

THE WHITE HOUSE		THE DAILY DIARY OF PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD	
PLACE DAY BEGAN CHICAGO MARRIOTT INN CHICAGO, ILLINOIS			DATE (Mo., Day, Yr.) MARCH 13, 1976
			TIME DAY 7:50 a.m. SATURDAY
TIME		PHONE	ACTIVITY
In	Out	P=Placed R=Rec'd	
			The President was an overnight guest at the Chicago Marriott Hotel, 8535 West Higgins Road, Chicago, Illinois.
			Note: A Military Aide's log for the President's activities in Illinois was not available for the daily diary. Some of the times and activities for the visit are not confirmed. The President was accompanied by members of the press throughout his visit to Illinois.
7:50	8:00		The President met with: Richard G. Ogilvie, former Governor (R-Illinois) and Co-Chairman of the Illinois State President Ford Committee (PFC) Harold B. Smith, Jr., Chairman, Executive Commissioner, and Director of Illinois Tool Works, Incorporated, Chicago, Illinois and Vice Chairman of the Illinois State PFC
8:00			The President, escorted by Mr. Ogilvie and Mr. Smith, went to the Washington Room.
8:00	8:10		The President attended a reception for approximately 50 Illinois PFC senior staff members in the Chicago, Illinois area. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "A."</u>
8:12			The President, escorted by Mr. Ogilvie and Mr. Smith went to the Grand Ballroom.
8:12	8:30		The President attended a reception for approximately 1,000 Illinois PFC staff and volunteers.
8:14	8:25		The President addressed guests attending the reception.
8:35			The President, escorted by Mr. Ogilvie and Mr. Smith, returned to the Washington Room.
8:35	8:43		The President attended a reception for approximately 60 Illinois PFC delegates in the Chicago, Illinois area. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "B."</u>
8:43			The President went to his motorcade.
8:43	8:45		The President motored from the Chicago Marriott Hotel to the Howard Johnson's Motor Lodge, 8201 West Higgins Road.

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8:45 a.m. SATURDAY

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8:45			The President departed his motorcade to view the damage caused by a tornado on March 12, 1976.
8:50			The President returned to his motorcade.
8:50	8:58		The President motored from Howard Johnson's Motor Lodge to O'Hare International Airport.
			The President greeted approximately 700 Air Force reserves gathered for his arrival.
<u>CST</u> 9:09	<u>EST</u> 11:28		The President flew by the "Spirit of '76" from O'Hare International Airport to Greensboro High Point Airport, Greensboro, North Carolina. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "C."</u>
			(Actual flying time: 1 hour, 19 minutes.)
11:30			The President was greeted by: Governor James E. Holshouser (R-North Carolina) Mrs. James E. Holshouser Ginny Holshouser, daughter
11:35	11:40		The President flew by helicopter from Greensboro High Point Airport to Guilford College helipad. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "D."</u>
11:40			The President was greeted by President of Guilford College Grimsley T. Hobbs.
11:44	11:45		The President motored from the Guilford College helipad to the Sigmund Sternberger Auditorium (Founder's Hall). He was accompanied by: Governor Holshouser Mrs. Holshouser Mr. Hobbs
11:55			The President went to the offstage announcement area.
12:00			The President went to the platform in the Sigmund Sternberger Auditorium.

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TIME DAY

12:02 p.m. SATURDAY

TIME		PHONE	ACTIVITY
In	Out	P=Placed R=Rec'd	
12:02	12:35		The President participated in his 28th Press Conference with approximately 100 representatives of the North Carolina media.
12:35			The President went to the holding room.
1:22			The President returned to his motorcade.
1:22	1:31		The President motored from the Sigmund Sternberger Auditorium to the Guilford Courthouse National Military Park. He was accompanied by: Governor Holshouser Mrs. Holshouser Congressman James G. Martin (R-North Carolina)
1:31	2:24		The President participated in the Guilford Courthouse National Military Park Bicentennial Event.
1:31			The President was greeted by: Gary F. Everhardt, Director of the National Park Service, Department of the Interior Willard W. Danielson, Superintendent of the Guilford Courthouse National Military Park J.H. Froelich, Jr., Chairman of the Guilford County American Bicentennial Commission
1:34			The President went to the platform. For a list of platform guests, see <u>APPENDIX "E."</u>
1:50			The President was introduced by Governor Holshouser.
1:55	2:07		The President addressed guests attending the ceremony.
2:24			The President returned to his motorcade. Enroute, he was presented with a commemorative sword by Cdr. of the First Maryland Regiment John Towers.
2:24	2:35		The President motored from the Guilford Courthouse National Military Park to the Sigmund Sternberger Auditorium, Guilford College.
2:38			The President returned to the holding room.
3:08			The President went to the Dana Lounge.

