

Outside today

Mostly sunny today with highs in lower 30s. Clouding up tonight with chance of occasional snow by morning. Lows in the teens. Friday cloudy with occasional snow. Highs in the upper 20s.

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The Girl Scout cookies are here

Girl Scout cookies have arrived and are being distributed in Manchester and Bolton. Helping the truck driver sort and unload the cookies are Francine Cimino, left, of 29 Cornwall Drive, Lisa Gates of 43 Cornwall Drive and Kathy Ambach of 70 Pond Lane who is handing down boxes from the top of the pile for the other scouts to sort. Cadette Troop 77 won the association award for selling 97 boxes per registered girl and will receive a 15 percent credit toward the fee for troop camping. (Herald photo by Dunn)

Stand preposterous, Begin says of Egypt

By MAURICE GUINDI JERUSALEM (UPI) — Prime Minister Menahem Begin said today Israel wants to resume peace talks that were broken off by Egypt but finds Egyptian demands for return of Jerusalem to be preposterous. Begin also said the establishment of a Palestinian state would be an unacceptable threat to Israel and the Jewish state would not leave its Sinai settlements unprotected by a defense force. "Let no one frighten us with this inconceivable concept of pressure to be exerted upon us," Begin said, speaking in reaction to the sudden decision by Egyptian President

Anwar Sadat to bring his delegation home from the foreign ministers' conference. "We presented a positive plan, a human plan, a decent plan, a real peace plan — far-reaching, sweeping," Begin told a group of French fund raisers at a lunch in the parliament building. "No pressure can be exerted on us to turn fairness into unfairness," he said. Begin also said the two days of negotiations in the Israeli capital had resulted in agreement on five of seven points for a statement of principles for a peace settlement. In Cairo, Sadat met with the head

of his recalled delegation to the Jerusalem talks amid indications he was looking to the United States to salvage his two-month drive for a Middle East peace. Sadat, at his rest house on the bank of the Nile, received Foreign Minister and chief negotiator Mohammed Kamel today some nine hours after he returned to Egypt on the president's orders. Presidential sources in Cairo said Kamel's talks were not only an explanation to the president of the stalemated negotiations with Israel, but a strategy session between Sadat — who runs foreign policy as virtually a solo endeavor — and his top

diplomatic aide. The decision to call back Kamel and the other negotiators came late Wednesday without notice, and left Middle East peace efforts a shambles. In Jerusalem, Begin said today he found Kamel a likeable man — "I told him so" — but considered his public statements in Israel unacceptable. "He just landed, and told us we would have to give up Jerusalem," Begin said, pausing for a moment and repeating ruefully, "Jerusalem." —See Page Ten-A

Carter to pick FBI head

WASHINGTON (UPI) — President Carter was reported ready today to conclude a year of frustrated search for a new FBI director by announcing his choice of William Webster of St. Louis. Webster is a judge of the 8th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals. While the White House has said for days the nomination would probably come this week, doubt about the timing was finally removed late Wednesday by Attorney General Griffin Bell, who was in Waco, Texas, for a speaking engagement at Baylor University. He told reporters a tentative deci-

sion had been reached and the nomination would be announced today in Washington. He was scheduled to make the nomination at the White House on Carter's behalf. The fact that Bell judged the decision still "tentative" at that hour came as a surprise because Bell said more than a week ago the choices had been narrowed to Webster and Frank McGarr of Chicago. But Bell, who has been searching since he took office a year ago for a successor to retiring Director Clarence Kelley, said further information about the two nominees was still being gathered by the Justice

Department. Authoritative sources later said Webster had gotten the nod. Gerald Ford considered Webster for the Supreme Court in 1975. Bell last year chose federal Judge Frank Johnson of Alabama after nearly eight months of futile searching, but Johnson then underwent major surgery and asked to be replaced because of a slow recovery. Before that, Bell personally had interviewed hundreds of prospects and finally persuaded Carter to form a search committee, which interviewed hundreds more.

But with Johnson out of the picture Bell did not until recently find prospects with the administrative talent and experience in law or law enforcement that he was seeking. Webster, 52, has been hailed as having broad legal knowledge. He is a graduate of Amherst and St. Louis' Washington University law school. He served as U.S. Attorney for eastern Missouri from 1959 to 1961, then practiced law until Richard Nixon appointed him a U.S. District Court Judge in 1971 and promoted him to the appeals court two years later.

Moses files Buckland brief

By GREG PEARSON Herald Reporter Attorney Victor Moses, Manchester's former town counsel, today filed a brief challenging the Superior Court's decision that the Eighth Utilities District can extend its boundaries to provide fire protection for the Buckland section of town. In his brief, Moses challenged Superior Court Judge Edward Hamill's interpretation of special acts related to the district's expansion, particularly Special Act 200, the law that the district's expansion into Buckland had been based on. "The Trial Court's interpretation

of Special Act 200 created a radical departure from an established policy of exclusive fire protection jurisdiction in Buckland," Moses wrote in the conclusion of his 53-page brief. The long-awaited filing of the brief is a major step in the town's appeal of Judge Hamill's decision to the state Supreme Court. The town originally had been given until Oct. 2 to file the brief, but several extensions were obtained to permit completion of the brief. Attorney John LaBelle Sr., who represents the district, now has 30 days to file his brief in the case. Moses said that he then will be given a 20-day period to file a rebuttal. If

needed. The case then will be scheduled for oral arguments. Moses cited actions taken by the town before 1963, when Special Act 200 was passed. He said, for instance, that the town established a special taxing district that included Buckland and taxed residents for fire protection. "Up to this point it is clear that the town had exercised its authority to furnish fire protection to Buckland and this had been accomplished in the absence of any attempt by the Eighth District to do so," Moses wrote. He mentioned section four of Special Act 200, which said that the Town of Manchester may continue to provide fire protection and sewer services "in those areas north of Middle Turnpike where the Town of Manchester is now furnishing such facilities and services."

passage of section four, the town had exclusive fire protection jurisdiction in Buckland and was fully exercising that jurisdiction. Insofar as Buckland was concerned, section four stated, in effect, that the town could continue to furnish exclusive fire services to it as long as it desired to do so. The Superior Court ruled that the town's exclusive jurisdiction in Buckland is now subject to the permission of the district, Moses said. "Such a holding does not logically or lawfully flow from the words used in section four or from any other section of Special Act 200," he wrote. Moses said in his brief, as he did during the entire court case, that the laws do not permit the district's expansion into Buckland without the town's consent. He also said that the Superior

Carnival postponed, weather interfered

This week's nearly continuous rain and snow has forced the postponement of Manchester's second annual Winter Carnival scheduled for Sunday until Jan. 29. The announcement was made this morning by Mrs. Evelyn Gegan, chairman of the annual event sponsored by the Eighth Utilities District. The cross country ski course is a glare of ice, and Union Pond Annex, which was to be used for skating competition and performances by guest skaters from the Skating Club of Hartford, will not be ready for use Sunday, Mrs. Gegan said. Ernest Tureck, town park director,

said it would be impossible to do the work necessary on the ice at Union Pond Annex in time for the carnival, Mrs. Gegan reported. With more rain and snow forecast for tonight and Friday, Mrs. Gegan expects the conditions at the ice rink and cross country race course to worsen. The Skating Club of Hartford, which is providing guest skaters for the carnival, told Mrs. Gegan today that Debbie Gallant, 16, a figure skater from Hartford, who recently won the 1978 New England Championship, will be performing at the carnival Jan. 29. The MHA hopes to hire Enderlin's replacement by about mid-March so the new director can work with Enderlin for a couple of weeks. The authority received a letter from Marci Negro, a member, who said that she plans not to attend any MHA meetings until an executive director is named. Her husband, Roger, who is town treasurer, is expected to apply for the job. Authority members, however, said that Mrs. Negro should still attend the meetings and skip the discussions about the executive director recruitment. The authority members also gave Enderlin a certificate of appreciation for his work as executive director. He is the only person to hold that position since it was created in 1962.

School principals approve contract

The Manchester School Administrators Association has approved a new two-year contract which includes 4.5 percent annual salary increases and a new retirement incentive plan. The agreement will be presented to the Board of Education for formal approval Monday night. Assistant School Superintendent Wilson E. Deakin, who negotiated the contract, called the new retirement plan "precedent-setting," making Manchester one of the leaders in the state in offering such plans for school personnel. The Manchester school district is the first in Hartford County to come to an agreement on such a plan. West Hartford has been working on a similar plan, which has not yet been ratified, Deakin said. The new plan is aimed at administrators between the ages of 56 and 62. The administrator may elect to retire when the combination of his or her years of service and age equals or exceeds 75 with a minimum age retirement age of 56. The years of service will include any public or private teaching at the elementary, secondary or collegiate level where the teacher was employed on a regular contractual basis. Under the plan, the Board of Education will pay the retiree \$3,000 each year until the age of 60, except for the first year when compensation will be \$1,000 plus unused sick leave pay. At ages 61 and 62 the employee would receive \$1,500 per year. The

plan would end at age 62. The extra payments will cover most of the pension loss, Deakin said. Deakin said the plan would benefit the Board of Education by the savings in salaries because a person at a lower pay scale would probably be hired to replace the retiring administrator. It may also aid the board in not having to lay off as many teachers and thus a savings on unemployment compensation. The new contract involves about 35 school principals and others in administrative positions in the school system. The new retirement plan goes into effect July 1 and will continue through the next two school years until June 30, 1980, when it can be reappraised. Two administrators who recently announced their retirement plans for later this year, George J. Emmerling, principal, and Laurence Leonard, vice principal, both at Manchester High School, will be among the first administrators to benefit from the new retirement plan. Deakin stressed that the new plan is not intended to force anyone out of the system because it is totally voluntary. "They can stay up to age 75 if they want," Deakin said, but very few go over 65, with the average retirement age around 62. The total salary increase under the new contract is less than five percent a year, including the increments.

