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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

July 1, 1976

*Pres
Scheduling
(see memo)*

MEMORANDUM FOR: ELISKA HASEK

FROM: PHILIP BUCHEN *P.*

SUBJECT: 75th Anniversary Celebration
of the Michigamua, September 10-11,
1976

Please advise the Scheduling Office to assure this group that a message will come from the President if he cannot attend the celebration.

Michigamua is a senior honor society of Michigan undergraduates. Selections for memberships are made among male students at the University of Michigan at the end of their junior year from those who have had outstanding records on athletic teams, student publications, and student organizations. The active organization of undergraduates invites alumni participation in their events and get together with alumni at regular reunions. The President was selected for membership during his senior year -- 1934-35 -- for his record as a football player. Each member is given an Indian name when he is initiated, and the Indian name which was given the President was "Flipum Back". Newsletters of the active organization to the alumni are invariably written in pseudo-Indianese so if you want to delight the members who will be attending the 75th Anniversary reunion, you should follow suit in the message you draft for the President. I will be glad to help in this regard.



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

July 9, 1976

*Pres.
Scheduling*

MEMORANDUM FOR:

WILLIAM NICHOLSON

FROM:

PHILIP BUCHEN *P.*

Attached is correspondence from Mr. Frank Stella
of Detroit together with a copy of my response.

Attachments



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

July 9, 1976

Dear Frank:

It was good to get your letter of June 24 and I welcomed the opportunity to see you again at the reception in the White House.

On the subject of your letter, I am passing it on to the Presidential Scheduling Office with my recommendation. Of course, as I explained, it is much too early to plan for the President's schedule in October and it may be some time before the Scheduling Office can report back definitely to you.

My congratulations on your having been chosen to receive for this year the "Outstanding Italian-American Man of the Year Award".

I send you and Marty my very best wishes.

Sincerely,



Philip W. Buchen
Counsel to the President

Mr. Frank D. Stella
The F. D. Stella Products Company
7000 Fenkell Avenue
Detroit, Michigan 48238





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"From the front door to the back, a 'turn-key' job you will be proud of"

June 24, 1976

Honorable Philip Buchen
Counsellor to the President
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Buchen:

I have been informed by the 1976 Christopher Columbus Day Committee that they will be honoring me with the "Outstanding Italian-American Man of the Year Award" on Sunday, October 10, 1976 here in Detroit. Since this high award comes from my fellow Italo-Americans, it is very meaningful to me, an award which I will truly cherish.

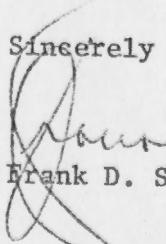
I have also learned from the president of the society that they have invited President Ford to attend the affair and also honor him. I am taking the liberty of writing to you and ask you to intercede in having him attend this event. This will be deeply appreciated by me and equally so by the committee and the more than 350,000 Italo-Americans in this area.

It was most enjoyable for me and my wife Marty to have been with you at the University of Detroit President's Cabinet dinner. As you may already know, your presence was deeply appreciated.

I will be attending the Republican Day in Washington on the 30th, and I am hopeful that by then the required delegates will be garnered to nominate our most wonderful President. He indeed has all of my support.

With warm personal regards and every best wish, I am

Sincerely yours,


Frank D. Stella

FDS:ak

P.S.

I am enclosing a copy of Mr. Simonetti's invitation to the President.
Factory to you - Distribution of Equipment and Supplies for: Restaurants, Drive-ins, Bars, Institutions, Hotels, Motels,
Hospitals, Military, Schools, Markets, Drives, And Industrial Plants.

June 23, 1976

President Gerald R. Ford
President of the United
States of America
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. President:

On behalf of the 1976 Columbus Day Celebration committee and more than 350,000 Italo-Americans in our Metropolitan Detroit area, I am pleased to extend to you and Mrs. Ford an invitation to be our most honored guests at a dinner to be held at the Fairlane Manor, 19000 Hubbard Drive, Dearborn, Michigan on Sunday, October 10, 1976, at 6 p.m.

Aside from honoring you, we are also honoring our mutual friend, Mr. Frank D. Stella, who will be receiving the "out-standing Italian-American Man of the Year Award".

Invitations have been extended to top level officials throughout Detroit and Michigan, and we anticipate over 1,800 in attendance.

Mr. President, you will do us a great honor by your presence on the occasion of paying tribute to Christopher Columbus and his significance to Americans, especially those of us of Italian origin.

My entire committee joins me in applauding your remarkable achievements, and I am hoping that we may have the privilege of appropriately thanking and honoring you for this on October 10th, I am

Respectfully yours,

Camillo A. Simonetti
President



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Pres. Scheduling

SCHEDULE PROPOSAL
DATE: July 14, 1976 *P.W.*
FROM: Philip W. Buchen
VIA : William Nicholson

MEETING: With former Senator Charles E. Goodell

DATE: Open, but as soon as possible.

PURPOSE: Request by Mr. Goodell to discuss matters of interest to the President.

FORMAT: - Oval Office (without other participants)
- 30 minutes

CABINET PARTICIPATION: None

SPEECH MATERIAL: None

PRESS COVERAGE: None

STAFF: None

RECOMMEND: Philip W. Buchen

OPPOSE:

BACKGROUND: Mr. Goodell personally called the President. Because the President was extremely busy, Nell Yates asked if he would talk with me. During our conversation, I promised I would put in a request for an appointment.



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

*Pres
Scheduling*

July 16, 1976

MEETING WITH EDWARD H. LEVI
Saturday, July 17, 1976
2:30 p.m. (30 minutes - tentative)
The Oval Office

From: Philip W. Buchen *P.*

I. PURPOSE

To allow the Attorney General to report on the status of the Watergate Reorganization and Reform Act pending in the Senate.

II. BACKGROUND, PARTICIPANTS & PRESS PLAN

- A. Background: A summary of the bill as reported by the Committee on Government Operations of the U. S. Senate is attached at TAB A.
- B. Participants: Edward Levi and Philip Buchen (and other WH staff)
- C. Press Plan: David Kennerly photo only. The meeting will be announced.

