

Mrs. Mitchell Bids G.O.P. Expel 'Lindsley' for Stand

WASHINGTON, Oct. 19 (UPI)—Mrs. Martha Mitchell spoke out against New York's Republican Mayor, John V. Lindsay, tonight, following his endorsement of Arthur J. Goldberg, a Democrat, for Governor.

Mr. Lindsay is a "political opportunist" who should be expelled from the party, she said.

The blond wife of Attorney General John N. Mitchell carried her telephone outdoors to the balcony of their apartment to denounce Mayor Lindsay.

"I have to have some place for my soapbox so I won't be heard," she laughed. In a recent call in which she denounced educators, Mrs. Mitchell explained she was calling from the privacy of the couple's second-floor bathroom "so John won't hear me."

In tonight's call to a united Press International reporter, Mrs. Mitchell said:

"I just got back from Florida and I'm furious with 'Lindsley.'"

The derogatory variation she chose for the Mayor's name was made famous by Michael

Quill, late leader of the Transport Workers Union of New York City in his battles with the Mayor over transportation problems.

"Mr. Lindsley," said Mrs. Mitchell, spitting out the name, "should be expelled from the Republican party — plus Mr. Goodell. They have no right to belong when they are totally in disagreement with everything the Republicans represent, and not only the Republicans but also the Democrats."

Senator Charles E. Goodell, a Republican fighting to retain his seat in a close three-way race, has recently come under fire from Vice President Agnew.

Mrs. Mitchell said neither Senator Goodell nor Mayor Lindsay "are associated with either party."

"They have taken a position outside both parties and consequently they represent no one," she said. "They're just exploiting their positions."

"Get Lindsley out of the Republican party," Mrs. Mitchell declared. "To heck with him. We don't need him, and neither do the Democrats."