

Ehrlichman Says He'll Surrender

Los Angeles

Former presidential aide John D. Ehrlichman sent word to prosecutors here that he would surrender Tuesday on charges of perjury, burglary and conspiracy in the break-in at the office of Daniel Ellsberg's psychiatrist.

Ehrlichman and three other former White House aides — Egil Krogh, David Young and convicted Watergate conspirator G. Gordon Liddy — were indicted for their alleged roles in the 1971 break-in, a reliable source said.

Ellsberg, reached by telephone at a nearby beach home where he has spent the summer, told a reporter he had only six words of reaction to the indictment: "I wish them a fair trial."

BURGLARY

Krogh was charged with solicitation of a burglary, conspiracy and burglary. Liddy and Young were charged with burglary and conspiracy to commit a burglary.

A district attorney's spokesman said Ehrlichman would be arraigned Tuesday after being booked, fingerprinted and photographed. Tuesday is the deadline set for voluntary surrender of those indicted before arrest warrants would be issued.

Krogh sent word that he will appear for arraignment here this afternoon.

JURY

Young was unavailable for comment, but officials said they believed he would surrender here. They said they believed it would take some time to arrange an appearance for Liddy, who is serving a federal prison sentence in Washington, D.C., where he was convicted in the Watergate break-in.

Sources close to the coun-

ty grand jury, which issued the indictment secretly Tuesday, indicated that the perjury charge resulted from contradictions between Ehrlichman's testimony here last June 8 in a secret grand jury session and his later public testimony before the Senate Watergate Committee in Washington.

Other contradictions were believed to exist in three memorandums presented to the grand jury during its probe.

The indictment was ordered sealed until at least one of those indicted had surrendered, and District Attorney Joseph Busch declined comment on the identities of those named.

The maximum sentence upon conviction for burglary, conspiracy to commit a burglary and perjury is one to 14 years in prison on each count. The maximum sentence for solicitation is one to five years.

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