III. TALKING POINTS

- 1. Ed, - I understand that some of the Senators behind this bill are now having second thoughts but that you are having difficulty proposing alternatives to the present provisions for appointment of special prosecutors in every case involving real or apparent "conflict of interest." What alternatives are you considering?
- 2. Ed, if we cannot get an acceptable bill in the Senate, what are the chances that the House will come up with an acceptable version, or fail to pass any bill during the remainder of the current session?

Attachment



Bruce Sundlun
7/16/76

d'Estaing Louis
Mrs Mrs Sundlun

• Newport got into a tizzy when it learned who Louis de Vautourneaux really was. The slender, well-dressed 17-year-old French lad kept his true identity a secret until his American hosts Bruce and Joy Sundlun took him a week ago Saturday from the Dunes Club at Narragansett to see Newport. That's when Diane Brown, French wife of Captain Nicholas Brown, glimpsed him and called him by his right name — Louis Giscard d'Estaing. Janet Auchincloss invited him over to Hammersmith Farm that afternoon and dinner invitations began to pour in.

It all came about when French Ambassador Jacques Kosciusko-Morizet called Bruce and told him the French president's son wanted to come to America for a month, was crazy about racehorses, wanted to work in a bank and see something of the U.S. The Sundluns invited him to their Salamander farm at The Plains, Va. and he worked with racehorses at Paul Fout's nearby place, going to Delaware Park with Paul Fout and Virginia Guest van Alen. After seeing the Democratic convention — and attending the VIP Ladies breakfast at Bloomingdale's with Joy Sundlun — he went to Montreal to see the Olympics and stayed with Tracy Sundlun who was coaching the track and field team from Antigua. On a visitor's visa he worked for free at a Rhode Island bank for two weeks, flying back home last Tuesday. He just missed pulling the whole thing off.



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

August 18, 1976

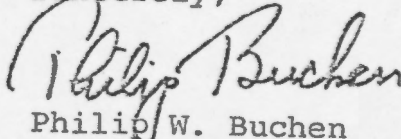
Dear Louis:

It gives me much pleasure to send you the enclosed photograph taken when you visited the White House and had a meeting with President Ford in the Oval Office.

Mrs. Buchen and I trust you thoroughly enjoyed your entire visit to our country. We were most delighted to meet you while you were here and were only sorry that illness in the Sundlun family prevented your return for an evening with us at the Kennedy Center.

Very best wishes.

Sincerely,



Philip W. Buchen
Counsel to the President

Mr. Louis Giscard d'Estaing
c/o The Embassy of France
2535 Belmont Road, N. W.
Washington, D. C. 20008

Enclosure

*d'Estaing,
Louis G.
Giscard*



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

*Sundlun,
Bruce*

August 7, 1976


Dear Bruce:

Enclosed is a photograph taken on the occasion of our gathering in the Oval Office when Louis was here. I have another print which will be sent to Louis as soon as it is inscribed from the President, but I assume we will have to send it to him in France.

I am very sorry about your father's illness. I know the situation must be very trying for you as well, and my heartfelt sympathy is with you.

Very warmest regards.

Sincerely,

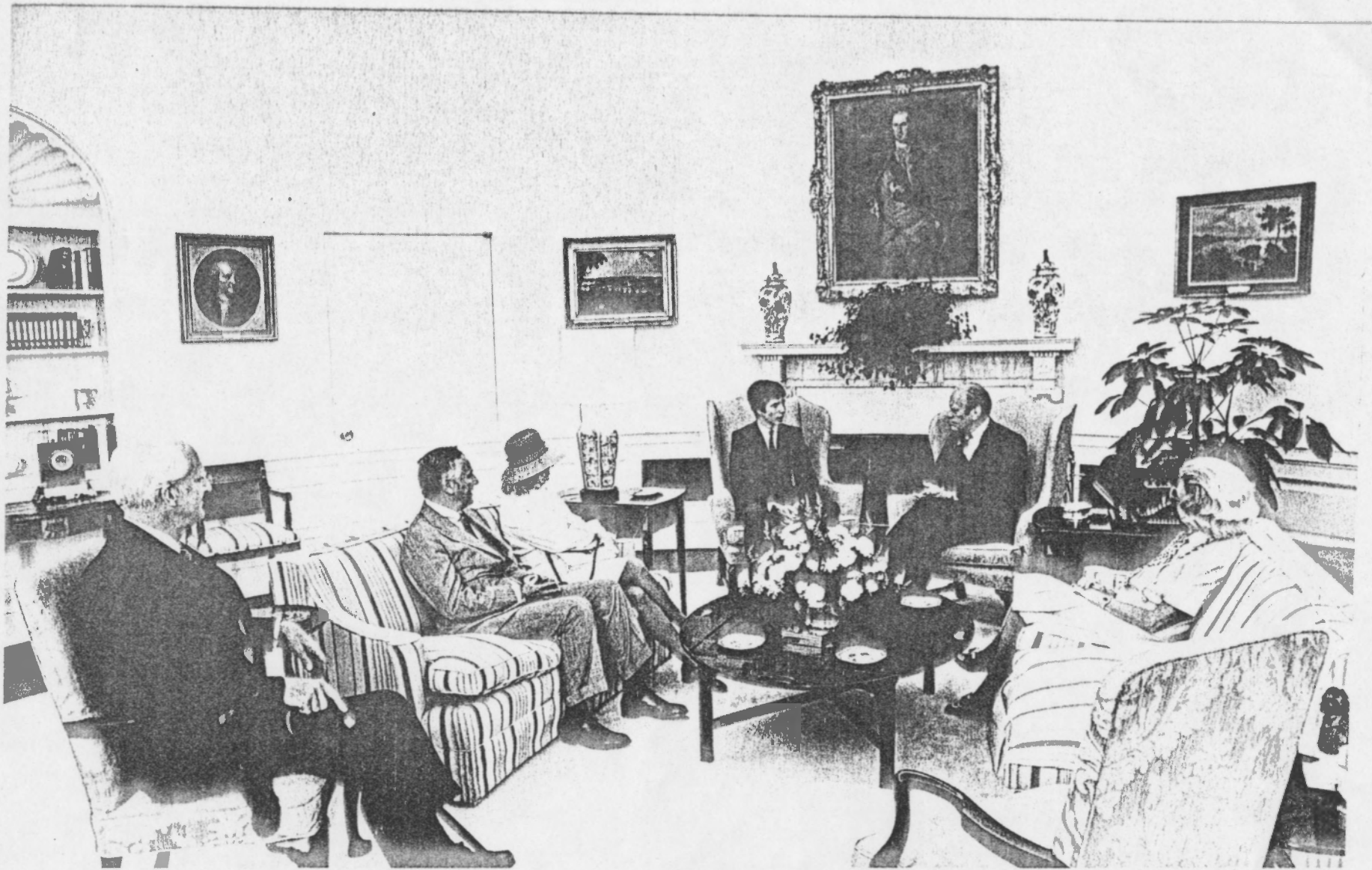


Philip W. Buchen
Counsel to the President

Mr. Bruce G. Sundlun
Sundlun, Tirana & Scher
Watergate 600 Building
Suite 715
Washington, D. C. 20037

