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POLICE REPORT

MANCHESTER

Susan B. Spencer, 25, of Southington was arrested Monday at 1:15 p.m. on a Circuit Court 12 warrant charging her with larceny by possession. The charge is in connection with a handgun stolen Jan. 10 from a Hackmeack St. home and later found in her possession, police said.

She was released on a \$500 non-surety bond for court Dec. 30.

Michael E. Matthews, 38, of West Hartford was arrested Monday at 2:30 p.m. after he surrendered himself at Police Headquarters on a Circuit Court 12 warrant charging him with issuing a bad check (eight counts). He was released on a \$250 non-surety bond for court Dec. 30.

John D. Burdick, 22, of Storrs was arrested Monday at 6 p.m. and charged with a breach of peace and intoxication. The charges stem from a fight at the Gas Light

restaurant on Oak St., police said. Burdick was released on a \$100 non-surety bond for court Dec. 30.

Linda C. Stevenson, 31, of Glastonbury was arrested Monday at 3:20 p.m. and charged with fourth-degree larceny in connection with a shoplifting incident at the Sears store in the Parkade.

She was released on her written promise to appear in court Dec. 23.

Men driving on Center St. Monday morning reported to police seeing a man in a car with a large pistol.

The man was aiming the gun into driveways along Center St., they said.

With the car's license plate numbers, police tracked down the owner of the car and gun. It was a duplicate gun with wild spots on the barrel and trigger mechanism. It could not fire.

The man said the incident would not happen again.

Someone called police to tell them of a cabin built by youths on town property in woods off the west side of Love Lane. The person said large amounts of alcohol and marijuana were consumed there.

Patrolman John Hanley and Gary Benson reported finding "an elaborate log cabin complete with a locking door. The only items found in the cabin were three highway signs (taken to headquarters)."

"There were benches, a table and a trash can."

"The cabin is very well constructed and will take quite a bit of work to dismantle."

Police found a stolen, 1974 Ford Monday at 9 a.m. at the rear of the new Georgia Pacific building on N. Main St. near the L.S. Hain tobacco fields. The car was stolen from a Schaller Rd. home after a break there Saturday.

The paving went ahead and is now complete.

The commission discussed the paving at its Nov. 18 meeting. Late that week, Dr. Frederick Spaulding of the commission sent a letter to the directors objecting to the paving and urging the directors to consult with the commission on such projects.

The paving went ahead and is now complete.

The directors and Town Manager Robert Weiss objected to the paving.

Weiss set a meeting for the directors and the commissioners for Jan. 14 at 11 a.m. to discuss the whole situation.

Director and town officials were met Monday at 7 p.m. at the Marine Home. After the meeting, the groups will join for a potluck and, later, a grab bag. Members are reminded to bring gifts for the grab bag.

Manchester Lodge of Masons will have its annual meeting with election of officers tonight at 7:30 in the Masonic Temple. Oyster stew will be served after the meeting, a tradition of the annual meeting.

Rus-Hil Landscape Contractors, which has had a contract for the past three years for mowing and trimming Manchester's West and Buckland Cemeteries, is the only bidder for doing the work the next three years.

Rus-Hil's price, considered a favorable one by town officials, is \$403 a week for the first year, \$436 a week for the second and \$465 a week for the third.

Rus-Hil's office is in West Suffield but one of its owners, Robert Hilditch, resides in Manchester.

The Marine Corps League and Auxiliary will have their monthly meetings Wednesday at 7 p.m. at the Marine Home.

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First Aid Demonstration

Although these two people look like victims of a serious accident, they are only victims of a first aid demonstration given during a recent driver education class by Manchester High School students who are members of the Manchester Rescue Squad. Jeff Tetreault, in foreground, a possible broken back victim, is strapped in

Kissinger Pledges U.S. Effort To Achieve Cyprus Settlement

BRUSSELS (UPI) — Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger met today with the Turkish and Greek Foreign Ministers and pledged the United States will work for "an early settlement of the Cyprus problem on the basis of conciliation."

Kissinger, who arrived from Washington Tuesday night, met separately with Turkish Foreign Minister M. Necdet Sevil and Greek Foreign Minister Dimitris Bisis in his 16th-floor suite at the Brussels Hilton Hotel.

More Meetings Set

He scheduled further meetings with each of the ministers later in the afternoon, apparently trying to bring their conflicting positions closer together.

"We had a good talk," Kissinger told newsmen after meeting with the Greek minister. "The U.S. government is interested in an early settlement of the Cyprus problem on the basis of conciliation and against the background of the suffering on the island."

"We shall continue our efforts in this direction."

Kissinger Role Useful

Bisis told newsmen "Kissinger's role can be very useful."

Ensel said after his earlier meeting

Three Hostages Siezed at Walpole Prison

WALPOLE, Mass. (UPI) — Eight prisoners holding three hostages at Walpole State Prison today were ready to die rather than be dehumanized.

They are adamant and they no longer will tolerate the treatment they have been receiving," Rep. William Owens, D-Boston, a black senator-elect and former Walpole inmate, said after meeting with the eight.

Hostages Okay

He said the two prison guards and a medic held hostage were in good condition, and drank coffee and played cards while their captors issued a list of 18 prison demands and called for a meeting with top state officials.

Owens, newly elected to the Senate and the first black legislator ever to join that body, said the eight prisoners for about 90 minutes at daybreak. The three hostages were captured Tuesday evening by the knife-wielding prisoners, five of whom are convicted murderers.

The eight issued demands for Owens to forward an order to obtain the release of the hostages. He did not see the hostages, but said he was informed of their release by the prisoners and another prison medic.

The legislator said the men told him they were "willing to die rather than be dehumanized. They felt they had been dehumanized one time too many. They will not be dehumanized any longer."

Owens later said Massachusetts Commissioner of Corrections Frank Hall was studying the demands and "is going to get back with me later in the day about them."

He said among the demands was a request to meet with Gov. Francis Sargent, Gov.-elect Michael Dukakis and several Massachusetts prison officials. He said the other demands ranged from amnesty to installation of pay telephones in cell block areas, to the release of several prisoners from segregated confinement.

Wearing an open-necked shirt and heavy coat, the weary lawmaker told newsmen he thinks most of the demands can be met.

"I think if President Ford can pardon Nixon, then these men can be too," he said.

Norfolk County District Attorney George Burke said the inmates involved included Perry Laetito, serving a life term for killing a policeman, and three members of the De Mau Mau group of black militants.

Burke said the situation was "pretty heated and pretty tense." However, Dave Brown, public information officer for the state Corrections Department, said "There's no threat of violence yet."

Dan Ferry of the Massachusetts Council on Crime and Corrections, a prison reform group, said one of the problems was prisoners were angered because a search for weapons had forced cancellation of the annual Christmas banquet for lifers Tuesday night. Perry said prisoners had looked forward to the banquet because their families were to be allowed in the prison to take part in the holiday celebration.

Deputy Corrections Commissioner Joseph Higgins and prison Sgt. Walter Walkevich and Deputy Sgt. Fred Baiterwith negotiated with inmates over the phone, through an iron grate and with the aid of a trustee who was acting as intermediary.

The hostages were identified as John Kelly, a guard for only four months, Robert Pierce, a guard for one year, and medic Dennis Spencer.

Justice House To Give Oath

HARTFORD (UPI) — Gov.-elect Ella T. Grasso said today she would administer the oath of office during ceremonies Jan. 8 at the State Capitol.

The ceremony will take place before a joint session of the new legislature.

A life-long resident of Manchester, Justice House graduated from Harvard College and Harvard Law School. He served as a state representative, state senator and state judge from 1949 to 1960. He has been chief judge of the Superior Court, a justice in the Supreme Court and chief justice since 1971.

Buckland Firehouse Site Purchase Approved

By SOL R. COHEN

The Board of Directors Tuesday night took a giant step toward construction of a new town of Manchester firehouse in the Buckland area.

By an 8 to 1 vote, with Hillary Gallagher dissenting, "no," it approved purchase of the property at 1039 Tolland Tpk. That parcel, plus a 60-foot parcel to the east (part of Buckland School property and transferred to the town by the school board) is the proposed site of a new firehouse, estimated to cost about \$300,000 in the area — even if Buckland Commons is never built.

The four who voted against purchasing the Spencer St. parcel argued the parcel isn't needed for landfill at the present time and there are proposals more urgently needing town funds at present.

"We can't justify the purchase," is how Mrs. Ferguson expressed it.

The purchase would have been for \$27,500, from a group headed by Leon Podvorn. Voting for this purchase were John Thompson, Pascal Prignano, Robert Price and Matt Moriarty Jr., all Democrats. Voting against were Democrats Phyllis Jackson and John Tani, and Republicans Vivian Ferguson and Carl Zinsner.

To Cost \$32,400

The Tolland Tpk. parcel is being purchased for \$32,400 from Santo and Nancy Lombardo. Tentative plans are for a 5,500 square foot firehouse of one story.

The \$32,400 will come out of the Fire District Fund and involves about \$100,000 authorized and constructed, it will be financed by a bond issue — to be paid by those paying taxes to the Town Fire District. Taxpayers of the 8th Utilities District aren't affected by expenditures by the Town Fire District.

Green Rd. Sidewalks Given Board Okay

Sidewalks for Green Rd., on N. Elm St. to Oakwood Rd., were authorized Tuesday night by the Manchester Board of Directors.

"The action is in answer to a 190-signature petition submitted in November, requesting the sidewalks for safety reasons — primarily for children walking to and from Bowers School."

Town Manager Robert Weiss said the project — at town expense — will cost about \$40,000 and involves about 1,800 linear feet of sidewalks and 800 feet of retaining walls, with the retaining walls the more costly item.

Wells estimated (for future consideration) that sidewalks from Princeton St. to

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Economic Scene Remains Bleak

By RICHARD HUGHES
UPI Business Writer

Higher food prices are coming, retail sales are down and more people are losing their jobs before Christmas.

J. Dawson Abell, an Agriculture Department economist, said food prices will rise at a rate of 15 per cent again next year, at least during the first six months. He said prices during the last half of 1975 will depend on how well crops do.

Sales Down

The Commerce Department said retail sales fell for the third consecutive month in November. The sales drop of 1.3 per cent last month reflected sagging auto production but also declining sales of non-durable goods.

Xerox Corp. said it was closing for two weeks a major manufacturing plant at Webster, N.Y., and several equipment reconditioning centers elsewhere, idling 6,000 workers two days before Christmas.

Another 400-500 blue collar and 200 white collar workers were to be dismissed permanently, and those returning will be put on four-day weeks in February.

First in Firm's History

It was the first major plant shutdown in the company's history.

Prices on the New York Stock Exchange were generally higher. Wall Street analysts said the rally was due to lower interest rates and indications President Ford might announce new anti-inflation steps in a speech tonight.

The Dow Jones industrial index rose nearly 14 points 593.87 in its biggest gain since Nov. 5.

White House Press Secretary Ron Nesson said the President considered his "negotiable" within limits with Congress.

New pressure has mounted to enact legislation for providing jobs for the unemployed since last Friday when the November jobless rate of 6.5 per cent, the highest in 12 years, was announced.

President Ford also said he would meet with company and union officials from the hard-hit auto industry this week.

Blank-Firing Reservists Confronted by Posse

MIAMI (UPI) — For 30 Army Special Forces reservists on maneuvers near the Everglades the shots fired in the dark through the thick underbrush were part of their war games. So they shot back.

The exchange touched off a tense 30-minute standoff between the reservists, armed with blanks, and 23 Sheriff's deputies, armed with live ammunition, who were not aware that their "enemies" were playing games.

Potentially Dangerous

"Potentially, it was a bad situation," said Capt. Ron Mongole of the 3rd Special Forces Battalion of Miami.

"We were still playing the game when the police were on the scene and we thought the police were part of the maneuver. The lucky one was shot."

The Saturday night incident came to light Tuesday.

Weekend Maneuvers

Mongole's men, out on weekend maneuvers near the Gressman Hammock State Park, were supposed to guard a nearby radio tower from an "enemy" unit of fellow reservists.

After sunset, the captain and a four-man scouting patrol encountered a game warden who shot through the underbrush at the shadowy figures.

Fired Back

"We fired back and I gave the order to pull back to the tower," said Mongole. "I guess the warden got mad when we fired back at him and he called the metro police for help."

The unidentified warden officer was unaware of the special maneuvers under way in the area and called the Sheriff's Department to report he had been fired upon by automatic weapons.

Increasing cloudiness late this afternoon and tonight. High temperatures in the low to mid 60s. Low tonight near 30. Chance of rain Thursday, possibly beginning as a mixture of rain and snow. Highs Thursday in the 60s.

Officials Hope Game Saturday First of Many ECHS-MHS Events

The Board of Education Monday night recognized the 1974-75 school year as the first major athletic contest ever between Manchester High School and East Catholic High School.

Saturday night the two varsity basketball teams will initiate what officials hope will become a full-scale continuing schedule of all activities, both athletic and scholastic, between the two schools, said James P. Kennedy, superintendent of schools.

There has been sporadic exploration of contests between the two schools over the years, said Kennedy, but each attempt was rejected.

In other business, the board adopted the budget guidelines for 1975-76 as submitted by the school superintendent. Listed is the necessity of budget increases because of inflation and salary adjustments.

Also, the guidelines refer to implementation of special education programs as defined by state regulations.

The board approved a request to the Board of Directors to establish a washout account in the amount of \$5,200 as an additional appropriation to educational special grants, vocational education programs, and the Cooperative Occupational Education Program (COEP) at Manchester High School.

In personnel actions, the board approved one resignation, one appointment, and two leaves of absence.

The resignation of Mrs. Bernice Maher, a social studies teacher at Bennett Junior High School, was accepted by the board with regret and a vote of special recognition. She has taught in the Manchester school system for 48 years and will retire after Jan. 2 when her resignation becomes effective.

Leaves of absence were granted to Mrs. Marilyn Fabian, an English teacher at Hill Junior High School. They have been granted childbearing leaves.

Miss Cathy Parise has been appointed to teach English at MHS effective Jan. 27. She will receive her B.S. degree from the University of Connecticut at midyear and is presently substituting for Mrs. Fabian whom she is replacing.

Campaign Reform Law Changes Suggested

By ROBERT LAMBERT
HARTFORD (UPI) — Secretary of the State Schaffer was to testify today on ways of strengthening Connecticut's tough campaign reform laws and bringing politics closer to the grass roots.

The state Elections Commission scheduled the hearings on proposed changes to the 1974 election reform package, written during the height of public outcry over the campaign abuses revealed in the Watergate scandals.

Mrs. Schaffer was expected to recommend more realistic reporting procedures for campaign contributions, particularly those involving volunteer time and such things as bake sales and coffee hours. She also was expected to call for reducing the maximum allowable contribution to \$1,000 in line with federal campaign reforms.

Under the Connecticut reform law, the maximum individual contribution was set at \$5,000 with a maximum of \$15,000 for an individual to contribute to his own campaign.

Commission Chairman Lester B. Snyder called for the hearings to draw up proposals correcting deficiencies in the new laws and clarifying the role of political groups in the election process.

In making the campaign reforms workable, Snyder had to interpret the law liberally in order to avoid constitutional challenges.

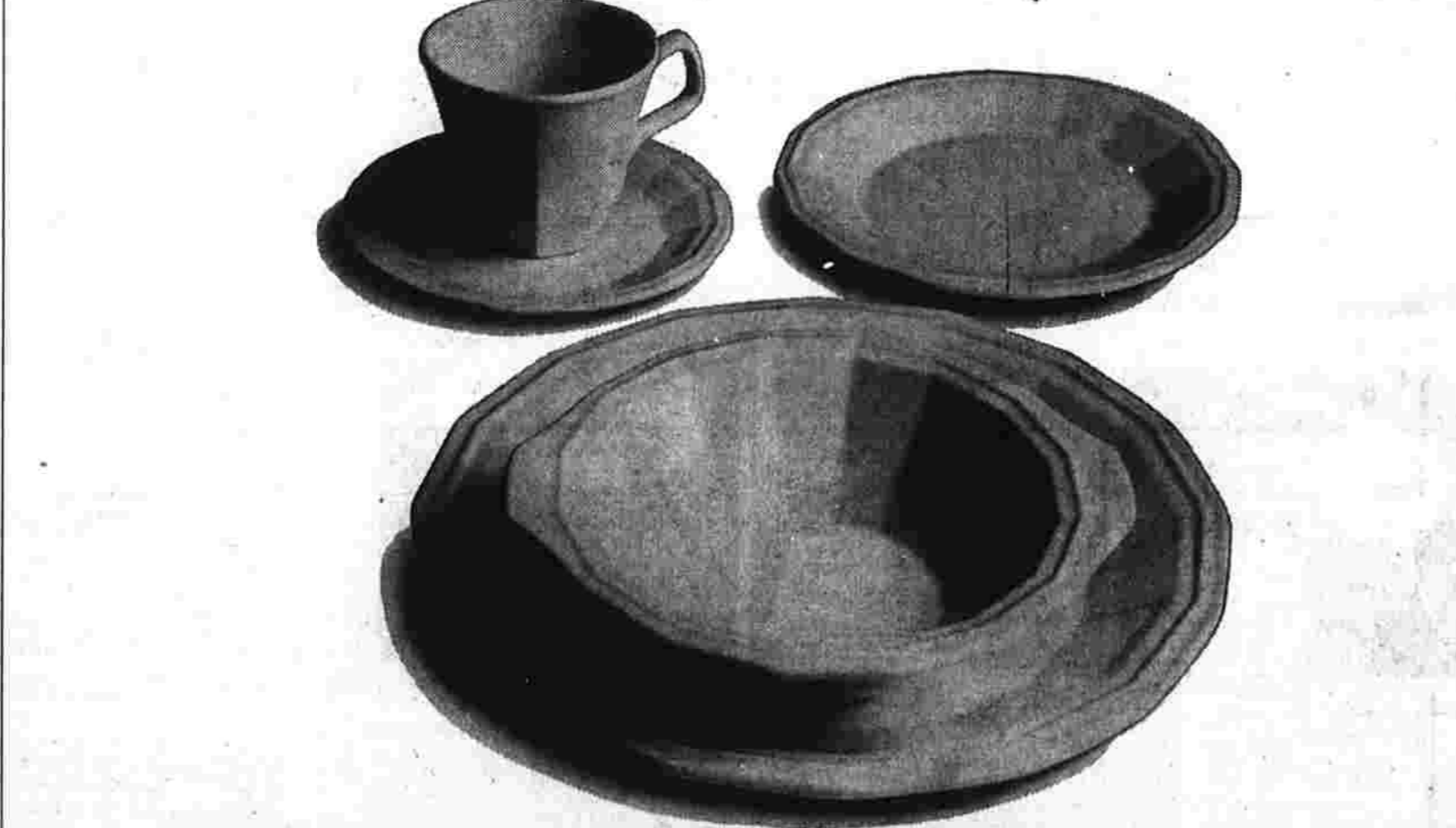
Meanwhile, Mrs. Schaffer, in recommending 44 election law changes for the new legislature, said felons should regain their voting rights after they have paid their debt to society and completed parole or probation.

