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PRE-LAW SOCIETY & PI SIGMA ALPHA: Stanley Kaplan, founder of the Kaplan Review Courses, will be discussing the Law School Admissions Test in Room 308 Rudder at 6:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome

ASSOCIATED GENERAL CONTRACTORS: Will meet to elect officers at 7:30 p.m.in the Architecture Auditorium. Guest speakers will be Don Somrell and J.W. Bateson.

WILDLIFE SOCIETY: Will hear a presentation by Dr. Lytle H. Blankenship at their meeting in Room 301 Rudder at 7:30 p.m. INSTITUTE OF ELECTRICAL & ELECTRONICS ENGINEERS: Dallas Power & Light will give a presentation entitled "Computer-Assisted Control of Power Systems" in Room 103 Zachry at 7 p.m.,

with refreshments following. AMERICAN DIABETES ASSOCIATION: Will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the cafeteria of St. Joseph Hospital. All diabetics and interested persons are welcome and can call 822-0029 for more information. r. Tom Scott

MBA ASSOCIATION: Ray Sims, class of '58, will speak on the formation of a new company in Room 302 Rudder at 7:30 p.m. The Aggieland picture will be taken in the MSC Lobby at 7:15.

CLASS OF '81: Will meet in Room 510 Rudder at 7:30 p.m. to select a theme for the Junior Ball and to finalize plans for a class gift.

MEDICAL TECHNOLOGY SOCIETY: Dr. Philip J. Migliore and Sherry Martin from the Methodist Hospital in Houston will speak to plan the on their medical technology program in Room 100 of the Agronomy Building at 7 p.m.

Il be held POULTRY SCIENCE CLUB: Will meet in Room 100 Kleberg at 7 p.m.

> PLANT SCIENCES CLUB: Dr. Ray Martyn will speak on biological control of plant diseases in Room 103 of the Plant Sciences Building at 7:30 p.m

> "CISELLE:" OPAS will present the Houston Ballet in Rudder Auditorium at 8:15 p.m.

> GREAT ISSUES: Will present "Annette Kolodny," at 12:30 p.m. in Rudder Forum

#### Wednesday

HILLEL FOUNDATION: Rabbi Joseph Radinsky will speak at 8 p.m. in the Hillel Jewish Student Center on "What is a Jew?"

ROADRUNNERS CLUB: Will meet in Room 32l of the Physics Building at 8 p.m. to hear Dr. George Jessup of the Health and Physical Education department. Everyone is invited and refreshments will be served

HANG GLIDING CLUB: Will meet in Room 105 Harrington at 7:30 p.m

PHI DELTA GAMMA: Dr. Annette Kolodny of the University of New Hampshire will speak at noon in Room 145 MSC on "The University and the Law." The public is invited to attend.

FUN RUN: Will start at 6 p.m. at the steps of G. Rollie White. Sponsored by the TAMU Roadrunners.

WILDLIFE LEGISLATION: James R. Fielding will speak on "Wildlife Legislation at the National Level" in Room 301 Rudder. "TO BE YOUNG, GIFTED AND BLACK:" Will be presented by the Black Awareness Committee at 7:30 p.m. in Rudder Forum.

## Media show vets fairly, poll shows

WASHINGTON — Americans do

not blame the news media for the negative feelings some people have of Vietnam veterans but, in fact, think the soldiers were portrayed favorably, according to a new Harris poll released Saturday.

Some 68 percent of the public said things they saw, read and heard about Vietnam veterans gave them a favorable impression, according to the poll, conducted at the request of President Carter and the Veterans Administration.

Only 25 percent report that things they saw, read and heard from the news media gave them an unfavorable impression of the veterans.

The section on public perceptions on the role of the news media is part of a larger survey of a 1,200-person representative sample conducted by Lou Harris and Associates on attitudes toward Vietnam era veterans. Despite the general finding that Americans got a favorable impress-ion of the soldiers from their news-

papers and television stations, the survey said, there are "some important differences in how the public perceives the television coverage of both the war and the veterans who fought in it emerge from the data. "For example, overall, 40 percent

of the public believe that the television news stories they have seen ab-out the war in Vietnam gave a fairly realistic picture of the violence there, 14 percent believe that these stories exaggerated the violence and 34 percent believe that these stories underplayed the extent of the actual violence in that conflict. However, these opinions are far from uniform.

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The poll said young people tend to feel television news reporting of the war understated the violence and drug use, while older people feel that the major networks tended to focus more than necessary on events such as the My Lai massacre and the use of hard drugs.

The survey said respondents with better educations and those living in households whose heads are em-ployed in better jobs "are significantly more likely to report that the impressions given them of Vietnam era veterans have been negative than are their less priviledged counterparts.

It said age is "strongly correlated" with the degree to which the public is likely to feel that television news coverage exaggerated or underplay-ed the killing of innocent civilians by Americans

## \$20.2 million deficit Vatican reveals debt

United Press International VATICAN CITY — Pope John Paul II, fearing that "myths" of immense wealth damage the church's image, has ordered the partial lifting of secrecy that has shrouded Vatican finances for 2,000 years. The Vatican Friday announced a 1979 budget deficit of \$20.2 mil-

lion. No figures were released on activities of the Vatican bank, the annual Peter's Pence collections or on the Vatican's vast holdings, estimated at up to \$38 billion in choice real estate and priceless art

The unprecedented disclosure of a deficit was made Friday in a communique marking the end of a historic five-day congress of the College of Cardinals — the first such gathering of church princes in 400

years. "If spending continues to increase at the present rate, particularly through increased inflation and the cost of living, and if revenues remain at the present level, the Holy See could be in serious difficulty within the next few years," the statement said.



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United Press International CORPUS CHRISTI — The often-delayed drunk driving trial of Selma police chief and city manager Tom Holland is scheduled again this week, barring any further postponements. This time the trial, which has

been delayed three times for various reasons, is scheduled for Tuesday in Corpus Christi on a change of venue. The last time it was supposed to start, it was in

Victoria on a change of venue Bexar County-Court-at-Law Judge Rose Spector is presiding in the case in which Holland was arrested last Dec. 13 in the San Antonio suburb of Live Oak.

Holland presides over a reputed speed trap in Selma, also a San Antonio suburb, which has earned the small town the nick-name of "Valley of the Bears" among citizen's band operators.



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### Chinese premier returns home after touring western nations

United Press International PEKING — Premier Hua r of four leading capitalist nations t China called "a great success." 693-9781 The premier, returning aboard Communist Party chairman's siler jetliner, was met by top party aders that included Vice Premier leng Xiaoping.



nofeng of China arrived home in king Saturday after his historic roffour leading constitution Hua the first Chinese communist

Britain, West Germany and Italy when he left Rome Tuesday. But he stopped en route home at Úrumqi in

China's Xinjiang Province on Wednesday to rest from jet lag be-fore continuing home to Peking.