Enclosure





To Louis Giscard d'Estaing
With my very best wishes,
Gerald R. Ford



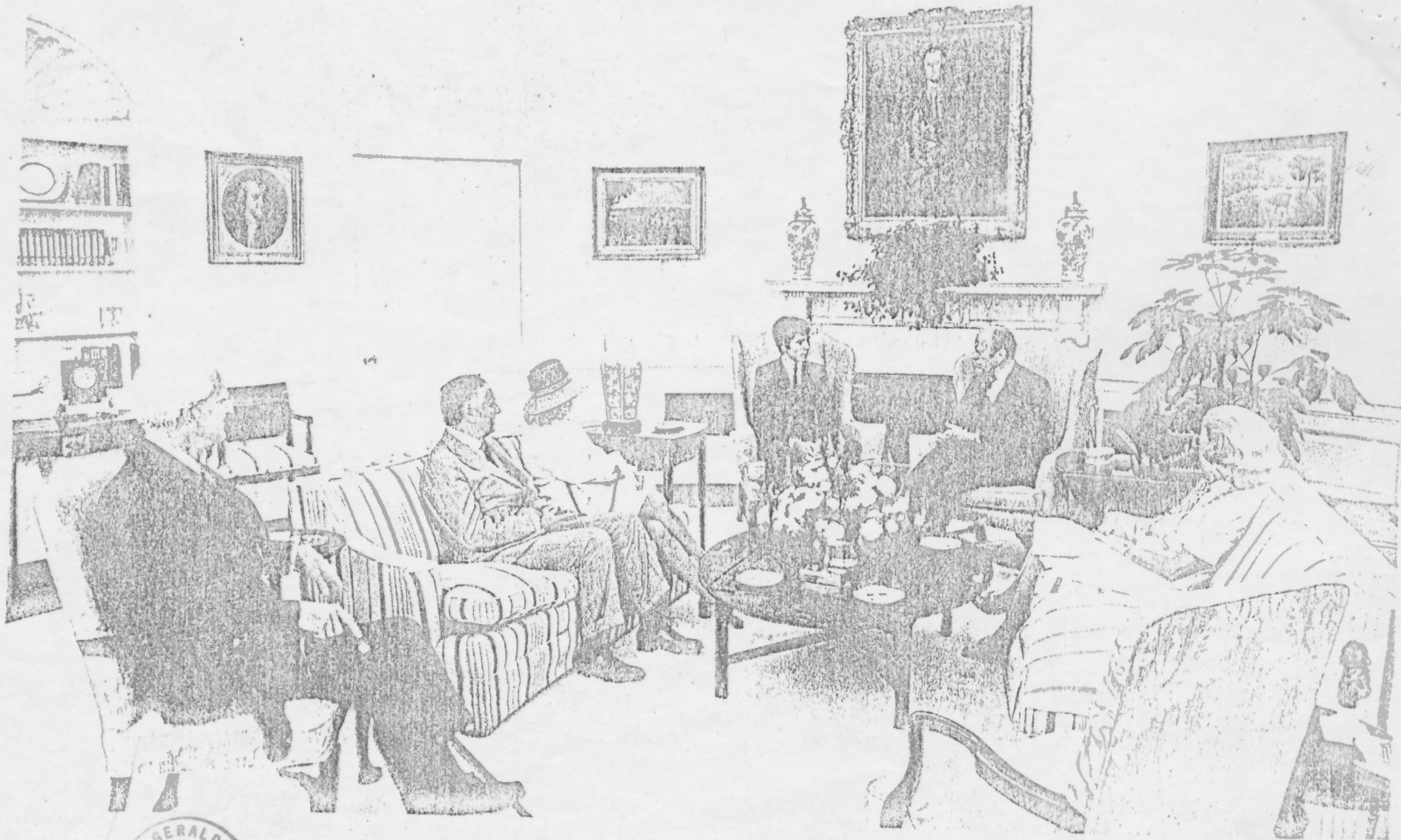
d'Estaing, Louis Giscard
Son of the French President

Philip W. Buchen 8/7/76 (Please return to us)

Inscription: To Louis Giscard d'Estaing
with my very best wishes
(Mr. Buchen would like the
President to personally sign)

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16 July 76 B0710-17

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

July 23, 1976

TO: Mr. Dan Spaulding
White House Frame Shop
Room 49 EOB

FROM: Eva Daughtrey *Eva*

Mr. Buchen would like to have the attached photo matted so he can take it in to the President for an autograph.

We would greatly appreciate it if it could be expedited as Mr. Buchen needs it as soon as possible.

Thank you.



9:30 a.m.

Wednesday, July 21, 1976

Ellen Jones from Presidential Records called re a copy of the briefing paper prepared for the President who met with a guest from France last Friday.

Attached is a copy. Do you want to release the attached as is?

Yes for diary use.

Ellen x 7030
Rm. 168



7/22

Copy sent.

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Lunch & Tour

Thursday 7/15/76

*7/16/76
11:45*

3:10 Mr. Buchen said he will have a guest tomorrow -- Luis de Vautourneaux. Bruce Sundlun is being his American host.

Mr. Buchen has arranged with Mike Farrell to provide him with a tour about 1:45 p.m. Friday 7/16.

