news roundup

World
Non-White on South African team — South Africa has named a non-white to their Davis Cup tennis team for the first time. Peter Lamb, of mixed race, will join the regular squad but he is not expected to be selected for the four man team that will play the American squad next month in Nauvoo, Tennessee.

Mideast
Begin attacks US policy — Egyptian President Sadat met with leaders of the American Jewish community last week in an effort to ease tensions and repair what he called "irritations" between Egypt and the US. The meeting took place in Washington. Sadat's visit is the first by an Egyptian president in the US in nearly 35 years. Following the meeting, a group of US Senators pledged strong support for Sadat's efforts to improve relations with the US. The group also expressed concern over Israel's military buildup in the Middle East.

Nation
Regents reject competency test — The New York State Board of Regents has rejected a proposal for a new competency test that would replace the Regents' Comprehensive Examination. The state's education commissioner, James A. Williams, had recommended the test as a way to improve student performance.

Carter declares energy emergency — President Carter declared an energy emergency in the US, calling for a "full-scale, sustained effort" to reduce energy consumption. The declaration came in response to rising oil prices and the need for additional energy resources.

Local
Boston recover slowly from storm — Boston is recovering slowly from the worst storm in its history. The storm, which lasted for four days, left 500,000 residents without power and caused widespread damage. The city is working to restore power and clear debris from the streets.

Campus
Flu widespread — In Boston, the number of flu cases continues to rise. At least 500,000 students have been affected, and the number of cases is still increasing.

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