Today's summary

HARTFORD (UPI) — Gov. Ella T. Grasso today canceled her planned trip to Israel later this month, citing a variety of state problems needing her attention. Mrs. Grasso had been scheduled to be among 425 Hartford area residents Jan. 24 taking part in a "Friendship Flight" exchange in which they spend eight days in Tel Aviv. A similar number of Israelis are scheduled to visit Hartford this month. WASHINGTON (UPI) — The U.S. Chamber of Commerce told Congress today the Humphrey-Hawkins bill sets an unrealistic goal for reducing unemployment, gives too low a priority to fighting inflation and is weak on encouraging private investment. "The bill promises too much," Jack Carlson, the business group's chief economist, said in testimony prepared for a House subcommittee. "Meaningless or overly ambitious policy declarations should be the wave of the past, not the wave of the future." MOSCOW (UPI) — The Soviet Union has ordered the expulsion of a U.S. Embassy Commercial Office official, Donald Kursch, in retaliation for Washington's expulsion of a Soviet trade mission employee, the embassy said today. The U.S. Embassy confirmed that Kursch, the third-ranking officer of the U.S. Commercial Office, was leaving Moscow immediately "as a result of a Soviet request." ROME (UPI) — President Giovanni Leone today began a final day of consultations with party leaders before naming a new premier-designate to form Italy's 40th government since the fall of fascism in 1943. Leone was expected to choose outgoing Christian Democratic Prime Minister Giulio Andreotti, whose minority government was forced to resign Monday when the powerful Communist Party withdrew its tacit parliamentary support and demanded cabinet seats in an emergency coalition. TALLAHASSEE, Fla. (UPI) — Police searching for the killer of two Florida State University coeds disclosed today they had zeroed in on an escaped mental patient as a suspect, but later decided they had the wrong man. Authorities said the patient escaped from a mental hospital at Chattahoochee last Friday — two days before the slayings — and was arrested Wednesday in Quincy, 25 miles west of Tallahassee. WASHINGTON (UPI) — House Republican Leader John Rhodes today joined a line of lawmakers trooping through President Carter's office and said later he hopes the Carter "campaign syndrome" is over. "Some starts the president made weren't good ones," said the Arizona Republican of Carter's first year in office. "But we're thinking along the same lines now. We had a nice conversation." Obviously anxious to get off on the right foot with a balky Congress this year, Carter also met separately in the Oval Office with Democratic Sen. Russell Long of Louisiana, a powerful force in the energy battle. Tonight, Carter goes before a joint session of Congress to make his state of the Union message. It will be nationally televised at 9 p.m. EST. WASHINGTON (UPI) — The nation's economy, slowed by reluctance of wary businessmen to restock shelves, grew by only 4.9 percent last year compared to 6 percent in 1976, the Commerce Department said today. The Gross National Product, measure of the nation's overall goods and services, slowed to a 4.2 percent growth rate in the fourth quarter compared to 5.1 percent in the third quarter. GNP growth also slowed in the second quarter. SAN JUAN, Puerto Rico (UPI) — Bombs knocked out electrical service to large sections of San Juan early today, including the Isla Verde international airport, in a new wave of sabotage against the state-owned light and power company.

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Bandit's baby
When Raimunda Nascimento de Castro gave birth to a son three years ago in Rio De Janeiro, she saved Ronald Biggs from a trial and, probably, prison.

of the grunts and groans, and one of them — a masked hulk known only as "Mr. Wrestling No. 2" — gave her a blue-ribbed tour of the locker room.
Quote of the day
An officer at a West Coast Naval Air Station in reply to a reporter's question about possible disciplinary action against the Navy Carrier pilot who dropped three 500-pound bombs on a U.S. Navy ship Wednesday: "Any reference to disciplinary action, or the possible effect of this incident on a pilot's future career or standing, would be strictly hypothetical, speculative and totally unwarranted at this time. But between you and me, I'm awful damn glad I'm not in his shoes."

Counting the losses

First to lose his freedom, now he's lost his job. Film Director Roman Polanski, jailed on a morals charge, learned Wednesday he's been dropped as director of a movie by producer Dino DeLaurentis. Polanski is undergoing psychiatric study at state prison in Chino, Calif., pending sentencing on a conviction of having sexual relations with a 13-year-old girl. DeLaurentis says he hates to drop Polanski as director of "The Hurricane," but he has a film crew waiting on the South Pacific island of Bora Bora and he's worried "the uncertainty of Mr. Polanski's availability."

In this corner

President Carter digs softball, but his mother likes a bit more beef in her sports menu. She took the day off Wednesday, traveling from her Plains, Ga., home to nearby Columbus for an evening of professional wrestling. Miss Lillian is an avid fan.



Roman Polanski



Katherine Hepburn

Glimpses

Katherine Hepburn did the town Wednesday night, attending "Cold Storage" on Broadway... The doctors say Liza Minnelli doesn't have pneumonia, but she's sick enough for the hospital and her... Broadway show "The Act" has been canceled again, pending her return... Christie Hefner, daughter of Playboy Magazine founder Hugh Hefner, has been named a vice president of Playboy Enterprises, Inc., where she'll be in charge of corporate promotion and public relations... Funnymen Mel Brooks has been named to receive UCLA's first annual Charles Chaplin Achievement Award in a campus ceremony on Feb. 1... Among hundreds of get-well telegrams and messages pouring into a Torrance, Calif., hospital for 66-year-old Roy Rogers, who is recovering from heart surgery, is one from a fellow singing cowboy star of the 1940s — Gene Autry.

100 turn-key units sought for housing

The Manchester Housing Authority voted Wednesday night to apply for 100 units of turn-key housing. The turn-key program would provide funds to the MHA for development of housing for the elderly. A developer would be hired to do all the work for the project. At the end of the project, the MHA would buy the housing from the developer and receive control of the project. For past projects, the MHA has taken the conventional route of being the administrator for the construction of the program.

The authority also has applied for 10 units through another program that would allow them to acquire housing units without substantial rehabilitation. Enderlin told the MHA that there are 280 residents on the waiting list for housing units for the elderly. The housing authority also recommended that the name of Spencer Village be given to the 40-unit housing project being constructed off Spencer Street. That name and a second choice, Orford Village, will be sent to town officials for final approval.

The MHA also is seeking 50 units of Section 8 housing for both non-elderly and elderly persons. Section 8 provides rental assistance for those who meet the financial requirements of the program.

Kennedy to take steps to find MHS principal

A recruitment process for hiring a new principal and a vice principal for Manchester High School will be recommended by School Superintendent James P. Kennedy at Monday night's Board of Education meeting. George Emmerling, MHS principal, and Laurence Leonard, vice principal, recently announced their intended retirements after 31 years of service each to the school system. Emmerling's retirement date is Dec. 1 and Leonard's is Aug. 31.

With the approval of the board, the process will begin with what Kennedy terms "a widespread search" to include postings in all universities and colleges that train school administrators, about four parents and/or citizens and four school board members. The screening committee will be headed by Wilson E. Deane, assistant superintendent for administration. Kennedy said he will not be surprised if the applications for principal exceed 200, the number received when two elementary principal positions were filled two years ago.

The aim of the final selection process will be to find one front-running candidate, or possibly two or three, whom the entire board can interview. Kennedy said he hopes the eight finalists will be selected by March 1 and the principal will be selected by April 1, for a starting date of around July 1. However, he said he may be a "bit optimistic" with the timetable. The Board of Education will make the final approval of the new principal based on the administration's recommendation. The process for selecting the vice principal will begin before the principal's process is completed, but that position will not be filled until after the new principal is selected so the principal could have a voice in selecting a key assistant, Kennedy explained. Kennedy said he had not completed the list of criteria for the candidates, but he said he is sure there will be local persons who will fit the requirements.

The initial process recommended by Kennedy calls for screening of the written applications by the central board. Then a committee will be formed consisting of representatives from the local teachers and administrators associations, about four parents and/or citizens and four school board members. The screening committee will be headed by Wilson E. Deane, assistant superintendent for administration. Kennedy said he will not be surprised if the applications for principal exceed 200, the number received when two elementary principal positions were filled two years ago. The initial process recommended by Kennedy calls for screening of the

Warren Blessing elected as potentate of Shrine

Warren J. Blessing of Wethersfield has been elected the illustrious potentate of Sphinx Temple, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, at the annual meeting of the organization held at the Hartford Sheraton Hotel last night. Blessing has been the state Motor Vehicles Department for 35 years and now serves as its director of driver licensing. Other elected officers are Frederick W. Davis of Woodbury, chief rabban; Clarence A. Johnson of Kensington, assistant rabban; Alexander C. Penny of 395 Burnham St., Manchester, high priest and prophet; Richard B. Marshall of Cromwell, oriente guide; Thomas H. Avery of Wethersfield, treasurer; and Past Potentate William O. Gadd of Wethersfield, recorder.

Past Potentate Lloyd D. Beach of Southbury was elected to succeed himself as a trustee. Past Potentate Turkington was elected to the executive committee. Representatives to the Imperial Council of the Shrine are the potentate, chief and assistant rabban, and Merle P. Tapley of South Windsor, member of the Circus Associates and a past Grand Master of Masons in Connecticut. Appointed officers to the divan —

Hartford, chief of the Highlanders; and Gerald T. Millington, chairman of the membership subcommittee. All elected and appointed officers assume their duties immediately. Several divan members will attend the installation meeting of Omar Shrine Club Friday night at Willie's Steak House when Wilbur M. Chadwick becomes president. Blessing's first major program for the year will be the Shrine Circus that will play the Hartford State Armory Feb. 15 to 20. He said the Hamd-Morton Three-Ring Circus will produce the show for the second year in succession, and that only two of the 23 acts in the 1977 circus will be repeated. A ticket office has opened in Room 100 of the Hartford Armory.

