

The weather

Mild today, highs in 60s, showers tonight, Tuesday, likely becoming mixed with snow late Tuesday. Overnight lows in the 40s, continuing in the 40s Tuesday but dropping slowly. National weather forecast map on Page 21.

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BETHLEHEM, N. H. — When he isn't shoveling snow, Postmaster H. Newell is busy stamping a green rubber stamp onto Christmas cards which people around the world want postmarked "Bethlehem." He estimates 10,000 cards a year are sent to Bethlehem for the special postmark.

BOSTON — The latest tax projects show it is likely the Massachusetts Public Welfare Department will be forced to terminate a medical program for more than 110,000 members of working poor families by Jan. 31.

National

SAN FRANCISCO — A federal judge questioned a psychiatrist today to help him decide whether to accept Sara Jane Moore's guilty plea to a charge of trying to kill President Ford.

MIAMI — National Airlines officials late Sunday rejected recommendations by negotiators for striking flight attendants and vowed to continue a court fight to end the 15-week-old work stoppage. A hearing on the injunction request has been set for Tuesday afternoon.

PHILADELPHIA — Billionaire recluse Howard Hughes has been awarded at least \$6 billion in contracts by the U. S. government in the past 10 years, the Philadelphia Inquirer said in a copyrighted article Sunday. It alleged 80 per cent of the contracts were awarded without competitive bidding.

RALEIGH, N. C. — Joan Little, a black woman acquitted of murdering her white jailer, has been arrested and jailed for failing to appear last week to sign bond papers on another charge. She was arrested Sunday.

NEW YORK — Newsweek magazine reports that Secretary of State Henry Kissinger has been told Soviet Party Leader Leonid Brezhnev is terminally ill. Brezhnev has frequently been reported suffering from cancer of the jaw in recent months, the magazine said.

NIAGARA FALLS, N.Y. — An explosion in a railroad tank care at the Hooker Chemical plant killed four persons and unleashed clouds of deadly chlorine gas over this honeymoon resort city Sunday night. At least 87 other persons were injured. Cause of the blast was not known.

CAPE MAY — A giant drilling platform was towed out in the Atlantic Ocean to a point 80 miles east of here this weekend in preparation for the first offshore oil drilling on the East Coast of the United States. The rig will drill a hole three miles deep on the ocean floor to extract rock. It would enable scientists to confirm the presence of oil. If successful, the government will sell leases beginning this spring.

International

HONG KONG — China today handed over to American officials the remains of two American airmen who were shot down in the 1960s. The return was made in what the Chinese described as "a gesture of good will."

AMSTERDAM — The Netherlands — Dutch officials hope the surrender Sunday of terrorists who hijacked a train will persuade a second band of South Moluccans to end its siege at the Indonesian consulate.

Lebanon seeks new cease-fire

BEIRUT, Lebanon (UPI) — Lebanese security forces moved into Beirut's war battered seaford hotel area today and took over control of the unfinished Hilton Hotel in a new bid to end fighting between Moslem and Christian gunmen.

In the wake of the latest government-arranged cease-fire, fighting between rival militiamen dropped away to isolated sniper duels after a week of killing in Beirut and other cities left nearly 600 dead and 900 wounded.

Scattered sniper fire sent citizens scuttling for cover in the Moslem area of Ain Mressie adjoining the hotel district, with bullets zipping around the American Embassy at the end of the roadway.

Security forces took over control of the Hilton, which had been used as a sniper post by Christian Phalangist party gunmen, and then started negotiations to take over the St. Georges Hotel and the Phoenixia from the leftists. The Hilton is just 500 yards from the main hotel area.

The last stage of negotiations would be the difficult task of persuading Phalangists to quit the fire-blackened Holiday Inn and to get leftists out of the unfinished Murr tower 800 yards to the east — the two prize strategic landmarks in the area — security forces said.

Units of the Palestine Armed Struggle Command — the guerrillas' police force — appeared in the Moslem area of Ain Mressie which adjoins the hotels under the terms of the new peace agreement.

Leftist spokesmen, said there would be no peace until they were satisfied the Phalangists had left the hotel area for good as only then would all "progressive" forces withdraw.

The move by security forces stirred cautious hopes that Moslem and Christian gunmen might observe the new cease-fire agreement. The rival forces' initial response to the latest government-arranged cease-fire had been a thundering volley of rifle and machine gun fire.



'Tis the season...

Bumper stickers are as much a part of the greetings to his fellow man. Maybe if everyone American scene as apple pie; but the owner of did this, the holiday traffic toll might drop substantially? (Herald photo by Dunn)

Senate feels it can override expected veto of tax cut bill

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Senate Democratic leader Mike Mansfield said today Democrats remain confident they can override a presidential veto of the tax cut extension bill, but said he preferred to break the impasse with President Ford through compromise.

Mansfield said he could support a sense of the Congress resolution, reportedly being drawn up by Sen. Henry Bellmon, R-Okla., in which Congress would declare its intention to hold down spending in the next fiscal year budget.

But Ford has vowed to veto a simple six-month extension of this year's tax cuts unless it is accompanied by a firm spending ceiling for fiscal 1977. The bill is to be taken up in the Senate today.

"I hope it will be possible to achieve a compromise," Mansfield said. "There's no reason why it could not be worked out among reasonable people."

Mansfield said he could support a nonbinding "sense of the Congress" resolution to hold down spending, but it was doubtful whether Ford would accept it as an alternative to a binding pledge.

Mansfield said the tax bill would probably go to Ford by Wednesday and added that he will personally ask Ford to act immediately so that if he vetoes it, Congress can vote to override before adjournment by the end of the week.

"I think the President has a good proposal," Mansfield said. "I just think he's going about it the wrong way."

"I believe we will override his veto," House majority leader Thomas P. O'Neill said Sunday. Asked on a network panel show (NBC: "Meet the Press") why Ford would veto a tax cut O'Neill suggested politics. The President, he said, would be "trying to get to the right of (Ronald) Reagan."

Sen. Edmund Muskie, D-Maine, head of the Senate budget committee

suggested another reason. He said Ford may not understand details of Congress' own budget system, under which a preliminary figure based on the administration's proposal and Congress' own goals is drawn up by May 15, before any money has been appropriated.

"I had an opportunity to discuss this with him for two hours in the Cabinet room of the White House the other night," Muskie said, "and it was quite clear from several points I made that there were points that were new to him."

Muskie, also appearing on a television show (ABC: "Issues and Answers"), said "chances are very good" Congress would override a veto. But he said if a veto is sustained, Congress should pass the same bill and make Ford veto it again. "I just believe so deeply that... after years of frustration, on runaway spending, having taken this step of putting in place a budgetary discipline upon the Congress, we ought not to abandon it."

Ford said ready to cut defense budget request

WASHINGTON (UPI) — President Ford has been meeting with the Pentagon hierarchy to discuss next year's defense budget, which he is reported to be ready to cut by \$6.5 billion.

Ford met Saturday with Defense Secretary Donald Rumsfeld and other top officials to hear their arguments against the reported cuts, and planned to meet with Rumsfeld again this morning for the third time since Friday.

Pentagon sources have said the spending reductions were proposed last month by Budget Director James T. Lynn and Ford has decided tentatively to recommend the cuts in a message to Congress next month.

The president, according to published reports not denied by the White House, will propose a budget of \$110 billion rather than \$116.5 billion for the 1977 fiscal year starting next Oct. 1. He also is said to be planning to lower projected spending in fiscal 1978 from \$128 billion to \$122.3 billion.

Former Defense Secretary James R. Schlesinger sharply opposed defense cuts and after a meeting with Ford on the subject last month was fired. In a magazine article this week (U.S. News & World Report), Schlesinger warned that unless the United States strengthens its military power, the Russians will have a "strategic edge" by 1980.

Angolan cease-fire urged

NAIROBI, Kenya (UPI) — Presidents Jomo Kenyatta of Kenya and Kenneth Kaunda of Zambia called today for an immediate cease-fire in the Angolan civil war and the formation of a government of national unity there.

The two African leaders "expressed their great concern at

foreign involvement (in Angola) resulting in heavy loss of human life," in a communique issued after three days of talks here.

They urged Angola's three nationalist movements to "seek a political solution to the conflict with a view to forming a government of national unity" and asked them to

arrange "an immediate cease-fire" to halt the killing.

Before flying to Dar es Salaam for further talks with Presidents Julius Nyerere of Tanzania and Samora Machel of Mozambique later today, Kaunda told an airport news conference:

"The loss of life is the issue in Angola," Kaunda said. "Life and its preservation must be placed above ideology. If we are serious about Angola we must find a political solution."

Kaunda said the three parties could then resolve their ideological differences in the political arena rather than on the battlefield.

Asked if the withdrawal of South African troops from Angola would help the situation, Kaunda said: "I would like to believe that if it (the South African presence) was the cause of the trouble in Angola it would be an encouraging sign. If not we are dealing with effect rather than cause."

Congress surprised at U.S. involvement

WASHINGTON (UPI) — U.S. involvement in the Angolan civil war caught much of Congress by surprise and is now one of the most serious problems it faces, says House majority leader Thomas P. O'Neill.

"I know the feeling of the Congress is, no troops, no advisers; no Americans whatsoever. I can assure you, will be sent to Angola," O'Neill said Sunday in response to reports the CIA secretly sent \$25 million worth of U.S. arms and has an equal shipment on the way to help combat a Soviet-supported faction.

Appearing on a network panel show, O'Neill said the younger members of the House are "appalled" at U.S. involvement and that sending any Americans to the former Portuguese colony "is not the will of the Congress of the United States."

He said Congress is "tremendously upset," though apparently members of key committees were briefed by administration officials in recent months. O'Neill said Congress wants

to know — "and they are going to find out within this week" — how the decision to send aid was made.

Sen. Edmund Muskie, D-Maine, appearing on another show said Congress should be consulted about Angola aid. But he said he was also concerned about the situation "because of what it tells us about Soviet intentions. This kind of aggression and expansionism on the part of the Soviet Union suggests to me less than a complete commitment on the part of the Soviet Union to detente."

Members of Congress interviewed by UPI during the weekend expressed fear the Angola situation could lead the United States into a Vietnam-style war, or even direct confrontation with the Soviets.

"The Angolan situation has all the potential for embroiling us in another escalating and interminable conflict on the order of a Laos or, at worst, another Vietnam," said Rep. Don Bonker, D-Wash.

Jackson ignores union

HARTFORD (UPI) — Sen. Henry Jackson, D-Wash., a presidential candidate, ignored a threat by state employe union officials and attended a state Democratic fundraising dance Saturday night.

Mike Ferrucci, head of Council 16 of the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, had said if Jackson wanted state employe support in his presidential bid, he would be expected to boycott the affair.

Nearly 200 state employes, protesting job layoffs jeered and booed Gov. Ella T. Grasso and her husband, Thomas, as the couple arrived at the affair at the Hartford Hilton.

One angered worker shouted "Ditch the witch" as the governor's automobile pulled up in front of the hotel, where picket lines were set up. The governor has angered state employes by laying off 500 of them, with more to come, in an effort to avoid an \$80 million state budget deficit.

Jackson was also jeered as he entered the hotel. He acknowledged state union leaders had asked him not to attend the affair, but said he didn't consider his presence a sign of non-support of union causes.

"I do not consider that I crossed a picket line," he said. "This is a demonstration."

Several 'blue law' arrests made

By United Press International
 Managers and employes of retail stores in several towns around the state were arrested Sunday as police were called on to reluctantly enforce Sunday closing laws, otherwise called "blue laws."

Altogether, 17 persons were arrested. None were held on bond. Appearances were scheduled in local Common Pleas Courts today.

Most police departments said they were only enforcing the laws if they received a complaint from a private citizen or a competing merchant whose store was closed.

"We don't act without a complaint," said Waterbury Police Lt. Robert Deely. "Quite frankly, we've got more important things to do."

Waterbury Police arrested the store manager and three department heads in the Two Guys discount store after a complaint was lodged by the Waterbury Caldor, a competing outlet.

The largest number of arrests came in Newington where the manager of Two Guys on Berlin Turnpike was arrested along with seven department heads.

The manager, Barbara Bachand, 32, of Chicopee, Mass., was charged

after she contacted Two Guys headquarters in New Jersey and was told to keep the store open, police said. The arrests were made on a private complaint, police said.

In Willimantic, employes of three stores were arrested and in North

Haven the manager of one store was arrested after a competitor complained.

In West Hartford, a store closed voluntarily early in the afternoon after police came to the store on a private complaint.

Rhody ignores law

PROVIDENCE, R.I. (UPI) — Holiday shoppers jammed parking lots and stores in Rhode Island as merchants ignored the state law against Sunday sale of general merchandise for the second straight week.

Business was brisk Sunday at malls, discount stores and some supermarkets.

One woman shopper interviewed at the Apex store in Pawtucket said it was "hypocritical for the stores to open in defiance of the law."

She answered "yes" when asked if Sunday shopping was hypocritical, then went on with her buying.

