State of Nixon's Health, a Dimension of

By JOHN HERBERS cial to The New York Times

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said that nevertheless Mr. Nixon's health was a topic of frequent discussions among his
fellow psychiatrists.

All of this is a dimension
of the Watergate affair that
has received little attention in
the major news media, because
of a dearth of information
about the President's mood and
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tions and seemingly innocuous phrase, used by President Nixon recently when insisting he would stay in office, probably who will not have caused a ripple in the current climate of tension and suspicion brought by the Watergate disclosures, it has aroused a new round of questions and speculation about the distinct of the president's physical and mental states.

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But the reverberations have tion 3 of the 25th Amendment which says:

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Watergate Affair Constantly Being Gauged

Former Attorney General Elliot L. Richardson said one reason for negotiating the resignation of Spiro T. Agnew as Vice President, to make way for a new Vice President not under criminal charges, was that Mr. Nixon had "showed a considerable sense of strain" thing summer. This remark. mid-summer. This remark raised in political circles the question of how long he could continue to govern. The White House responded that the Preswas in firm control in all matters.

Every time talk of the President's health has begun to subside, some new White House action has revived it — the series of disclosures of missing conversations from the Watergate tapes recordings; the alert of American forces in the Middle East crisis, which some in

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