HRC may ask for employee to investigate complaints

Manchester's Human Relations Commission, monitor of the town's Affirmative Action Plan, has discovered that investigating complaints of discrimination is time consuming and may soon ask the town to provide an employee to do some of the leg work. The commission has just completed a lengthy investigation of a police harassment complaint and expects to start investigating the complaint of John Bourque, a former town employee who was laid off last year. Bourque, who was hired through the Comprehensive Employment Training Act program and worked in the town Highway Department, has filed his complaint with the Human Relations Commission as well as with the State Commission on Rights and Opportunities. The town commission will ask Bourque to file a more specific complaint since his original complaint

was just a newspaper clipping. Before any meeting with Bourque, the commission will seek the advice of the town council so that it will be in compliance with the Freedom of Information Act. The commission's appeal of a ruling that it did not comply with the FOI in a neighborhood dispute will be heard Thursday at 2 p.m. in the Court of Common Pleas in Hartford. Frank Livingston, a member of the commission, said Tuesday night that the investigation of the police harassment complaint could not have been conducted if Lee Ann Gundersen, chairman, had not been able to devote many hours to the project. "I think the commission will be getting more and more involved as time goes on in investigating cases of discrimination and will not have the time to devote. We are fortunate that Lee Ann has been able to do what she has, because most of the investiga-

tion work cannot be done at night," Livingston said. The commission agreed that there would be a conflict of interest if a town employee had to investigate a complaint of discrimination brought against the town by another town employee. Adding to its other Affirmative Action duties, the committee is now involved in a proposal for the town to hire the Urban League of Greater Hartford as the fair housing consultant for the Town of Manchester. The commission, which admits it knows little of the housing situation in Manchester, will seek a meeting with a representative of the Urban League next week before it makes a decision on whether or not it will recommend the hiring of the agency as a consultant. "It took almost a year to get the Board of Directors to accept the Affirmative Action Plan. I think it is going to be difficult to persuade the board to hire an outside agency to educate people on fair housing," Livingston said. The commission would also like to discuss the Board of Education Affirmative Action Plan and will invite Dr. James Kennedy, superintendent of schools, and John Yavis, chairman of the board, to attend the March commission meeting.

About town

The Center Congregational Church will meet tonight at 7:30 at the church. The Lutheran Church will have a potluck Friday at 6:30 p.m. in Luther Hall of the church. The diocese of Community Baptist Church will meet tonight at 7:30 at the church. The Lutheran Church will have a potluck Friday at 6:30 p.m. in Luther Hall of the church. The diocese of Community Baptist Church will meet tonight at 7:30 at the church. The Lutheran Church will have a potluck Friday at 6:30 p.m. in Luther Hall of the church.

Seeks information

WATERBURY (UPI) — The lawyer for Lora J. Acquin wants the state to turn over information on what he says are "six more likely suspects" in the mass murder of nine people. Attorney John Williams refused to name the six but said he wanted all statements they made to police to be given to him.

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Prober says U.S. agency lax in Millstone checks

HARTFORD (UPI) — A congressional investigator said the federal Nuclear Regulatory Commission is falling down on the job of supervising the Millstone nuclear power complex in Waterford. "Repeated violations (at Millstone) never prompted the NRC to get tough on the violators and require effective reforms on the part of Northeast Utilities," the power plant's owner, House Government Operations Committee investigator Dan Cook said in a report released Wednesday. The study, begun after two explosions rocked the Millstone plant in December, also claimed the power complex was cited for 46 violations during 35 out of 88 inspections.

"To say security procedures at the Millstone site are lax would be an understatement," Cook said. "I could have easily slipped a squad of eight to 10 men past the guard house (at the complex) during a five month interval," the investigator said. "Security measures, as presently constituted, would not be effective against a concerted effort of sabotage which utilized the elements of stealth or force," Cook added. Northeast Utilities spokesman Emmanuel Forde Wednesday called the congressional report "far from neutral" and said it "seems to be more editorial and judgment rather than impartial." "We've made mistakes, but we've

never hurt a member of the public," Forde said. Cook said a review of security violations at the complex should be undertaken immediately. Cook said violations ranged from failure to maintain an inventory of special nuclear materials at the plant to having an insufficient number of guards. From the subcommittee's standpoint, "the real culprit in this incidence, despite a poor record of the licensee (Millstone), is the federal agency, responsible for the continued abuse," Cook said. The investigator said, "The NRC should be required to demand adherence to its own regulations, and past failure to do so is derelict."

GOP town committee to select its members

Manchester's Republican Town Committee will meet Tuesday night to select its membership for the next two years. The party's executive committee will meet tonight to make recommendations to the entire town committee. The committee is permitted a maximum of 25 members, and Thomas Ferguson, Republican town chairman, expects that the full number will be endorsed by the committee.

The local GOP approach to the election of its town committee is a self-perpetuating one, Ferguson said. It differs from the local Democratic Party, which holds a party caucus for the election of its membership. Anyone who wishes to challenge the appointments made by the Republican Town Committee must organize a slate with a number of people equal to at least 25 percent of the town committee membership. Town Clerk Edward Tomkiele said.

The challengers must obtain signatures from at least five percent of the town's registered Republicans, he said. If a primary is required, it would be held March 7. If not, the members endorsed by the town committee will be seated. Ferguson said that many of the committee's present members will be renominated, but there will be several new members proposed for the committee.

Search called off

ATLANTIC CITY (UPI) — The Coast Guard has called off its search for two Saybrook, Conn., men who were lost in rough seas when a tow line snapped and their research vessel sank. The Coast Guard said the missing men, Stephen E. Trolls and Philip Plum are presumed dead. Trolls reportedly was the owner of the Advanced Electronics Development Corp., a Cheshire, Conn., research firm. Lt. Thomas Morse of the Coast Guard said cutters had trouble rescuing the boat, the 32-foot Sid S, because stormy seas and 8- to 10-foot waves kept fouling the towing lines. The boat washed up on the beach at 7:30 a.m. Wednesday near the Garden Pier in the Abscon Inlet.

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Opinion

Like city, like suburb

Is there hope for the American city? Despite the often depressing visual evidence of urban decline...

Some of these are influentially situated, in the White House and the agencies in Washington where the administration is blueprinting a national urban policy.

Even more influential in the long run, however, could well be great numbers of ordinary citizens who happen to be where the urban action is - in the cities themselves.

There is also the attitude, toward themselves and their communities, of citydwellers. A recent special Gallup Poll on the state of the cities, published in the Christian Science Monitor, shows this to be surprisingly alive.

They could find it an asset when it comes to implementing a national program which

Manchester has a new Tavern, The Carrie Nation not WCTU

I suppose many of you have heard of Carrie Nation and her hatchet, how she fought saloons by going in with her hatchet, breaking bottles, glasses and even bars.

Unfortunatly through the medium of publicity and propaganda people have thought she was acting on behalf of the Women's Christian Temperance Union. Nothing could be further from the truth.

Mrs. Carrie Nation's wrath against the saloons was a personal thing. Her first husband, a physician, became an alcoholic and made home life unbearable for Mrs. Nation and her child.

Under the circumstances, a positive attitude on the part of city people, toward themselves and their contributions to the management of their problems, may be of some considerable effect in narrowing differences with suburbanites.

Actually, those differences are no longer so great as they might appear to either. An inevitable result of the decades-long exodus from city to suburb has been to repeat much of the city experience in the new setting.

Older suburbs today are frequently indistinguishable outwardly from the central cities. They have become in effect neighborhoods, but they are no longer self-contained communities.

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Open forum

Wife abuse is assault

To the editor: Susan Vaughn's news report on domestic disturbances was well written and gave a good insight to the problems police officers have in responding to these calls.

I would disagree with the story on one point only. Wife abuse is mentioned as one type of domestic disturbance. When a woman is beaten, it ceases to be a domestic problem. It is clearly a case of criminal assault.

Battered women live in daily fear for themselves and their children and feel trapped and isolated from the world with nowhere to go for help. Life is a constant nightmare.

By labeling wife abuse in the same category as "domestic disturbance" we are saying that women who are beaten regularly are of small concern for the law.

If someone is beaten and robbed just once, the law can put away the offender for many years; yet a man who abuses his wife often finds the law on his side.

Battered women need reassurance that their calls for help will not be treated lightly or dismissed as a "domestic disturbance."

They are in fear for their lives and the lives of their children and they need our help - not our indifference.

Sincerely, Madeline Cain Unit 4 Lockwood St. Manchester

Police report

Dominic A. Petraso, Sr., 49, of 10 Proctor Road was charged on a warrant Wednesday with issuing a bad check and fourth-degree larceny.

John F. Teuford, 24, of 110 Birch Mountain Road, and William J. Cullina, 44, of 55 Conway Road, were both charged with breach of peace in connection with a fight at a Cooper Street tavern Wednesday night.

Subway grinder shop at 288 Center St., reported a burglary and the theft of an undetermined amount of cash Wednesday night.

Seven motor vehicle arrests and eight accidents were reported Wednesday.

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Severe winter hard on trees

WEST HAVEN - The severe winter ice storm of last weekend has caused a great deal of damage to shade trees, according to the Connecticut Tree Protective Association, based here, a statewide organization of 300 arborists.

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"I'm not going to be shy about using the sword if something illegal is attempted in the Province of Quebec."

"Every time I come to New York, you bring out the best in me. I'm getting to like it here."

"The whole structure of repression and the suspension of basic rights and fundamental freedoms remains unchanged."

"I think women athletes are O.K., except if you're married to one. Then they tend to lift the stove instead of cook on it."

Senate likely to okay canal treaties

WASHINGTON - The full Senate is set to consider the two Panama Canal treaties early in February. At this writing, it appears the momentum favors passage of the treaties.

It is argued by Ronald Reagan, among others, that the United States must stand firm to demonstrate its resolve to the world. The United States position in Panama, however, is widely viewed in Latin America and elsewhere as a last vestige of colonialism that continues to poison this country's foreign policy south of the border.

