

THE WHITE HOUSE		THE DAILY DIARY OF PRESIDENT GERALD R. FORD		
PLACE DAY BEGAN		DATE (Mo., Day, Yr.)		
THE WHITE HOUSE		JULY 17, 1976		
WASHINGTON, D.C.		TIME	DAY	
		12:37 a.m. SATURDAY		
TIME		PHONE		
In	Out	P=Placed	R=Rec'd	
12:37		R		The President was telephoned by Attorney General Edward H. Levi. The call was not completed.
6:28				The President had breakfast.
6:43				The President went to the South Grounds of the White House.
6:44	6:50			The President flew by helicopter from the South Grounds to Andrews AFB, Maryland. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "A."</u>
6:59	7:54			The President flew by the "Spirit of '76" from Andrews AFB to Bradley International Airport, Hartford, Connecticut. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "B."</u>
7:54				The President was greeted by: Senator Lowell P. Weicker (R-Connecticut) Mrs. Lowell P. Weicker Frederick K. Biebel, Chairman of the Connecticut Republican State Central Committee Joseph B. Burns, Chairman of the Connecticut state President Ford Committee (PFC) Congressman Stewart B. McKinney (R-Connecticut) Congressman Ronald A. Sarasin (R-Connecticut) John F. Freund, Adjutant General of Connecticut Members of the press
8:07	8:27			The President motored from Bradley International Airport to the Hilton Inn, 10 Ford Street. He was accompanied by: Senator Weicker Mr. Biebel
8:27				The President was greeted by General Manager of the Hilton Inn Richard I. Lidz.
8:30				The President, accompanied by Senator Weicker and Mr. Biebel, went to the Capital Ballroom.
8:30	9:05			The President greeted approximately 600 guests attending a fundraising reception hosted by the Connecticut Republican State Central Committee.
9:10				The President, escorted by Senator Weicker, went to his suite.

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9:21 a.m. SATURDAY

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In	Out	P=Placed R=Rec'd	
9:21			The President, escorted by Senator Weicker, went to Room 436.
9:21	9:30		The President greeted approximately 20 guests attending a reception for Connecticut business leaders. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "C."</u>
9:32			The President, escorted by Senator Weicker, went to Room 428.
9:32	10:05		The President met with delegate-candidates from Connecticut to the Republican National Convention. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "D."</u>
10:05			The President returned to his suite. Enroute, the President participated in a photo opportunity with children from <u>The Weekly Reader Magazine.</u>
10:10			The President arrived at his suite.
10:10	?		The President participated in a photo opportunity with: Richard M. Jackson, Republican Congressional candidate in the 2nd Congressional District of Connecticut John G. Pucciano, Republican Congressional candidate in the 3rd Congressional District of Connecticut Thomas F. Upson, Republican Congressional candidate in the 6th Congressional District of Connecticut Mr. Burns
12:13			The President returned to his motorcade.
12:13	12:15		The President motored from the Hilton Inn to Bushnell Memorial Hall, 166 Capital Avenue.
12:15			The President was greeted by General Manager of Bushnell Memorial Hall L. Everett Wright.
12:25			The President went to the holding room.
12:30			The President went to the offstage announcement area.
12:30	12:51		The President attended the Connecticut Republican state Convention. Members of the press

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12:30			The President, escorted by Mr. Biebel and Senator Weicker, went to the platform in the convention hall. For a list of platform guests, see <u>APPENDIX "E."</u>  The President was introduced by Mr. Biebel.
12:30	12:48		The President addressed approximately 2,700 persons attending the convention. The President's remarks were boardcast live over statewide television.
12:51			The President, escorted by Mr. Biebel, returned to his motorcade.
12:51	1:14		The President motored from Bushnell Memorial Hall to Bradley International Airport.
1:23	2:15		The President flew by the "Spirit of '76" from Bradley International Airport to Andrews AFB, Maryland. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "F."</u>
2:24	2:31		The President flew by helicopter from Andrews AFB to the South Grounds of the White House. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "A."</u>
2:35			The President went to the Oval Office.
2:40	3:40		The President met to discuss S. 495, the Watergate Reorganization and Reform Act with: Attorney General Levi Philip W. Buchen, Counsel Richard B. Cheney, Assistant James M. Cannon III, Executive Director of the Domestic Council and Assistant for Domestic Affairs James H. Cavanaugh, Deputy Assistant for Domestic Affairs Lt. Gen. Brent Scowcroft, Assistant for National Security Affairs
2:51		R	The President was telephoned by Mr. Biebel. The President's Aide, Terrence O'Donnell took the call.
4:06	4:19?	P	The President talked with Mr. Biebel.
4:19?	4:27?	P	The President talked with Senator Weicker.

