

# Pat's Luncheon

## Buttered Peas at the Palace

### Brussels

Pat Nixon yesterday attended a luncheon hosted by Queen Fabiola of Belgium at the 18th century Laeken Palace.

Traveling with her husband to the Moscow summit, Mrs. Nixon left the U.S. ambassador's residence as the President walked along the royal park shaking hands with spectators.

The queen met Mrs. Nixon at the door of the palace. The guests had aperitifs in the Red Room and then went to King Albert's study, a small dining room.

After a luncheon of salmon, beef fillet, buttered peas and strawberry ice cream, Mrs. Nixon and the queen entered the palace garden for a brief photography session.

The first lady, wearing a green, navy blue and white suit, chatted with the queen in English as photographers and reporters crowded as close as the security guards would allow them. The queen wore a rose-red patterned dress and matching hat.

Mrs. Nixon told photographers, "Oh, take a picture of the beautiful view," pointing to the 400 acres of woods



AP Wirephoto  
Pat Nixon and Belgium's Queen Fabiola stopped in the garden of the Palace in Brussels yesterday.

surrounding the palace.

Asked if she was enjoying herself, the First Lady said,

"Tremendously, of course, tremendously."

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