

State Dinner in Honor of President Shehu Shagari of Nigeria, 10/7/80

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THE WHITE HOUSE

The State Dinner in Honor of President Shahu ShagariTHE DINNER

Guests will be seated at round tables covered with earthy, clay-colored clothes. White napkins will be tied with rust or gold colored ribbons. Each table will have fall foliage, consisting of rust asters, yellow field flowers, berries and grape leaves, in a ceramic piece, the work of Paul Chaleff of New York, who has loaned part of his collection for this occasion. Tables will be set with the Truman china, the Vermeil flatware and Morgantown crystal.

Menu

Supreme of Halibut in herb sauce
Fleurons

Roast Stuffed Saddle of Lamb
Eggplant Nicoise
Broccoli in butter

Romaine Lettuce Salad
Port Salut Cheese

Hazelnut Ice Cream Bombe
Candied Fruits
Petits Fours

THE ENTERTAINMENT

Cicely Tyson, the widely-acclaimed Afro-American actress, will deliver a series of readings under the program title "Variations on a Theme by Robert Hayden: Runagate, Runagate." Featured Afro-American poets are Gwendolyn Brooks, Countee Cullen, Paul Lawrence Dunbar, Mari Evans, Nikki Giovanni, Langston Hughes and James Weldon Johnson. Nigerian poets are Goerge Okara, Shahu Shagari and Wole Soyinka.

Ms. Tyson's most prominent performances during the last few years have been as Harriet Tubman in the television special, "A Woman Called Moses," as Binta, the mother of Kunte Kinta in "Roots," for which she received an Emmy nomination, and Rebecca in the film, "Sounder," for which she received an Oscar nomination. Ms. Tyson has been honored with an unprecedented two Emmys as Best Actress in the coveted role of "The Autobiography of Miss Jane Pittman."

Modern African and Afro-American literature were inspired by and came to maturity within the context of their author's and people's respective struggles for freedom and identity. Black literary expression has been inextricably linked to blacks' political, social and economic experience in Africa, Europe and the Americas.

DINNER - Tuesday, October 7, 1980 at 7:30 p.m.

The President & Mrs. Carter

His Excellency Alhaji Shehu Shagari
President of the Federal Republic of Nigeria
His Excellency Dr. Ishaya S. Audu
Minister of External Affairs of Nigeria
His Excellency Alhaji Umaru Dikko
Minister of Transportation
His Excellency Alhaji Ibrahim Gusau
Minister of Agriculture
Alhaji Shehu Musa
Secretary to the Government of the Federation
His Excellency The Ambassador of Nigeria
& Mrs. Jolaoso
Chief A.M.A. Akinloye
Chairman, National Party of Nigeria
Chief Adeniran Ogunsanya
Chairman, Nigerian People's Party
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Leader of the Senate
The Honorable Alhaji Y. Kaltungo
Leader of House of Representatives
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State Chief of Protocol
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Nigerian Newsprint Manufacturing Company, Limited
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Businessman
Chief Akin Olugbade
Businessman
Chief Jerome Udoji
Businessman

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The Secretary of Agriculture & Mrs. Bergland
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& Hon. William B. Harris
The Secretary of Energy & Mrs. Duncan
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Senator & Mrs. Paul E. Tsongas (Massachusetts)
Rep. & Mrs. Louis Stokes (Ohio)
Rep. & Mrs. Charles B. Rangel (New York)
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Guest: Norman B. Houston
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Assistant to the President for Intergovernmental Affairs
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Dir., Office of Science and Technology Policy
Guest: Ms. Paula Press
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Pres., International Bank for Reconstruction & Development
Admiral & Mrs. Stansfield Turner
Director of Central Intelligence
Hon. & Mrs. Stephen Low
American Ambassador to Nigeria
The Chief of Protocol & Mrs. Valdez
Mr. & Mrs. Louis E. Martin
Special Assistant to the President
Hon. Richard M. Moose
Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs
Guest: Ms. Debbie Schwartz

Mr. Gerald Funk
National Security Council staff member

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Pres., African-American Institute, NYC

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for Special Political Affairs

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Vice Pres. for Middle East & Africa, General Electric Corp.

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Ms. Gwendolyn Brooks
Author, Chicago, Illinois
Guest: Mrs. Prilla Stroman

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Comptroller, State of Illinois

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October 7, 1980

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Coverage of Nigeria State Dinner:

- 7:10 p.m. Press pickup for arrival of
guest - Diplomatic Reception
Room Hallway
- 7:20 p.m. Pickup for arrival of
President Alhaji Shehu Shagari
North Portico
- 7:45 p.m. Grand Staircase Photo Opportunity
Pool Coverage
- 8:30 p.m. Toasts
(Approximately) State Dining Room
Pool coverage - Remarks piped
into press office
- 10:00 p.m. Entertainment coverage
(Approximately) Pool coverage
(5 minutes only)