Marsh, Jr., Counsellor

RobRoy Ratliff, Staff Member, National Security Council

APPENDIX "D"

Attendance confirmed by Gwen  
Anderson, ✓ indicates present.

MEETING WITH CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OF LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

The Cabinet Room  
March 29, 1976

- ✓ The President
- ✓ Albert C. Martin, President of the Chamber of Commerce of Los Angeles, California and Partner with Albert C. Martin and Associates, Los Angeles
- ✓ Robert R. Dockson, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce of Los Angeles, California and President and Chief Executive Officer of California Federal Savings and Loan Association, Los Angeles
- ✓ Paul E. Sullivan, Senior Vice President of the Chamber of Commerce of Los Angeles, California and Executive Vice President of the Bank of America, Los Angeles
- ✓ Howard P. Allen, Vice President of the Chamber of Commerce of Los Angeles, California and Executive Vice President of Southern California Edison Company, Rosemead, California
- ✓ Walter B. Gerken, Vice President of the Chamber of Commerce of Los Angeles, California and Chairman of the Board of Directors of Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company, Newport Beach, California
- ✓ Tyler Macdonald, Vice President of the Chamber of Commerce of Los Angeles, California and Chairman of the Board of Directors and Chief Executive Officer of Ayer/Jorgense/Macdonald, Inc., Los Angeles
- ✓ Donn B. Miller, Vice President of the Chamber of Commerce of Los Angeles, California and Executive Vice President of Carter Hawley Hale Stores, Inc., Los Angeles, California
- ✓ Joseph N. Mitchell, Vice President of the Chamber of Commerce of Los Angeles, California and President of Beneficial Standard Corporation, Los Angeles

Members of the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce of Los Angeles, California

- ✓ William F. Ballhaus, President of Beckman Instruments, Inc., Fullerton, California

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Members of the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce  
of Los Angeles, California (continued)

- ✓ Ross Barrett, Senior Vice President of Metromedia, Inc., Los Angeles, California
- ✓ Walter F. Beran, Partner with Ernst and Ernst, Los Angeles, California
- ✓ Donald E. Butler, President and Chief Executive Officer of SSP Industries, Burbank, California
- ✓ Willard Z. Carr, Jr., Partner with Gibson, Dunn and Crutcher, Los Angeles, California
- ✓ Robert E. Collins, Chairman of the Board of Directors and Chief Executive Officer of Hi-Pro Macaroni, Los Angeles, California
- ✓ Maurice J. Dahlem, Price Waterhouse and Company, Los Angeles, California  
Stuart Davis, Chairman of the Board of Directors and Chief Executive Officer, Great Western Savings and Loan, Beverly Hills, California
- ✓ Peter de Wetter, President and Chief Executive Officer for The Bekins Company, Los Angeles, California
- ✓ Robert W. Draine, Senior Vice President and Director of Coldwell Banker, Los Angeles, California
- ✓ Robert F. Erburu, President of the Times Mirror Company, Los Angeles, California
- ✓ Mildred L. Lillie, Justice of the Court of Appeal for the State of California, Los Angeles, California
- ✓ Frederick Llewellyn, General Manager of Forest Law Memorial Park, Glendale, California
- ✓ Ferdinand Mendenhall, Vice President and Editor of The Valley News and The Van Nuys News, Van Nuys, California
- ✓ George F. Moody, Executive Vice President of Security Pacific National Bank, Los Angeles, California
- ✓ Dominic P. Renda, Executive Vice President of Western Air Lines, Inc., Los Angeles, California
- ✓ Togo W. Tanaka, President of Gramercy Enterprises, Los Angeles, California
- ✓ Harold S. Voegelin, Senior Partner with Voegelin and Parton, Los Angeles, California

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Members of the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce of  
Los Angeles, California (continued)

- ✓ Beverly Ziegler, Director for Administrative Services, California  
Electric Sign Association, Los Angeles, California

Staff of the Chamber of Commerce of Los Angeles, California

- ✓ J. Donald Hanauer, Executive Vice President
- ✓ Vince Bordelon, Manager, Governmental Relations
- Eleanor Buhler, Administrator for the Washington, D.C. Office
- Dick Hannan, Executive Director for Public Action

White House Staff

- ✓ Robert T. Hartmann, Counsellor
- Rogers C. B. Morton, Counsellor
- ✓ Gwen A. Anderson, Deputy Assistant to Counsellor Hartmann
- ✓ Royston C. Hughes, Deputy to Counsellor Morton