Merchants from five Rhode Island communities have filed a motion in Providence Superior Court seeking

enforcement of the Sunday sales ban. The merchants are from Barrington, Cranston, Providence, West Warwick and Wickford.

Legislative leaders indicated last week the 1976 session may see a realistic move to change or repeal the law.

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About town



North End party

Flora Wells of N. Main St. toasts Eighth District Fire Chief Ted Lingard in the fire department's fifth annual holiday dinner for Mayfair Gardens residents Saturday night. About 60 residents of the elderly housing project attended the event, which was headed by Fire Fighter Robert Eschmann. All the food for the dinner was donated by Top Notch Food Store and other local merchants. Turkeys were cooked in homes of the fire department's Women's Auxiliary, and the rest of the meal was prepared at Second Congregational Church and transported to Cronin Hall at Mayfair Gardens. Guests at the dinner included Eighth District President Michael Massaro, District Director William Sheridan, and VISTA Volunteer Diane Wicks, who works with the elderly. (Herald photo by Dunn)

The Sunset Club will meet Tuesday at 1 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Center for a Christmas party and dinner. Members are reminded to bring gifts for an exchange.

The Book Discussion Group of the YWCA will meet Tuesday at 10 a.m. at the Community Y. Fawn Brodie's biography "Thomas Jefferson" is the selection.

The Italian-American Society will meet tonight at 8 at the clubhouse on Eldridge St. There will be election of officers. Refreshments will be served.

The Great Books Discussion Group will meet Wednesday at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. William Sleith, 32 Wyllys St. "Lord Jim" by Conrad will be discussed. New members are welcome.

P&W retirees party Wednesday

The annual Christmas party of the P&W Retiree's Group will take place at the East Hartford Facility, on Clement Rd., East Hartford, Wednesday, at 12:30 p.m. A turkey dinner will be catered to the members.

It will be the fifth Christmas party of the group. Tables will be decorated in line with the holiday season.

During a brief business session, the slate of officers for 1976 will be presented by the nominating committee.

For entertainment, the Bloomfield Senior Citizen Music Makers will make a return engagement. The group sings, dances, plays musical instruments and does comedy skits.

THEATRE SCHEDULE

UA East 1 — "Pain in the Neck" 7:30-9:00
 UA East 2 — "Woman Under Influence" 7:00-9:35
 UA East 3 — "Lion in Winter" 7:00-9:30
 Vernon Cinema 1 — "Jeremiah Johnson" 7:30-9:30
 Cinema 2 — "Hearts of the West" 7:10; "Rancho Deluxe" 9:00
 Burnside 1 — "Hearts of the West" 7:10; "Rancho Deluxe" 9:00
 Burnside 2 — "Night Caller" 7:15; "Odessa File" 9:35
 Showcase Cinema 1 — "3 Days of Condor" 7:10-9:30
 Showcase Cinema 2 — "Mahogany" 7:30-9:40
 Showcase Cinema 3 — "The Other Side of the Mountain" 7:45-9:30
 Showcase Cinema 4 — "Once Is Not Enough" 9:25; "Mandingo" 7:00

Arson-burglary suspected in Spruce St. tailor shop fire

Town Fire Marshal John Rivosa and Manchester Police detectives are investigating an arson and robbery case at a Spruce St. tailor shop in which a burglar stole \$42 and started a fire which caused extensive damage to merchandise.

Deputy Fire Chief James McKay said today that the early morning blaze Sunday was definitely set. Officials theorized that the fire was started to "cover" evidence of the burglary.

McKay said the fire was reported at 3:29 a.m. by an unidentified young man who stayed at the scene and directed fire fighters to the blaze. Rivosa commended the man for his actions and asked him to step forward and identify himself.

McKay said the fire had been burning for nearly an hour before it was reported. There was some damage to shelving and flooring and extensive damage to clothing, he said.

Fire damage as confined to the tailor shop, but other stores in the same Spruce St. block sustained smoke damage, McKay said.

Two engine pumps and a ladder truck were sent to the scene. About 10 firemen responded; off-duty men weren't needed. Fire fighters laid on hydrant line and used portable breathing apparatus to enter the shop and extinguish the blaze with two hose lines. McKay said the fire was controlled within 10 minutes.

After the fire was out, firemen discovered the apparent burglary. A cash register was found on the floor and a rear window had been removed, so police were called. Police said the shop owner, Joseph Grimaldi of Bolton, reported \$42 in cash missing after the incident.

Leukemia is cancer of the blood-forming organs and is characterized by uncontrolled production of abnormal white blood cells. Leukemia may strike at any age, develops each year in about 19,000 Americans, and kills about 15,000, according to the National Institutes of Health.

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Attempted car theft charged against man

Concepcion Cruz, 29, of Middletown was arrested by Manchester Police Saturday night in connection with attempted theft of an automobile from a Center St. service station.

Cruz, charged with attempted second-degree larceny, was released on \$500 cash bond. He is scheduled to appear in Common Pleas Court 12, East Hartford, on Dec. 29.

Police said Cruz was taken into custody shortly after 6 p.m. after a man told police he nabbed someone trying to steal his car.

The man said he returned to his car, parked at the Mobil service station at 917 Center St., opened the door, and saw someone lying on the front seat with car keys in his hand. The car owner asked the intruder what he was doing, and the man replied, "Nothing; here's your keys."

Other weekend arrests made or summonses issued by Manchester Police included:

• Ross E. Blue Jr., 26, of 50F Charles Dr., charged Saturday night with driving while under the influence of liquor, on Henry St. Court date is Jan. 6.

• Ronald E. Trzcinski, 36, of Longmeadow, Mass., charged Saturday afternoon with driving an unregistered motor vehicle on Tolland Tpke. The charge was lodged after a minor, two-car accident, police said. Court date is Dec. 30.

• Anthony J. Quattrocchi, 19, of East Hartford, charged Sunday morning with driving while under the influence of liquor. Police said the charge was lodged after an accident in which Quattrocchi's car struck a utility pole off Hartford Rd. Court date is Dec. 30.

• Brian T. Miller, 22, of 621 Imperial Dr., charged Saturday with breach of peace after a domestic disturbance. Court date is Dec. 29.

• Thomas A. Beard, 24, of East Hartford, charged with evading responsibility in connection with a Thursday accident in a parking lot off Broad St. Court date is Dec. 30.

• A 12-year-old East Hartford girl, taken into custody Saturday afternoon for alleged fourth-degree larceny (shoplifting). She was referred to juvenile authorities and released to her parents.

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Opinion

Spurious courage of censuring the dead

Rep. Gilbert Gude, R-Md., says he will introduce a bill in Congress to expunge J. Edgar Hoover's name from the FBI's new building in Washington because of "the abuse of investigative and police powers" by the late director chiefly his "smear campaign" against Martin Luther King Jr.

At least a couple other congressmen have indicated they will either introduce or support similar legislation.

It will be surprising, however, if this movement gets very far — not because of any great residue of admiration for Hoover on Capitol Hill, or in the nation at large, but because this sort of post-mortem retribution smacks a little too much of the historical revisionism as practiced in the Soviet Union.

If we are to de-Hooverize the FBI's headquarters, to be logical about it we ought also

to de-Johnsonize and de-Kennedize a host of monuments bearing these men's names. Both presidents were responsible for, or permitted, abuses of the investigative and police powers of the nation's intelligence agencies.

Indeed, we could go back as far as Franklin D. Roosevelt, who, it has just been revealed, ordered the FBI to collect dossiers and make reports on Americans who opposed U.S. involvement in the war in Europe.

In the case of Hoover, far better had someone in Congress had the guts to stand up to this arrogant man while he was living. The fact that no one did, whether or not the rumor is true that Hoover "had something" on everyone in Washington, is a sorry enough commentary on the recent history of the Republic.

Recession recedes

In case you didn't know, "The nation's longest and most severe postwar recession ended in spring."

That at any rate is the judgment of economists with the Prudential Insurance Co., writing in the company's recently released Annual Economic Forecast.

Looking ahead to 1976, the economists expect a sustained business recovery, although expansion will probably be less vigorous than after previous postwar recessions.

Real growth should average 5.5 per cent as a "modest and hesitant" improvement in consumer durables and housing are joined late in the year by an upswing in capital spending. The unemployment rate will

continue to decline and will reach a level below 7.5 per cent at the end of the year. A great improvement over the 9 per cent recorded at the depth of the recession, this will still be "an uncomfortably high level."

The experts also expect further progress in moderating inflation. Though 1976 will see something like a 6.5 per cent rise in prices, the forecasters don't look for a return to the 1973-74 type of inflation associated with booming world demand and materials shortages.

Over-all, they say, "economic performance in 1976 should make a positive contribution to the nation's Bicentennial celebration."

Sharp corollary

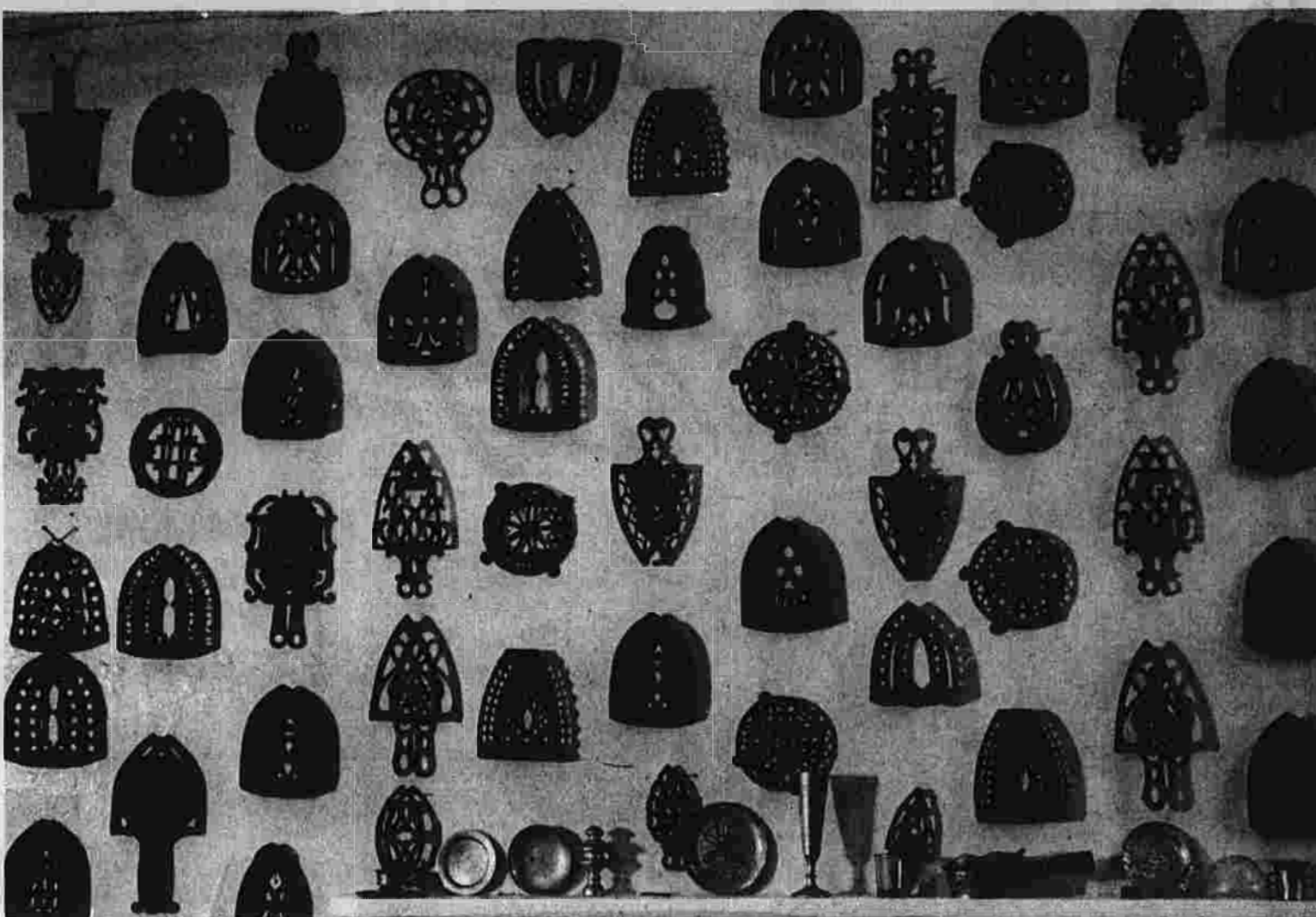
We modestly announce the discovery of corollary 3.412 to Murphy's famous Law. ("If anything can possibly go wrong, it will").

"The probability of breaking a pencil is inversely proportional to the length of time that has elapsed since it was last sharpened."

Or in plainer language: "As long as you use a worn-down pencil, you will never drop it on its tip."