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4:37	4:42	P	The President talked with Attorney General Levi.
5:04	5:10	P	The President talked with Charles E. Goodell, partner with Hydeman and Mason law firm, Washington, D.C. and former Senator (R-New York).
5:16	5:21	P	The President talked with Mrs. Marlene Zinzel, delegate at large from Missouri to the Republican National Convention.
6:01			The President went to the swimming pool.
6:12		R	The President was telephoned by Attorney General Levi. The call was not completed.
6:23			The President returned to the South Grounds of the White House.
6:24			The President returned to the second floor Residence.
6:27	6:29	R	The President talked with Attorney General Levi.
8:18			The President had dinner with: The First Lady Susan Ford
8:59			The President returned to the South Grounds of the White House. He was accompanied by his daughter, Susan.  The President and Susan Ford walked their dogs.
9:17			The President and Susan Ford returned to the second floor Residence.

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HELICOPTER PASSENGER MANIFEST

July 17, 1976

FROM: SOUTH GROUNDS, THE WHITE HOUSE

TO: ANDREWS AFB, MARYLAND

The President  
Richard B. Cheney, Assistant  
Terrence O'Donnell, Aide  
Ronald H. Nessen, Press Secretary  
Frank Ursomarso, Staff Assistant, Advance Office  
Rear Adm. William M. Lukash, Physician  
William Fitzpatrick, Photographer  
Maj. Robert E. Barrett, Army Aide

FROM: ANDREWS AFB, MARYLAND

TO: SOUTH GROUNDS, THE WHITE HOUSE

The President  
Mr. Cheney  
Mr. O'Donnell  
Mr. Nessen  
Mr. Ursomarso  
Rear Adm. Lukash  
David H. Kennerly, Personal Photographer  
Jack Ford  
Maj. Barrett

## PASSENGER MANIFEST

AIR FORCE ONE 2700  
 MISSION 837  
 Andrews AFB, Maryland to Hartford, Connecticut  
 17 July 1976 Dep: 6:59am Arr: 7:55am +56 340SM

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The President  
 Richard B. Cheney, Assistant  
 Terrence O'Donnell, Aide  
 Ronald H. Nessen, Press Secretary  
 Stuart Spencer, Deputy Chairman for Political Organization, President  
 Ford Committee (PFC)  
 Rear Adm. William M. Lukash, Physician  
 Maj. Robert E. Barrett, Army Aide  
 Frank Ursomarso, Staff Assistant, Advance Office  
 H. James Field, Jr., Staff Assistant to Mr. Cheney  
 Patrick H. Butler, Associate Editor  
 William Fitz-Patrick, Photographer  
 Kathy Berger, Secretary to Mr. Cheney  
 MSG Herbert Oldenburg, baggage handler  
 MSCS Arturo Bautista, valet  
 SGT Patricia Jones, Stenographer  
 R. Keiser  
 W. Taylor  
 B. Coates  
 R. Caughey  
 A. Angelone USSS  
 D. Crisp  
 H. Hooper  
 S. Phillips  
 J. Piper  
 Frank Cormier, AP  
 Helen Thomas, UPI  
 Charles Bennett, AP Photo  
 Tim Murphy, UPI  
 Tom Joyce, Newsweek  
 Fred Barnes, Washington Star  
 Nelson Benton, CBS Correspondent  
 John Boyd, NBC Crew  
 Virginia Bosch, NBC Crew  
 Aldo Argentieri, NBC Technician  
 Kenneth Braylock, ABC Electrician

APPENDIX "C"

Attendance not confirmed.

RECEPTION FOR CONNECTICUT BUSINESS LEADERS

Room 436  
Hilton Inn, Hartford, Connecticut  
July 17, 1976

The President

Congressman Ronald A. Sarasin (R-Connecticut)

Clayton E. Gengras, President of Gengras Motors, West Hartford,  
Connecticut and ~~former~~ candidate for Governor of Connecticut

Edwin H. May, Jr., President of Alexander and Alexander, Hartford,  
Connecticut and former Congressman (R-Connecticut)

Dan W. Lufkin, Chairman of the Board of Donaldson, Lufkin and  
Jenrette, Inc., asset management services, New York, New York

DeRoy Clinton Thomas, Executive Vice President of The Hartford  
Insurance Group, Hartford, Connecticut

Christopher H. Buckley, President and Chairman of the Board of  
Risen Manufacturers, Cheshire, Connecticut

Frazar Wilde, Chairman Emeritus of Connecticut General Insurance,  
Hartford, Connecticut

William Olliver Bailey, President of Aetna Life and Casulty,  
Hartford, Connecticut

T. Mitchell Ford, Chairman of the Board, President and Chief  
Executive Officer of Emhard Corporation, New Britain,  
Connecticut

Morrisoh H. Beech, Chairman of the Board of Travelers Insurance Company,  
Hartford, Connecticut

Hicks B. Waldron, President and Chief Executive Officer of Heublein  
Corporation, Hartford, Connecticut

William Pape, Publisher, Owner, and Editor-in-Chief of Waterbury  
Republican

continued . . .