Mrs. Schaffer told newsmen Monday the state Commission on Forfeited Rights should be abolished and voting rights be restored immediately after a convict has been released from probation or parole.

The six-month process required for restoring voting rights has discouraged most convicts from applying. Mrs. Schaffer said, although 88 per cent of the applications received by the commission have been approved.

Other recommendations include streamlining state procedures for election of officials, permitting voter registration across town lines

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Additional set of four 5 pc. Place Settings	\$200.00	\$14.95
Complete 45 pc. set (Service for eight, including your Free Place Setting)	\$500.00	\$34.95
Accessory pieces: Covered Sugar and Creamer	\$ 50.00	\$ 5.95
13" Platter and Round Vegetable Bowl	\$ 50.00	\$ 6.95
Salt & Pepper Set	\$ 50.00	\$ 2.25
Covered Casserole	\$ 50.00	\$ 6.95
Vegetable Server	\$ 50.00	\$ 6.95
Gray Boat & Tray	\$ 50.00	\$ 4.95

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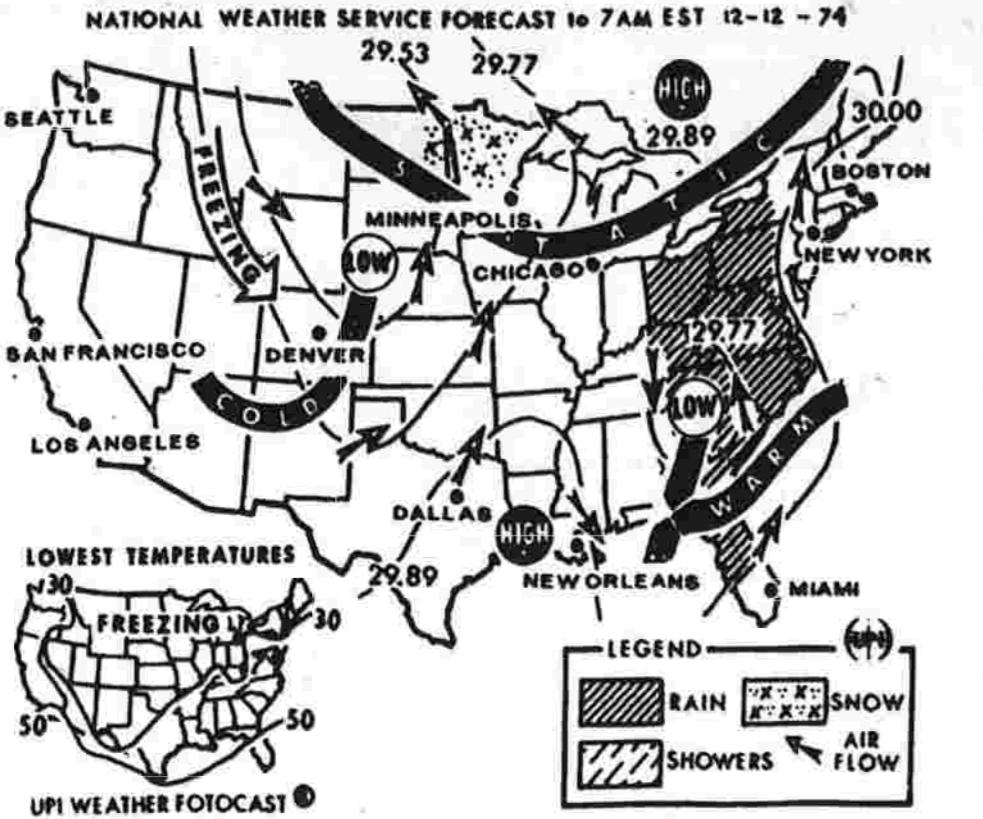
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UPH WEATHER FORECAST For Period Ending 7 AM EST Thursday. During Wednesday night, rain and showers will spread across most of the area from Florida northward to western New York state.

THEATRES EAST 1 'THE SAVAGE IS LOOSE' 2 'THE BA EXPEDITION' 3 'ZANDY'S BRIDE' 23 'THE ISLAND' 'TOP WORLD'

NEWS FOR SENIOR CITIZENS By WALLY FORTIN

Here, I've been waiting for you. Why? Because I made at least one big boo boo in Saturday's column.

1.50 WED. TO SUN. EVE (99¢ SAT. and SUN. 11 P.M.) 1.50 Vernon Cine 1 'CHARLES BRONSON' 2 'THE ODYSSEY FILE'

and Santa Claus will be here for you. Why? Because I made at least one big boo boo in Saturday's column.

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TOP BARBERSHOP QUARTETS Coming to Bailey Auditorium MANCHESTER HIGH SCHOOL SAT., JAN. 18th - 8 p.m. THE GOLDEN AGE OF HARMONY proudly sponsored by THE SILK CITY CHORUS ONE PERFORMANCE • DONATION \$3

THEATER SCHEDULE

Burnside Theatre - Closed to Wed. Dec. 18 UA East 1 - "Savage is Loose" 7:00-8:45; "All-Forman Fight Film" 7:00-8:45

Special Christmas SALE THREE DAYS ONLY Thurs., Fri. & Sat., Dec. 12, 13 & 14 Machine Washable Polyester Raincoats With Zip Out Linings \$39.95

ABOUT TOWN First Church of Christ, Scientist will have a testimony meeting tonight at 8 at the church, 447 N. Main St.

HEIRLOOMS OF TOMORROW ARE AT COUNTRY LOFT 254 BROAD ST. MANCHESTER Merchants in Early American Furniture Reproductions

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Addresses U.N.

China's United Nations representative Huang Hua addresses the General Assembly's First Committee this week as Chou Non (rear) listens.

Sen. Weicker Urges Access To Secret Data

WASHINGTON (UPI) - Sen. Lowell P. Weicker, R-Conn., says all congressmen should have access to law enforcement intelligence data.

Just asking the question in order to me anyway, that in the order of our institutions Congress sits somewhere below the FBI, CIA, Secret Service, etc., he said.

Read Herald Ads

WESTOWN PHARMACY 455 HARTFORD RD. MANCHESTER YOUR COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICE STORE

The Rev. Johnson Mails 50,000 Cards Early

By JOHN TAYLOR CHICAGO (UPI) - The Rev. William Johnson got his Christmas cards out early this year - all 50,000 of them.

inmate at the Pontiac Correctional Center who Johnson had transferred to the Chicago Work Release Center to help with the project.

Lovable Pets For Sale... In Today's Want Ads!

MANCHESTER 1145 Tolland Turnpike. Clothing and accessories advertisement featuring various items like boys' sport and flannel shirts, girls' reversible ski jackets, and holiday dresses. Includes a '3 WAYS TO CHARGE' logo and a 'SALE: Wed. thru Sat.' notice.

A CHRISTMAS SHOPPING TOUR

Through Some of The Area's Finest Stores!



Bernie's TV In The Manchester Parkade
Bernie's TV and Appliances in the Manchester Parkade has just about everything in the way of televisions and large and small appliances that would make nice gifts for almost anyone on your shopping list.



Grant's At The Manchester Parkade
Susan Robishaw of Grant City in the Manchester Parkade puts the finishing touches to one of the many artificial trees the store is featuring this Christmas season. Grant's has something for everyone on your list.



K-Mart — Your Christmas Headquarters
Melody Perry, cosmetics manager at K-Mart on Spencer St. in Manchester, helps Deborah Doray of Manchester make her Christmas gift selections. K-Mart has a complete cosmetics line. In fact, K-Mart has a complete line of just about everything. From bicycles to batteries, from slippers to candy, you can probably find what you're looking for at K-Mart.



Martin Ltd. In The Manchester Parkade
Phil O'Connell, right, manager of Martin Ltd. in the Manchester Parkade shows Donald Tourtelotte one of the many suits the store is featuring this week in their pre-Christmas Suit Sale. Most suits in stock are marked down 20% this week only.



Shoor Jewelers
At your service is Erlinde Meier who has many suggestions to make your Christmas gifting easy. Shop Shoor Jewelers, 917 Main St. daily till 9, Sat till 5:30.



Turnpike Television
Television makes a wonderful Christmas gift. See all the new 1975 Famous Brand Televisions at Turnpike T.V. They are open till 9 pm. now till Christmas.

(Photos by Pinto)



Worth's In The Manchester Parkade
Doreen Diullo, left and Mae Suhle of Worth's in the Manchester Parkade make ready their sportswear department for the holiday season. Worth's features many nationally famous brands in their sportswear department.



Simmon's Shoes In The Manchester Parkade
Pictured above Karen Bofumo of Simmon's Shoes in the Manchester Parkade puts the finishing touches on a display featuring many shoes on sale during the store's annual pre-Christmas sale.



Youth Centre In The Manchester Parkade
From little girls' dresses, to big girls' sweaters to little boys' ties, to mittens and coats for both, the Youth Centre located in the Manchester Parkade has just about everything for your child for Christmas.



Kofsky's In The Manchester Parkade
Charles Delinicki tells Pat Cashman of Kofsky's what he is looking for in the way of a shoe. Located in the Manchester Parkade, the store carries shoes for men, women and children in all the latest styles and colors.



King's In The Manchester Parkade
Ed Kelley, manager of King's Department Store in the Manchester Parkade, shows Sophie Wrobel one of the many winter coats the store is featuring this season. King's big Christmas sale is now in progress.

A CHRISTMAS SHOPPING TOUR

Through Some of The Area's Finest Stores



When You Think of Coats, You Naturally Think of The Coat Rack
Mrs. Gary Savionis models one of The Coat Rack's latest fashions. Shown is a 100% wool parka coat trimmed in natural blue fox. Coat Rack priced at \$74.00. The Coat Rack is at 48 Purnell Place downtown Manchester and is open every night until 9:00 until Christmas for your shopping convenience.



Treasure Shoppe in the Manchester Parkade
Give her a diamond this Christmas from the Treasure Shoppe located in the Manchester Parkade. Dave Prince, manager shows Doris Evangelista one of the many beautiful ring selections they have on hand.



Living Room Interiors
At Living Room Interiors, 519 East Middle Tpk., Ricki McVeigh and Bill Owens discuss the qualities of one of the more than 50 Hideaway sofas on display.



Manchester Hardware Is Your Black & Decker Headquarters
Ernie Larson, owner of the Manchester Hardware & Supply Co. at 877 Main Street in downtown Manchester, offers the largest selection of Black & Decker Power Tools in Manchester. Manchester Hardware has been in business for over 60 years, serving families in Manchester and the surrounding towns.



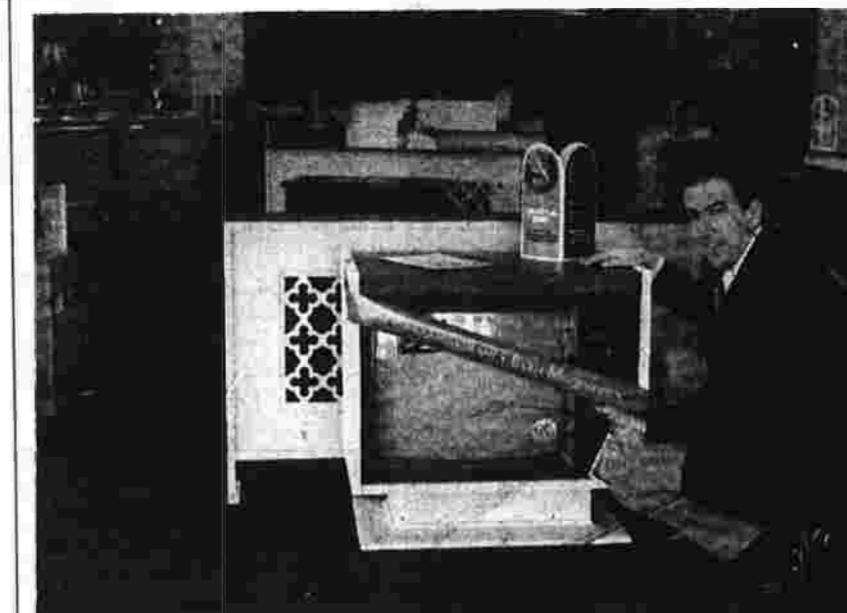
Watkins of Manchester
What better Christmas gift than a traditional grandfather's clock. It's the kind of gift cherished for generations. Jim Halloran of Watkins winds one of the fine clocks now on display at Watkins in downtown Manchester. Watkins has many fine gift items for those special people on your list.



Forbes In The Manchester Parkade
Manchester's newest department store offers one of the finest gift selections found anywhere. Sherry Harrington, cosmetician, arranges a display in Forbes & Wallace's cosmetic department. Forbes and Wallace is proud of its reputation for quality and variety. Let Forbes help you with your Christmas list this year.



When You Think of Sports, Think of The Nassiff Arms Co.
Duke Hutchinson, representing the Nassiff Arms Co., is pictured demonstrating Spalding Sideral Skis to Fred Nassiff Jr. Nassiff Arms Co. has for over 30 years, provided quality gifts for all sports in the Southern New England area. They are conveniently located at 991 Main Street, in Downtown Manchester.



Bob Potterton points out the "Videomatic" button on a Magnavox color console. This one button performs all adjustments automatically and even readjusts to changing room light conditions. "Videomatic" is available on Magnavox color television from \$379.95. Also, be sure to see and hear the new "Spirit of '76" collection of fine console stereos in all wood authentic style Colonial reproductions from \$349.95 on display at both stores on Center St., Manchester, and El Camino Plaza in Vernon. Open nights till 9.



Mr. and Mrs. Emil Mickus of 4B Thompson Rd. are seen shopping in Arthur's Drug. Arthur's Drug is open Monday to Friday 9 a.m. to 9 p.m., and Saturday and Sunday from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Arthur's offers a variety of cosmetics, Timex watches, cameras, electronics, and a liquor department. Shop Arthur's Drug for everyday low prices.



Displaying a large assortment of top quality ski wear are Art Benson and Bill Palaska, co-owners of the Alpine Haus of Vernon. The Alpine Haus features the largest selection of coordinated clothing to compliment their ski and boot department which is the largest in eastern Conn.



20th Century TV
20th Century TV at 176 Burnside Ave. in East Hartford was established in 1950 and has been the Quaser Zenith dealer since 1954. Also sold are stereo and radios, and air conditioners. 20th Century offers a full year of service on all items sold.



D&L In The Manchester Parkade
D&L Department Store in the Manchester Parkade has a wide selection of the latest women's fashions that make excellent Christmas gifts for that special person on your list. The store carries many nationally advertised brands of women's wear.

11 DECEMBER 11

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MANCHESTER PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

Christmas Decorating Can Be Done Safely

"Deck the halls with boughs of holly" ... but let's make sure the holly and other decorations we are decking our homes with are not going to cause us to lose our homes in a fire or injure our children and pets. Here are some pointers, some you are aware of and perhaps some you are not, for decorating safely for the holidays.

1. Take advantage, if you can, of the many tree farms in the area to pick out and have your tree cut fresh.
2. If you purchase a tree previously cut, test for freshness by:
 - (a) Pulling on needles and bending between fingers. Fresh needles do not pull out easily and do not break.
 - (b) The trunk butt of a fresh tree is sticky with resin.
 - (c) Bounce trunk on ground. A shower of needles means it is too dry.
 - (d) Make fresh diagonal saw cut across trunk base at least 20 inches from bottom. Keep tree in water from time you bring home. Water daily.
3. Keep tree away from fireplace or either location where it would be exposed to sparks, open flame or heat. Also, do not place tree in stairway or where it would be subject to draft.
4. Fasten tree to wall or ceiling with thin wires which will be nearly invisible.
5. Tree Trimmings
 - A. Do not plan on too many strings of lights to one outlet. Be sure insulation is not worn or any sockets are loose. A blown fuse signals a dangerous overload. Be sure fuses are right size, and never use a penny in fuse socket. Do not test things while they are strung across the rug or furniture.
 - B. Do not use lights on artificial trees made of metal. The tree can be charged with electricity from faulty lights and anyone touching branches can be electrocuted! Use colored spotlights above or below tree but never fastened onto it.
 - C. Keep "bubbling" lights away from children. The bright colors and bubbly motion can tempt children to break glass which can cut and attempt to drink liquid, which contains a hazardous chemical.
 - D. Lights should bear UL (Underwriters Laboratory) label. Replace old bulbs with cooler burning bulbs offered today. Do not place lights on tree touching branches or decorations.
 - E. Use outlet away from tree. Don't plug or unplug lights under a tree.
 - F. Turn off lights when leaving house or retiring for the night.
 - G. Do not place electrical toys, such as electrical sets under tree. Sparks from tracks might start fire.
 - H. Remember, fire retardant can fireproof your tree completely. Your only insurance against fire is constant vigilance.
6. Decorations
 - A. Wear gloves when decorating with spun glass "angel hair." It can irritate your eyes and skin. Non-flammable cotton is a good substitute. Do not spray with artificial snow. Although they are all non-flammable alone, the dried combination will burn rapidly.
 - B. Use non-flammable icicles and paper decorations. Don't hang decorations touching lights, and if using metal foil tinsel, do not hang over wires or lights. Better to choose tinsel and icicles of plastic or non-leaded metals. Leaded materials are hazardous if ingested by children and pets.
 - C. For households with small children and pets, avoid decorations that are shiny or breakable, or have removable small parts. Avoid trimmings that resemble candy and food. Do not put icicles on branches low enough for your pet to reach. Cats particularly mistake them for grass and may swallow them.
 - D. House Trimmings
 - Candles
 1. Do not use on trees, or near evergreens. We know a hostess that had a lovely arrangement of evergreens and candles surrounding her punch bowl and after hours of entertaining the unobserved candles burned down and set the arrangement on fire.
 2. Do not use polystyrene foam for candle holders. Use shield under candles for dripping wax and do not leave unattended. Place where they cannot be blown or knocked over, and never near drapes.
 2. Artificial Snow
 1. Additives can irritate lungs if inhaled. To avoid injury, read container labels and follow directions carefully.
 2. Outdoor lights
 1. Check labels for UL approval, and to see they are weatherproof. Do not use outdoor lights indoor and vice versa.
 2. Fasten securely to trees, house walls or other firm support.
 3. Use no more than three sets per single extension cord.
7. Gift Wrapping
 1. Keep tissue paper wrappings away from heat. Keep wastebasket handy on Christmas morning for disposal of wrappings. Never burn in fireplace.
8. Christmas Plants
 1. The lovely Poinsettia is as traditional at Christmas as is the egg nog and ribbon candy, but much more dangerous. One leaf from the flamboyant poinsettia eaten by a child can cause death.
 2. One rosemary pea seed can be lethal. Mistletoe, holly, yew and Jerusalem Cherry greens can cause serious discomfort and may possibly be fatal. Rhododendron leaves, used frequently in decorations can cause death.
 3. Keep all Christmas plants and decorations using greens high enough to be out of reach of the inquisitive child and pet.
 4. We can all enjoy fresh trees and gaily decorated homes providing we take safety precautions.
 5. Happy and safe decorating!

