



THE NIXONS GO ON STAGE AT THE WHITE HOUSE TO THANK JOHNNY CASH AND HIS WIFE FOR ENTERTAINING THE PRESIDENT AND HIS GUESTS AT AN EAST ROOM CONCERT.

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Newsmen keep describing President Nixon as a "loner," but the figures show that in his first year as President, Richard Nixon entertained 30,600 personal guests at the White House, an all-time high.

The old hospitality mark of 26,000 was set by Lyndon Johnson in 1968. President Eisenhower's top

guest list was a measly 3200.

These figures do not include tourists who pass through the White House on daily guided tours, or state guests.

The Nixon entertainment statistics were revealed in a House Appropriations subcommittee hearing which showed that the White House entertainment budget for the current year is now \$100,000 in the red.