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TIME DAY

3:10 p.m. SATURDAY

TIME		PHONE	ACTIVITY
In	Out	P = Placed R = Rec'd	
3:10	3:20		The President attended a reception for community and business leaders from Guilford County, North Carolina. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "F."</u>
3:20			The President went to the West Dining Room.
3:20	3:45		The President attended a reception for approximately 100 North Carolina PFC District Chairmen and guests. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "G."</u>
3:45			The President returned to his motorcade.
3:51	3:53		The President motored from the Sigmund Sternberger Auditorium to the Guilford College helipad. He was accompanied by: Governor Holshouser Mrs. Holshouser
3:57	4:18		The President flew by helicopter from the Guilford College helipad to the Boulton Park helipad, Winston-Salem, North Carolina. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "D."</u>
4:20	4:25		The President motored from the Boulton Park helipad to Hanes Mall, Silas Creek Road.
4:25			The President was greeted by: Jim Patterson, Manager of Hanes Mall Mary S. Davidson, Chairman of the Forsyth County, North Carolina PFC Grady P. Swisher, Co-Chairman of the Forsyth County, North Carolina PFC Rick Kanoy, President of the Merchants Association of Hanes Mall
			The President, escorted by Mr. Patterson, went to the platform in Hanes Mall.
4:38	4:48		The President addressed the crowd gathered for his visit. The President's remarks were broadcast live over local television.
4:59			The President returned to his motorcade.
4:59	5:03		The President motored from Hanes Mall to the Boulton Park helipad.

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TIME DAY
5:06 p.m. SATURDAY

TIME		PHONE	ACTIVITY
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5:06	5:41		The President flew by helicopter from the Boulton Park helipad to West High School, Miller's Creek, Wilkes County, North Carolina. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "D."</u>
5:41			The President was greeted by: Congressman James T. Broyhill (R-North Carolina) Mrs. James T. Broyhill Bill Anderson, Sheriff of Wilkes County, North Carolina and Chairman of the Wilkes County PFC Mrs. Bill Anderson E.H. "Hal" Green, Principal of West High School Mrs. E.H. "Hal" Green
			The President was presented with a Bicentennial rifle by Ivy Moore, a direct descendant of Daniel Boone.
5:45			The President, escorted by Mr. Anderson, went to the holding room.
6:10			The President went to the offstage announcement area.
6:15			The President went to the platform in the gymnasium. For a list of platform guests, see <u>APPENDIX "H."</u>
6:17			The President was introduced by Governor Holshouser.
6:24	7:02		The President participated in a question and answer session with approximately 2,000 local business and civic leaders, students and the general public.
7:20			The President returned to his helicopter.
7:20	7:53		The President flew by helicopter from West High School to Greensboro High Point Airport. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "D."</u>
8:04	8:45		The President flew by the "Spirit of '76" from Greensboro High Point Airport to Andrews AFB, Maryland. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "I."</u>
8:55	9:06		The President flew by helicopter from Andrews AFB to the South Grounds of the White House. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "D."</u>
9:08			The President went to the second floor Residence.
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RECEPTION FOR ILLINOIS PRESIDENT FORD COMMITTEE (PFC) STAFF

The Washington Room
Chicago Marriott
March 13, 1976

The President

Loretta Bearley

Yale Bell

James F. Beré

Frederick H. Bird, Jr.

