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## U.S. - Soviet arms balance being assessed

## WASHINGTON (AP) - The Senate Armed Services Committee is using its examination of the SALT II treaty to assess the milltary balance be-

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And the committee is working with the perspective of men who regard

 The seting is the same high-e eilinged Senate caucus room where the
Senate Forevgn Relations Committee has heard testimony on SALT II tor
the past
 negotiating process and the effect of the treaty on U.S.S. Soviet reletions,
the senators on the Arred Services
comparisons of weapons and strategies. The Foreign. Relations Comimittee, which is continuing its hearings today
In closed session to hear CIA Director Stanstield Tuiner, has primary furis.
diction for the treaty.
But the views of the Armed Services committee on the milltary issues wil
 Brown was ressed by several senators on the provision of the treaty
which albows the soviets to have 308 giant SS-18 missiles, which are twice as large as any in the U.S. arsenal. Soviets would have those blg missiles
Repeatedly, he replied that the




 come" by administration witnesses at secreer sessions or che senate in Sente.
genee Commitese
verification is a crucial issue which could sway many votes in the Senate. Where a two-thirds malority will be required tor approval of the agree If the administration can convince Goldwater, still regarded as an alt
most certain vote against the pact, that the treaty is verfiable, it shouid





## First Lady defends changes in Cabinet

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## Solons want to discuss Lozano case

Congressmen 'concerned' over Justice Department's decision

Closing arguments due today
 State University sorority house, kill-
ing two young women and clubbing
年o others, testimeny has two others, testimony has ended in a
trial in which Theodore R. Bundy is accused of the deaths.
Judge Edward D. Cowart told state
nd defense attorneys. to nd defense attorneys to ready their
closing arguments for the start of oday's session, in an effort to move Prosecutor Larry Simpson has pre-
sented evidence that a bite mark he buttocks of slain Lisa Levy
nathes Bundy's twisted teeth and that Chi Omega member Nita Neary
saw Bundy flee the sorority house. saw Bundy fee the sorority house.
The state says hair similar to
Bundy's was found in a pantyhose mask left in the apartment of dance
student Cheryl Thomas, who was attacked the same night.
For the defense, Margaret Good
has tried to show that neither bite has tried to show that neither bite
marks nor hair is exact identification, and that Miss Neary saw only a rear
view of the intruder in poor light. The
defense contends Miss Neary hallucinated under police hypnosis, gave
varying descriptions of the man she saw and saw news photos of Bundy
before identifying him in a police Bundy, a 32 -year-old Tacoma,
Wash.. resident who once studied to
be a awyer, is accused of battering
Largaret Bow in Margaret Bowman, 21, and M1se
Levy, 20, with an oak club as they
spept.and then choking them with
pantyhose. women, Kathy Kleiner and Kare
Chandler, were beaten but lived.
Forty-five minutes Forty-five minutes later and four
blocks away. someone erawled
through the window of a duplex and
battered Miss Thomas as she slept. Hert head was fractured in five places.
but she lived. Bundy's trial has drawn intense
public attention and had to be moved could not be found in Tallahassse.
He also is accused of murderin 23-year-old Caryn Campbell of Dear-
born, Mich., in Colorado in 1975 and
12-year-old Kimberly Leach of Lake
City, Fla., on Feb. 9 , 1978. He is Lider Cry , Fla., on Fen. 9, 1978. He is under
a Utah sentence for conviction of
kidnapping a young woman near Salt
Lake City in 1975.
As Bundy's defense wound down
Monday, he said he had "newly dis-
covered evidence" that would dispute covered evidence" "that would dispute
the state's bite mark testimony. the state sbite mark testimony.
With the jury out of the room,
Bundy took the stand to say a chip in Bundy took the stand to say a chip in
his front tooth wasn't there at the
time of the deats. He said state
dental experts used the chip as one of dental experts used. the chip as one of
the links betwen his teeth and the
mark on Miss Levy But the judge refused to allow the perense of Bundy supoena newen before the te time
he said he chipped the tooth. And
prosecutors shipested prosecutors suggested the tooth may
have been chipped before Bundy even arrived in Florida.
When the jury When the jury was called into the
room, Bundy did not take the stand
and the tooth dispute wasn't men-
tioned. Instead, the defense rested Continued warm weather likely

