Reagan offers new arms package

ASHINGTON — President an, saying the Soviet Union et to take "the first meanal step" on nuclear disarmasent his negotiating team to Geneva Wednesday with ckage of proposals that ines a call for the United and the Soviet Union to y two existing nuclear

duced.

the United States who has had to push, pull, probe and prod in Geneva. the effort to achieve any progress" in the arms negotiations.

Reagan discussed the new proposals with a group of congressmen before meeting with

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missiles for every new one pro- chief U.S. arms negotiator Edward Rowny to give him his mar-Reagan said that "through- ching orders. The fifth round of out the negotiating process, it is the Strategic Arms Reduction Talks opens Thursday in

> Reagan appointed R. James Woolsey, a Democrat, to be a member-at-large of the U.S. delegation to warn the Soviets that the president has bipartisan backing for his actions.

Woolsey, former undersecretary of the Navy, will keep an eye on the negotiations to determine whether they are being pursued by the Reagan team.

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proposals is the guaranteed sile limits below SALT II levels. build-down that provides for the Reagan said the U.S. has tried superpowers to eliminate two older missiles for each new one that is produced.

The proposal also includes ours. provisions for cutting down on ballistic missile warheads and a parallel reduction of bombers.

"Let me emphasize the United States has gone the extra mile," Reagan said. "Everything is on the table. We are still most concerned about limits on the fast-flying, most dangerous systems. But we are also prepared to negotiate limits on the bom-The main feature of the new ber and air launched cruise mis-

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Reagan said the U.S. has tried to address Soviet concerns, but

the Soviets have yet to take their first meaningful step to address

He accused the Soviets of "stonewalling" U.S. proposals, not only in the START negotiations but also in the talks to reduce intermediate range missiles in Europe.

The watchwords of the new START proposal were "flexibil-

ity" and "bipartisanship. Both Democrats and Republicans said Reagan had gone far in integrating ideas from Capitol Hill with the recommendations of his own advisers in shaping the package to be offered to the

Soviet Union this week. Rep. Les Aspin, D-Wis., praised Reagan for his attempt to involve Congress in arms control policymaking, even though he conceded the motivation may have been to win greater sup-port for the MX missile and other parts of the administration's national security agenda.

What's Up

WEDNESDAY

UNIVERSITY LUTHERAN STUDENT CENTER: The candlelight communion service begins at 10 p.m. in the Lutheran Chapel, 315 N. College Main.

ALIEF HOMETOWN CLUB: A meeting to discuss the picnic and upcoming activities is at 8:30 p.m. in 502 Rudder Tower. IEEE-IAS CHAPTER: Terry Stevenson of Startel Inc. will speak on trafficking and recent changes in the telecommunica-tions industry at 7:30 p.m. in 305 Fermier Hall.

MSC POLITICAL FORUM: Everyone is welcome to the meeting at 7:30 p.m. in 504 Rudder Tower.

MUSICIANS' CLUB: There will be a general meeting at 7 p.m. in 501 Rudder Tower to discuss fund-raising activities.

CANTERBURY ASSOCIATION: Join us for a celebration of the Feast of St. Francis followed by a holy eucharist and supper. Activities begin at 5 p.m. in the Episcopal Student Center, 902

BOWIE COUNTY HOMETOWN CLUB: We will discuss the fall party at 7 p.m. in 305 Rudder Tower.

NATIONAL AGRI-MARKETING ASSOCIATION: Will Love will speak about the marketing and selling of agriculture products at 7:30 p.m. in 510 Rudder.

COLLEGE REPUBLICANS OF TEXAS A&M: The university and community publicity committees will have an organiza-tional meeting at the Dixie Chicken at 4 p.m.

UNITED CAMPUS MINISTRY: Come for food, fun and fellowship from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. at the A&M Presbyterian Church. Bring \$20 to pay for the retreat on Oct. 14-16.

BLACK AWARENESS COMMITTEE:A general business meeting is at 7 p.m. in 607 Rudder Tower.

SPEECH COMMUNICATION COLLOQUIUM: Dr. Kurt Ritter will present "Presidential Campaign Debating: The Argumentative Burdens of Incumbency" on Thursday at 11 a.m. in 203 Blocker (A&A).

RHA: Almost Anything Goes will begin at 5 p.m. on the main drill field. Come and watch Aggies compete in some of the craziest

TEXAS A&M CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION: A meeting is scheduled for 7 p.m. in 140 Memorial Student Center.

STUDENTS CONCERNED FOR THE HANDICAP-PED:We will meet at 8:30 p.m. in 607 Rudder Tower.

APPROPRIATE TECHNOLOGY GROUP: The first of three sesions of panel presentations and audience discussions on "Man, Machine, or Animal--Who Should do the Work?" is at 8 tonight in 208 Zachry.

TAMU Skateboard Club: General meeting and discussion of local television interview at 7 p.m. in 216T MSC.

Money doesn't stop traffic

SAN BRUNO, Calif. — Surprised police investigators said that when two bank robbers tossed hundreds of dollars. their getaway car, only one motorist stopped - and he wasn't after the loot.

lated bomb the men had also thrown from the car, Police Capt. Tony Conti said Tuesday.

The bandits were apparently trying to create a traffic jam that would slow down police cars that "It was a ploy to distract everybody," said Police Sgt. Joe Lanthier.

Labor worker denies bribe

United Press International

pleaded innocent Tuesday to a and approving a black lung com-

Edward L. Workman entered the plea during an arraignment before U.S. Magistrate Jerry

A Dec. 5 trial date was set before federal District Judge Charles Haden said Rick Class Hogg. He remains free on \$10,000 unsecured bond.

Workman, an employee of CHARLESTON — A U.S. the labor department's black Department of Labor employee lung benefits section, allegedly solicted the bribe in September charge of soliciting a \$5,000 from Elwood Sloan, a former bribe in exchange for processing coal miner who contacted the FBL

> A Dec. 5 trial date was set Charles Haden, said Rick Glaser, an assistant U.S. attorney.



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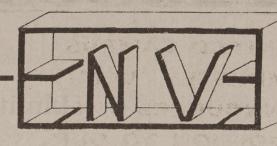
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