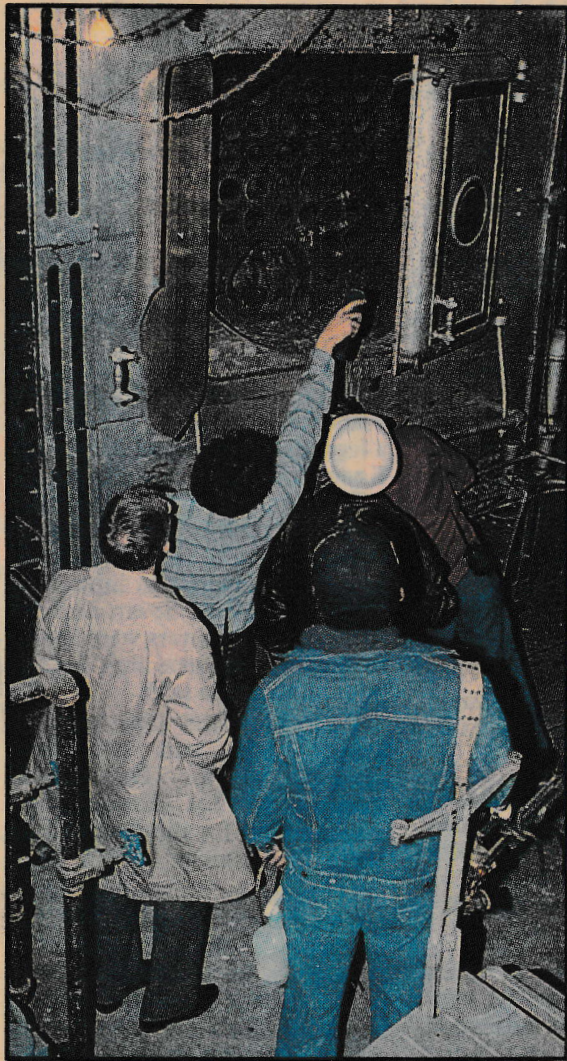


# BOILER EXPLOSION



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Kansas City School District and KPL Gas Service personnel, left, inspect a boiler that exploded Wednesday morning at the Henry C. Kump Elementary School, 4423 Olive Ave. One repairman was treated for a head cut. During the two-hour evacuation of about 350 pupils, above, Principal Evelyn Williams (left) wraps four kindergartners in her coat as their teacher, Heather Hotson, helps.