Support treaties Finally, it is argued that the United States must retain control of the canal for commercial and, more importantly, military purposes. Opponents of the treaties are perhaps most vulnerable on this score: The nation's top military leaders, including Gen. George Brown and the rest of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, supported the treaties. They emphasize that the United States interest in the canal lies in its use, not its ownership.

Although President Carter now gets the honor of holding this hot potato, it should also be kept in mind that negotiations for a new canal arrangement have taken place under four United States presidents - two Democrats, Johnson and Carter; and two Republicans, Nixon and Ford.

Meeting here with other key canal supporters in December, Ford said that if the treaties are rejected, a number of scenarios could be expected, "none of them good for the United States." He added that the treaties would "strengthen and enhance United States foreign policy in the Western Hemisphere."

Almanac

By United Press International Today is Thursday, Jan. 19, the 19th day of 1978 with 346 to follow. The moon is between its first quarter and full phase.

The morning stars are Mercury, Venus, Mars and Saturn. The evening star is Jupiter. Those born on this date are under the sign of Capricorn.

On this day in history: In 1861, Georgia seceded from the Union. In 1938, the Spanish Nationalist air force bombed Barcelona and Valencia, killing 700 civilians and wounding hundreds more.

In 1965, a "cheating" scandal rocked the Air Force Academy in Colorado. A total of 106 cadets later resigned. In 1975, Communist China published a new state constitution, which eliminated the post of head of state and ratified the basic precepts and policies of Mao Tse-tung.

A thought for the day: Gen. Robert E. Lee said, "Duty is the sublime and word in our language. Do your duty in all things. You cannot do more. You should never wish to do less."

Yesterdays

25 years ago Manchester Police form grievance club. Mrs. Lucy F. Burke is named chief Civilian Defense observer.

10 years ago Manchester Education Association, for the third year in a row, will seek state-level mediation of a stalemate with the Board of Education on salary increases for next year.

Thought "We are no longer strangers... Christ has broken down the walls that separate us." Eph. 2:13-22

The reflection for today's meditation, taken from the Week 36 Prayer Resource Booklet, is "In Union, with Christ - In Unity with myself."

God created each of us in his likeness. Therefore he is ready to stand by to help us even when we go astray. His unlimited love is manifested in Jesus Christ, his son, whom he sent out of his love for all mankind to save us from our sins. We should allow this love, this transforming power, to unify our lives and overcome the contradictions we face in our day-to-day living, and to free us from the aimlessness we find within ourselves.

Thought

Prayer: Thank you, God, not just for what I am but for what you make of me. Forgive my resistance to your love. Let me be completely open to you and so keep myself available for all. Lead me to those who find no access to you. Sustain me when I fear to lose you. Lord, I believe, help my unbelief. Amen.

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Vernon charter proposal draws some opposition

By BARBARA RICHMOND

Special Report

A Charter Revision Commission proposal to create an umbrella agency called the Department of Community Services, met with some opposition at a public hearing conducted by the Vernon Town Council Wednesday night.

About 15 people attended the hearing and several spoke including Ann LeTendre of the League of Women Voters who expressed the league's views on four specific proposals.

After the hearing the council was to meet in special session as it has to take action on the changes within 15 days or they will be considered to be accepted. But because only two revision commission members were present, the meeting was adjourned. The changes will be discussed by the council Monday or Tuesday.

Mrs. Jean Pearsall, welfare director, said the idea of combining recreation, youth and social services under one director would be "quite a big bite to take."

She said all three departments work together now but one director couldn't possibly handle all three. She said one person would be needed each group, plus additional staff, "and I don't feel we need that additional expense."

"No matter what you call it, the opinions I have gotten are that the senior citizens still think of social services as welfare, she said. Donald Berger, recreation director, agreed with Mrs. Pearsall. Senior citizens activities now come under his department. He said putting them under social services would be "an archaic approach to their needs."

Berger said, "You can call it social

services but they all know it's welfare." He said he thinks they should stay under recreation until, ideally, they can have their own department.

James Lynch, a senior citizen, said the seniors play pinocle, take trips and such and this comes under recreation programs. "I can't see where another agency is going to take over senior citizen activities and operate at the same cost as the recreation department," Lynch said.

Councilman Robert Wehrli said he is opposed to creating any new department, commission or even a new government, with additional expense when there is no concrete need for it.

Mrs. LeTendre said the league supports a revision which would create a full-time finance officer or department but disagreed with the commission on three other points. She said the league, while recognizing that there are several other issues and fine points to be addressed in the complete picture of charter revision, elected to concentrate it available time on the four main points.

The league believes the town should consider an alternate form of government, "one that responds to the many areas of growth and change that have occurred in the last decade in local government responsibilities," Mrs. LeTendre said.

Of alternatives discussed, the league favors a council-manager system. Mrs. LeTendre said the league's main concern is the increasingly complex nature of local government and the ability of the town to find mayoral candidates with the necessary administrative capabilities.

She said another argument favoring the town manager type of government is the possibility of con-

flict between the mayor and the council, should the council majority be of the opposing party.

Mrs. LeTendre said the majority viewpoint of the league committee was that the mayor-council system has a more clearly defined separation of powers and that a single head, directly accountable to the voters, would be more democratic in nature.

Countering this argument, others felt that in many mayoral cities this broad separation of powers is not clear cut.

The league also favors consolidation of the town's two volunteer fire departments and the hiring of a paid chief to work full time.

The revision commission, after listening to the volunteers and the two chiefs, decided to leave the departments as they are. This has been a controversial topic since the charter was first approved about 12 years ago.

In speaking against the merger, the morale of the firemen was cited as one of the negative aspects. League members feel this would be short term and that "any transient negative effects will be compensated by the increased safety to the community."

The league would also favor eliminating the annual town meeting to act on the budget. This has been another controversial subject with many townspeople expressing the fear they would completely lose touch with their government.

The revision commission agreed to leave the town meeting but to take away the power of the voters to reduce the budget. They have not had the power to increase it anyway.

Lester Baum, Democratic town chairman, would like to see the annual town meeting retained and is op-

posed to the charter change which would take away the ability of the voters to decrease the budget.

He said he understands the fear that the budget could be changed by other than a representative group and suggested that the charter require that the meeting be attended by at least five percent (about 700 now) of the voters in order to have the action of the meeting binding on the council.

Joseph Golek, a CPA with the firm that audits the town's books, agreed with those who favored the finance officer. He said such an officer could save the town a lot more money than the town would pay for the salary of the officer.

Golek also said a finance officer or finance department would increase the town's ability to obtain federal funds.

Robert McCarthy, a member of Sewer Authority, expressed concern that the charter doesn't really give his commission any authority. He said the state statutes say a sewer authority may establish fair and reasonable charges. He said one of the major functions of this group should be to evaluate and establish rates, but the charter ties their hands.

He called on the council to ask the revision commission to meet with the authority to come to a better understanding of the problems and needs of the consumers.

John Daigle, revision commission member, said it would be a mistake to force the departments to merge.

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Bolton to research status of landfill study funding

First Selectman Henry Ryba will research the present status of a \$22,000 bond offer from the Department of Environmental Protection for Bolton to do a feasibility study for a landfill site.

The Board of Selectmen Wednesday discussed the fact that the funds were offered to Bolton in June 1975.

Selectmen unanimously agreed that if the money is still available Bolton should go after it. The town now uses the Andover Disposal Area at an annual cost of \$50,000.

Selectman Joann Neath wrote to the town of Rowe, Mass., asking for its comments on how best to get its transfer station.

She was answered with a detailed letter citing how the small town starts: with \$3,000 to start an engineering firm to aid in solving its landfill problem and today uses a transfer station that is open 24 hours per day, seven days per week.

According to the letter, Rowe highly recommends using a transfer station as a means of disposal of solid waste.

In a verbal report to the board, Ryba told of the conditions and problems with much of the town-owned equipment. He also spoke of many drainage problems throughout town.

Ryba said so far during the month he has received an unbelievable number of and some unbelievable telephone calls from Bolton residents.

He said during the storms many people seemed to feel their roads should be plowed first and if their mailboxes were hit, then the town should repair them.

Ryba said he visited every person who called with a complaint. He said there were so many calls that he had to have a list of names and addresses. He said he transferred them to Selectman John Carey.

Ryba said on Saturday he rode with Donato Rattazzi, road foreman, for eight hours. He said it was quite an experience.

It seems that some people in town called the home of the road foreman during the storms and in some cases, they weren't very polite.

Ryba asks everyone in town who has a complaint about the roads to call either him, Carey, or, if it is during the day, the selectmen's office. He said people should not call the home of the road foreman.

Deadline tonight

The Bolton Board of Education and the Bolton Education Association have until tonight to finalize their contract for 1978-1979.

A spokesman for the state Department of Education said if a settlement is not reached by tonight, the state will institute mediation. The state will enforce the timetable set by law.

The spokesman said the state will stay on top of the situation.

The school board and the teachers' association plan to meet tonight at Bolton High School. The two groups have been negotiating since late September.

Unable to meet

The Bolton Zoning Commission was unable to meet Wednesday because it did not have a quorum—only two members showed up.

Chairman Philip Doolie and member Edward Zakowski were the only members who attended the meeting. The board clerk and one person from the public were also there.

Ecumenical service

There will be an ecumenical service of praise and thanksgiving in memory of Elizabeth Hawkins Alton Friday at 8 p.m. at St. Maurice Church. The service will be conducted by clergy and lay people.

Rockville hospital notes

Admitted Tuesday: Bonnie Baraw, Mark Drive, Coventry; Hector Boulanger, Windsor Locks; Lenora Brown, Mountain Street, Rockville; Brian Carney, Ellington; Erik Carney, Ellington; Christian Daly, Edfield; Dorothy Dean, Ellington; William Dunstan, Scotland; Sandra Ferenc, Staffordville; Diane Gagon, Prospect Street, East Hartford; Kenneth Hammet, Evergreen Road, Vernon; Herbert Manley, Hartford Turnpike, Vernon; Jeffrey O'Connell, Prospect Street, Rockville; Donald Piotrowski, Enfield; Diane Plumb, Dale Road, Manchester; Benjamin Robinson, Edfield; Julia Schupp, West Road, Rockville; Pamela Smith, Seneca Drive, Vernon; Dean Soocy, Tolland; Eve Stokes, Old Lyme.