"... so we turn our farms into missile sites and oilfields, and buy our grain from the 'shrewd' American businessmen"



Trivets at General Lyon Inn in Eastford were collected by former owner, Mrs. Beatrice Kennedy over a 65-year period. They are displayed on the wall in the colonial kitchen at the Inn. (Herald photo by Regional Photo)

FBI HQ fitting tribute to J. Edgar

ANDREW TULLY

WASHINGTON — Obviously, the late J. Edgar Hoover of the FBI was not a very nice man. There was some lowdown bum in that grim hero figure. He bugged private citizens for political purposes at the behest of six presidents, and he did his best privately to smear people he didn't like by leaking dossier stuff to friendly politicians and media people.

It can be argued that Hoover should have refused to obey those surveillance orders from Presidents Roosevelt II, Truman, Eisenhower, Kennedy, Johnson and Nixon, and I hereby so argue. In doing so, I don't want anybody to come around asking what I'd have done in Hoover's place. I wasn't in Hoover's place and, second, I've never posed as a national hero.

The American people have been disillusioned many times, but I believe we still desire of our heroes both rectitude and guts. In knocking down to Presidents who ordered him to conduct immoral and probably illegal

Gude is judging only one side of the man named J. Edgar Hoover — the bully and bigot who took a casual view of the law when it suited his personal purposes. The other side showed a highly competent cop and a superb administrator who made the FBI perhaps the most efficient government bureau in town.

All of which brings us down to the petty controversy over whether Hoover's name should be removed from that new architectural obscenity on Pennsylvania Avenue which houses FBI headquarters. The proposal to change the building's name came from Rep. Gilbert Gude, D-Md., after disclosure that Hoover directed a smear campaign against the late Dr. Martin Luther King.

Gude's proposal has political aspects, of course, but I find it mostly tiresome, irrational and capricious. It reminds me, in reverse English, of the mad rush to name things after John Kennedy following his assassination and, later, after brother Bobby.

I much prefer the view of Atty. Gen. Edward Levi, not the type of man who would have socialized with Hoover. "I think we ought to be very careful about making instant judgments on great public characters," Levi told reporters. "I don't think history can be written so easily and quickly."

Gude's campaign is the kind of play made to order for the many unthinking and hysterical Hoover haters, and I think Gude knows it because he tends to play to the glacial liberal crowd. But I don't think they'll rip Hoover's name off the front wall of that awful building.

Thank God at least we're rotten liars

DON OAKLEY

reprehensible things done, or attempted, in their name.

To their credit, television's fictional agents never actually plotted the assassination of anyone, although at the end of more than one episode viewers were left in no doubt that the thoroughly confused bad guys were about to knock off each other.

No credit at all is due the Central Intelligence Agency for the fact that numerous plots against the life of Fidel Castro and others were fiascos, or that one of three deaths in which the CIA was involved to some degree,

that of Chilean Gen. Rene Schneider, was the inadvertent result of a bungled kidnapping.

All credit and praise is due those members of the Senate Intelligence Committee who persisted in making public the full story — or as full a story as could be pieced together — of the CIA's "Mission: Dishonorable" in the face of strenuous resistance from the White House and despite objections from some of their own colleagues.

As for those senators and President Ford and any other Americans who, while not condoning the murder of foreign leaders or the overthrow of foreign governments we don't like nevertheless fear that the exposure of such attempts will somehow work to the harm of the U.S., one can only ask them this:

Where — and how — do they propose drawing the line for decency and morality? Or should we just sweep it all under the rug and hope it never happens again?

We do not live in some television fantasyland where all things are permissible to those whose cause is just and where men in high places may routinely "disavow all knowledge."

In the real world, evil acts have evil consequences, for nations as well as for individuals.

A nation, no matter how righteous or divinely favored it perceives itself to be, that sanctions or closes its eyes to the use of immoral means to achieve what it thinks are good and desirable ends runs grave risk of ultimately losing its own soul. It becomes like the very enemies it would defend the world against.

The words of Sen. Walter F. Mondale should be cast in bronze and erected in a prominent place in this still-great nation's capital.

"Americans are no good at all at killing, lying and covering up, and I'm glad that's the case."

It is the only aspect of this entire sordid story that anyone can be glad about.

THOUGHT

Instead of being a time of unusual behavior, Christmas is perhaps the only time in the year when people can obey their natural impulses and express their true sentiments without feeling self-conscious and perhaps, foolish. Christmas in short, is about the only chance a man has to be himself. — Francis C. Farley

The Rev. J. Stanton Conover
Bolton Congregational Church

ALMANAC

By United Press International

Today is Monday, Dec. 15, the 249th day of 1975 with 16 to follow.

The moon is approaching its full phase.

The morning stars are Venus and Saturn.

The evening stars are Mercury, Mars and Jupiter.

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

Alexandre Eiffel, French engineer who built the Paris tower which bears his name, was born Dec. 15, 1832.

On this day in history: In 1791, the U.S. Bill of Rights, comprised of the first 10 amendments to the Constitution,

went into effect following ratification by the state of Virginia.

In 1944, American forces led by Gen. Douglas MacArthur landed at Mindoro in the Philippine Islands.

In 1948, a federal grand jury in New York indicted former State Department official Alger Hiss for perjury in connection with his denial that he gave secret government documents to Whittaker Chambers allegedly for delivery to a foreign power.

In 1974, General Alexander Haig, Junior, took over as supreme commander of NATO forces in Europe.

A thought for the day: American poet John Greenleaf Whittier said, "For all sad words of tongue or pen, the saddest are these — 'It might have been.'"

MACC NEWS

Nancy Carr
Director
Manchester Area Conference of Churches

About 800 has been received to help buy food and warm clothing for those Manchester families entering the Christmas season with empty pockets, empty shelves, and heavy hearts. We hope to have at least another thousand dollars by next week. Enough canned food has come in to give every needy family soup, vegetables and perhaps a can of fruit. We would very much like to add to each box a bag of potatoes, some fresh fruit, and if enough funds are collected, a small canned ham. We will also be providing warm jackets for those children who need them.

Christmas Sharing
Two families have called in to adopt a child or family. If you wish to share your family's good fortune this Christmas by buying gifts for your Christmas family, please call the Conference office. Ages and sizes are given. Confidentiality maintained.

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In a period like this Christmas, toys for children may seem like a luxury and, indeed, they are. But for those of you who would like to provide a gaily wrapped, absolutely non-essential, just for fun toy for one of our disadvantaged youngsters to open on Christmas morning we are sponsoring a Toys for Joy program. Your gift may be left at your church office or in the Toys for Joy boxes at the Manchester State Bank or Manchester Evening Herald lobby. Also much needed — warm hats and mittens.

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Homemaker service considering library

The Manchester Homemaker Service, Inc. is moving toward setting up a resource library for its homemaker health aides to assist them in their work.

Mrs. Hyalie Hurwitz, director of the service, said the books could be purchased through a memorial fund program whereby persons donate money in memory of a family member or a friend and then the money is used to purchase a book.

The book would be marked in memory of that person and both the donor and the family of the person in whose memory the book is donated, will receive acknowledgment of the gift.

Mrs. Hurwitz said books are needed in such areas as child development, psychology, meal planning, nutrition, home management, geriatrics, and areas of child and family relations.

Those wishing to donate should make checks payable to the Homemaker Service and designated for the library fund, in care of Mrs. Hurwitz, 237 E. Center St., Manchester.

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Arctic blast chills Plains

By United Press International
A sudden blast of arctic air transformed a mild but rainy day into a wintry nightmare Sunday and brought added strength to a developing storm that stretched from the Plains to the portions of the Midwest.

Sprinkling rains and temperatures in the 50s and 60s covered the midlands Sunday when the icy front moved in, creating a frozen maze of ice-slicked streets and highways and adding a coating of snow.

Temperatures plummeted as well as 45 degrees as the wintry weather took control.

Des Moines, Iowa, reported a record 60-degree reading Sunday before the wintry weather struck, pushing the temperature to the teens. A record 64-degree reading in Burlington, Iowa, also was wiped out as the temperature plunged. Sub-zero temperatures were expected in much of Iowa today.

Temperatures plummeted to well below zero in parts of the northern Rockies and the Plains—down to 24 below zero at Havre, Mont. Wind-whipped snow swept most of Kansas and stretched into portions of Nebraska, South Dakota and Minnesota, dangerously reducing visibility at times.

Only two to three inches of snow piled up Sunday night but continuing snows triggered heavy snow warnings for southeastern Kansas and winter storm watches were in effect for most of the central Plains, the west central Mississippi Valley, the Texas Panhandle and northern Oklahoma.

The storm also spread new snows to the west, dumping up to six inches of snow in portions of northern New Mexico. Heavy snow warnings were in effect for the central mountains of New Mexico as the storm continued.

Warm, rainy weather continued ahead of the approaching storm.

The clash between the record warm weather and the oncoming cold snap produced at least one tornado. The twister destroyed two houses, several barns and a shed near Hamilton, Mo. There were no injuries but several head of cattle trapped in one of the barns were killed.

The mercury reached 66 degrees at Chicago's Midway Airport Sunday, breaking an 84-year-old record, but the warm spell was expected to end today in icy weather.

After the game, the group had its annual Christmas party and dinner. Entertainment was provided by John S. Jeski, accordionist. The hall was decorated by John Gally and Gladys Seelert.

The group sponsors a game each Thursday at 9:45 a.m. at the Army and Navy Club. Play is open to all senior citizens.



Black history lecture given fourth graders

Dr. John Rogers, authority on black history, explains a series of slides he is showing to a group of children at Martin School. Watching and listening are members of the fourth grade social studies classes of Mrs. Dorothy Krause and Mrs. Mabel Jassie. Dr. Rogers related incidents about early Indians and Negroes as well as French and Polish immigrants who helped America win the Revolutionary War. Dr. Rogers has compiled a publication soon to be available entitled "A Bicentennial Booklet for the Inner City." (Herald photo by Pinto)

PINOCHLE SCORES

Top scorers in the Manchester Senior Citizens Pinochle Group game Thursday at the Army and Navy Club are Rene A. Maire, 807, Inez Mahoney, 801, Sam Schors, 797, Vincent Borello, 778, Mabel Wilson, and Lee Steinmeyer, 751, Gladys Seelert, 741, Julia Vendrillo, 740, Marge McLain, 720.

Connecticut man faces kidnaping charges

FALL RIVER, Mass. (UPI) — A Connecticut man today faced a court hearing on a kidnap charge in the abduction of an 8-year-old boy from a Fall River street Saturday.

Ronald Soares was rescued unharmed two hours later when he was spotted inside the car by an older brother, Richard, 13, and two companions, police said.

Police arrested Norman Emond, 50, of Windham, Conn., a half hour later. He was stopped in his car in Fall River.

Emond, who also gave a Fall River address, was ordered held in \$5,000 bail for a hearing in Bristol County District Court.

Police said the younger Soares was walking with several friends when a car pulled to the curb and the driver forced him inside. The friends took down the car's license number and notified police.

Richard joined in the search and spotted the auto, opened the door and rescued his brother, police said.

Gagnons become grandparents twice in a day

Mr. and Mrs. Leonid W. Gagnon of 198 Parker St. are the proud grandparents of two new grandsons born to their daughters, Patricia and Lea, less than an hour apart Wednesday at Manchester Memorial Hospital.

Andrew Louis Schattuck, the son of Charles Jr. and Lea Gagnon Schattuck of Willimantic, was born at 11:23 a.m. Damien John Lin, son of William J. and Patricia Gagnon Lin of Edgemere Rd., Coventry, was born at 12:58 p.m.

The Schattucks also have five other children ranging from 6 years to 18 months. The Lins also have two daughters, 5 and 3.

Local cancer unit now selling candy

The Manchester Unit of the American Cancer Society is conducting a Christmas sale of Russell Stover candy.

The proceeds of the sale go to further the education, research and services to patient programs of the society.

The half pound packages of assorted chocolates may be purchased at the society office, 237 E. Center St.

DUPLICATE BRIDGE

Results Friday in the Manchester Bridge Club game at 146 Hartford Rd. are North-South: John Woodman and Jim Bennett, first; C.D. and Marion McCarthy, second; Jim Tatro and Lance Tatro, third.

East-West: Peg LaPlant and Bob Stratton, first; Geot Brod and Steve Zuckerman, second; Jim Lenertz and Rita Holland, third.

Results Friday in the Manchester Nite Time Novice Group game at 146 Hartford Rd. are North-South: Joe and Sue Vivirio, first; William and Ann Brendle, Connie Summers and Linda Knight, tied for second.

East-West: Andy Michaud and William Calhoun, first; Patricia Forstrom and Ann Trick, second; Don and Betty Kreps, third.

Results in the Dec. 9 South Windsor Bridge Club game at 1788 Ellington Ave. are Mollie Timreck and Jane Lowe, first; Barbara Beckley and Murray Powell, second; Arlene Long and Sandy Sullivan, third.

Individual winners in the club's Nov. 10 novice game are Betty Sherman and Joyce Rossi, tied for first.

Results in the Dec. 8 Manchester Bridge Club game at 385 N. Main St. are North-South: Phyllis Pierson and Virginia Weeks, first; Sandy Craft and Bette Martin, second; Frankie Brown and Jane Lowe, third.

East-West: Liz Carter and Mary Corham, first; Mollie Timreck and Fay Lawrence, second; Betty Lanni and Ann McLaughlin, third.

