

POOL REPORT FOR MRS. FORD LUNCHEON

JULY 27, 1975

Typical luncheon scene -- little to report.

Mrs. Ford arrived at the Villa Hammerschmidt (Scheel residence) at noon -- and immediately came out on the terrace, which faces the Rhine River, to be photographed with Mrs. Scheel and Mrs. Schmidt.

Mrs. Ford wore a beige wool dress (changed from morning arrival), Mrs. Scheel, a dark brown knit skirt and top, and Mrs. Schmidt a grey dress.

After a few minutes of smiles... the ladies went inside to meet the other guests and sit down for lunch. We were only allowed into the room for a very short time -- and could hear nothing of the conversation. There were paintings around the room, with a tapestry at one end, and bouquets of pink roses on table. Menu book and color picture of the Villa on cover.

Seating arrangements can be obtained from Pati. Mattson -- only interesting thing to note is while everyone was listed as Frau this and Frau that, Mrs. Scheel was simply: "Hausfrau." Two of the Scheel children, Andrea-Gurendolyn (5 years) and Simon-Martin (5 years -- an adopted Bolivian) were perched on a balcony of the lobby, to peek thru the balustrade at Mrs. Ford as she arrived. Don't know if she waved to them, as we weren't in room at the time.

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