Schaffer Suggests Four Changes In Campaign Law

By ROBERT LAMBERT, HARTFORD (UPI) — Connecticut's pioneering campaign reform law should be changed to correct some deficiencies and bring the voters closer to the electoral process, Secretary of the State Gloria Schaffer says.

Mrs. Schaffer outlined four proposals to strengthen the state Elections Commission and recommended 16 statutory changes so it can prosecute violations of the campaign financing laws promptly at a hearing Tuesday.

Mrs. Schaffer testified in the first of a series of hearings called by the commission to strengthen its powers and improve the job it did during the 1974 election campaign.

"Unfortunately, under present law, the commission has had to rely solely on the power of public opinion and the effect of the publicity generated by its proceedings," she said.

Chairman Lester B. Snyder said the line between constitutional rights and the goal of eliminating corruption and shoddy campaign tactics is hard to draw.

"You might get rid of corruption and have a fascist state," Snyder said.

Mrs. Schaffer recommended increasing the commission's staff and budget, strengthening its powers to pursue violators and enforce a code of ethics and providing some kind of compensation to its members.

"As a practical matter, this commission will be unable to perform the functions for which it was created until it is given primary responsibility wherever possible for enforcing the election laws," she said.

She called for reducing the maximum individual campaign contribution from \$5,000 to \$1,000 and similarly reducing the amount a candidate can spend out of his own funds.

Mrs. Schaffer also recommended replacing the provision limiting political activities by groups, organizations, labor unions and businesses on nonpartisan matters.

The committee had to interrupt the reform law liberally in establishing guidelines for the group activities because of the threat of infringement on constitutional guarantees of free speech.

Other recommendations included: —Setting the spending limits for sheriffs at a lower, more realistic level and including candidates for probate judge

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Congress decided the GSA should have custody of the material until Richey decides. It also decreed the materials could not go to San Clemente and must be available to the Watergate special prosecutor's office and other legal agencies.

The bill also barred destruction of any of the material except as provided by law and established a commission to study the problem of preservation of records of future presidents and other officials.

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The bill now goes to President Ford. A spokesman said "the President and his staff would review the bill before making any final decision."

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Commentary: A Reformer Takes Over in Japan

By PHIL NEWSOM
UPI Foreign News Analyst

The last year has seen a change of government among all the major nations of the free world for reasons of death, disgrace or just plain dissatisfaction among the voters. But whatever the reason, the major problem faced by the inheritors of power is the same. Latest to join the list which also includes the United States, West Germany, Britain, France and Italy, is Japan.

Taking over as prime minister is Takeo Miki, the "Mr. Clean" of Japanese politics. A compromise candidate, he replaces Kakuei

Tanaka who resigned under pressure of a mounting scandal regarding his personal finances and his failure to find a cure for inflation which in October hit 25.8 per cent, highest in the industrial world.

By his wife's testimony, the new prime minister is absent minded and a bit sloppy. An old schoolmate reports he can't sing or play baseball. Politically, he has tried three times before to become prime minister but always lacked money and the clannish following which is a characteristic of the divided Liberal Democrats, Japan's ruling political party.

But in Japan's search for a way out of its difficulties and his party's search for a new image, he had one great advantage.

He had a history of dissent and in his party was among the earliest to demand reforms. He broke with Tanaka last July over the latter's heavy political spending.

Elections for the upper house of parliament last summer continued a decline in popularity of the Liberal Democrats who have ruled Japan for 20 years.

In Japan, the president of the ruling party automatically becomes premier. Among the Liberal Democrats he is named after manueverings among the various factions and then approved by party vote.

Miki has declared a new method should be found so that the premier represents the popular will, and that changes also should be made in the method of obtaining campaign contributions which now come mostly from big business and special interests.

He has not said how either reform should be carried out. But if Miki wants to keep his job long, his chief problem is inflation.

Various attempts have been made to describe Japanese intentions after years of steady growth running around 10 per cent and an economy ranking just behind the United States and the Soviet Union.

Whether it be a state of shock, indecision, fear or whatever, the facts seem bad enough. Unemployment is reported at around one million and some say the actual figures are twice that. Consumer spending is down and bankruptcies are up.

Heavy blame for Japan's problems is placed upon the quadrupling of world oil prices. Japan has no oil of its own. Because Japan must import all its oil, there is speculation Miki may be something less than enthusiastic over Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger's campaign for a unified oil policy among consumer nations.

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Strategic Grain Reserve Proposed

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Sen. Dick Clark, D-Iowa, has called for establishment of a strategic domestic reserve of grains to offer a continued supply of food in years of low production.

Those fresh dates stamped on certain groceries mean something, regardless of what the supermarket might tell you. A reader in Glenrock, Wyo., passes on her experience.

"Recently I bought a package of Pillsbury Turno Pies from a local grocery store. After returning home I found the freshness date was two months old.

"I returned the turnovers to the store, asking to exchange them for a fresh package. This was the freshest package they had. When I asked for a refund I was told, 'that date doesn't make any difference.'

"If this is true, what is the purpose of stamping everything?"

The answer is that the date is there for a very good reason, and you shouldn't have been sold the turnovers. Pillsbury tells us the freshness dates stamped on their refrigerated fresh dough products is the date before the food should be used "for utmost quality."

"We certainly would recommend that consumers not buy a product if the date is a couple of months old," a company spokesman said. That doesn't mean that the dough is unsafe -- just that it won't be as good as if it were baked before the date expired.

Pillsbury, however, takes the blame. The spokesman said under normal procedures the distributor for your area should have checked the store before the expiration date and replaced the old merchandise.

From the letters it gets from consumers, Pillsbury adds, it does not believe many people are encountering such problems.

Another reader asked recently why the Postal Service insists on "pushing oversized stamps on us," adding that if it's for the collector's benefit they might consider using smaller stamps, saving money and maybe even deferring the frequent rate increases.

Predictably, the Postal Service disagrees. A spokesman said larger stamps cost "only a few cents per thousand" more than regular-sized versions, use only a "very small amount of paper" more than would otherwise be required and are "an important source of revenue."

In addition they defend the whole stamps-for-collectors program as "an important way of communicating our life and culture." We suspect you could argue over some of the points -- such as using public funds in the first place for the benefit of hobbyists -- if you want to pick a fight with several million stamp collectors.

Scuba divers may have stashed their equipment for the winter in many parts of the country, but those still pursuing the sport may be interested in this.

Dow-Corning Corp. has issued a warning involving its "4X" spray, which some scuba divers may have used to clean the airways of their equipment. Dow says the spray -- recommended as a protective coating for automotive, electrical and ignition systems -- should not be used on scuba equipment.

It said chemicals in the spray could cause cracks in the plastic and "render it very dangerous."

"Chlorinated solvents such as the spray contain can detrimentally affect a variety of plastics, especially polycarbonates, used in airway components which will create a risk to the user," it said. "Dow-Corning cautions owners and users not to use any aerosol which could contain a chlorinated solvent on any part of their scuba diving equipment."

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CARACAS HONORED PANAMA CITY (UPI) — The XII Inter-American Travel Congress concluded Nov. 27 with the selection of Caracas, Venezuela, as the site of its next meeting in 1977.

supply and prices in the past year. He said it also would encourage other food-producing nations to do the same. Speaking to a luncheon of Democratic women recently, Clark also said the United States must re-evaluate its food assistance programs so that food is distributed on the basis of human need rather than as a "tool of foreign policy."

The Iowa senator, who was part of the U.S. delegation to the recent World Food Conference in Rome, also urged an increase of 1 million tons of wheat and rice to the food assistance programs to help reach the estimated 7 1/2-million tons of grain needed to "check the immediate problem of famine in developing countries."

Clark also said the United States must give as much food aid as it can, then provide the "moral leadership" to get other food-producing nations to chip in and reach the 7 1/2-million ton goal to avoid widespread hunger. He said the 1 million tons of additional food would cost \$175 million, or about 80 cents for each U.S. citizen, the equivalent of "one drink or two packs of cigarettes."

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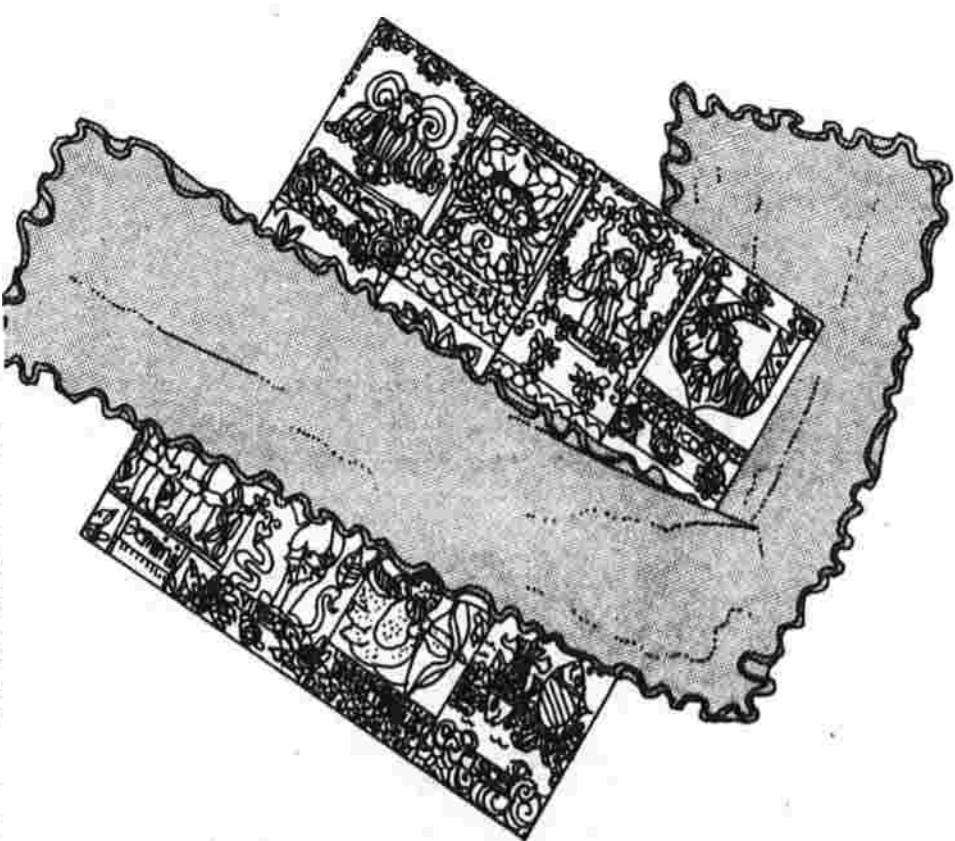
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Good Wines Available at Reasonable Prices

By JEANNE LESEM
NEW YORK (UPI) — Choosing wine for holiday entertaining is like buying a new dress. What looks good on a rack in a store represents value at home only if it suits your taste, your life style, your menu and your budget.
 For advice on buying and serving wine, we talked with author Alexis Bespaloff, whose "Guide to Inexpensive Wines," is in its third printing in a year. Bespaloff spent 10 years in the trade and now is a frequent contributor of wine articles to magazines.
 "A much greater variety of inexpensive wines is showing up now because a few popular names have gone up in price," he said.
 His suggestions that follow are mostly in the range of \$5 and less per bottle.
 His own preference is for very simple foods because they show off wines better than fancier, sauced dishes and highly seasoned ethnic dishes.
 Dry white wine is preferred with fish and seafood because the oiliness of most fish will make red wine taste metallic, he said. With fish or shellfish that is grilled or prepared in other plain ways he suggests California chablis or French muscadets — "lighter than (French) chablis but now half the price." He named muscadets from Barre Freres, Chateau de la Bidere, Remy-Pannier and Jean-Baptiste as good values and among California chablis, Beaulieu Vineyard, Wente Bros. and Pardiucci.
 Fish and shellfish with rich sauces call for somewhat heavier wines, he said: white burgundy such as Jadot's Macon Blanc Villages, a California pinot chardonnay or a white Bordeaux such as Ginetest Graves Extra.
 For drinking with turkey, chicken and light meats such as pork and veal, Bespaloff suggested a medium dry wine such as chenin blanc. He also recommends this or a medium dry rose with ham and raisin sauce.
 "Charles Krug, Robert Mondavi, Mirassou, Christian Brothers and Farducci chenin blancs are good values," he said. Other good buys among dry white wines are sauvignon blancs, which have body and flavor. Bespaloff said, California wines made from this variety of grape sometimes are labeled blanc fume or fume blanc instead.
 Among inexpensive reds, he recommended California zinfandels from a wide variety of wineries, ranging from Almaden and Cresta Blanca to Inglenook, Krug and Pardiucci.
 Now that France's light, fruity beaujolais wines have risen in price, he suggests instead a corbiere, at about \$2.50 or less a bottle (B&G, Sichel and Alby, for instance) or Cotes du Rhone, also French.
 Spanish reds called riojas usually are mature and full-flavored, he said, and suggested Cune Clarete and Bodegas Bilbainas Vina Fomal, among others.
 Good cabernet wines from many countries sell in the \$2 to \$4 range, he said, and suggested looking for labels from Yugoslavia, Hungary, northern Italy, Chile and Australia as well as from California and France.
 "The cheapest California burgundies are light and grapey, but there are good ones at \$2.25 to \$3 with plenty of flavor."
 If champagne at \$10 to \$15 a bottle is out of the question, Bespaloff suggested Krug or Le Duc, both sparkling wines from France and both half the price of French champagne.
 Among inexpensive aperitifs — dry sheries and other fortified wines — he sees good value in Great Western's New York State Solera Pale Dry Sherry, selling for less than \$3, and Kir Gallique, a French blend of white wine and creme de cassis.

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The Lighter Side Sorry, That Zip Code Has Been Disconnected

By DICK WEST
WASHINGTON (UPI) — When people start suffering indignities without so much as a whimper, much less an angry outcry, humanity is in big trouble.
 And it does no good to shrug and say, "Well, that's the way the civilization crumbles." We need to get involved.
 For an indication of how close our society is to terminal inertia think back a few years to the time when the telephone company began scuttling exchange names.
 Remember the howls of protest that arose when such stately old exchanges as 2Xcalibur 5, OXford 5 and Braham 4 were digitized to 396, 695 and 274?
 Thousands of subscribers rightfully vented their wrath against this high-handed expanding of all that was left of tradition, romance and esthetics in telephonic communications.
 The phone company always wins, of course. But it was heartening to see people willing to take a stand when their sensibilities were offended.
 Contrast that, if you will, to the passive submission with which the public accepted the U.S. Postal Service's 1973 wipe-out of place names in postmarks.
 Hardly a peep was heard from the populace over this massive affront to their civil pride and community spirit.
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Serves Another Purpose

Dental drill does more than repair bridgework. In this case, the patient is a computer. Mrs. Martha Evans uses the drill to modify microcircuits that perform special functions in computers assembled at IBM's Boca Raton, Fla., plant. (NEA photo)

Judge Lexton Promoted

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Dynamite Taken Aboard Plane In Panties

