

Business

Execs put wrong jobs

(UPI) — A California executive recruiter says he has found a corporate trend that is...



Camera shop now open

Employees of the Camera Shop of New Britain, recently opened in the Marshall's Mall in the Manchester Parkade...

MPHNA promotion

Mrs. Leatrice Trombley has been promoted to office manager/head bookkeeper at the Manchester Public Health Nursing Association Inc. (MPHNA).

Programmer trainee

Rosarek D. Christiansen of Manchester has been promoted to programmer trainee in Connecticut Mutual Life's data processing division in Hartford.

Lunch meeting set

The Eastern Connecticut Biennial Chapter of the Women's Council of Realtors will hold a luncheon and business meeting Feb. 14, at noon in the student dining room at Manchester Community College.

Business theft

(UPI) — Shoplifting, employee pilferage and other theft cost American business at least \$1 billion, according to the Insurance Institute for Business Loss Prevention.

Caldor report record sales

Caldor Inc. has reported a 29.4 percent gain in sales to a record \$394,538,000 for the fiscal year ended Jan. 28. The company reported sales of \$394,538,000 for the preceding year.

Need for executives up in region in '77

Demand for business executives in the Northeast in 1977 increased 30 percent over 1976. This uncertainty is reflected in more cautious hiring goals for new management level personnel.

Bank pays interest in unmet diamonds

(UPI) — A Southwest Side bank is dangling diamonds on the hook in hopes it will snare high rollers in the world of bank depositors.

Doctor opens office

Dr. Rosalinda A. Elazegui has opened an office for general practice of medicine at 111 Hartford Turnpike, Tolland.

Association director

Jack R. Hunter of Jack R. Hunter Inc. has been elected a director of the Associated General Contractors of Connecticut Inc. Elections were held at the association's 1977 annual meeting.

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Town seeks money aid, not troops

No military contingents will be called in to Manchester to help with snow removal. Town Manager Robert Weiss said today that Manchester is in "fine shape" and will not be needing outside help.

Winter sports

There will be coasting in Center Springs Park today from 3 to 5 p.m. Skiers may ski at Northview Ski Slope tonight from 6:30 to 9.

No new drawing on lottery show

The Connecticut State Lottery announced this morning that its weekly television game show will be held tonight but numbers for this week will not be drawn until Feb. 15 between 10 and 11 a.m. on WFSB television.

Outside today

Fair tonight with lows 19 to 23. Partly cloudy Friday with highs 30 to 35. Outlook: fair and cold Saturday and Sunday, followed by increasing cloudiness and chance of rain or snow by late Monday. National weather map on page 6B.

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Troops dig out; speed limit lifted