Discharged Tuesday: William Bost, Union Street, Rockville; Deborah Cormier, Tolland; Herace Crockett, Lawrence Street, Rockville; Eileen Flakerty, St. Bernard Terrace, Rockville; Marion Fode, Woodstock Valley; Dorothy Gessay, Esther Avenue, Rockville; Pearl Harmon, Randolph, Mass.; Shirley Hoel, Worcester; Joseph King Sr., Morrison Street, Rockville; Allen Lisk, Ellington; Galen Paradis, Stafford Springs; David Schweitzer, Tolland; Brian Sherman, Daryl Drive, Vernon; Linda Sparks, Talcottville Road, Vernon.

Births Tuesday: A son to Mr. and Mrs. Eric Daly, Enfield; a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ferenc, Staffordville.

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Area students on Dean's list

Among the area students named to the dean's list for the fall semester at Central Connecticut State College are:

Manchester: Bonita B. Baldwin, 1216A W. Middle Turnpike; Henry J. Botteville, 15 Dudley St.; James W. Clifford, 247 W. Center St.; Elizabeth F. Decker, 115 Main St.; Debra A. Gemme, 29 Marble St.; Joan D. Gorham, 90 Cooper Hill St.; Leslie J. Gramquist, 66 Arnett Rd.; James P. Heskest, 88 Washington St.; Scott E. Johnson, 90 Conway Road; Irmgard A. Kanva, 78 Summer St.; Joseph W. Leary, 26 Bolton St.; Sharon D. Longest, 121 Delmont St. and Pella J. Lukas, 81 North St.; Joan D. Murphy, 21 Steep Hollow Lane; Catherine M. Pastva, 65 Lenox St.; Karen E. Press, 47 Dougherty St.; Walter J. Richards, Jr., 509 N. Main St.; Dale E. Kaiser, 60 Overlook Road; Martha A. Pusch, 10 Gerald Drive and James A. Stark, 50 Barbara Road.

East Hartford: David B. Ahrens, 77 Naubuc Ave.; Anita C. Beaudette, 66 Warren Drive; Michael L. Blain, 58 Barbara Drive; Michael P. Cavallaro, 44 Lydell Road; Monica A. Charette, 143 Timber Trail; Roy D. Chipman, 36 Bedford Ave.; Claire M. Daley, 187 Arbutus St.; Nancy W. Davis, 45 McKee St.; Bruce R. DeForge, 553 Forest St.; Marie R. Donorico, 41 Fuller Ave.; Lisa T. Handel, 1455 Forbes St. and Kenneth W. Hawley, 58 Janet Drive.

Also: Karen F. Hunter, 46 Woodbridge Ave.; Deborah J. Lapper, J. Chandler St.; Michael R. MacDonald, 63 Whitehall Drive; Julie A. Mahon, 27 Bellew Road; Sheila E. McGrath, 106 Rowland Drive; Christine L. Mondo, 90 Nanni Drive; Raphael M. Murasso, 4 Fuller Ave.; Kimberly C. Parsley, 905 Burnside Ave.; Gail C. Perry, 15 Rustic Lane; John S. Thuermer, 535 Main St.; Jon M. Valles, 33 Greene Terrace and Robert A. Vansteenberg, 14 Woodmont Drive.

Ellington: Suzanne J. Barstis, 159 Pinney St.; Patricia M. DeCarli, 191 Saddle Mill Road and Donna L. Genovese, 22 Standish Road. **Rockville:** Linda L. Aubin, 119

Engagement



The engagement of Miss Dorreen DeLisle to Jim LaChapelle, both of Manchester, has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter DeLisle of Manchester.

Mr. LaChapelle is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry LaChapelle of Manchester.

The bride-elect graduated from Manchester High School. She is employed by the U. S. Internal Revenue Service in Hartford.

Her fiancé graduated from Manchester High School and Norwich University in Vermont. He is employed at Foster Furniture Service in Manchester.

The couple is planning a 1979 wedding.

Wedding

Hanner-Matzdorff
Joyce E. Matzdorff of Virginia Beach, Va., formerly of Coventry, and Charles M. Hanner of Virginia Beach were married Nov. 21 at Elizabeth City, N.C.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Matzdorff of 53 Lathrop Drive, Coventry. The bridegroom is the son of Charles E. Hanner of Virginia Beach.

The Rev. Harry B. Umphill of Elizabeth City performed the double-ring ceremony.

The couple is residing in Virginia Beach.

Mr. Hanner is employed by Industrial Marine Service in oil spill recovery.

Menus

Elderly
Menus which will be served Jan. 23-27 at Mayfair and Westhill Gardens to Manchester residents over 60, are as follows:

Monday: Barbecued beef on warm bun, buttered green beans, tossed vegetable salad with French dressing, vanilla ice cream cup, bread, margarine, skim milk, coffee or tea.

Tuesday: Oven-baked chicken with gravy, potatoes au gratin, seasoned broccoli, fruited gelatin with whipped topping, roll, margarine, milk, skim milk, coffee or tea.

Wednesday: Pot roast of beef, vegetable au jus, whipped potatoes, carrot and raisin salad, fresh banana, whole wheat bread, margarine, skim milk, coffee or tea.

Thursday: Turkey a la king over corn bread, parried with beans, seasoned collard greens, chilled canned pears, bread, margarine, skim milk, coffee or tea.

Friday: Parsley baked haddock fillet, tartar sauce, spanish rice au gratin, seasoned green peas, canned purple plums, rye bread, margarine, skim milk, coffee or tea.

The menu is subject to change.

MANCHESTER ADULT EVENING SCHOOL

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COURSE TITLE	DAYS	TIME	ROOM
Bookkeeping 1	M & W	6:30-8	123
Bookkeeping 2	M & W	8:30-10	123
Business English	TH	7-9	124
Office Machines	T	7-9	124
Steno 1	T	7-9	116
Steno 2	T	7-9	122
Int. & Adv. Steno	TH	7-9	122
Typing 1	M & W	6:30-8	115
Typing 2	M & W	6:30-8	119
Int. Typing	W	7-9	119
Woodworking 1	M	7-9	143
Woodworking 2	TH	7-9	143
Adv. Woodworking	W	6:30-9:30	143
French 1	M	7-9	222
Italian 1	M	7-9	220
Spanish 1	T	7-9	220
German 1	W	7-9	220
Creations in Lead Glass	TH	7-9	229
Decorative Painting	TH	6:30-9	152
Decoupage	W	7-9	244
Drawing	TH	7-9	244
Enameling	W	6:30-9:30	152
Jewelry Lapidary	TH	6:30-9	152
Metalscraft	T	7-9	207
Oil Painting	W	7-9	207
Portrait Painting	T	7:30-9:30	207
Pottery	W	6:30-9:30	207
Watercolor	W	7-9	209
Int. Sewing	TH	7-9	130
Int. Sewing with Knits	W	7-9	130
Int. Sewing with Knits	W	7-9	130
Tailoring	M	7-9	133
Crewel	T	7-9	244
Crocheting	M or TH	7-9	247
Knitting	W	7-9	247
Bargello	W	7-9	247
Creating Art from Fiber	W	7-9	121
Bag, Macrame	TH	7-9	109
Int. Macrame	M	7-9	109
Needlepoint	T	7-9	246
Patchwork Quilting	M or TH	7-9	246
Rug Braiding	W	7-9	131
Rug Hooking 1	T	7-9	133
Rug Hooking 2	W	7-9	133
Shirret	TH	7-9	131
Bread Making	W	7-9	134
Int. Cake Decorating	M or T	7-9	134
Doughnuts	TH	7-9	134
Gourmet Cooking	M or T	7-9	134
Alfresco 1	W	7-9	204
Basic English	M	7-9	203
Basic Photography	TH	7-9	144
Chair Caning	T	7-9	144
Chair Rush Seating	M	7-9	144
Calligraphy	TH	7-9	246
Calligraphy 2	W	7-9	246
Federal Income Tax	W	7-9	146
First Aid	M	7-9	123
Flower Arranging	M	7-9	146
*Fundamentals of Amateur Radio	W	7:30-9	146
Furniture Refinishing	M	6:30-9:30	145
Indoor Plant Care	TH	7-9	148
Int. to Antiques	TH	7-9	148
Investments	TH	7-9	264
Minor Household Repairs	T	7:30-9:30	248
Multicrafts	W	7-9	242
Music Appreciation	T	7-9	148
Quilting 1	M	7-9	144
Sign Language 1	T	7-9	114
Sign Language 2	W	7-9	114
Understanding Religion	W	7-9	145
Upholstering	W	6:30-9	145
RECREATIONAL	M	7-9	131
Beg. Bridge	TH	7-9	131
Lil. Bridge	TH	7-9	131
Danceercise	TH	7-9	G-36
Golf	W	7-9	G-36
Golf	W	8-9	G-36
Beg. Guitar	M	6:30-8	121
9 Sewing	M	6:30-8	121
*Social Dancing 1	M	7-9	G-36
Tennis (Begins March 7)	T or W	7-9	GYM
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Integral Yoga	T	7-9	G-36

THE WORLD ALMANAC'S Q&A

1. The only man to win the Heisman Trophy more than once was (a) Tony Dorsett (b) Archie Griffin (c) J. Simpson

2. The Florida Strangler Pig is a species of (a) tree (b) fig (c) vine

3. The capital of Egypt is (a) Alexandria (b) Suez (c) Cairo

ANSWERS

(a) (b) (c) (a) (c) (b)

The airman is a 1974 graduate of Coventry High School, Her husband, Antonio, is the son of Mrs. Rose Palacios of Cudahy, Calif.

