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Accommodations -5-



Copy for Mrs. Ford

THE CHIEF OF PROTOCOL
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
WASHINGTON

July 14, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT AND MRS. FORD

Subject: Official Gift during the Visit of His Excellency the Chancellor of the Federal Republic of Germany and Mrs. Schmidt, July 15, 1976.

At this time, we have learned that the Chancellor of the Federal Republic of Germany and Mrs. Schmidt will be bringing photographs for you and Mrs. Ford.

I would like to suggest that you reciprocate with an inscribed photograph of the arrival ceremony in a blue leather frame with the Presidential Seal, as in December of 1974, you had presented to them an inscribed photograph of the arrival ceremony in a silver frame.

The following is a suggested inscription:

To His Excellency

The Chancellor of the Federal Republic of Germany
and Mrs. Schmidt

With our best wishes,

Gerald R. Ford
July 15, 1976

Betty Ford

Stuart W. Rockwell
Stuart W. Rockwell
Acting



DEPARTMENT OF STATE
WASHINGTON, D. C.
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF PROTOCOL

THE OFFICIAL VISIT TO THE UNITED STATES OF
HIS EXCELLENCY HELMUT SCHMIDT
THE CHANCELLOR OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY
AND MRS. SCHMIDT

PRONUNCIATION, FORM OF ADDRESS AND PLACE CARD INFORMATION

HIS EXCELLENCY HELMUT SCHMIDT

Chancellor of the Federal Republic of Germany

Pronunciation: shmit
Form of Address: Your Excellency, Mr. Chancellor, Sir
Place Card: The Chancellor of the Federal Republic of Germany

MRS. SCHMIDT

Wife of The Chancellor

Pronunciation: shmit
Form of Address: Mrs. Schmidt
Place Card: Mrs. Schmidt

HIS EXCELLENCY HANS DIETRICH GENSCHER

Federal Minister of Foreign Affairs

Pronunciation: GHEN-sheer
Form of Address: Excellency - Mr. Minister
Place Card: The Minister of Foreign Affairs

HIS EXCELLENCY BERNDT VON STADEN

Ambassador of the Federal Republic of Germany to the United States

Pronunciation: fun-SHTAH-den
Form of Address: Your Excellency, Mr. Ambassador
Place Card: The Ambassador of the Federal Republic of Germany to
the United States

MRS. VON STADEN

Wife of Ambassador of the Federal Republic of Germany

Pronunciation: fun-SHTAH-den
Form of Address: Mrs. von Staden
Place Card: Mrs. von Staden

MR. KLAUS BOELLING

State Secretary

Head of the Press and Information Office of the Federal Government

Pronunciation: BOHL-ing
Form of Address: Mr. Boelling
Place Card: Mr. Boelling



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Parliamentary State Secretary

Pronunciation: shly
Form of Address: Mrs. Schlei
Place Card: Mrs. Schlei

DR. PETER HERMES
State Secretary of the Federal Foreign Office

Pronunciation: HAIR-mess
Form of Address: Dr. Hermes
Place Card: Dr. Hermes

VICE ADMIRAL GUENTER LUTHER

Chief of the German Naval Staff

Pronunciation: LOO-ter
Form of Address: Admiral Luther
Place Card: Vice Admiral Luther

THE HONORABLE DR. h.c. ALEX MOELLER

Former Federal Minister for Finance Coordinator for the
participation of the Federal Government in the United States
Bicentennial

Pronunciation: MOH-ler
Form of Address: Dr. Moeller
Place Card: Dr. Moeller

HIS EXCELLENCY HEINZ L. KREKELER

Ambassador

Special Representative of the Federal Government for the
Private and Non-Federal Participation in the American
Bicentennial

Pronunciation: KRAY-kehlér
Form of Address: Excellency
Place Card: H.E. Heinz L. Krekeler

DR. KLAUS DIETER LEISTER

Deputy Assistant Secretary of State
Head of the Office of the Federal Chancellor
Federal Chancellery

Pronunciation: LYE-ster
Form of Address: Dr. Leister
Place Card: Dr. Leister

MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION

CORRESPONDENCE
SALUTATION:

Dear Mr. Chancellor:

CORRESPONDENCE
COMPLIMENTARY CLOSE:

Very truly yours,

ENVELOPE ADDRESS:

His Excellency
Helmut Schmidt
Chancellor of the Federal Republic of Germany
Bonn

His Excellency
The Chancellor of the Federal Republic of Germany
and Mrs. Schmidt
Bonn

IN HONOR OF LINES
ON INVITATIONS:

In Honor of His Excellency Helmut Schmidt
Chancellor of the Federal Republic of Germany

In Honor of His Excellency the Chancellor of the
Federal Republic of Germany and Mrs. Schmidt



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Mrs. Rockwell

The Honorable Martin J. Hillenbrand
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Protocol Secretary

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Official Photographer

Miss Mary Masserini
Protocol Press Officer

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

July 15, 1976

FOR: MRS. FORD

FROM: MARIA DOWNS

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Attached for your review and approval is the proposed seating plan for the Head Table.

Thank you.



