



RICHARD M. NIXON AND WIFE, PAT, GREET PITTSBURG CROWD  
More than 2,000 supporters cheered candidate's stand on Cuban arms blockade

## U.S., RUSSIA SETS OFF NEW A-TESTS

WASHINGTON — The Atomic Energy Commission today announced two nuclear test explosions, one at Johnston Island in the Pacific and an underground blast at the Nevada test site. It also announced a Russian blast.

The announcement said the Johnston Island test device in the intermediate range, was dropped from an airplane as part of an exercise called Operation Dominic. It took place at 5:15 a.m. Hawaiian time today, the AEC said.

The underground test was the 56th announced Nevada test, the AEC said.

The Russian nuclear test explosion came early today in the atmosphere in the Novaya Zemlya area. The announcement said it was in the intermediate yield range.

## Bomb Talk Jails U.S. Airman

"Did you bring your bomb?" asked one airman of another early this morning.

And since he made the dare mistake of doing his wisecracking at San Francisco International Airport, he was promptly arrested and now faces the possibility of a \$1,000 fine and or a year in jail.

Frank L. Price, special agent in charge of the FBI in San Francisco, said Airman 1C Martin John Mines, 21, stationed at McClellan Air Force Base, is charged with imparting false information concerning a bomb aboard an aircraft and that a complaint will be filed before the U.S. Commissioner on Monday.

Mines, who is from Hartington, Neb., is in the San Mateo County jail.

## Final Services To Be Held for Ray A. Leavitt

ALAMEDA — Services for Ray A. Leavitt, 77, who retired in 1952 after 25 years as custodian at Emerson School in Oakland, will be conducted at 11 a.m. Monday at the chapel of Fowler Anderson funeral directors, 2224 Santa Clara Ave.

Mr. Leavitt was awarded a life membership in the California Congress of Parents and Teachers for service "beyond the call of duty" at Emerson School. He had been active in Boy Scout and Sea Scout work, the Dads Club and Bushrod Folk Dancers.

He resided with his wife Florence A. in Lodi at the time of his death.

Surviving in addition to his wife are a son, Relfe K. Leavitt, a brother Charles, a sister Edna Menges, and three granddaughters.

He was a member of Sequoia Lodge No. 349 F & M of the California School Employees Association, Oakland Chapter and the Emerson School P.T.A.

## Jackie's Weekend

WASHINGTON — Mrs. Jacqueline Kennedy and her two children left the White House late yesterday for a weekend at her father's estate in Middleburg Heights, Ohio.

## Retired Policeman Dies in Fall

Cecil Louis Jensen, 60, a retired Oakland policeman, was fatally injured when he fell down a flight of basement stairs while helping a friend with some minor carpentry.

Mr. Jensen of 3339 14th Ave. was visiting Kristian Hansen, 3607 19th Ave. yesterday when the accident occurred. Coroner's deputies said he died en route to Highland Hospital.

After 20 years of service with the Oakland Police Department, Mr. Jensen retired in 1957.

He was an amateur inventor and devised a system for making bullets so inexpensively many years back that the city could get his for 45 cents a box while commercial firms charged \$3.50.

Mr. Jensen is survived by his widow, Mae, and son Melvin of the 14th Ave. address and by a sister Evelyn Miller of Oakland and a brother Lowell of Los Angeles.

## Nellie Foster Memorial Set

BERKELEY — Memorial services will be held at 2 p.m. tomorrow for Miss Nellie Foster, 72, at the Friends Meeting House, Vine and Walnut Streets in Berkeley.

Miss Foster, of 2731 Shasta Road, Berkeley, a veteran Bay Area social worker, died Wednesday at Kaiser Hospital in Oakland.

She was born in Chicago and graduated from Hastings College in Michigan in 1924. She organized a program of social service in Puerto Rico at the invitation of that government.

From 1943 to 1960, when she retired, she was a senior medical worker in the Berkeley clinic operated by Alameda County Institutions.

She is survived by her sister Mrs. Stanley Ross of Wilbraham, Mass.

Richard M. Nixon Republican candidate for Governor of California will make a special half-hour statement of major importance regarding Cuba over a statewide television network tonight.

The telecast originating in San Diego, will be carried by KTVU (Channel 2) at 9:30 p.m. and by other stations in Los Angeles and San Diego.

Announcing the TV address at a rally in Vallejo last night, Nixon said:

"I am directing it to the people of the state through a special network because of the urgency of the situation."

Democratic Gov. Edmund G. Brown, whom Nixon seeks to unseat in the Nov. 6 general election, was in Washington D.C. today attending a meeting of the Civil Defense Committee of the Governors' Conference on the Cuban crisis.

