

### 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 fascinating and fantastic, 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.

As it would be a costly item to install, Skinner said there were other needs for the school with a much higher priority.

Skinner said he would like to learn more about the system for his own knowledge.



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 prosequi 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 prosequi after he agreed to commit himself to Norwich State Hospital for treatment, court officials said.

### Pre-School Program Certified

A request for certification of a special education facility operated by the Community Child Guidance Clinic was approved Wednesday by the state Board of Education.

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 employee 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.

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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 \$7.4 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.

Pattern of Favoritism  
The subcommittee hearings have developed a clear pattern of favoritism in the awarding of leases, with advance notice of state leasing needs often given to politically well-connected persons.

Kozlowski said DeMatteo Construction Co. of Hamden had not been asked to bid for the project manager of a \$52 million higher education construction project in Waterbury, but submitted a last minute proposal anyway.

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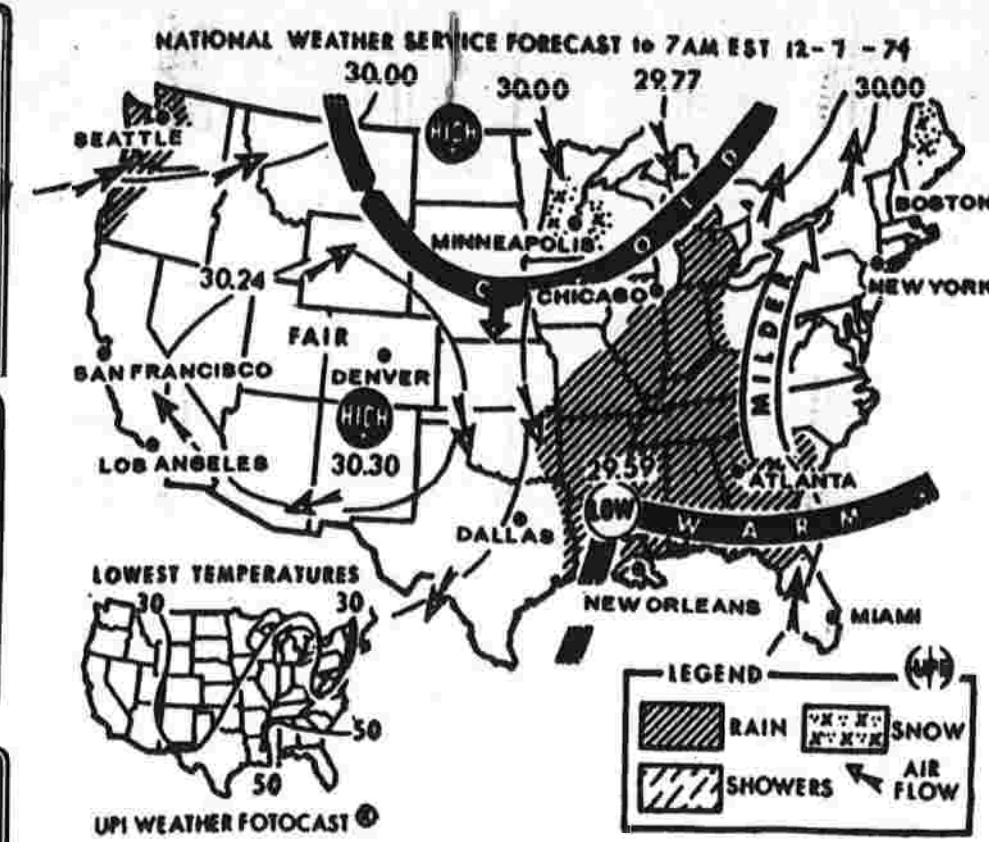
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**TV TONIGHT**

8:00	News	3-8-22-30
12 O'Clock High	18	
Honeymooners	20	
Electric Company	24	
9:00	News	3-20-22-30
Zoom	24	
7:00	News	3-8-22-40
Dick Van Dyke	18	
Film	20	
Aviation Weather	24	
To Tell the Truth	30	
7:30	Christmas Story	3
Porter Wagoner	18	
Human Dimension	20	
Let's Make a Deal	22	
Black Perspective	24	
Hollywood Squares	30	
Christmas Is	40	
8:00	Planet of the Apes	3
Yes, Virginia	8-40	
Billy Graham	18	
Sanford & Son	20-22-30	
Washington Report	24	
Nanny & the Professor	40	
8:30	Man Without a Country	8-40
Chico and the Man	20-22-30	
Wall Street Week	24	
9:00	Rickford Files	20-22-30
Life of Leonardo	24	
10:00	Night Stalker	8-40
Police Woman	20-30	
Billy Graham	22	
Masterpiece Theatre	24	
10:30	New Directions	18
11:00	News	3-8-18-22-30-40
I Love Lucy	20	
11:30	Movie	3
In Concert	8-40	
Johnny Carson	20-22-30	
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1:15	Victory at Sea	3

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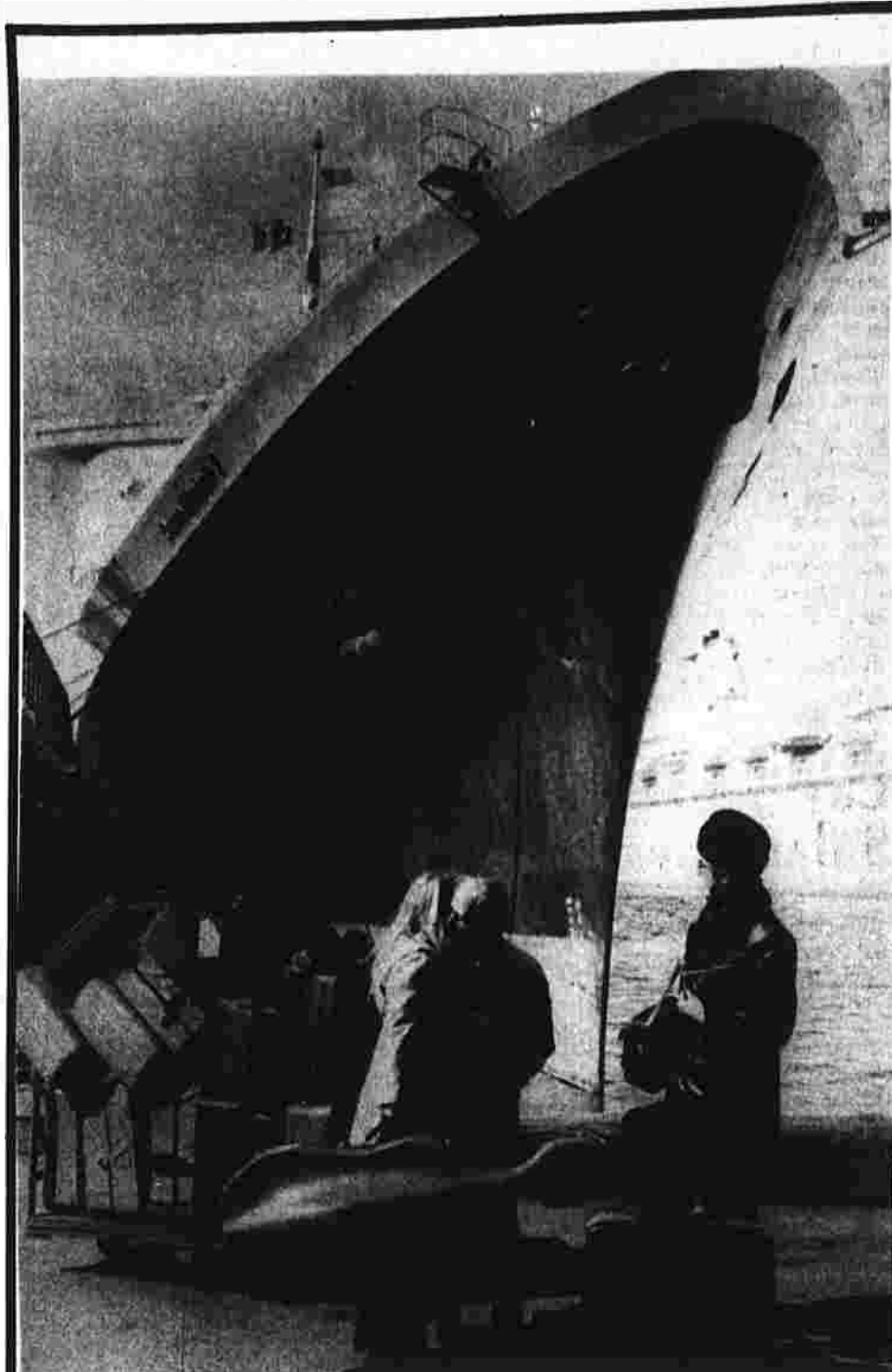
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**Violette Rape Case Goes to Higher Court**

Bruce E. Violette, 25, of 79 Brooklyn St., Rockville, was arrested Thursday on a Hartford County Superior Court warrant charging him with first-degree rape and first-degree deviate sexual intercourse.

Violette, charged in connection with an Oct. 22 incident in Manchester, was freed on a \$7,500 bond after arraignment in court Thursday. The case is scheduled for the Superior Court's next criminal session.

The arrest warrant was served in Manchester Thursday as Violette appeared in Circuit Court 12 to face the same charges in the lower court. Circuit Court Prosecutor William Collins nolleed the same charges, to expedite disposition of the case, and sent the file to Hartford.

An unrelated charge of operating a motor vehicle while his license was under suspension was also nolleed in Circuit Court Thursday.

The morals charges stem from an incident in which a 24-year-old woman was forcibly removed from her car on E. Middle Tpke. Oct. 22 and then raped in nearby woods.

Police said two men raped the woman, then burned her arms and legs with cigarettes and kicked her.

Manchester Police are still seeking another man in connection with the crime.

**Lay Teachers Await Salary Negotiations**

About 45 lay teachers from East Catholic High School must wait for further negotiations on a proposed salary contract since last week's rejection by the archdiocese.

They, and about 100 other lay teachers in the Hartford area's five Roman Catholic High Schools, are members of the Greater Hartford Catholic Education Association.

Jack Witham, president of the association and also a member of the negotiating board and a teacher at ECHE, said the association had presented a compromise proposal.

A two-step, one-year proposal, it calls for a two per cent salary increase over last year's salary for the first half of the year and a three per cent increase for the second half of the year plus increments, said Witham.

Originally, the association had asked for a 5.5 per cent across-the-board pay increase and normal increases at all 13 levels or "steps" of school service.

The Rev. Charles W. Daly, assistant chancellor, said the archdiocese's present offer is a 3 1/2 per cent increase in increments with an adjustment of 1 per cent for the 1974-75 school year. He said the association's proposed contract was rejected because it was "too costly and there are no funds available."

A mediator will now be appointed by the State Board of Mediation and Arbitration, said Father Daly.

He said William M. Cullina of Murtha, Cullina, Richter and Pinney, attorney for the Archdiocesan School Office, thought one would be assigned in two or three weeks.

Representing the association is Atty. Peter Conroy of Hartford.

**THEATER SCHEDULE**

Burnside Theater — "The Klansman" 7:30-9:30  
UA East 1 — "Savage is Loose" 7:00-9:50; "All-Forman Fight Film" 9:30  
UA East 2 — "Groove Tube" 7:30-9:05  
UA East 3 — "L. Robin Caruso" 7:00-9:25; "Bongo" 8:30  
Showplace — "French Connection" 7:15; "Seven Ups" 9:15  
Vernon Cinema 1 — "The Seven Ups" 7:10; "French Connection" 9:00  
Cinema 2 — "The Odessa File" 7:00-9:15  
Manchester Drive-In — "Lovin' Molly" 7:30; "Buster & Billie" 9:00  
Showcase Cinema 1 — "Rolling Stones" 7:30-9:30  
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### Shuttleworth Elected By Friendship Masons

Richmond G. Shuttleworth of 51 Wilshire Rd., Vernon Thursday night was elected worshipful master of Friendship Lodge of Masons. He succeeds Frederick M. Gaal.

The installation of officers will be Saturday night at 8 o'clock at the Masonic Temple.

Other elected officers are Robert McBride, senior warden; Walter Hileman, junior warden; Wilbur M. Chadwick (past master); treasurer; Anderson H. Zeidler, secretary; and Alexander C. Penny, John Savidakis and John L. Von Deck Jr. (past master and past district deputy), trustees.

Appointed officers are Ernest J. Smith, senior deacon; Bernard Collet, junior deacon; George Wales, senior steward; Ronald Mottram, junior steward; Stephen T. Penny, marshal.

Also, James E. MacDonald, tiler; Wayne Garland, chaplain; Albert T. Heavisdas, organist; and Charles G. Pirie, historian.

Shuttleworth is an assistant design project engineer for Middletown division. He has served as an officer of the Master's Club of Friendship Lodge, belongs to the P&W Engineering Square Club, the National Travelers Club, and

Temple Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star.

He and his wife, Barbara, have three children—Kathryn, 8, James, 6, and Thomas, six weeks. The family belongs to St. John's Episcopal Church in Vernon.

Von Deck will be the installing master Saturday. Chadwick will be installing marshal and Marshall E. Hodge, past master, will be installing chaplain.

Organist will be James W. McKay of Manchester Lodge of Masons and soloist will be Gaal.

Master of ceremonies will be Merle P. Tapley, past grand master.

Gaal will be convening



Richard G. Shuttleworth

### Gifts Sought For Patients At Hospitals

The Mental Health Association is sponsoring its annual Holiday Gift Program for the patients at Norwich, Connecticut Valley and Blue Hills Hospitals.

Collection boxes for the gifts have been placed in Manchester at the Center Congregational Church and at the Connecticut Bank and Trust Co., 89 Main St. The deadline for receiving gifts is Friday, December 13, in order to get them to the hospitals for processing in time for holiday distribution.

The program is intended to ensure that mental patients without family or friends are not forgotten during the holiday season. It is urged that everyone include on his shopping list a gift for one state hospital patient.

Since many patients have little money and few personal possessions, practical items are the most desirable. Among those suggested are:

Slippers, pajamas, nightgowns, undergarments, stretch socks for men, panty hose for women, sweaters, scarves, woolen gloves, toilet articles and games. Clothing for men, in particular, is always in short supply.

The articles need not be gift-wrapped but they must be new.



### ABOUT TOWN

The board of trustees of South United Methodist Church will meet tonight at 7:30 at the Burnside Ave. School, East Hartford.

### Bicyclist Killed

BROOKFIELD (UPI)—Randy Fish, 17, of Brookfield, was killed Thursday when the bicycle he was riding collided with a car at the intersection of Rts. 7 and 133, police said.

