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**Takedown**

Robert Hurley, right, and Dan Monivais, both of A&M Consolidated High School, practice their wrestling techniques at G. Rollie White Coliseum. They have been receiving help from Texas A&M's coach, Joe DeBella.

**Today's Almanac**

United Press International  
Today is Wednesday, Jan. 27, the 27th day of 1982, with 338 to follow.

The moon is moving toward its first quarter.

Those born on this date are under the sign of Aquarius.

American labor organizer Samuel Gompers was born Jan. 27, 1850.

On this date in history:  
In 1880, Thomas Edison was granted a patent for an electric incandescent lamp.

In 1973, the United States and North Vietnam signed a cease-fire agreement. Also, an end of the U.S. military draft was announced.

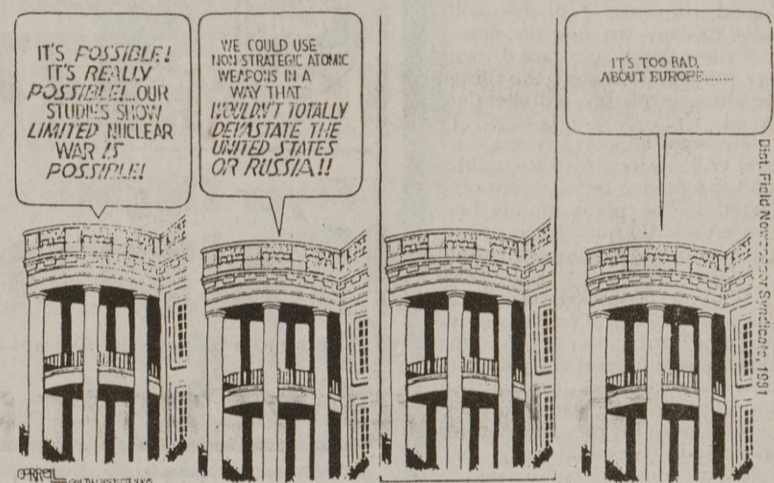
In 1981, President Reagan welcomed the Americans who were held hostage in Iran in ceremonies at the White House.

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**Oil magazine predicts record drilling year**

HOUSTON — World Oil magazine predicts another U.S. drilling record for oil and gas wells this year, although the magazine's experts expect a lower rate of growth than last year.

"Doomsayers in and out of the industry are trying to talk the most booming business in the United States into a recession since it refuses to get there any other way," the magazine said in a release Monday.

"But the 12 months just past saw another new high in wells drilled for the second consecutive year and a new footage record for the fourth year in a row, both will be topped in 1982."

World Oil forecast 90,422 wells and 420.4 million feet of hole, up 12.1 percent and 12.5

percent in 1982. They also predicted 41,856 oil wells and 17,153 gas wells, all-time highs in both categories.

The magazine said it cannot agree with forecasters predicting a slower rate of growth. It sees continued high prices, averaging \$34 a barrel for oil, keeping the stimulus for drilling high.

World Oil also said oil and gas companies' exploration and production expenditures are expected to increase in 1982, making more money available to drill oil and gas wells.

The only possible problem in the future of the drilling industry, World Oil said, is a possible 1982 drilling rig surplus — which would be more of a problem for contractors than petroleum companies.

"Excess rig supplies could continue to develop in selected areas, especially those that have not lived up to expectations (the Austin chalk trend) or where major development programs may be ending," the magazine said.

The magazine also said: "As expected, Canadian drilling proved to be a disaster in 1981 due to incredible government meddling in industry affairs."

"The situation remains unchanged and Canadian drilling capital continues to flee, seeking satisfactory rates of return elsewhere."

World Oil predicted drilling in the rest of the world would increase 13.2 percent in 1982, led by 14 percent increases in the Middle East and South America.

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