

# Nixon Aide Blasts Labor

Washington

White House counselor Anne Armstrong yesterday accused organized labor of undertaking a vendetta against President Nixon and joining with civil rights groups in an "orchestrated effort" for impeachment.

"Organized labor set two

goals . . . before the Watergate hearings began," she said.

"Number one, the impeachment of President Nixon, and they were joined in this — I call it a vendetta — joined in it by other organizations such as the ADA (Americans for Democratic Action), and the American

Civil Liberties Union, and (Ralph) Nader's forces and certain remnants of (Senator George) McGovern's followers, and they set out with an organized, concerted, orchestrated effort to impeach the President."

She was interviewed by Jim Lehrer for the Public

Broadcasting Service.

Mrs. Armstrong said she thinks an impeachment resolution probably will be voted out of the House Judiciary Committee, where some of the members already "are set in concrete — have made their views known before the evidence was in."

But she added: "I think there will be no impeachment voted by the House."

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