

The Herald

Area Profile

Santa's Workshop Set

HEBRON
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"Santa's Workshop" will be held Dec. 10, and Dec. 11, during the school hours at the Hebron and Gilead Hill Elementary Schools.
The event has been planned to allow the children to participate in the feeling of an "Old Fashioned Christmas."
Handmade crafts will be made by those parents who have joined in making this most rewarding activity for the children.
Handmade items will be offered at a minimum cost of cents to \$1, so as to enable them to purchase something of their own choice which they can afford. There will be booths arranged in Santa's Workshop for each member of the family so as to aid the children with the purchasing of gifts.

Shopping will be done one class at a time and there will be a booth provided as a wrapping station so that the children may take their gifts home already gift wrapped for Christmas.
The PTO which is sponsoring this event, is especially hopeful that the children will gain from this experience in giving and make it a most happy Christmas for all.
The co-chairmen for Santa's Workshop are Gail Barthelemy for the Hebron Elementary and Roberta Wood for the Gilead Hill School.
All the money made on this project will be donated by PTO to the two schools to be used however necessary.
Volunteers sought
The flower committee of the First Congregational Church of Hebron invites all who wish to participate in gathering greens for decorating the church to meet Saturday Dec. 7, at the church at 10:30 a.m. The Pilgrim Fellowship groups will be participating and drivers are needed.
Then on Dec. 8, after a brief family worship service there will be a decoration workshop. Persons planning to take part should wear old clothes and if possible bring wire clippers.
Also anyone wishing to furnish poinsettias at \$1.75 a plant for Christmas decorations of the church should contact Mrs. Dale Bland. They will be used in the church Dec. 15 and Dec. 22 and some may go to shrines if requested by the donor.
Officers Elected
The women's Fellowship of Gilead Congregational Church has elected Florence Rich and Doris Links as presidents for 1975. Marsha Hubbard will serve as secretary and Marion Foote as treasurer.
On Dec. 11 at 8 p.m. the fellowship will hold its Christmas "adopt" room at the Mansfield Training School and supply games, food and volunteers for a party.

DCA Report Ready On Camp Newhoca

VERNON
Recommendations for the use of Camp Newhoca on Bolton Lake Shores, purchased by the town of Vernon about a year ago, will be made in a report being prepared by the state Department of Community Affairs (DCA).
Todd Cook of the DCA, at the town's request, is providing technical assistance. In an interim report presented to the Conservation Commission, he called for development of a ball field, swimming area and supplementary group activities.
At the time of purchase it was determined there would be two different types of costs involved with maintaining and operating the camp. First would be the one-time initial improvements and second would be maintenance and operating costs which would be recurring annually.
One of the prime initial costs is to upgrade and repair electrical, plumbing and masonry work in the buildings situated on the property. Last year the building inspector estimated this cost to be about \$700.
Annual costs would involve insurance, electricity, miscellaneous repairs, mowing, and the costs of recreation programs. It was figured this would run about \$1,500 annually.
The property includes some 29 acres.
Brian Will, chairman of the Conservation Commission, said the state study will call for an expansion of picnic and parking facilities at the town-owned Valley Falls Park. This park also has a swimming area and nature trails.
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Radio Club Visits WDRB

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The radio club of Bolton Center School visited the Connecticut School of Broadcast and radio station WDRB recently.
The strange terms and phrases "cueing up," "pie," "shotgun" and "romos" were explained to the students by Jeff Manzell, director of the broadcasting school.
Manzell spoke to the group of 17 students and three teacher-chaperones about the "art of radio." He explained that DJing was more than running controls and playing music. He said the job of a good DJ also involved reading commercials and news in addition to the technical side of the job.
Manzell explained that the foundation of the job lies in many areas such as learning proper breathing, proper diction and proper intonation. He also does copywriting and news writing to familiarize himself with his support areas.
The director showed the group a studio within the school and demonstrated the proper use of the microphone, the use of teletype news, program logs, cartridges and the use of two turntables.
Following the technical demonstration the group proceeded upstairs to view the posh WDRB studios. The students were exposed to live broadcasting, both AM and FM, and a five-minute newscast.
To the delight of the entire group various WDRB celebrities were present.
The group returned with very positive attitudes about what it might be able to do at its own station, input as to programming and the realization that a great deal of work does take place behind the scenes.
The trip was arranged by Muriel Dickinson.
Rummage Sale
The Quarryville Junior Ancient Fife and Drum Corps will hold a catch-all rummage type tag sale Saturday Dec. 14 from 9:30 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. at the Talcottville Congregational Church in Talcottville.
Anyone wishing to donate any items is asked to call Mrs. John Spotto, 643-2828 for pick-up.
Items may be dropped at Mrs. Spotto's home at 52 Steeple Crossing Rd. or Mrs. Dale Higgins on South St.
A bake sale will be held in conjunction with the tag sale.
Spaghetti Dinner
The St. Maurice Council of Catholic Women is having a spaghetti dinner for its members in lieu of the regular Christmas meeting.
The dinner will be held at the parish center Monday. Cocktails and hors d'oeuvres will be served at 6:30 p.m. Dinner will be served at 7:30 p.m.
The dinner is being catered by Hank Ryba.

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In the first and best story in this collection, we follow a sensible young art critic on his visit to an aging Rabalstorian painter at a pleasant French estate and meet the artist's two delicate mistresses. The critic is tempted by one of them but returns to his solid marriage, unfulfilled and depressed, feeling "an end to all green growth."
What does all this add up to? An enjoyable peek into an exciting life style? A nice visit? A comment on the pain of human relationships? Fowles always seems on the verge of explaining life and ends up just telling a good story, which when you get down to it has become harder to find than explanations of life.
The second story also deals with sexual temptation. This time the protagonist, a Celtic knight, gives in without a struggle and messes up the lives of all involved. The

BOOK REVIEWS

DAVID E. ANDERSON
UPI Religion Writer
Advent, which began this year the first Sunday in December, is traditionally with the churches a time of preparing for the festival celebrations of Christmas and Epiphany.
So, too, with the American Bible Society, which is deep into a project of preparing the Bible for the illiterate and the barely literate.
"Literacy education," according to Society executive secretary the Rev. John D. Erickson, "has been extremely successful in the past few decades."
But often, he said, up to 50 percent of the new readers in the world return to illiteracy because they have nothing to read.
The aim of the society's program, which officials estimate will cost some \$82.8 million, is to produce and distribute some 725 million Good News Scripture Literacy Selections in more than 200 languages.
The Brahmin Arrangement, by Andrew Tully. (Coward, McCann, Geoghegan, \$8.95) Cops and killers in an Internal Revenue Service version. Agents of the IRS intelligence unit try to track down the killer of an undercover agent searching for leads to an organized crime operation. The tale gains authenticity with its knowing details about the operation of a governmental police force in a political atmosphere. The pace dodgers occasionally but the suspense holds.

Now we have come to worship... him!...
In the version of the birth of Jesus in the book of Luke, which is just off the Bible Society's presses, the story is told this way:
... He was pregnant... and while they were in... Bethlehem... the time came for her to have... her baby... She gave birth to her first son... wrapped him in cloths... and laid him in a feed box in a... barn... for there was no room in an inn... where they could stay...
According to society officials, not only is the simple language designed to assist new readers, but the arrangement of the story into "sense lines" with the emphases and stresses developed through indenting also play a key role in helping the new reader learn.

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Hearing Set On Purchase Of Rham Site

Nancy Foote
A public hearing will be held in the auditorium of Rham High School Monday at 8 p.m.
At this meeting residents of Hebron, Andover and Marlborough will discuss whether Regional School District 8 should appropriate \$4,975,000 for purchase of land on Jones Hollow Rd. in Marlborough and construction of a new middle school and authorize bonds and temporary notes in the same amount.
Also under discussion is the possibility of an additional appropriation of \$215,000 to provide a special education facility in the proposed middle school, subject to state approval and full reimbursement.

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ROCKVILLE HOSPITAL NOTES

Admitted Tuesday: Dorothy Barboro, Russell Dr., Rockville; Catherine Callahan, Enfield; Joseph Carter, Pleasant Valley Rd., South Windsor; Albert Eager, Vernon Ave., Rockville; Justice Howard, Lake Rd., Coventry; Jeffrey Jablonski, Stafford Springs; Norman Mattis, Linden Place, Rockville; Evelyn Marston, Campbell Ave., Vernon; Lawrence Mosch, Spring St., Rockville; Theresa Olesik, Prospect St., Rockville; Arlene Payson, Rachel Rd., Manchester; Joseph Privizzio Jr., Clinton St., Manchester; Mary Sam-

Auctions Application Before ZBA Tonight

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The South Windsor Zoning Board of Appeals will meet tonight at the Town Hall to consider four applications. One asks permission to continue bi-weekly auctions at the Wapping Community Church House at 1788 Ellington Rd. The application, submitted by Charles Barker, 18 Farmstead Dr., South Windsor, requests a temporary and conditional permit for two years to conduct the auctions. Also to be considered is a request by Dr. Desmond McGarr for a variance to allow living quarters within an office building at 658 Ellington Rd., located in an A-20 zone. A request is made by Edward R. Kuehn, 968 Farmington Ave., West Hartford to allow a sign larger than permitted at Olde Wapping Realty, Inc. at 1665 Ellington Rd. in an RC zone. Robert J. Blin, 729 John Fitch Blvd. requests a variance to place an existing building into a conforming category in a GC zone. All interested persons may appear and be heard. A copy of the applications are on file in the building inspector's office. Baskets for Needy Through the combined efforts of the Brownies, Girl Scouts, religion classes, South Windsor Woman's Club and residents, several complete Thanksgiving baskets were presented to needy local families. Mrs. Ed Striebel of the Woman's Club, community affairs committee, has expressed thanks to all the children and adults who took time out during the holiday time to respond to the plea for food supplies and donations. Foods that were left over after making up the baskets went to the Community Service Council Office. In addition to Thanksgiving baskets they will also be making up baskets for Christmas. Any person still interested in donating non-perishable food items may do so by calling the office of the Service Council at 644-2509.

Christmas Crafts Workshop Subject

COVENTRY
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The Mothers' Club will sponsor a Christmas Craft workshop under the direction of the Book Dimock Library and a 4-H club led by Laura Trask and Carolyn Olmstead. Children 5-years-old and older and up may register for the two sessions to be held in the Children's Room of the library on Saturday, Dec. 7 and 14 from 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

FISH
Friends In Service Here, of Coventry is suggesting to residents that they refrain from sending Christmas greetings to their friends in town. In lieu of Christmas cards a donation could be made to FISH and may be sent to Mrs. H.A. McKusick, South St., Coventry. Greetings will be extended in the local weekly newspaper during the week before Christmas and a list of the names of those who made donations will be included. The organization hopes for a generous response from the residents. There is also a need for more drivers for the people who are in dire need of transportation. If you are interested in driving please call 742-8680.

Children 5-years-old and older and up may register for the two sessions to be held in the Children's Room of the library on Saturday, Dec. 7 and 14 from 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Yule Fair
The First Congregational Church will hold a Christmas Fair Saturday from 10 to 4 p.m. in the church vestry. Groups participating will be the Ladies Association, Friendly Circle, Couples Club, Men's Club, Pilgrim Fellowship, Junior Choir, Sunday School and the Mother's Club. The fair will offer handouts such as sweaters, socks, hats, scarves and mittens, and handmade articles such as aprons, potholders, pillows, and quilts, and a variety of house plants. There will also be a white elephant table and food such as pies, breads, beans and other goodies. Santa Claus will visit the fair between 2 and 4 p.m.

