

### MATHEMATICS CONTEST

The annual Freshman and Sophomore Mathematics Contest will be held Thursday, April 16, 1987 from 7:30 to 9:30 PM. The Freshmen Contest will be in Room 216 Milner Hall and the Sophomore Contest in 304 Milner Hall. No calculators - all test material will be provided. Prizes for winners of first place will be \$100.00, second place \$60.00, and third place \$40.00. Prerequisite for Freshmen contest is knowledge of calculus through Math 151 or equivalent, for the Sophomore contest knowledge of calculus through Math 253 or equivalent.

## World and Nation

### Representative: Embassy breach may cost millions

MOSCOW (AP) — A congressman who made an unannounced nighttime inspection of the U.S. Embassy said Monday that Soviet KGB agents have "fully compromised" it, and undoing the damage will cost tens of millions of dollars.

Rep. Dan Mica said he and Rep. Olympia Snowe made the surprise inspection beginning at about midnight at the embassy, which is the focus of a sex-and-spy scandal allegedly involving former U.S. Marine guards.

"We agreed that this embassy should be considered at this time fully compromised," said Mica, D-Fla. "It will cost tens of millions of dollars to address our concerns."

Mica heads the House Foreign Affairs Committee's operations subcommittee, which supervises construction and running of U.S. diplomatic missions abroad. Snowe, from Maine, is the subcommittee's ranking Republican.

Their visit to Moscow was prompted by the arrests of three Marines who were guards at the embassy, two of whom have been charged with espionage.

According to Marine Corps charges, those accused of spying became sexually involved with Soviet women and allowed agents of the KGB secret service into the embas-

sy's communications center and other sensitive areas.

The third Marine is under investigation for allegedly violating the Corps regulation requiring that contacts with Soviet women be reported.

Defense Department sources have said they assume the security breach allowed the Soviets to decode message traffic over a period that includes the October summit in Iceland between President Reagan and Soviet leader Mikhail S. Gorbachev.

Mica said his estimate of the cost of restoring security was based only on what he saw at the building now in use, which was built in 1953. Mica said he and Snowe would inspect the new embassy building now under construction on Tuesday.

Some members of Congress have said the unfinished brick-and-glass structure, which already has cost \$191 million, is full of KGB bugging devices and should be pulled down. Its site is adjacent to the old building.

Under a 1972 agreement, the United States has allowed the new embassy to be built by Soviet workers, with many prefabricated sections assembled elsewhere.

Before he left Washington, Mica and Rep. Les Aspin, a Wisconsin Democrat, said two more Marine guards had been implicated.

### Reagan to consider acid rain proposal

OTTAWA (AP) — President Reagan said Monday there are "no quick and easy answers" for curbing acid rain, but he agreed to consider a Canadian proposal for a treaty requiring lower pollution levels by an agreed date.

Reagan made his surprise offer in a speech to Parliament after Canadian Prime Minister Brian Mulroney told the same audience, "In this matter, time is not our ally but our enemy. The longer we delay, the greater the cost."

The agreement to consider holding negotiations on the issue allowed the two leaders to wind up a 24-hour visit by Reagan on an upbeat note.

Earlier, both sides predicted there would be no agreements, and U.S. officials said privately that a treaty was not the correct way to combat pollution, particularly since various technologies are being explored to fight it.

Calling acid rain a two-nation problem requiring a two-nation solu-

tion, Mulroney said: "I urgently invite the United States administration and the American Congress to join with this Parliament and the government of Canada in concluding a firm, bilateral accord which will provide a North American solution to acid rain."

Reagan, departing from his prepared text in his speech minutes later, said he had "agreed to consider" Mulroney's proposal, "building on the tradition of agreements to control pollution of our shared interior waters," referring to the Great Lakes.

He said they also "agreed to inject new impetus" to talks on Canada's disputed claim of sovereignty in the icy Northwest Passage.

The United States recognizes a 12-mile Canadian coastal jurisdiction but insists the waterway is an international strait through which other countries are entitled to passage.

### Meese denies obstructing Iran-Contra investigation

WASHINGTON (AP) — Attorney General Edwin Meese III denied on Monday that he blocked an investigation into alleged gun-running to the Nicaraguan Contras last year when Congress was preparing to debate resumption of aid to the rebels.

Meese, speaking at a news conference, also rejected suggestions that then-National Security Adviser John Poindexter had urged him to shelve the investigation.

He acknowledged, however, that he had kept abreast of the probe, discussing it with the U.S. attorney in Miami, Leon Kellner.

Meese's handling of the investigation is one of several matters relating to the Iran-Contra affair in which the Justice Department's activities are coming under increasing scrutiny.

Later this week, the Senate Intelligence Committee is expected to ask FBI Director William Webster about

Meese's not calling the FBI into the affair until last Nov. 26, the day after the attorney general declared that money from secret arms shipments to Iran had been diverted to the Contras.

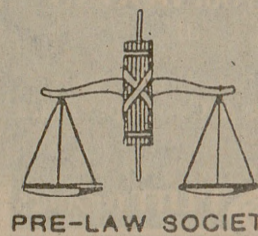
Evidence collected later by the independent counsel investigating the affair suggested that there was extensive destruction of documents by National Security Council staffers in the days preceding the FBI's entry into the case.

On Monday, Meese said he didn't talk to Poindexter about the gun-smuggling probe.

The attorney general said he recalled having only one conversation with Kellner, the U.S. attorney, about the investigation. And he added that he had no recollection of the subject "ever coming up in any conversation" with anyone at the National Security Council or the White House.

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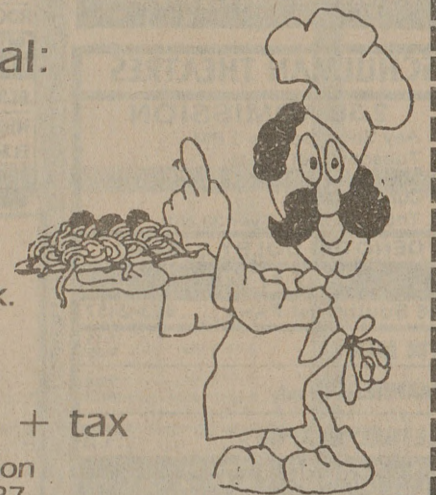
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