Results in the Dec. 8 Manchester Community College Swiss team club championship game are Faye Lawrence, Mollie Timreck, Jane Baker, Anne Ingram, first; Jim Craft, Judy Fyke, second.

Knock-out-team winners are Frankie Brown, Mollie Timreck, Jane Lowe, Faye Lawrence, Jan Leonard, first; Phyllis Pierson, Virginia Weeks, Terry Daigle and Peg Dunfield, second.

MACC gives stand on Zionism

A statement rejecting the recent action of the United Nations General Assembly in declaring Zionism a form of racism has been issued by the board of directors of the Manchester Area Conference of Churches.

The statement says, "We acknowledge and accept the Jewish people's understanding of themselves not as a church, a religion, a bloodline, or a nationality, but as a 'peoplehood,' a term, which in a sense encompasses all these ideas."

The board, in the statement, recognizes that respect for the integrity of our Jewish neighbors means respect for the bond which the Jewish people feel for the land of Israel and grieve for the pain which the Jewish people have experienced as victims of racism and bigotry.

The statement closes with "We, therefore, reject the cynical vote of the General Assembly equating Zionism with racism and extend to our Jewish neighbors this statement of sympathetic concern for the hurt which that vote has caused them."

The board also urges public and private prayer to encourage the United Nations to continue its efforts to reach a peaceful settlement in the Middle East. Mrs. Nancy Carr, executive director of the conference, said.

Copies of the statement may be obtained at the Manchester Area Conference of Churches office at St. Bartholomew's Church.

Christmas program Tuesday

The women of Center Congregational Church will present their annual Christmas program, "Christmas — A Family Celebration," Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in the church sanctuary. The program is open to the public.

Under the direction of Priscilla Baxter, the Sacred Dance Choir of the church will conduct the program and present "The Song of Christmas" by Ringwald.

Jeanette Fraser, soprano, will also be featured. Accompanied by Walter Gryz, organist, she will sing several selections including "No Golden Carriage" by Martin, "O Holy Night" by Adam and "The Holly and the Ivy."

Refreshments will be served in the church narthex after the program.

ABOUT TOWN

Trinity Covenant Church will have a men's prayer breakfast Tuesday at 6:30 a.m. at the church.

The committee on education of North United Methodist Church will meet tonight at 7 at the church.

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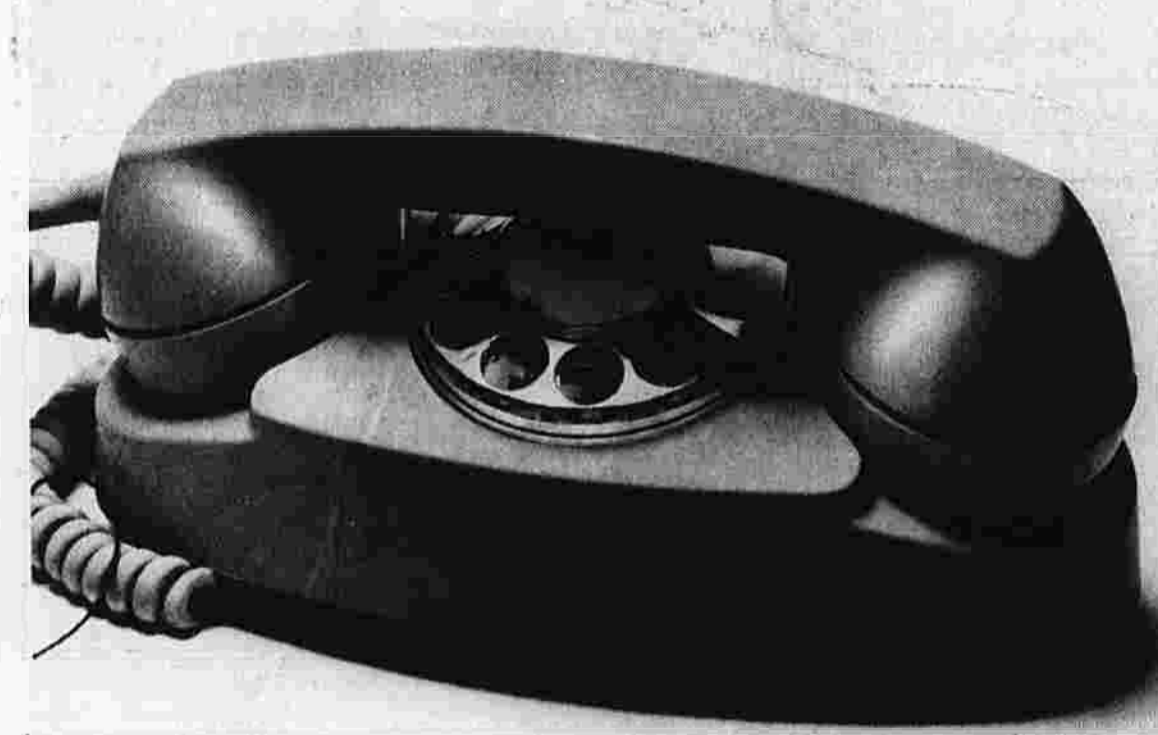
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Cooking is favorite hobby of Bolton man

By BETTY RYDER
Family/Travel Editor

Bill Turlo loves to cook and consequently his family and friends love to eat.

Bill and his wife Carol live on Hop River Rd. in Bolton. Cooking has been one of his favorite hobbies for the past 10 years.

Such gourmet pairings as Chinese duck or Cornish game hens cooked on a spit and stuffed with his own special dressing are among his favorites.

Retired from the U.S. Army where he served for 25 years, Bill is now employed as a clerk in the U.S. Post Office in Hartford.

"Cookbooks are also my hobby," Bill said, "and I enjoy just sitting and reading them."

He has quite a collection including a leatherbound one engraved with his name which his wife gave him as a gift.

"The important part of cooking is to be sure you have a good pot of stock simmering on the stove. If you have good stock, you can make almost any kind of sauce," he said.

Carol attests to the constant stock pot, and said with a smile, "And he always leaves a lot of dirty dishes."

Dishes or not, the net result is well worth the effort.

"Just start with a basic recipe — from that you can create your own."

"I like to make veloute sauce and brown sauce," he said, "but prefer the veloute because I make it better."

Bill recently hosted some friends (myself among them) to a fresh trout dinner which was superb.

He served homemade fish chowder, oysters on the half shell, fresh shrimp on crisp crackers, baked stuffed clams, golden browned trout, in a delicate sauce, and topped off the menu with an elegant lobster thermidor.

On New Year's Eve, he may serve hickies and his own sauerkraut made from fresh cabbage and delicately cooked and seasoned with his own secret ingredients.

Bill, who is of Polish ancestry, also enjoys making stuffed cabbage rolls.

Weather does not deter this cook from his appointed rounds (cooking that is).

"Once in February when Carol was on crutches, I was preparing steak outdoors on the spit when a passerby stopped and knocked on the front door to tell us our house was on fire. She had apparently seen the smoke rising from the spit and thought we were in trouble."

"It doesn't matter whether it's winter or not, steak that's cooked outdoors tastes great," he said.

The couple has a daughter, Mrs. Lloyd L. (Paula) Braham. She and her husband, who is a lance corporal



Bill gets a few pointers from his wife, as he sets out his delicious trout dinner for his guests. Trout was caught at his favorite fishing spot in Bolton. (Herald photo by Ryder)

in the U.S. Marine Corps, are residing in Yuma, Ariz. where he is stationed.

Bill says some of his interest in cooking began when he was stationed with the Army in Ethiopia for two years.

"That's when I first started making veloute," he said.

Bill has his own recipe for baked stuffed clams, and he has consented to let us pass it along to you.

Baked stuffed clams

12 Cherrystone clams
3 tablespoons fresh bread crumbs
1 tablespoon minced parsley
1 tablespoon melted butter
3 slices lean bacon
1/4 pound ground pork
1 1/2 teaspoons dry white wine
1/2 cup fresh bread crumbs

Scrub clams under cold water until all the sand and grit is removed. Put on rack in kettle and steam clams in 1/2 inch of water for 6-10 minutes or until clams open.

Remove clams from the shells, reserving the liquid and bottoms of shells. Chop or mince clams finely, combine them with 3 tablespoons of fresh bread crumbs, parsley, pork and with enough veloute sauce to bind the mixture. (Use the wine and strained clam broth for the liquid to make the veloute, about 1/2 cup). Season the sauce with a dash of nutmeg.

Saute the bacon until crisp, drain. In a dish combine 1/3 cup of bread crumbs with a tablespoon of melted butter. Divide the clam mixture in the reserved shells and sprinkle them with the buttered bread crumbs and crumbled bacon. Bake in a hot oven for about 7-10 minutes or until just about done, then under a hot broiler for 1/2 minute or until the bread crumbs are nice and brown. Serve hot.

BABY NAMES

Butkus, Christopher Gerald, son of Gerald J. and Valerie D. Steward Butkus of 201 Regan Rd., Rockville, He was born Dec. 8 at Rockville General Hospital. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Paul Steward of Hackensack, N.J. His paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Butkus of Lavalite, N.J.

Kostek, Heather Anne, daughter of Brian and Mary Jane Stephens Kostek of 127 Robin Circle, Tolland. She was born Dec. 4 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. Her maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stephens of Eden, N.C. Her paternal grandfather is Anthony Kostek of Newington. She has a sister, Nicole, 2.



Hadassah says 'thanks'

Matthew Thurz, manager of Frank's Supermarket on E. Middle Tpk., accepts Hadassah certificate of appreciation from Mrs. Maxine Jaffe, vice president in charge of fund-raising for Hadassah. Thurz was cited for his cooperation in the recent food drawing held at the store by Hadassah. (Herald photo by Larson)

ABOUT TOWN

Emma Nettleton Group of Center Congregational Church will have a potluck Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. in the Robbins Room of the church.

The Junior High Forum of North United Methodist Church will meet Tuesday at 7 p.m. at the church.

Ruth Rowley and Henry Murphy, members of the Little Theater of Manchester, will present the play "I'm Herbert" by Robert Anderson Tuesday at the Manchester Newcomers Club meeting at 7:30 p.m. at the Community Y. The program will also include a cookie swap.

Prett and Whitney Aircraft Retirees' Group will have its annual Christmas party Wednesday at 12:30 p.m. at the East Hartford facility, Clement Rd., East Hartford. The group will elect officers at 10 a.m.

St. Mary's Episcopal Church will have a Bible study Tuesday at 9:30 a.m. at 463 E. Center St.

Dyeing for a special gift?

NEW YORK (NEA) — If it seems as though everyone has suddenly become a weaver, quilter, potter, candlemaker or craftsman of one sort or another, you may be right. A recent study showed that two out of every five Americans are dabbling in one craft or another.

You might just start with last year's pale denim pants suit. Get it out. Wash it. Then wash it out, wrap it around here and there with rubber bands or string, submerge it in a solution of one package or one half bottle of dye dissolved in hot water. Simmer for 10 to 30 minutes. Rinse suit under cold running water. Untie the outfit and you'll be surprised with the new splashes of color that have appeared. You are now a full-fledged tie-dyer, and with no more commitment than a couple of hours and very little money.

With one successful project completed, however, you will probably find yourself intrigued with the possibilities and will soon be plotting a second one — perhaps making fabric gifts. Perhaps "you'll decide to dye a new T-shirt to go with the pants suit."

If your husband or child is experimenting with jigsawing as a hobby, commission a pair of plywood type blocks cut in the shape of an initial, as a sign of the zodiac, or in a heart. However, or you can color wood by thoroughly soaking it with dye.

Callaway has it in for Reagan

By IRA R. ALLEN

United Press International President Ford's campaign manager, whose assessment that Nelson Rockefeller would be President Ford's main political liability argued the vice president's withdrawal from the ticket, now apparently has it in for Ronald Reagan.

Reagan has said he will not attack the President personally and Ford is reported to have made the same commitment to Reagan.

But Ford's manager, Howard "Bo" Callaway, attending the Southern Republican Conference in Houston Saturday, said Reagan's campaign is nothing but "a Hollywood facade" and that he would lose the California primary because of his record as governor for eight years.

On the Democratic side of the Gallup poll, which last week showed Reagan surging ahead of Ford among Republicans, Sen. Hubert Humphrey increased his lead among Democrats.

The November poll showed Humphrey with 30 per cent, up from 11 per cent a year ago, and George Wallace with 20 per cent, far ahead of the rest of the pack. According to the poll, Sen. Edward Kennedy,

Demass, is favored by 29 per cent of the Democrats when included as a candidate. Among independents, Wallace led Humphrey, 27 per cent to 19.

At the southern GOP meeting, presumably a bastion of Reagan support, Callaway noted the President Ford Committee has the support of almost every major GOP official in California. He went on to say that as governor Reagan's "rhetoric was great and his performance was poor," specifically on the matter of personal income taxes.

Reagan, addressing the conference later, called for fellow party members to march under a "banner of responsible Republicanism."