Kathy Campbell

Mary Cooper

John Diacou

Gwen Durkin

Mike Ellis

Arthur J. Falls

Maxine Fernstrom

Curtis Foster

Delores Giannini

Raymond E. Giesel

Lowell Goldman

Patricia Goldman

Marie Goodlow

Ricky Greene

Larry Hau

Earle Heffley

Marilyn Heffernan

James R. Helm

James D. Henderson

Jonathan T. Holt

Mike Hudson

Emma Kangas

George Karambas

Eddie Kasper

Terry Landolt

Jeanne Larzalere

Don Lowitz

Rich Markwart

Jerry McMahon

Adrienne McMullin

Paul McVicker

John Mudge

Dorothy Ogilvie

Richard B. Ogilvie

Tom Ortciger

Walter Parker

Joe Pencakowski

Senator Charles H. Percy (R-Illinois)

Mary Ann Quin

Lyn Raney

Patrick Rea

Ruth Ross

Tom Saturley

Dorothy Schultz

Don Singer

Harold B. Smith, Jr.

Sandy Smith

Art Telcser

Bob Thiebault

Greg Thomas

Marilyn Unger

Cheryl Winstead

APPENDIX "B"

Attendance not confirmed.

RECEPTION FOR ILLINOIS PRESIDENT FORD COMMITTEE DELEGATES

?
The Washington Room
Chicago Marriott Hotel
March 13, 1976

Thomas M. Anderson, Jr. (15)
Leslie C. Arends (15)
Diane Y. Carlson (3)
Susan Cantania (5)
Stanley Cyinsky (5)
Carlo De Franco (7)
Edward J. Derwinski (7)
John Tobias Dixon (2)
Robert L. Dunne (2)
Lovelyn J. Evans (1)
Clark W. Fetridge (9)
Grace M. Foster (8)
Marie Goodlow (2)
Michael Guglielmucci (3)
Conrad A. Hallgren (15)
Charles Harris (8)
John J. Hoellen (11)
Robert H. Holloway (1)
Ruth R. Hooper (4)
Louis J. Kasper (11)
Richard J. Larson (15)
Ronald C. Lewandowski (8)

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Richard B. Ogilvie	(9)
Casimir G. Oksas	(2)
Joseph A. Palesh	(7)
Richard B. Port	(4)
Paul J. Randolph	(7)
Nick Ruggiero	(3)
William F. Scannell	(3)
Timothy P. Sheehan	(11)
Herbert E. Smith	(8)
Eileen Stamm	(9)
Hazel Stillwell	(5)
William G. Stratton	(9)
Linda S. Swearingen	(7)
Hamilton B. Talbert, Jr.	(1)
George C. Townsend	(4)
Arthur G. Waner	(5)
Carl V. Wiegand	(11)
Wilma L. Wynn	(1)

PASSENGER MANIFEST

AIR FORCE ONE 27000

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Chicago, IL to Greensboro, NC

13 Mar 1976 Dep: 9:09am Arr: 11:27am 1+18 630SM

1.	THE PRESIDENT	
2.	Mr. Richard Cheney, Assistant	
3.	Mr. Terrence O'Donnell, Aide	
4.	Mr. Ronald Nessen, Press Secretary	
5.	Mr. Byron Cavaney, Director of the Presidential Advance Office	
6.	Major Robert Barrett, Army Aide	
7.	Mr. David Kennerly, Personal Photographer	
8.	Mr. Howard Callaway, Chairman of the President Ford Committee	
9.	Admiral William Lukash, Physician	
10.	Mr. Skip Watts, Primary States Coordinator, President Ford Committee	
11.	Mr. Tim Austin, Assistant to Counsellor Rogers C. B. Morton	
12.	Mr. Robert Orben, Special Assistant	
13.	Mr. Peter Kaye, Press Secretary for the President Ford Committee	
14.	Mr. Dennis Grabow, Consultant, Advance Office	
15.	Mr. Spencer Knapp, volunteer advanceman	
16.	MSG Herbert Oldenburg, baggage handler	
17.	MSC Arturo Bautista, valet	
18.	SGT Patricia A. Jones, stenographer	
19.	Mrs. Nell Yates, Staff Assistant	
20.	Ms. Peggy Venmers, Secretary, Advance Office	
21.	Mr. R. Keiser	
22.	Mr. R. Pontius	
23.	Mr. R. Caughey	
24.	Mr. W. Ebert	
25.	Mr. R. Bowers	
26.	Mr. H. Hooper	
27.	Mr. J. Piper	USSS
28.	Mr. J. Williams	
29.	Mr. J. Boyle	
30.	Mr. Frank Cormier	AP
31.	Mr. Richard Growald	UPI
32.	Mr. Charles Harrity	AP Photo
33.	Mr. Tim Murphy	UPI Photo
34.	Mr. Rudy Abramson	L A Times
35.	Mr. Tom DeFrank	Newsweek
36.	Mr. Don Fulsom	UPI Audio
37.	Mr. Al Bargamin	CBS
38.	Mr. Gene Gerlach	CBS
39.	Mr. Tom Novak	CBS
40.	Mr. Dennis Brock	

