

Nixon Signs Bill Repealing Law on Detention Centers

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 25 (AP)—President Nixon Saturday signed a bill repealing a 21-year-old law establishing detention centers for suspected subversives.

The bill, passed by Congress earlier this month, also prohibits re-establishment of the detention centers without the consent of Congress.

The 1950 law had never been invoked, but during debate on its repeal supporters cited widespread rumors that it would be used to imprison persons with unpopular beliefs.