## may be here to stay for awhile, ac-

The National Weather Service at
Midland Regional Airport said
Wednesday will be partly cloudy with
a warm afternoon.
Winds will blow at about 5 to 10
mph in a southerly direction, the weatherman said.
Forecast for Wednesday's high of Low tonight should be in the low 70 s.
Monday recorded grees, with the overnernight low ow set at 71 .
Record low for the date was set in Record low for the date was set in 1947
at 62 degrees. The record high is 103 ,
No rainfall is expected to up the
accumulated monthly total of 2.73 Crane woman

## satisfactory

CRANE - A Crane woman is in
satisfactory condition in the intensive
care unit of an Odess care unit of an Odessa hospital fol-
lowing a shooting incident here Sun-
day evening Katherine Sanchez, 18 , remained in
satifactory conditite satifactory condition today in Medical
Center Hospital following surgery
Sunday night for two bullet wounds in Sunday night
the abdomen
Arrested in connection with the in-
cident was her husband, Mario San chez, 19, officials said The The incident occurred at 6 p.m.
Sunday in the Sack $N$ Pac here, ac-
cording to Capt cording to Capt. Hal Dew of the Crane
Police Department. Mrs. Sanchez was at the conve-
nience store with her mother and father when a man drove up, Dew
said. The man called her up to his car
and, atter she approached the vehi-
cle she turned and ref cle, she turned and ran, officers were
told.
Mrs. Sancher was shot twice with
small caliber rifle, Dew said.
Sanchez was arrewted by Upton
County deputies at $6: 34$ p.m. Sunday. County deputies at $6: 34$ p.m. Sunday.
He was charged with assault with intent to clommit murder by Peace
Justice Clara Ctomer. Bond was sel
at $\$ 25,000$ Hes at $\$ 25,000$. He was in Cra
Jail today in lieu of bond.


Showers are expected today through Wednesday morning for across the nation. (AP Laserphoto Map)
Midand statistics
The weather elsewhere


Extended forecasts



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Parade won't share route with Salt Lake City runners
SALT LAKE CITY (AP) - Sweaty
marathon runners who want to con- liam R. Smart, Deseret Neen, wiltinue a nine-year tradition, sharing and general manager, agreed that
the limeli Street as Salt Lake City celebrates Main pioneer heritage.
timated that 200,000 specar Drake esline downtown streets today as the
annual Days of '47 parade travele statuu e tocks Liberty Park.
But for the first time in nine years the parade won't share Main Strree
with runners in the city's annual mar Drake said the race distracts spec
tators from the floats, horse patrols drill teams and other parade entries "Those, who have floats want full ners who are not in shape, fall down
and pass out and all these things
divert attention
Six convicted in Midland area paroled by governor watching a runner get sick was not a
pleasant parade feature. But he quot-
ed one spectator as sayine ed one spectator as saying, "Did you
ever watch the horses in the
parade." Because of the marathon's size marathon officials agreed runners Would be re-routed one block away to
State Street just before the parade begins. Those who reach Main Street
before the parade's 9 a.m. start will
be able to run the traditional route.
The 26 -mile race begins in the Waatch Mountains east of Salt Lake and
Inishes at Liberty Park. Many runhers consider it one of the tougher marathons in the nation because much of the route is above a mile in
elevation and temperatures often ex-




Texas area forecasts



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In a signed editiorial last week, will

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wy? Sell? Trade? Rent? WANT ADS WORK. Dial
 left, Randy McIntyre, Matt Seay, Lydia Phillips not pictured include Will Ferron, Braden Wall, and Jeanne Miller. The volunteer event netted Jennifer Wilson, Deanna Shelander, Jerry Vorhies lips' sponsors sociely's fund drive, with Ms. Phi and Clovis Chappel. (Staff Photo)

