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Judge Byrne dismisses all charges against Ellsberg and Russo, citing "government [conduct which] has placed this case in such a posture it precludes the fair and dispassionate consideration of issues by the jury," such as the wiretap disclosures, Fielding break-in, and that ~~the~~ break-in was carried out by a "special unit reporting to the White House." Says gov't case "[offends] a sense of justice."

After Judge Byrne had discharged the jury, ~~several~~ nine comment on the case and several say they think the case would have ended in acquittal; none say ~~they~~ they would have voted guilty.

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Nixon drives to Camp David, accompanied only by Rebozo.
Mrs. Nixon to join them tomorrow.

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