

## IRELAND WELCOMES SENATOR KENNEDY

New Ross, Ireland, March 2 (AP) - Sen. Edward M. Kennedy was given a warm welcome today in this sleepy Irish town from which his ancestors sailed to America.

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Senator Kennedy kept clear of political subjects here and during stops at Shannon and Dublin, except to say that he would not be a candidate in the 1972 Presidential race.

Mr. Kennedy first visited New Ross in 1962 when he was launching his campaign for a place in the Senate from Massachusetts... The Senator's main purpose this time was to see the John F. Kennedy Memorial Park...

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## KENNEDY ASSAYS MEANS OF REFORM

by Anthony Lewis

Dublin, March 3 - In the examination hall of Trinity College, Dublin, Senator Edward M. Kennedy spoke tonight about the enduring elements of a civilized politics: "decency, tolerance, reason and respect for freedom against all onslaughts."

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The Senator deplored "the present reactions" in America to demands for reform of society: "the words 'law and order,' the trials, the jailings, the public statements and name-calling by men in high office."

"Discontent must either be met or suppressed," he said. "To meet it is liberation. To suppress it is the end of liberty."

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