

THE WHITE HOUSE		THE DAILY DIARY OF PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD	
PLACE DAY BEGAN PALMER HOUSE CHICAGO, ILLINOIS			DATE (Mo., Day, Yr.) AUGUST 25, 1975 TIME DAY 7:00 a.m. MONDAY
TIME		PHONE	ACTIVITY
In	Out	P=Placed R=Rec'd	
			The President was an overnight guest at the Palmer House, 17 East Monroe Street, Chicago, Illinois.
7:00	7:45		The President attended a breakfast meeting with approximately 35 Republican leaders from Cook County, Illinois. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "A."</u>
7:45			The President returned to his suite.
8:00	?		The President met with: Donald H. Rumsfeld, Assistant Richard B. Cheney, Deputy Assistant
8:27			The President went to the Meeting Room.
8:27	9:09		The President participated in an interview with: Irv Kupcinet, columnist for the <u>Chicago Sun-Times</u> Ronald H. Nessen, Press Secretary The interview was taped for broadcast on WMAQ-TV, Chicago, Illinois and 100 other stations around the nation.
9:09			The President returned to his suite.
9:15			The President went to his motorcade.
9:20	9:27		The President motored from the Palmer House to McCormick Place.
9:27	10:13		The President attended the opening session of "Hardware Industry Week" of the American Hardware Manufacturers Association. Members of the press
9:27			The President was greeted by: R.C. Hudson, Jr., President of the H.D. Hudson Manufacturing Company, Chicago, Illinois and President of the American Hardware Manufacturers Association Samuel R. Mitchell, Businesss Manager for Hardware Industry Week and Associate Managing Director of the American Hardware Manufacturers Association
9:30			The President, escorted by Mr. Hudson, went to the stage of the Aire Crown Theatre. Other platform guests included: Cardinal John Cody, Archbishop of Chicago, Illinois Charles R. Spencer, President of the Portable continued

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9:30 a.m. MONDAY

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				Appliance and Tool Group, McGraw-Edison Company Boonville, Missouri and Member of the Board of Directors of the American Hardware Manufacturers Association Mr. Hudson
9:32				The President was introduced by Mr. Hudson.
9:36	10:00			The President addressed approximately 4,400 persons attending Hardware Industry Week. The President's remarks were broadcast live over local television.
10:02				The President went to the Green Room.
10:02	10:13			The President met with members of the Board of Trustees and officers of the American Hardware Manufacturers Associat tion. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "B."</u>
10:13				The President, escorted by Mr. Hudson, returned to his motorcade.
10:13	10:45			The President motored from McCormick Place to O'Hare Inter- national Airport.
10:45				The President was greeted by Congressman Robert W. Kasten, Jr. (R-Wisconsin).
10:55				The President boarded the "Spirit of '76."
10:55	11:40			The President flew by the "Spirit of '76" from O'Hare Inter- national Airport to General Mitchell Field, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "C."</u>
11:40				The President was greeted by: Henry W. Maier, Mayor (D-Milwaukee, Wisconsin) John L. Doyne, County Executive for Milwaukee County, Wisconsin Joseph F. Sanek, Airport Director, General Mitchell Field Brig. Gen. Charles E. Corcilus, Air National Guard Commander, General Mitchell Field
11:46				The President went to his motorcade.

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11:46 a.m. MONDAY

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In	Out		
11:46	12:05		The President and Congressman Kasten motored from General Mitchell Field to the Pfister Hotel, 424 East Wisconsin Avenue.
12:05			The President was greeted by: Ben Marcus, Chairman of the Board of Marcus Corporation Steve Marcus, President of Marcus Hotel Corporation Helmut Schuster, General Manager of the Pfister Hotel
12:15			The President went to his suite.
12:19		P	The President telephoned Chairman of the Republican National Finance Committee Jeremiah Milbank, Jr. The call was not completed.
12:37	12:41	P	The President talked with Mr. Milbank.
12:55	2:20		The President attended a luncheon hosted by the editorial boards of the <u>Milwaukee Journal</u> and the <u>Milwaukee Sentinel</u> . For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "D."</u> The President was greeted by: Irwin Maier, Chairman of the Board of the Journal Company Richard H. Leonard, Sr., Editor of the <u>Milwaukee Journal</u> Robert H. Wills, Editor of the <u>Milwaukee Sentinel</u>
1:05	1:45		The Presidential party had lunch.
1:45			The President was introduced by Mr. Maier.
1:49	2:15		The President participated in a question and answer session with luncheon guests.
2:20			The President returned to his suite.
2:50			The President went to room 621.
2:50	3:29		The President participated in an interview with: John McCullough, television reporter with WTMJ-TV, Milwaukee, Wisconsin Ron Scott, television reporter with WISN-TV, Milwaukee, Wisconsin