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Support Projects
The South Windsor's Women's Club has announced the support of two community projects with funds earned during the current club year. The club has chosen to supply the South Windsor Police Dept. with blankets and first aid kits for each of four marked cruisers. The club has also voted to contribute a 16mm sound projector to the South Windsor Public Library which may be loaned to individuals and clubs that do not have access to one. These projects were selected from requests received from several groups and organizations in town. Requests are presented to the membership for consideration and then voted upon to determine selection. Monies for these projects are raised mainly through the Community Thrift Shop, managed entirely by volunteers of the Woman's Club and community. The Woman's Club will sponsor two new programs open to the membership. One is a series of Mah Jong classes which has sessions meeting two mornings a month and two evenings a month to accommodate as many registrants as possible. Also, a Book Discussion Group will meet monthly to discuss timely selections chosen by the group in advance. Information on other programs and membership requirements can be obtained from Mrs. John Darrah, membership chairman.

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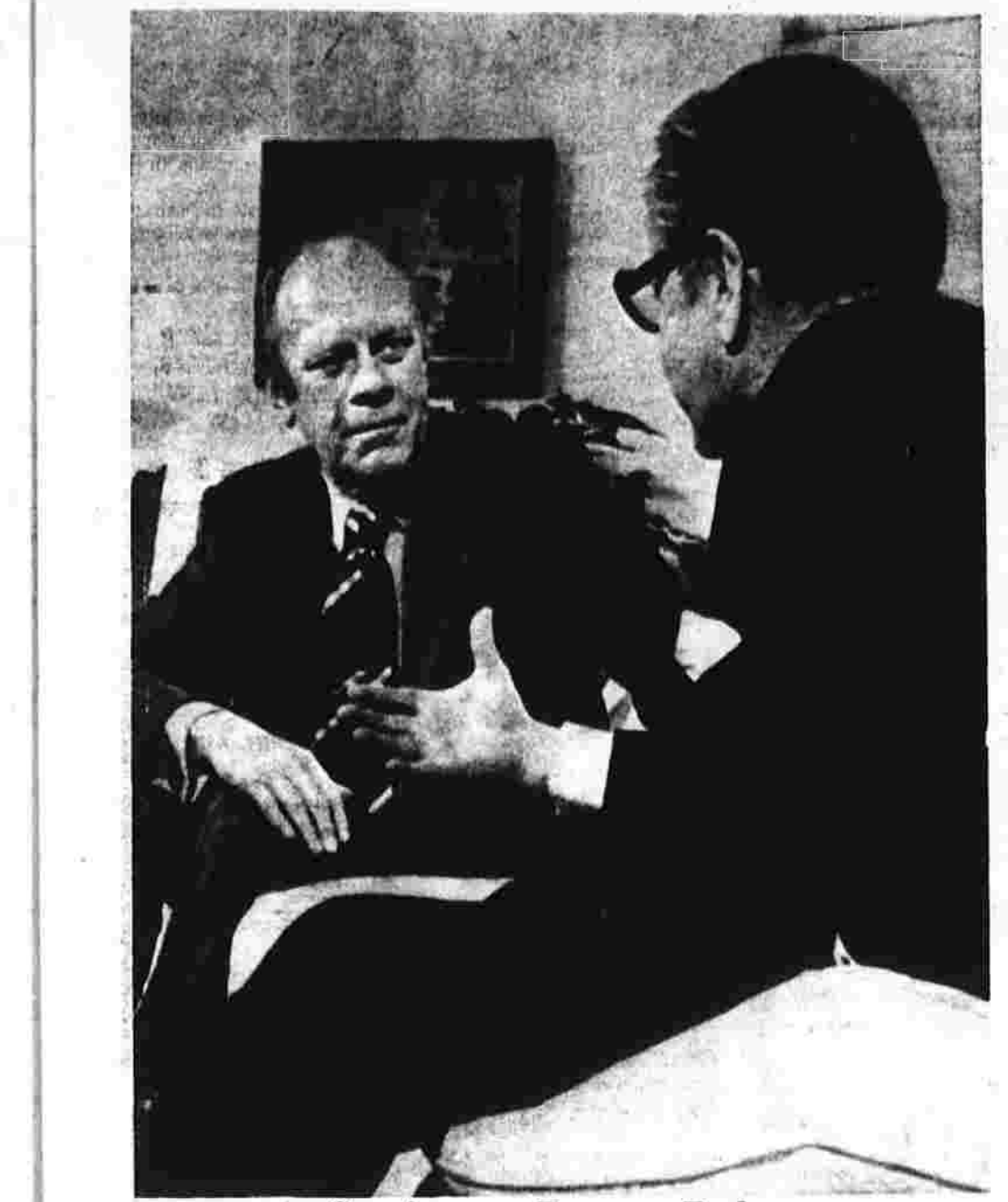
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President Gerald Ford, left, conferred recently with Nelson A. Rockefeller about the part Rockefeller will play when and if he is confirmed by Congress as vice president. (UPI photo)

Wholesale Price Index Really Isn't

By LeROY POPE
UPI Business Writer
NEW YORK (UPI) — The nation's wholesalers and distributors feel a government misnomer is burdening them with more than their share of the blame for inflation. "What gets their goat is the label 'wholesale price index' on one of the Bureau of Labor Statistics' most important economic barometers. The WPI keeps going up and up in this inflationary era. "Because of the label, people tend to think wholesalers and distributors are the ones who are raising prices and must be gouging the public," said William Englehaupf of Chicago, executive vice-president of the National Electronic Distributors Association. Englehaupf told UPI his association and other wholesaler groups have been making studies to find out what the public thinks the WPI is. "We discovered that nearly everyone thinks it is based on the prices wholesalers and distributors charge retailers," he said. "Actually, it reflects bulk commodity prices charged by producers. "It would be utterly impossible," Englehaupf said, "to compile a true general wholesale price index on a national or even a regional basis. Wholesaling and distribution are much too variegated in their practices." First published in 1902, the WPI was misnamed at the very start, Englehaupf said. It never did reflect changes in prices charged by wholesalers and distributors to local merchants and industrial consumers. "It always was compiled on the basis of bulk commodity prices charged by manufacturers and other basic producers." Originally, the WPI was based on 250 commodities. Now it compiles the point-of-origin prices of around 2,300 items and it is widely respected as an accurate barometer of the economy, particularly of the overall price structure. "We don't want to change the WPI formula. We only want to change its name to something like 'Market Index' that doesn't put the onus for inflation on us," Englehaupf said. Even the consumer protection groups apparently do not know the true nature of the WPI formula, Englehaupf said. "They compare the WPI prices with retail prices and convey the impression wholesalers and distributors are collecting the difference in profit margin. This isn't at all true, because the WPI is set up originally to reflect so-called 'pure' prices. That is, it ignores shipping and transportation costs from the point of production, warehousing, jobbers' and factory representatives' commissions and overhead costs such as interest and insurance involved in these operations."

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Rocking Horse Market Grows Up

By JACQUELINE HUARD
CONCORD, N.H. (UPI) — He's not sure what they're doing with them, but many people are buying adult size rocking horses. A New Hampshire toy maker says. By day Jack Roper designs ships and boats to navigate real oceans. At night he glues wood, rocking horses, doll houses and other toys. Roper works at night in his small toy factory in the upper story of a barn in Hancock, N.H., which he and his partner, building contractor Robert Kierstead, started last summer. Hancock Associates, Inc., specializes in a large variety of wooden toys made of birch and dipped in mineral oil for a slick finish. The mineral oil is edible, so the toys are non-toxic. If the kid decides he's going to swallow a wheel, it's coated with mineral oil. It will go through him pretty fast," Roper said. Besides the usual boats, trucks and cars, Hancock Associates makes wood lawn mowers, pop-up toasters, helicopters, ironing boards and more. "We're trying not to do the same old thing," Roper said. The toys are rugged and simple in design "so children can fill in the gaps with their imagination," he said. Roper designs the toys and Kierstead supervises their production by three full-time employees and two students. Since the toys are simple there is no need for intricate sawing. Most are cut to shape, holes drilled for the axles and then the toy is submerged in a vat of mineral oil for about one-half hour. They come apart, and when the fasteners are exposed they are quite lethal," said Roper who designs toys held together with glue and doweling. Prices range from \$1 for a small wooden car to \$48 for an adult sized rocking horse.

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Football After Skull Fracture?

By Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

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Now, I would like to ask you about my son. He is 14 and had a skull fracture three years ago. How dangerous is this sort of fracture and should he be allowed to participate in activities such as football? Could this kind of fracture cause damage to the brain?

His doctor said he could participate in football. I'm very concerned.

DEAR READER — I'm glad you wish to do as well by changing her diet. The bland diet that she was on was commonly recommended a few years ago. A British surgeon pointed out the value of cereal in providing bulk in the diet, essential to normal bowel function, and since then there has been a great revolution in diets for bowel problems.

Others who need this information can write to me at P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, N.Y. 10019 and I will send you the booklet on diverticulosis. Send 50 cents to cover costs.

There are many types of skull fractures. If broken bone is depressed into the brain or other injury present, the brain may not have any significant permanent injury. Small fractures that have healed well without brain damage may have no further

Fly-Cruise Vacations Topic of Travel Show

Fly/cruise family vacations will be featured at The Herald's Travel Show on Dec. 12 at 8 p.m. at Manchester High School auditorium.

American Airlines will present films on its island flights and Cunard Cruise Lines will show sound slides of its luxury liner "Adventure" which cruises in the sunny Caribbean.

The Kiwis, former American Airline stewardesses, will model uniforms of yesteryear. This presentation will be accompanied by slides showing the airplanes of that era.

Robert Bader of American

4-H Club Names Slate

Brenda Foley recently was elected president of the Manchester 4-H Helping Hands Club.

Other elected officers are Debby Mangano, vice president; Cheryl Bassett, secretary; Allison Bassett, treasurer; Elizabeth Maloney, publicity; Patricia Hayes and Ann Temple, community service and telephone; Denise Boutillier and Mary Kate Hayes, recreation.

Club members attended the Achievement Night of the Manchester 4-H Clubs Nov. 8 at Kenney St. School. Receiving awards were Allison and Cheryl Bassett, Brenda Foley, Debby Mangano, Elizabeth Maloney, Ann Temple, Patty Hayes, Whitney Whitaker, and Denise Boutillier.

A setback card game will be played Friday at 7:30 p.m. in Cronin Hall of Mayfair Gardens. All residents of Mayfair are invited.

A Bible study will be conducted tonight at 7:30 at the United Pentecostal Church.

Mrs. Robert Bassett is club leader.

ENGAGED

The engagement of Miss Terri Lee Ouellette to John F. Mannisse, both of Bolton, has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman C. Ouellette of 15 Dean Dr., Bolton.

Her fiancé is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roland H. Juras of Manchester, N.H.

A 1971 graduate of Bolton High School, the bride-elect received a bachelor of elementary education degree from Keene (N.H.) State College. She taught for three years in the Mascenic N.H. school district and is presently employed as a secretary-receptionist for the Peterborough Recreation Department.

The wedding is planned for Jan. 11 at St. Maurice's Church, Bolton.



THE BABY IS NAMED

Sykeruk, Marissa Ann, daughter of Victor W. and Lucille A. Bertone Sykeruk of 6 Ward St., Rockville. She was born Nov. 28 at Rockville General Hospital. Her maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Mario Bertone of 22 Charter Rd., Rockville. Her paternal grandparents are Mrs. Theresa Sykeruk of Hartford and Walter Sykeruk of 20 St. Rockville. She has a brother, Victor Walter Jr.

