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Hiss Thinks He Deserves Pardon, Too

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Alger Hiss, whom Richard M. Nixon helped send to prison in a famous spy case 25 years ago, suggested yesterday that President Ford might consider pardoning him as the President did Mr. Nixon.

Hiss, who served 44 months of a five-year prison term after he was convicted of perjury, said in a telephone interview that "it might be appropriate if I received a pardon on grounds of miscarriage of justice."

He said he should not be pardoned "on grounds of health or clemency because I did nothing for which clemency would be in order."

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