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			Carl Zimmerman, television reporter with WITI-TV, Milwaukee, Wisconsin Mr. Nessen The President's interview was broadcast live over local television.
3:53			The President returned to his suite.
4:10	4:15		The President met with Joseph E. Uihlein, Jr., Chairman of the Board of Tamarock Petroleum Company, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.
4:15			The President went to the Sponsor's Room.
4:18	4:25		The President greeted hosts for the Milwaukee White House Conference on Domestic and Economic Affairs. For a list of hosts and sponsoring organizations, see <u>APPENDIX "E."</u>
4:25			The President went to the holding room. He was accompanied by Director of the White House Office of Public Liaison William J. Baroody, Jr.
4:29			The President went to an offstage announcement area.
4:30			The President went to the platform in the Grand Ballroom. For a list of platform guests, see <u>APPENDIX "F."</u>
4:31			The President was introduced by Mr. Baroody.
4:32	5:28		The President participated in a question and answer session with participants in the White House Conference. The President's remarks were broadcast live over statewide television.
5:30			The President, escorted by Mr. Baroody, returned to his suite.
5:35	5:55		The President met with: Ody J. Fish, Republican National Committeeman for Wisconsin Mr. Rumsfeld Mr. Cheney
5:56			The President went to room 2205.

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5:56	6:37		The President met with Wisconsin State Republican leaders. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "G."</u>
6:37			The President returned to his motorcade.
6:47	7:22		The President motored from the Pfister Hotel to General Mitchell Field. The President greeted the crowd gathered for his departure.
<u>CDT</u> 7:22	<u>EDT</u> 9:40		The President flew by the "Spirit of '76" from General Mitchell Field to Andrews AFB, Maryland. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "H."</u> (Actual flying time: 1 hour, 13 minutes)
9:42	9:57		The President flew by helicopter from Andrews AFB to the South Grounds of the White House. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "I."</u>
10:00			The President went to the second floor Residence.
10:11			The President went to the swimming pool.
10:35	10:41	P	The President talked with the First Lady.
11:26			The President returned to the second floor Residence.

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APPENDIX "A"

Attendance not confirmed.

BREAKFAST MEETING WITH ILLINOIS REPUBLICAN LEADERS

August 25, 1975
Palmer House
Chicago, Illinois

The President

Mack Leonard

Robert R. Blouin

Charles R. Fitch

Edmund J. Kucharski

J. Tobias Dixon

Freddy C. Peavy

Curtis Foster

Louis J. Kasper

Peter J. Miller

Timothy P. Sheehan

Arthur A. Telcser, Jr.

James R. Nolan

Allen A. Freeman

Edward Price

Harold B. Smith, Jr.

Joseph G. Sevcik

Gene Leonard

John F. Kimbark

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Carl R. Hansen

Elmer W. Conti

George M. Burditt

Bernard E. Pedersen

H.L. Tyrrell

Donald E. Joyce

Donald L. Totten

Joseph B. Fox

Frend H. Yonkers

Ronald R. Larson

Bernard Carey

Jack O'Neill

Joan Anderson

Joe Woods

Mrs. Mary McDonald

George T. Oxford

John J. Hoellen

APPENDIX "B"

Attendance not confirmed

MEETING WITH MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE AMERICAN
HARDWARE MANUFACTURERS ASSOCIATION

The Green Room
Aire Crown Theatre
Chicago, Illinois
August 25, 1975

Members of the Board of Directors of the American Hardware
Manufacturers Association

