

# Gala for POWs At White House

THURMONT (Md.) — (UPI) — President Nixon, who spent the night at his Camp David mountain retreat, returned to the White House today to be briefed by adviser Henry Kissinger on his week of talks in Paris with North Vietnam's Le Duc Tho.

Kissinger, who returned to Washington shortly before midnight, told reporters that "significant progress was made" during his six meetings with Tho since last Thursday. The meetings will resume in Paris in two weeks, he said.

#### No Comment

When his jet touched down at Andrews Air Force Base outside Washington last night, Kissinger cheerfully waved at waiting newsmen and television cameras but made no comment.

"Le Duc Tho and I will

meet again on June 6," Kissinger told newsmen in Paris. "We have every intention of concluding our discussions during the next series of meetings."

#### Aide to Saigon

But Kissinger did not comment on the substance of the meetings, designed to strengthen the Vietnam cease-fire agreement. His top aide, William H. Sullivan, meanwhile flew to Saigon to discuss the situation with South Vietnamese leaders.

Nixon motored to Camp David with a small group of his aides after a meeting with House Republican leaders late yesterday. Asked if the Watergate scandal was discussed during the meeting, House GOP leader Gerald Ford replied: "More important things than that." He did not elaborate.