

Nixon Book Sources Named

Washington

The executive editor of the Washington Post was quoted yesterday as telling Secretary of State Henry Kissinger that two of the major sources for the controversial book "The Final Days" were former President Nixon's son-in-law David Eisenhower and lawyer Fred Buzhardt.

Post Executive Editor Benjamin Bradlee later confirmed that he named the two to Kissinger but said he did not tell Kissinger what information Eisenhower and Buzhardt gave the book's authors, according to an account in Women's Wear Daily newspaper.

Kissinger has been highly critical of the book, written by Post reporters Carl Bernstein and Bob Woodward. The book describes the last days of Mr. Nixon in the White House as the Watergate revelations brought on his resignation.

According to Women's Wear Daily, Kissinger confronted Bradlee last week at an American Film Institute screening of a new film attended by both men and disputed

the critical views of Mr. Nixon that were ascribed to the secretary of state in the book.

"What I want to know," Kissinger was quoted as saying, "is how do those two guys know what I'm thinking when I go up the elevator in the morning. They get some facts which very well may be true, and then they twist them."

Bradlee was quoted as replying, "Now just a minute, Henry. They've talked to everyone on this one. David Eisenhower talked to them time and time and time and time again.

"And their other big source was that Nixon lawyer from Houston," the newspaper quoted Bradlee as continuing. "Now, what is his name? Buzhardt, that's it, Fred Buzhardt.

"Brother, did they get an earful. And if either of those two deny it, they (Bernstein and Woodward) are going to throw it all back at 'em," Bradlee was quoted as saying.

Women's Wear Daily said that Bernstein was angered when told

later of Bradlee's remarks. "I'll never comment on who my sources are," Bernstein was reported to have said, "and I question the accuracy of that statement," referring to Bradlee's remark.

Women's Wear Daily said Bradlee, asked about his statements, replied he had not said what Eisenhower, who is married to Mr. Nixon's daughter Julie, or Buzhardt had told the two reporters.

"Obviously, people have assumed they talked to Buzhardt and Eisenhower," Bradlee was reported to have told the paper. "And now you have someone saying they did. I don't think that is revealing sources."

United Press

Malibu Movement

Los Angeles

Supporters of a movement to incorporate the coastal community of Malibu turned in valid signatures Monday from 2554 citizens, representing nearly 21 per cent of the area's registered voters.

Associated Press