Sen. Edmund Muskie, D-Maine, who was Humphrey's running mate in 1968, said Sunday the Minnesota senator is "most likely" to win the Democratic nomination next year despite his repeated insistence he is not running.

Muskie, appearing on a television interview (ABC "Issues and Answers"), said "there is no question" Humphrey is the "front-runner and I think very willingly so."

Elsewhere in the Democratic parade: — Sen. Henry M. Jackson, D-Wash., campaigning in Milwaukee said no one is fully qualified to be president, but he is more qualified than anyone else. "I can deal more effectively with the economy, with energy, with the Russians and with foreign policy in general than the other candidates," he said.

— Jimmy Carter and Sargent Shriver addressed Mississippi loyalist Democrats Sunday. Shriver, who ran for vice president in 1972, said he wants to "re-establish trust in our form of government and trust in trade which has made this nation great." Carter said, "The candidate that can convince the people that we can have a decent government will be in the White House next year."

— Rep. Morris Udall, D-Ariz., in Milwaukee, said there are "no immediate answers for the intractable problems of the Middle East," but that the United States must maintain its commitment to Israel.

— Fred Harris announced in San Antonio, Tex., Saturday he would run in the Texas primary. A straw poll among 215 liberal Texas Democrats showed Harris with 38.5 per cent of their votes to 19.2 per cent for Udall and 18.7 per cent for Shriver.

— George Wallace, campaigning in Atlanta Sunday, said "People who live in rural communities must have an equal opportunity with those residing in our cities." He said it is time to relieve taxpayers of the burden of urban social costs by "redirecting our attention and efforts to rural America."

— Sen. George McGovern, D-S.D., told the Madison (Wis.) Capital Times he will not be a presidential candidate next year. He called it a "definite decision."

The Rev. Coffin ends Yale University ministry

NEW HAVEN (UPI) — Bowing out with a compelling sermon and a rose described as his most faithful parishioner who doesn't always agree with him. She is the wife of Yale President Kingman Brewster Jr.

Coffin said the Christ child arrived on Earth in "an alien, hostile state... God made himself utterly defenseless." "In my unbelieving days, this moved me to tears," he said, adding he wondered why God didn't come down and just "clean out this Hercules mess."

Coffin said America was built on the blood of 10 million Indians and the sweat of millions of black persons.

"We didn't invent evil. We have only discovered it. At last, welcome to the human race," he said.

Third suspect apprehended in Knight murder

MIAMI (UPI) — Salvatore Soli, the third suspect sought in the Philadelphia slaying of newspaper heir John S. Knight III, was arrested at a Miami motel late Sunday. A female companion alerted authorities to his whereabouts.

Soli, 37, was captured without a struggle as he walked into the downtown South Winds Motel. The arrest climaxed a week-long search which concentrated in Philadelphia and southern New Jersey.

Authorities said Soli had shaved his mustache and bleached his hair to alter his appearance.

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The groups will meet that day and consecutive Mondays from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. or from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.

An experienced group leader will serve as facilitator in each group. Those wishing more information may call the YWCA office, 647-1437.

SERVICEMEN

Marine Lance Cpl. William E. Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred W. Davis, of 28 Welmen Rd., and whose wife Donna is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth R. Anderson of 72 Essex St., all of Manchester, has reported for duty at the Marine Corps Air Station, Beaufort, S.C.

A former student of Norwich University, Norfolk, Utah, he joined the Marine Corps in February 1973.

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About town

Hartford Association of Insurance Women will have a Christmas party and dinner Tuesday at 5:30 p.m. at the Red Coach Grill, Berlin Tpk., Webersfield. Those planning to attend are asked to bring donations for grab baskets for the group's adopted families and use paperback books. All women working in the insurance field are welcome. Reservations may be made with Catherine Christie, 243-8811, xt. 7319.

The Round Table Singers of Manchester High School directed by Miss Martha White will sing Wednesday at an Advent service at 7:15 p.m. at Trinity Covenant Church, Hackmatack St. The service is open to the public.

The Sunset Club will meet Tuesday at 1 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Center for a Christmas party and dinner. Members are asked to bring gifts to exchange.

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Sewer breaks continue

South Windsor
JUDY KUEHNEL
 644-1364

South Windsor town officials said it will cost about \$150,000 to correct the Pine Tree Lane-Benedict Dr. sewer line.

The area has been plagued by nearly 40 breaks in the past two years.

According to James Throwe, chairman of the Sewer Commission, stainless steel clamps were thought

to be a solution in repairing 1,100 feet of pipes at the site of the original problem.

Most recent breaks, however have occurred beyond the repaired area.

Throwe said the plastic pipe will now have to be replaced with cast iron, and would run parallel to the present pipeline.

According to a spokesman for Purcell Associates, consulting engineers for the town, the specific

cause of the breaks is not known.

It is possible the town may file a lawsuit against Minges and Associates, former consulting engineers; Roncari, the contractor, and the pipe and solvent manufacturers.

Repair work in the Pine Tree area is not expected to begin until March or April, and will take about two months to complete.

Many wish to be dispatcher

South Windsor
JUDY KUEHNEL
 644-1364

Twenty-five persons have applied for the position of dispatcher for the South Windsor Police Department.

The position was left vacant when Roy Bradrick left the job to attend Police Training Academy in Meriden.

Bradrick will graduate next month and join the force as an officer.

Capt. William Ryan said four of the applicants are women.

Applicants will be narrowed down to eight or 10 by the middle of the week.

The person selected will be trained by Elvira Dodd, daytime dispatcher for the department.

PZC meeting
 The South Windsor Planning and Zoning Commission will meet

Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in the commissions room of the Town Hall.

The PZC will consider the application for an open space subdivision consisting of 48 acres located 1,400 feet north of Miller Rd. between Nevers and Abby Roads.

Also to be discussed are amendments to the zoning regulations.

Allen reports to the board

Bolton
DONNA HOLLAND
 646-0375

In a report submitted to the Board of Education members, Raymond Allen, superintendent of schools, informed them:

- A three-year contract with the Manchester State Bank for computerized payroll services has been signed at no cost for the three-year period. If all goes well, the Jan. 5 payroll will be computerized. There will be a service fee in subsequent contracts.
- School administrators and the town counsel

attended an unemployment compensation hearing in the case of former Bolton Center School secretary Theresa Hoffman. A judgment is expected momentarily.

Sylvia Adams was appointed to the position of Bolton Center School secretary. She was placed on the first step of the salary schedule.

A half-day workshop session with Dr. John Brubacher was held by the professional development council. A report will be made to the board at its January meeting by William Farr.

The curriculum development council met earlier this month. A recommended draft of both a systemwide philosophy and list of systemwide goals will be forwarded to Allen in the near future.

The budget schedule is on target. Betty Alloca designed the budget cover for the coming year. The competition for the cover was for Bolton High School students.

The Title I — SADC report by John Eagles, principal of the elementary and center schools, shows 54 Kindergarten through

Why close three schools?

East Hartford
SHEILA TULLER
 289-4283

East Hartford's school board will discuss the superintendent's report on 1976-77 housing at tonight's board meeting.

Due to dropping enrollment, all of East Hartford's 20 elementary schools may not open next year.

Supt. Eugene A. Diggs recommends closing Woodland School on Long Hill Dr., Second North Primary School on Main St., and McCartin School on Canterbury Dr.

Diggs suggests Woodland's students in kindergarten through Grade 4 attend Burnside School on School St. The present fifth graders will be going to O'Brien Middle School in September.

Second North's K through Grade 3 children would attend Anna Norris School on Remington Rd. with the exception of those from the meadows area who would attend Center School on Chapman St.

Second North now has 128 children and Woodland has 120.

McCartin Elementary School has

303 as of the first of this month. It would send present Grade 1 through 4 children to Goodwin School on Hills St. The present fifth graders will go to O'Connell Middle School.

Goodwin, the newest school in the south end of town, can hold 700 students. Goodwin now has only 399.

Last year similar recommendations were made by Diggs. But the board rejected them after parents and parents' groups urged the board not to close their neighborhood schools.

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Chamber to chase 'carpetbagger' stores

Vernon
BARBARA RICHMOND
 Herald Reporter

The Rockville Area Chamber of Commerce plans a "hard-hitting" public exposure campaign of stores which are not members of the chamber.

President Robert Tedoldi told the board of directors meeting Wednesday he wants to correct, "What I believe to be an intolerable situation in the tri-town area."

He said there are many retail outlets belonging to retail chains who won't join the chamber. Their excuse is they have stores in hundreds of cities.

"Aren't you taking a profit out of each of these towns?" he asks them.

He said many of these stores enjoy the fruits of the chamber's services anyway, such as the system to alert merchants concerning check frauds.

He said this information is not withheld from these companies regardless of the free ride these "carpetbagger" stores have.

He said people trading with these concerns should ask and expect them to belong to their chamber.

Harvey Desruisseaux will head this campaign.

Andrew Tricarico, chairman of the economic development committee, said his group is working on plans for downtown Rockville.

He said visual aids are in the

designing stage and the committee is compiling suggestions.

Steve Diana, treasurer, said the chamber has a slight cash flow problem. He said 120 bills were sent out which should bring in more than \$3,000 in dues payments but only 33 were returned which brought in some \$1,800.

He said he will offer delinquent accounts in January.

Robert Noonan, chairman of the Student-Work Program committee, said they are working on a television tape for groups of retailers telling the story of the program.

He said the committee is also working on a logo or emblem to appear on stores and businesses in the program. He wants an art contest among students for this project.

Howard Wolfanger, chairman of the retired persons committee, said that group is working on a job bank program for retired persons.

This program is not to compete with the student-work program but rather to complement it. The elderly will work more in training. The Vernon Board of Education is looking into it.

Wolfanger said he hopes it will be organized in the next couple of months.

The directors also approved the new membership of Baskin-Robbins in the K-Mart Shopping Plaza, Vernon Circle.

Penny is outstanding

Mrs. Penny Stevens of 69 George Dr., Vernon, has been listed in the 1975 edition of "Outstanding Young Women of America."

Mrs. Stevens has been active. She is treasurer of the League of Women Voters of Vernon and secretary and special assistant to the chairman of the Vernon Bicentennial Commission.

She is past chairman of the Vernon Recycling Committee. In 1974, under her chairmanship, the Conservation Committee of the Vernon Junior Women's Club won the over-all conservation award from the Connecticut Federation of Women's Clubs, junior division.

She has been appointed by the

Town Council to serve on the town's Traffic Authority, is a member of the Republican Town Committee, and the Vernon Recycling Committee.

Mrs. Stevens is a graduate of Colby-Sawyer College, New London, N.H.; Katharine Gibbs School, Boston; and received her B.A. in mathematics from Boston University.

She has worked as a secretary and senior programmer for M.I.T., in Cambridge, Mass., and was also project director for a 25-year simulation of refuse disposal for greater Boston.

She is married and has two children.

Rent aid for elderly

Vernon
 Elderly persons who pay rent and are eligible for Renters' Circuit Breaker money have until Dec. 31 to apply for the 1974 year ending Dec. 31, 1974.

Application is made at the office of the assessor in the Memorial Building, Park Place, Rockville. Office hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Those applying should bring all of their receipts for rent and utilities and a copy of their 1974 income tax filing or statements of income of both husband and wife for the year of 1974. Anyone having any questions should call 872-8591, ext. 44 or 45.

activities celebrating the anniversary. It will be at the PAC Club on Village St., Rockville and will feature music by "Mainstreet."

To learn more, call Ann Bright, 871-1049.

School lunches
 Tuesday: Orange juice, grinders, potato sticks, peaches.
 Wednesday: Pork patties, applesauce, parsley potato, buttered corn, bread and butter, jello fluff.
 Thursday: Juice, pizza, tossed salad, ice cream cup.
 Friday: Vegetable soup, tuna salad roll, pickled beets, potato chips, peas.

For the following week lunch will be served on Monday only. There will be a half-session Tuesday and schools will close for the Christmas vacation.

The lunch for Monday will be: Tomato soup, hamburger on roll, vegetable or salad, mixed fruit. Milk is served with all meals.

Juniors conduct 'Hands Up' inquiry

Vernon
 The Vernon Junior Women's club public affairs program led by Mary Beth Persicho, is in an extensive community-wide inquiry of local leaders and townspersons.

The inquiry is to determine attitudes on crime problems and solutions as the first step in "Hands Up," a national volunteer campaign to reduce crime.

The Vernon club is one of the

13,067 General Federation of Women's Clubs in the crime reduction effort funded under a grant from the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration (LEAA).

Attitudes of the general public will be assessed on current crime issues and will become the basis of a national crime "summit" meeting to be conducted in Washington, D. C. during the coming year.

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Obituaries

Richard C. Knight
The funeral for Richard C. Knight, 55, of 100 Ferguson Rd. who died Saturday will be Tuesday at 11 a.m. at the Holmes Funeral Home, 400 Main St. Burial will be in Buckland Cemetery.

John A. Galski
The funeral of John A. Galski, 53, of 124 Parker St. who died Saturday is Tuesday at 9:15 a.m. from the John F. Tierney Funeral Home, 219 W. Center St., with a Mass at St. Bridget Church at 10. Burial will be in East Cemetery.

