



Q. L. Patrick Gray III, President Nixon's new FBI director—what does the "L" stand for in his name? Also does he hate the press, and is he a Republican?
—J. K., Orange, Calif.

A. Louis Patrick Gray III is a conservative Republican, a longtime Nixon associate who charged some weeks ago in Santa Ana, Calif., at the Law Day banquet of the Orange County Bar Association that American journalists "are becoming too much a part of the culture of disparagement which threatens to destroy all respect for established institutions." Like other Nixonians he targeted his attack on *The New York Times*, *The Washington Post*, the NBC and CBS networks, accusing them of sacrificing "accuracy and objectivity to partisan bias and prejudice." Gray, however, does not hate the press. He is merely suspicious of it.

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