He has arranged with Terry O'Donnell to have him meet the President immediately following the President's greeting of the interns. The meeting with Vautourneaux will be in one of the rooms at the Mansion.

Vautourneaux will arrive around noon. He will be with Bruce Sundlun or Joy. I'm to bring him into the West Lobby and up to our office. Mr. Buchen will be back shortly from his speech.

(((Mr. Buchen advises that Bruce and Joy will be coming. Mrs. Buchen is trying to change her hair appointment.)))

Lunch at 12:30 or 12:45??????

*Meeting with the President
about 12:45*

*Mike gave them a tour
about 2:00*



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

July 28, 1976

P
Pres.
Scheduling

MEMORANDUM FOR: MILT MITLER

FROM: PHIL BUCHEN *P.*

Attached is another letter I have received from the Ambassador of Spain which is on the subject of your letter to him of July 23, 1976.

Attachment





THE AMBASSADOR OF SPAIN

Washington, D. C., July 20, 1976

Mr. Philip W. Buchen
Counsel to the President
The White House
Washington, D. C. 20500

Dear Philip,

Thank you for your letter of July 16, a copy of which I have forwarded to Mr. Corral of Iberia Airlines.

I spoke with Mr. Corral by telephone regarding the matter of who will represent the United States in the "Operation Plus Ultra". He informed me that in accordance with the rules of the Organization the selection of a Peacetime Hero is made from among 3 children that are nominated as candidates for the award by the participating country. In the case of the U. S. this is being done through the Boy Scouts of America. Mr. Corral has agreed to contact me immediately upon receipt of the nominations. Since, however, I will be out of the country during the month of August I have instructed my secretarial staff to transmit Mr. Corral's communication to you if it should arrive during my absence.

With best wishes,

As ever,

Jaime Alba



ALBA, JAINE AMBASSADOR
PEACETIME HEROES CHILDREN
TO SANDY - MEETING W/ MEM
Sept 14, 1976

July 23, 1976

Dear Mr. Ambassador:

Counsel to the President, Philip M. Buchen, has forwarded your letter to me concerning the Peacetime Heroes Children for further response.

While the President is most appreciative of your interest and request, regrettably, his very heavy official schedule precludes the possibility of his meeting with the group of young people when they are here in September.

Recognizing the significance of their visit and their desire to present individual country letters of felicitation on the occasion of our Bicentennial, I would be most pleased to welcome the group to the White House and meet with them when they are in Washington on September 14, 1976.

If this is satisfactory with them, I would suggest that their representative contact me as soon as possible so that we may arrange a suitable time.

Thank you for your concern and interest.

Sincerely,

Milton E. Nitler
Deputy Special Assistant

His Excellency
Jaime Alba
Ambassador of Spain
2700 15th Street
Washington, D. C. 20009

MEM/sjd

2cc: Sandy Drake
cc: Phil Buchen
cc: Jeanne Davis



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Pres. Scheduling

SCHEDULE PROPOSAL
DATE: July 16, 1976
FROM: Philip W. Buchen
VIA : William Nicholson

MEETING: Greeting to the Peacetime Heroes Children from ten different countries.

DATE: September 14, 1976 - Time: Open

PURPOSE: To greet the children from these various countries who will present you a letter which each child will bring on behalf of the Chief of State of his or her respective country congratulating the President on the occasion of the Bicentennial.

FORMAT: - location: Open
- participants:
- expected length of participation: 10 minutes

SPEECH MATERIAL: To be provided.

PRESS COVERAGE: White House photograph.

STAFF:

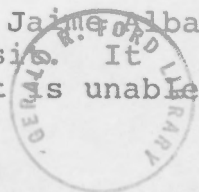
RECOMMEND: Philip W. Buchen

OPPOSED:

PREVIOUS PARTICIPATION: None

BACKGROUND: The Ambassador of Spain (His Excellency Jaime de Alba) is very much in favor of the groups' visit. It has been suggested that if the President is unable to greet them perhaps Mrs. Ford could.

(See other pertinent material at TAB A.)



Attachment

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

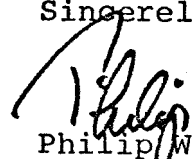
July 16, 1976

Dear Jaime:

The suggestion you made in your letter of July 2 concerning a visit to Washington on September 14, 1976, of the children from various nations who have been designated Peacetime Heroes, has been referred to the Office of Presidential Scheduling. I know the request will be given careful consideration, and I will let you know as soon as possible whether a meeting can be arranged with either the President or Mrs. Ford.

Warmest personal regards to you and Ana Maria.

Sincerely,



Philip W. Buchen
Counsel to the President

His Excellency
Jaime Alba
Ambassador of Spain
2700 15th Street
Washington, D. C. 20009





Washington, D. C., July 2, 1976

THE AMBASSADOR OF SPAIN

Mr. Philip Buchen
Counselor to the President
The White House
Washington, D. C. 20500

Dear Mrs Buchen,

I have received a letter from Mr. Wenceslao Corral, the Delegate General for U.S.A. affairs of the "Operation Plus Ultra" organization, sponsored by Iberia Airlines, asking for my assistance in procuring an audience with the President for the sixteen Peacetime Heroe children who will visit Washington on September 14, 1976.

The enclosed brochure offers background information of this organization (pages 8 through 12) as well as the individual story of some of the recipients of the Peacetime Hero award (pages 3 through 7).

On the occasion of the American Bicentennial celebration this group of exemplary children will visit the United States, accompanied by Red Cross nurses and stewardesses of Iberia Airlines. The tentative itinerary of their visit is: two days in New York; a day in Washington; and a two-day visit to Disney World in Florida.

Mr. Corral has indicated that he is presently arranging for the children to meet with the Secretary General of the United Nations, since they are bearers of a message of peace and brotherhood which they hope to be able to personally convey to him. Likewise, they are interested in meeting with President Ford for the purpose of handing him a letter which each child will bring on behalf of the Chief of State of their respective countries congratulating the President on the occasion of the Bicentennial.





THE AMBASSADOR OF SPAIN

Page 2.
July 2, 1976
Mr. Philip Buchen

The countries represented by the children this year are: Spain, Italy, Belgium, Federal Republic of Germany, Yugoslavia, Egypt, Zaire, Guatemala, Venezuela, and the United States for the first time.

