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WASHINGTON — (UPI) — Vice President Agnew has contributed to President Nixon's re-election campaign.

Nixon's forces collected about \$13 million and spent about \$10.5 million.

The committee for the election of Sen. George McGovern in the same period received about \$9 million and spent about the same amount. But the record also shows the McGovern campaign had debts amounting to \$2,862,578.

There were only a few of the names gleaned from the hundreds of pages of Republican contributors made public yesterday by the General Accounting Office.

Democrats Gaining

The accounting, required by law 15 days before the election, showed that the Republicans' financial situation is still healthier than that of their opponents — but the Democrats have been gaining.

The reporting period covered the six weeks ending Oct. 16. During that time

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The GAO furnished a breakdown of Republican contributions, but was not yet prepared with the listing of McGovern contributors.

GAO employees said the national McGovern for President Committee report would run to 2000 pages or more, in addition to the smaller committees.

Virtually the only surprise

in the latest bundle of financial disclosures was the fact that the Democrats for Nixon Committee is running at most \$600,000 in the red.

That committee, headed by former Treasury Secretary John Connally, as of Oct. 16 had \$285,525.95 in cash on hand but owed \$856,738.32.

Agnew contributed \$1000 to the finance committee Rogers, the only current cabinet officer to ante up so far, contributed, with his wife, \$3000.

Famous Names

Other famous names on one or more of the Nixon committees included Lewis Strauss, chairman of the Atomic Energy Commission and later Secretary of Commerce under the late presi-

dent Eisenhower. Gordon Gray, secretary of the Army under the late President Truman; Dr. George Wise, Chancellor of Tel Aviv University, and Mrs. Wise, who listed a New York address; Walter Knott of California's famous Knott's Berry Farm; Mrs. Herbert Hoover J.F. of Pasadena, and George Halas, owner of the Chicago Bears football team.

J. Paul Getty

The entertainment world was represented by Fred Astaire, Gene Autry, Morton Downey and Ralph Edwards. The man Nixon has called a second father, Elmer Pabst of New York, has contributed at least \$8000.

The biggest contributors

have included J. Paul Getty, sometimes referred to as the world's richest man; Jack Dreyfus Jr., chairman of the board of the Dreyfus Fund, who has contributed at least \$15,000; Joseph Farland, U.S. ambassador to Iran; John Hay Whitney, mortgage guarantors Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rogan, among others.

Executives of the Loeb-Rhoades brokerage firm of New York were well represented. John Loeb gave at least \$9000; John Loeb Jr. gave at least \$5000; Henry Loeb gave at least \$3000 and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Loeb III gave at least \$1000.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Krisch of Roanoke gave \$3281.21 and Mr. and Mrs. Joel Krisch of Roanoke gave \$4281.20. Both are executives

of American Motor Inns. The Houghtons of Corning Glass chipped in, too: Mr. and Mrs. Amory Houghton with \$5000, James Houghton with \$1000, and Amory Houghton Jr. with \$2500.

Texas Families

Two interrelated families in Texas, whose income was listed as being from oil and cattle investments, contributed thousands of dollars through several committees. They included Mr. and Mrs. Dennis O'Connor of Refugio, at least \$12,000; Mrs. Mary O'Connor Braham of Victoria, at least \$6000; Mr. and Mrs. Tom O'Connor Jr. of Victoria, at least \$12,000; Mr. and Mrs. Daniel H. Braham Jr. of Refugio, at least \$12,000; and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Glistler Jr. of Victoria, at least \$12,000.