Following the President's acceptance speech for the Republican Presidential nomination, the President and the First Lady went to their suite in the Crown Center Hotel, 1 Pershing Road, Kansas City, Missouri.

The President and the First Lady hosted a private party. For a list of attendees, see APPENDIX "A."

The President talked with Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger.

The President went to his motorcade.

The President motored from the Crown Center Hotel to the Raddison Muehlebach Hotel, Baltimore Wyandotte and 12th Street.

The President went to the Grand Ballroom.

The President attended a breakfast hosted by the Republican National Committee.

The President was introduced by Ray C. Bliss, Vice Chairman of the Republican National Committee.

The President addressed approximately 150 guests attending the breakfast.

The President returned to his motorcade.

The President motored from the Raddison Muehlebach Hotel to the Crown Center Hotel.

The President went to the Shawnee Room.

The President greeted approximately 300 members of the President Ford Committee (PFC) Youth Rally Squads.

The President returned to his suite.

The President talked with Under Secretary of Defense William P. Clements, Jr.

The President returned to his motorcade.
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<td>10:24</td>
<td>The President motored from the Crown Center Hotel to the Kansas City Municipal Airport.</td>
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<td>10:42</td>
<td>The President flew by the &quot;Spirit of '76&quot; from Kansas City Municipal Airport to Salina Airport, Salina, Kansas. For a list of passengers, see APPENDIX &quot;B.&quot;</td>
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<td>11:15</td>
<td>The President was greeted by Salina Airport Manager Paul Wall.</td>
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<td>11:25</td>
<td>The President flew by helicopter from Salina Airport to Russell Airport, Russell, Kansas. For a list of passengers, see APPENDIX &quot;C.&quot;</td>
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<td>11:57</td>
<td>The President was greeted by: Governor Robert F. Bennett (R-Kansas), Mrs. Robert F. Bennett, Senator James B. Pearson (R-Kansas), Mrs. James B. Pearson, Lt. Governor Shelby Smith (R-Kansas), Congressman Keith G. Sebelius (R-Kansas), Nancy Lane, acting Mayor of Russell, Kansas, Opal Ehrlich, Republican County Chairman for Russell County, Kansas</td>
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<td>12:01</td>
<td>The President returned to his motorcade. He was accompanied by: Senator Robert Dole (R-Kansas), Republican Vice Presidential nominee Mrs. Robert (Elizabeth Hanford) Dole, Commissioner, Federal Trade Commission Governor Bennett Senator Pearson Congressman Sebelius</td>
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<td>12:01</td>
<td>The Presidential party motored from the Russell Airport to the Russell County Courthouse.</td>
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<td>12:12</td>
<td>The Presidential party participated in a campaign rally and barbeque. Members of the press. The President was introduced by Senator Dole.</td>
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<td>12:34</td>
<td>The President addressed guests attending the rally.</td>
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12:42 1:06
The President attended a barbeque hosted by the citizens of Russell, Kansas.

1:06
The President returned to his motorcade. He was accompanied by:
Senator Dole
Mrs. Dole
Mrs. Doran R. Dole, mother of Senator Dole

1:06 1:12
The Presidential party motored from Russell County Courthouse to the residence of Mrs. Doran R. Dole, North Maple and West 11th Streets.

1:12
The Presidential party went inside the Dole residence.
The President bade farewell to Mrs. Doran R. Dole.

1:18 1:28
The President, accompanied by Senator and Mrs. Dole, returned to his motorcade.

1:32 2:04
The Presidential party motored from the Dole residence to Russell Airport.

2:04 2:26
The President flew by helicopter from Russell Airport to Salina Airport. For a list of passengers, see APPENDIX "C."

(CDT MDT)
2:26 3:29
The Presidential party flew by the "Spirit of '76" from Salina Airport to Walker Field, Grand Junction, Colorado. For a list of passengers, see APPENDIX "D."

(Actual flying time: 1 hour, 10 minutes)

2:41 3:42
The President flew by helicopter from Walker Field to the Nottingham Ranch helipad, Avon, Colorado. For a list of passengers, see APPENDIX "C."

3:24 3:29 P
The President talked with Alfred M. Landon, former Governor (R-Kansas) and 1936 Republican Presidential nominee.
3:42 p.m. FRIDAY

**ACTIVITY**

The President was greeted by:
- William Nottingham, Sr., owner of Nottingham Ranch
- Mrs. William (Neva) Nottingham
- Emmett Nottingham, father of William Nottingham, Sr.

The President went to his motorcade.

3:46

The President motored from the Nottingham helipad to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bass, Mill Creek Circle, Vail, Colorado. Mr. Bass is general partner of Snowbird, Limited of Utah and owner of the Presidential vacation residence.

4:03

The President was greeted by a welcoming delegation of residents of Vail, Colorado. For a list of attendees, see APPENDIX "E."

4:32

The President was telephoned by his Assistant for National Security Affairs, Lt. Gen. Brent Scowcroft. The call was not completed.

4:39

The President talked with Lt. Gen. Scowcroft.

4:44

The President returned to his motorcade.