Police said the youth tried to cross Rt. 133 and hit the front of a car southbound on Rt. 7 trying to make a left turn, police said.

The driver of the vehicle was Rommie L. Duckworth, 25, of Newton. No charges were filed.

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### Four Members of Friendship Lodge Honored

Four members of Friendship Lodge of Masons were honored during the annual meeting of the lodge Thursday night.

Walter F. Tedford of 25 Lilac St. was named the Craftman of the Year. He was presented a citation and a plaque. He is treasurer of the Master's Club and plays a leading role with the ritual cast. Tedford was also cited for his work in behalf of the several social projects of

the lodge. He is a Scottish Rites Mason and a Shriner.

Alexander C. Penny of 395 Burnham St. received a Special Master's Award. He has served the lodge for several years as its appointed finance officer.

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### COURT CASES

**CIRCUIT COURT 12**  
Manchester Session

Judge John Fitzgerald sentenced a Manchester youth to 60 days in jail Thursday on several criminal charges.

The youth — Roger J. Michaud, 17, of 112 W. Middle Tpk. — was also placed on probation for 18 months. He was given credit for time already served in jail.

Concurrent 60-day terms were ordered on charges of third-degree larceny and taking a motor vehicle without the owner's permission. A second-degree larceny charge resulted in a six-month sentence, suspended after 60 days.

Three additional counts of taking a motor vehicle without the owner's permission brought an unconditional discharge (no sentence), even though Michaud had pleaded guilty.

Other charges against Michaud — escape from custody, assaulting a policeman, and possession of drugs with intent to sell — were not prosecuted by Prosecutor William Collins.

Other cases heard Thursday by Judge Fitzgerald included:

Anthony J. Cortese, 19, of East Hartford; Salvatore Cortese, 20, of 1535 Sullivan Ave., South Windsor; and Denise M. Roy of Wood Trail, Coventry, all charged with possession of marijuana, all nolled.

Robert J. Donora, 39, of Willington, fourth-degree larceny, nolled.

Clay E. Duclos, 16, Ronald B. Gorlach, 41, and Richard E. Soucier, 40, all of N. River Rd., Coventry, all charged with disorderly conduct, all nolled.

James E. Duffy, 19, of 320 Tolland Tpk., hunting without a license, fined \$10.

Robert Garabedian, 19, of 72 Coldspring Dr., Vernon, fourth-degree larceny, dismissed.

Leis Gotay, 34, of Hartford, failure to obey traffic controls (substituted for speeding), fined \$30.

Joseph J. Gvaya, 56, of East Hartford, reckless driving, nolled.

Michael Hrynchuk, 51, of Hartford, evading responsibility (substituted for operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor), fined \$50.

Larry K. Landrie, 18, and Sherry L. Langie, 18, both of Rt. 44A, Coventry, both charged with possession of marijuana, both nolled.

Steven M. Massaro, 28, of 57 White St., breach of peace and third-degree criminal mischief, dismissed.

Dennis Newton, 19, of 30 Nye St., Rockville, possession of dangerous weapon, breach of peace, and third-degree forgery, all nolled.

John P. O'Neill, 16, of 31 Waddell Rd., fourth-degree larceny, nolled.

Christopher Primus, 18, of 18 Buckingham St., possession of marijuana, nolled.

Betty J. Rankin, 29, of 400 Channing Dr., two counts of issuing a bad check, both nolled.

Robert Sheehan, 32, of East Hartford, breach of peace, suspended 30-day jail term and one year on probation. The charge was substituted for two counts of second-degree criminal mischief and one count of evading responsibility. A second count of evading responsibility was nolled.

Nicholas Tsapatsaris, 55, of 36 Hilliard St., disorderly conduct and intoxication, both nolled.

Robert C. Williams, 50, of 695 Talcottville Rd., Vernon, failure to stop and show license

### Woman Accused Of Misusing Trust Funds

BLOOMFIELD (UPI) — A former Bloomfield woman siphoned more than \$5,000 from a trust fund intended to pay for medical bills of a 2-year old blind girl stricken with cancer of the nervous system, police said.

According to authorities Mrs. May used for her own purposes more than \$5,000 withdrawn from the fund, more than half of the total money withdrawn. They said the Golds asked police to investigate the matter when a Boston hospital mailed them a number of bills she thought had been paid. The thefts occurred in late 1971 and early 1972, they said.

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# Manchester Evening Herald OPINION

## Business Seeks Its Own Activists

Some two decades ago, Charles E. Wilson told a congressional committee that "What's good for the country is good for General Motors and vice versa."

At the time Wilson uttered this famous quote — of which most Americans heard only the "vice-versa" part — the responsibilities of business to the consumer were relatively simple: to manufacture products at prices people were willing and able to pay.

Since then, the corporate philosophy attributed to the former GM head has been drastically altered by such factors as inflation coupled with a depressed economy and sagging stock market, food and commodity shortages, the energy crisis and environmental legislation, as well as by consumer activists.

It has also been discredited by that aspect of Watergate in which many corporations made illegal contributions to the 1972 Nixon re-election campaign.

Out of it seems to be emerging a new breed of corporation leader, one who believes that business must adjust to the new realities if it is to help preserve the balance of institutional power that is so critically needed in a democratic society. Representative of this new type of businessman is C. Pendleton Thomas, chairman of B.F. Goodrich, who said in a recent speech:

"It's time for more business people, working through their organizations and acting independently as private citizens, to take a more energetic, active part in political and social causes to preserve and perfect our economic and political systems for the good of all the people."

In America and other democracies, Thomas pointed out, the public has always sought to ensure a balance of power among its major institutions. This is especially true as it applies to business, government and labor.

When power appears to be evenly distributed, there seems to be a sense of public confidence that these institutions will operate in the public interest by maintaining checks and balances on each other.

But business people, Thomas charged, have not participated to the extent they should in governmental affairs — the right kind of participating. This is reflected in the current balance of power among government, labor and business. The latter's influence on public policy has seriously eroded in recent years.

On the other hand, organized labor, despite its declining membership as a percentage of the total work force, has maintained a strong influence on governmental affairs and political activity. The balance of institutional power has also been affected by the tremendous growth and proliferation of government agencies.

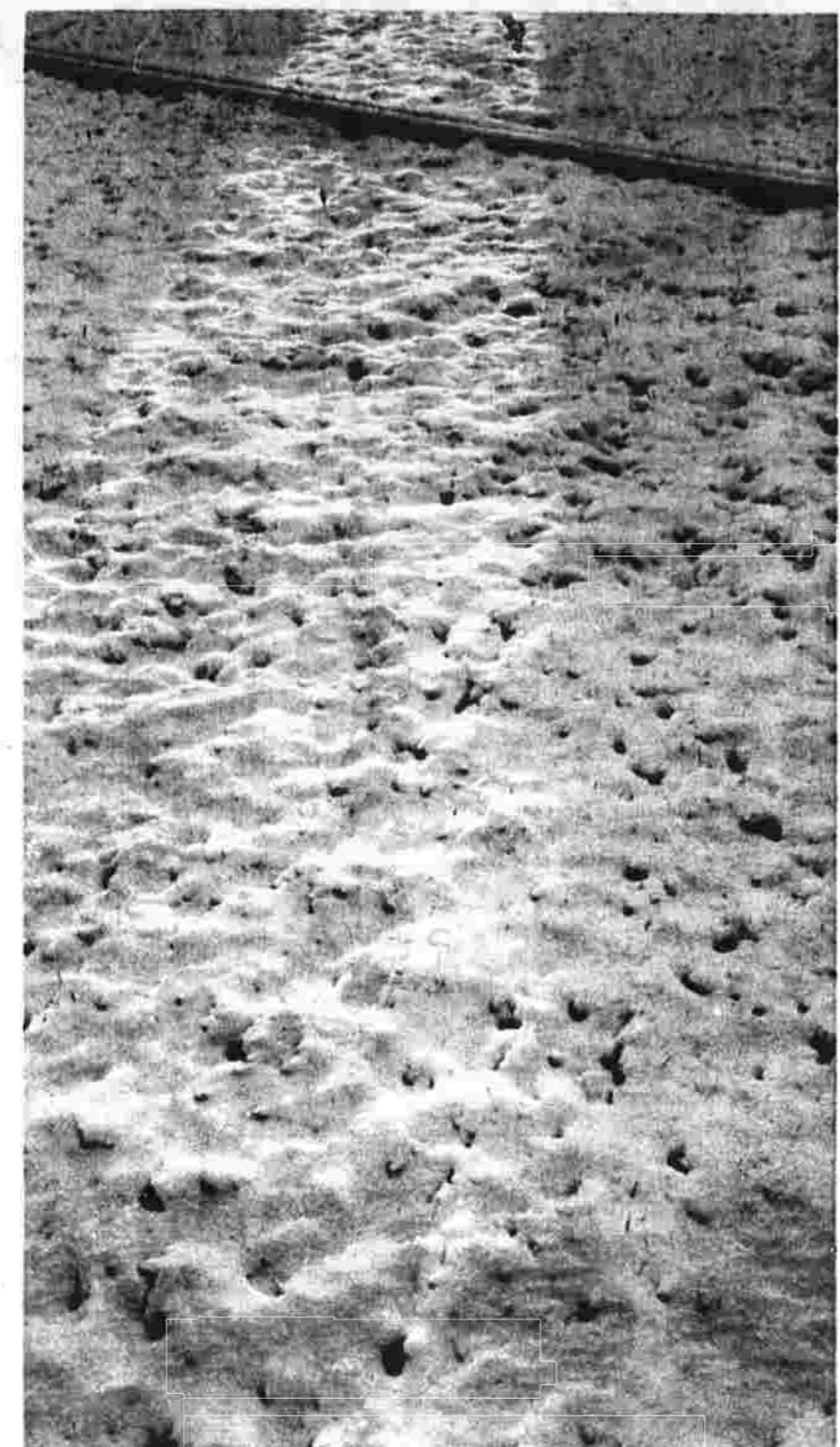
Increasingly, said Thomas, many important business decisions are not being made in corporate headquarters or in boardrooms. Rather, they are being made in Washington, in state capitols, in city halls and in township halls.

The system will operate without the business community's input. But if it produces restrictive measures that, in the judgment of business leaders, unfairly impede operations and do not serve the public interests, then these leaders have only themselves to blame for their silence, inaction or ineffectiveness.

Business people, said Thomas, "should work toward the day when they call each other activists and like it."

## Preserve, Rebuild Historical Beauty

It was a very sad morning when I drove down East Center Street and saw the strip of green next to Lincoln School being ripped up by bulldozers. It was as if part of myself was being torn away as I attended that school as a child. I have been living in Manchester since April after being away, but always in the East for the past 18 years. We visited Manchester frequently and each time would notice a new discount store, fast food establishments, apartment buildings, etc., popping up all over town, with obviously no planning and complete disregard for its effect on the surrounding area.



Sun and Snow (Photo by Reginald Pinto)



## ANDREW TULLY

### Men Of Goodwill Practice Tolerance

WASHINGTON — Terrorist bombs exploded in London, and Ulster remains a sometime battlefield, but a funeral in Dublin recently was a reminder that men of goodwill practice tolerance.

The funeral was that of Erskine Hamilton Childers, whose name is mostly unknown outside the Ireland of the south. This is understandable because Childers was president of the Irish Republic, a post with small political clout. What is important and inspiring is that Childers was a Protestant, born and educated in England, and even spoke in the hated Catholic accent.

Yet in a country which is 95 per cent Catholic, Childers was decisively elected president last year over a widely respected Catholic candidate.

The contrast to the intolerance north of the border, where the Protestant majority seeks to keep the Catholic minority under its heel, and the Catholics retaliate with terror, is too striking for an unhappy world to ignore. In the south, Irish Catholics and Protestants have learned to live with one another, and in the process they have given their country many years of stable government and civil order.

## OPEN FORUM

Beautiful East Center Street has gradually been ruined and the center of town with the beautiful town buildings, library and Center Church, were faced by ugly signs and businesses in the Odd Fellows Building.

It was always a feeling of sadness to me and my husband as we loved the town and the people in it. It is this that greets visitors as they come through the center of Manchester.

We have lived in towns where the people have taken great pride and fought to preserve the old beauty of their towns when allowing new businesses to come in have succeeded.

We are now hearing about the plight of Main Street. It is not the plight of Main Street but the plight of Manchester. For goodness sake people, let's stop letting them tear up our town for parking a few cars, and at the same time obviously creating a traffic hazard.



## DON OAKLEY

### To Be Pittied As Much As Feared

In what was probably the swan song of his political career, Sen. J. William Fulbright, who is retiring from Congress and the chairmanship of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee at the request of the people of Arkansas (God speed to him), delivered an address the other day at Westminster College in Fulton, Mo.

The same site, it will be recalled, is where Winston Churchill made his famous "Iron Curtain" speech shortly after World War II. Like Churchill, Fulbright outlined the grave challenges facing the free world in the years ahead. Unlike Churchill, however, Fulbright spoke not of the falling of an Iron Curtain between East and West but at one point referred to attempts to lift that barrier and achieve "detente."

But we almost let detente with the Soviet Union go on the rocks, said Fulbright, by our insistence on an agreement permitting large-scale Jewish emigration from the USSR — a matter of fundamental importance to the basic issue of human rights in the Soviet Union, and of no relevance at all to the vital interests of the United States.

Some would argue that nothing could be more relevant to the true vital interests of the United States than our taking a stand on behalf of human rights at every opportunity, however limited.

Be that as it may, it might be useful to take a fresh look at the people with whom we are dealing — not to subordinate them but merely to remind ourselves that there are still certain fundamental differences between their system and ours.

Remember Simas Kodikas, the Lithuanian seaman who tried to jump ship four years ago, only to be returned to the Soviets by the U.S. Coast Guard? Sentenced to 10 years for treason, Kodikas was later declared a U.S. citizen and has finally made it to this country.

He was shocked when he arrived. He had been prepared to expect starvation in the streets and massive unemployment, the Kremlin has lately begun pushing tourism. But prospective American visitors are warned by the State Department to expect to be tailed by KGB agents and to have their cameras confiscated if they violate a long list of photographic taboos.

The Soviet Union remains a closed society, desperately trying to show out the light. More than they fear our missiles, its masters fear our freedoms.

The United States and USSR plan a joint space venture next year. But while they have made an unprecedented agreement to provide live television coverage of their part of the mission, the Soviets have repeatedly refused requests to permit U.S. newsmen to view the actual launching.

Not only is the Soviet space center at Baykonur forbidden to American newsmen, no American has seen the city of Vladivostok since the U.S. consulate there was shut down in 1948. An exception was President Ford, who met with party leader Leonid Brezhnev near the city on Nov. 23.

