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PASSING INTO HISTORY -- The world's first nuclear-powered vessel, the submarine USS Nautilis, departs New London (Connecticut) en route to California. She was beginning her final cruise after being on active duty since January 17, 1955. Nautilis broke all previous records for underwater speed and endurance on her first voyages. In 1958, she became the first craft to sail under the ice of the North Pole. In the distance can be seen the Trident-class submarine Michigan under construction. (79-1222)