Upon their return to Europe the children will be received by His Holiness, Pope Paul IV.

Thus, I once again turn to you to request your gracious assistance in bringing before the President our interest in his granting these children the privilege of meeting with him so that they may personally convey their countries' good wishes.

If you should need any further information please do not hesitate to call me. I thank you most sincerely for what you can do to promote further this request in order that it receive the President's favorable consideration.

With best personal regards, I remain,

Warmly yours
Jaime Alba

Jaime Alba



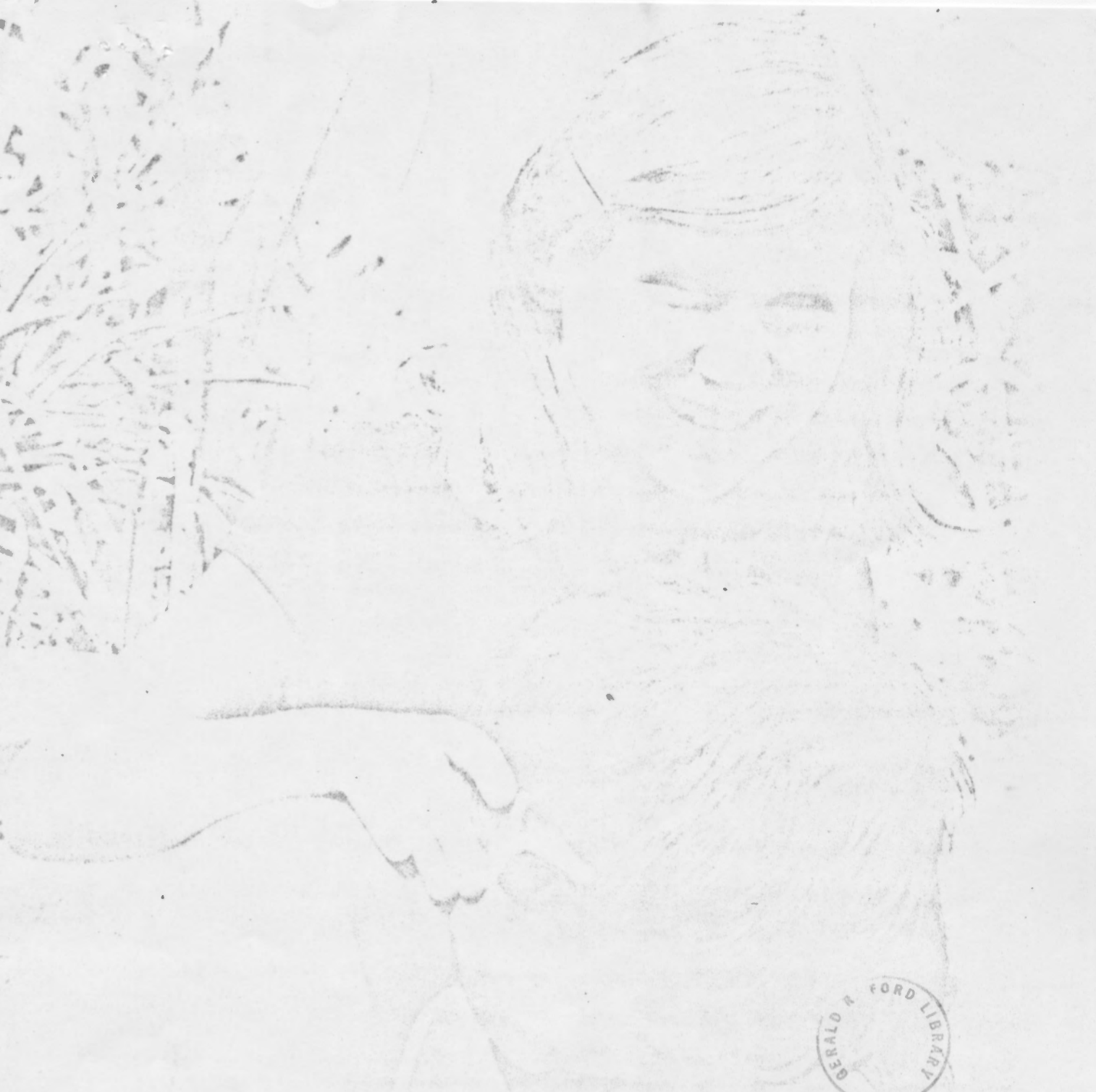
P.S. Given the nature of the visiting group, if the President's busy schedule should not permit him to receive the children, perhaps Mrs. Ford could. I leave it to your discretion.

Mr. Philip Buchen
Counselor to the President
The White House
Washington, D. C. 20500



Embajada de España





PEACETIME HEROES

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

July 29, 1976

Pres. Scheduling

MEMORANDUM FOR: BILL NICHOLSON
THROUGH: PHIL BUCHEN *P.*
FROM: KEN LAZARUS *K.*
SUBJECT: Invitations to the President to address:
(1) Illinois Police Association Convention
9/12-14; and (2) International Association
of Chiefs of Police conference 9/25-30.

The Counsel's Office has reviewed the two invitations noted above and would interpose no objection to the President's participation in either event. We would note, however, that the International Association of Chiefs of Police (IACP) is an association of significant prestige within the law enforcement community. The Illinois Police Association, on the other hand, is one with which we are not familiar.



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

July 22, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR: JAMES CANNON
✓ PHILIP BUCHEN

FROM: WILLIAM NICHOLSON *W W N*

SUBJECT: Invitation to the President to address the Illinois
Police Association convention September 12-14
in Springfield

The President of this organization mentions that the organization is thought to be the second largest police organization in the world. How would you recommend we respond to his invitation? Would you propose this for the President or for an Administration spokesman?

Thank you.