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HELICOPTER PASSENGER MANIFESTS

March 13, 1976

FROM: Greensboro Highpoint Airport
TO: Guilford College, Greensboro, North Carolina

The President

Governor James E. Holshouser (R-North Carolina)
Mrs. James E. Holshouser
Ginny Holshouser, daughter
Richard B. Cheney, Assistant
Ronald H. Nessen, Press Secretary
David H. Kennerly, Personal Photographer
Maj. Robert E. Barrett, Army Aide
Rear Adm. William M. Lukash, Physician

FROM: Guilford College, Greensboro, North Carolina
TO: Boulton Park, Winston Salem, North Carolina

The President
Governor Holshouser
Mrs. Holshouser
Miss Holshouser
Mr. Cheney
Mr. Nessen
Mr. Kennerly
Maj. Barrett
Rear Adm. Lukash

FROM: Boulton Park, Winston Salem, North Carolina
TO: West Wilkes High School

The President
Governor Holshouser
Mrs. Holshouser
Miss Holshouser
Mr. Cheney
Mr. Nessen
Mr. Kennerly
Maj. Barrett
Rear Adm. Lukash

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FROM: West Wilkes High School

TO: Greensboro-Highpoint Airport

The President
Governor Holshouser
Mr. Cheney
Mr. Nessen
Mr. Kennerly
Maj. Barrett
Rear Adm. Lukash

FROM: Andrews AFB, Maryland

TO: South Grounds, The White House

The President
Mr. Cheney
Mr. Nessen
Mr. Kennerly
Maj. Barrett
Rear Adm. Lukash
Terrence O'Donnell, Aide
Byron M. Cavaney, Jr., Director of the Presidential Advance Office

APPENDIX "E"

Attendance not confirmed.

GUILFORD COURTHOUSE NATIONAL MILITARY PARK BICENTENNIAL EVENT

Greensboro, North Carolina
March 13, 1976

Platform Guests

James E. Holshouser, Governor (R-North Carolina)

The President

Grace Rohrer, Secretary, Department of Cultural Resources for North
Carolina

J.H. "Jake" Froelich, Jr., Chairman of the Guilford County American
Revolution Bicentennial Commission

Rev. Roland Jones, Rector, St. Francis Episcopal Church, Greensboro,
North Carolina

Rev. Cardes Brown, Rector, New Light Baptist Church, Greensboro, North
Carolina

Senator Robert Morgan (D-North Carolina)

Gary F. Everhardt, Director of the National Park Service, Department
of the Interior

Secret Service

Willard W. Danielson, Superintendent of the Guilford Court House National
Military Park

Secret Service

Congressman Richard L. Preyer (D-North Carolina)

Congressman James G. Martin (R-North Carolina)

Richard Ellis, Director of the North Carolina Bicentennial Committee

Carol Tomasin, Girl Scout

Kip Cozart, Boy Scout

Hector McLean, Chairman of the North Carolina Bicentennial Committee

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E.S. Melvin, Mayor of Greensboro, North Carolina

Ray Culver, Mayor of High Point, North Carolina

Mrs. James E. Holshouser

Ginny Holshouser, daughter

Gaston Faison, County Commissioner, Guilford County, North Carolina

James B. Hunt, Jr., Lt. Governor (D-North Carolina)

Theodore H. Marrs, Special Assistant for Human Resources, White House
Office of Public Liaison

Mrs. John Kellenberger, Member of the Guilford County (North Carolina)
Bicentennial Commission

Henry E. Frye, State Representative (D-North Carolina)

David Thompson, Regional Director, National Park Service, Department of
the Interior

Hugh North, President of the Greensboro (North Carolina) Chamber of
Commerce

William McGuinn, President of the High Point (North Carolina) Chamber
of Commerce

McNeill Smith, State Senator (D-North Carolina)

APPENDIX "F"

Attendance not confirmed.
List may not be complete.

