

Mr. Nixon's

Quiet

Holiday

Washington

President Nixon spent the final day of 1972 immersed in speech-writing and football, then abandoned the gray drizzle of Camp David to spend a "quiet" New Year's Eve alone at the White House.

The nation's No. 1 football fan was by his television set, rooting for the home-town team, as the Washington Redskins routed the Dallas Cowboys, 26 to 3, to win a Super Bowl berth.

Aides said he planned "a quiet New Year's Eve at the White House" and would be alone because his wife was en route to California for Rose Bowl festivities and his daughters and their husbands are abroad.

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