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Haldeman asks for a new trial, the first to do so, "although such motions are routine and [are] expected from [Mitchell, Ehrlichman and Mardian]."

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NYTimes 4 Jan 75 [AP]

- Motions for a new trial must be submitted within a week of the verdicts. Deadline is evening of 8 Jan.

WXP 4 Jan 75, George Lardner Jr.

Watergate prosecutions, current status - See detailed WXP list, which is arranged by case and name of defendant, the charges, pleas (including dropping of other charges on guilty plea to one count, as in Colson's case), date of trial, verdict, etc. Cases are listed under the following headings:

Watergate Cover-Up

Itt Case

Tax Violations

Milk Case

Ellsberg Case

Watergate Burglary Trial

Dirty Tricks

Illegal Campaign Contributions

Vesco Case

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Nixon (health) - WXP says this is the first time since his illness that Nixon has "ventured out of La Casa Pacifica to the adjoining Coast Guard base, where his federally maintained offices are located." Story, datelined 9 Jan, says that by that time he was making the trip almost daily, "walking the few hundred yards and spending two or three hours in his office."

Nixon has begun preliminary work on his memoirs with Dr. Frank Gannon, "a writer and scholar who worked for him in the White House."

WXP 10 Jan 75, Leroy F. Aarons

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Ⓐ - Motion for new trial is apparently based on report by WX Star-News yesterday of intv with one of the trial jurors, Ruth Gould, which said "she hinted there were some jurors who disregarded [Sirica's] instructions not to watch television or read newspapers during the brief periods they were not actually under surveillance." This is denied very emphatically by her today: "I never said anything like that, I didn't indicate anything like that and it [isn't] true."

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- See entry 17 Jan 75, Haldeman files motion ....