

Ervin's Views

Sen. Sam Ervin (D-N.C.), as quoted in the Watergate report:

"... I shall deny that the Constitution confers any autocratic power on the President, or authorizes him to convert George Washington's America into Gaius Caesar's Rome."



"The presidential aides who perpetrated Watergate . . . were instigated by a lust for political power itself."



"Watergate was not invented by enemies of the Nixon administration or even by the news media."