The eastern terminus of the Trans-Siberian Railway, Vladivostok is so secret that Soviet citizens themselves need special permission to go there and some Soviet maps do not even show its correct location.

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## COVENTRY

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The Town Council at a special meeting last night accepted in principle the recommendations of the steering committee on the council's role in the Planning and Zoning Commission's review of the DevCo proposal.

The Planning and Zoning Commission has been petitioned by DevCo to add a new section to Coventry's Zoning Regulations which would allow a Planned Community Zone (PCZ). The proposed regulations apply to all of the town, not just to the land owned by DevCo.

The report states that as town officials, the council has a responsibility to explore both the pros and cons of Planned Community Development versus the present subdivision type of development now being used.

One of the items stressed in the Steering Committee report is the fact that no matter what the decision is by the Planning and Zoning Commission, there is a strong likelihood of a legal challenge by either the proponents or the opponents and because of this fact, it will be critical for the council to separate the amendment to the zoning regulations and the

DevCo proposal in any review done by the council. The report states, "Since the petition before Planning and Zoning is a general one, the council could review the municipal impact of PCZ's by evaluating the experience of existing new communities, or the council could evaluate the impact of a typical PCZ proposal such as that made available by DevCo for their planned community in Coventry."

The steering committee recommended that the DevCo proposal for a new community be the one used to evaluate the PCZ.

The council will prepare two reports. One would deal with the amendment to the zoning regulations and would state which parts of the regulations the council agreed with or disagreed with and why. It would also suggest changes for improving the regulations if adopted, and recommended to the Planning and Zoning Commission that they accept, reject, or modify the proposed regulations. This report will be submitted to the Planning and Zoning Commission before Jan. 29, the opening date of the public hearings on the amendment to the regulations.

The council would then prepare a second report which would be a municipal impact statement of a planned community and its fiscal impact on the town. This report will be based on the DevCo proposal, but cannot be presented at the public hearings unless DevCo presents Part B of the application which went to the Planning and Zoning Commission.

The report recommends that when the council is preparing the municipal impact statement eight things should be considered: 1. Level of services during construction; 2. Level of services required upon completion; 3. revenue during construction phase and upon completion; 4. impact of the rate of construction; 5. level of services typically provided by a city with five dwelling units per acre versus current level of services; 6. needs for additional personnel, equipment, facilities, etc.; 7. impact on peripheral areas that would result in a request for additional services; 8. general benefits and detriments of the PCZ type of development.

The recommendations caution that the council consider the following questions in referring to the information provided by DevCo: 1. establish the basis for their projections and evaluate their validity and accuracy; 2. review DevCo's

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Hearing Tonight  
There will be a public hearing at 8 p.m. tonight in the Board Room of the Town Hall on the preliminary plans of the Historic District Study Committee.

The committee is proposing that two districts be established in town, one in North Coventry and the other in South Coventry.

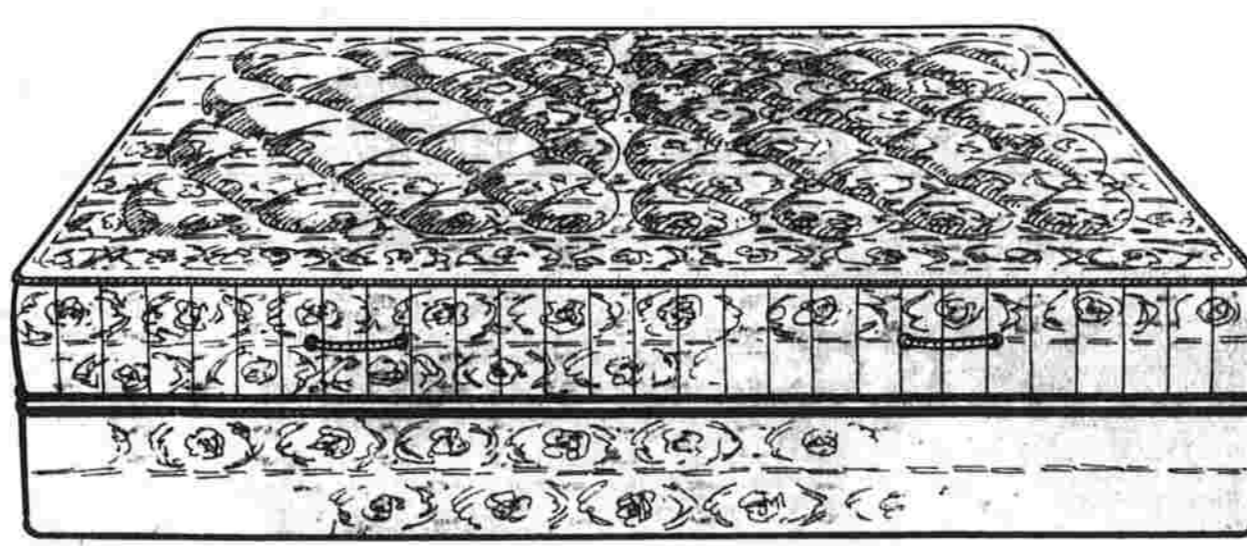
Wreath Sale  
The Lion's Club will conduct its annual Christmas wreath sale on Dec. 7 and 8 and Dec. 14 and 15.

Candidate Interviews  
The nominating committee of the Democratic Town Committee will interview candidates for the following positions tomorrow at 11 a.m. in the Board Room of the Town Hall.

Positions to be filled are on the Board of Education, Board of Health and the Democratic Town Committee.

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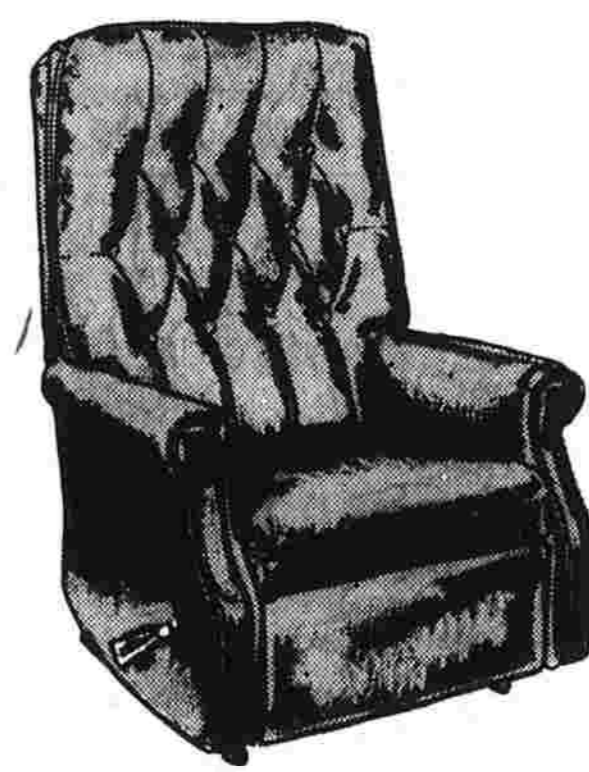
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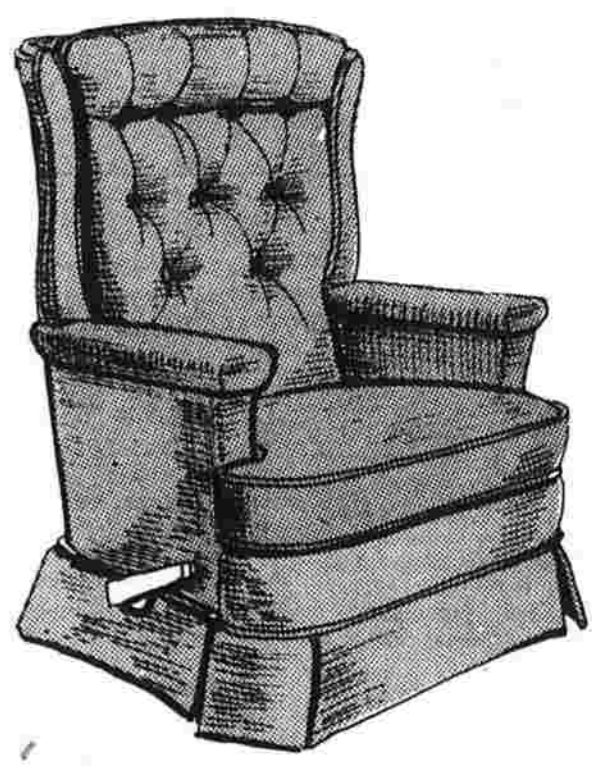
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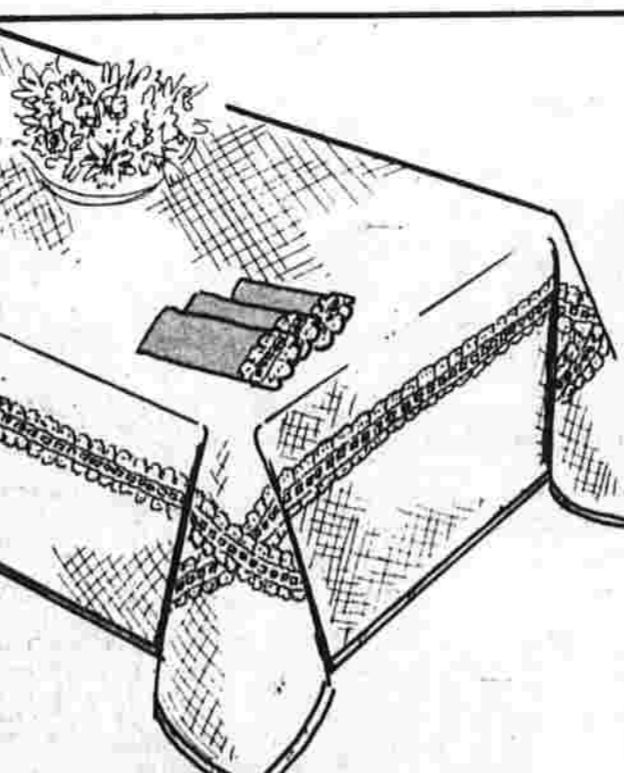
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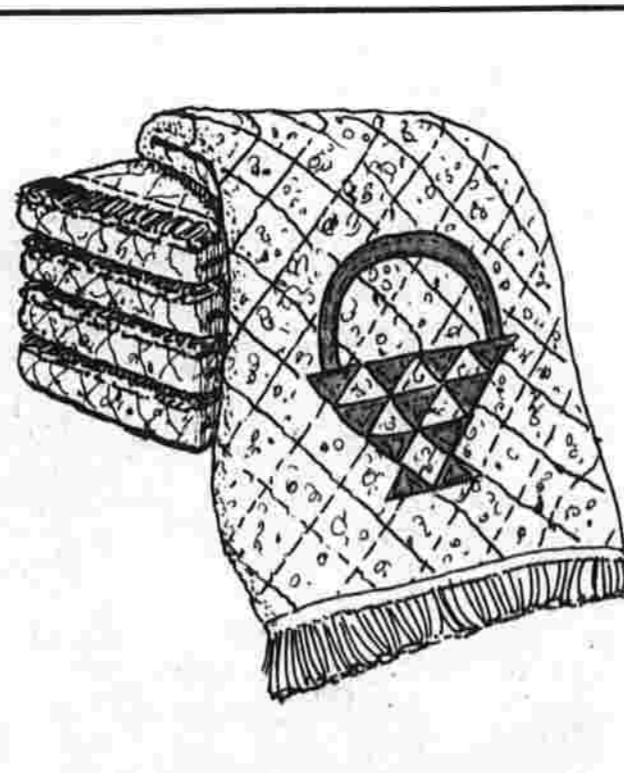


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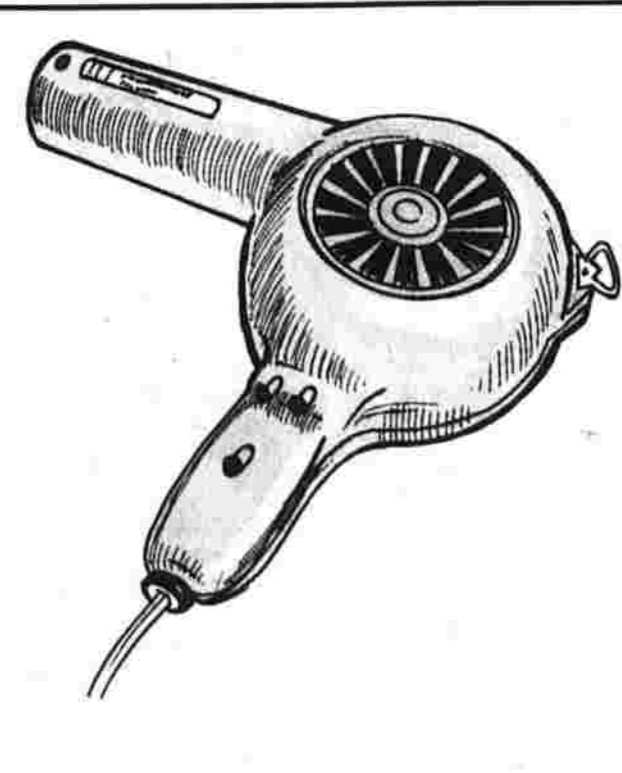
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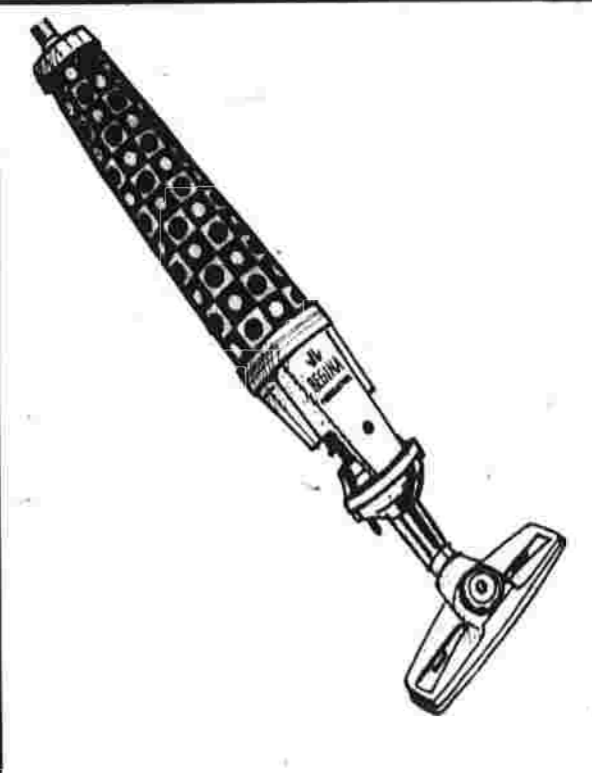
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Mr. Richard Ficks  
Connecticut State  
Labor Dept.  
200 Folly Brook Blvd.  
Waterbury, Conn. 06109  
My Dear Mr. Ficks:  
Having read the Nov. 21 article on the front page of The Manchester Evening Herald, I have to ask myself, "What am I doing wrong or neglecting to do?" As one of those so-called professional people, with a Bachelor of Science degree in Mechanical Engineering and 20 plus years of experience, I am having difficulty in locating one of those jobs which you experts claim are so plentiful in this state. Would you please help me to direct myself in the proper direction of one of those jobs?