RECEPTION FOR COMMUNITY AND BUSINESS LEADERS

Dana Lounge
Sigmund Sternberger Auditorium
Guilford College
Guilford, North Carolina
March 13, 1976

Herman Bernard
Robert Brown
Jack Campbell
Mayor Roy Culler, Jr.
Mrs. Roy Culler, Jr.
Gaston Faison
Mrs. Gaston Faison
Stanley Frank
Mrs. Mary Froelich
J.H. Froelich
Charles Hayworth
Grimsley Hobbs
Howard Holderness
Mrs. Howard Holderness
Mrs. John Kellenberger
Mayor Jim Melvin
Mrs. Susan Melvin
Charles W. Phillips
Earl N. Phillips
Congressman Richardson Preyer
Royce Reynolds
J.S. Schenck
Jack Slane
McNeil Smith

RECEPTION FOR NORTH CAROLINA PFC DISTRICT CHAIRMEN

West Dining Room
Sigmund Sternberger Auditorium
Guilford College
Greensboro, North Carolina
March 13, 1976

A list of guests attending the reception was not available for inclusion in the President's diary. The reception guest list was handled by Gene Anderson, Assistant to Governor Holshouser. Mr. Anderson indicated that a final guest list was not retained for a permanent record.

APPENDIX "H"

Attendance not confirmed.

QUESTION AND ANSWER SESSION AT WEST WILKES HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

West Wilkes High Schools Auditorium
Wilkes County, North Carolina
March 13, 1976

Platform Guests :

John Garwood, Republican County Chairman for Wilkes County,
North Carolina

Howard H. Calloway, Chairman of the President Ford Committee

Student Body President of West Wilkes High School

E.H. "Hal" Green, Principal of West Wilkes High School

Mrs. James E. Holshouser

Bill Anderson, Sheriff of Wilkes County and PFC Chairman for Wilkes County,
North Carolina

James E. Holshouser, Governor (R-North Carolina)

The President

Mrs. Bill Anderson

John Cashion, Master of Ceremonies

Mrs. E.H. "Hal" Green

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10.	Mr. Peter Kaye , Press Secretary for the President Ford Committee	
11.	Mr. Larry Eastland, Staff Assistant, Advance Office	
12.	Mr. Frank Ursomarso, Staff Assistant, Advance Office	
13.	Mr. Tim Austin, Deputy to Counsellor Rogers C. B. Morton	
14.	Mrs. Nell Yates , Staff Assistant	
15.	Miss Peggy Venners, Secretary, Advance Office	
16.	MSG Herbert Oldenburg , Baggage handler	
17.	MSC Arturo Bautista, valet	
18.	SGT Patricia A. Jones, stenographer	
19.	Mr. R. Keiser	
20.	Mr. R. Pontius	
21.	Mr. W. Welch	
22.	Mr. C. Maddox	
23.	Mr. R. Hoch	USSS
24.	Mr. J. Delamore	
25.	Mr. J. Christensen	
26.	Mr. K. Fisher	
27.	Mr. S. Zimney	
28.	Mr. Don McLeod	AP
29.	Ms. Helen Thomas	UPI
30.	Mr. Charles Harrity	AP Photo
31.	Mr. Tim Murphy	UPI Photo
32.	Mr. Larry O'Rourke	Philadelphia Bulletin
33.	Mr. Dean Fischer	Time
34.	Mr. Frank Tomlinson	ABC
35.	Mr. Al Bargamin	CBS
36.	Mr. Gene Gerlach	CBS
37.	Mr. Tom Novak	CBS
38.	Mr. Edward Terrill, Convention States Coordinator, PFC	

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