

**PAPER SAYS SCHOOL**

**SEEKS NIXON PAPERS**

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The president of the University of Southern California has met with former President Richard M. Nixon about the possibility that Mr. Nixon would donate his personal papers to the school, The Los Angeles Times reported in its report today. The university's president, John R. Hubbard, met with Mr. Nixon at Mr. Nixon's home in San Clemente three times in recent weeks in what university sources described as "preliminary" talks.

The Times quoted the sources

as saying that the university's interest in the papers was for their scholarly value and not to attract tourists to the campus.

None of Mr. Nixon's aides would comment about the reported negotiations, The Times said.

One problem concerning a possible gift of the papers, the newspaper said, is which of Mr. Nixon's papers would be available, for Congress has passed a law claiming ownership of many of Mr. Nixon's Presidential papers and tapes for the Government. Mr. Nixon is challenging the constitutionality of that legislation.