Felix J. Farr
Felix J. Farr, 46, of Old Saybrook, formerly of Manchester, died Friday at his home. The cause of his death was apparently suicide, according to Dr. Aaron Greenberg, assistant state medical examiner.

Mr. Farr was born Dec. 13, 1928, in Manchester, the son of Joseph and Nancy Sircia Farr. He lived most of his life in Manchester until moving to Old Saybrook two years ago.

He was a U.S. Army veteran of the Korean conflict. He is survived by several cousins in the Manchester area.



The recipe is just right

Sampling a punch recipe are, from left, Mrs. Janet Eagleston, Mrs. Judy Mrosek and Mrs. Dorothy Tudor as they discuss plans for the Holly Bowl Tea to be held Wednesday from 1 to 3 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Truden, 11 Richard Rd. The tea is sponsored by Child & Family Services for their annual membership drive.

Advertisement for diamond earrings and jewelry. 'our diamond earrings', 'THE LAST WORD IN CHRISTMAS GIVING \$26.50', 'Diamond Showcase'.

Brother, sister face robbery charges

South Windsor
Both youths were released on their promise to appear in court in Rockville Jan. 7.

Herbert Frissell, 52, of 72 Ann Rd., South Windsor, was charged Saturday night with operating under the influence of liquor or drugs, failure to drive a reasonable distance apart, and operating without a licence.

Robert Davis, 80, of 159 Palmer Dr., South Windsor was charged Saturday night with failure to drive in established lane after his car went off the road and struck four highway posts. He was taken, by ambulance, to Manchester Memorial Hospital, treated and released. He is to appear in court Dec. 30.

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Fire calls

Manchester
Saturday, 12:16 p.m. — Gasoline washdown on Olcott St. (Town).
Saturday, 3:18 a.m. — Car fire at 333 Bidwell St. (Town).
Saturday, 8:50 p.m. — Service call at 112 Weaver Rd. (Town).
Sunday, 2:29 a.m. — Suspicious fire in Manchester Tailor Shop, 121 Spruce St. (Town).
Sunday, 1:58 p.m. — Service call at 42 Edward St. (Eighth District).
Tolland County
Saturday, 7:52 p.m. — Chimney fire on Dean Dr., Bolton.
Sunday, 12:23 a.m. — Car fire at Flano's Restaurant, Bolton.
Sunday, 1:03 a.m. — Trash fire at Flano's Restaurant, Bolton.
Sunday, 5:32 a.m. — Tolland Fire Department and Rescue Squad to auto accident, Hunter Rd., Tolland.
Sunday, 11:06 a.m. — House fire on Webster Rd., Ellington. Crystal Lake, Ellington and Tolland Fire Departments responded.
Today, 11:30 a.m. — Structure fire on Mark Dr., Coventry. North Coventry and Bolton Fire Departments responded.

William J. Matte, 21, of 111 E. Middle Tpke., Manchester, was charged Sunday with evading responsibility in connection with a one-car accident on Peter Green Rd.

Matte was admitted to Rockville General Hospital. He suffered a fractured vertebrae and is reported in fair condition.

Police said Matte was rounding a curve, went off the road, struck a utility pole and his car turned over and landed on the wheels. Police said Matte then drove off again and again his car went off the road.

Win bonus bucks

Six residents of Manchester and the local area were among last week's winners in the Connecticut Lottery's "Holiday Bonus Bucks" game.

The total 100 people's names — winners of \$500 prizes — were drawn Saturday at the Naugatuck Valley Mall.

The local winners were: Manchester — P.J. Perkowski of 51 White St. and L. Martel of 48 Dudley St.; Tolland — Steve Mezel of 34 Pilgrim Dr. and Mary L. Crockett of 92 Old Farm Rd.; East Hartford — William Burns, 187 Manor Circle and A. Palma of 57 Hollister Dr.

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(Herald photo by Dunn)

What to do on a balmy day

Can it be that these youngsters are swinging into spring? Lisa Chilcoat, 11, swings double with her brother, David 3, of 49 Fairfield St., at the West Side oval on a balmy day in December. With temperatures reaching into the 50s, the Chilcoats are happy as can be that they don't have to bundle up in hooded coats and snow boots for a winter that hasn't arrived yet.

Weekend thefts total \$2,500

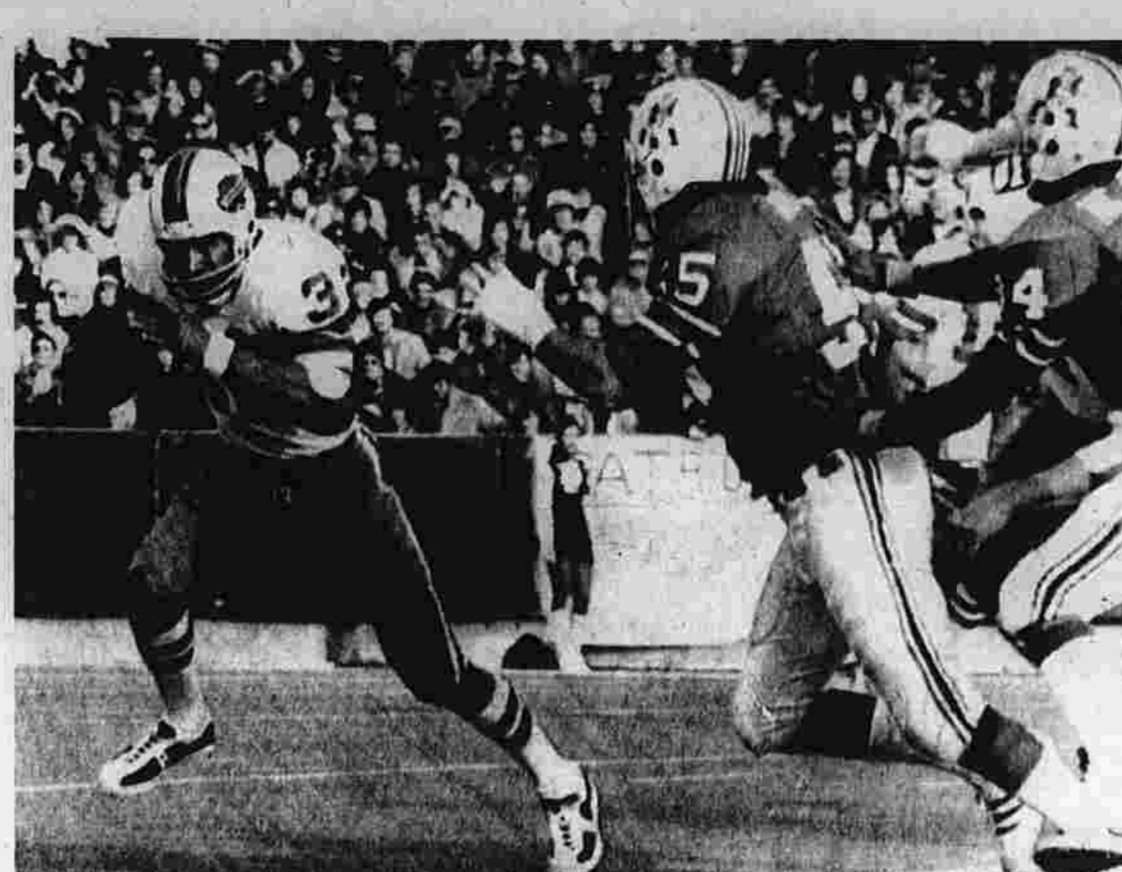
Cash and goods worth nearly \$2,500 were reported stolen in a number of weekend burglaries and theft cases, Manchester Police said today. The thefts ranged from a series of breaks into cars in several locations to the apparent robbery of \$315 in cash from the Seven-Eleven Food Store, 305 Green Rd.

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(UPI Photo)

O.J. outruns pair of Patriot defenders

Pats unable to stop O.J. who rolls up 185 yards

FOXBORO, Mass. (UPI) — O. J. Simpson's concentration was back in the lockerroom when the Buffalo Bills took the field Sunday against the New England Patriots.

Simpson fumbled twice and dropped a pass early in the game before he turned his thoughts to the game and gained 185 yards to lead the Bills to a 34-14 victory over the Patriots.

Marangi finished the Buffalo scoring early in the final period with a 41-yard strike to wide-open J. D. Hill. The Patriots scored once more, late in the game, on Andy Johnson's 20-yard run.

Although the Bills spluttered through two periods of play, they had more than enough Juice to stomp

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Baltimore continues big NFL turnaround

NEW YORK (UPI) — Coach Ted Marchibroda capped the biggest turnaround in pro football history Sunday when his young Colts edged the Miami Dolphins 10-7 in overtime to move to the brink of the American Conference Eastern Division title.

Tom Linhart, an Austrian-born kicker with a reputation for being erratic, ended the tense struggle with 2:16 left in the 15-minute sudden death overtime with a 31-yard field goal in a tense game.

But the race isn't settled — yet. Each team has a game left and if both win next week, Baltimore, having beaten Miami twice, would be division champ.

If the Colts lose to New England next week and Miami beats Denver, Miami would go to the playoffs, if Baltimore wins, Miami still has a chance for a wildcard berth if they win and Cincinnati loses to San Diego.

Marchibroda, a former assistant at Washington who took over a team that finished 2-12 last year.

"We beat a great Miami team," said the 44-year-old Marchibroda. "I'm really proud of our guys

because they came back against the champions in the last quarter. We've just got one more game to go yet."

Miami took a 7-0 lead in the third quarter on Mercury Morris' three-yard run but Baltimore tied the game with 5:36 left on Lydell Mitchell's six-yard burst.

Miami took possession first in the regular season. Pittsburgh captured the AFC Central title Saturday with a 35-14 triumph over Cincinnati and Dallas secured a wild card berth in the NFC by ousting Washington 31-10. On Sunday, St. Louis won the NFC East championship with a 34-20 romp over Chicago. The first round of playoffs will be Dec. 27-28.

In other games Sunday, Houston edged AFC West winner Oakland 27-28. Detroit stopped NFC Central champion Minnesota 17-10. NFC West champion Los Angeles dumped Green Bay 22-5. Buffalo whipped New England 34-14. Cleveland crushed Kansas City 40-14. Atlanta downed San Francisco 31-9. Denver beat Philadelphia 25-19 and the New York Giants stopped New Orleans 28-14. The New York Jets are at San Diego tonight.



(UPI Photo)

Winning three points on way for Baltimore

Tom Linhart kicks winning field goal in fog against Miami

Special teams star in Giants' victory

NEW YORK (UPI) — Coach Bill Arnsparger wasn't looking for any gratuities when he broke tradition and sent out the members of his New York Giants' special teams for the pre-game introduction Sunday against the New Orleans Saints.

Usually it is the offense or defense which is introduced — and always it has been the offense or defense which has butchered the New York Giants effort this season as the Giants stumbled to a 3-9 record heading into the Saints game.

Arnsparger just wanted the usual steady effort from his specialty teams. What he got was a sterling effort, with the special teams scoring one touchdown and setting up another to help the Giants snap a five game losing streak with a 22-14 triumph over the equally hapless Saints, Nov. 2-11.

The Giants also provided their New York fans a victory in the their farewell performance in the Big Apple. The club will move across the river to New Jersey next season.

Jim Stienke blocked a punt to set up the first New York touchdown and Rony Colbert returned a punt 65 yards to put the Giants in front for good as the Giants' special teams baffled New Orleans.

"I think offensively and defensively we matched them," said Saints' Coach Ernie Hefferle. "It was just a case of their specialty teams beating ours."

Stienke blocked a punt by former Giant Tom Blanchard midway through the second quarter and Robert Giblin picked it up and carried it 10 yards to the New Orleans 13. Six plays later, Doug Kotar, a previous captain of the specialty teams, punted in from the one yard line to tie the game at 7-7.

Score board NFL Standings American Conference East, West, National Conference East, West. Includes win/loss/points for teams like Baltimore, Miami, Buffalo, N.Y. Jets, New England, Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Houston, Cleveland, x-Oakland, Denver, Kansas City, San Diego, x-St. Louis, y-Dallas, Washington, N.Y. Giants, Philadelphia, x-Minnesota, Detroit, Green Bay, Chicago, x-Los Angeles, San Francisco, Atlanta, New Orleans, x-Cincinnati title, y-Clinched playoff spot, Saturday's Results, Sunday's Results.



(UPI Photo)

George Blanda feels the pain

Missed two conversions in one point loss

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Kareem Jabbar has upper hand in battle against Connie Warner

(UPI Photo)

Celts find range, win six straight

NEW ORLEANS (UPI) — Boston coach Tommy Heinsohn says it took his Celtics a while to find the range.

But once the Celtics got their bearings in the second half at the Louisiana Astrodome Sunday night, they had little trouble with the New Orleans Jazz and pulled away to a 102-83 win.

"It was a very slow start for us in the first half," said Heinsohn. "I think the vastness of the building had something to do with it because we were shooting one to two feet further out than we usually do."

