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Departure from Portland, Maine

There were about 100 people outside the Holiday Inn when the President departed after attending a brief reception after the luncheon. He stopped to shake hands for about 5 minutes. One young girl in the crowd was up on a man's shoulders and screamed "I saw him -- I saw him" for several minutes. The President crossed the street but only waved to the crowd on the other side of the street, and at one point had to duck to get out of the way of a microphone being wielded by a television technician. Scattered groups of people lined the road to the airport where the President said goodbye to Governor Longley and shook hands with some of the cops that had the detail, waved to the crowd and got in the plane.

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