

President Exudes Self-Confident Air

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The Presidential resentment was so pungent in the East Room of the White House yesterday that Mr. Nixon's smiling disclaimers were ignored. He resents with a tight smile, a sideways wisecrack, a fighting stance that turns [the reporters'] questions into insults and his answers into combat.

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