News Briefs

IBM announced Tuesday plans to sell its South African subsidiary, becoming the second major U.S. corporation in two days to pull out of business in the racial strifetorn country. General Motors Corp. was the first.

International Business Machines Corp., the biggest computer company, said the worsening economic and political climate prompted its decision to sell IBM South Africa to local interests.

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A statement made Tuesday by the Revolutionary Justice Organization in Beirut said it had abducted Edward Austin Tracy, 55, of Rutland, VT., one of the few Americans who stayed in the west Beirut area despite the seizure of over 60 foreigners there since January 1984. Tracy is a well-known Beirut character and writes children's books and poetry. He is among seven Americans who are still missing in Lebanon.

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Television evangelist Pat Robinson filed

Mission Valley Cinemas	
"Tough Guys"	2:00-5:00
	7:10-9:10
"Children of a	2:10-4:40
Lesser God"	7:10-9:40
"Crocodile Dundee"	2:40-4:50
	7:05-9:20
"Soul Man"	2:20-4:20
	7:20-9:25
Imperial Cinemas	
"Blue Velvet"	7:10-9:30
"Trick or Treat"	7:00-9:15
"Jumpin' Jack Flash"	7:25-9:40
"American Justice"	7:20-9:35
Cardinal	
"The Color of Money"	2:15-4:45
•	7:00-9:30
"Stand by Me"	2:30-5:00
-	7:15-9:00
Village Twin	
"Peggy Sue Got Married"	7:00-9:10
"At Close Range"	7:00-9:20

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twin \$35 million libel suits against former Rep. Paul McCloskey and Rep. Andrew Jacobs, D-Ind., over claims Robertson used his father's influence to avoid combat duty in Korea.

Robertson charged McCloskey and Jacobs of making "wanton and reckless statements denigrating my role with the U.S. Marine Corps while serving in the Korean conflict." Robertson is a Republican presidential prospect in 1988.

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A man in Daytona Beach, Fla. gave his 3-year-old daughter to a suspected drug dealer as collateral for \$40 worth of marijuana. Floyd W. Cook, 35, was charged Wednesday with the sale and delivery of marijuana. Cook gave his daughter to the drug dealer, who took her inside his motel room while Cook returned to his car. Four minutes later, Cook returned, gave the man \$40 and got his child back. Cook told an undercover officer the swap was "just business."

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Members of the French Club, Le Sercle Francais, listen attentively as Therese Perras entertains them with stories spoken in French. Perras is an international storyteller.

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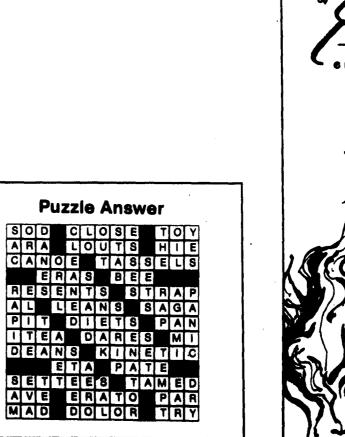
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Movies at Meredith

Lights! Camera! Action! See what's showing at the cinema — the MEA movie cinema. The movies are .99 each and are shown in the Cate Center Auditorium. We have the necessary refreshments! Popcorn .25 and drinks .35! Get excited! Call your friends at State and come have some fun! Hope to see ya'll at the next movie. Look for days and times posted on campus. Anyone who would be interested in working on the movie committee please call Susan or Beth at 7791.

October 31 & Nov. 2	Poltergeist
November 8 & 9	Back to the Future
December 5	Exam Bust
	American Werewolf in London
	Flamingo Kid
February 8	The Color Purple
February 13	An Officer and A Gentleman
March 13	Private Benjamin
April	St. Elmo's Fire
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