J.F. Bates, The Stanley Works, New Britain, Connecticut
H.A. Gardner, Cleveland Twist Drill, Cleveland, Ohio
E. Leslie Hall, Devcon Corporation, Danvers, Massachusetts
H.P. Ladds, Jr., Columbus McKinnon Corporation, Tonawanda, New
York
Miles Luther, Richards-Wilcox Manufacturing Company, Aurora, Illinois
R.G. Perry, Gilbert and Bennett Manufacturing Company, Georgetown,
Connecticut
J. Reese, Minnesota Mining and Manufacturing Company, St. Paul,
Minnesota
Bill C. Salisbury, Warren Tool Corporation, Warren, Ohio
C.R. Stenski, Corning Glass Works, Corning New York
W.E. Talley, Winchester-Western Division, Olin Corporation, New Haven,
Connecticut
Peter P. Vaida, Exact Level and Tool Manufacturing Company, Inc.
High Bridge, New Jersey
R. Willoughby, Fulton Corporation, Fulton, Illinois
William A. Schrade, Clemson Brothers, Inc., Middletown, New York
Charles R. Spencer, Portable Appliance and Tool Group, McGraw-Edison
Company, Boonville, Missouri
Philip H. Burdet, Remington Arms Company, Inc., Bridgeport, Connecticut
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Honorary Members of the Board of Trustees of the American Hardware
Manufacturers Association

R. A. Aldeen

John C. Cairns

Melvin H. Campbell

G.S. Case, Jr.

R.H. Coleman

G.S. Culver

John Gibson III

Adger S. Johnson

P.C. Nicholson, Jr.

D.E. Noble

W.H. North

E.J. O'Leary

Spencer T. Olin

Scott C. Rexinger

Franz T. Stone

R. Lee Waterman

B. B. Wood

Officers of the American Hardware Manufacturers Association (AHMA)

Robert C. Hudson, Jr., President of the AHMA; H.D. Hudson Manufacturing
Company

E.T. McGlynn, First Vice President of the AHMA; True Temper Corporation

R.B. Brown, Second Vice President of the AHMA

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N.A. Aldeen, Third Vice President of the AHMA; Amerock Corporation

J.W. Puth, Treasurer of the AHMA; Disston, Inc.

S.R. Mitchell, Associate Managing Director of the AHMA

F.A. Peterson, Managing Director of the AHMA; Thomas Associates, Inc.

Note: An actual guest list for AHMA members meeting with the President was not available. The above list represents the Directors and officers of the AHMA in August 1975.

PASSENGER MANIFEST

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Chicago, IL to Milwaukee, WI

25 Aug 1975 Dep: 11:06am Arr: 11:35am +29 80SM

1. THE PRESIDENT
2. Mr. Donald Rumsfeld, Assistant
3. Representative Robert Kasten, Jr. (R-Wisconsin)
4. Mr. Dick Cheney, Deputy Assistant
5. Mr. Ron Nessen, Press Secretary
6. Mr. Alan Greenspan, Chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers
7. Mr. Paul Theis, Executive Editor
8. Captain Leland S. Kollmorgen, Military Assistant
9. Mr. Terrence O'Donnell, Aide
10. Mr. Red Cavaney, Director of the Presidential Advance Office
11. Mr. Robert Orben, Associate Editor
12. Mr. Jack Calkins, Executive Assistant to Mr. Hartmann
13. Admiral William Lukash, Physician
14. General Lawrence Adams, Commanding Officer, White House Communications Agency
15. Mr. Carl Schumacher, Photographer
16. Major Robert Barrett, Army Aide
17. Miss Judy Morton, Secretary to Mr. Theis
18. Miss Kathie Berger, Secretary to Mr. Cheney
19. MSG Herbert Oldenburg, baggage handler
20. MSG Muriel A. Collins, stenographer
21. SDCM Zosimo Monzon, steward
22. Mr. J. Merchant
23. Mr. R. Pontius
24. Mr. A. Williams
25. Mr. F. Wilson
26. Mr. F. Domenico
27. Mr. J. Samuelson
28. Mr. R. Pawson
29. Mr. E. Zohren
30. Mr. W. Johnson
31. Mr. Howard Benedict
32. Ms. Helen Thomas
33. Mr. Charles Tasnadi
34. Mr. Darryl Heikes
35. Mr. Don Irwin
36. Mr. Charles Van Dyck
37. Mr. Frank Marciante
38. Mr. George Fredrich
39. Mr. Howard Norton
40. Mr. Hugh Fazenbaker
41. Mr. G. Bozman