Darlene M. Palacios, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond R. Elliott of 1875 South St., Coventry, has been promoted to senior airman in the U. S. Air Force.

Airman Palacios, an administrative specialist, is assigned at McConnell AFB, Kan, with a unit of the Strategic Air Command.

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Gardening

By Frank Atwood



Grace Zawistowsky finds that the environment of her living room, with the temperature regulated for the comfort of the people in the house, is also good for the health of her Cattleya orchid plant.

The orchid came into the house from a plant store in the fall and blossomed beautifully before Christmas, with the blooms all on one side. Since New Year's Day the other side of the plant has put out blossoms in its turn. When one visitor and then a second one told Ms. Zawistowsky her plant was so lovely it should have its picture in the paper, she called The Herald.

The orchid is on a table close to a sunny window. The temperature, Ms. Zawistowsky said, never drops below 65 degrees. She has been careful not to give the orchid too much water, but otherwise it has had no special care.

The blossoms are white with a yellow throat and appear in clusters of three and four on slender, sturdy branches. The petals are ruffled at the edges and the shape of the flower is what one ordinarily associated with the word "orchid." Although there are many other kinds, the Cattleya is most often used by florists in corsages.

Originating in tropical South America, the Cattleya is called "Queen of Orchids."

Mother had plants

Undoubtedly helping the plant to do well in the living room is the fact that there are many plants, and some of them large ones, in the house. An orchid cactus, without blossoms now, spreads its heavy branches horizontally three feet to either side of a hanging basket, head-high in a window.

A pencil cactus, growing from a pot set on the floor, gets its name from the slender, branching leafy stems, some smaller than a pencil.

A hoya in another hanging basket has trailing vines that drop three feet from the pot. A yucca with sword-shaped leaves, usually found growing outdoors, is a house plant in this home. A weeping fig is a small tree with green leaves up to eye-level. A small cactus, another novelty, is called pussy ears. There is a Christ-

mas cactus, holding some of its blossoms into January, and a cyclamen with red flowers.

"My mother had plants," says Ms. Zawistowsky in answer to a question about how she became interested in them. She learned about the care of plants from her mother and learns more now from reading. Her copy of "Exotic Plant Manual" confirmed our identification of the Cattleya orchid.

Ruffled blossoms of a white Cattleya orchid in North Main Street, home of Ms. Grace Zawistowsky. (Herald photo by Dumm)

Turnpike TV & Appliance January Clearance

Electric clothes dryer 2 temp Reg. 209.95 \$158

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30 inch electric range Harvest Gold Reg. 299.95 \$189

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Gas clothes dryer 3 temp. Reg. 239.95 \$176

6 cu. ft. chest freezer Reg. 249.95 \$159

13 cu. ft. refrigerator Reg. 329.95 \$278

Dishwasher under counter Reg. 299.95 \$228

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In the service

Marine Lance Cpl. Jeffrey Nova, son of Mr. and Mrs. Firmo R. Nova of 132 Appletree Drive, East Hartford, has been promoted to his present rank while serving at the Marine Corps Base, Twentynine Palms, Calif.

A 1974 graduate of Penney High School, he joined the Marine Corps in October 1976.

Navy Machinist's Mate Fireman Daniel M. Tripp, son of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Tripp of 109 Orchard St., Rockville, has helped his ship win a competitive award.

He is serving as a crewmember aboard the ammunition ship USS Mount Baker, homeported in Charleston, S.C.

He joined the Navy in August 1975.

Bruce A. Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Johnson of 86 Dockery Road, Tolland, recently entered the Air Force Delayed Enlistment Program.

A 1976 graduate of South Windsor High School, she is scheduled to leave for basic training at Lackland Air Force Base near San Antonio, Texas, on May 24.

Plans are for him to receive technical training in the administrative career field.

Michael G. Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Roberts of 15 Summit St., recently entered the Air Force Delayed Enlistment Program.

A 1978 graduate of Manchester High School, he is scheduled to leave for basic training at Lackland Air Force Base near San Antonio, Texas on July 10.

Plans are for him to receive technical training in the mechanical career field.



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Obituaries

James F. Downey

VERNON—James F. Downey, 75, of 215 Skinner Road died Wednesday at Rockville General Hospital. He was the husband of Mrs. Mary Decker Downey.

Mr. Downey had lived in the Vernon area for the past 17 years. He was a Navy veteran of World War II, retiring from the Navy in 1946 with the rank of chief warrant officer after 22 years service. He was a member of the Fleet Reserve Association, Unit 26 of Yonkers, N.Y. He was a communicant of the Church of St. Luke in Ellington.

He is also survived by a daughter, Mrs. Everett (Mary) Peterson of Vernon, and three grandchildren.

The funeral is Saturday at 10:15 a.m. from the Burke-Fortin Funeral Home, 78 Prospect St., Rockville, with a mass at the Church of St. Luke at 11. Burial will be in Ellington Cemetery. Full military honors will be accorded at graveside. Friends may call at the funeral home tonight from 7 to 9 and Friday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

Mrs. John J. Klein

Mrs. Emma E. Klein of 28 Foley St. died Wednesday night at Manchester Memorial Hospital. She was the wife of John J. Klein.

Mrs. Klein was born in Manchester and had lived here all her life. She was a member of Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church and its Ladies Aid Society. She also belonged to the American Association of Retired Persons.

She is also survived by a daughter, Mrs. Robert (Florence) Scully of Manchester and West Palm Beach, Fla.; two sons, Richard E. Klein of East Hartford and William J. Klein of Huntington, Mass.; eight grandchildren and two great-granddaughters.

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Newspaper course begins Saturday

Readers of Courses by Newspaper's series "Popcorn" will begin on Saturday, Jan. 21, at 10:30 a.m. at Manchester Community College. The course is based on a 15-part series written by outstanding scholars that will appear in The Herald every Saturday, beginning Jan. 21. Topics include pop culture as big business and arbiter of change, the themes of popular culture that revolve in movies, music, sports, and politics, and the heritage and future of today's popular culture. Readers who wish to enroll in the

Andover board abates taxes on Bishop's Lake

The Andover Board of Selectmen Wednesday moved to abate taxes on the Fuller property (Bishop's Lake) on the Oct. 1, 1975, and Oct. 1, 1976, tax collector's records. The amounts are \$728 and \$870 respectively. The land was purchased by the State of Connecticut. Town Meeting action approved the abatement of taxes.

The board also signed an agreement to create an unimproved road project for Birch Drive. The selectmen estimate the project will cost \$5,000. Funds for the project will come from the Town Aid Road Fund, money received from the state for town roads.

Oil truck tips over

South Windsor An oil tank truck, owned by Imperial Oil Co. of South Windsor, tipped over on its side Wednesday night when the driver lost control on the icy pavement. No injuries were reported.

The driver, Russell Young, 21, of 23 High St., South Windsor, was northbound on Route 30 with a load of

Killian hits out at Grasso

HARTFORD (UPI)—Lt. Gov. Robert K. Killian today came out fighting in his bid to deny Gov. Ella T. Grasso the Democratic gubernatorial nomination, comparing himself to Notre Dame, which won the collegiate football championship by toppling heavily favored Texas.

Killian announced his almost unprecedented candidacy to more than 200 persons packed into the state Senate chambers, expressing his opposition to a state income tax and legalizing gambling needed to be sold.

He also accused Mrs. Grasso of playing politics with the state budget, saying her talk of a sales tax

Mrs. William S. Snipes EAST HARTFORD—Mrs. Mary Balukin Snipes, 55, of 235 Main St. died Tuesday at her home. She was the wife of William S. Snipes.

Mrs. Snipes was born in Hartford and had lived in East Hartford for the past 20 years. She was an Air Force veteran of World War II. She was a communicant of St. Mary's Church.

She is also survived by three sisters, Mrs. Sophia Platt of Manchester, Mrs. Ann Sherris of Hartford and Mrs. Frances Mazens of West Hartford.

The funeral is Friday at 8:15 a.m. from Callahan Funeral Home, 1602 Main St., with a mass at St. Mary's Church at 9. Burial will be in Veterans Memorial Field, Hillside Cemetery.

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Moses

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Court's interpretation of Special Act 200 may be void according to the State Constitution.

The decision gave the district attorney superior to the town's territory superior to that which the town has over the district's territory, Moses said.

"The decision permits a statutory transfer of the ownership of the town's fire-protection franchise in Buckland from the town to the Eighth District for no valid public purpose," Moses wrote.

Moses also included the following challenges in his brief: "Even if the Eighth District had the right to expand into Buckland, it is stopped from doing so. The town previously has argued that the district has waived its right to expand into Buckland."

"The trial court erred in granting an injunction that was too indefinite. The town was enjoined from interfering with the district's expansion."

Mr. Smith was born in Manchester and had lived in East Hartford for 50 years. He had been employed at the former Case Bros. Paper Mill in East Hartford before his retirement.

He is survived by a brother, Walter Smith of East Hartford, and a sister, Mrs. Lillian I. Murphy of Orlando, Fla.

Stand

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"May I tell you, ladies and gentlemen, it was the most preposterous statement ever made by a guest. Imagine, I come to France and say Paris should be divided into two. The very next day I would be asked to leave France."

He also said jokingly there was another word in the language of the great French authors and it was French, it means chutzpah—a Yiddish word defined as "shameless audacity or impudence."

He said the negotiations were "Quite Successful—out of seven paragraphs of the declaration of principles we agreed on five, two were left out for further negotiations and suddenly he was recalled."

In Cairo today, an Egyptian delegation source said the immediate cause for the walkout had been hard-line comments by Israeli leaders outside the conference room, but an additional factor was Cairo's "disillusionment" with what it saw as pro-Israeli "compromise proposals" from Washington.

The source said Secretary of State Cyrus Vance's position during the talks had represented a rollback on his and President Carter's earlier commitment to guarantee the Palestinians a voice in determining their future.

