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## NOTICE TO THE PRESS

## HOSPITAL BULLETIN #5 - 11 AM

Doctors William Fouty and William Lukash at the National Naval Medical Center at Bethesda report that Mrs. Ford had a very enjoyable evening with members of the family and the President last night, and her spirits continue to be excellent today. Her lively sense of humor is evident. She is reading, answering some mail, and watching TV. Her vital signs and the latest routine laboratory studies remain normal. All surgical drainage tubes have been removed. Her post operative course to date continues to be excellent.

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