Celtics guard Charlie Scott scored 25 points, 15 in the final quarter to lead Boston to its sixth straight win. It was the sixth straight loss for the Jazz.

Jazz coach Butch Van Breda Kolff found something to be happy about despite the loss.

"I was satisfied with Rick Kelley's play," said Van Breda Kolff. "He's just a rookie and he was going against Dave Cowens who is the league's most valuable player and he held his own."

Kelly pulled down 15 rebounds against Cowens.

New Orleans led at halftime 47-43, but then fell apart. The Celtics edged back as they gained momentum, caught the Jazz at 51-51, and then scored eight consecutive points to polish off the win.

From late in the third quarter through the early part of the fourth, Boston scored 15 consecutive points, including five by Scott and seven by Jo Jo White.

Louis Nelson led the Jazz with 18 points.

Lakers having troubles winning road contests

NEW YORK (UPI) — The Los Angeles Lakers have won 14 straight games at home and haven't lost there in more than seven weeks. But the same team has lost nine of 13 away games.

The Lakers, whipped in Phoenix 116-108 Saturday night, rebounded Sunday night for a 110-100 victory over the Detroit Pistons, who lost their fifth straight. The win led the Lakers one game behind Golden State in the NBA's Pacific Division.

"I'm pleased with the way I'm playing," said Laker center Kareem Abdul-Jabbar, who grabbed a career high 34 rebounds, scored 27 points and blocked eight shots Sunday night.

"I feel I'm playing as well as I ever had."

Detroit also was missing center Rob Lanier, who was out with a sprained ankle.

A week ago Detroit was the highest scoring team in the NBA, averaging 110 points a game. But then the Pistons lost starting guards Kevin Porter and John Mengert with injuries.

Rugged tests for hoop fives

By LEN AUSTRER

Herald Sports Writer
Some answers will be found when Manchester High and East Catholic take to the hardwood to highlight this week's basketball schedule.

The third local entry, Cheney Tech, is coming off a triple overtime win and has two games on tap.
Manchester, leading the CCLL with a 2-0 mark, hosts Enfield High Tuesday night at Clarke Arena before hitting the road Friday night at Simsbury High. East, easy victory in its first two non-conference outings, entertains non-league foe Bulkeley High Friday afternoon with the varsity game having a 5 o'clock start. Cheney, 1-1, hosts non-conference foe Somers High Tuesday night before visiting COC adversary Vinal Tech Friday night in Middletown.

Ten area games are also on the slate. Rockville High, 0-1 in the CVC and 0-3 over-all, hosts 1-3 Windsor High Tuesday night and is at Windsor Locks Friday night in CVC-Ulta. South Windsor High, 1-0 in the Central Valley Conference and 1-2 in all games, journeys to Hartford for a Tuesday night clash with non-conference foe Bulkeley. Friday night, the Bobcats entertain CVC rival Newington High.
Coventry High, 3-0 over-all and 1-0 in the COC, is at 2-1 East Hampton High Tuesday night before returning home Friday night against Portland High. Ellington High, 2-4, has a non-conference date Tuesday night at home against Montville and Friday the Purple Knights host NCCO adversary Granby High. Bolton High, 1-1, is off until Friday when it visits Cromwell and Rhom High, 0-2, enter-

tains Rocky Hill Friday night.
On the distasteful side, Manchester's girls, 1-2, visit Enfield High Tuesday and host Simsbury High Friday. East Catholic, 2-0, hosts St. Thomas Aquinas Wednesday.

Manchester moved into sole possession of first place in the CCLL with its 60-50 win over Windham while all other league clubs saw their records evened off. Senior Mike Quesnel, 6-4 captain, paced the Indians in the Whippet triumph with 24 points and 20 rebounds. He leads the club with a 19-point per game average. Backcourt performers Mark Demko and John Pisch are next in line each averaging nine markers. Enfield, 1-1, has three starters back from a year ago and is one of the top choices in the league. East Catholic has had it easy in romps over Windsor and Prince

George Coach Stan Ogradnik will find out Friday how good his club really is against the Bulkeley Bulldogs, who have aspirations for a fine season. Six-foot-five senior John Lusa has netted 40 points in the first two contests for East with junior reserve forward Jon Lindberg next with 35 markers. Ogradnik hopes to regain the services of juniors Jeff Heim and Scott Holland who missed the Prince game.
Cheney is rebuilding after its 1974-75 tournament season but the Beavers will not go winless, assuring that with a hard fought 70-59 win over Rocky Hill. Three Techmen are averaging in twin figures Paul Strycharz (13.5), Emil Haberern (12.5) and George Prasser (11). The Beavers scored two wins over Somers a year ago.

Undermanned Cougars losers in road contest

By CHRIS BLAKE

Correspondent

It's getting so you can't tell the Manchester Community College basketball team without a scoreboard. Only one starter, forward Pete Leber, was on the floor Saturday from the lineup that started the season Nov. 21 against Dean Junior College.

Jeff Hugeluy, Manny Reis and John Conley are no longer with the team. Lamont Freeman is hobbled by an ankle injury sustained last Thursday against Eastern. With a patchwork lineup, the Cougars were battered by Post Junior College, 79-52, at Holy Cross High in Waterbury.

Center Pop Baskins, a 6-6 leaper, was the dominating force scoring a game-high 22 points and pulling down 17 rebounds. Post took the boards, 46-25.

MCC led only very early and only very briefly. The Cougars had a 3-2 edge on George Smith's foul shot, but 15 seconds later Baskins put the Warriors ahead, 4-3.
Leading 8-7, Post scored three straight hoops for a 14-7 bulge. MCC

got the next two baskets but Post reeled off 10 unanswered points and the score was quickly 25-13.
The Cougars' offense in the first half consisted of Nick DeMarco teeing on long range jump shots. DeMarco hit on his first five shots accounting for 10 of the first 13 points. But as DeMarco went cold, so did the Cougars.
With Baskins and sharpshooting guard Rafael Tipton scoring 10 points apiece, Post led at the half, 39-21.
Except for the shooting of DeMarco and the heady play of guard Rick Hewey, the Cougars could do little in the second half. The worst split of the second 20-minute session came

when the Warriors spurred for 12 straight points, six by Baskins, to increase a 15-point lead to a 27-point spread. During the same period, the Cougars went cold from the field, missing seven shots and turning the ball over three times.
Four double figure scorers paced Post. After Baskins, Tipton had 10 points, Ollie Brown 11 and George Motel 10. DeMarco had 20 points for MCC and Smith 10.
The winners advance to 4-2 for the season while MCC falls to 2-4, losers of its last four straight. The Cougars take on Housatonic Community College Friday night in Bridgeport.

Manchester (52)

Parson	12-4-4	Leber	4-2-4-10
Motel	5-0-10	Smith	2-2-4-6
Tipton	8-0-16	Jefferson	2-1-3-5
Brooks	1-0-0-2	DeMarco	10-0-20
Baskins	11-0-22	Hewey	3-0-6-6
Chelley	1-0-2	Polonsky	1-2-4-5
Jox	2-1-2-5	Henderson	0-0-0-0
Jones	5-1-2-11	Totals	22-8-15-52
Barrett	3-1-4-7		
Succestral	0-0-0-0	Score at half:	39-21 Post
Totals	37-5-11-79		

Rutgers too tough for UConns

HARTFORD (UPI) — An undefeated Rutgers team fought off a tenacious University of Connecticut to take a 96-83 basketball win Saturday night.

UConn lead 45-43 at halftime but were unable to keep up. Midway through the second half, Rutgers ran off 14 unanswered points. The outcome left Rutgers with six wins and 20 losses and dropped UConn to 4-2.

"We played well," said Coach Dee Rowe, "but they were so quick and so explosive that they just wore us down."

Scott has adjusted his game to fit into the fast break offense and Glenn McDonald has performed well as a swingman off the bench. Heinsohn said Kevin Stacom is playing better defense and is getting the team running.

In the Friday night trouncing of Washington — a team that knocked Boston out of the playoffs last spring, seven Boston players scored in double figures. One was Jimmy Ard, who has started to play well at center in relief of Cowens.

The Celtics are idle until Wednesday night when they mark the Kansas City Kings at Hartford, Conn.

DePaul moves step forward

NEW YORK (UPI) — DePaul University, labeled a "sleeping" by Marquette Coach Al McGuire in his preseason sizeups of major college basketball powers, took a long step toward national recognition Saturday night by upsetting seventh-ranked Louisville, 76-76, on the road.

It was Louisville's first loss this season in four games and its first home defeat since December, 1973. During that span the Cardinals had won 24 in a row at home.

DePaul led 30-14 in the first half before the Cardinals rallied to within one point, 37-36, at halftime. But the Demons returned to lose their poise and held on for their third triumph in four games.

"We played pretty well and retained our poise," said Coach Ray Meyer, who is the winningest active major college coach with 512 victories. "We feel that this team is maturing. We could be a good team in a couple more weeks."

"Normally on the road...we've been cracking under pressure in the last few years...The difference between this year's ball club and last year's is that we're not beating ourselves."

In other games involving the top 20 ranked teams, Marquette crushed Drake 80-58; No. 8 Notre Dame beat St. Francis (Pa.) 103-73; No. 9 Arizona edged Southern Methodist 85-81; No. 11 Cincinnati downed Bowling Green 98-81; Nevada-Las Vegas, also ranked 11th, routed South Alabama 122-82; No. 14 San Francisco edged Hawaii in double overtime 105-101; No. 15 Southern California beat Illinois 82-58; No. 16 Kentucky downed Kansas 54-48; No. 17 Rutgers defeated Connecticut 96-83; No. 18 North Carolina State whipped Western Carolina 109-94 and No. 19 Michigan routed Dayton 106-80.

Ski notes

By Bill Sacherek
It was press day at Brodie last Friday. President Jim Kelly and his staff gave the red carpet treatment to one and all. Not only that but he had Brodie Mt. in good white carpeting.

Snow guns were working overtime and in some places it was over three feet in depth. The sky was overcast with a threat of snow at any time. Now if mother nature would assist with a complete white blanket for the entire mountain.

It is always fun to come to Brodie to find well groomed slopes and trails. Brodie Mt. has over 17 miles of trails and slopes, three chairlifts and two gentle rope tows for beginners. The big double chair over 6,000 feet long to the summit has trails for the novice to the expert, with a vertical rise of 1,250 feet.

Night skiing is also popular. New cross country trails have been laid out directed by John Hitchcock. Dennis Jenks, a Connecticut native heads the free style skiing program. See you on the mountain.

Bowling

ESTERN BUSINESS - Pete Scott 168-163-453, Paul Gilbert 179-404, Cliff Jones 172-141-433, Bud Holmes 169-422, Mickey Holmes 152-367, Mike Davis 147-142-402, Bert Carlson 147, Tom Fahey 146, Jim Strianni 144-386, Rick DeDominicis 144-366, Ted Kowzan 143-399, Ted Roback 141-380, Stan Wairowski 141, Mike Zwick 392, Sandy Hanna 388, Ed Ralph 368, Dave Gray 370, Jim Mathieson 369.

FAIRFIELD BREAKS FOR EXAMS
Fairfield breaks for exams and Christmas and resumes action Jan. 3 at Canisius.

TRI-TOWN

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Bowling

NITE OWLS - Ruth Johnston 177, Marion Smith 199-493, Janet Miner 190-474, Irma Desimone 456, Mary Holman 451.

Post (79)	B	F	Pts
Parson	1	2	4
Motel	5	0	10
Tipton	8	0	16
Brooks	1	0	2
Baskins	11	0	22
Chelley	1	0	2
Jox	2	1	5
Jones	5	1	11
Barrett	3	1	7
Succestral	0	0	0
Totals	37	5	79

Manchester (52)

B	F	Pts
Leber	4	2-4-10
Smith	2	2-4-6
Jefferson	2	1-3-5
DeMarco	10	0-20
Hewey	3	0-6-6
Polonsky	1	2-4-5
Henderson	0	0-0-0
Totals	22	8-15-52

Score at half: 39-21 Post

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Score board

NHL

Campbell Conference	W	L	T	Pts.
Phila.	19	4	7	45
NY Islanders	16	9	5	37
Atlanta	14	13	3	31
NY Rangers	13	15	5	31

Smyth Division

W	L	T	Pts.	
Chicago	11	8	11	33
Vancouver	10	13	5	25
St. Louis	10	15	5	25
Kan. City	8	17	4	20
Minnesota	9	18	1	19

Wales Conference

Norris Division	W	L	T	Pts.
Montreal	22	5	5	49
Los. Ang.	17	11	3	38
Pittsburgh	11	14	4	26
Detroit	9	18	4	22
Wash.	9	18	4	22

Adams Division

W	L	T	Pts.	
Buffalo	18	7	4	40
Boston	15	8	3	38
Toronto	10	11	2	28
Calif.	11	17	3	25

Sunday's Results
Toronto 6, NY Rangers 1
Atlanta 7, Buffalo 4
Montreal 7, Pittsburgh 4
Minnesota 4, Washington 4
Boston 3, Vancouver 2
St. Louis 4, Chicago 3

Pro hockey roundup: Whalers play tie

INDIANAPOLIS (UPI) — The Indianapolis Racers and New England Whalers battled to a 2-2 deadlock Sunday night.
The Racers, who have yet to lose to New England this season, pulled goaltender Andy Brown with just two seconds left in the 10-minute overtime for a faceoff but they failed to get off the winning shot.