Guay, Kimberly Chantal, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacques R. Guay of West Hartford. She was born Dec. 2 at Rockville General Hospital. Her maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Leonel Poulin of Hartford. Her paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Rosario Guay of 370 Barnham St., South Windsor. She has a brother, Kevin Jacques.

Gulmette, Noel Maurice, son of Maurice J. Jr. and Barbara J. Miller Gulmette of 128 Brandy St. He was born Nov. 27 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. Her maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Gulmette Sr. of Rochester, Vt. He has a sister, Jean, 6.

Londergan, Casey Hughes, son of Richard J. and Martha Hughes Londergan of 561B Hillard St. He was born Nov. 28 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Hughes of Wilmington, Del. His paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Londergan of Wilmington, Del. His maternal great-grandmother is Mrs. L.C. Combacker of Rochester, Minn. His paternal great-grandmother is Mrs. J.H. Doerres of Wilmington, Del.

Klimas, Jennifer Lynn, daughter of Robert and Elaine Chamberland Klimas of 470 Woodbridge St. She was born Nov. 27 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. Her maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Chamberland of 222 Northview Dr., South Windsor. Her paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William Klimas of Newport, Vt.

IN THE SERVICE

Pfc. Richard J. Letts, son of Mrs. Francis Letts of 376 Hartford Rd., has graduated from the Marine Corps Recruit Depot in San Diego, Calif. Pfc. Letts will be stationed in Manchester for temporary duty as an assistant recruiter until Jan. 4 when he will be transferred to Camp Pendleton, Calif., for advanced infantry training.

The board of Christian education of Center Congregational Church will meet tonight at 7:30 at 17 Riverside Rd., Vernon.

Full Gospel Inter-denominational Church will have a deliverance service tonight at 7:30 at the church.

ABOUT TOWN

A new cookbook will be available at the Lutz Junior Museum on Sunday. The ladies of the Museum League, who volunteer their time, have published more than 200 recipes in their 125-page book entitled "Eljém's Recipes."

Eljém is the symbolic animal figure fashioned from the initial LJM both in design and name. He appears in chef's hat and apron on the cookbook cover.

Edith Palmer of 16 Timber Trail put the book together. About five years ago, someone else had collected recipes in preparation for a publication but it never came to pass. Edith took over the task assisted by a committee. Betty Bleiler, Ann Conde, Charlotte Froh, Jane Pastel and Jean Lefebvre were to the original group of recipients.

All contributed by the museum's volunteers. Miss Hazel Lutz, who founded the children's museum and for whom it is named, reviewed sketches of early American kitchen utensils for the pages.

The book is already on sale at the Museum. If you buy it this Sunday you will be able to taste some of the goodies which the ladies will make and serve during the Museum hours of 2 to 5 p.m.

The pages of the book are mimeographed sheets protected by a cardboard cover and looseleaf binding so you can fold the book over when working. It took Eljém the entire month of September to type and proofread. There are 14 categories of foods including beverages and pickles.

Some of the recipes are old such as Jane Pastel's Christmas Plum Pudding taken from a grandmother's cookbook and well over 100 years old. You will find a cranberry meat loaf and a Chinese recipe using frozen grape juice concentrate.

There is a cake made of pork sausage, raisins and apples. You'll find instructions for making your own wine with frozen grape juice concentrate.

There's a good selection of economical dishes, something we can all use at this time. More than several incorporate convenience foods, such as the canned soups, for the quick and easy meal.

Throughout the pages of Eljém's Cookbook are little household hints. "A heating pot will help yeast dough to rise quickly. Set on covered bowl at medium heat."

Another: "Color pear halves easily by letting them stand in juice colored with vegetable dye." And: "Dip bacon strips in cold water to keep them flat while frying."

The Lutz Junior Museum League is the volunteer organization which includes both men and women. They perform various functions including staffing, cataloguing, keeping the boxes up to date that go out to schools and other groups, etc.

The Museum is the home of several live animals including a honey bear, a raccoon, squirrel, a bob cat and a "Baltimore" owl, who is a long-time resident.

Edith Palmer has been a Lutz volunteer for about five years. She is a member of the Wednesday-morning bowling team of which Martha Montany

FROM YOUR NEIGHBOR'S KITCHEN

By VIVIAN FERGUSON



Edith Palmer cuts a piece of chocolate-swirl coffee cake.

is a member. "Martha encouraged me to become involved in the museum and I've been there ever since," says Edith who clearly loves the work. She is now vice president of the league and curator of national history.

"We've really done a lot in the last five years. There has been so much more added to the museum as well as many more programs for the young people. You know," she states, "this is a 'touching' museum where the children are encouraged to feel things. There are days such as apple day when they learn all about apples, how they grow, what they can do with them, for example."

"Edith is a member of the Advent Christian Church of Hartford. Her husband Donald is controller of Hartford Hospital where he has been employed for 30 years. They have a son Scott who is registrar at Aurora College, Ill. Their daughter Susan teaches history at the same school. Edith shares some of her recipes from the Eljém Cookbook.

ABOUT TOWN

The Church of the Nazarene board will meet tonight at 7:30 at the church.

The building improvements committee of North United Methodist Church will meet tonight at 7:30 at the church.

The staff evaluation committee of Center Congregational Church will meet tonight at 7:30 in the church office.

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MENUS

School
Cafeteria menus which will be served in Manchester Public Schools, Dec. 9-13, are as follows:
Monday: Elementary schools, one-half day, no lunch. Junior highs and high school menu, barbecued beef on noodles, buttered beans, bread, butter, milk, sliced peaches.
Tuesday: Fruit cup, hamburger patty on a roll, potato chips, vegetable sticks, milk, chocolate cake.
Wednesday: Elementary schools, one-half day, no lunch. Junior highs and high school, hamburger-macaroni casserole, buttered beans, bread, butter, peaches.
Thursday: Fruit cup, hamburger patty on a roll, potato chips, vegetable sticks, milk, chocolate cake.
Friday: Elementary schools, one-half day, no lunch. Junior highs and high school, ham-burg-macaroni casserole, buttered beans, bread, butter, peaches.

Project HELP

Menus which will be prepared and served next week by members of HELP (Handicapped Earning and Living Project), a program designed to train handicapped for employment in the food service industry at Manchester Community College, are as follows:
Monday: Tossed green salad with dressing, spaghetti with meatballs, fresh Italian bread, apple pie, coffee or tea.
Tuesday: Chicken vegetable soup, hamburger steak, home fried potatoes, rolls with butter, rice pudding, coffee or tea.
Thursday: Corn chowder, golden fried chicken, parried potatoes, cranberry sauce, fresh rolls with butter, cherry Danish, coffee or tea.
Lunches on Monday and Tuesday are \$1.50 each and on Thursday, \$1.75. All tickets must be purchased through the College Bookstore. Luncheons are served promptly at noon in the Food Service Dining Room at Manchester Community College, Student Center, 60 Bidwell St.

Elderly
The following menus will be served Dec. 9-13 at Mayfair Gardens and Westhill Gardens for all Manchester residents over 60. Reservations are taken in person only at the Gardens on Monday prior to the week of the luncheons. Menu is subject to change.
Monday: Beef vegetable stew, cole slaw, candied sweet potatoes, enriched bread, vanilla pudding, milk or coffee.
Tuesday: Hot turkey with gravy and New England bread dressing, cranberry sauce, cut green beans, roachon squash, rye bread, peach crisp, milk or coffee.
Wednesday: Baked ham with fruit sauce, mashed potatoes, stewed tomatoes, rye bread, orange gelatin, milk or coffee.
Thursday: Broiled chicken with gravy, candied sweet potato, collard greens, corn bread, orange and grapefruit sections, milk or coffee.
Friday: Fillet of haddock with lemon, baked potato, tossed salad with dressing, roll, cantalope, milk or coffee.

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For instance, for only \$85,000 one can get seven days of lessons (not necessarily consecutive and subject to the availability of training facilities) on "How to Fly a Spacecraft," taught by astronaut Walter Cunningham.

If you are interested in "How to be a Jockey," girl jockey Mary Bacon will teach you in one day, for a miserly \$5,750.

Or, maybe you want lessons on "How to be a Hollywood Stuntman." Craig Haskley, famous stuntman, will teach you for \$275 to \$2,875, depending on the type of stunt you're interested in and the number of lessons required — at a mutually agreeable location.

For \$2,000, Truman Capote will give you "Lessons in Conversation," two lessons — one in the afternoon, the other in the evening.

For a mere \$3,750, pianist Peter Duchin will give you "Lessons on Piano," also one in the afternoon and one in the evening. Guitarist Jose Feliciano is much more expensive for "Lessons in Playing the Guitar" — \$14,500 for one full day of lessons, at a mutually agreeable location.

For \$10,000 a day (to a maximum of three days or \$31,800), Mizzi Gaynor will give you "Lessons in Dancing."

If you don't think "Lessons in Economics" is possible in a one-day session, economist Eliot Janeway will prove otherwise — for \$2,875, with \$1,150 added for each of your friends attending the same session.

Who but Jean Claude Killy is best qualified to give you "Lessons in Skiing?" One day of skiing with Claude at Val d'Izere, France will cost you an enjoyable \$4,325.

Perhaps you'd rather learn "How to be a Bull Rider or Horse Buster?" Rodeo star Larry Mahan will enroll you for three days at only \$230, and it includes room and board "commensurate with such lifestyle."

Let's say you want to learn "How to Improve Your Tennis." World-famous John Newcombe will give you a full day of lessons at his San Antonio tennis camp — for \$8,600.

With the big hands being revived, perhaps you want "Lessons in How to Play the Drum." For \$2,250, Buddy Rich will give you a lesson a day. He says his course requires three days of lessons — at the same \$2,250 each.

Did someone say, "How about golf?" Doug Sanders will teach you "How to Play Golf" for \$1,000 — in six lessons, two in Jamaica and four at The Woodlands in Houston.

And then there's "Lessons in Swimming" from who else but Mark Spitz. He'll give you 10 lessons (the length to be determined at the time of purchase) for — hold on to your hat — \$115,000. Mark pledges to donate \$50,000 of the fee to the Mark Spitz-Cedar Sinai Hospital Foundation.

Renowned Las Vegas odds-maker Jimmy "The Greek" Snyder is asking (but, is he getting?) \$565,000 for "Lessons in How to Make Odds (Secrets Never Before Revealed)," with the number and length of lessons to be determined at the time of purchase. Snyder comments he has calculated the odds on whether anyone will take him up on his offer.

For those who don't really know what they want to learn, except that they do want to learn something, get in touch with George Plimpton. He will give you "Lessons in Just About Anything" for \$1,150 to \$23,750, depending on the subject to be taught and with the lessons to be held at a mutually agreeable location.

Just in case you want the whole package and you have the time and money to become the "most knowledgeable person" whatever the sum total of all the lessons listed, at their maximum fees, is \$825,000. What the heck. It's only money.

Spaulding Letter Disturbs Board

Disturbed by criticism from the Conservation Commission which they consider "unfair and untrue," Manchester's town directors are scheduling a meeting with the seven-member conservation group "to clear the air."

A recent "Letter to the Editor" from commission member Fred Spaulding is what brought the situation to a

head — as far as the directors (and Town Manager Robert Weiss) are concerned. Spaulding criticized town officials for disturbing the area in front of Lincoln Center, without first consulting the Conservation Commission. Even as Spaulding's letter was printed, work was going on for improving entry, exit and parking at Lincoln Center.



