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That's Me All Over

IN ONE EAR: As of now, G. Moscone and J. Barbagelata are running neck-and-neck for Mayor. I can report this with assurance because some bemused San Franciscans have mistaken their sample for absentee ballots and mailed them to the Registrar. As of last Friday, the vote made in Barbagelata 2 — and all Galleries on zip . . . If you Ethiopia, it's the custom for the mother will make the land more . . .

Why are you looking at me like that? Hollywood flash in Variety: Irving S. White has written and will produce a film titled "The Heretic," based on the life and times of the late Bishop James A. Pike of Grace Cathedral and elsewhere. I hope he includes the Sunday scene here years ago when an electric storm blew out the lights as Jim was preaching. As candles were hastily placed around him, he cracked: "I thought I'd get a trial first!"



OUR TIMES: K. T. Cameron, having rec'd a letter from the Committee to Reopen the Rosenberg Case that had obviously been opened and resealed, wonders if the prying Feds have a Committee to Open the Mail of the Committee to Reopen the Rosenberg Case . . . And Kevin Costello, the North Beach playwright, sent the original and copy of his latest play to a New York agent; it has been lost in the mail, "but on the other hand," he surmises, "since its 'hero' is a defecting CIA agent, perhaps it was FOUND in the mail"



ALONG THE PICKLED BEAT: As the police surrounded and grabbed a suspected bandito in Laurel Heights, a sport wearing tennis whites emerged from the nearby Laurel Lodge to offer a bowl of popcorn to all concerned, and all partook. "It was a vignette as typical of San Francisco as Rice-a-Roni," says Don Nivens, who drank it in with gusto. Lo-cal gusto, I should add . . . About all those blindfolded people sipping drinks under the supervision of Court at Perry's — they contention that differentiate be-
Time.