

# News Summary and Index

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## The Other News

**Quotation of the Day**

"Once I leave, I leave. I am not going to speak to the man on the bridge, and I am not going to spit on the deck,"—Prime Minister Harold Wilson. [14:2]

### International

Prime Minister Harold Wilson of Great Britain, the Labor Party's leader for 13 years, announced his resignation to take effect when the Labor members of the House of Commons have elected a successor. He cited his length of service and the desire to give his successor time to establish his authority as Prime Minister before the next elections, in 1979 or sooner. The leading candidates appeared to be James Callaghan, the Foreign Secretary, and Denis Healey, Chancellor of the Exchequer. [Page 1, Columns 6-8.]

State Department officials, citing Soviet military involvement in Angola, said the United States would not take part for the time being in cabinet-level Soviet-American joint commissions set up when détente was in vogue. In contrast with this signal of irritation with the Soviet Union, 10 Senators introduced a resolution supporting efforts to improve Soviet-American relations. [11:6-7.]

Political observers in Rhodesia divide the great majority of whites in Rhodesia into four groups: the more or less ardent supporters of Prime Minister Ian D. Smith, a significant and vocal wing to the right of his government; those who would do nothing to change the easy life where blacks do all menial work, and an ineffectual opposition. There are few to whom white rule does not seem worth fighting for. [11:6-7.]

### National

President Ford won decisively in the Illinois Republican Presidential primary, dealing a further blow to his challenger, Ronald Reagan. Jimmy Carter, the former Governor of Georgia, won the Democratic preference primary, beating Gov. George C. Wallace of Alabama, Sargent Shriver, former candidate for Vice President, and former Senator Fred R. Harris of Oklahoma. Senator Henry M. Jackson of Washington and Representative Morris K. Udall of Arizona, both leading contenders, did not enter this contest. Early returns and poll projections showed Gov. Daniel Walker, a maverick Democrat, defeated by Secretary of State Michael J. Hovey, the gubernatorial candidate of the political machine of Mayor Richard J. Daley of Chicago. [1:1-3.]

### Metropolitan

Joseph C. Woodcock Jr., the Bergen County Prosecutor, plans to seek the indictment of Dr. Mario E. Jascalevich, a New Jersey surgeon who has been referred to as "Dr. X," on charges of murder of one or more patients with curare t Riverdale Hospital a decade ago. The 48-year-old native of Argentina has declined interviews on the deaths. His lawyer said he was innocent of any wrongdoing. [11:4.]

Governor Byrne and the Democratic leader of the New Jersey Senate, Joseph P. Merlino, said the billion-dollar state income tax bill approved by the State Assembly had an excellent chance to become law. The Governor said he would sign the measure if it was passed by the Senate, which might vote on it as early as Monday. [11:5.]

The Fred R. Harris campaign in the New

York Democratic Presidential primary virtually collapsed with his delegates jumping to other candidates. The chief gainer from this switching was Representative Morris K. Udall of Arizona, with other delegates going to Jimmy Carter. [11:1.]

The Ford Administration is expected to unveil later this week legislation aimed at virtually ending Federal electronic surveillance of American citizens without a court order. Administration sources said the draft in six months of negotiations between members of the Senate Judiciary Committee led by Edward M. Kennedy, Democrat of Massachusetts, and Attorney General Edward H. Levi. [11:7.]

In the first major decision under the 1974 import-limiting provisions of the 1974 Trade Act, President Ford found that imports were injuring domestic producers of stainless and other "specialty" steels. He held up for 90 days the imposing of import quotas pending an effort to negotiate an "orderly marketing agreement" with the main foreign supply-ing countries. [11:8.]

Randolph A. Hearst, the publisher, took the stand to defend his daughter Patricia at her bank robbery trial, calling her strong-willed and independent, but denying that he had seen signs of resentment and anger in her. Her close friend Patricia Tobin, whose father owned the bank that was robbed, said that she had no political or feminist views before her abduction. [11:2-3.]

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A report in The New York Times Saturday incorrectly listed the amounts of trade credits and indemnifications

West Germany is providing

in exchange for emigration

privileges for 120,000 Ger-

mans living in Poland. The

agreement provides for a

\$400 million trade credit and

a \$500 million indemni-

ty.

### CORRECTIONS

**International**

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An article in The Times yesterday incorrectly listed Alice Chow and George Damis

Yancopoulos merely as finalists in the Westinghouse science talent search. Both

were winners in the contest.