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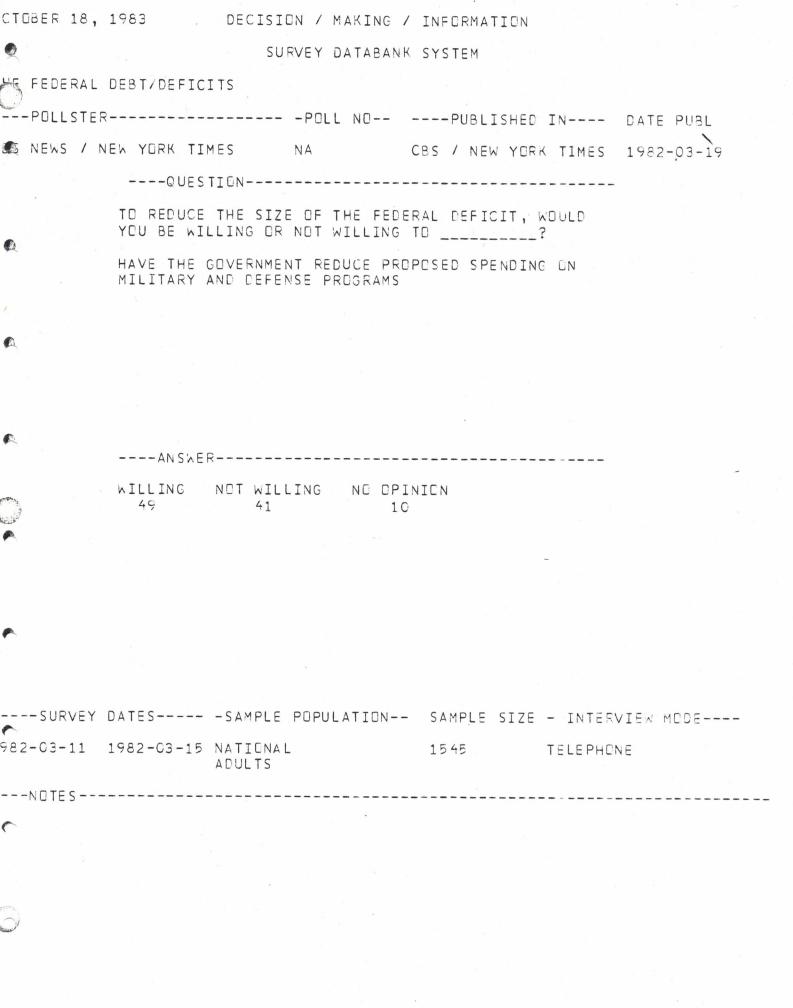
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MR. SMITH SAYS WE SHOULD ONLY RAISE TAXES IF WE ARE GOING TO INCREASE SPENDING ON NEW OR EXISTING GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS.

MR. JONES DISAGREES. HE SAYS WE SHOULD ONLY INCREASE TAXES TO REDUCE THE NATIONAL DEBT, NOT TO FUND NEW OR BIGGER GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS. IS YOUR OPINION ...

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