HEAD TABLE

The Secretary of State

H. E. Hans Dietrich Genscher
Federal Minister of Foreign Affairs

MRS. FORD

H. E. The Chancellor of the Fed. Rep.
of Germany

THE PRESIDENT

Mrs. Schmidt

The Vice President

Mrs. Kissinger



TABLE 4

Miss Susan Ford
Amb. Martin J. Hillenbrand
American Ambassador to Germany
Mrs. David Brown
Helen Gurley Brown, Editor, Cosmopolitan Magazine
Mr. Sonny Jurgensen
Former Redskins player; now sportscaster on WTOP
Mrs. Lawrence S. Eagleburger
Wife of the Dep. Under Secy. of State for Management
Mr. Clovis Ruffin
Fashion designer from New York
Mrs. Jay G. Hayden
Kensington, Maryland (German descent)
Capt. Hans von Stackelberg
Captain of the Tall Ship "Gorch Fock"
Miss Kim Nardi
Mr. Peter Gennaro
Choreographer ("West Side Story", "Unsinkable Molly Brown",
"Fiorello!" and many more)



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

RECEPTION ONBOARD "GORCH FOCK"

FRIDAY - JULY 16, 1976

Departure: 6:25 P.M.

Attire: Business Suit

From: Terry O'Donnell *TO*

BACKGROUND

You and Mrs. Ford will depart the South Grounds at 6:25 p.m. to attend a reception hosted by Chancellor and Mrs. Helmut Schmidt onboard the German Sailing Training Vessel "Gorch Fock" anchored in Baltimore's Inner Harbor. The Gorch Fock has been docked there since July 10 and will depart Baltimore on July 17. (Background information on "Gorch Fock" enclosed.)

Mayor William D. Schaefer will greet you at the Helicopter Landing pad and escort you on foot to the Baltimore Clipper Ship construction site where Chancellor and Mrs. Schmidt will meet you. The City of Baltimore has retained twelve maritime craftsmen from various parts of the world to build a replica of the pre-Revolutionary "Baltimore Clipper" Ship -- a ship that was manufactured in Baltimore and was known for its lightness, fast speed and streamlined form. It will contain only the materials available in pre-Revolutionary days and will be an accurate historic replica in every way possible. Because of their speed, Clippers were used during 1775 and 1815 to dodge British cruisers which blockaded the coast or patrolled the seas during the American Revolution, the War of 1812, and the hectic intervening years of neutral trading.

The "Gorch Fock" crew will man the yardarms for your arrival and you will be hailed with three rounds of cheers from the crew. Before mingling with the guests (List attached at TAB A), you will be taken on a tour of the ship, sign the guest book, and receive a macrame entwined plaque with the ship's crest. After this informal presentation, you will mingle with the guests until 7:50 p.m. at which time you will deliver brief remarks to the ship's guests.



At 8:10 p.m., you and Mrs. Ford leave the "Gorch Fock" en route the return helicopter flight to Washington -- arriving on the South Grounds at 8:40 p.m.

SEQUENCE

6:25 p.m.

You and Mrs. Ford board helicopter on South Lawn and depart en route Baltimore, Maryland.

(Flying Time: 20 minutes)

PRESIDENTIAL GUESTS

6:45 p.m.

Secretary and Mrs. Henry A. Kissinger
Senator J. Glenn Beal (R-Md.)
Melvin R. Laird
Helicopter arrives Helicopter Landing Zone, Baltimore.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE
CLOSED ARRIVAL

6:50 p.m.

You and Mrs. Ford will be met by:
Mayor William D. Schaefer (D-Md.)

Escorted by Mayor Schaefer, proceed on foot en route "The Pride of Baltimore" Clipper Ship.

6:55 p.m.

You and Mrs. Ford arrive "The Pride of Baltimore" Clipper Ship to view construction progress.

PRESS POOL COVERAGE

You and Mrs. Ford will be met by
Chancellor and Mrs. Helmut Schmidt.



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7:05 p.m.

You and Mrs. Ford, escorted by Chancellor and Mrs. Schmidt, depart "The Pride of Baltimore" Clipper Ship and proceed on foot en route the "Gorch Fock".

NOTE: The Mayor will proceed independently to the "Gorch Fock" to attend Reception.

NOTE: As you and Mrs. Ford approach the "Gorch Fock" stern the crew on the yardarms will be called to attention and they will voice three "hurrahs" for you.

7:10 p.m.

You and Mrs. Ford, escorted by Chancellor and Mrs. Schmidt, arrive "Gorch Fock" gangplank.

LIVE LOCAL TELEVISION

7:11 p.m.

You and Mrs. Ford, escorted by Chancellor and Mrs. Schmidt, board "Gorch Fock." Proceed to Mid-Deck level where you will be met by Hans von Stackelberg, "Gorch Fock" Captain.

7:15 p.m.

You, Mrs. Ford, Chancellor and Mrs. Schmidt, escorted by Capt. Stackelberg, proceed to Captain's Quarters to sign guest book.

NOTE: You will receive a Ship's Crest from Capt. Stackelberg.

7:25 p.m.

You, Mrs. Ford, Chancellor and Mrs. Schmidt, escorted by Capt. Stackelberg, proceed upstairs to Quarterdeck and informally greet reception guests.