LONDON (UPI) — A young Irish girl almost blew up a British Airways passenger plane after calmly boarding the flight with dynamite stuffed in her panties.
 An airport security report issued Tuesday said the girl boarded the Belfast-bound flight at Heathrow Airport in London during the summer and assembled the bomb while the help of her boyfriend while the plane was in flight.
 The report said the couple left the bomb under their seat, but that it failed to explode on the return flight to London because of a faulty timing mechanism. Bomb experts later defused it.
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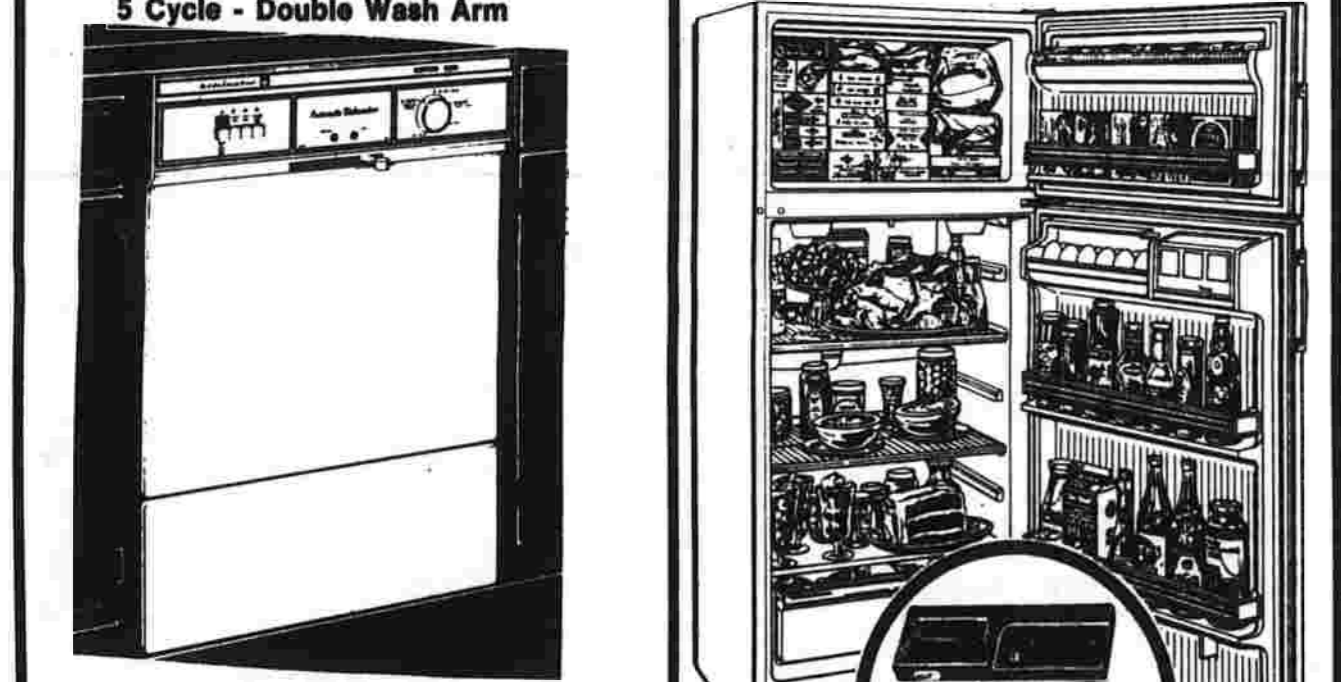
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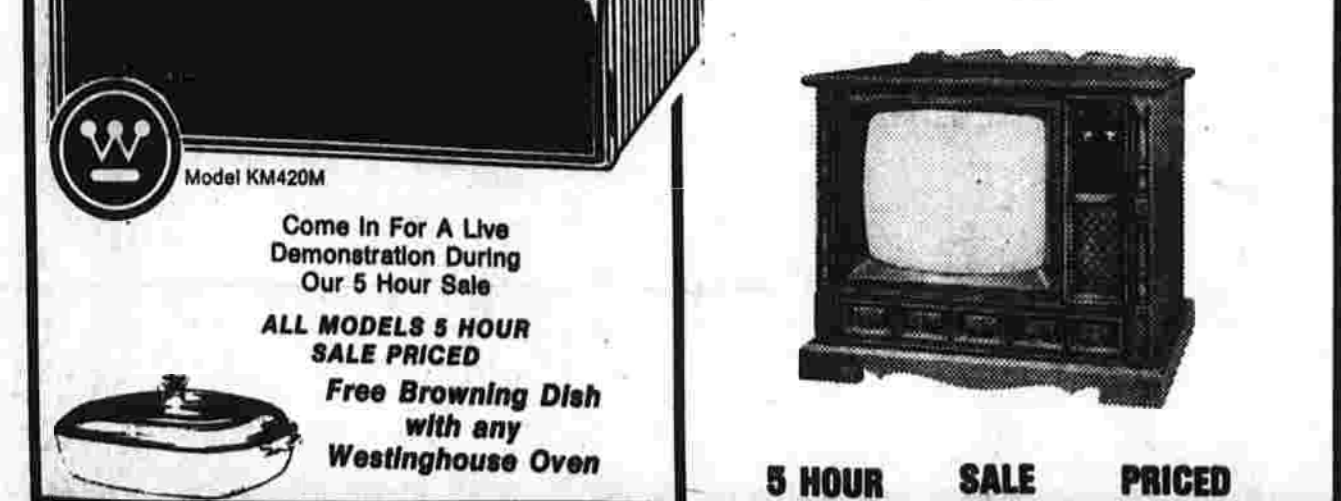
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Sgt. Henry R. Minor

Sgt. Minor Home From FBI Academy

Sgt. Henry R. Minor of the Manchester Police Department completed the 99th session of the FBI National Academy last week and was back on the job this week. Minor is the fourth Manchester Police officer to attend the academy. The academy is in Quantico, Va., on a Marine Corps base. Police from all 50 states, the territories, and other countries study for three months there on an intense, collegiate type of schedule. There were 250 members in the 99th session. "Every police officer should have a course similar to it," Minor said.

54% of Taxes Paid To General Fund

Taxes equal to 54.8 per cent of 12-month estimates were paid into Manchester's General Fund as of Nov. 30, James A. Turk, collector of revenue reports. Manchester's fiscal year will end June 30, 1975. A total of \$7,745,402 was received, with \$14,116,938 anticipated for the 12-month period. Receipts to other town funds as of Nov. 30 are: Fire District Fund, \$731,347, for 54.5 per cent of the \$1,400,000 anticipated through June 30, 1975; Water Fund, \$332,603, for 45.9 per cent of the \$724,581 anticipated; Sewer Fund, \$206,271, for 30.1 per cent of \$683,852 anticipated; Special Downtown Taxing District Fund, \$32,153, for 50.9 per cent of \$63,150 anticipated; and Data Processing Fund, \$96,062, for 41.8 per cent of \$230,700 anticipated. Turk's report shows that as of Nov. 30—five months into the 1974-75 taxing year—\$214,041 in 1973-74 General Fund taxes is still outstanding, as is \$20,814 in 1973-74 Fire District taxes.

Holiday Gifts for the Camping Family

By WILLIAM D. LAFFLER NEW YORK (UPI) — What to you give a camping family for Christmas? It all depends on how long the family has been camping. The serious campers have all the basic equipment they need. They learned long ago not to overload their recreational vehicles with excess baggage. But they can always use expendable items such as paper plates, paper tablecloths, canned delicacies and paper firewood logs. If you want to be generous, you can give the veteran camper a spare tire but first find out the proper size. It's another matter with the family which is new to camping. These families have a tendency to overload in the beginning but as time goes by they begin to discard the items which they have not used. Most campers have the Rand McNally Road Atlas and Campground and Trailer Park Guide. But there are other good books published by Rand McNally, including "Outdoor Recreation Guide" and "Discover Historic America." Subscriptions to camping magazines also make good gifts. Several manufacturers have introduced AM-FM radios with a wave length for special weather reports from all parts of the country. All the camper has to do to get a forecast for his region is to press a button. These radios are compact and inexpensive. Generally, campers operate on a budget and buy inexpensive sleeping equipment. Down filled sleeping bags are a luxury but they will keep the sleeper warm in cold weather. Space heaters make ideal gifts, too, for campers who do not have furnaces in their vehicles. Beginning campers enjoy the romance and warmth of a campfire but often when they reach the campsites they find the available firewood too wet to ignite. Compacted paper logs, which are available in many supermarkets, can be carried in the camping vehicle or car trunk. Portable torches are useful items. They have a wick lamp mounted on a pole which can be stuck in the ground. These torches can be ignited with kerosene or special odorless fuel and they are inexpensive. Hunting knives, barometers and compasses also are inexpensive gifts. A rod and reel is a good gift, too, even though the camper already may have fishing equipment. An extra rod always can be used. Children in camping families usually carry along a portable cassette tape recorder. Blank tapes or pre-recorded rock and roll albums on cassettes will be welcomed. A lightweight, portable television set will keep the children quiet on rainy days. Nylon tents are lightweight items which fit nicely into backpacks. They also offer adventure to the youngsters who want to sleep on the ground during warm weather. Among the more expensive items are the tool kit and the citizens' band radio. Before buying one of these, it is advisable to snoop around and determine whether the camping friends have such equipment. Games always make good gifts.

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Robertson Heads Masonic Lodge

Earl M. Robertson of 30 Fernside St. Tuesday night was elected worshipful master of Manchester Lodge of Masons. He succeeds Roger Ather. Elected and appointed officers will be installed Saturday at 8 p.m. in a semi-public ceremony at the Masonic Temple. The installing suite, all past masters of the lodge, will be James A. Stratford, master; Malcolm Robertson, marshal; and Norman F. Pierce, chaplain. Music for the installation will be provided by James W. McKay, lodge organist; and Ronald Erickson, soloist. Other elected officers are George R. Ouillette, senior warden; Joseph M. Hyland, junior warden; William R. Hewitt, treasurer; Robertson, secretary. Ather was elected a trustee. Appointed officers are Russell W. McClelland, senior deacon; Richard A. Bolin, junior deacon; John W. Ferguson, senior steward; Robert F. Silva, junior steward; Donald G. Wells, marshal. Also, Walter A. Person Jr., chaplain; John O. Nelson, historian; Lytle T. Medow, historian emeritus; Thomas E. Murphy, tier; William C. Bray, tier emeritus; and McKay, organist. Robertson was born in Weston, Maine, and attended schools there and in Danforth, Maine. He attended aircraft and engine schools in Houlton, Maine, and in East Hartford, New York and Illinois. He is a supervisor in the experimental construction section of engineering at Pratt and Whitney Aircraft Division of United Aircraft Corp. Robertson's other Masonic affiliations are with Delta Chapter of Royal Arch Masons, the Scottish Rites lodge of Hartford, the Connecticut Consistory (32nd degree) at Norwich, is a past president of the Fellowcraft Club of Manchester Lodge, and has been an advisor to John Mather Chapter, Order of DeMolay, five years. He is married to the former Natalie Irish of Danforth and the couple has four children, Rosalie, Dana, Harold and Alan.

Hartford Begins Drive To Cut Juvenile Crime

HARTFORD (UPI) — The head of the Hartford Police Department's Juvenile Division says many of the juveniles involved in serious crimes in Hartford are runaways from state institutions. Lt. James Jordan made the comment Tuesday after Hartford Mayor George Athanson and two city councilmen announced a major campaign against juvenile crime. Jordan said youngsters between 15 and 17 years old are responsible for 30 per cent of the serious crimes committed here. He noted, however, the rate of juvenile crime in the past 10 months is about the same as last year. Jordan said one youth who had escaped three times from the Long Lane School at Middletown was involved in at least 16 burglaries, and another who escaped seven times was involved in at least five burglaries and car thefts. Connecticut's institutions for juvenile offenders generally are run on a school-like basis, with the youths housed in small "colleges."

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HERALD YESTERDAYS 25 Years Ago This date was a Sunday. The Herald did not publish. 10 Years Ago Town Park and Rec Superintendent Horace Murphy says that "in view of the fact that all personnel were on the job last night and all rec department activities operated on schedule, there will be no recriminations against six part-time employees who stayed away Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday."

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Nagy, Kimberly Ann, daughter of Paul W. and Judith Danahy Nagy of 24 High Ridge Rd., Rockville. She was born Nov. 22 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. Her maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William Danahy of 56 Ridgewood St. Her paternal grandmother is Mrs. William Nagy of 37 South St., Rockville. Her paternal great-grandmother is Mrs. Lisa Roehrer of Grand Ave., Rockville. She has a brother, Peter, 15, and a sister, Susan, 2 1/2.

Churchill, Barton Briggs, son of Thomas L. and Susan Briggs Churchill of Wrights Mill Rd., Coventry. He was born Nov. 23 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. His maternal grandparents are George Briggs of Naples, Fla. His paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Churchill of Lake Oswego, Ore.

Phillips, Judah Aaron, son of Steven and Elyse Brockelbank Phillips of 129C Tudor Lane. He was born Nov. 22 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Chester Brockelbank of Ipswich, Mass. His paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Phillips of Saugus, Mass. His great-grandparents are Mrs. Marion McGilvary of Ipswich, Mrs. Sophie Phillips of Boston, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pirone of Brighton, Mass.

Aylward, Tracy Lynn, daughter of Robert F. and Lynn Aylward of 187 Wadsworth St. She was born Nov. 23 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. Her maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Aylward of 109 Lockwood St. Her paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Francis R. Aylward of East Hartford. Her maternal great-grandmother is Mrs. Margaret Aylward of Dorchester, Mass.

Zapacka, Luke Stephen, son of Leon J. and Carol Knight Zapacka of 40 South Rd., Bolton. He was born Dec. 3 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Knight of 34 Andor Rd. His paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Zapacka of 168 Woodland St. He has two sisters, Anne, 6 1/2, and Lauren, 3 1/2.

Hayes, Scott Jason, son of William E. and Martha Nickerson Hayes of Colchester. He was born Dec. 4 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William J. Nickerson of Colchester. His paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Emmett E. Hayes of 69 Cambridge St. He has a brother, William, 7, and a sister, Kimberly, 4.

Shields, Nathan Clark, son of James P. and Cynthia Clark Shields of 8 Oxford St. He was born Dec. 3 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Milton J. Clark of Merrill, Maine. His paternal grandmother is Mrs. Harriet Nyeck of Jersey City, N.J. His great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Manzi of Matamoras, Pa., Herbert Hills of Belfast, Maine, and Mrs. Ralph A. Clark of Brooks, Maine.

Walwyn, Jason Adam, son of James and Brenda Medlock Walwyn of 40 Elizabeth Dr., Hebron. He was born Dec. 2 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Medlock of Bronx, N.Y. His paternal grandmother is Mrs. Blanche Walwyn of St. Albans, N.Y. He has three sisters, Deirdra, 11; Regina, 9; and Belinda, 6.

Hall, William Eric, son of Mark A. and Beverly Powell Hall of 52B Mt. Vernon Dr., Vernon. He was born Dec. 3 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Powell of the Windsor Ave., Rockville. His paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hall of Rt. 6, Columbia. His maternal great-grandfather is Arthur M. Powell of Norwich. His maternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moon of Hampton and Mrs. Julia Bartman of Sarasota, Fla.

Steppen, Jeremy William, son of William and Lorraine Cooke Steppen of Mile Hill Rd., Rockville. He was born Dec. 8 at Rockville General Hospital. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George R. Cooke of 1 Westview Ter., Ellington. His paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Steppen of Middle Butcher Rd., Ellington.

Walker, Robert Gould, son of George G. III and Lynette Dumble Walker of Essex, Surrey, England. He was born Nov. 16 in London, England. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Dumble of East Fremantle, Western Australia. His paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George G. Walker of 17 Harvard Rd. He has a sister, Lucy, 1 1/2.

Dyrholm, Krista Beth, daughter of Ivan N. and Janet H. Wenderoth Dyrholm of Vernon. She was born Dec. 3 at Rockville General Hospital. Her maternal grandmother is Mrs. E. Wenderoth of Pennsauken, N.J. Her paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Svend Dyrholm of Philadelphia, Pa.

Lewis, Shelley Ann, daughter of David R. and Mary Hagenow Lewis of 48 Winter St. She was born Dec. 2 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. Her maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Hagenow of 111 Olcott St. Her paternal grandmother is Mrs. Elizabeth Lewis of 179 Birch St. She has a brother, Darien, 2.

Navy Seaman Daniel C. Bailey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene M. Bailey of 33 E. Eldridge St., has completed Basic Electricity and Electronics School at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill. He is scheduled to report to Electronics Technician "A" School, Great Lakes. A 1974 graduate of East Catholic High School, he joined the Navy in July 1971.

IN THE SERVICE

Navy Seaman Carl A. Heikilla, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allan A. Heikilla of 34 Perkins St., recently visited Bizerte, Tunisia, while serving aboard the destroyer escort USS Garcia, which is homeported at Charleston, S.C.

Army Pvt. Kenneth A. Veysey, son of Mrs. Kenneth Malbon of 238 W. Center St. and Allan Veysey of 13 Cushman Dr., recently completed eight weeks of basic combat training at Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.

Pvt. Susan J. Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon A. Thompson of 112 Conway Rd., recently completed a photographic laboratory specialist course at the Army Signal School, Ft. Dix, N.J.

John Duane Travis, husband of Mrs. Cathleen Travis of 841 Oakland St., has entered the U.S. Air Force delayed enlistment program and will report for active duty March 17, 1975. A graduate of Manchester High School, he has selected a position in the fire protection specialist career field.



25th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Herman A. Wutch of 96 Ridge St. celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary on Dec. 9. A party was given in their honor on Oct. 19 at Willie's Steak House by their two sons, Francis and Walter, both of Manchester. Relatives and friends from New York, Massachusetts and Connecticut attended as well as Martin A. Wutch of East Hartford, best man, and Mrs. Alice Griffin Mooney, maid of honor. The couple was married Dec. 9, 1949 at St. James Church, Manchester. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Mullaney, formerly of 82 Ludlow Rd., now of Red Hook, N.Y. Mr. Doherty is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. James M. Doherty. Mr. and Mrs. Doherty teach English at Passaic Valley High School in Little Falls, N.J. They reside in Leonia, N.J.

MARC Plans Party For Retarded

The Manchester Association for Retarded Citizens, Inc. will hold its annual Christmas Party Saturday at Robertson School auditorium from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

All retarded school age children and young adults are invited to the party. Parents are reminded to bring a gift for their child which will be presented by Santa Claus. Special guests at this year's party will be residents of Mansfield Training School and Meadows Convalescent Home. There will be entertainment and refreshments. Mrs. Rosalind Dymek is in charge of the refreshments and will be assisted by John Labada, Rosemarie O'Reilly, Maureen Gorman, Mark Belanger, Mary Belanger, Brian Maston and Greg Finnie. Mrs. Thomas Finnie and Mrs. Francis Maston are in charge of gifts for the guests.

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ON SECOND THOUGHT

By JAN WARREN

They're Too Old to Make Popcorn Strings

The other night I popped an enormous bowl of popcorn, got out the needle and thread and announced to the family that we were going to make popcorn strings for Christmas tree. "Sorry," said Kate, "but I have a science test to study for." "And I have a meeting at the high school," said Sara. "And I was just going out," said Tom, reaching for a fistful of popcorn with one hand and the needle and thread in the other. After they'd left, I threw up my hands in discouragement. "What's wrong with those kids this year?" I said to John and my husband. They don't have time for any of the fun things. What do you want to be? They'll be too busy next week when I want them to trim the tree?" "You're right," said my husband as he heaved his first piece of popcorn over the edge of the needle. "They're busy all the time. Too busy, if you ask me." "They're not too busy, they're too old," said John. He pushed dramatically, tossed a piece of popcorn into his mouth and then continued, "In a few years, I'll be too old for this stuff." "Ouch!" I said as my needle missed the popcorn. "Nonsense," my husband said. "How can you be too old to make popcorn strings?" "No stockings?" said Tom. "But we always hang up our stockings," said Sara. "C'mon ma," said Kate. "We've got to hang up our stockings. Poor old Santa's heart will break if he don't!" "Neat-o!" said John as he viewed the results. When the older kids came home they were very nice and admired our efforts, too. "You know," I said warning to their praise, "I keep forgetting how grown-up you teenagers are! We should be adapting some of our Christmas traditions to fit. Like the stockings. I guess it's pretty silly for us to keep hanging them up each year. After all," I said with a conspiratorial wink, "we all know who Santa Claus really is."

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NEW YORK (UPI)—At its second birthday on Oct. 23, the "Pippin" musical at the Imperial Theater had rung up a net profit of \$2.1 million, over and above the production cost of \$500,000. An amazing record for a show that almost didn't make it to opening night in 1972, or for any show for that matter.