COMMENTS:



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EXECUTIVE OFFICE BUILDING

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ELMWOOD PARK, ILLINOIS 60635

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Elmhurst Police Dept. Ret.
RICHARD F. MCPARTLIN
Legal Adviser to the
Executive Board

Insert 9/13/76

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Batavia Police Department

DONALD E. GIBBONS, 1st Vice President
Illinois State Police, Gov. Office

RAYMOND J. FORREST, 2nd Vice President
Chicago Police Department

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CARLOS DUNNING, Sgt. at Arms
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Peoria Police

JACK L. TURNER
Charleston Police

LARRY D. KEARNS
Champaign Police

THOMAS KATREIN
Ottawa Police

HERBERT KLEIN
LaSalle Co. Sheriff

DAVID WINKER
State Police Dist. 16

MAURICE EASTON
Loves Park Police

Gerald Ford
President of the United States of America
White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear President Ford:

I am writing to invite you to be the speaker at our 75th anniversary convention of the Illinois Police Association. The banquet will be held on Monday, September 13, 1976 at the Holiday Inn East in Springfield, Illinois at approximately 6:30 P.M. If you cannot arrange your schedule to fit the banquet time, we would appreciate any time you could give us from Sunday evening, September 12, through Tuesday noon, September 14.

To give you a little background on the Illinois Police Association - it consists of approximately 25,000 Law Enforcement Officers located throughout the State of Illinois and the delegates and guests attending the banquet usually number about 1,000. The IPA is thought to be the second largest police organization in the world (second only to New York).

We would consider it the greatest honor to have the President of the United States join us in celebrating the bicentennial birthday of our great country as well as the 75th anniversary of our organization.

Please let me know at your earliest convenience if your schedule will permit your being with us in September.

Respectfully yours,

George B. Kramer
George B. Kramer, President
Illinois Police Association

GBK: gk

May 25, 1976
ACTION
T/D
SCHEDULE BD.
DATE RECEIVED
MAY 28 1976
MESSAGE
SPEAKERS BUREAU
OTHER



MEMBER
NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM
INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF POLICE ASSOCIATIONS

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

July 22, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR: JEANNE DAVIS
JAMES CANNON
✓ PHILIP BUCHEN

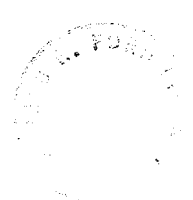
FROM: WILLIAM NICHOLSON *WUN*

SUBJECT: Invitation to the President to address International
Association of Chiefs of Police annual conference
to be held in Miami September 25-30

I would appreciate your comments and recommendation on the attached invitation.

Thank you.

COMMENTS:



7-76

International Association of Chiefs of Police, Inc.
Eleven Firstfield Road
Gaithersburg, Maryland 20760
Phone (301) 948-0922
Cable Address IACPOLICE

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Executive Director

March 29, 1976

The Honorable Gerald R. Ford
The President of the United States
The White House
Washington, D. C. 20500

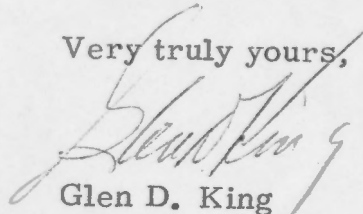
My dear Mr. President:

The International Association of Chiefs of Police will convene for its 83rd Annual Conference in Miami Beach, Florida, from September 25 through 30, 1976. More than 6,000 representatives from over 30 nations are expected to attend.

On behalf of the 10,700 members of IACP, we would be honored to have you address the Opening General Session on Monday, September 27, 1976, at 12:00 Noon.

Your favorable consideration and early reply are anxiously anticipated.

Very truly yours,



Glen D. King
Executive Director

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*President's
Scheduling*

Ahmad, Rashid

2:35 p.m.

Friday, July 23, 1976

Rashid Ahmad called re a letter sent to the President on July 15 for a meeting with Mirza Nasir Ahmad of Pakistan.

Nicholson's office did receive the letter and has forwarded it to the National Security Council (NSC) for review, etc. I was advised by Nicholson's office that Mr. Ahmad (Rashid) has a thick folder -- considered to be a problem.

I spoke with NSC (Kathy) and was advised that someone from NSC would be in touch with Ahmad.

Ahmad AD-2-3737



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

August 3, 1976

Pres scheduling
6/30/76

MEMORANDUM FOR: BRENT SCOWCROFT
FROM: PHIL BUCHEN *J.*

Attached is a letter to the President from Roger Stevens concerning the gift from the Japanese government to the John F. Kennedy Center. It was delivered to me for routing to the President, but I thought you should see it and then have it passed on to the President.

Attachment



*Pres. scheduling
6/30/76*



JOHN F. KENNEDY CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS

Board of Trustees
OFFICE OF THE CHAIRMAN

August 2, 1976

Dear Phil:

It was nice to see you and Bunny last night.

I don't think I ever properly thanked you for the role you played in making the Japanese gift ceremony such a success.

I have taken the liberty of routing this letter to the President through you, so that it will not get lost in the voluminous White House correspondence.

With best wishes.

Sincerely,

Roger L. Stevens

Mr. Philip Buchen
The White House
Washington, D.C.



JOHN F. KENNEDY CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS

Board of Trustees
OFFICE OF THE CHAIRMAN

August 2, 1976

Dear Mr. President:

At the Board Meeting of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts on July 29th, the Trustees reviewed the generous gift from the Japanese Government, which will enable us to complete the small theatre over the Eisenhower Theatre. At that time the Trustees requested that, on their behalf, I extend to you our deep gratitude for your kindness in allowing the Acceptance Ceremony to take place in the Rose Garden and particularly for your personal participation.

I can assure you we will continue to give proper recognition and credit to the Japanese Government for their generosity and that we will do everything possible to make them proud of their involvement with the Center.

Ambassador Hodgson wrote to me recently to say that the officials in Tokyo were very interested and excited at the prospect of having a week's festival here at the Center presenting the best in Japanese performing arts. As a matter of fact, they have even offered to include an allowance in their 1977 budget to help support the occasion.

Again, many thanks for your support with this project.

Sincerely,

Roger L. Stevens

Roger L. Stevens
Chairman

On behalf of
The Board of Trustees

The President
The White House
Washington, D.C.



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

June 18, 1976

*Pres
Scheduling
6/30/76
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MEMORANDUM FOR: PHIL BUCHEN
FROM: MILT MITLER *Mitler*

Phil, I understand from Susan Porter that Mrs. Ford will not be in the City at the time that Prime Minister Miki is here to make the Bicentennial presentation on behalf of the people of Japan.