Carter makes appeal on behalf of 'essential' energy legislation
 Long, D-La., chairman of the Senate
Finance Committee as Congress would send Carter by Oct. 1 sign. ${ }^{\text {Later, Carter planned to meet with }}$
many of the people he appointed to
high-level jobs in Cabinet depart. high-level jobs in Cabinet depart-
ments and independent agencies. White Hondaye, he saffst membed about that 30 if and are competent, hard working
and loyal, they have nothing to fear
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cards". being filled out out by their cards" being filled out by their
bosses. Turning his attention to en-
ergy, Carter was asking top Capitol ergy, Carter was asking top Capitol
Hill Democrats for help in warding of
amendments that could significantly cut revenues from the "windfall prop-.
its" tax he envisions as the primary its tax he envisions as the primary
soure of financing for his massive
energy program. energy program.
White House press secretary Jody
Powell said Monday the president feels the "legislation is absolutely
essential."
Powell said the measure's full tax Powell said the measure's full tax
revenues are necessary if the goals
Carter Carter outlined July 15 are to be met.
He said Carter is concerned about
proposed amendments that would: -Exempt independent producers
from the tax, a move White House
officials said would cost $\$ 35.8$ billion rom the tax, a move White House
officials said would cost $\$ 5.8$ billion
in the first 10 years of the tax. - Exempt newly discovered oil,
paring another $\$ 25.2$ billion in revenue irom the proposed levy, officials
said. The officials said a total of about 555
billion would be lost if Congress
passed both amendments passed both amendments. If left as is
the tax is expected to reap $\$ 142$ billion The bill tocacreate an excise tax on
oil industry profits has already been approved in the House and is now
before the Senate Finance Commit. tee, which hopes to complete work on
it by the Aug. 4 congressional re
Carter may broach the energy leg.
islation when he holds a nationallybroadcast news conference from the
East Room of the White House at 9
p.m. EDT Wednesday. The news conerence, to be carried by ABC, CBS, NBC and Associated Press Radio, will
be his first here since May 29 and only his second on prime-time television. Powell said the president scheduled the session in the evening to "provide
an opportunity for people who do not an opportunity
lit." on the Eastern Seaboard to watch
lis.
Carter's confidential session Mon-
day with subordinates came after all senior executives in government and
the White House were asked by the the White House were asked by the
president's new chief of staff, HamilThe Jordan, to rate their underlings. The president, in his pep talk,
called the new evaluation process necessary and important" to his goal of reasserting presidential lead-
ership, said sources ership, said.
anonymity.
He was als
He was also quoted as saying aides
should avoid making critical private should avoid making critical private
comments about members of Congress that might be interpreted as
having official sanction. having official sanction.
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The brimmed look in fall millinery offers happy choices for
varied occasion wear. For the sleek, trim and tailored outfit, a varied occasion wear. For the sleek, trim and tailored outfit, a
new low crown down brim fedora shape by Importina is a happy will choose the swagger feeling of the plume cavalier shape by designer Irene. (AP Laserphoto)


 it at first, although later I learned to
like it


Letter fans a camp fire






 I kicked in my share because
didn't want to start anything. But didn't want to start anything. But
was so mad I could have bitten a nail

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don't feel any better. - Mad in Green wood. DEAR MAD: No. I think you should have told Mary and Donna that be
cause you weren't consulted before hand, and gave 1oo one permission to
sign your name o sign your name on the card, you owed
nobody anything. And, furthermore nobody anything. And, furthermore,
if and when you decide to warm
Pam's house Pam's house, y ou'll do it YOUR
way. Are your problems to heavy. to
handle alone? Let Aby help you. For a personal, unpublished reply, write
Abby in care of this newspaper. En-
close a stamped, self-addressed enve-
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New look for hair: neat, controlled

## CHICAGO (AP) - On the eve of the 80s, fashion takes its cue from struc tured, body-hugging cent of the 40s and '5os. The key word for fall's constructed, elegant tailor 




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## Fleet to rescue in bid to save boat people

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Odessa woman in custody on felony abuse charge

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## Grand jury to meet Aug. 7




