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More Work Today

A Weekend of Sailing for Nixon

Catalina Island

President Nixon continued his weekend yacht cruise in Pacific waters near this offshore island yesterday, attracting the attention of pleasure boaters.

Hoisting anchor at 9:30 a.m., the President's borrowed 85-foot motor yacht Mojo gave three short farewell blasts of its horn as it left the harbor. Answering blasts came from surrounding craft.

Mr. Nixon walked out to the bow and returned greetings of well-wishers in small boats who came out to escort the Mojo from the harbor on its way to a second day of cruising in the ocean near the Western White House at San Clemente south of Los Angeles.

The President had a Saturday night steak dinner aboard with his friend C. G. (Bebe) Rebozo of Key Biscayne, Fla., and Paul Keyes, Hollywood producer of the

television show "Laugh-In."

After two days of yachting, Mr. Nixon will settle back today into his Western White House routine of the past ten days — meeting with staff aides and doing a lot of reading on budget and diplomatic matters.

Elliot Richardson, health and welfare secretary, will fly in this week to confer with the President on topics concerning his department.

Press secretary Ronald Ziegler went out of his way to stress what he called the "excellent relationship" between Mr. Nixon and Richardson.

Ziegler said "the secretary understands, supports, and has been part of the President's policies. He has the President's utmost confidence. The President feels he's doing an excellent job. The relationship could not be better. The atmosphere in which this meeting will take place could not be better."

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