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A. You should gather up any information you may have about your 1972 wages, 1972 Form W-2, or payroll slips and contact your Social Security office. The people there will help you straighten out your earnings record.

Q. I will be getting married this month. Since I will be protected as the wife of a worker covered by Social Security, why do I have to contribute?

A. When you are ready to retire, you might qualify for higher cash benefits based on your own eligibility and earnings record. Should you become disabled before you retire, you and your children could receive disability benefits based on your record. And if you should die when your children are still young, they could receive monthly survivors benefits based on your record.

Q. My wife and I are both retired and get monthly Social Security payments. Since my wife is collecting on my work record, will my earnings at a part-time job affect my monthly payments?

A. No, your wife's earnings only affect her payments. Q. My husband and I were divorced after 27 years of marriage. He died two years ago. Now that I am of retirement age can I collect widow's benefits on his record? He never contributed to my support after our divorce.

A. Yes, since you were married to your former husband for at least 10 years, you can get Social Security payments on his record. Before January 1973, a divorced woman also had to show that her former husband was providing at least one-half of her support. But a change in the law ended that requirement.

Q. I do seasonal farm work and recently started getting together my earnings information from last year so I can do my income tax return. Aren't the farmers I work for supposed to furnish me with a statement of my earnings so I can complete my tax return?

A. Yes, if your earnings in farm work are \$600 or more in a year from one employer, they must furnish you with a W-2 form. If your earnings are less than \$600 your employer must furnish you with a statement of earnings but it does not have to be on a W-2 form. You should keep a list of your employers names and addresses to help in requesting a statement of earnings if you don't get one.

Have a question about Social Security and its retirement, survivors, disability or retirement benefits? Write to Questions and Answers, 657 Main St., East Hartford, Conn., 06106.

Eclipse Watchers Warned

BOSTON (UPI)—Would-be astronomers are advised not to look at the partial eclipse of the sun Friday morning. "Sunglasses and beer bottle bottoms are not acceptable instruments for viewing eclipses," John Carr, director of the Boston Museum of Science's Hayden Planetarium, said. "The sun's ultraviolet rays can be harmful to the human eye."

The eclipse will begin 10 seconds before 9:31 a.m. Friday and reach its maximum point 13 seconds after 11:00 a.m. It will end at 12:38 p.m. At the time of maximum intensity, Carr said, 87.3 per cent of the sun would be eclipsed by the moon.

His advice for the curious: "Don't look at it." But for those who insist, he advised either of two precautions: —Utilize a pin-hole projection by viewing the eclipse through two pieces of cardboard, or —Construct a solar viewer by stapling together two strips of fully exposed and developed black and white film. The emulsion sides facing each other.

Astronomers at the Hayden Planetarium in New York gave similar advice, but noted, "It is not necessary to be as cautious as the lady who called the Hayden Planetarium in 1970 asking when she could let her dog outside."

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OBITUARIES Rise in False Alarms Concerns Chief Rivosa

David W. Ross — David William Ross, 87, of Fairview Dr. died Monday at Manchester Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Ross was born in Chicago, Ill., and had lived in Manchester for 12 years before coming to South Windsor two years ago. Before his retirement, he was a drapery and rug cleaner.

Survivors are two nephews, Covin Ross of South Windsor and Ralph R. Ross of Washington, D.C.

Funeral services are private. Burial will be at the convenience of the family.

The Samuel-Basinger Funeral Home, 419 Busiest Rd., is in charge of arrangements.

There are no calling hours.

Manchester Town Fire Chief John Rivosa, concerned about an apparent increase in the number of false fire alarms, said today he'll consider civil legal action against any suspects in such cases.

In the last two days, town firemen have responded to a total of six fire alarms. Five were false.

"I'm very concerned about the number of false alarms," Rivosa said. "Every time firemen go out they risk their lives to serve the community. And if there's a real fire at the same time a false alarm comes in, the firefighting effort suffers," he said.



Immigration Policies Criticized

MONTREAL (UPI) — Some civil rights groups have complained that Canada is about to change its immigration policies to stop an influx of nonwhites from Africa and Asia. Immigration Minister Robert Andras said today that non-discrimination is fundamental to and will continue to underpin his immigration policy.

Some members of Canada's House of Commons and some civil rights organizations say a government paper to be released next month will attempt to exclude non-whites from immigrating to Canada.

Some civil rights complaints were prompted by Conservative Member of Parliament Ron Hunt, who said in the House of Commons Monday that nonwhite immigrants, particularly Asians were a "social burden" on Canada, and he

feared they were setting up ghettos in major Canadian cities.

Andras said he disagreed with Huntington's remarks, and criticized him for making them. "I don't think we've reached a point in Canada where there is a racial (racial) tension," Andras said. He said Huntington's remarks could prompt "psychological tension" among minority groups.

Outstanding

Betty Read, outstanding woman student at the University of Oklahoma in Norman, is dead, but leads an active campus life and has a 3.25 grade point average. The Roswell, N.M., native is a math major and has helped organize several major campus activities. (UPI photo)

ABOUT TOWN

Al-Anon family groups will meet tonight at 8 at the Second Congregational Church parish house, 245 N. Main St., Thursday at 8 p.m. at the Pathfinders Club, and Friday at 10 a.m. at the South United Methodist Church campus. A luncheon for the 12- to 20-year-old children of problem drinkers will meet Thursday at 8 p.m. at the Pathfinders Club. The family groups are open to friends and relatives living with severe problem drinkers.

Surviving Sextuplets Improving

SAN JOSE, Calif. (UPI) — The breathing of the three surviving Lange sextuplets improved today but their condition remained guarded.

Doctors at the Valley Medical Center said the next several days were the "most crucial" for Joanne, Brian and Jason Lange, who remained in respirators in the hospital's intensive care unit.

Kelly and Corey Lange died Tuesday because of respiratory failure. Kelly also suffered cardiac failure. The first member of the sextuplets died Sunday shortly after being born at O'Connor Hospital.

A hospital spokesman said the breathing of the three survivors "improved slightly" and they remained in stable but guarded condition.

The babies were born to Mrs. Charlotte Lange, 24, three months prematurely. John weighed less than two pounds while the others were 2 1/2 pounds. Mrs. Lange had taken a fertility drug.

Ehrlichman Grilled By Prosecutor Neal

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Repeatedly reminding John D. Ehrlichman that he was to prepare for his grand jury appearances that May 3 and 9, Neal then asked him if he had not said "I can't recall" or "I don't remember" 125 times in that grand jury appearance.

"I have no idea," Ehrlichman himself told him to answer.

Prosecutor James F. Neal's cross-examination of the former White House domestic adviser immediately brought a series of objections from the defense and admonitions by U.S. District Judge John J. Sirica.

Ehrlichman, who broke down on the stand Tuesday while recounting the time President Richard M. Nixon asked him to

THE HERALD ANGLE

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Jeff May Have Point

Jeff Koelsch, who worked hard last winter trying to drum up enough interest to revive the Twilight Baseball League, stopped at the desk with a clipping from the Businessmen's Basketball League. Koelsch has many of the players listed were non-residents. His complaint, which may be justified, is why the Recreation Department was firm in its stand that only local men would be permitted in the proposed baseball circuit — which fell through. But this ruling does not apply to basketball, volleyball and softball leagues promoted by the same Recreation Department. Mike Colombe, who reigned as the Babe Ruth, or Hank Aaron if you prefer, in the Manchester Little League last summer because of his home run proficiency, proved as versatile in football this fall. The youngster named the most valuable player in the Midget League. Bruce Peck, who played a lot of third base with Manchester High and the Legion baseball teams, is one of the best looking newcomers to the sport of volleyball. In fact, there are more youngsters men playing the game this season than ever before in Manchester. Attendance for the Springfield Kings in the American Hockey League continues to fall off at an alarming rate. Springfield has long been a Saturday hockey night but this season a number of off-night games have been slated and this has helped cut down on the crowd. Gene McCormick, veteran Springfield hockey writer, reports... Gerry Finn, talented sports columnist, formerly with the Hartford Times, is now chronicling his column for the Springfield Line.

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Bolton in Breather Beating Lyman Five

Racing to a 50-19 halftime advantage, Bolton High never looked back and registered an 89-49 basketball victory over Lyman Memorial last night at the Bulldogs' floor. The triumph squared Bolton's mark at 1-1 for the season.

The four of the five Bulldogs starters hit double figures with forward Pat Fletcher and guard Kevin Kowalshyn netting 19 apiece. Paul Groves added 16 points and Kevin Hills clipped in with 12 markers. Bolton led after the first quarter, 24-8. Skip Okumok took scoring honors for Lyman with 23 markers.

Bolton begins Charter Oak Conference action Friday night journeying to Rocky Hill.

The National Football League averaged 8,211 fans per game in 1974, setting the first year of operation.

Advance Ticket Sale Only

There will be no tickets on sale at the box office for Saturday night's basketball game at the Clark Arena between Manchester High and East Catholic High.

Dave Wiggins, MHS director of athletics, reports that George Emmerling and the Rev. Robert Saunders, principals at MHS and East, agreed to sell only tickets in advance at both schools. The 1,800 tickets will be equally divided.

Tickets, both student and adult, will be on sale Thursday and Friday from 11 to 1 p.m. in the cafeteria at East and from 1:15 to 2:30 p.m. and from 7:30 to 8 a.m. Thursday and Friday in the office at MHS.

This will be the first meeting ever between the two schools in any major sport.



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Third Straight Victory Notched by Tech Five

Deadlocked at 50-all at the end of regulation time, Cheney Tech ripped off 11 unanswered points in a overtime session to upend Somers High, 61-50, in basketball action last night at the Spartans' floor. The Beavers have now won three straight after an opening setback.

Trailing 30-34 going into the final quarter, Cheney rallied to take the lead but

Somers' Jim Day stole the inbound pass with six seconds left in regulation to send it into extra time with a bucket. Day led the 9-2 Spartans with 16 points.

"We played our best game to date but the score doesn't show it," Beaver Coach Gerry Blanchard noted. "Everybody did an outstanding job on defense in the overtime period."

Tom LeCourt paced the

Beavers in the scoring department with 22 points followed by center Mark Vikiene with 16. Senior forward Tom Faron added 12 points and a game-high 20 rebounds. Also playing well in a reserve role was Emil Habernern with seven points and a fine defensive effort. Cheney returns home Friday night to entertain Windham Tech. Tap-off for the jayvee game is at 6.

Fermi Holds Lead And Nips Indians

By Len Auster

Opening a 55-49 lead with two minutes to go, Fermi High held on and nipped Manchester High, 58-57, last night in Enfield in CCIL basketball action before a crowd of 500. Both clubs now sport similar 1-1 ledgers.

Manchester outscored the host Falcons from the floor, 28-23, but lost it at the foul line where Fermi converted 12 of 22 opportunities while the Indians came off five of 10 chances.

"There were too many mistakes and too many fouls," Tribe Coach Doug Pearson said. "But that's the way it's going to be with this team. I also thought we played poorly on defense. Let's take a look at the shot chart. Fermi made four baskets outside of the 15-foot range and you don't beat many teams playing defense that way."

Fighting an uphill climb most of the way, the Falcons deadlocked it at the end of three periods at 45-43 on Jim Sheehan's three-point play with one second left in the stanza. Edging to a six-point lead, Fermi put the verdict on ice with 18 seconds left on a free throw by Sheehan, a sharpshooting senior guard who had a game-high 23 points. Kerry Collins, who played well in a reserve role for Manchester, pumped in a

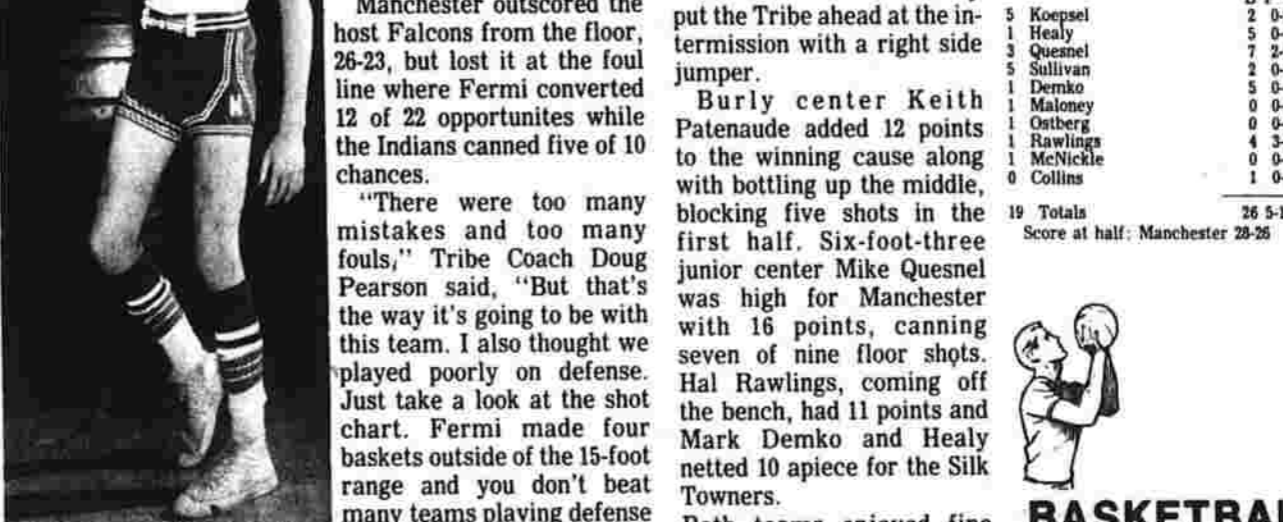
20-foot jumper at the final buzzer but it was academic. The Indians raced to a 14-9 first quarter advantage and increased the margin 24-16 in the second canto but by a 10-2 spurt by Fermi, including three straight buckets by Sheehan, knotted it at 26-all before Bob Healy put the Tribe ahead at the intermission with a right side jumper.

Bury center Keith Patenaude added 12 points to the winning cause along with botting up the middle, blocking five shots in the first half. Six-foot-three junior center Mike Quessel was high for Manchester with 16 points, canning seven of nine floor shots. Hal Rawlings, coming off the bench, had 11 points and Mark Demko and Healy netted 10 apiece for the Slik Towers.

Both teams enjoyed fine shooting nights from the floor. Manchester was 26 for 54 and Fermi shot 50 per cent, 23 for 46.

The Indians return home Saturday night for their first meeting ever with cross-town East Catholic.

In jayvee action, Manchester squared its mark at 1-1 with a 49-47 victory. Sophomores John Pisch and Brian Moran netted 15 and 14 respectively in the winning effort.



MIKE QUESNEL

Major College Basketball Georgetown Drops Start to Maryland

NEW YORK (UPI) — "Georgetown has been bragging about their defense, but we'll have to see if we can score at least 60 points against them," said Maryland Coach Lefty Driessel before the two teams met at Terrapins met the Hoyas.

The Terps did better than 60 — a lot better — as they drubbed Georgetown, 104-71, Tuesday night to run their record to 4-9 and hand the Hoyas their first loss in four outings.

The Terps placed six men in double figures with Steve Galla scoring 18 points and 18 from Steve Sheppard showing the way. Maryland also showed a tough defense of its own, holding the Hoyas without a field goal for almost 11 minutes early in the game while expanding a 7-4 lead to a 35-10 advantage seven minutes before halftime.

Maryland was the only team in the Top 10 to see action but three other ranked schools also came through with victories.

No. 13 Pennsylvania ran record to 4-0 by beating Georgetown, 99-80, 14th-ranked Arizona State defeated St. Joseph's, 90-80, and 16th-ranked Virginia State beat Nevada-Las Vegas, 85-80.

In other major games, Syracuse beat St. John's, 76-66. Missouri double Indiana State, 89-76. Georgia nipped Northeast Louisiana, 97-86. Providence topped Assumption, 97-83. Oral Roberts whipped Hofstra, 89-72. Nebraska beat North Texas, 86-84. Cleveland State, 78-67, and Holy Cross stopped Massachusetts, 68-62.

Elsewhere, Bowling Green whipped Eastern Michigan, 103-83, Drake edged Texas, 103-98, in overtime. Texas Christian nipped Lamar, 99-87. Northeastern edged Army, 77-74. Connecticut topped Vermont, 90-84. Colgate defeated Cornell, 68-56. Princeton beat Villanova, 79-70. Penn State

Needham Wins

LONDON (UPI) — David Needham outpointed Irishman Paddy McGuire over 15 rounds and won the vacant British bantamweight championship crown.

Needham, out of the ring for more than six months after suffering a damaged eye, won the bout by 12 1/2-146 points according to the scoring of referee Harry Gibbs, despite suffering bad cuts around his right eye in the sixth and 13th rounds.

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East Catholic-Manchester Agree to Meet in Football

Confirmed as the date when East Catholic and Manchester High have their first meeting ever on the gridiron is Sept. 13, 1975. The contest between the two local schools will be played at Manchester High's Memorial Field. It will be the season opener for both the Eagles and Indians.

Eventually, when present commitments are completed, the two schools will engage in football on Thanksgiving morning.

Iverson's Basket Gives MCC Win

With Curt Iverson pumping home the winning bucket with 15 seconds left, the Manchester Community College basketball team nipped the University of Hartford JV, 60-59, last night at the Hawks' gym.

MCC, now with an aggregate 3-1 mark, is in Middlesex County against CCCC for Middlesex Community College.

The Cougars were outscored from the field, 27-23, but won it at the charity stripe canning 14 of 20 opportunities.

Tom Tucker paced the winners with 14 points and center John Dishaev netted 13 along with 13 rebounds. John Conley also hit double figures for MCC with 11 markers. Stu Rosenberg was best for the 9-3 losers with 12 markers.

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State College Basketball

BASKETBALL

CONNECTICUT

STORRS (UPI) — Connecticut opened its Yankee Conference basketball schedule with a 90-84 victory over Vermont Tuesday night, handing the Catamounts their first loss in four games. The game was tied four times.

Providence Tops N.E. Poll

BOSTON (UPI) — Providence and Boston College, the two teams expected to make waves nationally, have begun what is expected to be a season-long struggle for the top spot in the region's major college basketball rankings. Providence barely won the first weekly UPI coaches poll, picking up seven of 14 first-place ballots cast and a total of 82 points. The Friars, without the big name this year, edged Boston College, 81-79.

