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White House Notes: More than a few guests at the White House dinner for Willy Brandt noticed a change in the President's appearance. The Watergate case seems to have taken its toll, physically. Instead of bristling with his usual confidence and vigor, his expression seemed less sure, and weary under his party facade. It was the first time anyone noticed a definite stoop about his shoulders that added to his years.

As for Pat Nixon, one dinner guest said, "Usually she puts forth tremendously. But tonight I think she was just going through the motions."

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