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Nixon Prosecution Scored

DALLAS—The father of an anti-Nixon member of the House Judiciary Committee has paid for a newspaper advertisement saying bringing former President Nixon to trial for Watergate "would be tantamount to a political, partisan lynching."

The advertisement said it was a joint statement by "Hon. Hamilton Fish Sr., president of Operation Freedom, Inc., and Dr. Ivan Docheff, as spokesman of the millions of Americans of the captive nations."

Fish is the father of Rep. Hamilton Fish Jr. (R-N.Y.), a member of the Judiciary Committee who favored Mr. Nixon's impeachment.

The elder Fish vehemently opposed impeachment and the two had a public falling out over the matter when Fish Sr. released the contents of a letter he had written to his son urging him to come to his senses.