PRESS POOL COVERAGE
ATTENDANCE: 200



4.

7:40 p.m.

You, Mrs. Ford, Chancellor and Mrs. Schmidt proceed to Mid-Deck microphone and remain standing.

7:41 p.m.

Chancellor Schmidt will offer remarks concluding with the introduction of the President.

7:50 p.m.

PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS.

PRESS POOL COVERAGE

8:00 p.m.

Remarks conclude.

8:10 p.m.

You and Mrs. Ford, accompanied by Chancellor and Mrs. Schmidt, thank guests and depart "Gorch Fock" en route motorcade for boarding.

8:15 p.m.

You and Mrs. Ford bid farewell to Chancellor and Mrs. Schmidt, board motorcade and depart en route Helicopter Landing pad.

8:18 p.m.

Arrive Helicopter Landing Zone.

OPEN PRESS COVERAGE
CLOSED DEPARTURE

8:20 p.m.

You and Mrs. Ford board helicopter and depart en route South Lawn.

PRESIDENTIAL GUESTS

Secretary and Mrs. Kissinger
Senator Beal
Melvin R. Larid
Arrive South Lawn.

8:40 p.m.

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July 16 Reception Aboard the Gorch Fock

Jack Ford

Son of President and Mrs. Ford

Susan Ford

Daughter of President and Mrs. Ford

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Buchen

Counsel to the President

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Nessen

Press Secretary to the President

Mr. and Mrs. Max Friedersdorf

Assistant to President for Legislative Affairs

Mrs. Jeanne W. Davis and Escort

Staff Secretary, National Security Council

Mrs. Maria Downs and Mr. Downs

Social Secretary to Mrs. Ford

Miss Susan Porter and Escort

Appointments Secretary to Mrs. Ford



Reception hosted by the
Chancellor of the Federal Republic of Germany
aboard the bark "G o r c h F o c k"
on Friday, July 16, 1976 at 6 p.m.
at Baltimore, Inner Harbor - West Shore

Invitation :

The President

The Vice President

The Speaker of the House of Representatives

The Chief Justice

Kissinger, Henry A.
Secretary of State

Simon, William E.
Secretary of the Treasury

Rumsfeld, Donald
Secretary of Defense

Richardson, Elliot Lee
Secretary of Commerce

H.E. Dr. Guillermo Sevilla-Sacasa
Ambassador of Nicaragua
Dean of the Diplomatic Corps

The Ambassadors of member states of the European Communities and
the Head of the Delegation of the EC:

H.E. Jacques Kosciusko-Morizet, France

H.E. John Gerald Molloy, Ireland

H.E. The Honorable Sir Peter Ramsbotham, Great Britain

H.E. Willy Van Cauwenberg, Belgium

H.E. Age R. Tammenoms Bakker, Netherlands

H.E. Adrien F.J. Meisch, Luxembourg

H.E. Roberto Gaja, Italy

H.E. Otto R. Borch, Denmark

H.E. Fernand Spaak, Head of the EC-Delegation



Senator Mike Mansfield, D-Montana
Senator Hugh Scott, R-Pennsylvania
Repr. Thomas O'Neill, D-Massachusetts
Repr. John Rhodes, R-Arizona
Senator John Sparkman, D-Alabama
Repr. Thomas Morgan, D-Pennsylvania
Senator Charles McC. Mathias, R-Md
Senator J. Glenn Beall R-Md
Repr. Paul S. Sarbanes D-Md (Baltimore)
Senator Robert P. Griffin R-Michigan
Senator Hubert H. Humphrey D-Minnesota
Senator Jacob K. Javits R-New York
Senator Edward M. Kennedy D-Massachusetts
Senator Russell B. Long D-Louisiana
Senator Sam Nunn D-Georgia
Senator John G. Tower R-Texas
Repr. Henry S. Reuss D-Wisconsin
Senator John H. Glenn D-Ohio
Senator Abraham A. Ribicoff D-Connecticut
Senator Robert Byrd D-West-Virginia

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Dent, Frederick B.
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Executive Office of the President

Ellsworth, Robert
Deputy Secretary of Defense

Greenspan, Alan
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Hartman, Arthur A.
Assistant Secretary for European Affairs, Dept. of State

Iklé, Dr. Fred C.
Director, US Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, State Department

Robinson, Charles W.
Deputy Secretary, State Department



Scowcroft, Brig. Ge. Brent
Deputy Assistant to the President

Seidman, L. William
Assistant to the President for Economic Affairs and
Executive Director

Sonnenfeldt, Helmut
Counselor, State Department

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Director, Office of Central European Affairs, State Department

Codus, William
Assistant Chief of Protocol for visits

Vine, Richard D.
Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of European Affairs, State Department

Brown, Walter
Vorsitzender d. Vorst. d. Dt.-Amer. Handelskammer,
Teilhaber der Investitionsbank Brown, Brothers Harriman, N.Y.

Eberle, William D.
President, Motorvehicles Manufacturer Association

Kenna, Douglas
President, National Association Manufacturers

Leshner, Richard L.
President, US Chamber of Commerce

McNamara, Robert S.
Präsident der Weltbank

Rockefeller, David
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Chairman, Morgan Guaranty Trust Company. N.Y.



