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Teachers to get higher pay, more work deal

AMMAN (J.T.) — The Ministry of Education plans to increase the salary of teachers at its schools in exchange for an increase in their educational tasks, according to a ministry spokesman.

He said that the ministry is also conducting a study in cooperation with the University of Jordan and Yarmouk University aimed at raising the efficiency and standard of teaching in both academic and vocational training fields.

The ministry hopes to make a university degree or its equivalent the minimum qualifications needed for practicing teaching at Jordanian schools, the spokesman said.

According to the ministry the step is to be taken in a bid to stem a trend among teachers who take up jobs after workhours, which is incompatible with the nature of their profession.

2 hurt in lorry accident

AMMAN (J.T.) — Two people were seriously wounded in a road accident which occurred on Amman-Zarqa motorway, according to a story published Monday in the Jordanian daily Al Ra'i.

The accident took place when the driver of a lorry proceeding from Amman to Zarqa lost control of his vehicle, careered on to the opposite lane and collided with a petrol bowser of the Jordanian Petroleum Refinery Company.

The two injured drivers were taken to the military hospital in Marka for treatment.

Airport gets 2 water wells

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AMMAN (Petra) — The Natural Resources Authority (NRA) has completed the drilling of two drinking water wells at the Queen Alia International Airport area. Preliminary results indicated that one of the two wells produces 90 cubic metres per hour.

The drilling of the two wells aims at providing the airport with enough drinking water, which is currently supplied from Amman. And this affects the supplies to the neighbouring areas.

Social security network pension law to cover

AMMAN (Petra) — Social Security Corporation's Director General Farhi Obeid said that all working people in Jordan not covered by the pension law are to be covered by social security services.

In a press conference on Monday morning, Mr. Obeid pointed out that the number of employees registered under social security until the end of 1983 was 204,000 — 56,000 of whom were reg-

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Senegalese tapes the old and new

By Meg Abu Hamdan
Special to the Jordan Times

AMMAN — The exhibition of tapestries from Senegal at the Jordan National Gallery this week takes you by surprise. No-one, unless they are already familiar with this art form, can be prepared for these huge wall-hangings, so rich in colour and design, and so beautifully woven.

They open up a whole new world to discover, a world where Western values about art — particularly those concerning the importance of originality and the divisions into "fine", "decorative" and "craft" — have little relevance and customary definitions have to be broadened. The tapestries are thus not only visually exciting; they also present a stimulating challenge.

The 15 artists taking part in the exhibition all belong to a government-backed institute concerned with the promotion of talented young Senegalese craftsmen and women called the Manufactures Senegalaises des Arts Decoratifs (MSAD).

A small tapestry division was one of the first official ventures of this organisation and a group of artisans was sent to France in 1964 in order to learn various weaving techniques.

The first tapestries, made as they still are with wool from the place they studied in France — Aubusson — were so successful that a new "National Tapestry



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said: "The essence of the conflict is not that of disputed territories or borders, as this can be possibly solved at the negotiating table; the issue is much related to Iran's relations with the region's states which should be based on mutual respect, non-interference in either party's internal affairs.

"It seems to me that the intrinsic goal behind the war is dis-integrating the region and entrenching divisions among brothers. If such attempts happen to succeed, the Arab region and the whole of the Arab Nation will be affected. We support Iraq because we believe it's a rightful stand."

The King expressed pride of the stand adopted by Jordan in support of the Iraq at a very early stage of the war. He added: "The conflict poses an obvious threat to the Gulf region as it gives the chance for external forces to con-

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