## Nixon to Appear On Statewide TV

California leads the nation in crime because of the failure of the current administration to back up local agencies with proper laws.

Nixon pledged that if he is elected he will bring to Sacramento the best men and women for the jobs regardless of party label to work on these problems.

Another crowd of about 1,000, including hundreds of school children, greeted Nixon at the San Ramon Village shopping center.

He said he has long advocated a stronger stand toward Cuba and added:

"Let us all support the President when he says America will stand firm to protect the Free World's peace and security."

## PRaises Kennedy

Nixon, at a series of campaign rallies in Alameda and Contra Costa counties yesterday, praised President Kennedy's decision to set up the Cuban blockade and said it decreased, instead of increased, the threat of all out war.

He also rejected "suggestions from some quarters" that the campaign should be suspended because of the Cuban situation.

"One of the great marks of America is that we have never in our history discontinued political discussion, even when we have been at war."

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MANDATORY COURSES

"Rather than rule out the subject of Communism for debate we should discuss how to deal with it effectively at home. We should want to stand up on this issue and be counted."

Nixon repeatedly urged that every high school in California have a mandatory anti-Communist course under local school district supervision and offering a multiple choice of textbooks.

To a crowd of between 2,000 and 2,500 cheering supporters in Pittsburg, Nixon said:

"My experience as Vice President convinced me that the way to keep the peace in the face of Communist aggression is to stand firm rather than to retreat."

He cited U.S. firmness regarding Quemoy, Matsu and Lebanon during the Eisenhower administration as examples.

CASTRO A MADMAN

"If the blockade hadn't been imposed, more weapons of destruction would have reached Castro's hands and that would have created a real war danger, a danger like Hitler did."

Khrushchev isn't impulsive like that. He is a man who uses his temper, never loses it. He won't make a decision until he analyzes all its ramifications. He won't risk Moscow to save Havana."

Turning to California's problems, Nixon said taxes and government waste must be reduced if we are to build industry, create more jobs for our young people and promote the general prosperity of the state.

Nixon said he would like to see a law passed that would require every state to have a mandatory anti-Communist course in its high schools.

## Ike Backs Kennedy in Crisis But Attacks on Other Issues

MARION, Ill. — (UPI) — Former President Eisenhower said today the Cuban crisis must not become an excuse for silence or submission by us Republicans in the current political campaign.

Eisenhower flew into Illinois' southern "Little Egypt" country to boost the reelection candidates of minority leader Sen. Everett M. Dirksen and House minority whip Leslie Andrews.

Eisenhower paid tribute to President Kennedy's role as our constitutional leader and our constitutional spokesman in facing up to the Soviet buildup of missiles in Cuba.

"But we do not have to support the dominant faction of his party or the doctrine it teaches and practices," he said.

Through the rest of this campaign until the polling

places close Nov. 6 we must make sure that we defeat his recent efforts to get in Washington a virtually one-party Congress.

"No crisis of any sort, no acceptable theory of government, justifies an attempt to make the Congress a rubber stamp for decrees and pronouncements by the Executive. The people of America must not be reduced to a level of a regimented herd blindly confusing total silence for genuine loyalty."

The former President said such silence is equated with loyalty only under dictatorship and only a totalitarian dictator can enforce it.

It was Eisenhower's strongest political statement since the beginning of the Cuban crisis Monday. He was expected to keep plugging the po-

litical theme in a quick tour of Kentucky later today.

Although he said it is the duty of every loyal American to support "without hesitation" the directives of the President now, Eisenhower added:

"When the present crisis shall have passed into history — as have all the crises I have witnessed in a long lifetime — it will be entirely proper to inspect and analyze and criticize all the decisions and actions, foreign and domestic, taken in the last 21 months."

It was the first such action along the Berlin Wall since the beginning of the Cuban crisis. The Communists sent out flares to spot their human targets but missed all about 30 shots, it was reported.

## Nine Dodge Shots, Flee East Berlin

BERLIN — (UPI) — Nine East German refugees in two groups dodged the bullets of Communist border guards to escape into West Berlin during the night, Western authorities said today.

It was the biggest escape total in several years. West Berlin police said some of the refugees were cut while scrambling through barbed wire, but that none was wounded by bullets.

A driving rain added the refugees by helping to keep the Communist border guards under cover, police said.