Center Congregational Church will have a supper for its new members, diaconate and families Friday at 6:30 p.m. in Woodruff Hall of the church.

It was the consensus of the directors and Weiss Tuesday night that the Lincoln Center work was no surprise, that it had been well publicized, and that it was being done in the best interests of everyone.

Weiss, in a rare outburst for him, remarked, "It's not so that only the Conservation Commission, and no one else, is for 'God and Country.' Elected officials and career town employees also are for conserva-

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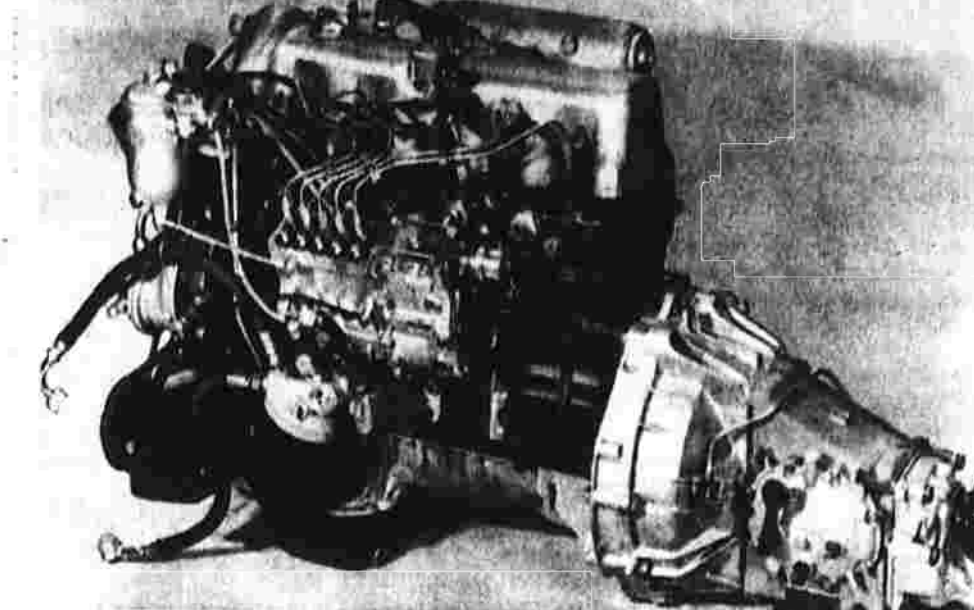
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Oil Official Seeks End To Frivolous Energy Use

David J. Sheridan Jr., assistant district sales manager for Texaco Inc. in East Hartford, said he can go a long way toward solving energy problems by combining the efficient use of energy with all-out development of domestic resources.

Speaking before the Manchester Lions Club Tuesday, Sheridan said elimination of frivolous energy use by Americans is long overdue.

"Unlike more permanent solutions to the energy problem, which will take time, we can start practicing energy conservation today," Sheridan added. "If we can curb demand, supplies will stretch much further."

At the same time, Sheridan said, the nation must "operate on the supply side of the street. Unless we in this country make a greater effort to develop our domestic energy resources, we will lag in the commitment to upgrade the standard of living of the millions of people who are still at or below the poverty level."

He urged development of new sources such as nuclear power, oil shale and coal gasification and liquefaction, but

acknowledged that this will take time. For the short term, he recommended that "we go to where there are large amounts of oil and gas, drill for it, and construct the necessary pipelines or other transportation facilities needed to move it to refineries — and construct more refineries."

The production of this oil, Sheridan said, depends on whether the price of oil is high enough to yield an adequate return on investment and on whether government policies — such as increasing offshore lease sales and making refinery sites more available — are more conducive to such production.

PUBLIC RECORDS

Warranty Deeds: Marguerite E. Hines to James A. and Karen B. Griffith, property at 230 Lake St., \$55,000.

Francis O. Benevento and Michael J. Benevento to Christie and Jenie A. Dellaripa, property at 77-79 Oak St., \$24,000.

Donald and June G. Pinkin to Robert P. and Susan D. Lawton, property at 760 Center St., \$33,100.

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November Building Permit Values Decline

The estimated value of all Manchester construction last month was only \$46,894 with a \$94,000 building permit for a Sheldon Rd. industrial building

accounting for over one-fifth of the total. The figures, released by the building inspector's office, show a drop of almost 16 per

cent below the \$529,552 reported for November 1973. The November 1974 total was a booming \$1,427,350. Permits were issued last month for only 1 single-family dwelling, 3 two-family abandoned car removed, 1 dwellings, 1 garage, 4 tool sheds, 2 signs, 3 swimming pools, 2 fences, 69 alterations electrical, heating and plumbing additions, 4 demolitions, 1

Earlier Statements Due?

The Internal Revenue Service is asking banks and employers to issue financial statements to customers and employees as soon as possible in January, instead of waiting until the Jan. 31 deadline.

With earlier statements, taxpayers can file returns earlier and receive faster refunds, said Albert Shuckra,

acting IRS director for Connecticut. Taxpayers who file returns in January can expect to receive refunds four to five weeks after filing, Shuckra said. Taxpayers who file returns in peak periods such as late February, late March, or April may have to wait as long as eight weeks for a refund.

When filing income tax returns, taxpayers must have complete and accurate statements from banks and W-2 forms (earnings statements) from employers.

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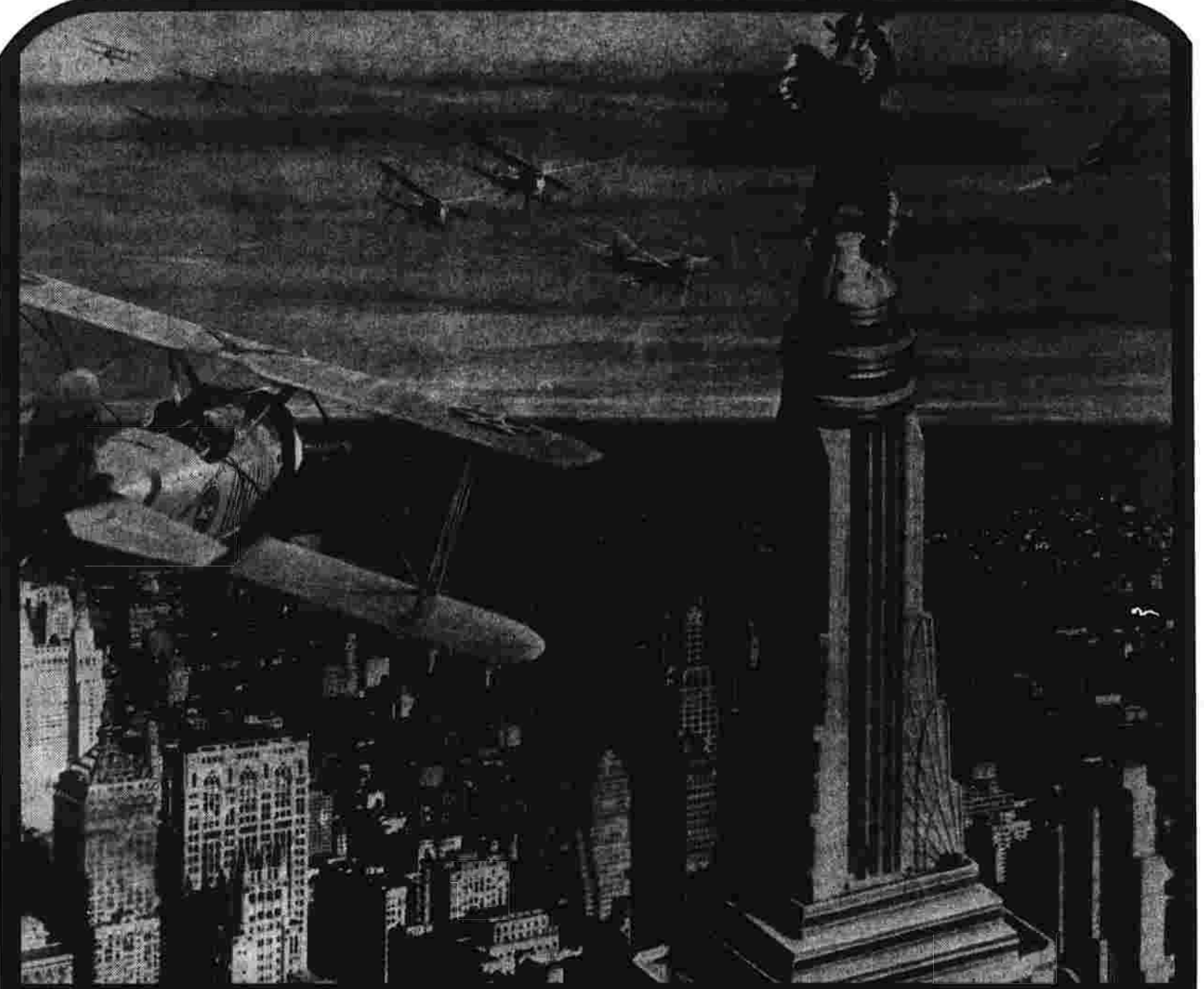
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Rule Would Require Detailed Funeral Bill

Mrs. Alhina C. Nasuta SOUTH WINDSOR — Mrs. Alhina C. Nasuta, 68, of Brookfield St. died Tuesday at Manchester Memorial Hospital. She was the widow of Stanley J. Nasuta.

Mrs. Robert Patterson VERNON — Mrs. Frances Fowler Patterson, 61, of Suffolk died Wednesday at St. Francis Hospital, Hartford. She was the wife of Robert T. Patterson and sister of Mrs. Dorothy Mason of Vernon.

He said a conference last spring of boards of examiners from 44 states recommended all states adopt the mandatory disclosure rule.

Thompson said for adoption, the rule needs only the approval of the state attorney general's office and the Legislative Management Commission.

The mandatory disclosure rule is being proposed by the state Board of Examiners of Accountants and Funeral Directors, whose secretary is Roy M. Thompson of Manchester.

Raymond Starkweather Sr. Raymond F. Starkweather Sr., 66, of 193 Woodbridge St. died Monday at Manchester Memorial Hospital. He was the husband of Mrs. Mary O. Starkweather.

Mrs. Lila M. London Mrs. Lila M. London, 79, of Bloomfield, formerly of Manchester, died Wednesday at a Bloomfield convalescent home. She was the widow of Lemuel A. London.

Luciano Russo Luciano (Louis) Russo, 93, of 41 Grant Rd. died this morning at a Manchester convalescent home.

Guida Named NEW HAVEN (UPI) — Mayor Bartholomew F. Guida was named Wednesday to be a participant in the National Conference of American Federalism in Action Feb. 20-22 in Washington D.C.

In Memoriam In sad and loving memory of my father, Bruno Silvestri, who passed away January 5, 1969 and my mother, Annetta Silvestri, who passed away December 5, 1972.

In Memoriam WALTHOURVILLE, Ga. (UPI) — The all-woman city government that did all the work to get this little southeast Georgia hamlet incorporated last spring handily won reelection Wednesday, defeating an all-male group of opponents.

AREA POLICE REPORT

Computer Goofs HARTFORD (UPI) — An undetermined number of welfare recipients have received checks for the wrong amounts this week because of a faulty computer program, according to state Welfare Department officials.

ABOUT TOWN

Little Flower of Jesus Mothers Circle will meet Friday at 8:15 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Joseph Lawler, 202 Autumn St. Mrs. James Watt is co-hostess.