David E. Hirschfeld  
36 Norman St.  
Manchester

## Thanks

I would like to thank all of you who attended the annual community Christmas Carol Sing at Center Park. It is gratifying to see and hear people enjoy an evening planned for their enjoyment. I'd like to express my thanks to the following who made this event possible: Mr. Ernest Turek of the Park Department and his colleagues; Rev. Ronald Fournier, master of ceremonies for the

evening; James Stratford and his Boy Scouts who passed out the programs; Martha White and the Round Table Singers; Watkins Brothers, Inc. for providing the organ; Karen Krijnak for organizing the community singing on organ; Stanek Electronics Laboratories for providing the amplifying system; Lutheran Brotherhood for providing song sheets; Manchester Evening Herald for covering this event; Michael Critelli Jr. who directed the Salvation Army Band; Captain Arthur Carlson whose invitation to everyone for coffee and refreshments after the sing was especially welcome.

Janet Hubbard, chairman  
Christmas Carol Sing  
sponsored by MACC

To the editor:  
It was a very sad morning when I drove down East Center Street and saw the strip of green next to Lincoln School being ripped up by bulldozers.

It was as if part of myself was being torn away as I attended that school as a child. I have been living in Manchester since April after being away, but always in the East for the past 18 years. We visited Manchester frequently and each time would notice a new discount store, fast food establishments, apartment buildings, etc., popping up all over town, with obviously no planning and complete disregard for its effect on the surrounding area.

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HERALD YESTERDAYS  
25 Years Ago  
George Murdock, 91, long-time Manchester resident and active Masonic lodge member, died Monday.  
General alarm fire guts Bowers block on Main St.  
Manchester's Polish-American Club

TODAY'S THOUGHT  
"Growing Rich In Noble Actions"  
We often think of growing rich as a matter of accumulating money or other tangible possessions. Paul reminds us, in his first letter to Timothy (6:18-19) that there is another way of "growing rich." He calls us to "grow rich in noble actions, to be ready to give away and to share, and so acquire a treasure which will form a good foundation for the future."

10 Years Ago  
This date was a Sunday. The Herald did not publish.

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# The Herald

Area Profile

## Special Education Report Previewed

**TOLLAND**  
Vivian Keneson  
Correspondent  
Tel. 875-4704

Special Services Director Cam Vautour gave a brief, general report on special education to the Board of Education Wednesday. In preparation for a formal report to follow on Jan. 22, Vautour said that while 160 Tolland children are presently enrolled, an additional 200 are in need of special education programs.

The board and administration hopes for a large turnout at the

Jan. 22 meeting, which will be held at the new lecture room at the Tolland Middle School. Dr. Kenneth MacKenzie, superintendent of schools, said he understands that there is a feeling around town that a special education program is growing too rapidly, and that one reason might be that people don't understand what special education is as defined by new legislation.

A representative of the Bureau of Pupil Personnel Services will attend the meeting to clarify the new state statutes.

Special Cases Diploma  
Also expected to draw interest at the meeting is the plan of the board to vote on the request of Vautour to grant a high school diploma in special cases, such as learning disabilities or socially and

emotionally disturbed programs students.

Vautour clarified that his intent in the request is, "after completing a four-year program at high school a student should have an equal opportunity in the job market."

Future Action  
Coming up at future Board of Education meetings are:  
Dec. 11 vote on procedures for 1974-75 teacher evaluation procedures (the Tolland Education Association must also approve the procedure and will meet Dec. 16); appearance of administrators from all four schools to report on curriculum changes for 1975-76; recommendation of Dr. MacKenzie on where to spend the \$23,000 insurance refund.

Jan. 7, special accountability report meeting to adopt the final two recommendations; maximized contact with township people to inform about schools; systematic evaluation procedure to monitor the effectiveness of instruction within the adopted goals of the school system.

Jan. 22, special education report; vote on awarding a high school diploma in special cases; second look at proposed education budget.

Vautour invited board

## Variance Granted For Single House

**HEBRON**  
Anne Dallaire  
Correspondent  
228-3267

The Hebron Zoning Board of Appeals has voted unanimously to grant a variance to Adrian F. and Sally T. Cheney, Hope Valley Rd.

The regulations allow them to use as a building lot property owned by the Cheney's on Jones St., having insufficient frontage with the stipulation that the property be used as a single building lot with one single family dwelling.

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## Baby Sitter Certificates Awarded to 54 Students

**SOUTH WINDSOR**  
Judy Kuehnel  
Correspondent  
644-1364

The South Windsor Woman's Club has awarded certificates to 54 students who have successfully completed a course in babysitting.

The course was presented by local officials and sponsored by the Woman's Club. Presentations were made by Mrs. Joanne Kilgore, public health nurse on general health rules and precautions, by South Windsor Fire Marshal William Lanning on fire considerations and by Lt. William Ryan of the Police Department on criminal precautions.

The course is an annual feature of the Woman's Club and is coordinated each year by the education committee. Certificates were awarded to the following participants:

Kim Akorn, Lisa Allen, Lynne Cameron, Holly Collins, Robin Cooperthwaite, Lisa Daugherty, Theresa Deskus, Debbie Dickinson.

Also, Penny Dodd, Jola Dubicki, Sharon Dunn, Jill Dvorsky, Susan Ek, Allison Fitts, Vicki Flynn, Laura Gagnon, Barbara Gagnon, Theresa Guilmond, Brian Hankard, Matthew Hill, Ann Hoffman, Cindy Horsfield.

Also, Ann Johnston, Lynn Krowinski, Jane Kozlowski, Alison Lapis, Kim Loftus, Lisa Mansfield, Barbara Manzella, Ann-Margaret McCarthy, Kelly McKeague, John Miodolo.

Also, Monty Perkins, Steve Ranney, Naomi Rose, Laurene Rundgren, Todd Rundgren, Cheryl Russo, Debra Russo, Cyndi Ryan, Beverly Shako, Bonnie Slietzky, Lori Smith, Karen Sobol, Mary Stungie, Lori Striebel, Kim Street, Laune Vardo and Laura Williams.

Friday: Tuna sub with lettuce and tomato, soup, orange juice, cake with chocolate sauce, milk.

Ellsworth School  
Monday: Hamburg or cheeseburger on a bun, whipped potato with gravy, corn, jello, milk.

Tuesday: Lasagna, salad, Italian bread and butter, ice cream sandwich, milk.

Wednesday: Ham sandwich with lettuce and tomato, potato chips, soup, cake with icing, milk.

Thursday: Pepperoni pizza, salad, Italian bread and butter, orange juice, ice cream sandwich, milk.

Friday: Tuna sub with lettuce and tomato, french fries, soup, milk.

Timothy Edwards School  
Monday: Hamburg or frank on a bun, whipped potato with gravy, corn, brownie, milk.

Tuesday: Lasagna, salad, Italian bread and butter, chocolate cake with icing, milk.

Wednesday: Grilled cheese sandwich, potato chips, cole slaw, soup, cookie, milk.

Thursday: Pepperoni pizza, salad, Italian bread and butter, orange juice, ice cream sandwich, milk.

Friday: Tuna sub with lettuce and tomato, french fries, pickle chips, orange juice, canned peaches, milk.

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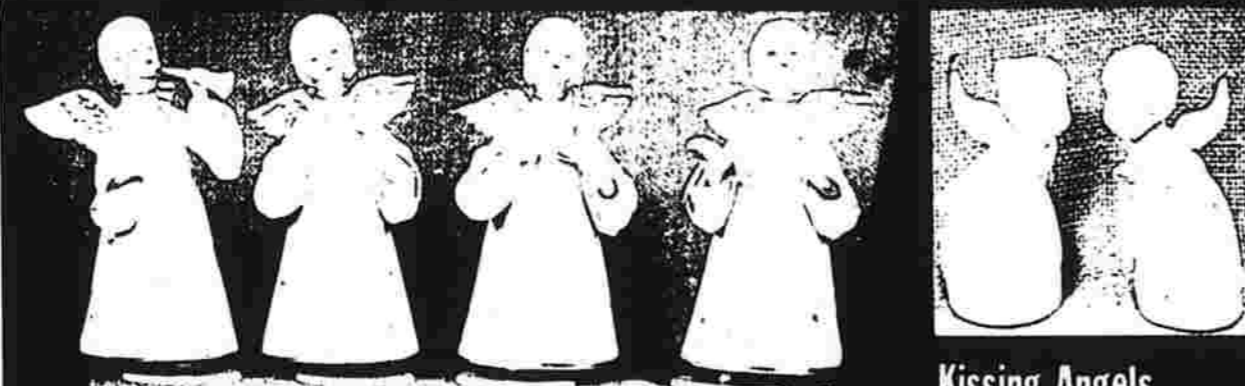
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## ROCKVILLE HOSPITAL NOTES Exceptional Children Topic of Meeting

Admitted Wednesday: Lorri Ann Bowman, South St., Rockville; Marianne Cole, Maple St., Rockville; Patricia Dunn, Driggs Rd., Vernon; Barbara Fisher, Fairfield; Andrea Gorton, Storrs; Cristie and Michael Jackson, Wall St., Hebron; Diana Johnson, Village St., Rockville; George Jolicœur, Harti Dr., Vernon; Harlowe Larrabee, Pinnacle Rd., Ellington; Kathleen Marek, Summit Dr., Tolland; Margaret Rugen, Stafford Springs; Ida Schmeiske, Spring St., Rockville; Gloria Szytra, Grand Ave., Rockville; Frederick Tomel, Strong Rd., South Windsor; Ian Webster, Kelly Rd., Vernon.

Discharged Wednesday: Patricia Chamberlin, Spring St., Rockville; Florence Cornell, Tudor Lane, Manchester; Timothy Grisinger, Dart Hill Rd., Vernon; Victoria Grove, Prospect St., Rockville; Diane Johnson, Willowstream Dr., Vernon; Steven Meehan, Hartford; Mrs. Judith Miller and son, Somers; Michael Mitchell, Green St., Rockville; George Jolicœur, Harti Dr., Vernon; Hughes Circle, Rockville; Nina Stone, South St., Rockville.

**TOLLAND**  
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The education committee of the Tolland Junior Woman's Club urges all residents to attend a special education meeting on Dec. 12 at 7:30 p.m. in all-purpose room at the Tolland Middle School.

tion children" and a movie, "These Other Children," will be shown. The program will include a panel of parents and a discussion of their efforts to assist special education programs in Hebron, Andover and Marlborough. Refreshments will be served.

**Santa's Luncheon**  
The education and ways and means committees of the

Tolland Junior Woman's club will sponsor Santa's Luncheon Dec. 14 from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the United Congregational Church. Tickets are 65 cents per child and can be purchased at the door. Lunch, entertainment, a visit with Santa, and a favor to take home are included in the program. Each child must be accompanied by an adult. Homemade

baked goods will be available for purchase in the Sweet Shoppe, a new feature of the annual event.

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## The Herald

**Dental Health Clinic Listed For Next Week**

**SOUTH WINDSOR**  
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Correspondent  
644-1364

The South Windsor Public Health Nursing Association is sponsoring a dental health clinic for pre-school children aged three through kindergarten in the nurse's office at Town Hall.

The clinic will be from Dec. 9 to Dec. 13. This is a free service which includes cleaning, prophylactic examination and fluoride application.

Appointments may be made by calling the South Windsor Community Service office, 644-2509.

**Luncheon**  
The Wapping Community Church Women will hold its annual Christmas luncheon in the Community House Tuesday at 11 a.m.

Prizes will be awarded by Stop and Shop. Tickets are \$1.50 and are available through Joan Clay, Margaret Parenchuk or Marise Browning. Baby sitters will be provided.

A table of Christmas decorations and wreaths will be set up for display and sale. Reservations must be made in advance.

**Services**  
The Messiah Lutheran Church, Buckland Rd., South Windsor will conduct Advent services each Wednesday until Christmas. The services, which will begin at 7:30 p.m., are entitled "The Heavens are Telling."

**Thrift Shop**  
The South Windsor Community Thrift Shop, Sullivan Ave., will have pre-Christmas specials during the next few weeks, preceding the shop's closing for the holiday.

A table will display holiday items, such as artificial Christmas trees, candles, tree trimmers and other items appropriate for the holiday season.

The toy and book room is supplied with many games and the Kraft Korner has items which would be good stocking stuffers.

Shop hours are Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Saturday from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. The shop will close Saturday, Dec. 21 and reopen Jan. 2.

Donations of bric-a-brac and clean clothing are welcome and may be left at the shop during business hours or can be picked up by calling Phyllis Striebel, 644-1047.

**Supper**  
The South Windsor Woman's Club will hold a potluck for members at Our Savior Lutheran Church, 239 Graham Rd. Monday, Dec. 9 at 6:30 p.m. Hostesses for the evening are Mrs. Charles Bracken and Mrs. Charles Smith. Chairman of the event are Mrs. Donald Balabanis and Mrs. Dennis Robinson. The regular monthly meeting will also be held at this time.

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Carr, Stacey Lynn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard M. Carr of 121 E. Main St., Vernon. She was born Dec. 2 at Rockville General Hospital. Her maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Peter Barletta Jr. of Sheepsit Lake Rd., Rockville. Her paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Carr of Rhodes Rd. Tolland. She has a brother, Dennis Matland.

Gibbs, Cherry Lynn, daughter of Milton E. and Virginia A. Flordelis Gibbs of 530 Buckland Rd., South Windsor. She was born Nov. 27 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. Her maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Innocent R. Flordelis of Cebu City, Philippines. Her paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Norman Gibbs of Pittsfield, Maine.

Akerley, Shannon Denise, daughter of James and Ursula Lipil Akerley of Cedar Swamp Rd., Coventry. She was born Nov. 23 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. Her maternal grandmother is Mrs. Bernice Lipil of McKean, Pa. Her paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Akerley of Glastonbury. Her paternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Melburn Sautier of East Hartford. She has a brother, Scott David, 7, and a sister, Dana Suzanne, 8.