4:48

The President motored from the Presidential vacation residence to the Vail golf course.

6:58

The President played nine holes of golf with:
- John Atkinson, assistant golf professional for Vail golf course
- Maj. Robert E. Barrett, Army Aide
- Rear Adm. William M. Lukash, Physician

6:58

The President returned to his motorcade.

7:08

The President motored from the Vail golf course to the Presidential vacation residence.

7:10

The President talked with Lt. Gen. Scowcroft.

7:30

The President went swimming.

8:03

The President talked with Maj. Barrett.
**THE WHITE HOUSE**

**THE DAILY DIARY OF PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD**

**PLACE** CROWN CENTER HOTEL  
**DAY BEGAN**  
**DATE** AUGUST 20, 1976  
**KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI**  
**TIME** 8:30 p.m. FRIDAY

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| 8:30 | The President had dinner with:  
      | The First Lady  
      | James E. Brown, Aerospace Group Executive for  
      | Thiokol Corporation, Promontory, Utah  
      | Mrs. James E. (Gloria) Brown  
| 9:10 | The President talked with comedian Bob Hope.  
| 9:14 | The President talked with his son, Jack.  
| 9:15 | The President talked with Mrs. Pepi (Sheika) Gramshammer,  
      | restaurant and lodge owner, Gasthof Gramshammer,  
      | Incorporated, Vail, Colorado.  
| 10:30 | The President and Mr. Brown walked the President's dog.  

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APPENDIX "A"
Attendance confirmed by
Patti Presock as indicated.

PRIVATE RECEPTION HOSTED BY THE PRESIDENT AND THE FIRST LADY

The Presidential Suite
Crown Center Hotel
Kansas City, Missouri
August 20, 1976

The President
The First Lady
Susan Ford
Jack Ford
Steve Ford
Mike Ford
Gayle Ford
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ford, the President’s brother and sister in law
Mr. and Mrs. James Ford, the President’s brother and sister in law
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Ford, the President’s brother and sister in law
Mr. and Mrs. Leslie King, the President’s brother and sister in law

Henry A. Kissinger, Secretary of State
Mrs. Henry A. Kissinger
David Kissinger, Secretary Kissinger’s son
William J. Usery, Secretary of Labor
Carla A. Hills, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development
Roderick M. Hills, Member of the Securities and Exchange Commission
William T. Coleman, Jr., Secretary of Transportation
F. David Mathews, Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare
Elliot L. Richardson, Secretary of Commerce
Mrs. Elliot L. Richardson
Thomas S. Kleppe, Secretary of the Interior and Mrs. Kleppe
Earl L. Butz, Secretary of Agriculture
Edward H. Levi, Attorney General
Donald H. Rumsfeld, Secretary of Defense
Congressman Marvin L. Esch
Mrs. Marvin L. Esch
2 sons of Congressman Esch
Congressman Elford A. Cederberg (R-Michigan)
Mrs. Elford A. Cederberg

L. William Seidman, Executive Director of the Economic Policy Board and
Assistant for Economic Affairs
Mrs. L. William Seidman
James T. Lynn, Director of the Office of Management and Budget (OMB)
and Assistant for Management and Budget
Don Penny Schneider, Consultant

continued...
Robert T. Hartmann, Counsellor
Mrs. Robert T. Hartmann
Douglas J. Smith, Special Assistant
William H. Carruthers, Consultant
Foster C. Channock, Staff Assistant to Mr. Cheney
James H. Cavanaugh, Deputy Assistant
Paul H. O'Neill, Deputy Director of the Office of Management and Budget
Edward C. Schulte, Deputy Counsel
Alan Greenspan, Chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers

Rogers C. B. Morton, Chairman of the President Ford Committee (PFC)
Mrs. Rogers C. B. Morton
James A. Baker III, Deputy Chairman for Delegates, PFC
Mrs. James A. Baker
Bryan N. Harlow, Vice President for National Government Relations, Procter and Gamble Manufacturing Company, Washington, D.C. and Member of the Advisory Committee for the PFC
Mrs. Bryan N. Harlow
F. Clifton White, President of F. Clifton White Associates, campaign consultants
Mrs. F. Clifton White
Richard L. "Dick" Herman, President of Herman Brothers, Inc., Omaha, Nebraska and member of the Advisory Committee for the PFC
William E. Timmons, President of Timmons and Associates, Washington, D.C. and Convention Operations Director, PFC
Robert Mosbacher, National Finance Chairman, PFC
Mrs. Robert Mosbacher
Stanton D. Anderson, Director of Convention, PFC
Mrs. Stanton D. Anderson
Stuart K. Spencer, Deputy Chairman for Delegates, PFC
Mrs. Stuart K. Spencer
mother of Mr. Spencer
Leon W. Parma, Group Executive, Teledyne Ryan Aeronautical Company, Inc., San Diego, California and Member of the Advisory Committee for the PFC
Mrs. Leon W. Parma
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Parma
Peter J. Secchia, President of Universal Forest Products, Grand Rapids, Michigan
Mrs. Peter J. Secchia
Rev. Billy Zeoli, President of Gospel Films, Inc., Muskegon, Michigan
Mrs. Billy Zeoli
James E. Brown, Aerospace Group Executive, Thiokol Corporation, Promontory, Utah

