

Nixon and Dean

I have long given up on your misprision. Still, I cannot allow your brief report on my visit with President Nixon (NATIONAL AFFAIRS, Jan. 20) to go unheeded. You imply that President Nixon is more fit than my observation would indicate and you document it with a long-range photograph of President Nixon "staring out over the Pacific Ocean."

Tony Korody, "a cameraman on assignment for NEWSWEEK," told me he saw the President fall twice and be helped to



Tony Korody—Sigma

Nixon: How did he look?

his feet by Ron Ziegler during his medically prescribed walk. As to his looking "surprisingly fit," I wish it were true.

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✓ *Two surfers on the San Clemente beach told photographer Korody that they saw Nixon stumble twice as he hurried up a hill leading to his house.*

■ **Re John Dean's release:** Dean did a great service to the nation, and he should have been pardoned the very first day he served in prison.

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