## A quick look

## World

### Flamboyant pilot Ruth Elder dead at 73



flamboyant beauty who gained world fame 50 years ago after an unsuccessful attempt to become the first woman to fly across the Atlantic, is dead at 73.

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) - Ruth Elder, a

Miss Elder died quietly in her sleep Sunday at the home she shared with her husband of 21 years, Ralph King.

In the half-century that followed the flight that began at Roosevelt Field in New York on Oct. 11, 1927, Miss Elder made movies, met a president, hobnobbed with royalty, married six times, made a lot of money and spent it all.

**Ruth Elder** ....in 1940

Her 1927 flight ended when an oil line cracked and she and her co-pilot ditched at sea and were rescued by a ship.

## At least 40 die in train wreck

NEW DELHI, India (AP) - At least 40 people were killed and 150 injured early Monday when a passenger train crashed into a

freight train outside Allahabad, in northern India, the national news agency reported. The report said rescue teams had removed 40 bodies from the

wreckage by noon and expected to find more.

Railway officials said they did not know the cause of the accident.

## Armed bandits hit posh hotel

NEW YORK (AP) - Four armed men invaded the swank Sherry-Netherland Hotel on Fifth Avenue early Monday and escaped with an

undetermined amount of loot.

Police said the method appeared the same as that used by robbers who took more than \$2 million in cash and valuables several years ago from the Hotel Pierre, just a few yards away. The men, apparently wearing wigs and false moustaches, entered the hotel at 4:35 a.m., according to police. One robber leaped over the registration desk. He handcuffed the night manager, bell captain, a porter and a bookkeeper before herding them into a storage room just off the lobby.

The four gunmen then spent an hour rifling the safe deposit boxes before escaping.

The Hotel Pierre robbers were caught.

### Lance: No role in big deposit

ATLANTA (AP) - Former Budget Director Bert Lance says he had nothing to do with the deposit of more than \$1 million in federal

funds in the National Bank of Georgia, in which he is a major stockholder.

The former director of the Office of Management and Budget was reacting to a story published in Newsday, a Long Island. N.Y., newspaper, which said that as of March 31 the bank held \$1,366,000 in federal funds in "savings accounts," much of it deposited after Lance became OMB director in January. The newspaper also said all other national banks in Georgia had

a total of \$39,000 in federal funds in similar accounts.

## Unions face big fund loss

WASHINGTON (AP) - Labor unions in eight states may lose several million dollars as the result of dealings by a California in-

surance man, a congressional investigator told a Senate subcommittee Monday.

As much as \$11.7 million in insurance premiums may have been misused between 1973 and 1976 by Joseph Hauser, convicted in March of trying to bribe California union officials in exchange for their health insurance business, the investigator said.

The states are Arizona, Florida, Georgia, Hawaii, Illinois, Indiana, Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

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### Ex-Gov. Hughes blasts death penalty

# Rights unit told: Weather Pay back \$421

DES MOINES (AP) - The Iowa Civil Rights Commission apparently is making progress in reducing its backlog of discrimination cases, State Auditor Lloyd Smith said Monday.

But Smith said the commission should return \$421 to a special fund advanced to the commission by State Comptroller Marvin Selden to pay travel expenses of VISTA employes.

"THE DIRECTOR of the Iowa Civil Rights Commission did not feel that he was bound by any limitations on the use of these funds and made travel advances at various times and amounts to 20 persons who were not VISTA workers," the audit report said.

The original amount advanced to the commission by the comptroller was \$1,500, but it was later reduced to \$1,000. Smith said that as of last Aug. 17, there

were seven employes who had received travel advances totaling \$645 from the fund, but two of them, who received \$421, were not VISTA employes.

VISTA stands for Volunteers in Service

## lowa surplus slipping

others

week.

DES MOINES (AP) - The state treasury surplus will be below the \$40 million balance earlier predicted for June 30, 1979 — the end of the biennium because of a poor farm economy, State Comptroller Marvin Selden says.

'We'll be below that but we won't be in the deficit position," Selden said.

The balance on June 30, 1976, by contrast, was \$207 million.

