

## WHAT CONFIDENCE NOW, AMERICA?

To The Editor, Sir:

Since the American people have been awakened out of their Rip Van Winkle state by the disclosure of the Watergate affair, the cases of Daniel Brewster, Otto Kerner and the latest which is the Spiro Agnew mess or episode, I am now just wondering what confidence and trust they have in their leaders now.

What do you think of this so called great America now?

What confidence and trust do you think the Soviet Union and China has in America now? This is the question.

Do not be surprised readers, this has been going on for years in the government, but it takes something drastic like the recent episodes to bring it to light and make you wonder if you have just been brought out of your dull sleep or slumber you have been in all of these years.

I have a few statements that you should know about that were made by some of the politicians and their constituents, just for you to ponder over and peruse and then you can determine whether you should still have the trust you once had in them. Some of the politicians are good and it must not be misconstrued that I mean otherwise.

The statements are as follows:

1. Richard M. Nixon is the most political president who ever sat in the White House, but he is congenitally devious, when you

talk to this man (Nixon) you never know just what is on his mind. It is something like kissing a girl through a handkerchief. — Emmanuel Cellers (D-N.Y.) after serving more than 50 years in Congress and about the presidents he has served under.

2. Harry S. Truman, Ex-president Harry S. Truman who died in December, 1972, once wrote to his daughter, Margaret, and said that to be a good president a man cannot possibly be a good president by living the Sermon on the Mount (the fifth chapter of Matthew or the beatitudes).

He pointed out that a president must be a Machiavellan, a Louis the eleventh of France, (a Caesar,) a Borgia, a liar and a double crosser, and a what not, in order to be successful.

Now my flag saluting and patriotic friends, what do you think of your leaders now?

Do you still have the same trust and confidence they have tried to instill in you?

What do you think of the high cost of living and the heavy burden placed on you by the high taxes they have imposed upon you? These are the people who have oppressed you with your kind of living today.

Just ponder and peruse over the above and give the complex situation some deep thought great so called America.

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