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A Role for Mr. Nixon?

Richard Nixon has let it be known that he would like to become a spokesman for the Republican Party, and would also be receptive to appointment as ambassador to China.

Since the Republican Party's survival today depends on its repudiation of Mr. Nixon, his first proposal seems politically unlikely. As for his emergence as ambassador to any geographical entity more important than the principality of San Clemente, what sort of people does he think the Chinese are to receive—or we to send—such a person as Mr. Nixon to represent us to the largest and oldest civilized nation on earth?

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Call it "chutzpah" or just "plain gall" but there seems to be no end to this ingredient displayed by our former President. As the first disgraced and resigned president in U.S. history, one would think he would prefer to hide himself from public view for the rest of his life. Instead, he is putting out political feelers to Senator Goldwater and others about representing our country as an ambassador or serving as a fund-raiser for the Republican Party.

I would hate to have his nerve in a tooth!

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