"It will be a very difficult year to. budget for and it will force us into being even more conservative than in the past," Selden said

The comptroller said he can not yet predict how much below \$40 million the final estimates will be because state officials are still compiling figures. He

## Mondale: We support

## Jewish state

CHICAGO (AP) - Vice President Walter Mondale says the Carter administration is "firmly committed" to a permanent Jewish state in Israel. Mondale said Sunday night he hoped

that soon there would be a general understanding of what "we are trying to do

in the Middle East." Mondale commented here where he

attended the Polish-American Congress Illinois Division dinner at which Sen. Edmund Muskie. D-Maine, was honored. Meanwhile, Newsweek magazine reported that the Palestine Liberation Organization is prepared to concede Israel's

right to exist as a nation. In its current issue, Newsweek says PLO leader Yasir Arafat sent a message

on by w or American busialarn nessman Landrum Bolling, saving that his organization would accept United Nament store at Crossroads Center, no fire. 6:36 p.m., to 334 Argyle St., mattress tions Resolution 242, which guarantees the smoldering outside of house, occupied by right of Israel to exist within secure Charles Barnett, caused by smoking in bed. borders. 7:48 p.m., to 321 E. Seventh St., residence of

Waterloo Cloudy and colder Monday night and Tuesday, with rain likely, possibly changing to light snow. Lows Mon-day night in the mid 30s,

with northerly winds 15 to 30 mph and a 60 percent chance of precipitation. Highs Tuesday about 40,

WATERLOO TEMPERATURES Monday, 7 a.m.... Monday 9 a.m. (official) ......45 Monday 11 am. (official)......51 High Sunday..... ow Sunday..... High year ago..... Low year ago... CEDAR RIVER STAGE

Service) MISSISSIPPI RIVER STAGES DAVENPORT (AP) - Mississippi River stages Monday (flood stages in parentheses): Lacrosse (12) 5:8

McGregor (18) 7.7 fall .1 Guttenbrg (15) 5.8 fall .1 Dubuque (17) 8.6 rise .1 Davenport (15) 6.8 rise.3 Fairbanks

For period 6 p.m. Saturday to 6 a.m. Monday ...... Trace Normal October precipitation.....



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Sunset Monday 6:36 p.m .......Sunrise Tuesday 7:18 a.m.

Childers, 69, ill, taken to Schoitz Memorial

Sunday

field, 54, muscle spasms and chest pains, taken to Schoitz Memorial Hospital.

1:33 a.m., to 242 Maple St., Jacklin Veasley, 16 months, ill, taken to St. Francis Hospital, 1:51 a.m., to Quality fnn, Sally Dale, 26, 112

E. Parker St., chest pains, taken to St. Francis

76, of Boone, chest pains, taken to Schoitz

12:07 p.m., to 805 Adams St., A. B. Jones, 54, of 431 Webster St., back pains, taken to Allen

Memorial Hospital. 12:09 p.m., to 108 Walnut St., Wesley Hodges. 40, of 119 Argyle St., chest pains, taken to Allen

2:01 p.m., to 407 W. Donald St., Dorothy Galloway, 20, of 1717 Columbia St., stomach

pains, taken to St. Francis Hospital.

83, ill, taken to Allen Memorial Hospital.

2:11 a.m., to 223 Madison St., Mildred Grove,

8:36 a.m., to 709 Randolph St., Erma Lubbs,

1:14 a.m., to 314 Bates St., Constance Brum-

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## **Daily record**

BIRTHS REPORTED Allen Memorial Hospital WEISERT. Mr. and Mrs. Rick, La Porte

City, girl. Schoitz Memorial Hospital FEHL, Mr. and Mrs. Dean, Rt. 1, La Porte

City, boy CONRAD, Mr. and Mrs. James, Gilbertville,

girl. WEBSTER, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight, 166

Elmridge Rd., girl.

St. Francis Hospital HENDERSON, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis, 1408 Washington St., boy. MILLS, Mr. and Mrs. Loel, Waverly, twin

FRANEY, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis, 1139 Dixon Dr., boy. SULLIVAN, Mr. and Mrs. David, 856 Second

St., Evansdale, girl.