Hogan, Timothy Marc Jr., son of Timothy M. and Joan Haney Hogan of Watrous Rd., Bolton. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John T. Haney Jr. of 160 Parker St. His paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. G. Leo Hogan of 68 Helaine Rd. His paternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lechar of Fremont, N.H.

Nicol, Michelle Lynn, daughter of Charles A. Jr. and Leda Clifford Nicol of 117 Tudor Lane. She was born Nov. 30 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. Her maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Arlene Clifford of Vernon and Clifton Clifford of Rockville. Her paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Nicol Sr. of 68 Griffin Rd., South Windsor. Her great-grandmother is Mrs. Mary Scavetta of Hartford.

Bronell, Kristopher Robert, son of Robert E. and Susan Mahoney Bronell of Virginia Lane, Tolland. He was born Nov. 29 at St. Francis Hospital, Hartford. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Francis Mahoney of 19 Hamlin St. His paternal grandmother is Mrs. Eleanor Bronell of 35 Ashland St.

Conklin, John William III, son of Dr. Thomas J. and Cheryl G'sell Conklin of 17 Woodstock Dr. He was born Nov. 21 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. G'sell of New Orleans, La. His paternal grandparents are Dr. and Mrs. J.W. Conklin of Bogalusa, La. He has two brothers, Tom, 4 1/2, and Christopher, 3, and a sister, Elizabeth, 1 1/2.

Lube, Brian Douglas, son of Jack R. and Dorothy Kupchunas Lube of 366 Avery St., South Windsor. He was born Nov. 22 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Benedict Kupchunas of 390 Avery St., South Windsor. His paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lube of 61 Sunnyside Dr., Vernon. He has a brother, Michael, 4.

Skean, Gerald Clayton, son of Gerald F. and Betty Plante Skean of 20 Otis St. He was born Nov. 22 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Paul Plante of Springfield, Mass. His paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Skean of W. Worcester, Mass. He has two sisters, Debra, 11, and Catherine, 6.

Beverly Ann DiGuillo of Meriden became the bride of Joseph Andrew Simmons Jr. of Manchester Oct. 28 at St. Rose Church, Meriden. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel G. DiGuillo of Meriden. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Simmons Sr. of 183 Maple St. The Rev. John E. Quinn of St. Rose Church performed the double-ring ceremony. Bouquets of yellow roses and yellow and white carnations were on the altar. Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of peach de soie, designed with lace bodice and sheer sleeves. Her veil was bordered with lace, and she carried an Edwardian bouquet of pink roses, white carnations and baby's breath. Mrs. Cynthia Lavarriere of East Hartford was matron of honor. She wore a moss green chiffon gown, styled with lace bodice, and long sheer sleeves. Her tiara had a matching green veil, and she carried an Edwardian bouquet of pink and white carnations and roses with baby's breath. Bridesmaids were Miss Mary Ann Simmons of Manchester, sister of the bridegroom; Mrs. Madelyn DeWolf of Meriden, cousin of the bride; and Miss Patricia Ryan of Wallingford. Their gowns and headpieces were similar to that worn by the bride, and they carried bouquets of yellow and white carnations and roses with baby's breath. Ushers were James Abbot of Middletown, Richard Lavarriere of East Hartford and Norman LaFontaine of New Britain. A reception was held at the KofC Home in Meriden. The couple now lives in Hebron. Mr. Simmons is employed as branch manager of the Willimantic Savings Institute in Hebron.



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ABOUT TOWN

Emanuel Lutheran Church will have an Advent Workshop for children in Kindergarten through Grade 5 Saturday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. in Luther Hall of the church.

The Salvation Army will have its annual Christmas Sale Saturday from 10 to 3 p.m. at the Citadel, 601 Main St. Lunch will be served from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

A cupcake sale will be conducted Saturday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at House and Hale.

Lessa Pomerantz of the Department of Consumer Protection Products Safety Division will speak on "Product Safety for Children" at a meeting of the Family Oriented Childbirth Information Society Monday at 8 p.m. in Conference Rooms A and B at Manchester Memorial Hospital. The program is open to the public free of charge. Babies are welcome. For information call Val Simao, 648-8303.

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Santa Volunteers for Seamen

By GAY PAULEY UPI Women's Editor NEW YORK (UPI) — The volunteers, most of them women, call it "Operation Christmas Box."

Because of them, some 10,000 merchant mariners from almost every seafaring nation on Christmas Day will open packages that have been a year-round project operated through the Seamen's Church Institute of New York.

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Winter & Travel Ideas

Nearby Mystic Seaport Has No 'Off Seasons'

There are no "off seasons" at Mystic Seaport, where activities continue throughout the winter months and special programs are planned for Christmas.

The ships, shops, and other exhibits are open all year and the relaxed fall and winter atmosphere makes for a pleasant visit. The major restoration of the Gloucester fishing schooner L. A. Duntun, craft demonstrations, special films, and a collection of nearly 200 large and small vessels make this an unusually good time for an economical weekend vacation.

The Christmas season will have plenty to offer Seaport visitors. Although the museum is closed on Christmas Day, there are numerous seasonal activities of interest. The grounds will be decorated in their usual manner with wreaths and other simple adornments, Christmas trees at ships' mastsheads, and the large Christmas tree next to the big anchor in the Stillman Circle.

A free tradition at Mystic Seaport will again be honored on Sunday, Dec. 22, the day of the Annual Carol Sing. The grounds and all exhibits will be open to the public at no charge, and groups of carolers will wander the grounds giving unscheduled performances throughout the day.

The Norwich Concert Band will perform a concert of Christmas music in the Seaport Meeting House at 2 p.m. and 4 p.m. The Seaport Carolers will lead the assembled visitors in a carol sing in the Stillman Circle, ending the day's activities.

The Seaport Planetarium will offer a special program entitled "The Star of Bethlehem," daily at 2:00 beginning Dec. 15 and continuing through Dec. 22. The newly-renovated Children's Museum, whose permanent theme is "Children Who Went to Sea," will be used as the basis for a child's Christmas of 100 years ago. The main portion of this building is a representation of a ship's cabin where a captain and his family might have lived. Only children are allowed into the cabin area where toys, dolls, and games of the late 1800's may be played with.

During the week before Christmas, visiting children will decorate a traditional shell tree, taste Victorian candies, nuts, and sugared fruits, and hand color Victorian Christmas cards. As usual, children will be invited to join the activities in the exhibit while adults may watch from the balcony area.

The Seaport will remain an active place during the Christmas season and throughout the winter months. Visitors may board the Gloucester fishing schooner L. A. Duntun, currently out of the water undergoing restoration at the Seaport's Henry B. duPont Preservation Shipyard. A special slide presentation on the ship herself and the preservation work proceeds guided tours aboard, but visitors may also board anytime.

Gallery tours of the formal exhibits in the Stillman and Mallory Buildings will be conducted free of charge daily at 2:30 and 3:30. Demonstrations in saltmaking and traditional shipbuilding tools will be given on several weekends during the winter. The six major features with the Jan. 10 voyage are a New York to Rio de Janeiro cruise (12 days); Rio to Cape Town (6 days); Cape Town to Singapore (21 days); Singapore to Los Angeles (27 days); Los Angeles to Port Everglades and New York (10 and 12 days); and Los Angeles, Port Everglades and New York to the United Kingdom.

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Also scheduled are optional "city tour programs" to be added at the beginning or end of the selected cruise segments. These packages are available in Rio de Janeiro, Cape Town.

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Tom Rinker of Wilmington, Mass., will be guest caller at the Manchester Square Dance Club dance Saturday from 8 to 11 p.m. at Manchester High School. Russ and Anita White will cue the rounds. Rinker was 15 when he started calling in 1960 in Omaha, Neb. He was instrumental in forming a teen club in Omaha and has served as vice president of the Omaha Area Callers Association and as president and treasurer of the Nebraska Square and Round Dance Association. He has called for dances at least 26 years.

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# OLD CODGER'S CODGITIONS

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Anyone using the trolley had to arrange for other service at each end of the trip.

A boy found a ride to Hartford behind a horse a lot more fun and interesting than by trolley. When the bridges were out there was the ferry. It left East Hartford south of the boulevard and landed in the foot of State St. in Hartford. When the river had a lot of floating ice the large cakes would collide with a wallop that was felt on the little ferry.

The flood plain extended within a block two of East Hartford Main St. and ended with a high steep bank. The road from Church Corners was pliable but when the frost came out in the spring. The mud was so deep in places that the horse could hardly pull the wagon thru.

There was a high, quite long wooden bridge beginning at the edge of the flood-plain and ending at the foot of State St. as it was usually called. Later that was replaced by a steel and concrete "dry bridge." These permitted the spring freshet flood waters to get away from the meadows.

From the end of the dry bridge to the entrance of the covered river bridge the road was on top of an embankment level with the Church Corner end of the road. South of this high road was a low road (maybe Pitkin St. now) that crossed the bottom of the meadow and then climbed a short steep ramp up to the bridge approach.

We knew every inch of the capital even the observation place at the top of the dome. We used to fondle the civil war field-piece on the first floor and the two big cannons between the north entrance of the capitol and the river. Guess there's no river there now. All underground. How we wished we could load those cannons and teach them off!

Since the dikes were constructed to hold out the floods the flood plains have been developed for business and residence.

Another "low road" crossed the meadow northerly by entering about in line with the road of Barrade Ave. These "low roads" were easier on the horse than the deep sticky mud on the boulevard.

O.C. remembers numerous trips when the water was almost up to the horse's belly all across the meadow roads. To the north the railroad also had to have a long open trestle to let the flood through.

There was no business or buildings along the boulevard except a couple stacks that had the back ends supported on posts. A few families lived in

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## GARDENING

By FRANK ATWOOD



Rustic basket is nailed together by Frank Perleone, 78, in outdoor workshop at his home on Irving St. Decorated basket in background was borrowed from Woodland Gardens, nearby. (Herald photo by Pinto)

Francesco Perleone came from Italy to Connecticut in 1912 when he was 15 years old. Now 78 and retired, he supplies local garden centers with most of the rustic baskets they decorate for sale. He has made about 500 baskets this year.

His work begins in early spring when he goes into swamps to cut alder and willow. His son-in-law provides pieces of board from used shipping crates which Mr. Perleone uses to make the bases for his baskets. Each has eight sides.

The alder stems are sawed into six-inch pieces, some an inch in diameter and others down to half that size. He begins to build the basket by nailing four of the heavier sticks, laid flat, on the base board in a square.

The next four sticks are nailed cornerwise to the four sticks on the bottom, completing the eight-sides shape, and he continues in this way until the basket is four sticks high. Each new row is placed a little farther from the center than the row below it so that the sides slope outward slightly.

A piece of willow, bent into a half-circle when it is green and pliable and then nailed to the basket at each end, forms a handle. Mr. Perleone is a careful workman and his baskets are firm and hold their handles are nicely balanced.

Used On Holidays

Most of the demand for baskets comes from Memorial Day and then again before Christmas. When decorated, at a garden center, they are sold for use in cemeteries, on patios or doorsteps. Garden center operators who know Mr. Perleone's work come by his house to get baskets and he has all the business he can handle.

At the garden center the basket is lined with foil and then filled with soil. Evergreen branches are thrust into the soil and trimmed to make a desirable closely packed appearance. Balsam is preferred, at least by some decorators, because it holds its needles well, and balsam branches are purchased by the truckload from Vermont.

Native laurel twigs sometimes sprayed with silver paint, natural cones of various kinds, and artificial flowers such as red poinsettia, are used as accents.

Left outdoors, the soil in the basket is moistened by rain and snow and the evergreens should keep their fresh appearance for some weeks.

Some purchasers take their baskets home from the cemetery or bring them in from the doorstep in the spring and redecorate them for Easter.

Increased interest in hanging plants has provided a use for the baskets between holiday seasons, but Mr. Perleone recommends using a wire to hold the weight of the basket and a plant when they are used for this purpose. The willow handle, as the wood dries, may become brittle and break.

Eventually the alder sticks will dry out, too, and may split where nails have been driven through them. It is time then to start with a new basket.

Also, Susana MacDougall, 20 St. Lawrence St.; Andrew Lanier, 83 Lewis Dr., South Windsor; Frances Francis, Somers; Patricia Hughes, RFD 2, Coventry; Leslie Kessel, 177 W. Center St.; Lucy Prevost, 28 Dart Hill Rd., South Windsor; Michael Repoli Jr., Amston; William Wade, Hartford; Also, David LeBreux, 571 Graham Rd., South Windsor; David Shirshac, Columbia; Matthew McIntosh, Chaplin; John Hickey, Lebanon; Patrick Bradley, Mark Dr., Coventry.

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## Bids Due on Dec. 19 For Uniform Rental

Bids will be opened Dec. 19 in the Municipal Building for a uniform rental service, under a two-year contract, for 25 Manchester employees — 18 at the Sewage Treatment Plant on Olcott St. and 7 maintenance department workers at Lincoln Center.

To be furnished each man are shirts, pants and coats, with the cost to be shared by the town and the men, under terms of a union agreement.

The National Fire Protection Association urges everyone to keep fire safety high on the list of things to remember during the holiday season.

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## ALMANAC

By United Press International

Today is Friday, Dec. 6, the 340th day of 1974 with 25 to follow. The moon is in its last quarter. The morning stars are Mercury, Mars and Saturn.

The evening stars are Venus and Jupiter.

Those born on this date are under the sign of Sagittarius.

American poet Joyce Kilmer was born Dec. 6, 1892.

On this day in history:

In 1917, a total of 1,650 persons died when a Belgian relief ship and a French munitions vessel collided and exploded in the harbor at Halifax, Nova Scotia.

In 1933, Americans crowded into liquor stores, bars and cafes to buy their first legal alcoholic beverages in 13 years.

In 1941, President Franklin D. Roosevelt sent a message to Japanese Emperor Hirohito expressing a hope that gathering war clouds would be dispelled. Japan attacked Pearl Harbor the following day.

In 1943, Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower became commander-in-chief of "Operation Overload" — code name for the forthcoming invasion of the European continent, almost totally occupied at that time by the armies of Nazi Germany.

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OBITUARIES

MS. Mary Wierzbicki, 79, of 74 North St. was found dead Thursday at her home by her son, Henry Wierzbicki of Manchester.

Mrs. Wierzbicki was born in Poland and had lived in Manchester for 62 years. She worked for many years at the Orford Soap Co. before it closed in 1959.