I think in Roger Stevens' absence, the Vice Chairman of his board or some other appropriate member could accept the check for the Center. Because of other gifts coming from countries around the world, some in the form of checks, NSC and we have agreed that the President should not accept these personally, but that an appropriate representative of the receiving agency could accept in the presence of President Ford. This is the procedure we are following with the Crown Prince of Norway when he presents a check for \$200,000 which will be used toward the construction of a health and sports center for the handicapped.



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 17, 1976

MEMORANDUM TO: PHILIP BUCHEN

FROM: SUSAN PORTER

Thank you for your memorandum regarding the presentation by Prime Minister Miki of the check for a new studio theater to Mrs. Ford as the Honorary Chairman of the Board of the Kennedy Center. Mrs. Ford will be out of the city at the time of the Prime Minister's visit, and therefore will be unable to participate.

Thank you very much.

c: General Scowcroft
Jeanne Davis
Milt Mitler



Pres. scheduling
6/30/76
11 am
1:00 pm

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

June 16, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR: MILT MITLER
SUSAN PORTER

FROM: PHIL BUCHEN *P.W.B.*

SUBJECT: Presentation by Prime Minister Miki
of gift from the Japanese government
to the Kennedy Center

Between the time that the President meets with Prime Minister Miki and the time of the luncheon to be held afterwards, it is planned that the Prime Minister will present a \$3 million check to the Kennedy Center for a new studio theater as the major Bicentennial gift from the Japanese government.

Roger Stevens would very much like to have Mrs. Ford, as Honorary Chairman of the Board of the Kennedy Center, receive this gift at a brief ceremony which could be attended by other members of the Board of Trustees. Although Roger Stevens is now out of the city and may not be back before June 30th, he advises me that people in his office will be available to assist in making the arrangements for attendance by members of the Board of Trustees.

cc: General Scowcroft
Jeanne Davis



Tuesday 6/15/76

Meeting
6/30/76
1 p. m.

10:45 Will you want to call Roger Stevens on this?

(Luncheon for the Prime Minister of Japan)



NSC-3264

~~CONFIDENTIAL (GDS)~~

June 14, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR:

Mr. George S. Springsteen
Executive Secretary
Department of State

SUBJECT: Luncheon for Prime Minister Miki of Japan

This is to confirm that the luncheon for Prime Minister Miki on June 30 will take place at 1 PM instead of 12:30 PM. Please inform the Japanese.

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Jeanne W. Davis
Staff Secretary

cc: Jay Taylor
Gen. Scowcroft

Susan Porter
Maria Downs
Military Aide's Ofc
Milt Mitler
Phil Buchen ✓

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State Dept Guidelines

By TMH NARA, Date 2/23/16



→ Mrs. Bush
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VIA LDX
NSC-3264

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~ (GDS)

June 11, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR:

Mr. George S. Springsteen
Executive Secretary
Department of State

SUBJECT: Presidential Meeting and Lunch for Japanese
Prime Minister

The President has agreed to receive Prime Minister Miki on June 30 for a 60-minute office meeting at 11 AM and will host a luncheon in his honor at 12:30 PM, along the lines of the luncheon for Danish Queen Margrethe. It is our understanding that the Japanese Government wishes to present its major Bicentennial gift of a \$3 million check to the Kennedy Center for a new studio theatre on the occasion of the Prime Minister's visit to Washington. In this regard, the White House is agreeable to a brief and small ceremony in the Rose Garden following the Oval Office meeting for the purpose of the presentation of the check. We understand that the Minister in charge of the Prime Minister's office will want to present the check and we believe it would be appropriate for him to present it to Roger Stevens. ARBA Administrator John Warner could be in attendance and the press could be called in to view the presentation. The President will be present for the ceremony but should not be the recipient of the check.

The Department is requested to confirm acceptance of the meeting and luncheon. At the same time, the Department should convey to the Japanese the White House desire to have the ceremony follow the lines indicated above and seek their concurrence. It should be made clear that the presentation ceremony is to be brief, would conclude following presentation of the check, and attendance should be strictly limited.

Please provide a suggested guest list for the luncheon to include spouses, no later than June 17. The Japanese party should be kept to 12. We would also appreciate knowing as soon as possible whether Mrs. Miki is planning to accompany the Prime Minister.

We will need the briefing material for the Miki visit no later than June 24.

Jeanne W. Davis
Staff Secretary

cc: Jay Taylor
Gen. Scowcroft

KR 8/5/88

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~ (GDS)



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Stevens, Roger

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 24, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR:

BRENT SCOWCROFT

FROM:

PHIL BUCHEN *P.*

SUBJECT:

Japanese Bicentennial Gift
to the John F. Kennedy
Center for the Performing
Arts

Attached is a copy of a memo from Roger Stevens to me on the above subject. I would very much appreciate your having someone on your staff prepare a Schedule Proposal.

I would join in recommending approval of the suggestion.

Attachment



JOHN F. KENNEDY CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS

May 21, 1976

Board of Trustees
OFFICE OF THE CHAIRMAN

MEMORANDUM FOR: Philip Buchen

FROM: Roger L. Stevens

SUBJECT: Japanese Bicentennial Gift to the
John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts

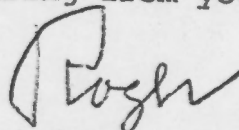
As you know, the Japanese Government has agreed to contribute \$3 million to complete the studio theatre above the Eisenhower Theatre at the Kennedy Center.

Would it be possible for the Japanese Ambassador to present the check for this purpose directly to President Ford at the White House?

There would be about 12 to 15 people in their official party, some of whom would fly over from Tokyo for the event. They would be accompanied by a Japanese press corps of about 25 reporters. In addition, we would expect at least 25 Trustees from the Kennedy Center and several other appropriate guests. The ceremony should not take more than 15 minutes. The Embassy has suggested that any time between June 10 and June 15 would be suitable, at the President's convenience. However, they would appreciate some advance notice for those who would be planning the trip from Tokyo.

For your information, on July 9th, the Japanese Government will be presenting to Secretary Butz 100 bonsai trees for our Arboritum. I understand that these trees are from 200 to 300 years old and are invaluable. In addition, they will present 100 cherry trees to the District of Columbia in September, as well as hundreds of other cherry trees to the cities of San Francisco, Los Angeles and Seattle. Certainly these fine gifts are the most important the United States has received for the Bicentennial.