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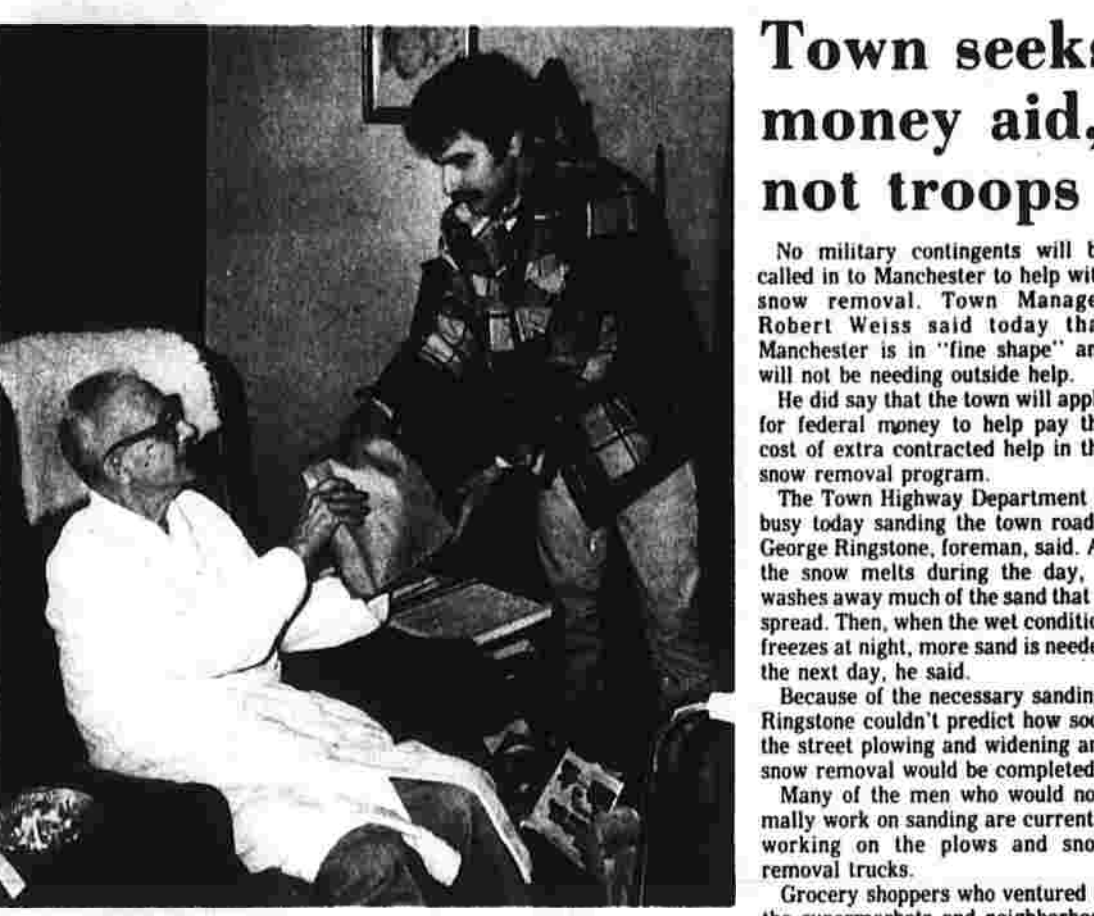
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Volunteers deliver Meals-on-Wheels carriers into a jeep, from left, Capt. Ferris, Leo Godreau, and Richard Pinto. On the receiving end is Scott Morgan of 1168 W. Middle Turnpike, who receives his meal packet from Pinto. Meals-on-Wheels missed delivering on Tuesday because of the storm, the first time the program missed a delivery since it began in July 1976. (Herald photo by Pinto)

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His will donate percentage of sales

(UPI) — A Connecticut man has announced he will donate 10 percent of the sales of his business to charity.

Interest rate

(UPI) — A major bank has announced it is offering high interest rates on deposits to investors.

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Advertisement for Pinehurst's Service Meat Department, featuring U.S.D.A. Choice meats, London Broils, and various other meat products with prices.

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## Gardening

By Frank Atwood

The Southern New England Flower Show at the Hartford Civic Center will be held as scheduled March 9 to 12, our first welcome sight of spring flowers after a winter of abundant snow and ice.

The collapse of the coliseum roof at the Civic Center in a January snowstorm now turns out to mean that the Flower Show will, in fact, have more space than originally planned. Larry DeSando of L.A.D. Enterprises, managing the Flower Show, says he now can use space that had been assigned as a lounge and refreshment area for players and their friends at the Aetna World Cup tennis matches.

The tennis matches cannot be held because the courts would have been set up on the coliseum floor, now buried under the debris of the fallen roof.

The Assembly Hall and the Exhibition Hall, where the Flower Show is to be staged, are under the Civic Center shops, not under the coliseum. Most of this area is now available for the flowers.

The Federated Garden Clubs of Connecticut are going ahead with plans for an Advanced Standard Flower Show, the most ambitious show category recognized by the national organization of garden clubs.

The Connecticut Horticultural Society, which had been assigned a conspicuous exhibit space as visitors enter the show area, will hold this desirable location.

