Announcer [following item about Nixon denying any part in 18 1/2 minute tape gap]: Meanwhile, in another courtroom a Nixon attorney argued that the former President should not be requried to submit to an interview by lawyers for kerm a former aide suing Nixon for ordering the tapping of his telephone. Nixon's lawyer cited the need for protecting the confidentiality of presidential discussions in his plea to a U.S. District Court judge to reject former aide Morton Halperin's request for a deposition from Nixon. The former aide is suing Nixon, Secretary of State Henry Kissinger and other top members of the Nixon administration for the tap, which was part of the Nixon administration's efforts to stop news leaks.

* See clippings, 23 Sep 75