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# CR\&L Bus Service May End Tonight 

Fire Prevention Week Stresses
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#### Abstract

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## Soviet Food <br> Situation Serious

WASHINGTON (AP) - The food situation in the Soviet Union is so serious that Moscow reportedly is trying to buy
huge amounts of potatoes and grain from Eastern Bloc countries in addition to the vast imports of wheat and feed from the United States, the Agriculture Department said Citing a "number of sources," the department's Foreign
Agricultural Service said drought and 1972 crops have not only reduced grain supplies for food but have forced heavy sales of livestock because of dwindling feed supplies.
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Demonstrates Grease Fire Extinquisher
Miss Audrey Paradis, clerk stenographer in the town
manager's office, demonstrates the way to extinguish a grease and effectively by using a can filled with bakin
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Union And Company
Talks End; Three Major Cities Affected

> BRIDGEPORT (AP) - Officials of Connecticut's second biggest bus company are talking like it is the end of the line.
II don't see much future for CR\&L operations in Conneclicut," said Norman Parsells counsel for Connecticut Railway talks. This came after it was announced that CR broke off would stop running in Bridgeport, Waterbury and New Britain tonight.
> At the last bargaining session Sunday, the CCR\&L asked its
drivers and mechanics to take a 70 cent per hour wage cut, and the union refused "I dont consider it a lockout," said Parsells. He said the pay cut the company was not going to go on operating. "Our position is that we are not able to reach a new working
agreement with the union so we won't be running buses on agreement with the union so we won't be running buses on
Tuesday, with the exception of school buses in Waterbury," he said.
"The buses will stay in the garage, unless the union decides it's better to have jobs at lower rates of pay than not to have
any jobs at all, said Parsells. "I think that's fairly unlikely." samuel Kanall, deputy state transportation commissioner Thomas J. Meskill calls a labor-management dispute. Kanall said other lines run in all three CR\&L cities.
> Kanall said he hoped state mediators could still salvage
CR\&L bus runs. "What they want is totally unacceptable to us," said John Cosigan, chief of the CR\&L local of the Amalgamated Transit
Union. He said the union would set up "informational picketing" Tuesday and he called the move a "lockout." The breakdown came one week after the company and
union had agreed to continue working under an expired union had agreed to continue working under an expired
contract, day-to-day. Each side gave the other 24 hours to call

## Vernon Volunteers Find False Alarms Not Too Amusing

## By JUNE LINTON (Heralt Reporter)

Fire Prevention Week in Vernon began, ironically, with a Sunday night activities for volunteers who drop what they're doing and, in a mood made tense all of a sudden, rush into
appropriate clothes to get to what could possibly be a disastrous fire. But often there is no fire and, while glad that no one's house managed to laugh off last night at the Fitton Firehouse. An on-thespot poll was taken
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