Eisenhower Predicted One Term for Nixon

WASHINGTON, June 16 (UPI) — Former President Dwight D. Eisenhower predicted in early 1968 that President Nixon would be a "one-term President" because he would sacrifice his chances for re-election by taking the hard steps necessary to control inflation, the Atlantic magazine reported today. But, in a copyrighted article, Rowland Evans Jr. and Robert D. Novak concluded that Mr. Nixon had lost his fight against inflation because he first refused to face reality and then shunned tough policies for fear they would cause a major recession and cost him the election next year.

General Eisenhower was quoted as telling one of Mr. Nixon's advisers, "I think Dick's going to be elected President but I think he's going to fight inflation, and that will kill him politically."