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Chairman
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Foy, Lewis W.
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Kirby, Robert E.
Chairman, Westinghouse Electric Corp.
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President, Texaco Inc.

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Woodcock, Leonard
President, United Automobile Workers

Wurf, Jerry
President, State, Country & Municipal Employees (AFL-CIO)

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Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff

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Kidd, Admiral Isaac C., Jr.
Commander in Chief, Atlantic and US Atlantic Fleet



General Davison

Link, Brig.General Hans
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Smith, Howard K.
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Washington Star

Charlton, Linda
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Hilowicz, Joseph
Baltimore Sun

Radcliff, Donnie
Washington Post

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WAZ und Kölner Stadtanzeiger

de Thier, Günther
Rheinische Post, (Weserkurier u.a.)

Borch, Dr. Herbert von
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Leissler, Kurt
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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

DINNER IN HONOR OF
HIS EXCELLENCY
THE CHANCELLOR OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY
AND MRS. SCHMIDT

July 15, 1976
8:00 p. m.

Dress: Black tie ... long dresses for the ladies

Arrival:

- 8:00 p. m. ... at North Portico Entrance ... Chancellor and Mrs. Schmidt, Ambassador and Mrs. Rockwell.
- You and Mrs. Ford will greet.
- Photo coverage of greeting.

Yellow Oval Room:

- Vice President Rockefeller; Secretary and Mrs. Kissinger; Foreign Minister Hans-Dietrich Genscher; American Ambassador and Mrs. Martin J. Hillenbrand; and Foreign Ambassador and Mrs. Berndt von Staden will assemble just prior to the 8:00 p. m. arrival of Chancellor and Mrs. Schmidt and Ambassador and Mrs. Rockwell.
- Color Guard will request permission to remove Colors at approximately 8:10 p. m. ... all guests except Chancellor and Mrs. Schmidt will depart at this time.

Grand Entrance:

- Approximately 8:12 p. m. ... descend Grand Staircase preceded by Color Guard.



- Pause at foot of staircase for official photograph (Chancellor Schmidt to your right ... Mrs. Schmidt to your left ... then Mrs. Ford).
- Color Guard reforms and procession moves to red carpet facing East Room ... pause for Ruffles and Flourishes and announcement ... take receiving line positions (Chancellor Schmidt to your right ... then Mrs. Ford ... then Mrs. Schmidt).
- Follow Color Guard into East Room when "Hail to the Chief" is played.

Receiving Line:

- Take position just inside door of East Room ... Ambassador Rockwell will present your guests.
- After receiving line, proceed to the Grand Hall to the elevator ... walk through the Ground Floor Hall and through the Diplomatic Reception Room ... follow guests into the Rose Garden.

Dinner:

- Rectangular head table ... round tables
- No press coverage of dinner ... toasts will be piped to the press ... transcripts will be released to the press -- there will be press photo pool coverage and television coverage.

After-Dinner:

- 10:00 p.m. ... guests proceed from the Rose Garden through the driveway and up the steps to the South Portico Balcony to the parlors for demitasse, liqueurs, and cigars. You and Mrs. Ford will escort Chancellor and Mrs. Schmidt up the steps to the South Portico Balcony and into the Red Room where you will visit informally with your guests.



- 10:05 p. m. ... after-dinner guests will be escorted to the State Floor. You, Mrs. Ford, Chancellor and Mrs. Schmidt (Chancellor Schmidt to your right ... then Mrs. Ford ... then Mrs. Schmidt) will receive the after-dinner guests from a position in the Grand Hall between the Blue Room and Green Room doors -- a Military Social Aide will present your guests -- guests will proceed to the East Room and take their seats.

Entertainment:

- After the guests are seated, you will enter the East Room through the center door and seat Mrs. Ford, Chancellor and Mrs. Schmidt.
- You proceed to the stage which will be located along the center of the east wall of the East Room and introduce Phyllis Curtin.

NOTE: Suggested remarks (Tab A).

- At the conclusion of the performance, you and Mrs. Ford will escort Chancellor and Mrs. Schmidt to the stage to thank Phyllis Curtin.

NOTE: There will be press coverage of the entertainment, including television coverage of your introduction, first and last portions of the program, and of your thanking Phyllis Curtin. Also, there will be photo coverage.

- After you have thanked Phyllis Curtin, you and Mrs. Ford will escort Chancellor and Mrs. Schmidt to the State Dining Room for dancing.

Departure:

- You, Mrs. Ford, Ambassador and Mrs. Rockwell escort Chancellor and Mrs. Schmidt to the North Portico.
- You and Mrs. Ford may wish to return for dancing or return to the Family Quarters.
- There will be champagne, mixed drinks and dancing for the guests who remain.



NOTES:

- The dinner and after-dinner guest lists are attached (Tab B).
- A suggested toast is attached (Tab C).
- Military Social Aides will be present.
- White House photographer will be present.
- Army String Ensemble will be playing in the East Wing Garden Room as your dinner and after-dinner guests arrive.
- Marine Harpist will be playing in the Ground Floor Hall area as your dinner guests arrive.
- Marine String Ensemble, Woodwind Quintet and Harpist will be playing in the west end of the Rose Garden during dinner.
- Army Chorus will sing during dessert.
- Marine String Ensemble will be playing in the Grand Hall while your dinner guests are being served demitasse, liqueurs and cigars and during the time you are receiving your after-dinner guests.
- Marine Dance Combo will be playing in the State Dining Room.