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APPENDIX "D"

Attendance confirmed by
Margita White -all present

LUNCHEON MEETING WITH EDITORIAL BOARDS OF THE MILWAUKEE JOURNAL
AND THE MILWAUKEE SENTINEL

August 25, 1975
The Phister Hotel, Room 2208
Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Irwin Maier, Chairman of the Board of the Journal Company

Donald B. Albert, President and Publisher of the Journal Company

Richard H. Leonard, Sr., Vice President and Editor of the Milwaukee Journal

Robert H. Wills, Editor of the Milwaukee Sentinel

John Reddin, Editor of the Editorial Page of the Milwaukee Journal

Robert A. Witas, Chief Editorial Writer for the Milwaukee Sentinel

David Dehrendt, Editorial Writer for the Milwaukee Journal

Kenneth Roesslin, Editorial Writer for the Milwaukee Sentinel

William Sanders, Cartoonist for the Milwaukee Journal

Gene Otto, Editorial Writer for the Milwaukee Journal

David Meissner, Editorial Writer for the Milwaukee Journal

Douglas Armstrong, Editorial Writer for the Milwaukee Journal

Tom Curtis, Cartoonist for the Milwaukee Sentinel

Staff

Donald H. Rumsfeld, Assistant

Alan Greenspan, Chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers

Paul A. Theis, Executive Editor

Ronald H. Nessen, Press Secretary

Margareta E. White, Assistant Press Secretary

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WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE ON DOMESTIC AND ECONOMIC AFFAIRS
CO-SPONSORING ORGANIZATIONS - Milwaukee, Wisconsin
August 25, 1975

German-American Societies of Milwaukee, Inc.

Greater Milwaukee Committee

Inland Press Association

League of Women Voters of Wisconsin

Marquette University

Milwaukee Businessman's Federation

Milwaukee Association of Commerce

Milwaukee Society-Polish National Alliance

Milwaukee Urban League

United Community Services of Greater Milwaukee

University of Wisconsin

Wisconsin Farm Bureau

Wisconsin Federation of Cooperatives

Wisconsin Manufacturers Association

Wisconsin Daily Press Association

Wisconsin State American Federation of Labor and Congress of Industrial
Organizations (AFL-CIO)

Wisconsin State Chamber of Commerce

Wisconsin Women's Political Caucus

APPENDIX "F"

Attendance not confirmed

WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE ON DOMESTIC AND ECONOMIC AFFAIRS

PLATFORM GUESTS - Milwaukee, Wisconsin

August 25, 1975

PLATFORM GUESTS:

William A. Morrill, Assistant Secretary (Planning & Evaluation), Department of Health, Education, and Welfare (HEW) and Adviser Member to the Council on Wage and Price Stability

Russell E. Train, Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)

L. William Seidman, Executive Director of the Economic Policy Board and Assistant for Economic Affairs

Rogers C.B. Morton, Secretary of Commerce

Betty Southard Murphy, Chairman, National Labor Relations Board

Earl L. Butz, Secretary of Agriculture

PODIUM

William J. Baroody, Jr., Special Assistant for Public Liaison

The President

William T. Coleman, Jr., Secretary of Transportation

James T. Lynn, Director of the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) and Assistant for Management and Budget

Richard E. Friedman, Regional Director, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare (HEW)

APPENDIX "C"

Attendance not confirmed.