Later, the semi-official Middle East News Agency quoted informed sources in Washington as saying the Sadat move had prompted Carter to "authorize Vance to take a more active role in the negotiating process."

Sadat, accusing Israel of trying to sidetrack his peace initiative, Wednesday night ordered the return of Karmel and his delegation from Jerusalem, where Israel and Egypt were conducting their first full-scale peace negotiations. The exhausted Egyptian diplomats landed in Cairo before dawn today.

The Israeli cabinet reacted swiftly to Sadat's program, calling it a "monument that assailed Egypt's 'astonishing intransigence' but expressed willingness to resume the talks.

Israel, Egypt and the United States all said they believed the peace talks could be salvaged. But unless reversed, Sadat's program moves threatened to end the peace initiative he launched Nov. 19 with his unprecedented trip to Jerusalem.

Representatives of Manchester's health department asked for Community Development (CD) funds Wednesday night to establish a dental clinic.

Ronald Kraatz, assistant health administrator, asked the Community Development Advisory Committee (CDAC) for \$30,000 which would be enough to equip a three-chair facility with basic equipment, office furniture and special plumbing that is necessary for dental operations.

Given an existing building in which to set up a clinic, this would cover the capital outlay in addition to an estimated operating annual cost of \$57,000. Some of the operating funds would come from Title 19, Kraatz said. Title 19 is medical assistance provided to people with low incomes.

Before Kraatz spoke, Dr. Walter Schardt, chairman of the Advisory Board of Health, told the CDAC of the town's need for improved dental health care. As many as 25 to 30 percent of the town's elementary school children need dental care, he said.

The main factors to be considered are money, a suitable site, salaries, equipment and maintenance. Dr. Schardt said. Getting dentists is not a problem, he said.

He said the clinic should be run on an ability-to-pay basis. Eventually, dental health care services could be offered to the elderly.

The clinic could be set up within a 1,000 square foot space. The town's

Town hockey fan brings suit, alleges assault by players

Two years ago, James Tuttle Jr. of Manchester went to the Hartford Civic Center to watch the New England Whalers play hockey against the Cincinnati Stingers.

Before the night was over, Tuttle suffered a broken nose, a concussion and numerous other injuries when kicked and beaten by two members of the Stingers, Pierre Guite and Dale Smedsno.

Tuttle is also suing the Cincinnati Hockey Corp., which he said was negligent in properly supervising and maintaining control over its players. Also, he is suing Hartford and the

Aetna Casualty and Surety Co., which he claims, as owners of the Civic Center, were responsible for the safety of its guests and failed to provide proper police protection.

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Lottery

HARTFORD (UPI)—The number drawn Wednesday night in the Connecticut daily lottery was 858.



Tobogganers prepare to sweep down the sliding hill on the west side of Wickham Park. Despite the icy slope and super fast conditions, hundreds came to the slope over the weekend. Many took tumbles and there were several injuries reported.

Best and fastest sliding around The park's cabin at the top was open for hot drinks and a chance to warm up at the fireplace. (Herald photo by Barlow)

Mrs. Gundersen to fight for party committee spot

Lee Ann Gundersen, a member of Manchester's Democratic Town Committee, will seek re-election to the committee as an individual candidate in the first voting district's caucus.

Mrs. Gundersen was chosen as the present member who would be dropped from the committee. She said that the decision was made without a meeting of the district's committee members.

She called the procedure "unfair, unethical and undemocratic."

The district chairman files a slate of candidates, primarily made up of present committee members. Anyone wishing to run against the slate may file as an individual or as part of a second slate.

Mrs. Gundersen, who is chairman of the Human Relations Commission, said this morning that she will file today as an individual candidate in the first voting district. She said that her running is at least partially in protest to the way she was dropped from the slate.

She also questioned the idea of running slates of candidates.

"It doesn't consider the qualifications of an individual. It groups everyone together," she said. Other Democrats also spoke Wednesday night about the concept of running slates, an idea that is supported by some and opposed by others.

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Health aides ask funds to form dental clinic

By JUNE TOMPKINS Herald Reporter

Representatives of Manchester's health department asked for Community Development (CD) funds Wednesday night to establish a dental clinic.

Ronald Kraatz, assistant health administrator, asked the Community Development Advisory Committee (CDAC) for \$30,000 which would be enough to equip a three-chair facility with basic equipment, office furniture and special plumbing that is necessary for dental operations.

Given an existing building in which to set up a clinic, this would cover the capital outlay in addition to an estimated operating annual cost of \$57,000. Some of the operating funds would come from Title 19, Kraatz said. Title 19 is medical assistance provided to people with low incomes.

Before Kraatz spoke, Dr. Walter Schardt, chairman of the Advisory Board of Health, told the CDAC of the town's need for improved dental health care. As many as 25 to 30 percent of the town's elementary school children need dental care, he said.

The main factors to be considered are money, a suitable site, salaries, equipment and maintenance. Dr. Schardt said. Getting dentists is not a problem, he said.

He said the clinic should be run on an ability-to-pay basis. Eventually, dental health care services could be offered to the elderly.

The clinic could be set up within a 1,000 square foot space. The town's

dental care committee has considered space in a phased-out school, a rented doctor's office, or in Manchester Memorial Hospital.

If the dental clinic should be set up in the hospital, however, the project would not be eligible for CD funds.

Alan Mason, community development administrator, said later that any project located outside a designated target area for CD funding would be ineligible for those funds.

When Gilmour Cole, a committee member and also a trustee of Manchester Memorial Hospital, spoke favorably of housing the clinic in the hospital, Mason reminded him that to be federally funded, a project must be a "neighborhood facility," not a townwide facility.

Proposed HUD regulations say that 51 percent of the population within a neighborhood boundary has to be served before you can go outside. Mason said. He was emphatic in explaining that whatever project is planned, it has to serve the "neighborhood."

Dr. Schardt said that a survey on the health and dental needs of the elderly in Manchester is planned. Feedback from this survey is expected in a couple of months, he said.

Cole revised his opinion later and said the CDAC should consider putting a dental health care facility within the suggested downtown target area approved by the committee.

Justice William Rehnquist dissented.

Central area targeted for improvement fund

By JUNE TOMPKINS Herald Reporter

The Community Development Advisory Committee (CDAC) Wednesday night approved an area in downtown Manchester as the target area for proposed projects to benefit from Community Development (CD) funding. The town has received \$484,000 in federal funds for community development projects.

Alan Mason, CD administrator, described the proposed projects within the area he called a low income area bordered by Spruce Street, Interstate 84, Campfield Road and an uneven northern boundary including Summer Ridge, New, Newman, Valley, Trotter and Cedar streets.

In addition to Main Street, this area also includes an area redesignated as a proposed historic site which could benefit from its historic significance.

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City eyes bigger arena

HARTFORD (UPI)—City officials, recovering quickly from their brush with disaster, Wednesday night ordered a bigger and better arena to replace the destroyed Hartford Civic Center Coliseum.

The snow and ice-caused roof of the giant 3-year-old coliseum collapsed about a month before the opening Wednesday, only six hours after more than 4,700 persons had filed out after watching a basketball game. There were no injuries.

The City Council went into emergency session Wednesday night to launch an investigation and order

City Manager James Daken to restore the Civic Center and "make it bigger and better."

"I don't want any kangaroo court," said Mayor George Athanson. "But at the same time I don't want anything covered up."

Shocked downtown business leaders called the cave-in a tragedy. Plans for dozens of entertainment and sports events were thrown into disarray but other halls were being hired and schedule adjustments were under way. Arenas in New Haven, Conn., Springfield, Mass., and Providence, R.I., were to get most of the business.

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The structural engineering firm of Loomis and Loomis of Windsor said it has determined the wall between the coliseum and the shopping mall is sound. John H. Filer, chairman of Aetna Life & Casualty which owns the mall, said the Civic Center might be opened again Friday. There are 94 shops and restaurants in the mall.

Low bid \$408,000 on Bentley School

Clear Span Structures, Inc. of Hartford is the apparent low bidder on the Bentley School renovations project at an estimated cost of \$408,000.

The bids keep the project within the most recent estimates by the architect, Richard Manley Associates.

The project which was approved by the voters in a November 1975 referendum at a cost of \$747,000, has been considerably reduced in scope because of projected enrollment declines in the schools.

The low prices projected by the bidders may also enable the various alternate bids, such as the lower level of the newer wing of the school, office deck and improvements, and a new kitchen and cafeteria floor, to be included in the project.

The project is scheduled to start around Feb. 15 and be completed in two phases because of the necessary



displacement of students during the renovations, Manley said. Students will be moved to one section of the building while work is being done in another section and then moved back again. The complete project is expected to be done Aug. 15.

There were a total of seven bidders on the project with bids ranging from the low one to \$483,400.

The second low bidder was Nutmeg Builders of Hartford at a price of \$410,000.

and other health services such as a health screening clinic, and a place for handicapped individuals to rest and wait.

Mason mentioned the former Economy Electric Supply Co. on Main Street as a likely site for the senior citizens center.

The present center on Myrtle Street is far from ideal because it is too small to serve its purpose and there is little parking space.

The asking price for the former light store is \$200,000, but Mason said the price is negotiable. The building has a basement and two floors with 8,000 square feet on the first floor, and an elevator shaft.

Mason suggested that there would be sufficient space for the senior citizens, a health screening clinic, and a proposed dental clinic which the town is trying to develop. He said although it could be divided into three parts costing about \$50,000 each, a lot of this project depends on what happens to Main Street, Mason said.

The CDAC approved an agenda which calls for a review of the proposed projects Monday, with a public hearing scheduled Thursday, Jan. 26, on the committee's proposed Community Development plan, followed by a report on the hearing with discussion on Feb. 1. The Board of Directors is expected to vote on the proposed projects in February.