She was a communicant of St. John's Polish National Catholic Church and a member of its Sodality of the Blessed Sacrament. She also belonged to the Polish National Union of America Branch 183 of Manchester.

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Friends may call at the funeral home tonight from 7 to 9. A prayer service will be held at 7:30 at the funeral home.

Joseph F. Obremski TOLLAND—Joseph F. Obremski, 63, of Waterbury died Thursday in St. Mary's Hospital, Waterbury. He was the father of Joseph Obremski of Tolland.

He was an Army veteran of World War II and had been employed by a tire company before his retirement. He is also survived by his wife, a daughter, and two grandchildren.

Funeral services are Saturday at 10 a.m. at the Burial Home, 76 Prospect St., Rockville. Burial will be at the convenience of the family.

There are no calling hours.

R.F. Starkweather Sr. Funeral services for Raymond F. Starkweather Sr., 183 Woodbridge St., who died Thursday at Manchester. Burial will be at St. John's Polish National Catholic Church at 9 a.m. The Rev. Felix Davis, pastor of Second Congregational Church, will officiate. Burial will be in Buckland Cemetery.

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Seniors Raise \$1,500 at Fair

Hundreds of shoppers crowded the Manchester Senior Citizens Center Thursday for its Craft and Food Fair. About \$1,500 was raised during the fair to help defray the expenses of the food program at the center. Senior citizens

State School Aid Plan Includes Minimum Base

HARTFORD (UPI)—A state commission studying ways to reform public education financing has been told the state should guarantee municipalities a minimum financial base for their schools. The proposal, which would have Connecticut assume 35 per cent of the total cost of public education in the state rather than the present 28 per cent, was filed Thursday by a team of New York consultants.

Connecticut ranks near the bottom nationally in the amount of financial aid it provides for its school systems. The national average is 40 per cent, according to Prof. Donna A. Schalala of Columbia University, head of the consultant team. The state now allots a flat grant per each student enrolled in a public school, and makes available other funds for special education programs.

Mrs. Shalala said the proposal would give all cities and towns equal help, but large cities would receive additional funds because they have larger numbers of educationally disadvantaged students. In cities the state would pick up 100 per cent of the cost of remedial education programs, and would provide additional funds for each student identified as being disadvantaged.

The consultants also said a statewide system of tax assessments may have to be implemented to insure all property in the state is assessed using the same regulations. At present each municipality conducts its own property assessments. The consultants said, for example, that a \$30,000 house in one town might be valued at \$20,000 in another.

STANFORD, Calif. (UPI)—By swimming in schools, fish of the same size, and age save their energy, and was reported here. The fish swimming just behind and on each side of the leading fish gain forward motion without fighting its back.

Roche Apologizes, Says Data Wrong

VERNON Apologizing for a statement he issued concerning members of a Fire Study Committee, Vernon's Democratic Town Chairman, James Roche said "I deeply regret any discomfort or embarrassment I may have caused the persons involved." In a statement issued last week Roche commented that one member of a committee appointed to study fire department needs was not a registered voter in town and that another was not a taxpayer.

In his apology Roche said he subsequently found out that his information was not correct. Based on the information available to him when he issued the statement, Roche said the make-up of the committee was not representative of the community. The town records show that the members are registered voters and are taxpayers.

AREA POLICE REPORT

VERNON Robert Götter, 21, of Götter Rd., Tolland, was charged Thursday with failure to pass left of a parked car in connection with the investigation of an accident on W. Main St., Rockville.

Police said Götter struck a parked car owned by Mary Hopewick of Legion Dr., Rockville. Both cars had to be towed from the scene. Götter is scheduled to appear in Circuit Court 12, Rockville, Jan. 7.

Richard Wiese, 20, of 325 Kelly Rd., Vernon, was arrested Thursday on a warrant issued by Circuit Court 12 charging him with issuing a bad check. He was turned over to the Manchester Police Department.

Peter Minor, 23, of 431 Lydell St., Manchester, was charged early today with intoxication and disorderly conduct in connection with the investigation of a disturbance in a Rockville parking lot.

He was released on a \$100 non-surety bond for appearance in Circuit Court 12, Rockville, Dec. 17.

Ronald Shaw, 5 Pentfield Ave., and Cheryl Artz, Deepwood Dr., all of Vernon. They are scheduled to appear in Circuit Court 12, Rockville, Jan. 7.

Manhattan College Students Arrested Following Melee FAIRFIELD (UPI)—Eight Manhattan College students were arrested early today on charges that included burglary after a campus party that ended in a fight with security guards at Fairfield University.

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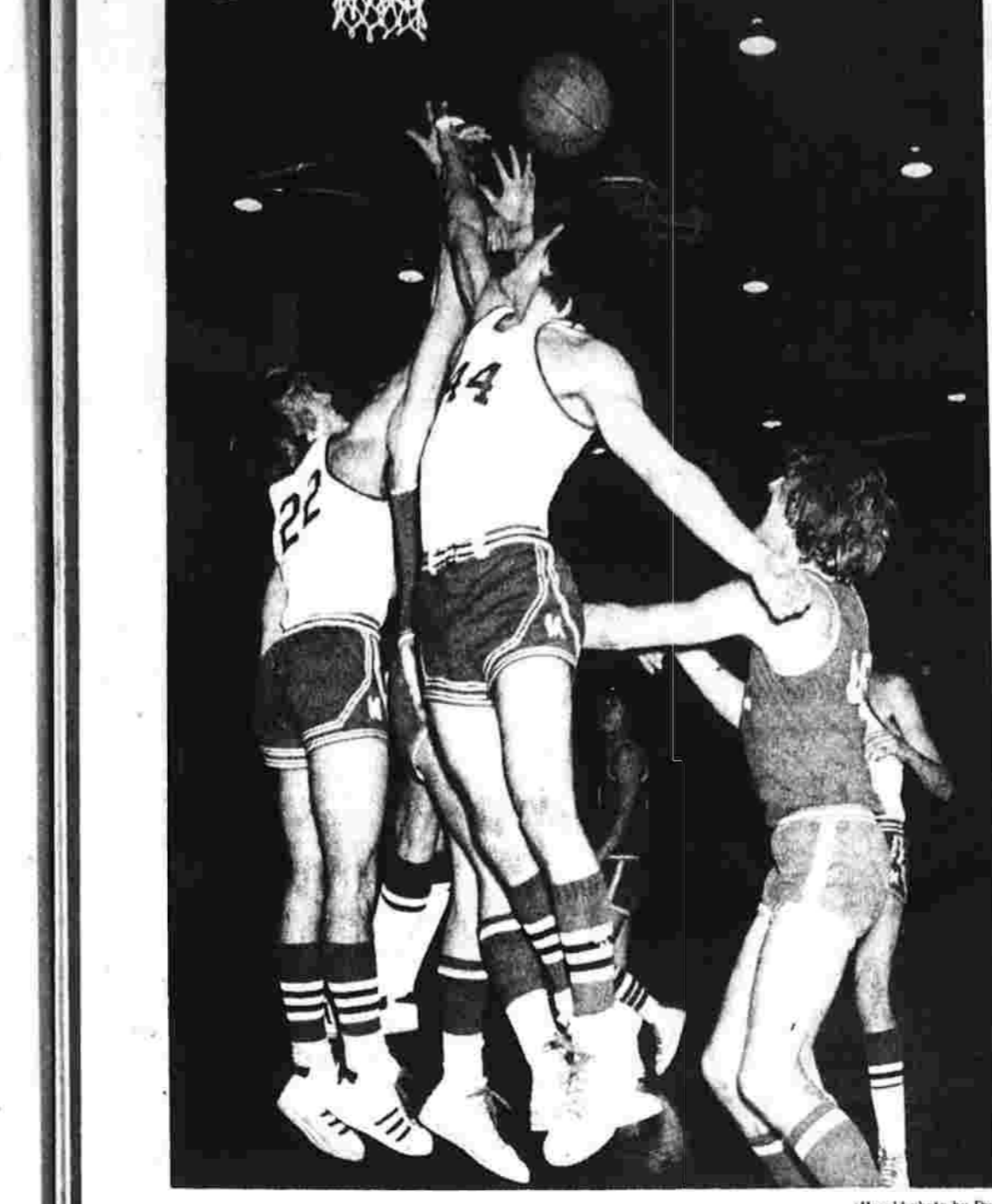
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Engaged in Battle of Arms for Basketball John Koepsel (22) and Mark Demko (44) of Indians Soar High

THE HERALD ANGLE

By Earl Yost Sports Editor

Notes from the Little Black Book

Can spring be just around the corner? The Boston Red Sox have announced a 31-game exhibition schedule with 15 home games at Fenway Park in Winter Haven starting March 7. The pre-season slate ends April 6 and two days later the club opens at Fenway park against Hank Aaron and the Milwaukee Brewers.

Here 'N There

Bill Macdermott, head football coach at Wesleyan, addressed the Manchester High football squad at its annual dinner this week which was sponsored by our Manchester businessmen. Minor league baseball players are seeking an increase in daily food allowance from \$5 to \$6.50 for Class A, \$6 to \$7.50 for Double A and \$7.50 to \$10 in Triple A.

One-Night Visit

Word of Jimmy Braddock's death in New Jersey last week brought to mind the night the former world's heavyweight boxing champ came to Manchester to serve as a guest referee on one of Red Men's boxing cards, The UConn-Rhode Island basketball game at Storrs on Saturday, Dec. 14 will start at 2 o'clock and will be telecast by Channel 3.

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Indians Present New Coach With First Hoop Triumph

By Len Auster Making a successful debut under new coach Doug Pearson, Manchester High hustled and defended its way to a 56-39 victory over Rockville High last night at Clarke Arena before a wildly enthusiastic crowd of 1,000.

The attendance was the largest in five years for a regular season game according to Ted Martin, faculty manager. Six-foot-three junior Mike Quessel came off the bench after starting center Bob Oelberg ran into early foul trouble and paced the Indians with 14 points and a bushel of rebounds. As announced, Pearson substituted freely using 10 players, eight of whom scored. Mark Demko popped in 10 markers and Ray Sullivan eight. Senior reserve guard Jack Maloney netted six points and more importantly had seven assists directing the patient Indian attack expertly.

"I really can't single anybody out," a happy Pearson commented, "Everybody played well defensively and that's where we won it. Our defense won the game for us and considering it was our first game I'm really pleased." Whether it was Manchester's pressure man-to-man defense or its own ability, Rockville was ice cold shooting. The Central Valley Conference member Rams connected on just 18 of 58 floor shots and an atrocious three of 20 from the charity stripe. Backcourtman Jeff Smith tied for game-high honors with 14 markers with Mike Marshall adding 10 points.

Cougars Court Mark Square

Bouncing back from an opening setback, the Manchester Community College basketball team evened its mark with a 90-56 win over Northwestern Connecticut College at Cheney Tech. Backcourtman Curt Iverson paced the Cougars with a game-high 28 points and five steals along with nine rebounds. Also doing well in a reserve role was 5-11 Peter Leber with six points and three caroms

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In the Jefferson County police department's youth boxing tournament Wednesday night, Marshall scored a third-round technical knockout over 7-year-old Willie "Pickles" Gray with a right-hand haymaker that dumped the little guy on the seat of his trunks.

Marshall, a blonde, freckle-faced 11-year-old, has only one problem—living down the nickname of "Slissy." That name just doesn't fit a boxer.

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# O'Malley Proposal Rocks Baseball Interests

NEW ORLEANS (UPI) — If the city fathers of Seattle, Toronto, New Orleans and Washington finally deliver major league baseball franchises to the local folks back home, they can thank a man who isn't even here at the winter baseball meetings—Gary Davidson.

It was Davidson, the ubiquitous founder of the fledgling, floundering but still very much existing ABA, WHA and WFL who undoubtedly spawned Walter O'Malley's master plan to save baseball from the same dollar war that is eroding pro football, hockey and basketball.

O'Malley, the 67-year-old board chairman of the Los Angeles Dodgers, sensing an energetic entrepreneur like Davidson grasping at yet another new league idea—this one complete with domed stadium in at least two cities—offered a proposal that rocked the baseball establishment into taking a definitive course regarding expansion and the existing headaches in the Baltimore and San Francisco Bay areas.

According to the O'Malley proposal the major league club owners have only two ways to turn to avoid the intrusion of a "World Baseball League."

The first would be for the major leagues to buy the attendance-plagued Baltimore Orioles and Oakland A's franchises, shift them to Washington and Seattle, respectively, and sell them to local ownerships.

As an alternative, the second O'Malley "grand plan" called for a third major league comprised of teams from New Orleans and Seattle (with their Domes), Buffalo, Denver, Toronto and Washington—which would compete on an equal parity for playoff and world series play after an initial four or five year "growing up" period.

Baseball Commissioner Bowie Kuhn, while attempting to neatly placate the eager city fathers from Seattle, Toronto and the host city all bidding hard here for immediate major league status, intimated the O'Malley plans have spurred the usually staid baseball owners into serious talks concerning expansion and the problems in Baltimore and the Bay Area.

"We have formed an interleague committee to consider the various suggestions in regard to future cities," Kuhn said Thursday night. "The O'Malley plan in regard to the creation of a new league will be among those discussed."

The fact that both the American and National Leagues have unprecedentedly agreed to work jointly on the matter must be considered a positive sign for the future franchise hopefuls.

At least one major league team found some time to deal with the present amid all the future expansion and franchise-shifting talk. That was the Texas Rangers who reeled off a pair of player deals, the most significant bringing 34-year-old Willie Davis, a \$110,000 per-year centerfielder, from Montreal for 23-year-old infield prospect Pete MacKanin and right-hander Don Stanhouse. Davis, despite his advanced age, still managed to hit .295 in 153 games this year with 12 homers and 88 runs-batted-in. "Willie has got to be the fastest 34-year-old in America," said Expos' General Manager Jim Fanning of his departing outfielder.

In addition to Davis, the Rangers, who had only one quality left-handed starter on their roster in David Clyde, picked up southpaw Clyde Wright, a 20-game loser in 1974, from Milwaukee for right-hander Pete Broberg.

The only other trade of the day saw 26-year-old utility infielder Eddie Leon move from the Chicago White Sox to the New York Yankees for relief pitcher Cecil Upshaw.

The owners were still expected to approve a second interleague trading period for the spring, and while the current one is due to expire at 12 midnight (EST), reports have the Kansas City Royals offering centerfielder Amos Otis around for some form of player deals, and those ever-busy Orioles talking up a three-way deal with the Twins and Giants that would send designated hitter Tony Oliva from Minnesota to Baltimore, pitchers Don Hood and Wayne Garland from Baltimore to San Francisco, and outfielder Gary Thomsom and third baseman Ed Gooden crossing over from San Francisco to Minnesota.

