

## Rabbi's Ad Protests the Hearings

New York

A citizens' committee headed by a Massachusetts rabbi has started a campaign against what he called the "vigilante atmosphere" of the Senate Watergate committee, charging most of its members are "hanging judges" trying to destroy President Nixon.

The committee took out a \$5772 advertisement in Sunday's New York Times headed "An Appeal for Fairness."

Rabbi Baruch Korff, 59, of Rehoboth, Mass., who gained fame in the 1940s for his work in the rescue of Jews from Nazi Germany, is the temporary chairman of the group.

He and 17 other persons signed the 1600-word advertisement, which charged that chairman Sam J. Ervin

Jr. and four other committee members display open prejudice and hostility toward the President.

The ad said Senator Edward J. Gurney "has been a friend of the White House throughout the hearings," but that, "only Senator Howard Baker approaches the position of objectivity by his colleagues." *United Press*