Maria Downs



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

ARRIVAL CEREMONY FOR

HIS EXCELLENCY HELMUT SCHMIDT

THE CHANCELLOR OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY

AND MRS. SCHMIDT

THURSDAY - JULY 15, 1976

From: Terry O'Donnell

TOD

SEQUENCE

10:28 a.m.

You depart Oval Office and proceed to Diplomatic Reception Room where Mrs. Ford will join you.

Following announcement and "Ruffles and Flourishes", you and Mrs. Ford proceed out the Diplomatic Reception Room entrance, cross the driveway, and take your positions facing the entrance to the Diplomatic Reception Room.

10:31 a.m.

Chancellor and Mrs. Schmidt arrive and are introduced to you by the Acting Chief of Protocol, the Honorable Stuart W. Rockwell. You in turn introduce them to Secretary and Mrs. Kissinger and General and Mrs. George Brown.

You and the Chancellor move to the platform and stand facing the troops with the Chancellor on your right. Mrs. Ford and Mrs. Schmidt move to right of platform.



2.

10:33 a.m.

National Anthems and 19-gun salute.

- Inspection of troops - you and Chancellor Schmidt guided by Commander of troops. Chancellor Schmidt should be on the left closest to the troops. The Troop Commander is in the middle.

- NOTE: Your cue for escorting the Chancellor down to the Commander of Troops to inspect the troops will be the Commander's report, "Sir, the Honor Guard is formed."

Inspection begins at the right front of the band and proceeds along the front rank of troops. You render a salute when passing in front of the Colors.

At the left flank of the troops, the Inspection Party turns and proceeds toward the platform.

You escort the Chancellor onto the platform and take your original positions facing the troops for the Marine Drum and Bugle Corps "pass in review."

10:40 a.m.

After the Commander of Troops reports, "Sir, this concludes the Honors", you usher Chancellor Schmidt to stand adjacent to you at the podium while you deliver welcoming remarks.

FULL PRESS COVERAGE

Chancellor Schmidt will respond. (His remarks will be in English.)



3.

10:50 a.m.

You usher your guest back to the original platform position facing the troops to await the Command, "Sir, this concludes the ceremony."

12:52 a.m.

You and your guest depart the platform, join Mrs. Ford, and Mrs. Schmidt.

You lead the way up the right outside staircase to the portico, escorting Mrs. Schmidt. Chancellor Schmidt will escort Mrs. Ford and follow behind.

10:54 a.m.

You will pause at the center of the South Portico balcony for a photograph. The order is as follows:

Chancellor Schmidt to your right
Mrs. Schmidt to your left --
Then Mrs. Ford.

You enter the Blue Room where you will be joined by Secretary and Mrs. Kissinger and General and Mrs. Brown. Members of the Official Party (list at TAB A) and the Welcoming Committee are escorted into the Blue Room and are presented to the receiving line.

11:00 a.m.

You escort Chancellor Schmidt to the Oval Office for a meeting.



MEMBERS OF THE OFFICIAL GERMAN PARTY

His Excellency Helmut Schmidt
Chancellor of the Federal Republic of Germany

Mrs. Schmidt

His Excellency Hans Dietrich Genscher
Federal Minister of Foreign Affairs

His Excellency Berndt von Staden
Ambassador of the Federal Republic
of Germany to the United States

Mrs. von Staden

Mr. Klaus Boelling
State Secretary
Head of the Press and Information
Office of the Federal Government

Mrs. Marie Schlei
Parliamentary State Secretary,
Federal Chancellery

Dr. Peter Hermes
State Secretary of the Federal Foreign Office

Vice Admiral Guenter Luther
Chief of the German Naval Staff

Professor Dr. h.c. Alex Moeller
Special Representative of the Federal
Chancellor for the Federal Government's
participation in the American Bicentennial

Ambassador Heinz L. Krekeler
Special Representative of the Federal
Government for the Private and Non-
Federal Participation in the American
Bicentennial



Dr. Klaus-Dieter Leister

Deputy Assistant Secretary,
Head of the Office of the Federal
Chancellor, Federal Chancellery

Dr. Kurt A. Koerber

Industrialist

Mr. Eugen Loderer

Chairman, German Metal Workers Union
(IG Metall)

Professor Dr. Reimar Luest

President

Max-Planck Society for the Advancement
of Science

Dr. Hanns Martin Schleyer

President, Confederation of Germany
Employers' Associations

Professor Dr. Kurt Sontheimer

Professor of Political Science

Mr. Heinz-Oskar Vetter

Chairman, German Trade Union Federation
(DGB)

Dr. Dieter Hiss

Assistant Secretary for Economic
Affairs, Federal Chancellery

Ambassador Franz Joachim Schoeller

Chief of Protocol

Dr. Juergen Ruhfus

Deputy Assistant Secretary
Head of the Office of Foreign Affairs,
Federal Chancellery



THE WHITE HOUSE
Office of the Press Secretary to Mrs. Ford

The President and Mrs. Ford will host a black-tie dinner in honor of His Excellency the Chancellor of the Federal Republic of Germany and Mrs. Schmidt Thursday, July 15.