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mann Leland Grifin of rill, Hot Span, Robert Edgar Doshier of Crane
Midand, deput fore- Van Husen and Mildred and Patsy Faulkner of
man Bernard Ross

## Kissinger and West German

 Chancellor meet privately
## MONTEREY, Calif. dence of Stephen Bechtel 'Pebble Beach Monday (AP - Former Secre. Jr., chairman of Bechtel. The others were expect tary of State. Henry Kis. Corp., and included in- ed to leape today. APry of State Herry Kis- singer. West German

 Chancellor HelmutSchmidt and former NATO commander Alex-
ander Haig attended ander Haig attended a
private meeting of diplomats and industrialists
here, the Monterey Pen-
insula

The nature of the
meeting was not dis.
The meeting Sunday and Monday took place
at the Pebble Beach rest

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Hidland Hood died Saturday in a Midland
hospital following a lengthy illness.
He He was born Sept. 28, 1902 in Sugar
Grove, Ky. He moved to Midland from Odessa in 1938. He was a retired
oil field supply representive.

Israel, Egypt meet in second phase of Israeli withdrawal
TEL AvIV, Israel (AP)- Israeli
and Egyptian military negotiators
pervision observers in the desert.
EEypt has agreed to the compro-
mise plan, but Israel feels a stronger met in the Sinai desert today to pre- mise plan, but Israel feels a stronger
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Egypt ty next Janiruary of Sinai to tation of the peace agreement in the
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The delegations met at The delegations met at Abu Rode
on the Gulf of Suez, and no problem on the Gulf of Suez, and no probdems Wednessay is is western Sinai, ex
were reported in the talks to arrange
the handover. The handover.
The withdrawal, three months after Gulf. The area being returned is adjal
cent to Israel's oil wells in the guli, implementation of the months after
Iratel tent to Israel's oil wells in the gulf,
peace treaty, is not being affected by
but under the treaty Israel keeps the
wells until November. the current dispute over which United
Nations forec will oversee the treaty $\begin{gathered}\text { Press reports said. } \\ \text { already removed all millitary insta }\end{gathered}$ provisions in Sinai.
The Soviet Union is set to veto any lations from the sector and has le
 U.S. condemns Israeli air attacks on Lebanon's coast WASHINGTON (AP) the strongest kind of press reports that 12 to 15
Israel, condemned by
terms, that Israel stop
persons were killed in the
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air attacks on coastal
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not change its policy and and added that the Unit- the first by Israel on tar will "hit the bases of ther- ed States is particularly gets in Lebanon in thre are," says that country's they take in ctvilian this spring to randoml
ambassador to the Unit- lives.
In addition to registerIn addition to register- keep the guerrillas of sponding to the U.S. con- el, the United States has Israeli government had
demnation of the week- asked the Palestinans used the raids as retalia-
end raids, said Monday and the Lebanese Chris- tory measures.

chinese refugees a year. But in South-
east Asia, temporary camps hold
more than 300000 men, women and
children, and their numbers are growing.
The Pentagon's latest instructions
to the the 7th Fleet broaden the Navy's role in helping tae refugees. Orficials
said four aditional ships are being
assigned to the South China Sea assigned to the South China Sea
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Before you groan about how you can't stay up late or see straight in the morning, think about it.

You'll be saving up to $60 \%$ ! If you're a night person, you probably don't start counting sheep until after 11 pm anyway. And if you've got friends and family to call out west, it'll be a perfectly civilized 9 or 10 pm
when their phone rin
If you like to see the sun rise, and you know folks back east, it'll be an hour later on their end.

Call out of state anytime before 8 am and you can talk all day if you want and still save $60 \%$. Instate calls are also greatly reduced. Just remember to dial One-Plus.

## Reach out on the weekend and save up to $60 \%$.

Now this is a stroke of good luck: a really cheap Long Distance phone call just when you may want it most. Call any time between 11 pm Friday and 5 pm Sunday and really save. For instance, dial One-Plus and you can make a ten-minute


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## DialOne-Plus and watch the savings add up.