Massachusetts, 3-1, was third with 34 points, including the remaining first-place vote. Connecticut collected 25 points for fourth place and Brown, projected as an increasingly tough opponent once the team gets experience, is fifth with 14 points.

Central Opens

NEW BRITAIN (UPI) — Central Connecticut State College's basketball squad will open their home season tonight against traditional rival Southern Connecticut. The Blue Devils, 2-1 for the season, have lost only to Hartford last weekend in the finals of the Trinity-Hartford Invitational tournament. Southern is 1-1, having lost to Bridgeport and defeated Merrimack.

MHS GIRLS

Dipping to a 1-1 mark for the season yesterday was the Manchester High girls' basketball team with a 32-26 setback to Fermi High at Clarke Arena. The locals held the lead early but foul trouble developed and the visitors took command. Jeanie Halloran had 10 points for Manchester with Ginny Peterson and Leslie Bartlett also playing well. In jayvee action, Manchester topped Fermi, 20-8, with Kathy Strand pacing the locals with six points. Kathy Klotzer and Nancy Watt controlled the backboards.

and the lead changed hands seven times during the first half before Tony Hanson sank a 15-footer to put the Huskies in front for keeps, 20-19. Vermont narrowed the gap to 38-37 near the end of the half but UConn dropped eight quick points to take a 46-37 intermission advantage.

HARTFORD — Senior Gary LaRoque scored 21 points and teammates Bill Brown and Paul DaSilva added 14 apiece to lead the University of Hartford Hawks to a 113-86 basketball victory over Suffolk University Tuesday night. Hartford is now 3-1 for the season while Suffolk went to 2-2. High scorer for the visiting Rams was Steve Barrett with 26 points. Barrett scored 20 points in a row in the second half. Hartford shot 53 per cent to Suffolk's 54 per cent but Hartford controlled the backboards with 49 rebounds to 27 for Suffolk. Hartford led, 51-39, at the half and never trailed.

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The Herald Area Profile

Wallace Top Jaycee

Robert Wallace of 12 Talcott Ave., Vernon has been named the "Jaycee of the Month" by the Greater Vernon Jaycees.

Some RHS Addition Work to Be Rebid

one-half of the \$400,000 as long as it was money to be used for the new addition.

The Town Council did not approve the proposal and Town Attorney Abbot Schwebel expressed concern, noting that the council could not be sure if the annual budget meeting would approve that amount in the school budget.

In view of this action the building committee decided to rebid the major mechanical bids which came in much higher than anticipated when originally bid a few months ago.

These bids will be opened Thursday night at 7:30 at the Administration Building.

Several being put out for rebid because of changes in specifications were made in the electrical and heating and ventilating contracts.

Changes involved reductions of quality in some areas and quantity in other areas.

The original bid for the ventilation and air conditioning was estimated at \$230,000 and the low bid was \$617,000. The electrical contract bid came in some \$196,000 higher than anticipated.

The low base bid, submitted by Horn Construction Co. came in at \$4,093,000 and added to this is an alternate bid for classroom partitions bringing the total base bid to \$4,229,000. This has to be decreased by \$413,892 to bring the entire project within the \$5 million approved by a referendum more than a year ago.

Police Charge Second Youth With Murder

NEW HAVEN (UPI) - A second youth has been formally charged with murder in the shotgun slaying of Gary Stein, 20, a Yale University scholarship student killed during an attempted street holdup.

A Superior Court bench warrant was served today on Ernest Washington, 16, who was already in custody on a lesser charge in connection with the Saturday night slaying of the Irvington, N.Y. junior.

A 14-year-old juvenile, described as a repeated juvenile home runaway, was earlier charged with murder and attempted robbery in the case. His identity was withheld by police.

Washington and the juvenile were originally picked up and the older youth was charged with carrying a dangerous weapon. Police said the shotgun taken from Washington was the one used in the shooting.

Stein, a 21-year-old chemistry major and member of the Yale baseball team, was on the way to visit his girl friend, Lynn Sewaja, 21, a Yale senior, when he was shot late Saturday on Clark Street. He died early Sunday at Yale-New Haven Hospital.

AREA POLICE REPORT

SOUTH WINDSOR Michael J. Stavola, 23, of Waterfield was arrested Tuesday by South Windsor Police on a warrant issued by Circuit Court 12 charging him with first-degree larceny and third-degree burglary.

Police Chief John Kerrigan said the arrest was made in connection with the investigation of the Oct. 17 break into the Pleasant Valley Pharmacy on John Fitch Blvd. in South Windsor.

Stavola was released on a \$5,000 surety bond and is to be presented in Circuit Court 12, East Hartford Dec. 30.

BOLTON Stanley Speck, 25, of Sunset Lane, Bolton was admitted to Manchester Memorial Hospital Tuesday night with injuries suffered in a three-car accident on I-94 in Bolton.

Speck was transported to the hospital by the Manchester Ambulance. Bolton and Manchester firemen also responded to the call. Hospital officials said this morning that Speck is in satisfactory condition. He suffered chest and knee injuries.

Drivers of the other two cars were Lowell E. Wakole, 40, of Oklahoma, and Richard Ladd, 20, of Tunnel Rd., Vernon. The accident is still under investigation.

Transportation Fund Elimination Urged HARTFORD (UPI) - Connecticut's Transportation Fund, opposed by environmentalists because it goes primarily for highway construction, may be eliminated, but to get more money for road building rather than less.

The state Department of Transportation Tuesday proposed to Gov.-elect Ella T. Grasso ending the \$210 million fund and merging it with the state's general fund to increase transportation revenues.

Mrs. Grasso has been conducting hearings on state agency budget requests for fiscal 1976 with a view towards reducing a predicted \$200 million deficit.

Two RHS Students Honored VERNON Two Rockville High School students have received awards given by two national organizations.

Lisa Lombardi was presented with the 1975 Good Citizenship Award given by the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution.

This honor is given to a senior girl who has excelled in dependability, service, leadership, and patriotism. Its purpose is to help build youthful character and to call attention to those qualities which are desirable in a good citizen.

Citizen. Miss Sullivan's taped speech will be entered in the district competition. She was presented with a \$25 savings bond by George Welles, representing the local VFW.

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Leasing System Hearings Resume

HARTFORD, Conn. (UPI) - The legislative subcommittee investigating possible corruption in Connecticut's leasing system today planned to question six witnesses in connection with leased state facilities in Stamford, Bridgeport and Ansonia.

A subcommittee spokesman identified two of the witnesses as Frank and Peter DeNardo, who with their brothers lease various properties to the state in the New Haven and Fairfield county towns.

The subcommittee will consider two state Labor Department leases, one is a night in Ansonia that costs \$28,710 yearly, and the other on Summer Street, Stamford, that costs \$52,470 a year for 10 years.

It will also examine the lease on a building at 1882 East Main St., Bridgeport that houses several state agencies. A year of the Bridgeport lease were not available.

The hearings resume following a five-day recess during which Gov. Thomas J. Meskill was drawn closer to the center of the probe, which has helped stall a U.S. Senate vote on his nomination to a federal judgeship that pays \$42,500 a year.

Sen. Quentin Burdick, D-N.D., was reported by the Washington-based Connecticut News Service to be planning to ask fellow Judiciary Committee members to put off a vote on the Republican governor until after the new Congress reconvenes in January.

By that time the Connecticut subcommittee should have clarified Meskill's role in the leasing program. Meanwhile, state Sen. George L. Gunther, R-Stratford, was preparing to testify behind closed doors Friday that he asked the governor in 1972 to stop a "ripoff" lease being negotiated with relatives of Superior Court Judge J. Brian Gaffney, who was Republican state chairman at the time.



D of I Check Boosts Scholarship Fund

The Rev. Robert E. Saunders, principal of East Catholic High School, holds check for School Scholarship Fund as he points out some of the reference books used by his students.

FIRE CALLS MANCHESTER Tuesday, 7:39 p.m. - Town firemen called to scene of auto accident on I-84 near Manchester-Bolton town line.

ABOUT TOWN The finance committee of South United Methodist Church will meet tonight at 7:30 at the church.

Investigator Sees Need to Control Pre-Lease Information

HARTFORD (UPI) - The chief investigator for the legislature's leasing probe says he will propose a law making it a criminal offense to disclose "inside" information about state plans to buy or lease a facility.

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Shure said the other two proposals will be the establishment of a new state agency to handle all state leasing and building purchases and a citizens advisory committee to act as a watchdog panel.

Moffett Accuses Meskill Of Withholding Data On State Lease Deal FARMINGTON (UPI) - Rep.-elect Toby Moffett, D-Conn., says Gov. Thomas J. Meskill, refused to give him information he sought in 1972 about a state lease awarded to the relatives of then state Republican Chairman J. Brian Gaffney.

Moffett said Tuesday he is writing members of the Senate Judiciary Committee urging them to reject the nomination of Meskill to a federal judgeship.

Moffett said that he first asked former Public Works Commissioner Edward Kozlowski for information on the lucrative garage lease given to Frank Downes, an uncle of Gaffney.

State Labor Leader Opposes Trade Bill HAMDEN (UPI) - Connecticut's top labor leader has warned that the trade bill currently up for Senate debate added, "There they are able to exploit a low paid work force, evade American taxes, and still bring their products into the United States."

The labor chief said foreign corporations themselves "export" billions of dollars in products that destroy American jobs.

He said history has shown that when the U.S. negotiates to lower trade barriers, other nations soon replace concessions with new barriers to American-made products.

Driscoll, who called on Connecticut Sens. Abraham A. Ribicoff, Democrat, and Republican Lowell P. Weicker to vote against the bill in the Senate, charged the measure protects the profits of big multinational firms at the expense of jobs in America.

He said "The multinational corporations have already cost

Senate Confirms Rockefeller

WASHINGTON (UPI) - The Senate has confirmed Nelson A. Rockefeller as vice president and when all the talk, investigation, hearings and controversy was over, only seven senators voted against him.

Rockefeller's remaining obstacle is the House, where the Judiciary Committee makes its report Thursday. A final House vote is expected next week.

Rockefeller was with President Ford in New York Tuesday as the Senate voted 97 for his confirmation. Most senators praised the 66-year-old Republican as a man who "has dedicated his life to public service."

Many members noted during the debate that the country has been without a vice president "for too long" - since President Nixon resigned Aug. 9 under threat of impeachment and President Ford assumed the office.

The seven no votes came from James Abourezk, D-S.D.; Birch Bayh, D-Ind.; Barry Goldwater, R-Ariz.; Jesse Helms, R-N.C.; Howard Metzenbaum, D-Ohio; Gaylord Nelson, D-Wis.; and William Scott, R-Va. Republicans and Democrats both said they believed his enormous wealth held the potential for unavoidable conflicts of interest, or at least raised public suspicion of it.

Nelson said the nomination raised the issue of "concentrated wealth and power."

Goldwater said there was "a strong suspicion that the tremendous financial power of the Rockefeller family might have a corrupting influence on the political process."

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Educators Plea For More Funds

By MARK MILLER
 HARTFORD (UPI) — State higher education officials who paraded before Gov.-elect Ella T. Grasso Tuesday found no support for their pleas for more state funds. Instead she talked of "drastic cutbacks."
 Mrs. Grasso listened closely as they told of shrinking space, rising enrollments, worn-out equipment, increasing faculty-student ratios, lack of adequate libraries and previous cuts in programs.
 Mrs. Grasso, faced with a \$200 budget deficit in fiscal 1975, injected only an occasional thrifftily-qualified comment. Connecticut's fiscal condition "may be significantly worse than what has been described," she said. "Drastic cutbacks may be required."
 She said she formed her gloomy outlook "as harsh realities emerge from all of our units of government. We must cut our pattern to fit our cloth."



Withstands Russian Winters

Russian winters, brutal as they are, can't damage the Georgian SSR's hardy tea crop. A worker inspects a tea plant on a Georgian plantation where the climate seems ideal for it. (NEA photo)

Electric Rate Hike Ban Extended

HARTFORD (UPI) — A Common Pleas Court judge has extended an injunction against electricity rate hikes until Jan. 3, when the next court session begins.
 Judge Maurice J. Spozzo took the action Tuesday in a case where the city of Hartford and two consumer groups are challenging two rate hikes approved by the state Public Utilities Commission.
 The rate hikes were issued by Hartford Electric Light Co. and Connecticut Light & Power Co.
 The HELCO and CL&P rates were frozen by the injunction at the level established four months ago when the PUC approved interim rate hikes for the two firms totaling \$39 million.
 The utilities later were granted a \$47.7 million permanent rate hike. They had asked for a \$60 million increase.
 Gov.-elect Ella T. Grasso had urged Hartford and the consumer groups to challenge the PUC's rate approvals because they were more than necessary. They also said the PUC disregarded her allegations that utilities overcharged customers by \$19 million during the past three years through the use of old data in the fuel adjustment cost formula.
 Soar F. Charles, executive director of the Board of Trustees for the Regional Community Colleges, said of the 12 community colleges only Greater Hartford and Mohagan have space to accommodate more students.
 Charles said legislators and others have a "misconception" that community college education is inexpensive. "It's expensive if it's done properly," he said.

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 It was Ewing, too, who confirmed the theory of "continental drift," that the world's continents once were joined. Beginning 200 million years ago, India tore off from Australia and Antarctica, was set adrift and after 70 million years collided with Asia. North America, Africa and Europe left each other later. If the split had not occurred, Jacksonville, Fla., would be near what is now the African port of Dakar, and Las Palmas in what is now the Canary Islands would be near Boston.
 Many puzzling aspects of the evolution of the world's crust remain. For instance, no one knows where the Caribbean originated. One theory holds that the island group is a remnant of the ancient supercontinent of Pangea.

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 Jaws — Peter Benchley
 The Ebony Tower — John Fowles
 The War Between the Tates — Alison Lurie
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 A Bridge Too Far — Cornelius Ryan
 The Woman He Loved — Ralph G. Martin
 The Bermuda Triangle — Charles Berlitz with J. Manson Valentine
 All The President's Men — Carl Bernstein and Bob Woodward

ABOUT TOWN

ACTING FEVER
 NEW YORK (UPI) — After all those decades as a distinguished director for stage, screen and television, septuagenarian John Houseman seems to have contracted quite a case of acting fever. Last year he won Hollywood's Oscar as best supporting actor for his role in "The Paper Chase." It was only his second movie role, the first having been 10 years earlier. No such hiatus this time. He has an important role in "Three Days of the Condor," a suspense movie about the CIA, starring Robert Redford.

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BUSINESS

VW Scirocco Makes Debut



Volkswagen's new economy car, the Scirocco, will arrive at Ted Trudon Volkswagen on Rt. 83, Talcottville, tomorrow.

The Scirocco by Volkswagen — which Motor Trend magazine has called "the prestige and economy car of our time" — will be available at Ted Trudon Volkswagen in Talcottville tomorrow.

Styled by Giorgio Giugiaro, the Italian automobile designer, the Scirocco has a fully-synchronized four speed transmission, rack-and-pinion steering, power front disc brakes, four-wheel independent suspension, and a heated rear window defogger.

It gets 38 miles to a gallon of gasoline on the highway and 24 miles per gallon in the city, according to tests by the federal Environmental Protection Agency.

Suggested retail price of Scirocco is \$4,450.

The Travelers Aids Colleges

Grants totaling \$245,000 were made this year to colleges and universities by The Travelers Insurance Co. under its programs for financial aid to higher education.

Accounting for the largest amount was the alumni grant program, which provided \$100,000 to 60 privately supported colleges and universities. The unrestricted grants are based on the number of alumni employed by the company.

Under a second major program, the Travelers matched \$63,000 in gifts by employees to 350 private and tax-supported institutions of higher learning.

Since they began in 1962, the alumni grant and matching gift plans have contributed more than \$1,365,000 to colleges and universities.

A third program was initiated this year for the benefit of the University of Hartford. The grant of \$28,000 equals the tuition reimbursed to employees who completed job-related courses at the university during the 12 months ended June 30.

In addition to the annual grants, another \$47,000 was given by The Travelers to support scholarship programs, capital improvements, and research. Recipients included the United Negro College Fund, St. Joseph College, Hartford College Counseling Center for Women, Greater Hartford Community College, and the University of Michigan and Pennsylvania.

Aetna Promotes Town Resident

John W. Lavery of 130C Highland St., Manchester, has been appointed assistance director in the corporate planning department at Aetna Life & Casualty, Hartford.

Lavery is a graduate of Seton Hall University and holds a masters degree from the University of Maine. He joined the company in 1973 as a senior research consultant in the life division's market planning and research group and was promoted to consultant, corporate planning, earlier this year.

Lavery is a member of the American Economics Association, the National Association of Business Economists, and the Institute of Life Insurance Transfers Program.

Council Directors

Several Connecticut men have been elected to service on the board of directors of the New England Council for Economic Development.

New members of the board, elected to a three-year term, include Arthur W. Bostick, president of The Research Corp. of New England, Waterbury; Arthur Godbout, president of Argo Industries, Inc., Berlin; and Herbert E. Johnson, senior vice president of Connecticut Natural Gas Corp., Hartford.

Re-elected to the board for three-year terms were Thomas R. Cox Jr., president of Wilson Haight & Welch, Inc., Hartford; and Francis M. White, president of the Colonial Bank and Trust Co., Waterbury. Re-elected to a one-year term was Charles J. Anderson, president of First Federal Savings and Loan Association of New Haven.

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New Suits Charge Monopoly of TV Time

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The Justice Department Tuesday filed new civil antitrust suits charging the three major networks with illegally monopolizing air time with entertainment programs which they produce themselves.

Atty. Gen. William B. Saxbe said the separate suits filed against the American Broadcasting Companies, Inc., the National Broadcasting Co., Inc. and CBS, Inc. were similar to 1972 suits which were dismissed by a federal court in Los Angeles Nov. 13.

The court dismissed the suits without prejudice so they could be filed again after network lawyers argued the 1972 litigation was a political reprisal by the White House for network reporting that was unfavorable to the Nixon administration.

(In New York, spokesman for the networks said they would not comment on the action until they had a chance to study it.)

Asst. Atty. Gen. Thomas E. Kauper in charge of the antitrust division said the suits were filed to restore competitive programming in the television industry so that viewers and advertisers would not be deprived of the benefits of full competition.

The suits asked for court injunctions to prevent the networks from obtaining financial interest in any other field.

The Justice Department said the three networks spent more than \$1 billion for television rights of exhibition, financial participation and advertising in 1973 and received revenues exceeding \$1.4 billion.