Changes necessary  
Julian B. Eddy Sr. of Towpath Gardens, West Hartford, who is building the Horticultural Society's display with Frank J. Rice of Garden Gate Nursery, Farmington, says shrubs and perennials are growing nicely in greenhouses at the two nurseries. Some of them were dug and taken inside for forcing as early



Widely known in horticultural circles are Dr. Gustav A.L. Mehliquist, of Storrs, president of the Connecticut Horticultural Society, and Mrs. Richard G. Willard of Wethersfield, president of the Garden Writers Association. (Atwood photo)

as December.  
Mr. Eddy and Mr. Rice have had to change the design of their exhibit with the addition of space for the Flower Show. They had been working with the idea of a house front, with doors and windows, forming the back of the display. The exhibit was to be seen only from the front. Now it will be seen from all sides and the house front has been abandoned. The display will be a garden, with trees, shrubs and flowering plants.  
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and members are being asked to bring their best hanging baskets.

**Reduced rate**  
Taking advantage of a prominent location, the Horticultural Society will offer a reduced rate for new members who join the society at the show. Rick Snyder of Manchester, membership chairman, will have applications forms at the CHS exhibit. Mr. Snyder is assigning volunteers from the society to be present at all times while the show is open.

Our picture of Dr. Mehliquist and Mrs. Willard was taken at a recent lecture meeting of the Horticultural Society where Mrs. Willard spoke on new annual flowers and new varieties of vegetables. She urged gardeners to try some of the improved hybrid plants available from

seed companies.  
The orchids held by Dr. Mehliquist and Mrs. Willard are from Dr. Mehliquist's greenhouse in Storrs. He has promised a display of orchids for the CHS exhibit at the Flower Show.

**Boston Flower Show**  
Several people have asked for the dates of the Boston Flower Show. They are March 11 to 19, overlapping with the dates of the show at Hartford.

A question frequently asked about the Boston show is whether the famous Stone acacias will be exhibited. The answer is "yes." These shrubs and small trees, grown in a private conservatory outside Boston, will be in the show with their lovely golden blooms.  
The Boston show is at Commonwealth Pier on the waterfront.

## About town

The Bible Study Group of Emmanuel Lutheran Church will meet Friday at 9:30 a.m. in the church library.

Center Congregational Church will have an all-church Valentine party Friday at 6:30 p.m. in Woodruff Hall of the church.

The Liturgist Training Class of North United Methodist Church will meet tonight at 7 at the church.

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Peros note 55th anniversary  
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pero, formerly of Manchester, renew their marriage vows in a Dannelton, Fla., Roman Catholic church, with the Rev. Philip Stegeman officiating.

Joseph and Emma Pero of Dannelton, Fla., formerly of Manchester, recently celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary with a renewal of their marriage vows followed by a party at the Rainbow Lakes clubhouse in Dannelton.  
Mr. and Mrs. Pero were married Jan. 24, 1923 at St. Bridget Church and made their home in Manchester until 16 years ago when they moved to Florida for health reasons.  
The couple operated the Pero Orchards in South Windsor and the Pero Fruit Stand on Oakland Street for many years. They sold their orchards to the Town of South Windsor for school buildings and their fruit stand in 1962. Both were also active in Manchester's civic affairs.  
Mr. Pero, because of ill health in the past three years, has slowed down and is taking life easier at the age of 85. His wife, who is eight years younger than her husband, is enjoying comparatively good health.  
It has been a long and busy life for the Peros and the anniversary reception was their way of once more meeting and greeting their many friends.  
Close relatives of the couple include Mrs. William Lamprecht of Manchester, formerly of Manchester; Mrs. Bertha Firato of Manchester, wife of the late Harry Firato; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Ferguson of Manchester, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Buddenmeyer of Baltimore, Md., and Mr. and Mrs. Armando DeBenedetto of New York City.

