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Julie Nixon Eisenhower speaks to Mortarboard Society.

Group Hears Address By Julie Eisenhower

Julie Nixon Eisenhower said yesterday it's no laughing matter for women with a family to think about running for president.

Some women in a luncheon audience started to laugh when President Nixon's daughter was asked if it is "feasible" for a woman to be president.

"I don't want anyone to laugh," she declared, "because I take it seriously. I think a woman could run for presi-

dent if she had a family . . . In the next 10 years I can see a woman running and winning."

Does she have this aspiration herself.

"I just don't really have any plans," she replied. "I'm not even planning to run for Congress and you have to do something as your stepping stone."

Mrs. Eisenhower spoke to about 200 women at a luncheon in the Kennedy Center's top floor atrium, given by the Washington chapter of the Mortar Board Alumnae Club. The group is an honor society for college women.

She spoke warmly of the rewards for "those of us who choose to have a family," but added quickly, "This is not a birth announcement for the Eisenhower family."