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Presidential Fifth

To the Editor:

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I am surprised that none of the commentators and political observers that I have seen have noted that President Nixon has now joined the ranks of the select few who have taken the Fifth when questioned by the Congress. His invocation of Presidential privilege to protect himself from the investigation of the Watergate affair amounts to the same thing as taking the Fifth. Remember when such actions were regarded as the squirming of evil men?

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