## College notes

Among the students at Bryant College, Smithfield, R.I., named to the dean's list are:  
Valerie G. Klein, 27 Frances Drive; M. Evans, 330 Hillstown Road; Ronald C. Bance, 8 Leland Drive; Steven W. Smith, 280 Scott Drive.

Michael W. Bourque of 40 Lyndale St., has received a master of science degree at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.

Susan Marteney, daughter Dr. and Mrs. Pierre Marteney of Manchester, has been named to the dean's list for the fall semester at Hartwick College in Oneonta, N.Y.

Nancy Linger of Manchester received dean's list honors at Virginia Intermont College of Bristol, Va., for the fall term. She is a junior majoring in horsemanship.

Area students named to the dean's list at the University of Maine at Orono are: Kathleen M. Charlebois, David H. Herzog, Gary S. Kania, Matthew R. Schardt, Wendy J. Taylor, all of Manchester; and Deborah N. Strumello of Rockville.

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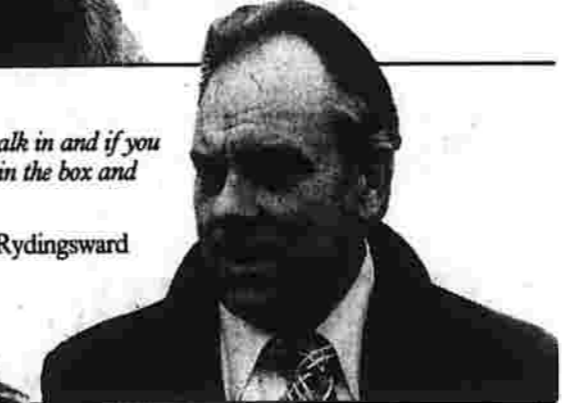

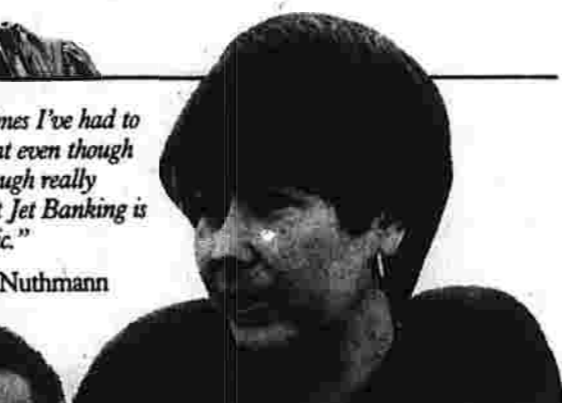

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## Opinion

### People helping people

No, we are not going to try and compare the 1978 Blizzard Larry with the Blizzard of '88. We are not going to take the time to research the Blizzard of '88.

Many things have changed in 90 years, but not the snow, and wind.

But we have different equipment in 1978; we have snowblowers to clear sidewalks and driveways; we have giant plows to move snow from roadways; we have better ways to solve those problems.

But we do have some things in common with 1888 - people in distress, towns and cities paralyzed, people stranded at work, people unable to get to work, and work that was brought to a halt.

We learned more about ourselves in 1978 just as they did in 1888. We were people trying to get ourselves and our town back to normal. We were people working together.

Neighbors helping one another shovelling snow; Boy Scouts assisting firemen and digging out hydrants; youths clearing sidewalks for the elderly; four-wheelers helping people in emergencies, getting doctors, and nurses, and aides to hospitals.

We began to know a lot more about each other because of Blizzard Larry. We were quick to assist one another. We learned that Blizzard Larry was everyone's problem. We pulled together. Blizzard Larry taught us a lot.

People helping people.



It wasn't business as usual Tuesday for these stores on Manchester's Main Street. Almost all of the stores remained closed through the day as blizzard Larry continued to bring snow that was piled in the center of the street by town workers. (Herald photo by Dunn)

### Indebted, but successful

By MARTHA ANGLE and ROBERT WALTERS  
WASHINGTON—(NEA) — The metamorphosis that occurred within the Republican Party in the late 1960s — and the fundamental change that didn't occur within the Democratic Party in the mid-1970s — continue to have a profound effect on contemporary American politics.

