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# Ford Names New Ambassador to

## Washington

Rosemary L. Ginn, Republican national committeewoman from Missouri, was nominated by President Ford yesterday to be ambassador to Luxembourg.

She would succeed Ruth L.

Farkas, who was appointed by former President Nixon after a controversial donation to his re-election campaign.

The nomination of Mrs. Ginn continues the tradition of assigning a woman to the post. The tradition was established by President Harry

Truman, who nominated Washington hostess Perle Mesta to be ambassador to Luxembourg in 1949.

Mrs. Farkas resigned last week. Her appointment by Mr. Nixon is part of an investigation by the Special Watergate Prosecutor's office into the selling of ambassador-

ships. Mrs. Farkas and her husband, a department store owner, contributed \$300,000 to Mr. Nixon's 1972 campaign.

Mrs. Ginn, 63, is a lawyer and president of the Lucas Brothers Publishing Co. in Columbia, Mo.

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