## South Africa Acts

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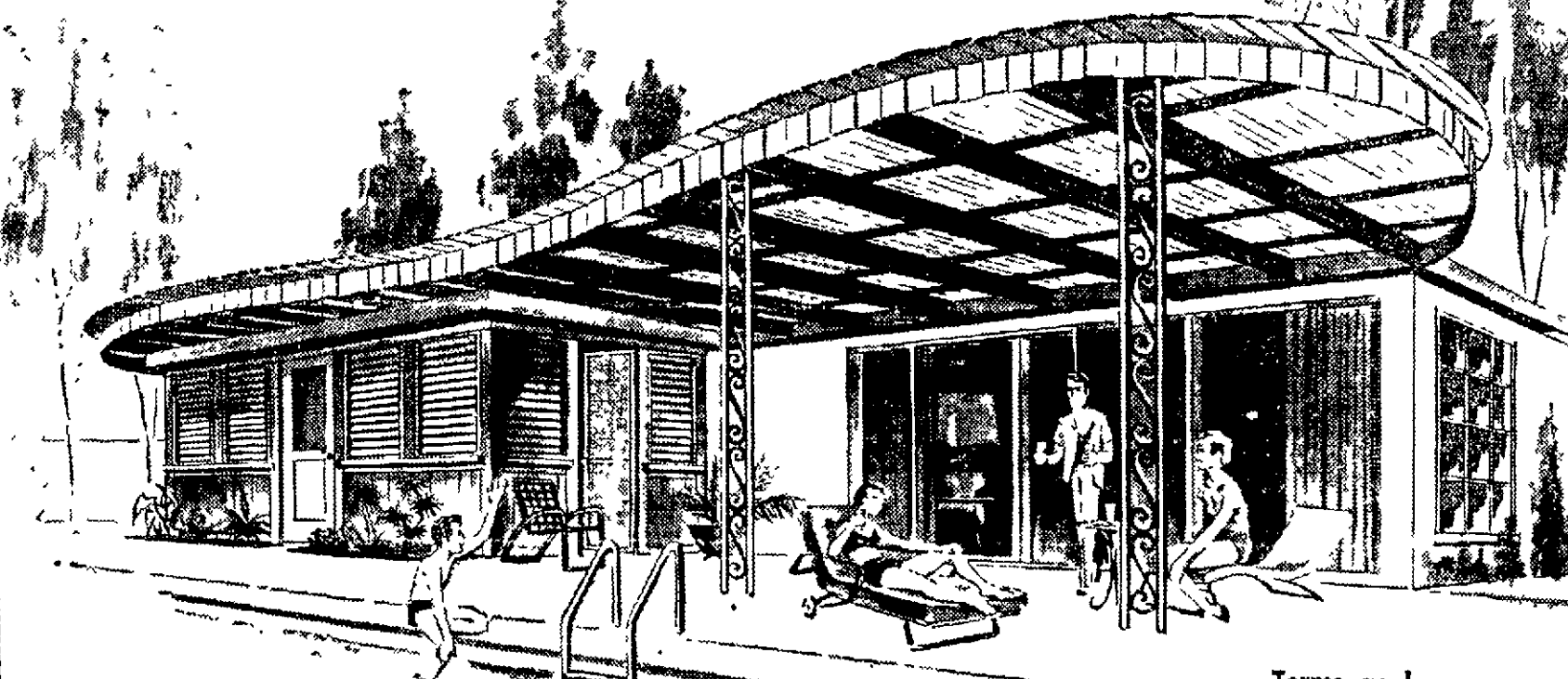
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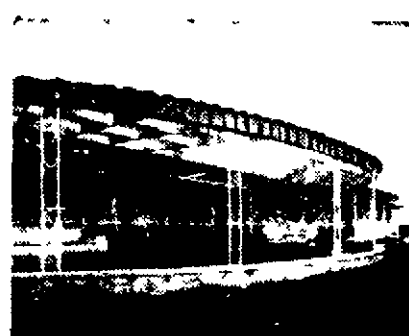
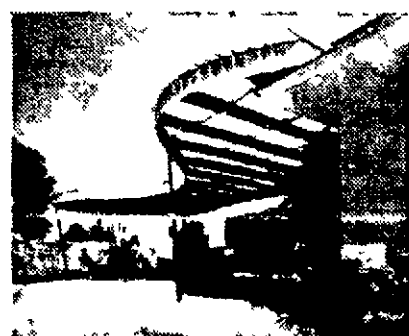
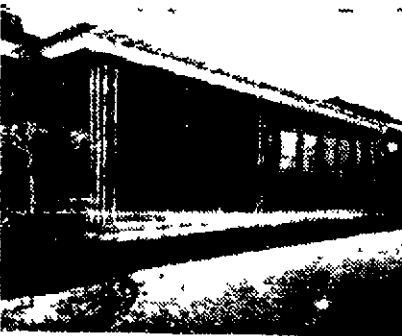
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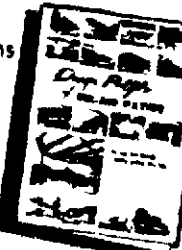
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