The suit said the networks maintained the alleged monopoly in these ways:

- They would exclude programs in which they had no ownership interest.
- They would compel outside program suppliers to grant the networks a financial interest in programs they accepted for broadcasting.
- They would refuse air time to advertisers and outside program suppliers who sought to have their own programs broadcast.
- They would control prices paid for television exhibition rights to feature movies.
- They would obtain competitive advantages over producers and distributors of television entertainment programs and of feature movies.

Kauper said the suits do not affect news, public affairs, documentaries and sports programs. He said the suits also do not affect any agreement between the networks and their affiliated broadcast stations.

BUSINESS



CG Advances Tolland Man

Richard D. Kerr of Tolland, son of Mrs. Susan Kerr of 335 Charter Oak St., Manchester, has been appointed assistance director in the individual insurance operations at Connecticut General Life Insurance Co., Hartford.

Kerr joined CG in 1967. He was named underwriter, individual underwriting, in 1971 and has been serving as senior underwriter for the last two years. He received both his bachelor and masters degrees from the University of Connecticut.

IRS Night

Tonight is "Internal Revenue Service Night" for the Connecticut Association of Public Accountants. A panel discussion with IRS people will be featured at the association's 8 p.m. meeting at the Howard Johnson Motor Lodge in Rocky Hill.

Albert C. Shickra, acting IRS director for Connecticut, will be moderator of the session. The panel will consist of his department chiefs.

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BUSINESS

Income Limits Up For Mortgage Aid

For the second time this year, the Connecticut Housing Finance Authority (CHFA) has raised family income limits for qualification for CHFA home mortgage assistance. The new limits are about 10 per cent higher than those established in July.

CHFA Executive Director John Maylott said the increase reflects inflation. The previous limits were based on cost of living figures as of December 1973, he said.

In Hartford and Tolland Counties (as well as in New Haven and New London Counties) the new limits are \$12,000 for a family of one; family of two, \$13,850; three, \$15,000; four, \$16,250; five, \$17,200; six, \$18,200; seven and up, \$19,000. The limits are somewhat lower for Middlesex, Litchfield, and Windham Counties, and somewhat higher for Fairfield County.

In announcing the new limit schedule, Maylott said, "CHFA has always sought to insure that all economic factors involved in home financing are properly taken into account. Income limits will continue to vary according to such factors as income, regional housing costs, and the number of people in the family. CHFA monitors these and other economic factors and when significant changes occur, adjustments such as this will be made."

CHFA was established by the state legislature to help low and moderate income families obtain housing. Maylott said. The income limits are a means of insuring that CHFA money is used to help such families, he said.



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Erosion Said Problem at Canterbury Estates

There aren't any structural violations of building code in new dwellings at Canterbury Estates, according to Town Public Works Director Jay Giles.

Giles said after investigation of complaints from residents. The town has notified the developer that last week which sought a halt in construction until corrections are made.

The subdivision residents, most of whom live on Strawberry Lane, complained about the condition of roads and sidewalks, unkept grounds, condition of driveways, and structural violations in existing homes.

Driveways may be in poor condition, but the town has no control over construction of driveways other than to specify the maximum grade.

Solzhenitsyn Given Nobel Medallion Four Years Late

STOCKHOLM (UPI) — Alexander Solzhenitsyn, preceded by blaring trumpets, sprang up the marble staircase of Stockholm's City Hall and begged forgiveness for being four years late.

Sato shared the \$122,000 prize with former Irish Foreign Minister Sean MacBride for their work in "contributing to peace in our times."

The Norwegian Nobel Committee met in strong opposition from rock-throated demonstrators for its decision to award the Peace Prize to Sato.

CC Lease Study May Be Requested

HARTFORD (UPI) — The legislative subcommittee probing state leases may recommend setting up a new committee to investigate leases for Connecticut's community colleges, according to Rep. John F. Mannix, R-Wilton.

Investigating favoritism and possible corruption in the awarding of leases for office space and highway garages.

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Mills' Willingness To Step Aside Surprised Colleague

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Rep. Joe Waggoner, D-La., a painful and delicate mission: He had to ask Rep. Wilbur Mills, D-Ark., whether he was ready to step down as chairman of the House Ways and Means Committee.

Mills' response was a surprise for a man who has jealously guarded the prerogatives of one of the most powerful jobs in Capitol Hill.

Mills' association with Annabell Battistella, the striptease artist who now bills herself as "The Tidal Basin Bombshell."

Junior Women Planning Two Parties

Manchester Junior Women's Club will have a military whist card party at its meeting tonight at 8 at the KofC Home, 138 Main St.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Edward McKeever will conduct the games after the regular business session. Prospective members are welcome.

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Manchester's Junior Miss

Miss Patricia O'Brien, Manchester's Junior Miss, accepts \$50 savings account from Stanley J. Jarvis, vice president of the Manchester Savings Bank...

11 On Sewer Study Unit

Manchester's 7-member "Blue Ribbon" sewer study committee is now an 11-member committee, thanks to an action Tuesday night by the Board of Directors.

CHE Approves UConn Fee Hikes

HARTFORD (UPI) — The state Commission for Higher Education Tuesday approved increases in student fees at the University of Connecticut...

League To Hear Mason Tonight

Alan Mason, Manchester's director of human resources, will be guest speaker at the League of Women Voters meeting tonight at 8 at the home of Janet O'Connor...



Washington LOL, 117, will meet Friday at 8 p.m. in the Orange Hall. Election of officers will take place.

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Advertisement for Michael's jewelry store featuring various watches and promotional text.

Bennet Moves to Main Building Friday

By JUNE TOMPKINS The renovations at the Main Building at Bennet Junior High School are finally completed and moving in will take place over the weekend...

Tugs Release Grounded Oil Tanker

CLINTON (UPI) — Two tugboats late Tuesday freed a 715-foot tanker ship carrying nearly 12 million gallons of fuel oil that had run aground on Six Mile Reef...

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By BRUCE E. HICKS United Press International

Enough oil to ease the energy crunch is locked in shale under the hills of Colorado, Utah and Wyoming...

Restaurant Waste Presents Problem for Operators

Many restaurateurs agree that America could help feed the starving people of the world with what restaurant patrons leave on their plates...

Louis H. Yardumian, vice president of The Oil Shale Corp., which is a partner in the Oley operation...

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The process, which Yardumian said recovers 100 per cent of the oil in the shale...

The shale oil would cost about \$11 a barrel compared with domestic conventional crude prices of 7.50 a barrel...

AMBITIOUS PLAN WASHINGTON (UPI) — A major long-range program to develop directors for American symphony orchestras has been announced...

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Large advertisement for Shop-Rite Super Markets featuring the 'Price-Lock' policy, various coupons, and product prices.

Community Committee Established by Church

BOLTON
Donna Holland Correspondent
644-0375



Bolton Santa Gets Instructions

You're never too old to tell Santa Claus just what you're hoping to get for Christmas. Mrs. Michael Pasco, the oldest member of the Bolton Senior Citizens, relays her hopes to Santa Claus. The event was a Christmas dinner party at St. Maurice Parish Church for Bolton senior citizens Saturday. It was co-sponsored by the St. Maurice Men's Club and the St. Maurice Council of Catholic Women.

head coach, Dr. Gil Boisoneau, if they have not yet done so. Uniforms and equipment should be returned by Dec. 18. Present Concert
The Weaver High School choral ensemble from Hartford presented a Christmas concert to Bolton High School students this morning.
The concert was from 10:30 until 11:15 a.m. The Weaver students sang traditional Christmas songs and Handel's Messiah.

Joseph Fleming, principal, said it was a cultural exchange event for both schools. Fleming was formerly assistant principal at Weaver.
The Office of Calvin Hutchingson, building inspector-assessor, will be closed Friday as he will be taking a vacation day.
Bulletin Board
The Bolton Grange will meet Friday at 8 p.m. at the Town Hall.

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Dilute slightly one (8-oz.) can of cream of mushroom soup and pour over roast. Sprinkle the contents of one package of dried onion soup over the roast, and wrap the meat in aluminum foil. Place in roasting pan and bake in a medium oven (about 350°) until meat is tender (about 3 1/2 hours). Omit the A-1 sauce if you wish.

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The Herald Area Profile

Human Development Course Still Subject of Debate

SOUTH WINDSOR
Judy Kuchel Correspondent
644-1364

Amidst strong opposition from opponents of South Windsor's proposed Human Development and Health Education program, the 30-member committee met recently to continue discussion of what should or should not be included in grades kindergarten through second.

Opponents stood strong against the inclusion of human reproduction entitled, "Life Cycles" in the early primary grades. Although no conclusions were reached the group will continue discussion of five specific points when they meet again on Dec. 18. Concepts proposed to be included in grades K-2 are:

- that living things are able to make new living things like themselves.
- that in human beings, conception occurs to begin new life.
- that pregnancy means that within the uterus of the mother's body a baby grows until birth.
- that birth occurs through the mother's birth canal.
- that a baby may receive milk from the mother's breast or from a prepared formula out of a bottle.

Mrs. Pat Sprengelmeyer, one of the committee's opponents of many aspects of the proposed course charged that the group "was creating an artificial situation" by discussing conception in children at such an early age. "Why are we such a rush to talk about this?" she said.

Board of Education member Fred DeGiacoia said that "even third and four graders are not ready for this in some cases."

The cost of the program is expected to run about \$1,300 this year, but will save money in the future, said Suteran.

This year Suteran expects to plant starter trees of crimson maple, shade maple, Norway maple, crabapple, sugar maple, crinum, cloud Hawthorn, outleaf weeping birch, and Linden.

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School Board Must Act On Vacancy COVENTRY

Monica Shea Correspondent
742-9495

The Board of Education must decide on a candidate to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Robert (Skip) Walsh at its meeting tomorrow night or that vacancy will be filled by the Town Council.

The Herald Yule Party Planned By History Group COVENTRY

Monica Shea Correspondent

The Historical Society Christmas party will be held at the society's house on South St. on Dec. 17 at 6 p.m.

Members and other interested persons are requested to contribute a dish of food and a gift, about one dollar in value, for the Christmas grab bag.

Club To Run Country Store BOLTON

Donna Holland Correspondent

The Bolton Junior Woman's Club is sponsoring a Country Store Sunday at Herick Memorial Park from 1 until 4 p.m.

Carey Named To Fire Board BOLTON

The Board of Fire Commissioners has approved Jack Carey of Bolton as a fire commissioner. Carey replaces Donna Holland who submitted her resignation recently.

Christmas Tree Sale at Fire House from Dec. 13 to Dec. 24

Trees will be available from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. on weeknights, and from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday.

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Board Asks Reardon To Consider Again Horace St. Parking

"One more time!" That's what the Manchester Board of Directors is asking of Police Chief James Reardon. They want him — as the town's Traffic Authority — once more to review his order banning parking on both sides of Horace St. once more to explain his justification, and once more to consider easing the restrictions.

The board's request is a compromise of a stronger action proposed Tuesday night by Director Carl Zinsner.

Zinsner moved (he subsequently withdrew his motion) the board should label Reardon's parking ban action "unreasonable and arbitrary, and it should instruct Reardon to institute one of several alternatives:

1. Allow parking after 5 p.m. at least on one side of the street.

2. Allow parking weekends and holidays.

3. Make Horace St. one-way and allow some parking.

Acting Town Council Victor Moses cautioned the board against questioning actions by the town's Traffic Authority unless it could prove the authority shouldn't be added by the directors, and "but it shouldn't be abused by the Traffic Authority either up and down the street."

The "one more time" request of Reardon is the board's third. He was asked to look it ready for placement on the board's Jan. 7 agenda.

Moses said it's up to the petitioners (the Horace St. residents) to initiate an appeal



Illing Work Goes On Despite Cold

Cold weather does not deter construction at Illing Junior High School as Robert Porter, left, John Rodrigues, center, and partner of the B&R Construction Co. and Larry Cyr work together to pour concrete footings for the interior walls of the new gymnasium. (Herald photo by Dunn)

Oakland St. Open To All Traffic

Oakland St. — where the state is installing new storm sewers — is now open to both northbound and southbound traffic, not just southbound traffic, State Rep. Donald Genovese said today.

Genovese said state officials reached agreement with the town contractor to close the street to traffic only when absolutely necessary. Work on the street, expected to last several months, is going on between N. School St. and Rachel Rd.

Ford Will Celebrate Ski-Jumping Yuletide

By CHARLES J. CANNON
VAIL, Colo. (UPI) — When President Ford and his family arrive for the Christmas holidays at this picturesque ski resort nestled high in the Colorado Rockies, they will enter a scene rivaling Munich during Oktoberfest or Rio de Janeiro during Carnival.

The only word to describe Vail at Christmas time is chaotic. Hundreds of people, a spokesman for the Vail Resort Association. "The ski patrol puts on flare parades and most evenings there are sleigh rides and carolers and discotheques and everybody comes out to see the Christmas light festival on Rio de Janeiro during Carnival."

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MANCHESTER

The scene of a Sunday automobile accident has become the site of further concern for police. A railroad crossing light system, damaged in the one-car mishap, has been stolen.

Security officers of Penn Central Railroad told police Tuesday that the warning system at the Risley crossing on Tolland Tpk. has been rendered completely inoperative.

Sometime between the 2:30 a.m. Sunday accident and Tuesday lamp assemblies in the system were cut from the unit's framework and stolen, railroad officers said.

Police maintained surveillance of the intersection for several hours Tuesday night, but no violations were observed.

Arrests made and motor vehicle summonses issued by Manchester Police Tuesday included:

Eric O. Kusche, 16, of 79 Cushman Dr., charged with a court warrant with third-degree larceny (shoplifting) at K-Mart department store, Spencer St. court date is Dec. 23.

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Directors Authorize Block Grants Staff

By SOL R. COHEN

The Manchester Board of Directors has authorized Town Manager Robert Weiss to spend 4 percent of anticipated federal block grants for an administrative staff.

Manchester has been promised about \$700,000 a year (\$1.4 million over the three years of the program) under the federal Housing and Community Development Act, passed this year by Congress.

Weiss had asked the directors to approve \$12,500 of it annually for administrative costs — as permitted by the legislation.

The first \$70,000 is anticipated for July 1, Weiss sought approval of spending \$14,000 of it in the current fiscal year.

The board voted the approval Tuesday night by a 7 to 2 margin, with Carl Zinsner and John Tani voting "no."

Also Tuesday night, the board authorized designating \$118,515 of an anticipated \$32,015 federal Comprehensive Manpower Program for paying the salaries (to June 30, 1975) of three additional employees at the Secondary Sewage Treatment Plant — a maintenance mechanic, a maintenance electrician and a maintenance electrician.

The remaining \$12,500 of the grant is being proposed (by Weiss) for the salary and fringe benefits for a management analyst — to assist in planning how the Community Development Act block grant will be spent.

The vote for authorizing the three employees for the sewer department was 8 to 1, with Mayor John Thompson voting "no."

Said Thompson, "I see no justification for hiring so many skilled employees (for the sewer department) because of maintenance problems. However, I've seen no broken-down equipment there and I understand the men will be used for preventative maintenance."

Director of Public Works Jay Giles replied, "There always seems to be a crisis situation there (the sewer treatment plant) and we never seem to have the right men available to correct the problems."

Giles acknowledged he may have been lax in the past in not bringing the problems with maintenance to the attention of the directors. They were informed of them only two months ago, when public works officials asked more men to be provided at the treatment plant.

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Launch Recycling Work

BRIDGEPORT (UPI) — Connecticut's \$350 million refuse recovery plan is off the ground in a cloud of dirt.

About 100 persons, including Gov. Thomas J. Meskill and Bridgeport Mayor Nicholas A. Panzino, gathered Tuesday for the symbolic groundbreaking ceremonies, shoveling a bit of dirt.

Panzino however passed up tradition and instead decided to drive the bulldozer that would start the demolition of the four-story building which stood on the site of the future garbage processing plant.

A steel structure was topped around the small building and connected to the bulldozer and Panzino put the bulldozer in gear.

The structure collapsed like it was supposed to but kicked up a huge cloud of smoke that sent the onlookers scurrying for cover.

Panzino, still in the bulldozer, could not be seen for a while. Then he emerged from the cloud, covered with dirt but grinning.

"God that was fun," he said. "I'd like to do it again."

The Bridgeport plant, the first of nine around the state, is expected to be in operation in two years. The plants will separate and process combustible materials, which will be sold as fuel, and glass and metals which will be sold to other recycling plants.

Willimantic Sets Meeting On Budget

WILLIMANTIC (UPI) — City officials have scheduled a Dec. 12 meeting to discuss the future of a municipal budget proposal that has been turned down twice by city residents.

The latest revisions occurred Monday when 500 residents overwhelmingly turned down two proposals. One would have reduced the original \$2.6 million budget by 3 percent and the other would have cut it by an additional 4 percent.

Without an official budget since Dec. 2, when residents rejected the original proposal, Mayor David Calchauer Monday received authorization to borrow funds to pay city bills through Dec. 31.

About \$1 million of the proposed budget have gone for the town's 30-man Fire Department and 40-man police force.

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FLOOR Sanding/Refinishing, specializing in older floors...

BOWLING SHOES - One pair men's size 8-12M...

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MASON CONTRACTOR - Plastering custom built stone or brick fireplaces...

NEWSPRINT end rolls, 25 cents each...

WE BUY and sell used furniture...

NEVER USED Franklin Stove, 1175, leather jacket, size 16...

THOMAS CARPENTRY Service - remodeling, repairs, counter and cabinet work...

TOP QUALITY work - Septic sewer connections...

CLEAN USED refrigerators, ranges, automatic washers...

SCOTCH QUALITY - Cut your own, 31 per foot...

ROOFING - Specializing in repairs, gutters, storm windows...

SEASONED oak wood - Split and ready for fireplace...

DARK, RICH LOAM - Five yards, 37.50 plus tax...

TWO MAPLE end tables, pine book case with knickknack shelf...

HORACE Trelutt - Siding, roofing, storm windows, awnings...

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CHRISTMAS TREES - Tag, cut your own, White Spruce...

ROOM for gentleman, kitchen, living area...

REPAIRS - Repairing, remodeling, electrical, plumbing...

SEASONED hardwood, large 3/4 ton pick-up truck...

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LOOKING for anything in real estate rental apartments...

SEWERLINES, sink lines, cleaned with electric cutters...

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WE have customers waiting for the rental of your apartment...

NO JOB too small, toilet repairs, plugged drains, kitchen faucets replaced...

