

POOL REPORT NO. 1

August 30, 1975

Andrews Air Force Base to Brunswick Naval Air Station

Trip in DC-9 uneventful and very much apart from the action. Larry Speakes offered following from trip briefing notes: Benefit to be attended is for the Pineland Hospital and training center for retarded children. Hope to raise \$50,000. Open to public with \$1 donations requested. Days events began at 7 a.m. with five-mile walkathon. About 400 participants . . . including Governor Longley and the Maine Congressional delegation. Also a chicken barbecue and entertainment. The GOP reception which follows is a \$250 per person affair with about 50 expected. Afterward comes a \$50 per plate luncheon with 600 expected. In Newport, reception will be on grounds of the "cottage" (small estate) of Mrs. John J. Slocum. Ford was to have attended similar event in '74 but Rocky went instead as Ford had just become President. Lawn reception \$125 including dinner. The television interview will be at the Sheraton-Islander Motel at Newport Harbor.

Bell - ABC
DeFrank - Newsweek
Barnes - Star

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