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terested in competing for export business in the capitalist West, are showing oilfield equipment for sale at the giant Offshore Technology Conference for the

day one Chinese concern, EES-CO Inc., has established a ware-house in Houston formit house in Houston for oil pumping units made in the People's

Republic of China. "We began exporting pump-ing units to the United States in 1980 through a middleman, but have only recently decided to market directly in this country, **EESCO Vice President M.S. Shu** said.

Shu, who talks a lot like an American salesman, said the firm can "offer our units to U.S. companies at a price that is sev-eral thousand dollars lower per unit than comparable units from other countries."

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He said several EESCO pumping units have been instal-led in oilfields in Oklahoma and Texas, including one recently sold to Conoco for an oilfield near Dallas. He said his organi-

portion of the U.S. market because we work very hard and have very strict quality control, and because we can be very competitive," Shu said.

"We have relatively low labor costs and we also don't expect to make a big profit right away."

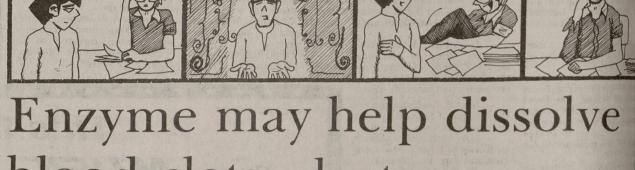
The American Petroleum In-stitute recently certified EES-CO's units as good enough in quality for use in API members' operations.

Shu said the units are made at EESCO's Baoji petroleum machinery manufacturing plant in Shaanxi, China, Shu said the United States is their only foreign market so far, but he said the organization hopes to move into South America.

"We have many more pro-ducts in China we would like to export, and will be doing a lot more as we learn about the busi-ness community," Shu said.

Shu said EESCO's plant cur-rently produces about 100 pumping units annually but ex-pects to expand to meet market demand.

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"It is almost like a chance for a second go around," said Dr. Lance Gould, director of cardiology at the University of Texas Medical School and staff member at Hermann Hospital, Wednesday.

Gould said that immediately removing clots allows blood to heart muscle. be pumped into the oxygen- The heart starved heart muscle to keep it

alive Rather than treat the complications caused by heart attacks, Gould treats one of the causes of heart attacks - clots. He's been giving the treatment for 18

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He explained that by releas-ing a small amount of the enzyme streptokinase directly into the clogged heart artery through cardiac catheterization — a tube into the vessel — usual-ly the clot will dissolve immediately

Blood will then begin flowing through the vessel to feed the

The heart is not back to normal, however, because the plaque - the buildup that led to the clot - remains. But Gould said bypass surgery can be done soon afterwards to replace the clogged arteries with vessels grafted

18 hours after chest pains start, a search is under way in sign of a heart attack, and allowing the blood to circulate again, the heart muscle will be saved

and scar tissue will not form. "Longevity is associated with the amount of scar tissue on the heart and its pumping action," Gould said. "The less scar tissue, the better the heart will function.

Gould said a normal heart pumps approximately 50 per-cent of the blood in its chamber with each contraction.

had only bypass surgery following a heart attack pump about 32 percent. But the pumping capacity in hearts after both treatments is about 45 percent,

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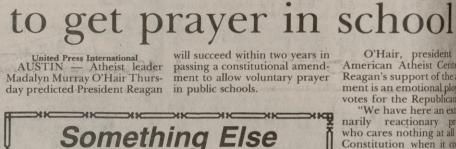
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