The dinner will be held in the Rose Garden under a white canopy. Wood-carved American birds will be featured in the table decorations. The carvings, made from basswood of the linden tree, include an elf owl on a saguaro cactus, a Carolina parakeet surrounded by blossoming dogwood, a pair of ground dove with apple blossoms and a male green wing teal drake with morning glory. These carvings will be accented with flowers of complimentary colors. The garden birds will be coordinated with garden flowers, and the field birds with cactus or greenery.

The rectangular head table at the north end of the garden and the 16 round tables will be covered with a Scalamandre print of Summer Flora.

Tables will be set with the Johnson China, vermeil flatwear and Morgantown crystal.

Jack Drake, carver of the centerpieces and minister from Carlsbad, New Mexico, will coordinate the decorations. The carvings are on loan from the Baker Gallery of Fine Art in Lubbock, Texas, and one from the Smithsonian's Museum of Natural History.

Following dinner, Phyllis Curtin, leading soprano with the Metropolitan Opera and the Vienna State Opera, will entertain in the East Room of the White House. After the entertainment, music for dancing will be provided by the Marine Dance Orchestra in the State Dining Room.

The menu: Supreme of Sole Veronique, Filet of Beef with Bearnaise Sauce, Dauphine Potatoes, Cauliflower Polonaise, Garden Salad, Tilsit Cheese, Strawberry Vacherin with Raspberry Sauce and Demitasse.

The wines: B V Beaufort Pinot Chardonnay; Louis Martini Cabernet Sauvignon; Beaulieu Champagne de Chardonnay.

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FACT SHEET
Mrs. Ford's Office

Event STATE DINNER
 Group In Honor of Chancellor Schmidt of Germany
 DATE/TIME 7/15/76 8:00 p. m.
 Contact Pat Howard Phone 2927
 Number of guests: Total 175 Dinner Women x Men x Children --
 Place Rose Garden and State Floor
 Principals involved President and Mrs. Ford
 Participation by Principal yes (Receiving line) yes
 Remarks required yes
 Background --

REQUIREMENTS

Social: Guest list yes (Social Entertainments Office will distribute list.)
 Invitations yes Programs yes Menus yes
 Refreshments State Dinner Format
 Entertainment yes
 Decorations/flowers yes
 Music yes
 Social Aides yes
 Dress Black Tie Coat check yes (Theatre)
 Other --

Press: Reporters yes
 Photographers yes
 TV Crews yes
 White House Photographers yes Color yes Mono. yes
 Other --

Technical Support: Microphones yes PA Other Rooms yes
 Recording yes
 Lights yes
 Transportation cars (Dinner enter thru SW Gate & A-Dinner enter thru South Entrance of E. Exec. Ave)
 Parking East Executive Avenue
 Housing --
 Other -- (Risers, stage, platforms) yes

Project Co-ordinator Pat Howard Phone 2927

Site diagrams should be attached if technical support is heavy.

Date Issued 7/12/76By P. Howard

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Mrs. Ford's Office

Event STATE DINNER
 Group In Honor of Chancellor Schmidt of Germany
 DATE/TIME 7/15/76 8:00 p. m.
 Contact Pat Howard Phone 2927
 Number of guests: Total ¹⁷⁵ 80-A-Dinner Women x Men x Children --
 Place Rose Garden and State Floor
 Principals involved President and Mrs. Ford
 Participation by Principal yes (Receiving line) yes
 Remarks required yes
 Background --

REQUIREMENTS

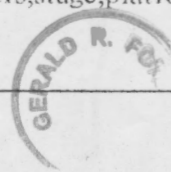
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Proposed guest list for the dinner to be given by the President and Mrs. Ford in honor of His Excellency The Chancellor of the Federal Republic of Germany and Mrs. Schmidt on Thursday, July 15, 1976 at eight o'clock, The White House. Black tie.

The President and Mrs. Ford

His Excellency The Chancellor of the Federal Republic of Germany
and Mrs. Schmidt

Official Delegation

H. E. The Ambassador of the Federal Republic of Germany
and Mrs. von Staden

Mr. Peter Hermes
State Secretary, Federal Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Mr. Klaus Boelling
State Secretary and Head of the Press and Information Office
of the Federal Government

Mrs. Marie Schlei
Parliamentary State Secretary, Federal Chancellery

Admiral Armin Zimmermann
General Inspector of the Federal Armed Forces

Mr. Alex Moeller
Special Representative of the Federal Chancellor for the
Federal Government's participation in the American Bicentennial

Mr. Carl Werner Sanne
Assistant Secretary for Foreign Affairs, Federal Chancellery

Mr. Dieter Hiss
Assistant Secretary for Economic Affairs, Federal Chancellery

Mr. Klaus Dieter Leister
Deputy Assistant Secretary, Head of the Office of the Federal
Chancellor, Federal Chancellery



