## Nixon Called 'Lonely, Troubled' By Rabbi Korff After Recent Visit

Feb. 9 (UPI)—Richard M. gate." Nixon, six months from a shattered presidency and with transition funds cut off, was described today by a confidant ject this nation to a state of as a "lonely, troubled man."

Rabbi Baruch Korff, who heads the Nixon Justice Fund, visited with the former President at his oceanside villa

here for three days.

"President Nixon is a lonely, troubled man who faces staggering legal fees and hospital bills that he cannot afford," Korff told a news conference at the San Clemente Inn.

The Justice Fund has undertaken the responsibility of paying Nixon's legal fees. (Its ended at midnight Saturday, most recent reported effort cutting back the staff and endwas on the undeveloped Carib- ing the communications equipbean island of St. Lucia, whose 100,000 people were dents. asked by a Korff ad in the biweekly newspaper to send of four-three secretaries and money to Nixon Clemente.)

Korff said Watergate with the former retary, Rose Mary Woods. President and Nixon told him, Nixon held a party for the "I should not have allowed a outgoing staff members Saturclimate to reverberate that day night.

CLEMENTE, Calif. would ever lead to a Water-

Korff also quoted Nixon as saying, "It was wrong of meand because of it I left office -I could not continue to subbedlam."

Korff referred to recent statements by others that Nixon was seeking a place in the Republican Party, or a presidential appointment as ambassador to China.

"The President has no such aspirations," Korff said. "It will not be months, it will be years" before Nixon might seek an active participation in government.

Transition funds for Nixon ment provided former Presi-

Nixon will keep only a staff at San an office manager.

The only well-known holdhe discussed over is long time personal sec-

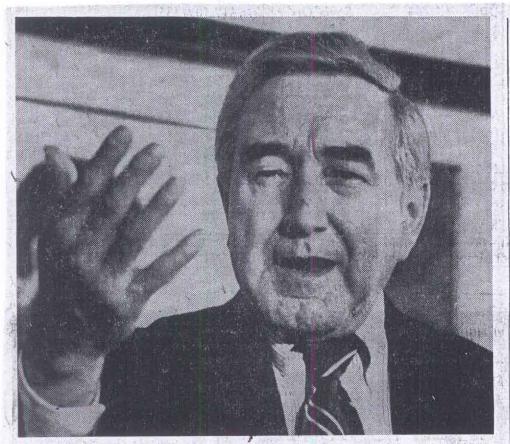
(The Associated Press reported that some of those at the party said Nixon had a tan and walked without a limp from his recent bout with phlebitis and an operation that almost killed him.)

## Nixon Asked Aid In Scandal: Saxbe

NEW YORK, Feb. 9 -Former Attorney General Milliam Saxbe said in an interview published here today that Richard M. Nixon personally - and unsuccessfully sured him to intervene in the Watergate scandal on the side of the former President.

Saxbe, who became, Attorney General at the height of the Watergate scandal in late 1973 and has since been named ambassador to India, was quoted by People magazine as saying "Nixon himself felt that I should get involved in his defense at the Justice Department. This was the first approach - directly by Mr.

"He called me over and we sat and talked about



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