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To the Editor:
Your May 9 editorial "President
Under Siege" gives reasons for current
disaffection with President Ford. One
factor which was omitted and which
may have considerable weight is latent
resentment by many voters, regardless
of party, at President Ford's pardon of
Richard Nixon and the crass attempt,
so far thwarted by Congress, to turn
over to the former President all his
papers and tapes.

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