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The Major Events of the Day

International

Guerrilla warfare against the Turks occupying what had been Greek Cypriote territory in Cyprus is possible, Glafkos Clerides, the Greek Cypriote President, said in an interview with Greek Cypriote news-men, which was made public by the Greek Cypriote administration in Nicosia. He made the statement shortly before the arrival in Cyprus of Secretary General Waldheim of the United Nations, who is expected to try to persuade Mr. Clerides and Rauf Denkash, the chief of the Turkish Cypriote administration to meet for the first time since the second Turkish military offensive in Cyprus began 11 days ago. [1:8.]

Authoritative Greek sources said that the Government will tell the Soviet Union today that any international conference on Cyprus must concentrate on finding "ways and means" to implement Security Council resolutions calling for the removal of foreign troops from Cyprus. In a note to the Soviet Ambassador in Athens, the Greek Government will ask for clarifications and make some suggestions for talks on Cyprus proposed by Moscow. [7:1.]

Prime Minister Abdul Razak of Malaysia and his National Front coalition Government won a landslide victory in last Friday's national elections, but it did not remove the problem of racialism from Malaysia's political life. It may, in fact, have exaggerated it. The Government Front, a multiracial conglomerate composed of nine different parties, appeared headed for control of nearly 90 per cent of the seats in Parliament and for big majorities in the state assemblies. The victory wiped out all the moderate and nonracial parties and left a militant, racially oriented Chinese party as the only alternative to the Front. [1:5-7.]

National

Preparations for the orderly elevation of Gerald R. Ford to the Presidency were begun months before President Nixon decided to resign, and were kept secret from Mr. Nixon and, at first, Mr. Ford. The transition was initiated by Philip W. Buchen, Mr. Ford's closest friend, and a program for the first days of the Ford Administration was drafted in June by Mr. Nixon's adviser on telecommunications policy, Clay T. Whitehead, and three other young men, including

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Metropolitan
Bronx Borough President Robert Abrams, widely regarded as the front-runner for the Democratic nomination for Attorney General, endorsed Representative Hugh L. Carey for Governor. Mr. Carey then gave Mr. Abrams his endorsement. Mr. Abrams' backing, which was unexpected, will be, it is said, a big help in Mr. Carey's campaign. [1:5.]

Quotation of the Day

"If the Turks continue to occupy the north parts of the island, this is bound to provoke bitter resistance on the part of the Greek Cypriote people and the possibility that this resistance may take the form of guerrilla warfare cannot be excluded."—President Glafkos Clerides of Cyprus. [1:8.]

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CORRECTION

An article in The New York Times Thursday reported erroneously that Dr. Timothy Leary had been convicted of the importation of 1,000 pounds of hashish. The conviction involved the importation of less than half an ounce of marijuana from Mexico to Laredo, Tex., in December, 1965.