

JFK S TEXAS TOUR

Demo Factions To Be Pacified, Salinger Says

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WASHINGTON — The White House Wednesday stuck to its "strictly nonpolitical" label for President Kennedy's tour of Texas but said every one of the state's Democrats now quarreling over tickets will be accommodated.

Press Secretary Pierre Salinger released a detailed presidential itinerary that includes a three-hour stay in Dallas and said the National Democratic Committee will pick up the tab for any excess costs necessitated by Friday night's political speech in Austin.

The non-political label was even applied to an appreciation dinner scheduled in Houston Thursday night for Rep. Albert Thomas, an ardent Democrat and one of the administration's most powerful supporters in the House.

"That is a bipartisan appreciation dinner," Salinger maintained.

Details of the President's trip closely followed previously announced schedules with stops in San Antonio, Houston, Fort Worth, Dallas and Austin. The presidential party will spend Thursday night in Fort Worth and Friday night at Vice President Lyndon Johnson's ranch near Austin.

FIRST FOR JACKIE

Mrs. Kennedy will make her first trip to Texas as First Lady.

"Mrs. Kennedy will participate in most of the activities," the White House announced, but said there would be no special functions scheduled for her.

Vice President Johnson will be also along at every stop, as will most of the state's Democratic contingent in Congress.

The White House, however, declined to identify those who will be traveling with the President until after his departure from Washington Thursday morning. No invitation list has been made public.

Salinger acknowledged the running quarrel among Texas Democrats over tickets to the various presidential appearances and said: "Every faction of the Democrat-

ic party will be taken care of." Feuding has been under way between supporters of Gov. John Connally and Vice President Johnson on the one hand and supporters of Sen. Ralph Yarborough on the other.

ONLY POLITICAL

The White House insisted that the Friday night fund-raising dinner in Austin will be the only political appearance of the tour and said the national party will defray any costs incurred.

"The Democratic National Committee will pay for any mileage (flying time) required to get to Austin—over and above the normal requirements for the non-political appearances," Salinger said.

He admitted this would not amount to much but declined to name a figure. The President would have to fly to Austin anyway to get to the Johnson ranch. As of now, newsmen will be barred from the ranch while the Kennedys are guests.

The President will do Washington Thursday morning and arrive in San Antonio at 1:30 p.m. to dedicate the Aerospace Medical Health Center at Brooks Air Force Base. A motorcade will take the President from San Antonio International Airport to the air base.

OFF TO HOUSTON

He will leave San Antonio at 3:30 p.m. for Houston, where another motorcade will whisk him from the airport to the Rice Hotel. He will speak at the appreciation dinner for Rep. Thomas, then leave for Fort Worth where he arrives at Carswell Air Force Base at 10:45 p.m. Another motorcade will take him to the Texas Hotel.

The President will address a breakfast sponsored by the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce, then fly to Dallas for a luncheon sponsored by the Dallas Citizens Council, the Dallas Assembly and the Graduate Research Center of the Southwest.

Still another motorcade—55 minutes long—will take President

JFK Timetable

WASHINGTON BUREAU

WASHINGTON—Following is the schedule for the visit of President Kennedy's party to Texas Thursday, Friday and Saturday

THURSDAY

- 11:00 A.M.—President departs Washington.
- 1:30 P.M.—Arrives San Antonio airport.
- 1:40 P.M.—Departs airport in motorcade to Aero-Space Center at Brooks Air Force Base.
- 2:25 P.M.—Arrives Brooks AFB for dedication.
- 3:03 P.M.—Departs Brooks for Kelly Field.
- 3:30 P.M.—Departs Kelly Field for Houston.
- 4:15 P.M.—Arrives Houston airport.
- 4:25 P.M.—Leaves airport via motorcade for Rice Hotel.
- 5:00 P.M.—Arrives Rice Hotel.
- 8:35 P.M.—Departs hotel for Coliseum for Thomas dinner.
- 8:45 P.M.—Arrives Coliseum.
- 9:30 P.M.—Leaves Coliseum for airport.
- 10:00 P.M.—Departs airport for Fort Worth.
- 10:45 P.M.—Arrives Carswell, motorcade to Texas Hotel.
- 11:00 P.M.—Arrives hotel.

FRIDAY

- 8:45 A.M.—Breakfast, Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce.
 - 10:30 A.M.—Leaves hotel for Carswell.
 - 11:15 A.M.—Departs Carswell for Love Field.
 - 11:35 A.M.—Arrives Love Field, leaves in motorcade.
 - 12:30 P.M.—Arrives Trade Mart.
 - 2:00 P.M.—Leaves Trade Mart for Love Field.
 - 2:35 P.M.—Departs Love Field for Bergstrom AFB Austin.
 - 3:15 P.M.—Arrives Bergstrom, motorcade to Commodore Perry Hotel.
 - 3:55 P.M.—Arrives hotel.
 - 4:15 P.M.—Reception in Commodore Perry sponsored by State Democratic Executive Committee.
 - 6:00 P.M.—Leaves for reception at Governor's mansion.
 - 6:45 P.M.—Leaves mansion for hotel.
 - 8:15 P.M.—Leaves hotel for Municipal Auditorium.
 - 8:20 P.M.—Arrives auditorium for fund-raising dinner.
 - 9:30 P.M.—Leaves auditorium for Bergstrom.
 - 9:45 P.M.—Leaves Bergstrom by helicopter for LBJ Ranch.
 - 10:20 P.M.—Arrives LBJ Ranch.
- No schedule available for Saturday. Tentatively plans to leave Austin at midday for Washington.

Kennedy from Love Field to the luncheon site at the Trade Mart.

AUSTIN SCHEDULE

The President will leave Love Field at 2:35 p.m. to journey to Austin, where he doffs his non-political hat and puts on the "one-labeled party leader. There he will attend one reception sponsored by the State Democratic Executive Committee and another sponsored by Gov. Connally before making the big speech at the party rally in Austin's Municipal Auditorium.

President and Mrs. Kennedy will return to Washington Saturday after an overnight stay at the Johnson ranch.

In what may be a disappointment to many loyalist Democrats unable to get tickets to the non-partisan meetings set up for the

President, the White House said no airport speeches are planned at any of the cities.

The nonpolitical schedule, while billed as nonpolitical, will nevertheless allow the President maximum exposure in Texas. He is not only hitting the state's major population centers but is following an unusual custom in allowing the use of motorcades in each city.

In many cases of the President's travels, helicopters are used in place of motorcade to trim travel time. The only helicopter trip on his Texas schedule will be one from Austin to the LBJ ranch.

The Gombie Stream Game Reserve is 60 square miles of forested valleys and treeless ridges in Tanganyika.