

WATERGATE
WITNESS' IRE
AT THE JUDGE

WASHINGTON (AP)- Prosecution witness Hugh W. Sloan said yesterday "I strongly resent" a statement by Chief U.S. District Judge John Sirica that he doubts that Sloan told the entire truth in the Watergate case.

"The attacks that have been made on my integrity are totally unwarranted," said Sloan, former treasurer of the Nixon re-election committee.

Judge Sirica said in court Friday, "I was not satisfied during the trial....and I'm still not satisfied that all the pertinent facts that might be available have been brought out."

He also told the prosecution and ~~the~~ defense attorneys: "I had great doubts whether Mr. Sloan has told us the entire truth in this case. I will say it now and I indicated during the trial. I felt neither of you -- government or defense -- asked Mr. Sloan any hard questions."

Sloan had testified he gave defendant G.Gordon Liddy \$199,000 but did not know what it would be used for. He said it was authorized by Jeb Magruder, deputy director of the re-election committee.

Liddy and James W. McCord were subsequently convicted of plotting and carrying out a burglary and wiretapping at Democratic Party headquarters. Five others had pleaded guilty.