Mason said Wednesday that he will expect to meet with local PTAs about the community development program. The meetings, which he had hoped to hold this month, probably will not be held until after the community development is proposed in February.

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Allen tells of quest for vocational funds

Bolton

Raymond Allen, Bolton superintendent of schools, in his monthly report to the Board of Education, said he has asked the Western Area Superintendent's Association to bring the matter of discrimination against small towns, concerning funding for vocational programs to the attention of the Connecticut Association of School Administrators.

Student asks board about music plans

Kathy Moore, Bolton High School student, asked the Board of Education Monday night if anything has been done since a group of concerned people presented the problems of the music program at the high school to the board.

School will present play Friday

A one-act play, "Frankenstein Slept Here," will be presented Jan. 27 at 7:30 p.m. at the Bolton Elementary School, by the Harlequin Review.

Accountability key, Ramsdell tells board

Vernon

"Accountability continues to be the basis for favorable or unfavorable criticism with respect to education," Dr. Raymond Ramsdell, superintendent of schools, told the Board of Education in a recent report. He said educators are increasingly asking parents to review their role in the development of children.

Dr. Ramsdell said the program entered its fourth year this year. The evaluation committee is made up of teachers, administrators, and a representative from the school board. The committee has developed a job description and evaluative criteria for two vital positions, teacher and principal.



Raymond Ramsdell

Dr. Ramsdell said this year it is the plan to pilot these evaluative documents with from 10 to 25 percent of the staff of each school in order to tailor them to the needs of the system.

If you have news for area towns, call:

- Andover Donna Holland 646-0375
- Bolton Donna Holland 646-0375
- Coventry Claire Connelly 742-6302
- Hebron Karen Bisognup 228-6496
- South Windsor 644-1364
- Tolland Barbara Richmond 643-2711
- Vernon Barbara Richmond 643-3711

Center Road School PTO will meet Monday, at 7:30 p.m. at the school.

Guest speaker is Evelyn S. Hight. She will discuss "How to tell your child."

Mrs. Hight is a member of the American Association of Marriage and Family Counselors and the National Council on Family Relations. She is an independent counselor and consultant and a lecturer at the University of Connecticut, Hartford branch.

Parties striving to fill slates

Coventry

Both Coventry Republicans and Democrats are having difficulty finding candidates to fill their slates for town committee elections to be held at caucuses on Jan. 24 at 6 p.m. at the Town Hall.

Lunch offered senior citizens

South Windsor senior citizens are reminded that all local seniors over 60 years of age are eligible to take part in the daily luncheon program at St. Peter's Episcopal Church.

School to get statue of Hale

Hamilton and Coventry Chairman John Letzei picked up the statue in New Haven last week. The expected to announce presentation ceremonies later this week.

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Opens practice

Dr. Anthony P. Postorero Jr. will practice internal medicine, hematology and medical oncology at 18 W. Middle Turnpike.

Dr. Postorero is a 1967 graduate of Fordham College where he majored in biology. He received his M.D. degree from the Mount Sinai School of Medicine of the City University of New York in 1971 where he was elected to Alpha Omega Alpha, the national medical honor society.

He served as Officer-in-Charge of the U. S. Army Health Clinic, Tobyhanna Army Depot, Tobyhanna, Pennsylvania. While on active duty he attained the rank of major and received the Army Commendation Medal.

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Business

Ex-Herald staffer wins press award

Judith Donohue, former Bolton correspondent for The Manchester Evening Herald, has been named recipient of a 1977 Journalism award by the Virginia Press Association.

Donohue, now a reporter for the Reston Times newspaper in Reston, Va., was awarded second prize in the news writing category for an investigative article which revealed that a government body was holding secret meetings on a highway plan in violation of the state's Freedom of Information Act.

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First Dodge Omni delivered

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- Old Spice Deodorant** 4 oz a/can **89c**
- Old Spice Shave Cream** Regular-Herbal-Musk 11 oz a/can **99c**
- Schick Injector Blades** pkg of 7 **1.19**
- Tums Anti-Acid Tablets** bottle of 150 **1.29**
- Vitalis Super Hold** 8 oz bottle **2.15**
- 3-Pack Roloids** Regular or Spearmint pkg of 3 rolls **53c**
- Johnsons Diapers** New Born box of 24 **1.69**
- Johnsons Diapers** Daytime box of 24 **2.19**
- Right Guard Deodorant** Anti-Perisprant Regular or Powder 2 1/2 oz can **89c**
- VO-5 Hot Oil Treatment** 1 oz pkg **1.69**
- F.D.S. Feminine Deodorant Spray** 15 oz regular or 3 oz powder **1.69**
- Vaseline Petroleum Jelly** 1 1/2 oz jar **49c**
- One-A-Day Vitamins** Regular bottle of 100 **2.19**
- One-A-Day Vitamins** with Iron bottle of 100 **3.49**
- Flintstones Vitamins** Regular bottle of 60 **2.59**
- Aqua Net Hair Spray** Regular-Super-Unscented 13 oz a/can **69c**
- Just Wonderful Hair Spray** Regular or Super 10 oz a/can **97c**
- Revlon Relief Lotion** For Dry Skin 10 oz bottle **1.77**
- Kaopectate Concentrate** Anti-Diarrheal 8 oz bottle **2.09**
- Arrid XX Roll-on Deodorant** 1 1/2 oz bottle **1.39**
- St. Joseph's Children's Cold Tablets** bottle of 30 **79c**
- St. Joseph's Children's Cough Syrup** 2 oz bottle **1.19**
- Di-Gel Antacid Tablets** Mint or Lemon box of 30 **69c**
- Di-Gel Antacid Liquid** Mint or Lemon 6 oz bottle **1.29**
- Duration Nasal Spray** Long Lasting 1/2 oz bottle **1.29**
- Orafix Denture Adhesive** 2 1/2 oz tube **1.59**

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Small staff, rule changes seen hampering CETA

A Town of Manchester official involved in the Comprehensive Employment Training Act program feels that an understaffed Hartford office and constant changes in the regulations have hindered the program.

The CETA program has drawn criticism from many people, including several town officials who have said that they have felt pressured by tight timetables and requirements of the program.

Manchester still has a total of 18 CETA jobs to fill, Steven Werber, the town's personnel assistant, said. Werber has worked extensively in coordinating Manchester's CETA program.

Reward grows to \$10,000 in college slaying case

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. (UPI) — Cash rewards for information leading to the arrest of the blue-eyed slayer of two Florida State University coeds grew yesterday to \$10,000, and still further inducements are expected to be offered in hopes of tracing the killer to justice.

Two coeds were slain and three beaten in Sunday morning attacks at the Chi Omega sorority house and at an off-campus apartment.

Although four coeds have dropped out of school because of the attacks, FSU's 22,000 students have remained relatively calm, although many girls are taking extra precautions.

Public records

- Warrants deed: Elvira L. Daniels to Hayden L. Griswold Jr., property at 25-27 Clinton St., \$50,000.
Quitclaim deed: State of Connecticut to the Town of Manchester, property on Gardner Street, \$3,000.
Fiduciary's deed: Estate of Hertha F. Kley to Barney T. Peterman Sr. and Barney T. Peterman Jr., property at 67 Deepwood Drive, \$35,000.
Federal tax lien: Internal Revenue Service against Susan G. Cahalan, 1186 W. Middle Turnpike, \$779.20.
New trade name: Lynda Hennigan, 156 High St., doing business as The Front Parlour, 465 Hartford Road.
Marriage license: Leo D. Carufel and JoAnn M. Demers, both of Vernon, Jan. 20 by a justice of the peace.

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Best and fastest sliding around: Tobogganers prepare to sweep down the sliding hill on the west side of Wickham Park. Despite the icy slope and super fast conditions, hundreds came to the slope over the weekend. Many took tumbles and there were several injuries reported.

Paramedic program friction Egazarian blames EMS unit

Harry Egazarian, member of the East Hartford Town Council and the town Emergency Medical Services Commission (EMSC), spoke out Wednesday on recent friction in the town's paramedic program.

"It is wrong to insist that the advice, once given, must be adopted. The elected head of any governing body must decide the ultimate course of action."

Town Council faces leaky roof problem

The Public Building Commission has referred the problem of the leaking roof on the East Hartford High School science wing to the Town Council.



Stronger than they look: These 10 portable units stuck together on the west parking lot of Penney High School may look fragile here in December.

Mayor didn't want to give in

By MAL BARLOW East Hartford Reporter: Many East Hartford people including some members of his own Democratic Party urged Mayor Richard Blackstone to give in to federal and Hartford officials on the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) first-year application.

His comments included: Review by the city... indicate an obvious lack of knowledge... of East Hartford and... older suburbs in general.

Outside today

Mostly sunny today with highs in lower 30s. Clouding up tonight with chance of occasional snow by morning. Lows in the teens. Friday cloudy with occasional snow. Highs in the upper 20s.

EHCAG split in opinions on fund bid

By MAL BARLOW East Hartford Reporter: The East Hartford Citizen Action Group (EHCAG) board of directors voted Wednesday night to send a letter to Mayor Richard Blackstone commenting on his first draft of a Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) four-year application.

The EHCAG directors question the \$150,000 to be spent studying making all town buildings usable by the handicapped. Aldo Rovero said he has been told schools, the town's main building assets, can't be included in such a study by federal regulations.

East Hartford police report

- Joseph J. Morrone, 45, of 271 Grande View Terrace, Hartford, was arrested Wednesday and charged with operating a private dump without a permit.
Edward DeMonte, 48, of 587 Silver Lane, East Hartford was arrested Wednesday on a warrant charging him with first-degree sexual contact (two counts) and incest (two counts).
Rodney E. Hicks, 28, of 21 King Court, East Hartford was arrested Wednesday and charged with breach of peace and fourth-degree larceny.
Phillip R. Loudfoot, 21, of 30 Hillside St., East Hartford, was arrested Wednesday on a warrant charging him with third-degree burglary (two counts) and first-degree larceny (two counts).

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