

## Rhodesians ask for 'critics' reinstatement

SALISBURY, Rhodesia (AP) — A powerful faction in Rhodesia's biracial administration Sunday demanded the reinstatement of black cabinet minister Byron Hove, but wavered on whether to quit the interim government in a dispute over his firing.

"The party is reviewing the whole question of its continued participation in the transitional government," the United African National Council said in a statement.

The statement came after a four-hour meeting between party leaders and their head — Bishop Abel Muzorewa, an influential moderate and one of three blacks on Rhodesia's ruling executive council.

Hove, dismissed as co-minister of justice Friday for criticizing the racial makeup of Rhodesia's police and judiciary, told reporters in London that the two-month-old government would be in danger without Muzorewa. He is thought to have the widest support of any council member among Rhodesia's blacks.

# Afganistan names leftist leader

NEW DELHI, India (AP) — Afganistan's new military government gave the first hint of its political leaning Sunday by announcing the selection of Nur Mohammed Taraki, a reported leftist, as prime minister in the wake of last week's bloody coup.

New reports said at least 500 persons were killed in the uprising.

Kabul Radio in the Afgan capital announced Taraki's appointment in a broadcast monitored here and in London. In another broadcast monitored in Islamabad, Pakistan, the radio said the Soviet Union on Sunday became the first nation to

recognize the new government.

In Moscow, the Soviet government gave no immediate confirmation of that report. Kabul Radio called Taraki a "nationalist and revolutionary personality" but gave no party affiliation.

The British Broadcasting Corp. in London identified Taraki as the leader of the People's Faction Party, a purported pro-Communist group that operated underground under the previous Afgan government. He reportedly was one of several persons arrested in left-wing demonstrations that preceded the coup, which began Thursday.

The rebels, who referred to themselves Sunday as the Democratic Republic Revolutionary Council, killed President

Mohammed Daoud, 69, and his brother-adviser Naeem, 68, Friday after the brothers were said to have resisted "madly."

## Nixon felt doomed when tapes revealed

NEW YORK (AP) — It comes as no surprise, but Richard Nixon thinks his presidency was doomed from the day the public learned his tape recorders eavesdropped on every conversation in his office.

"I now believe," he writes, "that from the time of the disclosure of the existence of the tapes and my decision not to destroy them, my presidency had little chance of surviving to the end of its term."

The quotation, from Nixon's forthcoming memoirs, was in the Washington Star Sunday. The Star is one of the newspapers buying a seven-part series of excerpts being syndicated by a subsidiary of the New York Times.

The book, "RN: The Memoirs of Richard Nixon" will list at \$19.95 when it goes on sale in May and special autographed editions are being offered at \$50 and \$250.

Once the existence of the tapes became public knowledge, Nixon fought desperately to keep their contents secret — a battle he finally lost in the Supreme Court.

## World at a glance

From Associated Press reports

### IMF wants slower U.S. growth

MEXICO CITY — Finance ministers at International Monetary Fund (IMF) meetings here agreed Sunday that world economic growth should include a faster growth rate for Japan and West Germany and a slightly slower one for the United States.

He told a news conference at the close of the meetings that unemployment and possible new trade barriers could mean new worldwide recession.

There was general agreement at the meeting that the economic growth of the United States last year was adequate while that of Japan and West Germany was too slow.

This contributed to the large trade deficit in the United States and surpluses in Japan and West Germany.

### Collapsed scaffold examined

PARKERBURG, W.Va. — Several factors may have contributed to the scaffold collapse that sent 51 men to their deaths at a power plant cooling tower last week, the leader of a team of federal investigators said Sunday.

David Rhone, regional director of the federal Occupational Safety and Health Administration, said his team of six investigators is examining the quality of the concrete, the mechanism used to hoist concrete to the top of the tower, the design of the tower and the method by which the scaffolding was moved up after each day's work.

### 'Moro letters' surface

ROME — A flurry of new letters attributed Sunday to former Premier Aldo Moro pressed for acceptance of his kidnapers' demand that the government free 13 jailed terrorists in exchange for his liberty.

The Italian government and ruling Christian Democratic Party have steadfastly refused that ultimatum from the Red Brigades ultra-leftist guerrillas who seized Moro, the 61-year-old party president, on March 16.

## Record dope haul snatched

WASHINGTON (AP) — The head of the Drug Enforcement Administration says the seizure of 574 tons of marijuana in Columbia represents the largest drug raid in history.

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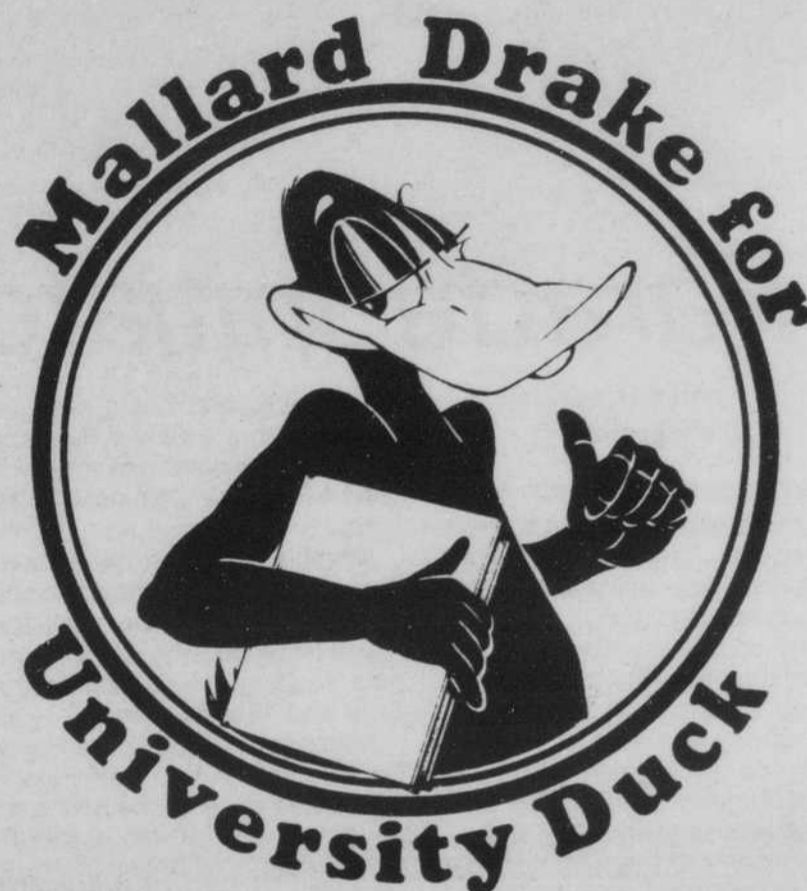
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