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RSox' Yawkey Bidding for Bando, Orioles Swing Second Major Deal

NEW ORLEANS (UPI) — Knowing the man's past willingness to plunk down the "big buck" no one could certainly question Tom Yawkey offering a cool \$2 million for Oakland's third baseman Sal Bando.

For the Expos, who sacrificed age (Torrez is 28 and Singleton 27 while McNally is 32), the deal was necessary in order to fill their desperate need for left-handed pitching.

Deaths Down

HARTFORD (UPI) — Connecticut traffic deaths for the year to Dec. 3 stood at 252, down from the 463 recorded for the same time last year.

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without artificial boundaries and without hunger. Coffin will also speak at a multi jazz concert to be held Monday night on the Yale campus featuring the Yale Jazz Ensemble, Admitt, the New Haven Jazz Ensemble and the Gary Bennett Quartet.

Events To Focus On World Hunger

HARTFORD (UPI) — A "hunger banquet" in Hamden and a fast by students in the Hartford area planned for today represent a growing movement across the state to help feed the hungry people of the world.

Two New Voters Added to Rolls

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NHL
Wednesday's Results
NY Rangers 4, Detroit 2
Pittsburgh 4, Toronto 2
Boston 4, Montreal 4
Chicago 7, Kansas City 3
California 3, Atlanta 1
Los Angeles 4, Minnesota 1

BOWLING

SPHEX: Nancy Joyce 127, Linda Smith 145.
KACEY: Chet Kosak 224, Milt Kershaw 200-541, Dave Brown 561, Ken Tomlinson 302-554, Real Audel 527, John Ragna 533, Ron Jerosko 518, Bill Tomlinson 506, Leo Nelson 525, Mario Fratantoni 201-529, Jim Watt 203-532, Ed Yourkas 214-218-506, Phil Ford 203-216-564, Nick Cataldo 521, Ray Dubanski 204-507, Norman Dey 536, Bruce Davis 502, Vic Squadrino 521.

Pistons' New Style Yields Good Results

NEW YORK (UPI) — Two games ago, the Detroit Pistons took a look at their 10-10 record and several viewings of themselves on film—and decided it was time to change. Today, after putting on the best defensive display in their history, the Detroit Pistons are back on top of the Midwest Division of the National Basketball Association by a full game with a 12-10 mark. In shooting down the Houston Rockets 86-69 Wednesday night, the Pistons set a team record for fewest points allowed in a game, the old standard of 78 they allowed Philadelphia Jan. 4, 1958.

"We found out we've got to slow it down, go back to the books," Coach Ray Scott said. "We had a movie in New York that kind of showed everybody what they were doing. We look at a lot of movies but everybody really let their hair down on this one. We never were that critical. "I'm going to give all the credit to my guys for this. They completely changed the personality of the team after 20 games. When we were that, we were 10-10. All I know is that we were loved when we were winning." The defense Don Adams played on Rudy Tomjanovich typified the Pistons' effort. Tomjanovich, who wound up with eight points, got off just eight shots and sank his only field goal when Adams wasn't in. Tomjanovich has been averaging 20.7 points.

ABA Roundup St. Louis Upsets Kentucky Without Suspended Caldwell

NEW YORK (UPI) — While suspended Joe Caldwell sat in a \$5 seat at the end of the court Wednesday night, the St. Louis Spirits managed to topple the Kentucky Colonels, 128-122. The victory didn't come easy after Kentucky whittled down a 20-point margin early in the fourth quarter. Caldwell officially was placed on suspension by the Spirits for "actions detrimental to the team," American Basketball Association and professional sports officials said. Caldwell's suspension was announced at a press conference at the Spirit's management is annoyed at Caldwell because they think he may have been the influence that caused rookie star Marvin Barnes to jump the team recently. Marvin Barnes started his first game Wednesday night, after sitting out a one-week suspension and his 28 points combined with a career-high 30 by rookie center Maurice Lucas helped the Spirits whip the Colonels.



Eagles Open 1974-75 Campaign Saturday

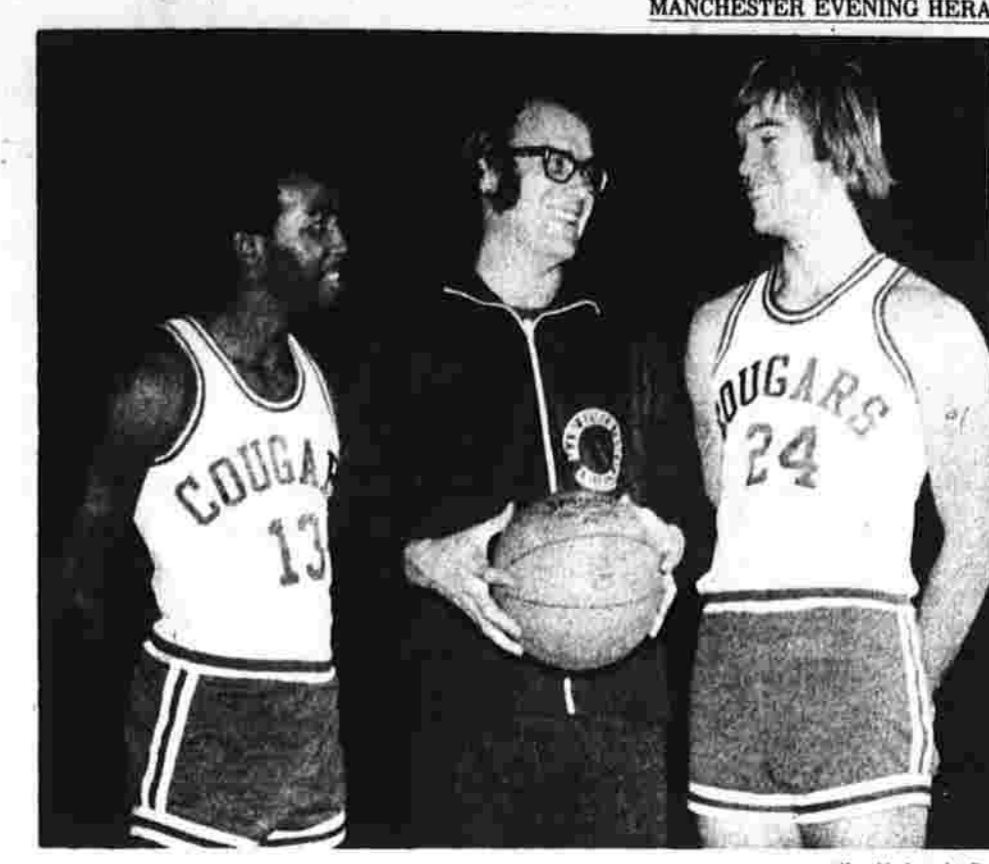
Getting its 1974-75 basketball season under way Saturday night in Waterbury is East Catholic against Sacred Heart. Team members are: (left to right) Front: Peter Thompson, Bill Moffett, Sean Thompson, Cephus Nolen, Middle row: Mike Hickey, Jon Lindberg, Gary Carlson, Mike Nolen, Back row: Coach Stan Ogradnik, John Lusa, Jim Wehr, Jeff Heim.

Basketball Preview East Catholic Youthful But Potentially Strong

By Len Auster
New avenues, new challenges will be explored when East Catholic launches its 1974-75 basketball campaign Saturday night against Sacred Heart in Waterbury. Eagle Coach Stan Ogradnik, now in his seventh year at the controls, has the monumental task of replacing four starters from a 17-4 club including two-time All-State selection Joe Whelton. Whelton, now at the University of Connecticut, established a number of East records a year ago. He holds the career assist mark — 503, single season — 178 and single game — 14. He also set a new single game scoring mark with 43 against Waterford. He stands second in the all-time school scoring list with 1,153 points. Gone along with Whelton are Joe Martins, John Riccio and Ron Soucier. The quartet accounted for 1,265 of the 1,307 points tabulated during the regular 1973-74 season by the Eagles.

Year of Surprises, Kings Back in First

NEW YORK (UPI) — In a season full of surprises, it shouldn't come as any kind of surprise that the Los Angeles Kings are back in first place ahead of Montreal. To add a further twist to the popularity stardom, the Kings and Canadiens reversed their traditional roles Wednesday night to enable Los Angeles to move one point in front of Montreal in Division 3 of the National Hockey League. The surprising Kings, with only two losses in 24 games and the league's stingiest defense, held Minnesota to a season-low 16 shots while getting 51 of their own en route to a 4-1 victory. Earlier in the evening, the Canadiens found themselves in the embarrassing position of blowing a two-goal lead in the final minute and a half on home ice to settle for a 4-4 tie with the Boston Bruins.



Cougars Set for Home Test Tonight

Co-captains Curt Iverson (13) and Tommy Tucker (24) listen to Coach Don Geisler as Manchester Community College's basketball team prepared for tonight's home opener. Northwestern Community College will provide the opposition at Cheney Tech starting at 8 o'clock.

First World Bowl Might Get Intense

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (UPI) — The World Football League's first championship game, World Bowl I, could be the most intense contest of the season when the Florida Blazers and the Birmingham Americans meet tonight. Americans Coach Jack Gotta said the World Bowl, scheduled for kickoff at 8 p.m. CST at Legion Field, "will show that much of the negative publicity about the WFL has been wrong. This game will be played with more intensity than any game of the season just because of the adversity these two teams have gone through." Blazers Coach Jack Pardee agreed with Gotta that both teams "are ready to play a good football game. We didn't come all the way up here from Orlando to lose," Pardee said at a Wednesday evening news conference. "You tell them here in Birmingham we came up to win."

WFL Ballot

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (UPI) — The World Football League's first Most Valuable Player award was split between three players, all rookies in pro football, league officials announced Wednesday. Quarterback Tony Adams of the Southern California Sun and running backs J.J. Jennings of the Memphis Southmen and Tommy Reason of the Florida Blazers will be honored tonight at halftime of the WFL's first championship game, World Bowl I.

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VFW Post Honors Cougars

Guests of honor last night at VFW Anderson Post No. 2046 was the undefeated Manchester Community College soccer team. (L-r) Coach Jim Dyer and 1975 captain-elect Tim McConville accepted the award from Post Commander Edward Stickney with Pat Mistrretta, MCC director of athletics, watching.

WHA Roundup Howe Still Greatest

NEW YORK (UPI) — Some four years after his "retirement," Gordie Howe still is proving unstoppable on the ice. Howe, who officially retired in 1971 before returning to the new World Hockey Association two years later, came through with the winning goal in the third period Wednesday night as the rampaging Houston Aeros edged the Winnipeg Jets, 3-2.

BASKETBALL Finances Troubled NHL Head Reports

PITTSBURGH (UPI) — The National Hockey League is in financial trouble but not only because of the multi-million dollar bidding war with the World Hockey Association. NHL President Clarence Campbell says the league is being led to death because "we were stupid enough to give a franchise to a schoolboy who played good golf and wore a Princeton tie."

College Hoop Roundup Indiana Wins in Overtime

NEW YORK (UPI) — Indiana got a second chance and made the most of it. The third-ranked Hoosiers blew a chance to defeat 10th-ranked Kansas in regulation time Wednesday night but managed to outscore the Jayhawks 14-10 in overtime at Lawrence, Kan., to run their record to 2-0 with a 74-70 tie.

