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Pardon - "In August, Gerald R. Ford appeared to many to be a virtually unbeatable 1976 presidential candidate. Barely a month later - if interviews with voters across the nation by half a dozen Washington Post reporters are any indication - that situation has changed. ... The changed situation seems to reflect the vastly unpopular way in which President Ford pardoned Mr. Nixon - the merits of the pardon aside."

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