Henry J. Nozco, President of ACMAT Corporation

Donald P. Calcagnini, President of the American National Bank,  
Hamden, Connecticut

Bernard J. Burns, President of Burns and Howlett Insurance Company,  
Milford, Connecticut

Ralph R. A. Hart, Consultant, Heublein, Hartford, Connecticut

George H. Gilman, Jr., aprtner with Gilman and Marks law firm,  
Hartford, Connecticut

Congressman Stewart B. McKinney (R-Connecticut)

Donald W. Davis, President of Stanley Works,

Robert D. Kilpatrick, President of Connecticut General, Litchfield,  
Connecticut



APPENDIX "D"

Attendance not confirmed.

MEETING WITH DELEGATE-CANDIDATES FROM CONNECTICUT TO THE REPUBLICAN  
NATIONAL CONVENTION

Hilton Inn, Hartford, Connecticut, Room 428

July 17, 1976

The President

1. Sen. Lowell P. Weicker
2. Rep. Ronald A. Sarasin
3. Rep. Stewart B. McKinney
4. Frederick K. Biebel
5. Jeanne Nelson
6. John Alsop
7. Mary Boatwright
8. Lewis B. Rome
9. Gerald F. Stevens
10. Beatrice Kowalski
11. Malcolm Baldrige
12. Edna Gilman
13. Lawrence J. DeNardis
14. Edwin H. May, Jr.
15. Joseph B. Burns
16. Dan W. Lufkin
17. Silvio Preli
18. Shirley Scott
19. John Miller
20. Selma Kaufman
21. Emma Lincoln
22. Marie Salemi
23. Edward Sidor
24. Lucien DeMaio
25. Ralph Capececiatro
26. Carl Cella
27. Louis Clapes
28. Leonard Paoletta
29. Joan Rader
30. Miriam Vannais
31. Romeo Petroni
32. William Menna
33. Lillian Ludlam
34. Francis J. Collins
35. J. Brian Gaffney

CONNECTICUT REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION

Bushnell Memorial Hall  
Hartford, Connecticut  
July 17, 1976

PLATFORM GUESTS            (First Row)

Gerald F. Stevens, State Representative (R-Connecticut)

Lewis B. Rome, State Senator (R-Connecticut)

Ediwn H. May, Jr., Finance Chairman of the Connecticut Republican  
State Central Committee; President of Alexander and Alexander,  
Hartford, Connecticut; and former Congressman (R-Connecticut)

Robert H. Steele, President of Norwich Savings Bank, Norwich, Connecticut;  
Member of the Connecticut President Ford Committee Executive  
Advisory Committee; and former Congressman (R-Connecticut)

Mrs. Mary H. Boatwright, Republican National Committeewoman for  
Connecticut

Congressman Stewart B. McKinney (R-Connecticut)

Jack Ford

Frederick K. Biebel, Chairman of the Connecticut Republican State  
Central Committee

Podium

Senator Lowell P. Weicker (R-Connecticut)

The President

Mrs. Jeanne Nelson, Vice Chairman of the Connecticut Republican State  
Central Committee

Congressman Ronald A. Sarasin (R-Connecticut)

Joseph Alsop, Republican National Committeeman for Connecticut

Mrs. Richard P. (Lillian) Ludlam, Secretary of the Connecticut Republican  
State Central Committee

Joseph B. Burns, Chairman of the Connecticut state President Ford Committee

John D. Lodge, former Governor (R-Connecticut)

[For a list of guests seated on the rear of the platform, see the file  
copy of the President's diary]

Audience

PASSENGER MANIFEST

AIR FORCE ONE        2700  
MISSION 837  
Hartford, Connecticut to Andrews AFB, Maryland  
17 July 1976        Dep: 2:23pm        Arr: 3:16pm        +53 340SM

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The President  
Jack Ford  
Governor James E. Houlshouser, Jr. (R-North Carolina)  
Pearl Bailey, entertainer  
Gladys Redmond, Assistant to Pearl Bailey  
Richard B. Cheney, Assistant  
Terrence O'Donnell, Aide  
Stuart Spencer, Deputy Chairman for Political Organization, President  
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Kathy Berger, Secretary to Mr. Cheney  
MSG Herbert Oldenburg, baggage handler  
MSCS Arturo Bautista, valet  
SGT Patricia Jones, stenographer  
Andrew Stern, Staff Assistant, Advance Office

R. Keiser	
W. Taylor	
B. Coates	
R. Caughey	
A. Angelone	USSS
D. Crisp	
H. Hooper	
S. Phillips	
J. Piper	
P. Donald	

Fran Lewine, AP  
Helen Thomas, UPI  
Charles Bennett, AP Photo  
Tim Murphy, UPI Photo  
John Boyd, NBC Crew  
Virginia Bosch, NBC Crew  
Aldo Argentieri, NBC Technician  
Strobe Talbott, Time  
Rudy Abramson, Los Angeles Times  
Tom Jarriel, ABC Correspondent