continued...
Pepi Gramshammer, restaurant and lodge owner, Gasthof Gramshammer, Inc., Vail, Colorado
Mrs. Pepi (Sheika) Gramshammer
Alexander M. "Sandy" Laughlin, friend of Jack Ford
date of Mr. Laughlin
Hugh O'Brien, actor
date of Mr. O'Brien
Cary Grant, actor
Raymond Caldiero, Vice President and Special Assistant to the President of Marriott Corporation, Beverly Hills, California
1. THE PRESIDENT
2. Senator Robert Dole (R-Kansas), Republican Vice Presidential Nominee
3. Mrs. Robert Dole, Commissioner of the Federal Trade Commission
4. Mrs. Betty Dole, mother of Sen. Dole
5. Miss Robin Dole, daughter of Sen. Dole
6. Mr. Robert Hartmann, Counsellor
7. Mr. Rogers Morton, Chairman of the President Ford Committee (PFC)
8. Mr. Richard Cheney, Assistant
9. Mr. Brent Scowcroft, Assistant for National Security Affairs
10. Mr. Ronald Nessen, Press Secretary
11. Mr. Alan Greenspan, Chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers (CEA)
12. Mr. Jerry Jones, Special Assistant
13. Mr. Byron Cavanag, Jr., Special Assistant
14. Mr. Terrence O'Donnell, Aide
15. Mr. William Greener, Deputy Chairman for Communications, PFC
16. Mr. Larry Speaks, Assistant Press Secretary
17. Mr. Michael Raul-Duval, Special Counsel
18. Admiral William Lukash, Physician
19. Captain W. Lee Donina, Marine Corps Aide
20. Mr. William Fitz-Patrick, White House Photographer
21. Mrs. Nell Yates, Staff Assistant
22. Miss Kathy Berger, Secretary to Mr. Cheney
23. Colonel Leonard Riley, Commanding Officer, White House Communications Agency
24. MSG. Herbert Oldenburg, bagage handler
25. MSDC Arturo Bautista, valet
26. SGT Patricia Jones, stenographer
27. Mr. R. Teiser
28. Mr. J. Merchant
29. Mr. R. Caughey
30. Mr. T. Holman
31. Mr. H. Hooper
32. Mr. S. Phillips
33. Mr. J. Piper
34. Mr. J. Williams
35. Mr. J. Cantrell
36. Mr. Frank Cormier
37. Mr. Richard Grownald
38. Mr. Tim Murphy
39. Mr. Strode Talbott
40. Mr. Marilyn Berger
41. Mr. Aldo Beman
42. Mr. Steve Nelson
43. Mr. David Kelsey

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HELIICOPTER PASSENGER MANIFESTS

August 20, 1976

FROM: Salina, Kansas TO: Russell, Kansas

The President
Senator Robert Dole (R-Kansas), Republican Vice Presidential Nominee
Mrs. Robert (Elizabeth Hanford) Dole
Robin Dole
Mrs. Doran R. Dole, mother of Senator Dole
Richard B. Cheney, Assistant
Ronald H. Nessen, Press Secretary
Rear Adm. William M. Lukash, Physician
Capt. Walter L. Domina, Marine Corps Aide
Lt. Gen. Brent Scowcroft, Assistant for National Security Affairs
USSS

FROM: Russell, Kansas TO: Salina, Kansas

The President
Senator Dole
Mrs. Robert Dole
Mr. Cheney
Mr. Nessen
Lt. Gen. Scowcroft
Capt. Domina
Rear Adm. Lukash
USSS

FROM: Grand Junction, Colorado TO: Avon, Colorado

The President
Mr. Cheney
Lt. Gen. Scowcroft
Maj. Robert E. Barrett, Army Aide
Rear Adm. Lukash
USSS
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28. Mr. J. Piper
29. Mr. R. Williams
30. Mr. R. Cheadle
31. Mr. A. Dalton
32. Mr. Howard Benedict
33. Miss Helen Thomas
34. Mr. John Duricka
35. Mr. Tim Murphy
36. Mr. Strode Talbott
37. Mr. Aito Beckman
38. Ms. Marilyn Berger
39. Mr. Jerry Adams
40. Mr. Steve Nelson
41. Mr. David Kelsey

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APPENDIX "E"

Attendance confirmed by press pool report. List is not complete.

WELCOMING COMMITTEE

Bass Residence, Presidential Vacation Residence
Vail, Colorado
August 20, 1976

John A. Dobson, Mayor, Vail, Colorado
Mrs. John A. Dobson

James E. Brown, Aerospace Group Executive for Thiokol Corporation,
Promontory, Utah
Mrs. James E. (Bloria) Brown
Jennifer Brown, daughter
Amy Kindel, daughter of Charles E. "Ted" Kindel, Member of the Board
of Directors of Vail Associates

A crowd of approximately 150 persons greeted the President upon his
arrival at the Presidential vacation residence. A list of attendees
was not available for inclusion in the President's diary.