Even if you're not a reg-
 ular do-it-yourselfer, do-it-yourself when you th you dial "one" plus the area code plus the phone number, instead of having the Operator do it. It's also faster. If you don't know the area code you need, just look in the front of your Telephone Directory. (Also check your telephone directory for exact discounts and conditions on out-of-state and instate calls.)

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Along with the flag-waving, fetes and parades, pick up the phone and call Long Distance. Our regular evening discount rates apply all day on Christmas, New Year's Day, Labor Day, July 4th and Thanksgiving. If the holiday falls on a weekend, you get the lower rate. Isn't this the perfect time to ring up friends and family?

## Reach out. Reach out and touch someone.

Today's opening stock market report
New York Exchange



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American Exchange





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## Treasury bonds <br> 

Councilmen face stiff fines for saving diesel suaky nita theirervation councilmen $\$ 100$
plant to save energy On July 1 , the coungil voted to shut down the $\$ 3.5$
million secondary sewage treatment plant was gobbling up so much diesel fuel.-generate
power that the town treasury would go bankrupt. Besides, they reasoned, Skagway has only 250
hookups, and the tides that visit every 12 hours
naturally fush any pollution in Taiya Inlet out into the Pacific Ocean.
And they argued that many major cities still have
only primary treatment, which eliminates solid waste by filtering or settling. In secondary treat
ment, air is forced into the water to supply oxygen to
ment Much of Skagway itself - gateway to the gold-ma
stampeders in 1888 - forms the Klondike Gold Rus stampeders in 1898 - Forms the Klondike Gold Rush
National Historic Park. There are no industrial polluters, and the town has only 858 people. They are
largely dependent on summer ferry and cruise-ship passengers who call at this northernmost port on
1, 1,000 -mile Inside Passage.
The sewage system, which collects waste from homes as well as rainfall on the streets, has per-
formed so thoroughly that 450,000 gallons a day have
gone through the secondary treatment plant - at a gone through the secondary tratment plant - at a
cont of about $\$ 4,000$ a month. And most pof it is the rain
that is measured in feet by the residents of the soggy Southeast Panhandle,
"We dolt't want to pollute the area," says Mayo
Robert Messegee, who has appealed to Carter fo help. "It's not like there is toilet paper floating
around at the outlet of the pipe or anything like that.
Our raw, sewage is cleaner than what is being processed out of the sewer plant in Seattle."
The E Envirommental Protection Ageny has filed suit in federal court in Anchorage, charging the
council with violation of the 1972 Clean Water Act. If
convicted, the council members could be subject to $\$ 10,000$-a-day fines for each day the secondary sew-
age plant is idle.
dine EPA had no choice but to take the action it did under the terms of the wastewater treatment
act,", said Stan Brust of the EPA office in Anchor-
age, The mayor wrote the president after Carter's
energy speech, saying the plant requires 46,500
gallons of diesel fuel to gallons of diesel fuel to operate.
"Financially, we havent' got a chance, our total
budget is only sono,
uoo," he told Carter "Please help me, Mr. President. I don't want to go to jail and I
don't want my citizens to be harassed by the EPA giant. $\begin{aligned} & \text { City officials say they may countersue. As for } \\ & \text { Councilman Oscar Selmer, he says he would go to } \\ & \text { jail for contempt before he reopens the plant or pays }\end{aligned}$ "All they have to do is come up and get me," says
the 60- year-old retired railroad worker."." Ml get free
room and board, as long as they bring me a little shot U.S. Postal Service scuttles proposal to close offices