# Williams, Trinity Defenders Named

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COMMERCIAL - Lee Prior 107-358, Jack Goldberg 146-143, Andy Tompellegato 135-163, 418, Lamoureux 138-140-383, John Bremser 156-351, Fred Riccio 140, Walt Lawrence 143-382, Tony Vaccaro 146-140-409, John Fox 136-350, Rick Farrell 137-361, Rick Nicola 135-392, Charles Clapper 141-351, Al Napolitano 250, Bud Wickham 354, Mike Kozak 353, Henry Matteson 352, Rick Johnson 379, Carl Hujavics 357, Jim Mangalongo Sr. 354, Fred Oakes 366.

INDUSTRIAL - Dennis Helford 200, Roland Smith 217-561, Bill Avery 211-213-594, Jeff Baker 211, Tom Alarman 113-233-276, Larry Davis 213, Len Doolittle 214, Ed Youkiss 202, Gene Wildes 213, Dan Frailer 201, Barry Pinney 212-558, John Savino 211, Terry Sheppard 208-245-832, Jack Judore 215-200-505, Stan Pilska 551, Mac Segar 366.

SENIOR - Behind the scoring output of Tim Coughlin (31), Jon Oudenhove (28) and Ben Gryzb (24), Moriarty Brothers overwhelmed Langton W.V. 121-69, last night at Illing Junior High in Senior Basketball League action. George Jay had 24 markers for the losers with Paul Riccio and George Brook adding 22 and 15 respectively.

Rec Volleyball National Division Standings

Watkins	12 3
Kander Fuel	9 3
Conn. Bank & Trust	9 3
Fantastiks	10 5
Lloyd's Auto Parts	0 15

American Division Standings

ABA Totals	12 3
Latvians	10 5
Pratt/Walney	4 11
Lakewood Club	2 13
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Week's Results: Fantastiks 3, Lloyd's ABA 3, P.W. 0, C.I. Lakewood 0; Watkins 2; Kastlen 1; Latvians 3, North Enders 0.

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Mrs. Alyce Rawlins of 66 Waranoke Rd. was a panelist Thursday for one of the topics covered by the two-day conference, "Focus on Programs for the Gifted, Talented and Creative," held at the Hartford Hilton Hotel. The conference concludes today.



**Bermuda**

### Roach Will Face Evasion Charge

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### Barry Presses for I-84 Link

State Sen.-elect David Barry of Manchester, pressing for completion of a link between the local segment of Interstate 84 and other nearby expressways, says he is investigating the possibility of legislative action to speed up the project.

### POLICE REPORT

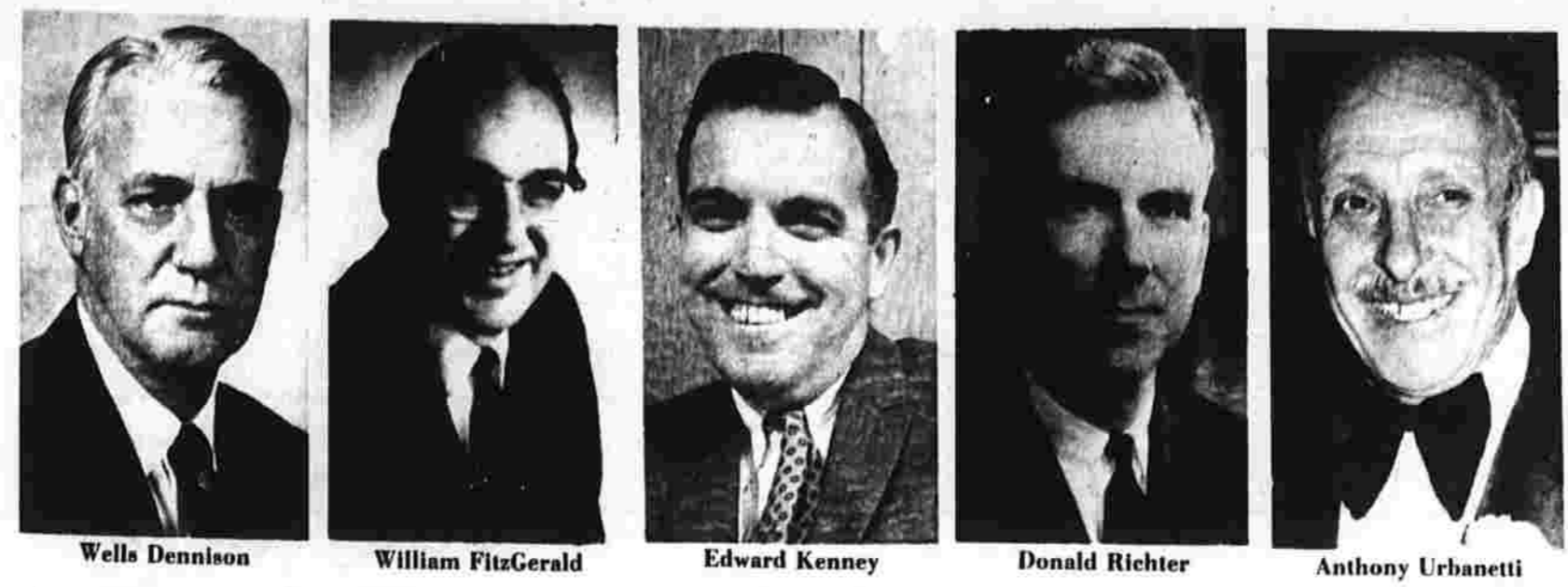
**MANCHESTER**  
Nilda R. Denbard, 25, and Jose Santos Puentes, 35, both of Hartford were arrested Thursday at 9:31 p.m. in Child's department store on Tolland Tpk. and charged with third-degree larceny, police said.

### Silent 'Wow' Greeted Tree

NEW YORK (UPI) — Seven-year-old Giuletta Romano liked the show pretty much, but when the lights of Rockefeller Center's 90-foot Christmas tree went on, her jaw dropped, her eyes bulged and she mouthed a silent "wow."

### ABOUT TOWN

Manchester Garden Club will have a Christmas party Monday at 6:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Douglas Roberts, 802 Bolton Rd., Vernon. Mrs. Joseph Sullivan is in charge of reservations.



Wells Dennison, William FitzGerald, Edward Kenney, Donald Richter, Anthony Urbanetti, Margaret Geyer

### First Federal Names Manchester Advisory Board

The First Federal Savings and Loan Association of East Hartford — which is opening a Manchester branch tomorrow, has named a six-member advisory board for the local office.

### BUSINESS

### Newport Naval Base Could Be Recycled

PROVIDENCE, R.I. (UPI) — Two New York developers and a shipbuilder have proposed a plan for the reuse of surplus Navy lands in Rhode Island of which a shipbuilding operation would be the major industry.

### Mr. Steak

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Season's Greetings ARBY'S ROAST BEEF  
287 BROAD STREET MANCHESTER, CONN.

### Girl Sees Thieves Carry Away Stereo

These breaks have been reported to police:  
A 12-year-old girl on her way home from school Thursday at 12:40 p.m. saw three young males carrying her family's stereo away from her home on Congress St., police said.

### Bermuda Trip Awaits Raffle Winner

Campbell Council of the Knights of Columbus is sponsoring a raffle with a top prize of a trip to Bermuda.

### Employees Warned Don't Take Gifts

This is the time of year when Manchester's town managers, dating back to 1947 when the town charter was adopted, remind town employees of the traditional ban against accepting any gifts from people they do business with, or have contact with on town business.

### are you a lucky one...

Hundreds of people in the area received their Christmas Club checks from Manchester State Bank... as a bonus they received "FREE" the last payment on their club... how about you?  
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### Doar Feels Tape Airing Unnecessary

NEW HAVEN (UPI) — John Doar, the House Judiciary Committee's counsel during its impeachment procedures, said Thursday he was disappointed with the court ruling allowing public broadcast of Richard M. Nixon's Watergate tapes.

### Holiday Specials AT BLAU'S RECLINERS

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BUSINESS

Jobless Benefit Claims Increase in Manchester

Claims for unemployment compensation filed in Manchester increased to a weekly average of 1,856 for the two-week period ended Nov. 30, according to the state Labor Department.

average of 65,108 claims weekly. Initial claims were 11,994 and continued claims were 53,204.

National Reports Similar

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Unemployment insurance rolls swelled by 215,600 across the country in mid-November, the government said Thursday.

The Labor Department statement painted more gloom on the nation's dark economic picture and official November unemployment figures, but today were expected to hit their highest levels since 1961.

In Thursday's report, Labor officials said 2,436,200 persons received unemployment insurance benefits for the week ended Nov. 16 — up 215,600 from the previous week.

Higher numbers were reported in 48 states and Washington, D.C.

The national unemployment rate for October was 5.5 million persons or 6 per cent of the non-farm labor force. Many of those do not qualify for unemployment insurance.

The unemployment rate could rise to as high as 6.3 per cent for November when the figures are released Friday since each one-tenth of 1 per cent generally translates to 90,000 unemployed.

The unemployment rate in the nation has not passed 6 per cent since October, 1961, when it reached 6.1.

Extended Benefits Expected

Joint federal and state extended benefits under the unemployment insurance program are expected to become effective later this month, State Labor Commissioner Jack Fusari said Thursday.

"This means that those workers who will have exhausted their regular benefits, who are still unemployed and whose benefit year remains in effect may be entitled to apply for up to 13 additional weeks beyond the current 26-week maximum period," Fusari said.

Workers who qualify for extended benefits will receive the same weekly amount, including dependency allowances, provided under the regular unemployment compensation program, Fusari said.

The extended benefit program is triggered when the rate of insured unemployment is at least four per cent for a 13-week period and is more than 120 per cent of the two-year average.

It is anticipated that both factors will apply on Dec. 21, the first time since 1972 that the extended benefit program has been effective in Connecticut, Fusari said.

Claims for extended benefits will be accepted at all local offices of the state Labor Department early in January, he said, because of a three-week waiting period.

Fusari also said Thursday he has asked Gov. Thomas Meskill to apply for a \$25 million, interest-free loan from the federal government to assure adequate funds for paying both regular and extended claims.

Under the extended benefit program, the state is obligated to pay all claims and later receive 50 per cent reimbursement from the federal government.

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### Town Names Group To Study Dump ANDOVER

Donna Holland  
Correspondent  
646-0375

At a special meeting at noon Thursday at the Town Office Building the Board of Selectmen appointed 10 residents to a landfill disposal area committee.



### Vernon Students See Glassblowing

Of all the colonial crafts, glassblowing is perhaps the most fascinating. Glassblower Peter Esak held students at the Lake Street School spillout, as he fashioned delicate little animals and other articles out of solid and hollow glass tubes.

Other Business  
The selectmen appointed Helen Donahue to the bicentennial committee.

### Bicentennial Workers Come Forth

VERNON  
A reorganizational meeting of the Vernon Bicentennial Commission Thursday night some 25 persons attended to volunteer for the making plans for the town's bicentennial celebration.

Eden, who said he will take the chairmanship of the commission if no one else volunteers, is planning to appoint three sub-chairmen to oversee three basic theme areas.

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VERNON  
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The Bolton Volunteer Fire Department will once again sponsor its annual fund raiser of selling Christmas trees freshly cut from 10 to 11 a.m.

### Elderly Facing Hike in Rents

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The rising costs of utility and heating bills made it necessary for the Vernon Housing Authority Thursday afternoon to approve a proposal to raise the rents in the town's housing projects for the elderly.

At Thursday's meeting plans for the federal projects the maximum amount that can be charged has been \$75 per month from \$66.

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ESTATE OF JENNIE COOK PITKIN  
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### LEGAL NOTICES

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G. PONTICELLI - Subdivision plan in Zone B - Bolliar Street - Approved with modifications.

CHARLES G. HOLLAND ET AL - Zone change from Industrial zoning north side Tolland Turnpike - Approved and adopted. Effective December 9, 1974.

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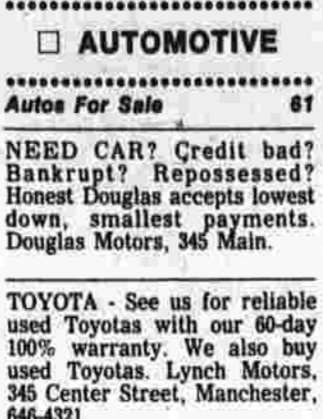
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THEY'RE ALL THE STYLE, GRANDPA!

**BY AL VERMEER**  
PACHES!!  
WHAT WAS THE STYLISH WHEN YOU WERE MY AGE?

**BY ART SANSO**  
THE BORN LOSER  
I SHOT AN ARROW INTO THE AIR...  
...IT NEVER CAME DOWN.  
THAT'S AIR POLLUTION, BOY!

**ALLEY OOP**  
THEY'RE GONE!  
YES... AND FROM THE LOOKS OF IT THEY MUST'VE WEASELLED THEIR TENTS SOME TIME AGO!

**BY ROLSTON JONES and FRANK RIDGEWAY**  
MR. ABERNATHY  
I HATE IT WHEN MY BUTLER TAKES THE DRY OFF.  
DON'T OTHER MEMBERS OF THE HOUSEHOLD HELP OUT?  
OH, SURE...  
...BUT NOT ALWAYS THE RIGHT ONES.

**WINTHROP**  
WHAT WAS THE SCHOOL LUNCH MENU TODAY?  
IT WAS GREAT!

**BY DICK CAVALLI**  
WINTHROP  
PEPPERONI PIZZA, FRENCH FRIES, CHOCOLATE ICE CREAM, AND CHERRY SODA.  
WHEN I EAT THERE, THEY HAVE MACARONI SALAD AND FRUIT JUICE.

**SHORT RIBS**  
ARE YOU GOING TO JUMP THE SNAKE RIVER, MR. GRAVEL KNIVEL?  
NO.

**BY FRANK ONEAL**  
SHORT RIBS  
THAT'S BEEN TRIED. I'M GOING TO JUMP THE GRAND CANYON.  
BUT I'M GOING TO DO IT MY WAY! HOW?  
I'M GOING TO JUMP IT LENGTHWISE.

**BUZZ SAWYER**  
I DON'T WANT TO ALARM TRUPPY, BUT I DON'T THINK ALL THESE BATS AND THINGS JUST HAPPENED...

**BY ROY CRANE**  
BUZZ SAWYER  
SUCH AS WHAT, FINNET?  
DON'T KNOW, THAT'S WHY I'VE ASKED YOU TO COME, WE PAID A BUNDLE FOR THIS PLACE BUZZ, MAYBE SOMEBODY'S TRYING TO RUN US OFF.