## FIRE ALARMS

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Saturday 9:04 p.m., to Freeman Cafe, 2820 Falls Ave., fan on compressor burned out, total loss to motor. Supday 6:24 a.m., to Waterloo Industries, notifier

Brenda Roby, no fire, was steam from radiator

EMERGENCY CALLS

Saturday

heart ailment, taken to St. Francis Hospital. 9:46 p.m., to 420 California St. Frank

Vaughan, 47, choking, taken to St. Francis

Johnson. 39. ill, taken to Allen Memorial

11 p.m., to 220 Reed St., Chris Davis, 2, ill, taken to Allen Memorial Hospital.

11:38 p.m., to 208 Independence Ave., Ermin

10 p.m., to 105 St. Albans St., Joanne

9:16 p.m., to 902 Newton St., Earl Jago, 80,

6:41 p.m., to Osage and Dubuque roads, car accident. Charlotte Newman, 23, of 12412 Forest Circle, Evansdale, taken to St. Francis Hospital. 7:23 p.m., to 1228 Lime St., Viola Pelkey, 81. 5:27 p.m., notifier alarm at Sears departill, taken to St. Francis Hospital.

Brown, 56, Charles City, possible fractured hip, taken to Sartori Memorial Hospital.

Sunday 8:25 a.m. to 1514 W. 18th St., Clifford McCollum, 58, ill, taken to Sartori Memorial Hospital.

10:46 a.m. to Windsor Care Center, Clifford Isley, 79. difficulty breathing, taken to Sartori Memorial Hospital. 3:36 p.m. to 1521 Clay St., Maxine Boeth, no

age, ill. taken to Sartori Memorial Hospital. 8:38 p.m. to Ninth and Main streets, Sharley Staggers, 53, and Marge Gieske, 70, both of 420 E. 10th St., car-pedestrian accident, taken to Sartori Memorial Hospital. Monday

5:57 a.m. to Sartori Memorial Hospital, Arthur Barvels, 69, of 1937 State St ... transported to Allen Memorial Hospital.

## Crisis calls

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Alcoholics Anonymous		 234-9	9434
Evansdale		234.0	2220
Alcoholism Council.		235.6	3571
Jrug Council		232.4	3000
Ambulance Emergency		 291.4	1977

of cases which built up in the commission's early years before it had northerly winds 15 to 25 mph and a 30 percent chance of precipitation. SMITH NOTED the federal Equal EXTENDED FORECAST Employment Opportunity Commission Cool with little, or no pre-cipitation indicated throughout the period. Highs in the 40s had funded two special projects to add staff members on a temporary basis to work in ferreting out discrimination in Wednesday warming into the 60s by Friday. Lows generally employment and develop investigative tools to resolve discrimination in all areas in the 30s.

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## PRECIPITATION DATA

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Rapid City 74 36 Richmond St. Louis 59 44 87 76 St. P. Tampa 87 Salt Lake .....2.38

tax data, is available. The revenue projections are used by the governor and legislature to determine how many tax dollars are needed and how

they should be spent Many legislators have said they fear lower farm prices and poor crops will

to America. The 1975 legislature gave the commission some money to pay VISTA workers to help pare down a huge backlog

The commission said the total value of

back pay and settlements it obtained for

complainants during the year was

\$586,315. Smith said, however, that area

The commission in the year under audit

received 811 discrimination complaints,

disposed of 857 and found "probable

cause" for a complaint existed in 115

expects to release his latest estimate this

A more accurate report will be

available next January when more com-

plete "information, including final sales

wasn't covered by the audit.

sufficient staff to handle them.

mean a severe reduction in the amount of money the state collects in taxes.

Selden said this week's estimates will show sales tax revenues will increase but not nearly as much as in previous years.

DES MOINES (AP) - Former Iowa governor Harold Hughes said Saturday that the restoration of the death penalty would be a simplistic and illusory way to sidestep the real problems of how to stop crime. Hughes, in Des Moines to speak at a conference on the death penalty, said the penalty doesn't cut back on serious crime. "It is not merely a legal matter for lawyers and corrections officials," Hughes said. "It is the most profound of all moral judgments for the nation."

