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MRS JANE TOLMACH=

OXNARD

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URGENT YOU ISSUE PRESS STATEMENT IMMEDIATELY IF NIXON
ANNOUNCES FOR GOVERNOR IN TV PRESS CONFERENCE WEDNESDAY
NIGHT. SUGGEST YOU BRAND HIS CANDIDACY FOR WHAT IT IS -
AN ATTEMPT TO USE GOVERNORSHIP AS A STEPPING STONE TO
PRESIDENCY. THE PEOPLE DIDN'T GO FOR IT WHEN KNOWLAND
TRIED SAME TRICK IN 1958. THEY WON'T LIKE IT ANY BETTER
IN '62 WHEN NIXON TRIES TO CONVERT THE STATE CAPITOL
INTO NIXON FOR PRESIDENT NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS. IF

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NIXON DECLINES TO RUN WE CAN DESCRIBE HIM AS AMBITIOUS
BUT NOT FOOLISH - A CANNY POLITICIAN WHO HAS NO STOMACH
FOR SUDDEN DEATH PLAYOFF EITHER IN THE GOP PRIMARY IN
JUNE OR THE GENERAL ELECTION IN NOVEMBER OF NEXT YEAR.
AM CONFIDENT YOU WILL RESPOND QUICKLY AS EFFECTIVELY TO
WH AT EVER NIXON MAY ANNOUNCE. REGARDS=
ROGER KENT. •••