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Nuclear fuel expenditures in the Sacramento Municipal Utility District will rise sharply next year, from $19 million in 1977 to about $30 million in 1978. Jeff Marx, a SMUD spokesman, said the estimated budget for 1978 will include a recommendation to spend $35 million to purchase 750,000 pounds of uranium fuel and another $15 million for fuel enrichment and fabrication.

Gunman frees 14 hostages

TORONTO (UPI) - A gunman who is armed with a military carbine, had hostages alter police "sent in a 911 call," he said. The released hostages then walked out of the bank and returned inside.

The incident began late when two men tried to get loose and call us. In the Oct. 21st attack, the young husband ran from his house and fired three shots from his shotgun into the air. The rapist, described by his victims as "unusually endowed," described himself as "possibly in a homosexual phase," and has made several attacks since his first attack, Oct. 21, 1975. Twenty-six rapes and two attempts were not successful.

In his early attacks, the rapist concentrated on homes where no man was present, in April this year he escalated the danger and began to attack where men were at home, typically tying up the man and helping the woman into another room to rape and terrorize her. More than $30,000 has been offered as rewards for the capture of the rapists, whose attacks have sparked massive sales of guns, locks and home-protection devices and spawned neighborhood patrols by citizens with CB radios.

So far, the rapist has left no solid clues to his identity, Miller said.