When Sen. Barry M. Goldwater of Arizona captured the Republican presidential nomination in 1964, the conservative wing of the GOP routed the moderate.

Essentially the same phenomenon occurred within the Democratic Party in 1972. When Sen. George S. McGovern of South Dakota won its presidential nomination, liberals gained the upper hand over moderates — at least temporarily — in the continuing struggle for party power.

Both Goldwater and McGovern were, of course, overwhelmingly defeated in the national election for president, confirming the political axiom that this country's electorate prefers centrist politicians to those at either extreme of the ideological spectrum.

Although voters want moderate

### Thought

A time for affirming our loyalty

Lent can be a time for affirming our loyalty.

Our Bible reminds us of our need for periodic spiritual renewal. Sady we are aware of followers of Jesus who have drifted from the faith to which they once pledged loyalty. Included are many who once were leaders in their churches, active in the causes related to the kingdom.

Nearly every writer of the New Testament shows concern lest the followers of Christ should fall to appropriate daily the power from God available to them.

As though understanding human nature for all times, Paul spoke of Timothy of those "holding the form of religion but denying the power of it." (I Tim. 3:5) These words have a contemporary ring! Many Christians in this generation go through outward forms in expressing their religious faith, but have really lost the vital spark which gives reality to that faith.

To depend our awareness of the need for spiritual renewal; to recognize and confess the constant danger of letting our spiritual life and faith grow weak, is one of the purposes of Lent. It can be for us a time of evaluation of where we are in our spiritual development — a time to evaluate and take stock of those values that shape our life-style.

Let Lent be for each of us a time when we consciously open our lives on the "God-ward" side, to allow God's spirit more completely invade our hearts and lives.

Prayer: We turn, O God, to you in our anxiety and fears. Save us from anxiety and restore to us trust and hope. As we confess our weakness, forgive us, and strengthen us.

Rev. Alex H. Elieser  
Community Baptist Church

### Almanac

By United Press International  
Today is Thursday, Feb. 9, the 40th day of 1978 with 235 to follow.

The moon is between its new phase and first quarter.

The morning stars are Mercury and Saturn.

The evening stars are Venus, Jupiter and Mars.

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

William Henry Harrison, ninth president of the United States, was born Feb. 9, 1773.

A cursory examination of those reports and the 1978 budgets of parties would suggest that the Democrats are on the brink of bankruptcy while the Republicans are so wealthy they can begin paying dividends.

Last year, for example, the Democratic National Committee (DNC) fell far short of meeting its \$24 million fund-raising goal, while the Republican National Committee (RNC) collected more than \$10 million.

The RNC this year has a \$14 million budget, while the DNC will be lucky to raise half that amount — and the Democrats still have about \$3 million in long-overdue debts to repay, some of them airline and telephone bills dating back to the 1968 presidential campaign.

In Capitol Hill, the contrast is even more striking. The committees that raise money for Republican candidates for House and Senate seats solicited more than \$10 million last year, but their Democratic counterparts barely topped the \$1 million mark.

### Yesterdays

25 years ago  
Lunch program at Verplank School wins national attention.

10 years ago  
Mrs. Spartico Neri of Cape Cod, formerly of Manchester, is acclaimed queen of Manchester WATES with a weight loss for the year of 92 pounds.

Democratic Director William FitzGerald asks for ruling on legality of April 30 advisory referendum on Project Connect.

### Politics Pearson

Frederick Peck, Republican registrar of voters, has announced his endorsement of Thomas Ferguson for the party's town chairmanship.

Ferguson, the present Manchester Republican town chairman, is seeking re-election and is being challenged by Scott Clendaniel, an attorney in town who is a member of the town committee.