**CAPTAIN EASY**  
EITHER THIS STATUE OF UNCLE CHICKAWAG GOES... OR I TAKE A HAMMER TO IT... I'LL MAKE MYSELF CLEAR?!

**BY MILTON CANIFF**  
CAPTAIN EASY  
PERFECTLY, MR. GLUCK! TWO NICES AND THREE NEPHEWS HAVE ALREADY DECLINED THE INHERITANCE - WOULD YOU BE THE FOURTH?  
BLAZES! I HOPE YOU'RE NOT MAKING A MISTAKE ABOUT THIS!

**STEVE CANYON**  
WE HAVE JUST LEARNED THE STORY BEHIND THE WINNING FORWARD PASS BY A GIRL IN THE MARCH SCOTSD STATE GAME!

**BY HANA-BARBERA**  
STEVE CANYON  
WHEN LEIGHTON OLSON DID NOT GO OUT FOR FOOTBALL DUE TO HIS NEWLY FORMED STUDY SCHEDULE...  
HE SUGGESTED TO THE MANAGER COACH THAT THEY LEAN THE STORY OF HIS TEACHING MS. SCHWEISBERGER TO HIS!

**THE FLINTSTONES**  
SATURDAY?... I THOUGHT CLIPPING GETTING JUNE!

**BY HANA-BARBERA**  
THE FLINTSTONES  
HE SAID JUNE MAY BE TOO LATE!  
...HE'S LOSING HIS HAIR!...

**WIN AT BRIDGE**  
Bidding review assists play

**By Oswald & James Jacoby**  
WIN AT BRIDGE  
The R in the code word ARCH stands for Review the Bidding. Usually it is the least important of the four code letters, but there are times it becomes all important.  
South ruffs the second spade. If he is the least bit careless, he will wind up losing two club tricks. He'll complain about the bad luck that placed both the king and jack in the West hand, but to no avail.  
A careful South will Review the bidding and mark West with the king of clubs and find a way to make the hand even though West also holds the jack and one.

**CARD SOLVER**  
The bidding has been:  
West North East South  
1♠ Pass Pass 1♠  
2♠ Pass Pass 2♠  
3♠ Pass Pass 3♠  
4♠ Pass Pass 4♠  
5♠ Pass Pass 5♠  
6♠ Pass Pass 6♠  
7♠ Pass Pass 7♠

**ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE**  
31 F for fear that  
42 City of France  
55 Great Lake  
66 - O'Casey  
96 - Moore.

**STAR GAZER**  
BY CLAY R. POLLAN  
Your Daily Activity Guide  
According to the Stars,  
To develop messages for Saturday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

**LIBRA**  
SEPT. 23 - OCT. 23  
OCT. 24 - NOV. 21  
NOV. 22 - DEC. 21

**SCORPIO**  
OCT. 22 - NOV. 21  
NOV. 22 - DEC. 21

**SAGITTARIUS**  
NOV. 22 - DEC. 21  
DEC. 22 - JAN. 19

**CAPRICORN**  
DEC. 22 - JAN. 19  
JAN. 20 - FEB. 18

**AQUARIUS**  
JAN. 20 - FEB. 18  
FEB. 19 - MAR. 20

**PISCES**  
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Toys for the Town's Needy Children

Sgt. Gerald Calve, left, and Officer Jon Hawthorne are helping Santa bring bags and boxes of toys to the Child and Family Services at 110 Main

St. for distribution to deserving children. The project is sponsored by the Manchester Police Union No. 1465. The Police Union is also providing

toys to the Town Welfare Department and to the Headstart Program. (Herald photo by Pinto)

## U.S. Power Base in Europe Shifting to West Germany

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The U.S.-West German alliance may have replaced the Anglo-American partnership as Washington's power base in Western Europe — the result of talks between President Ford and West Germany's Chancellor Helmut Schmidt.

U.S. officials spoke of the relationship established by the two leaders in the White House talks Thursday and Friday in almost euphoric terms. Arthur Hartman, assistant secretary of state for European affairs, talked of a "turning point."

The two leaders issued a joint statement at the White House Friday that spoke in 1,000 words of agreements on joint efforts to

solve inflation, energy, East-West disarmament and virtually all other major global issues — and not one syllable of disagreement.

In World War II the United States and Britain formed a "special relationship," as a diplomat called it, that lasted until the fall of British power and the rise of European Common Market independence.

The recent political problems among the Marley's nine members plus Schmidt's skepticism over European political unity combined with American policy to produce the unexpected success of the Schmidt-Ford talks.

Duty to Lead  
Speaking for the Ford administration to

newsmen in a White House briefing Friday, Hartman said the two richest and most powerful members of the Atlantic community have almost a duty to lead in partnership — especially when faced with such global problems as inflation and the oil shortage.

"We believe that the example of these talks and the degree of agreement shown in this joint statement is something that we would hope that others in both the developed and less developed world — and indeed among the producers — would take as a guide to their thinking and activities," Hartman said.

Significant Document  
Diplomats said they would have to go back to the 1950s to find in transatlantic relations perhaps as significant a document of partnership as set by Ford and Schmidt.

It was not any single new idea in the communique, it was the completeness of it.

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## New Arms Pact Changes U.S. Weapon Priorities

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Defense Secretary James R. Schlesinger says one result of the Vladivostok arms accord is that the United States will begin to dismantle land-based missiles and buy more bombers and submarines to replace them.

Schlesinger told a news conference Friday that the Minuteman missiles buried in silos across the Midwest will become increasingly vulnerable as the Soviets start deploying multibanded missiles next year that can be aimed at more of the Minute Men.

More Bombers and Subs  
Schlesinger said this spending would go up as a result of adding bombers and missile submarines.

To avoid the vulnerability of the Minutemen — for many years the first line "near deterrent" — Schlesinger said, "an increasing share of U.S. forces will move to sea and there will be more bombers than anticipated."

Schlesinger said earlier in the week that U.S. spending on nuclear arms would remain nearly constant under the agreement he negotiated in principle with Soviet leader Leonid Brezhnev, raising only because of inflation.

Former White House domestic affairs adviser John D. Ehrlichman proposed calling Bittman as part of his defense at the Watergate conspiracy trial. But when neither the prosecution nor the defense would vouch for Bittman's credibility and Judge Sirica called him as a "court witness."

Judge Has Questions  
After Bittman left the stand and the jury retired, Sirica, who has previously raised questions about the motive behind payments of \$400,000 to the original Watergate defendants, said the testimony had gone "to the heart of the matter."

**WEATHER**  
Mostly cloudy and mild this afternoon with highs in the mid to upper 60s. Cloudy tonight with lows in the mid to upper 50s. Becoming windy Sunday with rain developing and highs again in the 60s.

## Democrats Move To Adopt Reforms

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (UPI) — The Democratic party put aside its blood feuds of the last six years and moved today to cement reforms into the first written constitution adopted by a major U.S. political party.

The 2,035 delegates to the first-ever Democratic mid-term convention Friday night gave a roaring vote of confidence to their congressional leaders' proposals for dealing with inflation and recession.

Shout Adoption  
They shouted into adoption a resolution calling for strong controls on wages, prices, profits and rents and urging public service jobs, easier credit, mandatory energy conservation, tax reform, national health insurance and no-fault auto insurance.

Peace and harmony were the keynotes of the opening day. As if to emphasize that new-found unity, party chairman Robert S. Strauss scheduled Sen. George

McGovern — who presided over the party's worst presidential disaster of the century in 1972 — as one of the first speakers at today's session.

Consider its Charter  
The main business of the meeting was consideration of a 6,300-word Democratic Charter drafted earlier two years ago by a 187-member party commission.

Reform and regular factions fought bitterly over the language, suspicious that each phrase might give the enemy an edge in the struggle for control that has wracked the party since 1968.

At the opening session of the mini-convention, Democrats who barely have spoken for years appeared together on the platform with a beaming Strauss, who cried in a lectern-pounding speech, "The Democratic party is almost home. We are almost home and we are going home united."

And while there was some open opposi-

tion to his carefully constructed plans to demonstrate harmony, no one really got mad.

Rivalry Long-Standing  
The intraparty rivalry between the Democrats who had dominated the party since his salad days of the 1930s and 1940s and the reformist element that seized control two years ago remained just below the surface on the convention floor in Kansas City's aging but still grand auditorium arena.

But responding to the repeated warnings of leaders that continued public squabbling would ruin the party's chances of regaining the White House, delegates seemed content to make their arguments, cast their votes and accept the results.

Plea For Unity  
Terry Sanford, former governor of North Carolina and chairman of the charter commission, opened the debate with yet another plea for unity. "Can the Democratic Party eliminate the internal squabbles that have caused us to lose — and then move on to plan for the good of this nation ...? I say we can I say we must!" He said the draft charter would provide "an open party" with "room for vigorous new ideas and room for the wisdom of seasoned warriors."

The bulk of the draft charter was non-controversial, simply restating long-time party rules and practices in legal form. But several sections were concessions to reformers' insistent demands to open the party to new voices, and convention floor fights appeared certain.

## Nursing Association Given \$13,742 Grant

Manchester Public Health Nursing Association (MPHNA) has been awarded a grant of \$13,742 by the Hartford Foundation for Public Giving.

Under the terms of the grant, which was announced today, \$8,742 will go toward a special education program for the MPHNA staff nurses. The remaining \$5,000 will be used for the purchase of desks, chairs and office equipment for the new MPHNA headquarters at 150 N. Main St.

The educational portion of the grant provides for eight staff nurses to attend a special training program being conducted under a foundation grant to the Visiting Nurses Association of Hartford. The grant money will be used to hire substitute nurses to cover for staff members while in class and to provide an education consultant for follow-up training and consultation throughout the year after the formal course is completed.

In January, the nurses will begin attending classes, which meet one day a week for 13 weeks and are designed to provide a staff nurse with expanded skills in interviewing, assessing heart and lung conditions, monitoring results of medications and improving basic knowledge in physiology and pathology.

Miss Florence Austin, acting director of MPHNA, knowing the value of such training for the staff nurses and the need for new office equipment, instituted the proceedings necessary to obtain the grant.

Everyone is also asked to celebrate Christmas by buying fewer luxury items and to suggest fewer non-essential gifts items as gifts from friends and relatives, thereby freeing money to be given to the poor.

"Hunger" meals will be organized on a monthly basis to provide information on the extent of hunger in different countries and ways in which individuals and groups might help. The council will provide information and resources necessary for "hunger banquets" at any interested organization or group.

The Rev. Dr. Clifford O. Simpson, minister emeritus of Central Congregational Church, was elected pro-

## Townpeople Asked To Aid The Hungry

The newly formed Manchester Council on World Hunger has issued a call to the people of Manchester to give up one meal a week, cut down on one meal a week or observe at least one meatless meal a week and to give the money thus saved to the malnourished, hungry and starving in America and overseas.

The council, which was formed Thursday night at an open meeting to discuss worldwide hunger, has also asked people to consider alternate Christmas giving in addition to its plea for personal denial.

Gift cards will be available, reading, "My gift to you is a gift to the hungry and suffering people of the world. A check for — in your name has been sent to the Manchester Council on World Hunger."

Everyone is also asked to celebrate Christmas by buying fewer luxury items and to suggest fewer non-essential gifts items as gifts from friends and relatives, thereby freeing money to be given to the poor.

All persons interested in moderating the present worldwide crisis are invited to participate in the next council meeting on Dec. 19.

Those wishing to contribute to the drive for funds may make checks payable to Manchester Council on World Hunger, in care of the Manchester Area Conference of Churches, P.O. Box 773. More information may be obtained by calling the MACC office, 649-2093.

Other elected officers are Dr. Abraham Kurien, vice chairman; Mrs. Nancy Carr, secretary; and Mrs. Jane Holmes, treasurer. Also serving on the executive committee are John Post and Jim Highland.

The Rt. Rev. Msgr. Edward J. Reardon, pastor of St. James Church, has drafted and sent a letter in the name of the council to governor-elect Ella Grasso, suggesting that the governor's ball be replaced by a joy ball, but more restrained celebration, and the monies thus saved be sent to organizations providing relief assistance to famine victims.

Mayor Thompson, in a letter sharing his ideas, proposed that Manchester adopt a community overseas to aid. He also suggested calling a prayer breakfast in February and inviting the community to participate. The theme of the breakfast would be "Manchester's Concern for Those Who Hunger."

Those wishing to contribute to the drive for funds may make checks payable to Manchester Council on World Hunger, in care of the Manchester Area Conference of Churches, P.O. Box 773. More information may be obtained by calling the MACC office, 649-2093.

## Lawyer Denies Knowing Of Hush Money Payment

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Embattled and bitter, William O. Bittman testified Friday he did not know — and still doesn't — that huge sums of money were paid to his former client E. Howard Hunt Jr. to buy his silence about Watergate.

Bittman also insisted under strenuous cross-examination by Assistant Watergate Prosecutor Jill Wine Volner that he had "no recollection" of reading Hunt's memo demanding money and pardons until May 1973, five months after the Watergate mastermind handed it to him.

No Indication  
"He never indicated to me in any manner whatsoever that anything he was doing was a quid pro quo, that is, silence in exchange for money," Bittman testified.

"When I reviewed the memo in May I did not believe it was correct. I do not believe it was correct now."

Bittman, who once prosecuted former Teamsters President James R. Hoffa, refused reporters' questions as he strode from the courtroom. "I'm sick of this damn case," he said.

Former White House domestic affairs adviser John D. Ehrlichman proposed calling Bittman as part of his defense at the Watergate conspiracy trial. But when neither the prosecution nor the defense would vouch for Bittman's credibility and Judge Sirica called him as a "court witness."

"Just because we sit up here in black robes, we're not nincompoops," he said. "What I've heard up here convinces me I was right when I changed my mind and called him as a court witness, 100 per cent right. The jury is entitled to know the truth as to the issues and one of the issues is whether this was hush money."

Chief trial prosecutor James F. Neal, who also prosecuted Hoffa, said at least three prosecution witnesses have testified that high-ups carried out a plan to pay the original defendants huge sums of money as a "quid pro quo, silence for money."

Believes Fee Reasonable  
Before Sirica ruled, Bittman testified, out of the presence of the jury, that he believed the \$150,000 firm received for "hunger banquets" and they're obsolete, according to one officer.

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## Obsolete Jets Ready To Defend Hawaii

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He added there was no cause for alarm because his men were backed up by the Navy, Army and Marines.

Surprise Impossible  
"A surprise attack would be impossible today," he said, "because of a highly advanced satellite detection system combined with other surveillance equipment."

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