Distinguished Foreign Visitors accompanying the Chancellor

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Mr. Eugen Loderer

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Mr. Kurt Sontheimer

Professor of Political Science

Mr. Kurt A. Koerber

Leading businessman

Mr. Karlheinz Stockhausen

Composer



Miss Susan Ford

The Vice President and Mrs. Rockefeller

The Secretary of State and Mrs. Kissinger

The Secretary of Commerce and Mrs. Richardson

Hon. and Mrs. James T. Lynn
Dir., Office of Management and Budget

Mr. Justice Blackmun and Mrs. Blackmun

General and Mrs. Louis H. Wilson, Jr., USMC
Commandant of the Marine Corps

Hon. and Mrs. Brent Scowcroft
Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs

Hon. and Mrs. Lawrence S. Eagleburger
Deputy Under Secretary of State

Hon. and Mrs. Stuart W. Rockwell
Deputy Chief of Protocol

Hon. and Mrs. Martin J. Hillenbrand
U. S. Ambassador to Germany

Hon. and Mrs. Helmut Sonnenfeldt
Counselor, Dept. of State

Hon. and Mrs. Arthur A. Hartman
Assistant Secretary of State for European Affairs

Hon. and Mrs. Michael Collins
Dir., Air and Space Museum, Smithsonian Institution
(Chancellor Schmidt will open the new Einstein Spacearium made possible by an \$830,000 Bicentennial contribution from Germany)

Mr. and Mrs. A. Denis Clift
Senior staff member, National Security Council



Congress - in priority order (from Max Friedersdorf)

Senator & Mrs. Robert Griffin (R-Michigan)

Rep. & Mrs. Robert Michel (R-Illinois)

Rep. & Mrs. Richard Schulze (R-Pennsylvania)

Rep. & Mrs. John Paul Hammerschmidt (R-Arkansas)

Rep. & Mrs. Melvin Price (D-Illinois)

Rep. & Mrs. Richard Bolling (D-Missouri)

Rep. & Mrs. Albert Quie (R-Minnesota)

Senator & Mrs. Charles Percy (R-Illinois)

Rep. & Mrs. John Erlenborn (R-Illinois)

Rep. & Mrs. Henry Reuss (D-Wisconsin)

Senator & Mrs. Charles Mathias (R-Maryland)

Rep. & Mrs. Elford Cederberg (R-Michigan)

Senator & Mrs. John Stennis (D-Mississippi)

Senator & Mrs. John Sparkman (D-Alabama)



White House

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Speakes
Assistant Press Secretary to the President

Mr. and Mrs. Max Friedersdorf (Friedersdorf)
Assistant to the President for Legislative Affairs

Mr. and Mrs. Philip W. Buchen
Counsel to the President
(strongly desires to come to the Queen's dinner)

Dr. and Mrs. Theodore Marrs
Special Assistant to the President
(will be leaving soon)

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Farrell
Dir., White House Visitors Office
(has never been to a dinner)



Press

Mr. and Mrs. John Kluge (Nessen)
President and Chairman of the Board, Metromedia

Mr. and Mrs. James Naughton (Nessen)
New York Times

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kingsbury-Smith (Nessen)
Hearst Publications

Academic

Dr. and Mrs. Alvin I. Thomas (Calhoun)
President, Prairie View A & M University

Professor and Mrs. George Romoser (Goldwin)
Dept. of Political Science, University of New Hampshire
Chmn., Conference Group on German Politics

Hon. Marina von Neumann Whitman and Dr. Robert F. Whitman (State)
Dept. of Economics, University of Pittsburgh
(prominent economist and former Mbr., Council of
Economic Advisers)



Arts/Celebrities/Sports

Mr. and Mrs. Max Elbin (President)
Golf pro at Burning Tree

Mr. and Mrs. Deane Beman (President)
Professional Golf Association, Bethesda, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Owens (State)
Won 4-5 Olympic gold medals in track at Berlin, 1936

Miss Marlene Dietrich (State)
German-born actress/singer

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Young (Mrs. Ford)

Mr. Merv Griffin

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Tinker (Mary Tyler Moore) (Mrs. Ford)

Ms. Rona Barrett (Mrs. Ford)
Hollywood columnist

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Borgnine

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ormandy
Musical Director, Philadelphia Orchestra

Mr. and Mrs. Yogi Berra
Coach, New York Yankees Baseball Team

Mr. Johnnie Rutherford
Auto racer - winner of Indianapolis 500

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Erving (known as "Dr. J.") (Nicholson)
Captain, New York Mets (winner, National American
Basketball Assn. championship)...very popular in young
black community

Mr. and Mrs. Larry King
Mrs.--Billie Jean King, tennis pro

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brokaw
Will be going on the "Today" show for NBC

Mrs. Peter Hurd (Henrietta Wyeth)
Sister of Andrew Wyeth and famous painter in her own right

