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Quiet Family
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Christmas
For Nixon

San Clemente

Former President Nixon, still recovering from phlebitis surgery, will spend "a quiet family Christmas" with his wife and daughters at his seaside villa, an aide said yesterday.

Mr. Nixon's eldest daughter, Tricia Cox, and her husband, Edward, were already at the Nixon home Monday, and daughter Julie Eisenhower and her husband, David, were expected to arrive in time for Christmas Day.

Mr. Nixon's personal physician, Dr. John C. Lungren, said yesterday that Mr. Nixon's mental condition is "rather remarkable for what he has been through" and his recovery "is following the projected course."

"He is doing actual work improvement and is increasing his activity," said Lungren, who said he visited Mr. Nixon last Friday. 20 DEC

"he is doing actual work on his various projects, sometimes sitting in a chair. He has short periods of walking; added up it equals about two miles a day."

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