her Green Stamps for the things she really wants
now that a plan to close the New Geneva post office
has been scuttled -at least temporarily
She had been saving the stamps to get a home
 things a lot easier."
The Postal Rate Commission decided Monday to
spare the post offiece in this southwestern Pennsivva.
nia village of top and in 11 other small towns across
the nation, saying the Postal Service hadn't ade.
ter the nation, saying the Postal Service hadn't ade-
quately studied the impact on affected communi-
ties.
Residents say it was like a stay of execution.
"The post office is the only thing we have left in Residents say it was like a stay of execution.
"The post office is the only thing we have left in
New Geneva," said Betty Clay. "We used to have a
littlele store and a gas station but they both closed. F'd
hate to olose the post office.",
Townsolk were told they'd get mail in boxes
Tow clustered at central locations. But the locked, indoor
post office boxes meant more.
"We would have no Identy without the post office,", an unidentififed citizen wrote in a letter tot the
commission. "We would have no other public build ing left in town."
The General Accounting Office, Congress' re-
search office, says s s 490 million a year could be saved search office, says ss90 million a year coulc be saved
by closing 12,00 small post offices. Postal service
officials say reversals like those announced Monday threaten its efforts to economize.
The other communities affected Monday were:
Prairie, Ala.; Southfield, Mass.; Fitler, Miss.; Bal-
 The offices had remained open pending the com-
mission decision.
"This town is made up mostly of retired pebple,
and the security of the matl and of their Soclai
Sect
 Residents of Clune and New Geneva signed peti-
tions and contacted congressmen to protest the
possible closings, arguing the buildings serve as possible closings, arguing the buildings serve as
community meeting places. Personal appeals also
were filed "The only buildings in town are the fire depart-
ment, a community action eenter and the post office

- that's it." said Mrs. Hazlett. Johnson and Jefferson may be named judges WASHINGTON (AP)-Texas Supreme Court Jus-
tice Saim Johnson and former state District Judge tice Saim Johnson and former state District Judge
Andrew Jefferson of Houston may be the next
Texans to sit on the 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals, The sources, who asked not to be identified; said
Monday the Justice Department presently is evaluating both men.
As many as five
As many as five vacancies on the Sth Circuit may
be filled by Texans, and the Senate already has
confirmed three of them. confirmed three of them.
The three confirmed appointments are U.S. Dis-
trict Judge Reynaldo Garza of Brownsville, forme trict Judge Reynaldo Garza of Brownsville, former
State Supreme Court Justice Thomas M. Reaviey of
Austin and Carolyn Randall of Houston Austin and Carolyn Randall of Houston.
The Senate confirmed the nominations July 12.
They were recommended by Sen. Lloyd Bentsen,
D-Texas.


## Subcommittee votes subpoena


vestments be kept confidential. The subcommittee has been looking
into OPEC investments in hopes of
determining whether those funds condetermining wethenerthose funds con-
stitute a threat to the U.S. dollar. It earier heard téstimony by two
private economists that the funds
were so large that cert were so large that certain OPEC na-
tions could manipulate the value of the dollar simply by withdrawing
their investments and putting their money into another currency
If true, that could have foreign poli-
cy consequences. cy consequences. One witness, for
example, testified last week that Can example, ecision not to proceed with
ada's decen
moving moving its embassy to Israel from Tel
Aviv to Jerusalem came after Arab
nations threatened to withdraw their Canadian investments.
The Treasury The Treasury has minimized any
potential threat to the dollar, saying
the U.S. banking system could any withdrawal of OPEE funds. But it
says it it is mande says it is to the apdvantands. of the
United States to keep those fund invested in this country and says it
fears that disclosure of individual investments could cause some Arab
nations to move their funds to another Most of the OPEC money is concen-
trated in din trated in deposits in the largest U.S.
banks. Another big chunk is in government securities. Only a miniscule
amount, by comparison, is directly
invested in American business or reat
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## Recession within year?



| onger market itself on the basis of cheap labor, cheap energy, inexpen- <br> "I do expect the maintenance of the Southwestern lifestyle to become in- reasingly expensive. Indeed, I would predict that the lower cost of living, which has been such a strong magnet attracting industry and people to the Southwest, wirl have evaporate within five years," Weinstein said. Attempts to substantially increase ynthetic fuel production will get lost in the "regulatory jungle" of the Na ional Energy Act, he said, adding ess government intervention - not more - would speed energy securi${ }^{\text {is }}$ "It is obvious to me that the president and his adviserl do not under- tand -or are unwilling to face up to - the real causes of energy shortages; and most of the proposals for |
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## Harvard professor holds no hope for Carter plan




