David Eisenhower Says Confession Was Asked NyTimes 3 3 194.
WASHINGTON, Sept. 12 (UPI)—David Eisenhower said today that representatives of President Ford had sought "some kind of confession" before deciding to pardon former President Richard M. Nixon, but that they were refused.
"He wasn't willing to say

Nixon, but that tney were refused.

"He wasn't willing to concede anything," Mr. Nixon's son-in-law said in a telephone interview.

Mr. Eisenhower was asked whether Mr. Nixon accepted the White House view that guilt was implicit in his acceptance of a pardon. He replied that the former President "views himself as an innocent man continues to say so privately."

Mr. Ford's spokesmen have said thy had no conditions on the pardon and that Mr. Nixon's acceptance statement was welcome but was not part of any agreement.