With his team showing only one victory in 10 games, St. Louis Coach Garry Young was fired Sunday evening, just prior to the Blues' game against Chicago. He was replaced on an interim basis by Lynn Patrick, the club's senior vice president and its first coach back in 1967.

For a night, at least, Jerry Butler scored his third goal of the season at 3:11 of the final period to give St. Louis a 4-3 victory over the Blackhawks.

Despite their bad streak, the Blues pulled into a second-place tie with Vancouver, who lost 3-2 to Boston, in the NHL's Smyth Division, eight points behind Chicago. In other games Sunday night Atlanta beat Buffalo, 7-4, Toronto beat the New York Rangers, 6-1, Montreal beat Pittsburgh, 7-1, and Minnesota tied Washington 4-4.

In the World Hockey Association, Houston edged Cleveland, 4-3, Phoenix topped San Diego, 4-2, Indianapolis and New England tied, 2-2, Toronto and Calgary tied, 3-3, and Winnipeg beat Edmonton, 3-1.

Bruins 3, Canucks 2
Bobby Schmautz's goal with only 22 seconds left won provided Boston with its victory. Rookie Rick Blight scored both goals for Vancouver.

Maple Leafs 6, Rangers 1
Errol Thompson had two goals and an assist to lead the Toronto attack. Rookie Ed Johnston gave New York a 1-0 lead with his first NHL goal at 9:09 of the opening period, but Toronto on Ray DeLoe's second goal of the night at 1:46 of the third period; Bobby Hull fired his 200th WHA goal to start Winnipeg on its way to victory over Edmonton.

Preston both scored shorthanded goals in the third period to lift Houston over Cleveland; John Gray scored two to give Phoenix its win over San Diego; Calgary salvaged a tie at Toronto on Ray DeLoe's second goal of the night at 1:46 of the third period; Bobby Hull fired his 200th WHA goal to start Winnipeg on its way to victory over Edmonton.

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Town moves toward co-op for specials

BARBARA RICHMOND
 Herald Reporter

As a step towards a regional program for socially and emotionally maladjusted children, the Tolland Board of Education, Wednesday night, approved use of a room in the Tolland Middle School.

The room will be rented to the state for development of a regional class to serve not more than eight students. The room is being rented with the understanding rental will continue only as long as the Tolland school system has no need for it.

Dr. Kenneth MacKenzie, superintendent of schools, said Tolland has one student within that building who is in need of this service and another student who is now enrolled in a private school in Hartford.

The 12 towns within the cooperative will pay tuition.

Dr. MacKenzie said the tuition range is between \$1,900 to \$2,300 per student. He said comparable services at day treatment centers cost \$4,750.

When a town is not able to provide a special education program for a student, then the board has to pay tuition to send the student elsewhere.

The tuition for the student attending such a facility in Hartford, is \$4,750. Dr. MacKenzie said this student might be returned to Tolland. The savings would run from \$2,450 to \$2,850. He said the expense for the second student he mentioned could be absorbed in the savings realized when the other student is returned to this town.

Dr. MacKenzie recommended the board charge \$100 a month for rental of the room, for a 10-month period. He said the total of \$1,000 could be applied against the tuition costs of the Tolland students.

He said, "In reality the Board of Education would be exchanging 'in kind' services, rather than actually receiving any revenues."

Hire more staff, asks school head

Tolland

He said, "The nature and needs of exceptional children are such that the services of several disciplines are required."

He said such a program requires close work between health, guidance, psychological, special education, speech and language personnel and general staff.

He said the director position is needed to achieve the fullest effectiveness possible.

The person hired would plan, implement, and evaluate special education programs and services designed to maximize development of each child.

The superintendent also recommends the hiring of a learning disabilities teacher. Both are for the coming school year.

The job goal of the learning disabilities teacher would be to supplement instruction of students with learning disabilities and foster their academic, social, emotional, and perceptual development while helping parents and staff more readily recognize and assist children with exceptional learning profiles," Dr. MacKenzie said.

Dr. Vautour says take care of gifted

Tolland
BARBARA RICHMOND
 Herald reporter

A request from Dr. Cam Vautour, director of pupil services in the Tolland school system, asks the Board of Education to consider a proposal for a Gifted/Talented program for children in Grades K-4.

No program for this group exists in Tolland.

He said that support from the Donald M. Parker Memorial Fund has resulted in the start of enrichment activities for children in Grades K-2, but provisions for the gifted and talented program in other grades rests largely on the shoulders of the classroom teachers.

He said the teachers are able to provide limited resources, "therefore some of our most valuable resources, gifted/talented children, fail to be fully developed."

Dr. Vautour told the board that identification of these students must be approached with caution and added that the available screening methods are in the primitive stages of development and also that the possibility exists for the misclassification of students.

He further cautioned that such a program should be very diversified. He is asking the board for an appropriation of \$4,500 for the program, \$500 of which would go to the teacher coordinating it. He said in addition, release time would have to be granted one staff member for one day a week.

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Discharged Thursday: Florence Boucher, Pinnacle Rd., Ellington; Lillian Butt, Newburgh, N.Y.; Pok-Sun Culler, Rau St., Rockville; Joan DeCarli, East St., Rockville; Helen Doucette, Eastview Dr., Vernon; Wilton Flamm, Windermere Ave., Rockville; Andrew Hakey, Progress Ave., Rockville; Mrs. Mary Hare and daughter, Raspberry Lane, Ellington; Annette Mangifano, Cherry Lane, Tolland; Edmund Owen, Rory, and Shane O'Neill, White Birch Rd., Tolland; Dorothy Papa, Charter Rd., Rockville; Frank Plante, Vernon Center Heights, Vernon; Cindy Sandberg, Chesapeake, R.I.; Nellie Vasculis, Westview Terrace, Rockville; Tracey Voisine, Vernon Ave., Vernon.

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Wednesday, Bicentennial Commission Chairman John Sibun appointed a five-member committee to plan activities for Feb. 29, 1976. Serving on the committee with Sibun are commission members Marian Celio, Ken Corder, Judy Gregory and Patricia Mulligan.

The commission will obtain tickets for a performance of "The British are Coming," with the Royal Marines and The Black Watch. Both groups have a total of 150 members. They will be dressed in uniforms of the Revolution.

The performances will be Jan. 26 at the New Haven Coliseum and Jan. 27 at the Hartford Civic Center beginning at 8 p.m.

Tolland gets insurance refund

An amount of \$13,711 will be returned to the town's general fund on request of the Tolland Board of Education.

The money is a refund available from Blue Cross insurance. The total refund is \$20,242 but \$6,531 of that amount must be retained as a

each. Anyone who has not been contacted and who would like a plate should call Roger Terranova.

Geraldine Grant, president of the American Legion, told the commission they received a grant towards the legion's Bicentennial project.

Patricia Mulligan, president of the Republican Women's Club said the club would like to have a cookie booth during Colonial Days. All proceeds will go to the auxiliary project.

No further plans have been set for the colonial ball which will be June 12 at Hemlocks. Sibun said he felt colonial dress should be emphasized for the dance.

reserve. The \$13,711 represents excess funds. The insurance company gave the board the option of returning a portion to the general fund or leaving it all in reserve as a hedge against higher rates and/or a poor experience rating next year.

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As they prepare for the ceremony, three brides begin to take it seriously. They are, left to right, Laura Descaut, Betty Paris, and Monica Miller.

Mock weddings: Preparing for adulthood

Rham High For the third year of the Rham High School Contemporary Family Life class, the students took part in the wedding ceremony. Six couples signed marriage contracts with each other. In a wedding ceremony Thursday morning at the school they said to each other they took the other as "my faithful..."



Taking "the plunge" into classroom marriage are, left to right, Deb Harriman of Andover and Kevin Dunn of Hebron, Betty Paris of Marlborough and Wesley Knight of Hebron, Robyn Miner of Marlborough and Jim Keefe of Hebron, Cathy Carone of Marlborough and Earl Lane of Hebron, Laura Descaut of Marlborough and Mike Rapoli of Hebron, Monica Miller of Hebron and Walter Wroblinski of Andover. Officiating is the Rev. Mr. Robert D. Anderson, pastor of the Congregational Church in Marlborough. (Herald photos by Reginald Pinto)

Seniors' board on council agenda

Vernon The discussion of duties of the new Senior Citizen Advisory Board will be discussed at the Town Council meeting tonight at 7:30 at the Sykes School auditorium. Mayor Thomas Benoit proposed the advisory board to examine senior citizens' needs and programs.

Council and PZC meet tonight

Coventry MONICA SHEA 742-9495 The Town Council will meet tonight to discuss the Flanders River Road Bridge and to make appointments. The council will also discuss the appointment of a town attorney for the coming year.

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Four die in road mishaps

By United Press International Connecticut highway accidents claimed the lives of four persons this weekend and a Connecticut man died in a crash in New Jersey. Police said Mary Ann Kusmer, 18, of Williamsville, was killed early Sunday in a one-car accident on Rte. 195 in Mansfield when her car hit a pole.

LEGAL NOTICE

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Auto dealers report rise in sales DETROIT (UPI) - A survey of auto dealers today showed a renewed willingness among Americans to spend their money on new cars.

EXECUTIVE SECRETARY - Part time position available in downtown Manchester...

LAUNDRY SERVICE - we are now accepting applications for laundry, valetroom and delivery position...

WATNESS, water wanted full time days, apply Tacoma, 246 Broad St.

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MANCHESTER - Just listed, six room Ranch, Buckley School area three bedrooms, fireplace, garage, full basement, large private tree lot, \$39,900. Lapenta Agency, Realtor, 646-4200.

ROUTE DRIVER WANTED Rockville Area To service paper delivery to racks and stores. Call 647-9946

GENERAL MAINTENANCE McDonald's has an opening for a general maintenance man, with a starting salary of up to \$3.00 an hour.

Homes For Sale

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BUCKLEY SCHOOL area. Lovely tree lot on dead end street. This Ranch with its two fireplaces, family room, and three bedrooms, is a delight. Full basement. Asking \$41,900. Keith Real Estate, 646-4126 or 649-1922.

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ANDOVER - seven room Raised Ranch, with 1 1/2 baths, on 1 1/2 acres, T.J. Crockett, Realtor, 643-1577.

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VERNON - By owner. Six room Colonial, \$46,500. Large seven room Ranch, 1 1/2 baths, wall-to-wall carpeting, central air conditioning, oil heat. Must be seen to be appreciated. Drive on 22 acre Dr. and call 672-3242.

CAPE COD - two years old, 24' living room, first floor family room with fireplace and beamed ceilings. Eat-in kitchen, formal dining room, king sized Master bedroom, aluminum siding, two car garage, tree lot, mid condition, \$53,200. Phibrick Agency Realtors, 646-4200.

MANCHESTER - Moving must sell. Seven room Cape, nice neighborhood, good private yard, large two-car garage, fireplace. Everything for a family to grow and an excellent investment. Asking \$36,900. Odgaard Realty, 643-4365.

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BOLTON \$11,000 Privacy brook nice residential area, three acre approved building. Dead end street. Owner financing available.

RANCH - Six room, 3 bedrooms, large country kitchen, fireplace, 12x25 family room, garage, shaded yard on quiet street. New Colonial. Phibrick Agency, 646-4200.

RANCH 5 1/2 rooms, three bedrooms, fireplace, living room with 1 1/2 baths, dining room and dining room. Garage. Excellent neighborhood. Asking \$37,500. Phibrick Agency, 646-4200.

TWO-ACRE level tree lot on School Road, Bolton. Asking \$100,000. Merritt Agency, 646-1180.

TALCOTTVILLE FLATS - (Route 85) garage and office building, 9 offices in all, and garage has over 2,000 sq. ft. of storage. New dealer's license available. T.J. Crockett Realtor, 643-1577.

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DEAR SERIOUS: No, I don't. But if you win, you could call it "severance pay."

DEAR ABBY: Like a lot of other people, I never thought I'd be writing to Dear Abby, but I have something to say. I lived with my husband for a year before we were married because we both wanted to be sure we were right for each other in every way.

DEAR NEVER: When you assume that living together for a year will teach both parties "what they are getting into," you're buying at the moon. A successful marriage is made of three parts: luck, patience and effort. I know of no sure shortcuts.

DEAR ABBY: I was recently called for jury duty for three weeks. I work three hours a day and made arrangements to make up the work at odd hours so I could serve as a juror.

DEAR HONORED: You're no nut. You are a good citizen, and others could learn from you.

DEAR ABBY: "We discussed having two little kids last week. There are lots of reasons why you should use something better if you want to get the best possible results. On the other hand, you are an ordinary bridge player and just want to have fun there is no reason to complicate your bridge life by trying something else. The old-fashioned two bid works just well."

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