Gov. Robert Ray joined Hughes on the

We cannot back off from the real problem that faces us - crime and the prevention of crime - by restoring the death penalty." Ray said.

speakers' podium at the conference.

lowa abolished the death sentence in 1965.

### Girl's body

## found in ditch

BURLINGTON (AP) - The body of Lisa Elaine Miller, 15, Burlington, was found in a ditch one mile south of Burlington Sunday.

The Iowa Bureau of Criminal Investigation, Des Moines County Sheriff's officers and the Iowa Highway Patrol are investigating the death.

Authorities said the body was discovered about noon Sunday by a group of young people. They said the group was trying to push their car out of a ditch along old Highway 61 south of Burlington when they spotted the body.

Officers said it appeared the girl had been beaten around the head, but an exact cause of death had not yet been determined.

## Elsewhere in the Courier

It also reported that Israel was prepared to break off pre-Geneva negotiations last week when Israeli Foreign Minister Moshe Dayan met with President Carter.

Dayan carried a diplomatic note, drafted after telephone conversations with Israeli's Prime Minister Menahem Begin, calling a temporary halt to the negotiations. The note said the talks were being stopped, "with great sorrow," because of new and "unacceptable conditions" in the joint U.S.-Soviet statement on the Middle East peace talks.

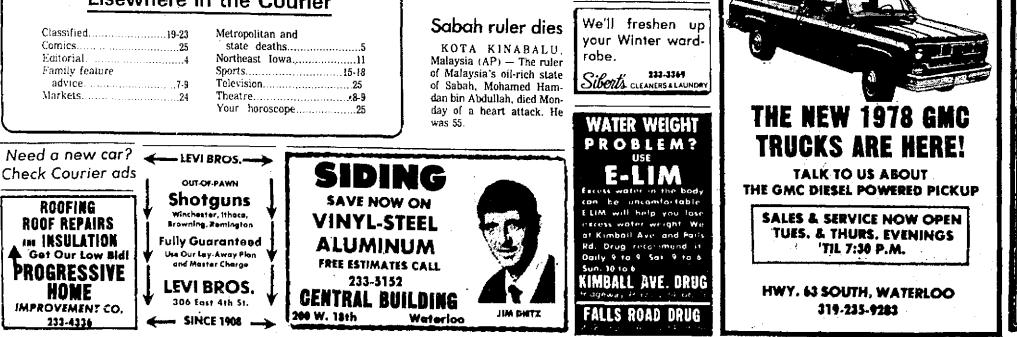
## Waterfront shut down

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — The entire waterfront of the nation's No. 2 port was shut down Monday as longshoremen continued a general strike in defiance of union leaders' insistence that they go along with a national strike aimed only at containerized cargo.

Thomas Gleason, president of the International Longshoremen's Association, AFL-CIO, had no immediate response to a third refusal by New Orleans workers to limit their strike to container vessels.

The ILA called a strike of container ships Oct. 1, but New Orleans workers called a general strike.

The longshoremen said they felt a limited strike would divide the union and help only workers in heavily containerized ports in the Northeast.



MARRIAGES DISSOLVED SCHMITT, Mildred Mary and Robert Daniel, married Jan. 31, 1959, in Twentynine Palms,

Calif. Stipulation not filed. WISE, Arthur H. and Henrietta Louise, married April 17, 1968, in San Antonio, Texas. He gets custody of one child, furniture and household goods.

### Cedar Falls

BIRTHS REPORTED Sartori Memorial Hospital

KEMP, Mr. and Mrs. Peter, 2216 Lincoln St., boy.

EMERGENCY CALLS . Saturday 5:18 p.m. to 11th and Walnut streets, Edith

Convalescent
• Birthright
101 Free
Black Hawk Sheriff. 291-2515
• Crime Check
Crisis Services
Rape, Battered Women
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* Dial-A-Devotion 234,4517
<ul> <li>Police Suicide Prevention</li> </ul>
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