Mr. Clovis Ruffin (Mrs. Ford)
Designer



Business

Mr. and Mrs. L. Edward Smart Vice Chmn., TWA	(President)
Hon. and Mrs. George P. Shultz Pres., Bechtel Corporation	(Scowcroft)
Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Scheerschmidt Manager, Government Marketing, Xerox Corporation	(Hartmann)
Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Weyerhauser Dir., Weyerhauser Company; German origin; donors to White House Fine Arts Collection	(State)
Mr. and Mrs. Sanford N. McDonnell President, McDonnell Douglas Corporation; supplies FRG Air Force with F-4s	(State)
Dr. and Mrs. Werner von Braun Exec. Vice President, Fairchild Industries	(State)
Mr. and Mrs. Patrick E. Haggerty Chmn., Texas Instruments, Inc.; produces electronic components in FRG; largest semi-conductor producer in Europe	(State)
Mr. and Mrs. William A. Hewitt Chmn., Deer and Company; producer of farm machinery in Germany	(State)
Mr. and Mrs. Kemmons Wilson Chmn., Holiday Inns, Inc.; major hotel chain in Germany	(State)
Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Anderson Chmn., NCR Corporation; investments in major office equipment production in Germany	(State)
Mr. and Mrs. Willard F. Rockwell, Jr. Chmn., Rockwell International Corporation; extensive military/commercial sales to FRG	(State)
Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Haas, Jr. Chmn., Levi Strauss and Company; major sales of clothing in FRG; both founder and present Chairman are of German origin	(State)



Business, continued - 2

Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Lyet (Baroody)
Chmn. and Chief Executive Officer, Sperry Rand Corp.
(has major business interests in Germany)

Mr. and Mrs. Herman J. Schmidt (Baroody)
Vice Chmn., Mobil Oil Corporation

Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Bluhdorn
Chairman, Gulf and Western Industries, Inc.

Mr. and Mrs. F Perry Wilson (Catto/Beale)
Chmn., Union Carbide

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd W. Lewis (Timmons)
President, Middle South Services, Inc., New Orleans

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Massey (Cannon--at req of
Chmn., Hospital Corporation of America, Nashville Gov. Rhodes)

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Shepley
Pres. and Chief Executive Officer, Time, Inc.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Murphy
President, Miller Brewing Company, Milwaukee



Others

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Masiello Keene, New Hampshire	(President)
Mrs. Jay G. Hayden (Ruth) Kensington, Maryland	(Mrs. Ford)
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Theodore Haberland Upperville, Virginia	(Mrs. Ford)
Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Read President, The German Marshall Fund of the U. S.	(Goldwin/State)
Mrs. Sara Blagburn (and husband) President, Cable Car Republican Assembly, San Francisco	(Calhoun)
Mr. and Mrs. Sylvan Marshall Partner, Marshall, Leon, Weill & Mahony	(Hartmann)
Mr. and Mrs. John R. Blandford Attorney, Arlington, Virginia	(Hartmann)
Mr. Jack Drake Centerpiece donor	
Mrs. Peggy Nardi Wayne, Illinois	(Susan Ford)
Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Landwehr Holland, Michigan	(President)
Mr. and Mrs. Peter Senn Campbellsport, Wisconsin	(President)
General Lucius Clay, USA, retired Former U. S. High Commissioner in Germany	(State)
Hon. and Mrs. Henry Cabot Lodge Former U. S. Ambassador to FRG	(State)
Mrs. Annie Dodge Wauneka (and husband) Member, National Commission on the Observance of International Women's Year of 1976	(Baroody)



Others, continued - 2

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hervey El Paso, Texas	(Crow)
Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Muss Dallas, Texas	(Crow)
Mr. and Mrs. Kent Rhodes Acting President, Reader's Digest Association	(Mrs. Ford)
Ms. Ellen Wadley CBS; new President of the Washington Press Club	
Mr. and Mrs. David Brown (Helen Gurley Brown) Mrs--Editor of Cosmopolitan; Mr--motion picture producer	



For Immediate Release
Wednesday, July 14, 1976

THE WHITE HOUSE
OFFICE OF THE PRESS SECRETARY TO MRS. FORD

The President and Mrs. Ford have invited opera soprano Phyllis Curtin to entertain Thursday, July 15, at the State Dinner honoring His Excellency, The Chancellor of the Federal Republic of Germany and Mrs. Schmidt.

This will be Phyllis Curtin's first appearance at the White House. She has performed in North and South America as well as in Europe and is currently heard in the operatic recital and orchestral repertoire throughout the United States. She is known for her roles in both classic and contemporary opera.

In the 1950's, Miss Curtin won international acclaim for her performance of the title role in Strauss' "Salome" with the New York City Opera. She subsequently debuted at the Vienna State Opera and at Milan's La Scala. In 1961, she appeared with the Metropolitan Opera in Mozart's "Cosi Fan Tutte." Other performances include: Mozart's "Don Giovanni;" Puccini's "Madama Butterfly;" and Carlisle Floyd's "Susannah" and "Wuthering Heights."

Miss Curtin has also appeared in the major music festivals in the country, including: Tanglewood Music Festival with the Boston Symphony Orchestra and the Blossom festival with the Cleveland Orchestra.

She has a great interest in American contemporary composers, and records their music for RCA, Columbia and Desto. She also teaches graduate courses to voice students at Yale University.

Phyllis Curtin was born in Clarksburg, West Virginia and now lives in Hamden, Connecticut. She is married to Eugene Cook and they have a teenage daughter, Claudia.

Miss Curtin is a political science graduate of Wellesley College and has studied voice privately throughout the East Coast.

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