Airforce One arrives in Houston, November 21, 1963.
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Houstonians greet First Lady Jackie Kennedy after exiting Airforce One at Houston International Airport. To her right is Congressman Albert Thomas, November 21, 1963.
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On November 21, 1963 Thomas's district decided to host a dinner to honor their congressman. Over 3,000 people attended the dinner held in the Houston Coliseum. Some of the notable individuals included President Kennedy, Vice President Johnson, Senator Ralph Yarborough, Congressman Robert Casey, and Texas Governor John Connally.