

*Tapes Support Nixon*

WATERTOWN, Conn., Sept. 25 (AP)—Clark MacGregor, former chairman of the Committee for the Re-election of the President, said last night that he believed tape reading of President Nixon's conversations would substantiate Mr. Nixon's story about the Watergate affair.

"The President knows that history will know every word on the tapes," Mr. MacGregor said.

He said that the people involved in the Watergate affair lacked a "sense of accountability" to the public. Every public office is "a temporary stewardship" to which politicians must be held accountable, he added.

Mr. MacGregor spoke to about 125 persons at the 10th annual dinner meeting of the Watertown-Oakville Chamber of Commerce.