RECEPTION FOR WISCONSIN REPUBLICAN LEADERS

Room 2205
Pfister Hotel
Milwaukee, Wisconsin
August 25, 1975

George Parker, Chairman of the Republican Party of Wisconsin and
President of Parker Pen Company, Janesville, Wisconsin

Mrs. Charles (Alice) Read, First Vice Chairman of the Republican
Party of Wisconsin

J. Curtis McKay, Second Vice Chairman of the Republican Party of
Wisconsin

Dr. Adolf L. Gunderson, Third Vice Chairman of the Republican
Party of Wisconsin; Chairman of the Wisconsin County Chairmen;
and physician

Mrs. Richard (Dorothy) McDonald, Third Vice Chairman of the Republican
Party of Wisconsin, Member of the Wisconsin Federation of
Republican Women

Thomas B. Conley, Fifth Vice Chairman of the Republican Party of
Wisconsin, and President of the Wisconsin Young Republicans

Mrs. William (Sue) Mattka, Secretary of the Republican Party of
Wisconsin

J. Michael Borden, Treasurer of the Republican Party of Wisconsin

Ody J. Fish, Republican National Committeeman for Wisconsin and former
Chairman of the Republican Party of Wisconsin (1965-1970).

Mrs. John S. (Elizabeth) Pfeifer, Republican National Committeewoman
for Wisconsin

William C. Messinger, Finance Chairman for the Republican Party of
Wisconsin; President of Rexnord, Inc., Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Sharon Otto, Republican Chairman for Milwaukee County, Wisconsin

Cliff W. Kruger, State Senator and Senate Minority Leader (R-Wisconsin)

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John C. Shabaz, State Representative and Assistant Minority Leader
(R-Wisconsin)

Warren P. Knowles, former Governor (R-Wisconsin) (1964-1970);
Chairman of Inland Financial Corporation

George Innes, Executive Director of the Republican Party of Wisconsin

Congressman Robert W. Kasten, Jr. (R-Wisconsin)

Congressman William A. Steiger (R-Wisconsin)

Ann Wilcox, Communications Director for the Republican Party of Wisconsin

Mrs. Darlene Weis, Chairman of the Fourth District Republican Party, Wisconsin

Mr. Joseph Brown, Vice Chairman of the Fourth District Republican Party,
Wisconsin

Mr. Branko Terzic, Chairman of the Fifth District Republican Party, Wisconsin

Mrs. Rosaline Brojanac, Vice Chairman of the Fifth District Republican Party,
Wisconsin

Mrs. Ruth McKay, Chairman of the Ninth District Republican Party, Wisconsin

Mr. Edward Howe, Vice Chairman of the Ninth District Republican Party, Wisconsin

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- 3. Secretary Earl Butz, Secretary of Agriculture
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- 5. Mr. James Lynn, Director of the Office of Management and Budget
- 6. Mr. Dick Cheney Deputy Assistant
- 7. Mr. Ron Nessen, Press Secretary
- 8. Mr. Alan Greenspan, Chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers
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- 27. Mr. J. Samuelson
- 28. Mr. R. Pawson
- 29. Mr. E. Zohren
- 30. Mr. W. Johnson
- 31. Mr. Howard Benedict AP
- 32. Ms. Helen Thomas UPI
- 33. Mr. Charles Tasnadi AP Photo
- 34. Mr. Darryl Heikes UPI Photo
- 35. Mr. Frank Marciante NBC
- 36. Mr. George Fredrich NBC
- 37. Mr. Hugh Fazenbaker NBC
- 38. Mr. Howard Norton USN&WR
- 39. Mr. Aldo Beckman Chicago Tribune
- 40. Mr. Don Fulson UPI Audio
- 41. Ms. Mary Fisher, Staff Assistant
- 42. M. White, Assistant Press Secretary

HELICOPTER PASSENGER MANIFEST

August 25, 1975

FROM: Andrews AFB, Maryland

TO: South Grounds, The White House

The President

Donald H. Rumsfeld, Assistant

Paul A. Theis, Executive Editor

Richard B. Cheney, Deputy Assistant

Ronald H. Nessen, Press Secretary

John T. Calkins, Executive Assistant to Counsellor Robert T. Hartmann

Alan Greenspan, Chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers (CEA)

Terrence O'Donnell, Aide

Rear Adm. William M. Lukash, Physician

Maj. Robert E. Barrett, Army Aide