SEASONED cordwood - Cord and half-cord wood...

CHRISTMAS PUPIES - Free to good homes, small mostly beagle male pups...

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TOWNE Plumbing Service, repairs, alterations, vanity cabinets...

FIREPLACE and stove wood, all seasoned top grade hardwood...

SWEET APPLE cider made fresh on the farm...

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Trucks For Sale. 1975 CHRYSLER Cordoba, fully equipped with all luxury options. Includes other vehicle listings.

CLEARANCE TIME IT PLAZA. New 1974 Early America, 2 bedroom. Includes other vehicle listings and contact info.

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BRAND NEW 1975 GRANADA. 2 Door, 250 cid six cylinder engine, power steering...

BRAND NEW 1975 MUSTANG II. Four cylinder engine, air stripping, AM radio, steel bed...

BRAND NEW 1975 PINTO. 2-Door, 4-cylinder engine, five steel bed...

BRAND NEW 1975 TORINO. 2-Door, V-8 engine, five white sidewall tires...

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MICKY FINN. HURRY UP! AN FINISH THAT SANDWICH SO WE CAN GET BACK TO WORK! ... I'M TALKING TO YOU!

PRISCILLA'S POP. JUST LOOK AT YOU! YOU'RE KNOCKED OUT! ... YOU'RE DOING SO IN A 30-MILE ZONE!

THE BORN LOSER. YOU'RE DOING SO IN A 30-MILE ZONE! ... NO, I WASN'T!

ALLEY OOP. WHERE'S MOO, MARSH... THE PLACE ALLY CAME FROM! ... MAN ALIVE!

MR. ABERNATHY. I'M LOOKING FOR A SPECIAL KIND OF GIRL... WHAT KIND? ... A GIRL I CAN LOOK UP TO AND ADVISE.

WINTHROP. DO YOU BELIEVE IN SANTA CLAUS? ... LIH-HUH.

SHORT RIBS. THOSE RUSTLERS STRUCK AGAIN LAST NIGHT. GOT 200 HEAD OF STEER. ... BUT I'VE GOT A PLAN TO CATCH 'EM. COME ON, DEPUTY.

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MUTT AND JEFF. THERE'S NOT ENOUGH LOVE! ... I LOVE MY FELLOW MAN - MEN, WOMEN, CHILDREN, ANIMALS!

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WIN AT BRIDGE. The bidding has been: West North East South 2♠ 2♥ Pass 4♦

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STAMPS AND COINS

By RUSS MACKENDRICK



In view of the current barrage of "commemorative" silver, it may come as a surprise to hear that the United States has coined only one commemorative silver dollar. This is it — the Lafayette. It dates from 1900. Besides the marquis it also shows G. Washington — the first president's portrait appeared on an authorized silver coin.

There is a big advertisement in Linn's entitled "Seventeen Headquaters." (Seventeen is French for "joined together.") Actually there are enough joined-together stamps currently among U.S. issues to make it a collector's specialty. The earliest example offered in the ad is the Christmas set of 1964. This is the group of the holly, mistletoe, poinsettia, and hives that ran from 1962 into the teens of this century.

The other U.S. commemorative silver pieces are the Isabella quarter of 1893 and a total of 48 fifty-cent coins. The Tercentenary of 1933 and the Bridgeport Centennial of 1938. The mintage of each was about 25,000. The design of the Tercentenary shows the Charter Oak and a minister bound eagle. The Bridgeport has a shot of P.T. Barnum and a

United Nations Scott No. 178. This is the Marc Chagall Memorial Window at the U.N. Headquarters as rendered into a souvenir sheet. It is one picture relettered to be torn up into six 6-cent stamps, and all of different sizes — which must be about as far into togetherness as stamps can go.

This month will be the last chance to get a copy of the Vienna type International Reply Coupon from our local post office. The orders are to destroy any still unsold after 7:30 p.m. at the church to decorate the sanctuary. Those not involved in the decorating will meet in the living room for Christmas readings by Mrs. O'Don Stairs. Mrs. Earl Mack is in charge of devotions. Mrs. Robert Johns will sing several selections. Refreshments will be served by members of Ann Judson Circle.

MANCHESTER HOSPITAL NOTES

Discharged Monday: Albin Pietrowski, 10 Ansaldo Rd.; Marie Blanchard, East Hartford; Paul Tongren, Belcher-ton, Mass.; Gary Stanley, 59 Cooper St.; Marylee Kanehl, 47 E. Center St.; Elizabeth Evans, 191 Oak St.; Alice Hookins, 154 Main St.; South Windsor; Carol Zapada, 40 South Rd.; Bolton; William Phillips, Minnechaug Dr., Glastonbury.

Hayes, 438 W. Middle Tpke.; Sherry Wojcik, Williamam; Karen Spicer, 49 Barry Rd.; Patricia Damato, 566 Taylor St.; Laila Macchie, 400 N. Main St. Also, Constantine Elstratum, 205 Terrace Dr., Rockville; Roseann Menzel, Dunn Rd., Coventry; Frank Hippo, East Hartford; Keith Burnham, 647 Ellington Rd., South Windsor; Joseph Muszynski, East Hartford.

Also, Peggy Gardner, 99 Oak St.; Anna Torstenson, 128 Green Manor Rd.; Elizabeth Gerseole, 869 Main St.; Robert Russell, 81 Walnut St.; Sharon

Christmas Lighting Given Okay

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The administration has given its blessings to homeowners who wish to put up Christmas lighting this year — as long as it's not overdue.

Interior Secretary Rogers C.B. Morton, who heads President Ford's newly established Energy Resources Council, said Tuesday the administration has softened its stand of last Christmas when the seasonal lighting was discouraged.

Morton said a recent study in Bristol, Tenn., showed that Christmas lighting amounted to about one-tenth of 1 per cent of the energy load.

Whoops! First steps are wobbly! So Jumping-Jacks made me. I have a ribbed plug in my sole to make each step a little steadier... Jumping-Jacks knows those first steps need a little extra help!



Jumping-Jacks. Most feet are born perfect. They should stay that way. Distinctively. MANCHESTER Manchester Parkade WEST HARTFORD Corbins Corner Use Your Master Charge

Illing Band, Choruses To Offer Yule Program

The Illing Junior High School unified arts will present a Christmas program Monday at 7:30 p.m. in the school auditorium.

Appearing on the program will be the Illing Band, the Girls' Chorus, piano music arranged for four hands, inter-pretive dance with narration, various instrumental ensembles, and the newly formed Boys' Glee Club. The band, directed by Robert Johns, will open the program playing "Christmas Tiding," "Christmas in Many Lands," and "Joyland."

Ralph MacCarone will direct the Girls' Chorus in "Christ Child," two songs for Hamakak, a choral rendition of "Pablo The Reindeer," and a calypso arrangement of "Sleep Little Tiny King" and "The Angels' Song" using five guitars and piano accompaniment.

An old-fashioned sing-along will include audience participation with the aid of slides and accompanied by guitars and piano.

The Boys' Glee Club, directed by Ms. Nordeen will sing "Let There Be Peace on Earth" and "Jingle Bell Rock." Student accompanists are Chris Young, piano; Matthew Adams, electric guitar; and Alan Kibonoff, drums.

Both singing groups will conclude the program with "Have a Holly Jolly Christmas" and "Silent Night."

Admission is free and invitations which have been distributed to parents and friends will be collected at the door.

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Agostinelli Favored To Head Town GOP

By SOL R. COHEN State Comptroller Nathan G. Agostinelli is the unanimous pick of Manchester's top Republicans to be GOP town chairman.

Agostinelli, who ran for lieutenant governor Nov. 5 and lost, will leave his state comptroller job Jan. 8. As GOP town chairman, he would succeed A. Paul Berte, who has been named First District workmen's compensation commissioner.

Berte's resignation as town chairman and committee member is effective today. He submitted it Thursday night to the town committee's executive board. The board, in a simultaneous action, voted to offer the chairmanship to Agostinelli. He accepted.

Agostinelli hasn't revealed his personal plans when he leaves his state job. However, by accepting the offer to be GOP town chairman, he indicated he will be occupied in Manchester.

Mrs. Mercer, who is vice chairman of the town committee, will be acting chairman until Jan. 15, when the new chairman will be elected.

Mrs. Mercer also is resigning her town committee post, due to personal pressures and the many demands on her time, she said. Her resignation will be effective March 1, or, as she stated in her letter of resignation, "when my successor's duty chosen, whichever shall first occur."

Mrs. Mercer has been vice chairman since February 1973. Prior to then, she was GOP leader in Voting District 5.



Nathan Agostinelli

Town Democrats Count Blessings But Mayor Sounds Sour Fiscal Note

By SOL R. COHEN In a way, it was like the start of a new election campaign.

Still "walking on air" from its landslide sweep of all available offices a little over five weeks ago, Manchester's Democratic Town Committee met Wednesday night to count its blessings.

It found the blessings plentiful for the present and encouraging for the future. The Democrats learned from their treasurer, Paul Phillips, they are \$3,300 in

the black — even after spending an estimated \$6,800 for the last campaign.

As Democratic chairman Ted Cummings noted, "A good start toward our 1975 election campaign."

Democratic Registrar Herbert Stevenson told them they held a 2,227 lead over the Republicans in registrations. He said Manchester has 27,211 voters, with 10,426 of them Democrats, 8,598 Republicans, and 7,789 unaffiliated.

This time Cummings noted, "Our emphasis in 1975 will be on registering

party members — as opposed to unaffiliated."

The one sour note Wednesday night (and it was only temporary) was the bleak picture painted by Mayor John Thompson — when he told of the fiscal problems the Town of Manchester may face in 1975.

"The expense for operating the town

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Israelis Bomb Refugee Camp

BEIRUT (UPI) — Witnesses said Israeli fighter-bombers today bombed a Palestinian refugee camp in the heart of Beirut and air raid sirens wailed throughout the Lebanese capital.

Witnesses said they saw the Israeli jets attack the Sabra camp around 4 p.m. (19 a.m. EST).

Telephone lines in some sections of Beirut went dead, making it difficult to determine exactly what had happened.

The noise of jets roaring over the city was clearly audible in several parts of Beirut.

Witnesses said two Israeli jet fighters first opened fire with machine guns at "Sport City" stadium near Beirut International Airport.

The planes then swept in over the capital and fired rockets at the Sabra refugee camp, damaging several buildings in the area, the witnesses said.

Other reports said another refugee camp, Tel El-Zaatar, on Beirut's outskirts, also was attacked.

The air raids came shortly after the Israeli government threatened to strike Palestinian guerrilla bases and other targets in Lebanon in retaliation for terrorist attacks such as the grenade explosions in a Tel Aviv theater Wednesday.

In the see-saw guerrilla battle, the Palestine Liberation Organization claimed responsibility for the theater bombing following rocket attacks on three PLO installations in Beirut Tuesday.

Those attacks were in turn in response for the wounding of two Israelis by three guerrillas Dec. 6 in the frontier town of Rosh Hanikra. One of the guerrillas was killed and the others escaped.

As the jets screamed away from Beirut, clouds of smoke were seen by witnesses billowing from a four-story building in Sabra.

There was no word on casualties. The Israeli military command in Tel Aviv confirmed the attack.

"We must hit them (Arab guerrillas) in their own places and positions to prevent them from operating on a regular basis," Information Minister Aharon Yariv said in a national radio interview.

Yariv said "We have a long war with our neighbors and the Palestinians."

SNETCO Asking \$74 Million Hike

HARTFORD (UPI) — Southern New England Telephone Co. today asked for a \$74 million rate hike that would boost revenues 17 per cent and increase the home phone bill as much as \$5 a month.

Company President Alfred W. Van Sinderen, who held a news conference through a closed circuit television hookup in six Connecticut cities, said the company must increase pay phone charges from a dime to 20 cents.

However, he said, public cooperation and increased productivity made it unnecessary to ask for a charge for directory assistance.

Van Sinderen, who said company stock has declined steadily in value over the past decade, said he expects employment to decline through attrition and will cut back as much as possible on the company's construction program.

The phone company rate hike, the first in three years, was filed with the state Public Utilities Commission, and is not expected to take effect until the middle of next year, Van Sinderen said.

There is no interim rate hike being sought, he said, and no escalator clause built into the rate hike request to keep pace with inflation.

"Our forecast for growth next year is extremely pessimistic," he said. "Our forecast is so low for next year I don't think it can go any lower."

"We recognize the severe inflationary pressures our customers face," Van Sinderen said. "By increasing our productivity, saving on fuel and gas and introducing cost-saving equipment we have held the line for three years."

"Few businesses can point to a similar record, but now the pressure of inflation has forced us to take action."

Van Sinderen described the increase as

the minimum needed to meet its costs and needs and if the PUC fails to grant the hikes, it would be necessary to take the rate case to court. But he said it is unlikely such action would be necessary. Van Sinderen said the increase in pay phone service is the first in 21 years and it figures its cost for coin phones at 19 cents a call.

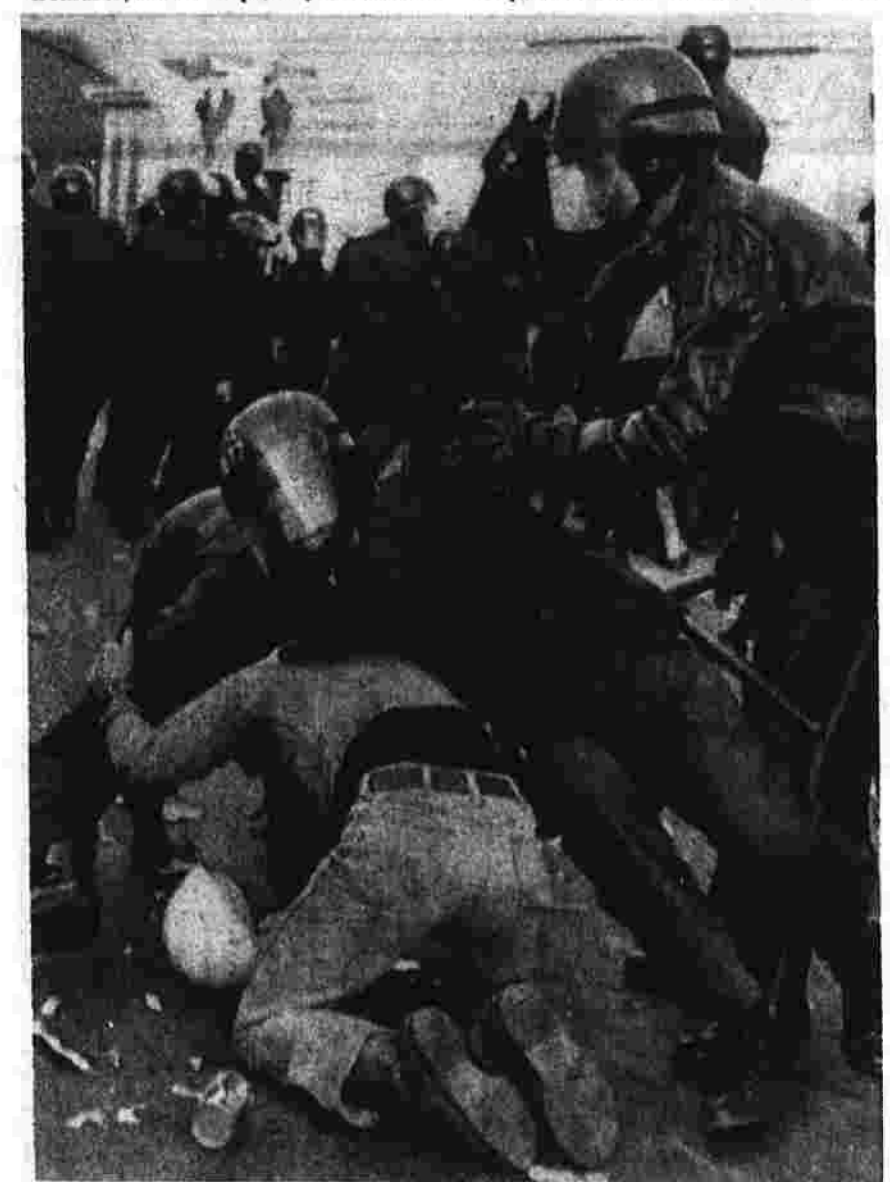
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Travel Show Tonight

The Herald's Travel Show in cooperation with American Air Lines and Cunard Cruise Lines will be held tonight at 8 at Manchester High School. Free tickets are available at the door.



Riot equipped Boston police wrestle a demonstrator to the ground outside South Boston High School after racial violence flared again when a white youth was stabbed in the stomach allegedly by a black teen-ager school.

Strife Closes Boston Schools

BOSTON (UPI) — Desegregated schools in South Boston have been closed for the rest of the week because of the stabbing of a white student and gathering of an angry crowd of whites outside the area's high school.

The stabbing was the most serious in a series of disturbances at South Boston High School this week. Two black boys were arrested Monday for assault and battery in connection with a fight with white girls, and two black males and a white male were suspended after a cafeteria scuffle Tuesday.

The stabbing victim, Michael Faith, 17, was reported "doing well," but on the danger list at Boston City Hospital. James A. White, 18, a black student from Roxbury, was arrested on a charge of assault and battery with a dangerous weapon.

Hearing of the stabbing, about 700 whites gathered outside the school. About 250 police were sent to the scene to keep order.

It was all a diversion, however. Other buses quietly pulled up at a side entrance to take some 146 black students back to Roxbury.

Three persons from the crowd were arrested and charged with assault and battery with dangerous weapons. Nine persons reported injuries, none serious.

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Sometimes chanting "get those niggers" and "I'm dreaming of a white Christmas," the crowd twice tried to push into the school yard. Some persons in the crowd hurled rocks, bottles and eggs at police. Others deflated tires and broke antennas off police cruisers.

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WEATHER

Connecticut — Cloudy this afternoon with a chance of occasional light rain, high in the 30s to the upper 40s. Rain ending tonight, lows in the upper 20s to low 30s. Becoming partly sunny Friday, high in the upper 40s.

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Controversial Driveway at Lincoln Center

The Conservation Commission is voicing displeasure with the construction of this unneeded driveway and parking area along the Main St. side of Manchester's Lincoln Center. It is part of the plan for improving access and entry for employees and visitors. When the project is completed, cars will enter from Main St.

only at the north end of the building. The existing driveway, at the traffic light at E. Center St., will be filled in, landscaped and closed. The new driveway will turn right at the south end of the building, then will turn right again, winding around Lincoln Center to the Municipal Building parking lot.