In other games involving ranked teams, No. 5 North Carolina walloped East Tennessee State 95-71, 11th-ranked Maryland topped Wake Forest 99-78, No. 14 Notre Dame clubbed Northwestern 100-84, No. 15 Arizona beat Cal-Davis 84-58, 17th-ranked Providence edged Brown 78-75 and No. 19 Boston College whipped Loyola 113-66.

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Many Fingers Make Light Work

Fixing a small bridge by the pond of the Oak Grove Nature Center is the Bennett Junior High School Nature Club. Their advisor, Allan Cone, holds a board while unidentified students support other boards and one hammer in a nail. Cone, also Bennett's principal, said the club of about 15 youths first formed last fall. Due to its success both with the students and Oak Grove workers, it re-formed in the spring and again this fall. Club members have built and

refurbished paths around the pond, blocked off erosion, repaired the bridges, put in wood chips, planted grass and refloated areas of the center. Juan Sanchez, director of the center, said he is impressed with the work of the club and only regrets he was not able to get more telephone poles and railroad ties in order to do more work. Cone said the club is popular especially with those students who have met Sanchez or Steve Fish, another teacher at the center.

Tolland School Menus

Vivian Kennesson Parker Memorial and Hicks Memorial
Monday: Ravioli, vegetable, cheese cube, roll, whip and chill.
Tuesday: Hamburger on roll, ketchup, was beans, potato chips, chocolate pudding.
Wednesday: Parker: Soup, peanut butter and jelly sandwich, celery sticks, dessert. Hicks: Juice, Italian grinder, potato chips, wax beans.
Thursday: Ovenbaked chicken, cranberry sauce, mashed potatoes, corn, basmati, chocolate ice box cake.
Friday: Tuna long boys, carrots, cheese cube, dessert.

Wolcott Track Nears Approval

HARTFORD (UPI) — A thoroughbred and harness horse racetrack in Wolcott has been all but assured by the state Gaming Commission's approval of a progress report from its promoters. The commission voted unanimously Wednesday to accept the report from the Old Rock Road Corp., which plans to build the \$30 million facility on 550 acres off Beecher Road. A temporary permit issued in May allowed the firm to go ahead with planning but required it to file progress reports periodically and obtain permits from other state agencies. The progress report filed Wednesday was one of the last, and Rock Road already has approval from the state Department of Transportation. Only Department of Environmental Protection approval is needed, and a preliminary report released by DEP last week indicated it would be forthcoming soon. Noel Berstein, corporation president, said approval of the progress report will help the firm in obtaining more financial backing, which has been slow in coming because of the project's uncertainties. If DEP approves the plan and the funds are located construction could begin as early as March, he said.



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Hopewell Says Cuts Necessary To Maintain Existing Programs

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Anticipating a ten per cent increase for next year's school budget, business manager

David Hopewell said it would actually mean that \$59,750 would have to be cut to maintain the existing programs. In the initial look at the proposed 1975-76 budget

Wednesday, the Board of Education was warned that using up to a 12 per cent inflation figure of \$48,751, and based on a \$300,000 increase over this year's budget of \$2-

987,250, plus allowing for a committed math and social studies curriculum study at a cost of \$3,447,250 would be necessary to maintain present programs, but he noted that \$300,000 is all the board should expect from the town.

The business manager broke the budget into five pieces — one for each school, and the central office. Parker, present, \$426,304, proposed \$467,546; Hicks, present, \$388,569, proposed \$426,161; Tolland Middle School, present \$509,185, proposed, \$657,184; Tolland High School, present \$710,518; proposed, \$779,256. Central Office, present \$859,573, proposed, \$946,132.

The central office figure includes heat and electricity for all schools and the administration building, \$386,662 presently budgeted, transportation, \$204,783, special education, \$154,949; all school's maintenance supplies, \$56,643; food services, \$10,000 and insurances.

Hopewell recommended that the board delegate the responsibility to each principal to where cuts should be made.

Refund Dispute Said Settled

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Correspondent
A dispute between town administrators and school board administrators about which budget will receive a \$23,000 refund from Blue Cross has been settled by a legal opinion, according to David Hopewell,

school business manager. The total refund from the insurance company is roughly \$40,000. Hopewell told the Board of Education Wednesday, and from that he had deducted what proportion is for town employees, \$6,000 contributed directly by teachers, and a contingency fund.

Waste Recovery Plans Curtailed

HARTFORD (UPI) — The Connecticut Resource Recovery Authority says inflation has forced it to slash nearly half of its \$350 million plan for a statewide solid waste recovery system. A spokesman for the authority said Tuesday the rising cost of construction and other factors mean only six regional waste processing plants will be built, compared to 10 originally planned.

Relating a past disagreement with Town Manager John Harkins about another insurance refund of \$200, Hopewell said he was told the money would have to go back to the General Fund. The auditors also agreed that funds could not be re-commingled from previous years and suggested that the refund be put into the General Fund.

Hopewell said he was told that if he did not agree he should get a legal opinion. He said he did obtain a legal opinion, that there is no statute, nor does it state in the town measure, and what is planned, is to apply the refund against this year's premium.

Dr. Kenneth MacKenzie, superintendent of schools, will submit a recommendation to the board on Dec. 11 as to where the money should be spent.

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President Upbeat on Economy Despite Critics

By HELEN THOMAS
UPI White House Reporter
WASHINGTON (UPI) — President Ford is upbeat about the economy and the state of the union. Others are not so sure. Never before has it seemed that a President was marching so much to his own drum. On Capitol Hill, dire warnings are sounded. Some of Ford's best congressional cronies are urging action now. They suggest firing the entire holdover Nixon cabinet, with the possible exception of Secretary of State Henry Kissinger, or other presidential orders which would give Ford at least the outward semblance of taking charge in a crisis. The editorial writers, the columnists and the cartoonists have evoked the image of the great depression, and all the pain that entails. The message is clear — the nation is crying for leadership from the White House. Other critics believe that Ford has failed to grasp the unique situation of a recession-inflation economy and moreover does not have any solutions. For the old timers, the past is present. If history repeats itself, they feel the growing ranks of the unemployed body ill for the future.

Washington Window

The President's successful negotiations with Brezhnev during his first adventure in global diplomacy gave him credentials every national leader needs. But at the same time, there is a turning inward by people concerned more with their daily well being than detente — at the moment at least. For the President's part, it's clear that he does not buy the gloomy view of the world, and is not ready to go along with those who think drastic action is in order. He has said no, almost never, to wage-price and rent controls. He sees no need for rationing. And while he believes FDR's rallying cry: "There is nothing to fear but fear itself" is worthy remembering, he does not believe the American people have reached that desperate state... evoking memories of bread lines and selling apples on street corners. He feels that the country and its ability to meet the problems is being sold short. "I do want to say to my fellow countrymen that our greatest danger today is to fall victim to

the more exaggerated alarms that are being generated by the underlying health and strength of our economy," he told a news conference Monday. "We are going to take some lumps and bumps, but with the help of Congress and the American people we are perfectly able to cope with our present and foreseeable economic problems," he added. What the President has hoping for him is that everyone hopes he is right — even those who are making more bleak assessments of the condition of the nation.

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Hospital Plans Community Needs Study

VERNON BARBARA RICHMOND

A community needs study and analysis of internal affairs will be conducted at Rockville General Hospital and the results of the study will be reported to the trustees in June of 1975.

The announcement of the hiring of the hospital consulting firm of Anthony J.J. Roark, Inc. of Harrison, N.Y., was made at a dinner Wednesday night to honor the 45 charter members of the hospital's benefactor's club. The club was formed earlier this year and made up of persons who pledged to give \$100 or more yearly to the hospital.

The announcement of the study plan was made by John Gottier, chairman of the board of trustees, who said the firm will establish future levels of activity and ascertain short and long-range goals and objectives for the next five- and 10-year period.

After the report is reviewed by the trustees, a plan will be adopted to present to the people of the area towns served by the hospital to inform them of what the hospital's funding needs will be.

For the first time in its more than 50 years of operation, it was necessary, earlier this year, to start a Development Fund. Marcus Mason was named to head it with Randy Krook hired to lead the Development Program.

Gottier said the first endowment fund established was in 1909 when William Prescott gave \$50,000, and in the ensuing years other gifts and bequests were received by the trustees.

The year 1920 saw the actual start of the hospital in a large house on Prospect St. Gottier said at that time about three or four patients were treated per day.

In 1940 it was decided that a larger facility was needed but the outbreak of war delayed the project. In St. was purchased, renovations were made and it was opened as Rockville City Hospital in 1945.

The population of the area kept increasing and by 1950 a larger building was needed and a new wing was built in 1964 at a cost of \$850,000.

Early in 1966 a long-range program was developed and phase one of that four-phase plan was completed in 1969 at a cost of \$1.9 million," Gottier said.

Further outlining the hospital's progress to do all they can to build the club. Noting that the area does not have any colleges, universities, museums, and such to support, he urged support of the one facility that the Rockville General Hospital. "It will do something for you someday," he said.

Robert Boardman, administrator, noted that a new maternity clinic was started Monday at the hospital for patients who cannot afford private maternity care. The clinic is not free but the costs are greatly reduced.

He also made note of the evening classes for expectant parents, the program for patients with diabetic problems, and the kidney dialysis unit which will be in operation at the hospital later this month.

"Still on the horizon is a plan to start a program to help persons who are in the initial stage of alcohol problems," Boardman said.

Republicans and four Democrats on the Town Council will continue to bring to light such activities as they occur," Humphy said.

Humphy referred to several other instances which he said involved losses to the town. He listed these as: "The deliberate foot-dragging in filing a bond-for-deed for the Parker-Sweet dump site purchase with the resultant cost to the taxpayers for the administration of the lawsuit which they subsequently lost; the cost overruns on the recent West Rd. sidewalks."

He added to this list the Memorial Building renovation which is now under way. He said, "It now appears that the Memorial Building renovations, heading for \$500,000 and still climbing, will result in an appreciable contribution by the local taxpayer to augment the fixed federal allotment for this project."

"All of these are serious issues in which the public has a right to know what is happening and how our government is dealing with the situation," Humphy said.

He called upon the mayor to exercise his right to know what the Democratic minority will continue to press for open government.

The Herald

Area Profile

Group Will Discuss Bills for Assembly

VERNON

A newly formed legislative assistance and information group, a non-partisan organization open to anyone from any of the towns in the 55th Assembly District, will meet today at 8 p.m. at the Lake St. School, Vernon.

Mrs. Gloria Collins is coordinator for Vernon. At tonight's meeting bills that may be introduced in the coming session of the General Assembly will be discussed.

Besides one section of Vernon, the 55th District is made up of the towns of Bolton, Andover, Columbia, Hebron and Marlborough.

Orientation Meeting
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Church Bazaar
The Ladies' Missionary Society of the Talcutville Congregational Church will sponsor its annual Kris Kringle Christmas bazaar Saturday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the church on Elm Hill Rd.

Holiday Fair
St. John's Episcopal Church, Rt. 30, Vernon, will hold its Christmas Bazaar Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the church.

Humphry Says Eden Skirts Issue

Democratic Councilman Peter Humphry, commenting on an explanation concerning formation of an ad hoc fire study committee, charged Republican Councilman Donald Eden with "skirting the issue."

Last week Humphry and fellow-Democratic councilman Stanley Gill issued a statement in which they questioned the formation of the ad hoc committee. Both Humphry and Gill are members of the Fire Study Committee appointed by Mayor Frank McCoy, Eden's chairman of that committee.

Humphry and Gill said the question of the site acquisition was brought up and discussed at a regular council meeting, by the mayor, as was the appropriation for its survey. He said neither of these items had to be investigated nor approved by Eden's committee.

