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**Purchaser
Of Nixon Ad
Is Arrested**

RICHMOND, July 10 (AP)—
A Richmond man who paid for political advertisements of "The President's Friends" that listed prominent Virginians as members of the group was arrested today and charged with using the names without obtaining permission from the people.

James A. Lockett, 61, was released on a \$300 personal recognizance bond pending a hearing July 18 in Richmond General District Court.

Police also obtained a warrant for George Dumas, who sent a list of names to Lockett from Savannah, Ga.

Dumas, a former Richmond resident who founded The President's Friends, will not be extradited because the charges against him and Lockett are misdemeanors. Efforts to reach Dumas tonight were unsuccessful.

One advertisement appeared June 22 in The Richmond News Leader and another on June 24 in The Richmond Times-Dispatch. The advertisements contained the names of about 100 Richmond area residents inside a topographical map of the United States.

Lockett said the names appeared in the pro-Nixon ads because of "a terrible mistake."

He said the mixup occurred after Dumas sent him two lists of names, one containing the names of contacts and the other names of people from around the country which Dumas said he intended for use in the ads.

Included in the names used in the advertisements were those of two prominent Richmond area Democrats who died about a year ago, the Richmond police chief and his secretary, former Democratic Lt. Gov. Fred G. Pollard and Junie L. Bradshaw, chairman of the State Corporation Commission.