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• Texas figures large in Kennedy administration plans for the 1964 campaign, and some New Frontier tacticians feel that the state's 25 electoral votes might be decisive. Vice-President Lyndon B. Johnson and Gov. John B. Connally are going to be under increasingly heavy pressure to keep the state in the Democratic fold. Kennedy's Nov. 21-22 visit to Texas will actually launch a major campaign to capture the state.

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• Democratic leaders are worried over the possibility of "incidents" during President Kennedy's Texas visit. They fear segregationists or ultra-conservatives may picket the President or even try to harm him physically.

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