"As we see it, this ad hoc committee is just another example of the present administration's policy of under-cover, secret-type operations," Humphry said.

He added, "While it may be inconvenient for the administration to have the public aware of the existence and operations of these 'inner circle' groups, it is nevertheless the people's right to know what their government is doing. We of the Democratic minority (there are eight

purchase for possible future expansion of the Vernon Center firehouse and the request for an interim report of the subcommittee.

Humphry said, "Claiming that we knew about the ad hoc committee because we voted in favor of buying adjacent land for a firehouse addition and for the appropriation of money for its necessary land survey is a deliberate misrepresentation of the facts by Mr. Eden."

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Chapter Bazaar

Hope Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, will sponsor a Christmas bazaar Saturday from 10 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. in the Masonic Temple, Orchard St.

Ella Will Use Old Stationery

HARTFORD (UPI) — Governor Ella T. Grasso has begun slashing away at a \$200 million state deficit forecast for fiscal 1975, literally with strokes from a pen.

She will not throw away the stationery printed with the name of Gov. Thomas J. Meskill, she said Wednesday, but will simply cross out his name and write in hers until that batch is exhausted.

She will have saved Connecticut taxpayers "several hundred dollars" by the time new stationery is ordered with her name, she said.

Mrs. Grasso also repeated her campaign pledge of no state income tax, but declined to speculate on whether a hike in the state's 6 per cent sales tax will be needed to balance the budget. "I am determined to find a budget and services to the people of the state within the framework of the present tax structure," she said, adding, "and that means without an income tax."

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NEWS CAPSULES

Air Quality Control Topic For Conservation Hearing

For those who are concerned with air quality control, the Manchester Conservation Commission is sponsoring a public information meeting called "Who Cares?" Monday at 7:30 p.m. in the Municipal Building Hearing Room.

A panel of transportation and environmental specialists will precede an open discussion. Appearing on the panel are: Dr. Kenneth Johnson, deputy regional administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency in Boston; William Lazarok, manager of the field operations unit of the Connecticut Department of Transportation; Steven L. Weems, principal environmental analyst and representative from the Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection.

Also, Dr. Thomas Sharpless, an air quality consultant from the department of chemistry at the University of Hartford, and representatives from the Connecticut Citizens Action Group and the Connecticut Air Conservation Commission.

Some of the questions discussed will include why does the Greater Hartford area have the highest smog level on the East Coast and what can citizens do about it. Public transportation systems will also be discussed. The public is invited.

Money Offered Aides

WASHINGTON (UPI) - President Richard M. Nixon offered top aides H.R. Haldeman and John D. Ehrlichman \$200,000 to \$300,000 for expenses if they had to resign because of Watergate, according to the transcript of a newly disclosed White House tape at the Watergate conspiracy trial.

Nixon implied the money would come in cash from a secret fund maintained by his best friend, Charles G. "Bebe" Rebozo. Haldeman turned down the offer because he said it "compounds the problem, that really does," the transcript showed.

The offer was one of the few new disclosures or admissions that Assistant Watergate Prosecutor Richard Ben-Veniste has extracted in a strenuous cross-examination of Haldeman that goes into its fourth day today.

Hughes' Words Costly

LOS ANGELES (UPI) - In his only public statement in decades, Howard Hughes uttered five words in an aside that may cost him more than \$2 million, payable to his former right-hand man by order of a federal court jury. "Dis honest... stole me blind," the billionaire recluse said of Robert Maheu.

A U.S. District Court jury climaxed a complex, five-month trial Wednesday by ruling that Hughes should pay Maheu \$2 million in damages. It was one of the largest awards for actual damages in a defamation case, although punitive damage sums have run higher.

But counterclaims allowed for the Hughes side would reduce the award to \$2.3 million, if and when it is paid. The judge took the unusual step of refusing to dismiss the jury, holding them for possible callback as the case goes through the appeal courts, a process expected to take years.

Ford Schedules Talks

WASHINGTON (UPI) - President Ford welcomes West German Chancellor Helmut Schmidt to the White House today for the first in a series of sessions with allied partners about European economic and defense problems.

Ford will meet for three days late next week in Martineque with French President Giscard D'Estaing to further bolster traditional U.S. ties with European allies.

White House Press Secretary Ron Nessen said Ford will also consult with British Prime Minister Harold Wilson early next year.

Schmidt, who arrived in Washington Wednesday, was to be formally welcomed at the White House before sitting down with Ford and later with Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger. Schmidt will be guest of honor at a black-tie state dinner in the evening.

Ethiopia Trials Start

ADDIS ABABA (UPI) - The military regime in Ethiopia has begun martial law as government officials passed over during last month's mass execution of ex-leaders.

A military spokesman brushed off U.N. concerns about the prisoners and said the estimated 140 former officials in jail on corruption charges are being well treated.

The Military Council, in a brief statement Wednesday, announced the start of trials of former leaders charged with corruption and incompetence.

The council, which executed ex-officials 11 days ago, declined to identify the men being tried or even say how many are on trial.

A spokesman said a three-judge military court is considering the case, but he declined to reveal the location of the proceedings.

Rains Lash West Coast

By United Press International

Heavy rains and fierce winds lashed southern California Wednesday in one of the area's worst storms of the season.

Cars floated in water 10 feet deep near ramps of Los Angeles freeways.

Up to eight inches of rain swamped southern California and sent floodwaters swirling across streets and highways.

Residents in Carson, Calif., fled their homes as water three to five feet deep rushed through residential areas of the Los Angeles County community.

Rain and wind tore across mountainsides, loosening mud and rock slides.

Power failed in at least eight southern California cities. Two television stations switched to emergency power to stay on the air.

Linkup Tests Go Well

MOSCOW (UPI) - The two Soyuz 16 cosmonauts reached the midway point today in their dress rehearsal flight for next July's Soviet-American linkup in space.

The official Tass news agency announced shortly after 4 a.m. EST that the first half of the flight had been concluded.

The announcement was the first indication of the mission's planned duration.

Soyuz 16 commander Lt. Col. Anatoly V. Filipchenko and civilian flight engineer Nikolai N. Rukavishnikov blasted off from the Baikonur space complex in central Asia on Monday, three days before the Tass announcement.

Tass said the two cosmonauts tested the docking assemblies for next summer's rendezvous with an American Apollo vehicle and the Soyuz automatic control system.

While the Soviets were testing their ship for the linkup, a team of American space experts said they had successfully tested the crucial docking mechanism for the joint flight.

Economy Under Stress

By United Press International

Striking coal miners have agreed on a new contract, and inflation appears to be winding down. But the unemployment rate rose significantly in November and the auto industry announced new plunges in car sales. About a fourth of the nation's auto workers are laid off.



POLICE REPORT

MANCHESTER

Manchester Police said today they were following up several leads in a Tuesday night incident at the Manchester Shopping Parkade in which two men traded gunfire with police but escaped on foot.

Police said there was little progress to report in the case, in which Patrolman Phillip Robertson and his police partner were the target of shotgun blasts at about 11 p.m. Two men — one white and one

black — are being sought in the case. The two were trying to steal a safe from the Seafly Pet Center at the Parkade when Robertson, on routine patrol, surprised them.

Another Manchester Police report today.

Christino Zitani Jr., 16, of 335 Griffin Rd., South Windsor, was charged Wednesday night with fourth-degree larceny (shoplifting) at K-Mart department store, Spencer St. Court date is Dec. 16.

Mai D. Donahue, 27, of East Hartford, was charged Wednesday night with fourth-degree larceny (shoplifting) at Caldor department store, Talland Tpk. Court date is Dec. 30.

Kathleen A. Egan, 24, of 78A Sycamore Lane, was charged Wednesday morning with operating an unregistered motor vehicle on Hartford Rd. Court date is Jan. 6.

Steven P. Waldo, 20, of 15 Eva Dr., was charged Wednesday morning on Woodland St. with operating a motor vehicle while his license was suspended. Court date is Dec. 16.

An electric stove and washing machine were reported stolen from an apartment at 248 Wetherell St. Wednesday. Other thefts reported today included automobile batteries removed from cars off Center St. and Bell St., and a mini-bike stolen from a 3 Alton St. residence.

Joan Everett of 176 S. Main St. was treated and released from Manchester Memorial Hospital Wednesday afternoon after suffering minor injuries in a two-car crash on E. Center St. at about 2:40 p.m. Her car was in collision with a vehicle driven by Dennis Hanover of Colchester.

Cars driven by Ernestine Hopson of St. Charles Oak St. and Thomas A. Vescey of 76 Wells St. were in collision at about 4:50 p.m. Wednesday on Center St. near Broad St. No injuries were reported.

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Judge Hearings May Be Public

HARTFORD (UPI) - Candidates for state commissioners and judgeships may be questioned closer and in public before their nominations are confirmed by the 1978 legislature.

Sen. Joseph I. Lieberman, D-New Haven, elected majority leader for the 1978 Senate, said Wednesday he wanted to have "full fledged" public hearings on all nominations for major state jobs and judgeships.

Such hearings traditionally have been held in private.

In the House, the first legislative proposal for a merit system for selecting state judges was filed Wednesday by Rep. Russell Post, R-Canton.

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TODAY'S THOUGHT

What Looms Largest For You - Things or People?

I well recall a talk given many years ago at the time of my graduation from high school. The speaker held up a one dollar bill, saying, "Now the quality of your life depends upon where you hold this dollar bill: If you put it up close to your eyes, then all you will see in life is that piece of paper. The rest of existence will be blocked out. But if you hold the dollar bill at arm's length, then it will not obstruct your vision of all the rest of life in its richness."

As we get ready for a spirit-filled celebration of God's coming into our lives this Christmas, how important it is for us to hold each "dollar bill" at the proper distance from our eyes. Otherwise, just think of all that we will miss in life simply because money has blinded us to the beauty and wonder of PEOPLE over THINGS.

Here's to a "people-centered" celebration of joy for all of us this December.

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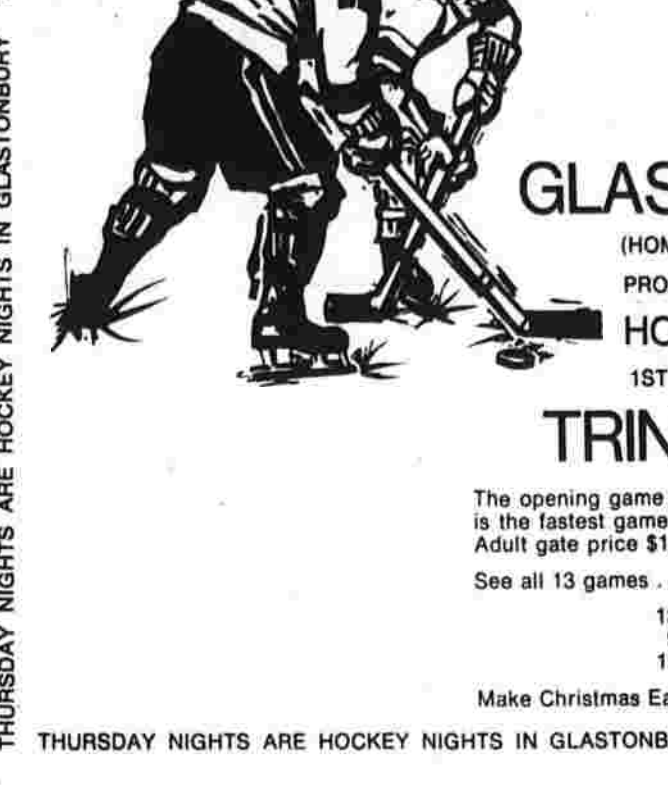
Town Seeks Tractor Bids

Bids will be opened Dec. 19 in the Municipal Building for furnishing the Manchester Cemetery Department with a convertible tractor. A 1971 unit rotary mower is being offered in trade.