I appreciate very much your giving this your personal attention, and I will look forward to hearing from you.



*President's
Scheduling*

Wednesday 8/4/76

11:20 Dr. Potts of Ohio State University called. (614) 422-3323
Said he knew you in Michigan -- Grand Valley
State Colleges.

Last week the President and the First Lady
were in Mississippi and they ran across a
lady who is "Miss Wheelchair America" -- she has
made so many outstanding achievements. The
President made mention that he would like to go
to their national pageant in Columbus in
September.

Dr. Potts wondered if you could do anything
to help. If the President couldn't come,
perhaps the First Lady might.

Would you want to talk with him?

Or would you want me to ask him to send in
a letter?



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

August 7, 1976

*Pres.
scheduling*

MEMORANDUM FOR: RON NESSEN

FROM: PHIL BUCHEN *P.*

Chuck Collins, who is the Producer of News at the Chicago Public Television Station WTTW has sent me a copy of his letter written to you on July 29.

I do not know Collins personally but he was very thoughtful in allowing me to receive an advance text for comment of a program he did concerning a friend of the President's which dealt in part with the President's relationships to that friend while he was in Congress.

Attachment



July 29, 1976

Mr. Ron Nessen
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. Nessen:

Last March, all the anchormen from Chicago local news stations were invited to the White House to interview the President in a half-hour news format. That is, all the anchormen except WTTW's. During the President's swing through southern Illinois, I asked you if that could be rectified. You said that you would try to get us into the Oval Office with the others.

A few days later, I received a call from you, and you told me that there wasn't enough room. You further stated that you would try to arrange an interview in the future.

When Reagan came to town, he invited all the anchormen for a half-hour interview...including WTTW. We ran the entire half-hour.

The Ford interview was hardly used at all by the commercial stations. We would have run the entire interview.

Although we are a public television station, more viewers watch our station than any other public station in the country. We believe in thorough coverage. Our Presidential Primary Special won an Emmy. We have interviewed every presidential candidate at least once, except President Ford. We have interviewed Reagan twice and Carter three times.

It is our understanding that the President will be in Chicago on October 7 and possibly in September for a Jim Thompson campaign dinner. We would hope that an interview could be arranged at that time. We would like to do a half-hour interview at any time or place convenient for the President.

Sincerely,



Chuck Collins
Producer
WTTW News Division

CC:mmm
Enclosure
bcc: Mr. Philip Buchen



FBS STATIONS

TOP 27 STATIONS, PERCENT OF METROPOLITAN AREA HOUSEHOLDS REACHED PER WEEK
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(Source: As Published in Nielsen Station Index)

CALL LETTERS	CHANNEL	DESIGNATED MARKET AREA	MAY 1976	MAY 1975
1. WTTW	11	Chicago	59%	38%
2. WNET	13	New York	50	49
3. KUAT	6	Tucson (Nogales)	48	42
3. WHA	21	Madison	48	42
5. KAID	4	Boise	47	50
6. KHET	11	Honolulu	46	36
6. KNME	5	Albuquerque	46	37
8. KAET	8	Phoenix	45	40
8. WGBH	2	Boston	45	44
8. WMVS	10	Milwaukee	45	36
8. WXXI	21	Rochester, N.Y.	45	49
12. KDIN	11	Des Moines-Ames	43	38
12. WPBT	2	Miami-Ft. Lauderdale	43	30
14. WJCT	7	Jacksonville	42	31
15. KTWU	11	Topeka	40	(25)
16. WVIA	44	Scranton-Wilkes Barre	39	42
17. KETA	13	Oklahoma City	38	31
17. KQED	9	San Francisco-Oakland	38	36
19. KRMA	6	Denver	37	37
19. KUON	12	Lincoln	37	32
21. KOAP	10	Portland, Oregon	36	35
21. WEDH	24	Hartford-New Haven	36	33
21. WNED	17	Buffalo	36	30
21. WQLN	44	Erie	36	36
25. WMHT	17	Albany-Schenectady-Troy	35	36
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25. WYES	12	New Orleans	35	34



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

August 7, 1976

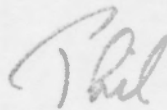
*Presidents
scheduling
9/10-11/76
Murray*

Dear Hollow Echo:

Much to my regret, I doubt that I will be able to join you and my other friends from Ann Arbor days at the Michigamua reunion for its 75th anniversary on September 10 and 11. I deeply regret that I cannot be there, but I send very best wishes for a successful and happy reunion.

I am very sorry to hear about Jack Brennan's death during the winter before last.

Sincerely,



Philip W. Buchen
Counsel to the President

Mr. R. J. Canning
Manager
Corporate Financial Manpower Operation
General Electric Company
3135 Easton Turnpike
Fairfield, Connecticut 06431

cc: John C. Feldkamp
Old Braves Council
1500 Student Activities Building
The University of Michigan
Ann Arbor, Michigan 48104



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August 4, 1976

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HOW!

By now each of you should have received two letters from Ann Arbor concerning the 75th anniversary of Michigamua on September 10 and 11. All along I have been planning to go, but had not responded; and obviously, neither have any of you since the most recent letter didn't list any of us as attending.

Two years ago during our 35th class reunion, Old Braves (and I do mean OLD!) Heikkinen, Kettler, Reid, Spoden, and yours truly, had a brief meeting in the Wigwam prior to the game (picture enclosed). Afterwards, we were joined by Fred Janke and Phil Woodworth, so at least some of us were able to get together. Sorry more of you couldn't have made it.

The Old Braves Council has planned quite an affair as their letters indicate. It will be great if you can make it. Please let John Feldkamp know of your plans.

Best regards,

Hollow Echo
R. J. Canning
Manager

RJC:sb

cc: John C. Feldkamp
Old Braves Council
1500 Student Activities Building
The University of Michigan
Ann Arbor, Michigan 48104

P. S. - Some of you may not know that Straw Scalp Jack Brennan passed away during the winter of 1974/75.





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ANN ARBOR

MICHIGAN WIGWAM

