

**HEARING ON BREAK-IN
POSTPONED A MONTH**

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 20 (UPI) — A pretrial hearing in the burglary case against three former White House aides was postponed for a month today because of a delay in serving a subpoena on President Nixon.

Superior Court Judge Gordon Ringer, at the request of defense attorneys, continued the proceedings until March 25.

By that date, it is expected that the "certificate of attendance" for Mr. Nixon that Judge Ringer sent to the Superior Court of the District of Columbia will be either rejected or presented in the form of a subpoena.

Presiding Judge Harold H. Greene has set a hearing on the projected subpoena for March 15.

The three defendants in the burglary case are John H. Ehrlichman, David R. Young Jr. and G. Gordon Liddy. They wanted Mr. Nixon's testimony to support their contention that they were acting as federal officers in ordering the break-in office of Dr. Daniel Ellsberg's former psychiatrist.

White House attorneys oppose the subpoena on the ground of executive privilege.