The convertible tractor being sought by the cemetery department is a "Gravelly" model. It is named after the Gravelly Co., which is named after Gravelly Rd. in Clemmons, N.C.

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Skinner Sees No Need at Tech For Computer as Teaching Aid

About 28 mathematics teachers from 13 of Connecticut's 16 state-operated vocational technical schools including Howell Cheney Technical Vocational School spent a day recently on the Fairfield University campus in an exploratory program to determine teacher interest in a computer-assisted math curriculum program.

Alan Skinner, math teacher from Cheney Tech, said they were shown what computer concepts were available as teaching aids.

Although Skinner said they were fascinated and fascinated, there was no use for them at Cheney Tech because the "depth we go into here does not justify computer aid."

He said his scholastic program is set up for those who are not generally college-bound, and the basic math that would be used in the shop is all that is essential.

Moreover, he said there is not the personnel at the school to handle such a program. The only use for a computer-assisted math program as Skinner sees it would be for speed.



Alan Skinner, math teacher at Howell Cheney Technical Vocational School, watches a demonstration of a computer during a workshop on computers in the classroom at Fairfield.

COURT CASES

CIRCUIT COURT 12

Manchester Session

Motor vehicle charges pending against Kenneth J. Luck, 30, of Hartford were nolle prossed in a special traffic session of Circuit Court 12 Wednesday.

Luck was charged with operating a motor vehicle while his license was under suspension in connection with a June incident. He was taken into custody Wednesday on a rearrest warrant and appeared in court later.

Luck's case was nolle prossed after he agreed to commit himself to Norwich State Hospital for treatment, court officials said.

A similar motor vehicle case pending against William Starrett III, 32, of Coventry, was continued to Jan 2, Starrett, arrested Wednesday, was released on his written promise to appear in court.

The facility is a special pre-school program for children from two years and eight months to six years of age with emotional and behavioral problems which was begun in September.

A team of inspectors from the state board recommended its approval after an evaluation visit at the end of September. Miss Susan Verhulst, teacher at the special facility, said certification is essential to the Board of Education to receive reimbursement from the state for any child sent to the special pre-school.

At present, the pre-school is accommodating two youngsters and a third will soon join the class, said Miss Verhulst. The pre-school can accommodate 12, she said.

The state board also approved a gift of electronic tubes donated by Grant M. Morris of Bolton to the Howell Cheney Regional Vocational Technical School.

Morris, a retired employe of Pratt & Whitney Aircraft Division of United Aircraft Corp. in East Hartford and a former manager of his own electronic business, donated about 570 surplus tubes used for television and radio as well as several hundred H.W. Sam's photo flat folders. The combined value of the donation, according to today's retail prices, is in excess of \$2,000, said Morris.

Also on Wednesday's traffic session, the court disposed of almost 400 motor vehicle cases. Most of them alleged speeding violations.

Judge John Fitzgerald ordered fines ranging from \$30 to \$60, and bond forfeitures ranging from \$36 to \$110 occurred in several other cases.

In some cases, persons pleaded innocent and cases were scheduled for trial.

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Making Good Use of New Sidewalks
Sidewalks are for everyone, especially if they're on Hackmatack St., this dog seems to be saying. Town officials are receiving many compliments for the mile-long span of sidewalks placed on the south side of Hackmatack St., from Keeney St. to S. Main St., especially the section from Prospect St. east. Jay Gies, public works director, and Herman Pascantell, construction inspector for the engineering department, came up with plans for saving most of the trees and for solving problems of the steep banks. The result makes for a pleasing sight. (Herald photo by P.)

Democrats to Offer Program Of Economic Alternatives

At First 'Mid-Term' Convention

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (UPI) — With the leaders and presidential hopefuls straining to present a picture of harmony, but some factions still itching to fight, the Democrats opened their first mid-term "mini-convention" here today.

The main business before the 2,035

delegates was adoption of the first formal constitution written by a major U.S. political party.

Economic Statement
A late entry on the agenda was an endorsement of the economic program congressional Democrats will offer next year.

Jobless Rate Triggers Public Works Program

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The nation's unemployment level in November reached the highest level in 13 years, jumping to 6.5 per cent and triggering a nationwide public works program, the Labor Department said today.

The number of persons employed declined by 790,000 in November and most of the increase in unemployment was accounted for by layoffs and dismissals, the department's Bureau of Labor Statistics said.

Highest Since 1961
The unemployment rate was the highest since October, 1961, when the rate also reached 6.5 per cent.

Ford, Schmidt Forming Close Relationship

WASHINGTON (UPI) — President Ford and Chancellor Helmut Schmidt may be forming one of the closest German-American friendships since the time of the late Secretary of State John Foster Dulles and Chancellor Konrad Adenauer.

Employment in manufacturing industry tumbled by 350,000 with widespread impact. The largest sector of job losses was in electrical equipment, transportation, and textiles.

Teheran Airport Toll Rises to 17 Dead

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Siebold Seeks Appropriations For Outing Club, Maintenance

The Manchester Rec Department is seeking two additional appropriations in the current fiscal year — one of \$8,850 for the town-sponsored Outing Club; the other for \$15,580, for contracted maintenance service at rec centers.

Director Mel Siebold is making the requests at their Jan. 7 meeting. Siebold told the directors the Outing Club will be primarily self-sustaining and that he anticipates all but \$1,055 of the \$8,850 appropriation will be returned as fees and assessments by club members.

Kelly To Leave Mansfield Post

MANCHESTER (UPI) — Francis P. Kelly, superintendent of Connecticut's Mansfield Training School, is leaving Connecticut to head up the Florida Division of Retardation.

Kelly, a 25-year veteran in the field of mental retardation, was named Wednesday to succeed Jack McAllister, who resigns this summer following criticism by a special task force of Florida's Sunland Training Center.

Action Taken

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) — The hypnotists union has taken action to sue its members with those in the mystic arts — fortune tellers, palm readers and crystal ball users.

John Kappis, union president, said the hours were doubled because of professional ethics. He also adopted a code of professional ethics.

Gaming Charge

HARTFORD (UPI) — A man reported to be a major figure in local illegal gambling operations has been arrested and evidence of \$5,000 in numbers beads seized, police said.

George Swan, 59, of Hartford, was arrested early Wednesday after a month-long investigation involving Hartford and the Bloomfield Police and the Statewide Organized Crime Investigative Task Force.

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Save \$10 On This Authentic Styled 1930's AM/FM Radio With Modern Solid-State Circuitry
Reg. \$29.95

This fine radio combines the look of yesterday with the electronic sophistication of today. It has a vintage AM/FM tuning dial, AFC to prevent FM drift, and a wide-range speaker with 16 Ohm output. Isn't it nice to find nostalgia that really works? (17-31087W)

Save \$2.00 On The "Little John" AM Radio
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This little solid state radio doubles as a toilet tissue dispenser. It comes with self-adhesive mounting strips and 9" x 9" battery. And it measures just 6 1/4" x 9 1/4" x 3 1/2". (17-81046P)

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Lafayette The Electronics Shopping Center

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State Lease Freeze Asked by Probers

HARTFORD (UPI) — Former Public Works Commissioner Edward J. Kozlowski has declined to link his job transfer with his objection to a \$700,000 state contract proposal which he considered to be the "least desirable" of six bids.

The legislative subcommittee investigating Connecticut's \$74 million a year leasing program raised the possibility Thursday as it approved a resolution asking the state to refrain from signing any new leases until alleged abuses can be curbed.

Excavation Contract
The Manafort Brothers company, owned by Manafort's family, has a \$800,000 contract for excavation work on the project, the Central Naugatuck Valley Higher Education Center. State auditors charged last summer DeMatteo's bid was \$24,000 higher than another one.

Kozlowski, asked to explain the details of his job switch, said it was offered because the GOP governor felt he was suited to deal with the "sensitive nature" of Motor Vehicle department work which involves a lot of public contact.

Consumer to Pay Price of Coal Pact

By RICHARD HUGHES
UPI Business Writer

Consumers will pay the bill for higher wages and better benefits for coal miners, according to early reaction to the settlement that returned striking miners to work.

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WEATHER

Mostly sunny today. Highs in the 40s. Fair tonight through Saturday. Lows in the 20s and higher along the shore. Increasing cloudiness Saturday. Highs in the 40s.

Berte Takes State Post

A. Paul Berte of Manchester was named by Gov. Thomas Meskill Thursday to the \$28,500-a-year post of the state's compensation commissioner.

He will assume the position Dec. 16, to fill the unexpired term to Dec. 31 created by the death of Harry G. Kaminisky of West Hartford, and as of Jan. 1 will assume a new five-year term.

Berte is Manchester Republican town chairman and a member of the Manchester law firm of Manly, Judd and Cleandani. He said he will leave the law firm as of Dec. 16 and will resign from the GOP Executive Committee as of the same day.

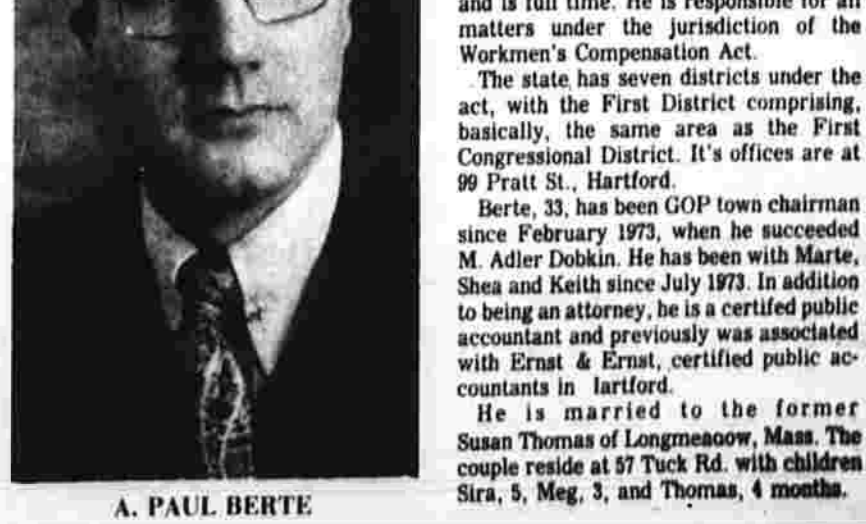
He said he will call a meeting of the state's compensation committee within a week, to schedule a meeting of the town committee — for the express purpose of choosing a new GOP chairman.

The position of workmen's compensation commissioner is a quasi-judicial one and is full time. He is responsible for all matters under the jurisdiction of the Workmen's Compensation Act.

The state has seven districts under the act, with the First District comprising, basically, the same area as the First Congressional District. It's offices are at 99 Pratt St., Hartford.

Berte, 35, has been GOP town chairman since February 1973, when he succeeded M. Adler Dobkin. He has been with Marie, Shear and Keith since July 1973. In addition to being an attorney, he is a certified public accountant and previously was associated with Ernst & Ernst, certified public accountants in Hartford.

He is married to Susan Thomas of Longmeadow, Mass. The couple reside at 57 Tuck Rd. with children Sirs, 5, Meg, 3, and Thomas, 4 months.



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