

MANY MEN WHO HAVE SOUGHT THE
AMERICAN PRESIDENCY HAVE BEEN
EMBITTERED BY THE FAILURE TO ACHIEVE
THEIR AMBITION --- DENIED THE PRIZE,
THE SPIRIT OF SOME WAS CRUSHED, FOR
OTHERS -- PERSONALITY AND CHARACTER
WERE SOURED.

EVER AFTERWARDS, IN SHAKESPEARE'S WORDS --
"THE VOYAGE OF THEIR LIFE WAS BOUND IN
SHALLOWS AND MISERIES."

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES TODAY,
THERE SITS A MAN WHO ~~FOUR~~ ^{THREE} TIMES SOUGHT
THE PRESIDENTIAL HOLY GRAIL -- AND ONCE
IN HIS UNSUCCESSFUL RACE FOR THE
PRESIDENCY AGAINST NIXON IN 1968 NEARLY
SUCCEEDED IN GRASPING IT. HE IS HUBERT
HORATIO HUMPHREY.

MR. HUMPHREY BEGINS IN THIS SESSION OF
THE CONGRESS HIS FIFTH TERM IN THE
SENATE -- INTERRUPTED BY FOUR YEARS AS
LYNDON JOHNSON'S VICE PRESIDENT.
SENATOR HUMPHREY HAS OVERCOME MAJOR
SURGERY FOR CANCER. HIS ZEST FOR
LIFE IS UNDIMMED -- HIS HOPES ARE
UNCRUNSHED -- HE GOES ON IN THE
SENATE AS HE BEGAN -- A "HAPPY WARRIOR"
ON THE BATTLEFIELD OF AMERICAN
POLITICS.



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