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**First Watergate Book**

**Due After Labor Day**

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WASHINGTON, Aug. 23—  
The first of an estimated eight volumes of testimony on the first phase of the Senate Watergate committee hearings will go on sale after Labor Day, the Government Printing Office said. The first volume, entitled "Watergate and Related Activities, Phase 1: Watergate Investigation, Book One," will cover the first five days of testimony, which started May 17. Each of the volumes will cost \$3.

Each volume will have a first printing of 13,000 copies with 6,000 for the Senate committee and the rest for sale to the public.

The first volume may be ordered by mail from the Superintendent of Documents, United States Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C., 2042. Copies will be available in New York at the Government Printing Office Book Store, Room 110, Federal Building, 26 Federal Plaza.

The volumes will also be available at G.P.O. book stores in major cities around the country.