"He's certainly worked hard. He's shown he deserves re-election," Peck said.

William O'Neill, state party chairman, announced that he has hired Pat Caddell of Boston, who was President Jimmy Carter's pollster, to conduct the poll.

An informal poll of the Manchester Democratic Town Committee showed that about 75 percent of the members supported Killian in his effort to unseat Mrs. Grasso. It is quite unlikely that a statewide poll would be that decisive for either candidate.

The poll is expected to begin by the middle of this month, and 100 persons from each of the state's 165 voting districts are expected to be called at random.

The polling will measure the popularity of both Democrats individually against each of the four announced Republican candidates for governor.

Rome, U.S. Rep. Ronald Sarasin, State Sen. George Gunther and House Minority Leader Gerald Stevens.

### Legal blackmail

By STEVE GERSTEL  
WASHINGTON (UPI) — Despite the massive revisions proposed in the new federal criminal code, blackmail is still a crime — except in the U.S. Senate where it is a condoned and admired art.

The master blackmailers of his time and one who may eventually get to the Hall of Fame in this nefarious specialty is Sen. James D. Allen of Alabama.

Allen once again proved his prowess on the first bill taken up by the Senate in this session. It just happened to be the revision of the criminal code.

After extracting a number of concessions from Sen. Edward Kennedy, D-Mass., the floor manager of the bill, Allen seemed satisfied and it appeared that the legislation was geared for speedy approval.

### Charity creates a multitude of sins

By ANDREW TULLY  
WASHINGTON — Oscar Wilde said it. "Charity creates a multitude of sins."

In America, the sinners usually are identified as those people who have become what is known as "welfare cheats." But there are sinners, also, in the ranks of those who supervise charity, especially the governmental variety.

Let pass for this occasion comment on the sanctimonious who reap celebrity from their professional concern for the poor.

We must trust that they will be humbled some day. Consider instead the bureaucratic slobs who, by their incompetence and inattention, invite the presumed poor to steal the taxpayer's shirt.

Today's sermon is directed, not surprisingly, at a situation in New York City, where welfare cheating long ago reached the status of an art.

It sounds incredible, but I find it easy to believe that welfare checks are being dispatched to prisoners in the city's jails, at an estimated annual cost to the city of \$270,000. If there is a way for a municipal bureaucracy to sin in a foolish, lugubrious manner, New York will seize it.

According to City Comptroller Harrison Goldin, the checks made out to prisoners were sent to their mothers and to other, apparently friendly, individuals. The laugher, in the graveyard sense, is that those checks sent to mothers were dispatched under the program called "Aid to Dependent Children."

Said Goldin: "Ineffective controls respecting this matter have led to an inflation of public-assistance rolls and to the ludicrous, needless payment by taxpayers of redundant

### In the service

Navy Aviation son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Boatman's Mate Airman P. Lazzarin of P.O. Box Rt. Timothy P. Lazzarin, 503, Rockville, has completed the Navy's Aircraft Field Course.

He joined the Navy in September 1977.

Navy Electronics Technician Seaman David M. Quigley, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Quigley of 230 Brook St., South Windsor, recently departed on a training cruise in the South Atlantic. He is serving as a crewmember aboard the amphibious assault ship USS Inchon, homeported in Norfolk, Va.

### Mrs. Bayles head of Emblem Club

Mrs. Edward J. Bayles of 206 E. Middle Turnpike was recently elected president of the Manchester Emblem Club. She succeeds Mrs. John Carson who will become the junior past president of the club.

Other officers elected are: Mrs. Ivers Drown, first vice president; Mrs. Victor DeNardo, second vice president; Mrs. Leon Zababa, financial secretary; Mrs. John Clifford, treasurer; Mrs. John Olney, recording secretary; Mrs. Norman Pilver, first trustee; Mrs. Dwight Downham Jr., second trustee; Mrs. Dwight Downham III, third trustee.

Also, Mrs. Joseph DeLago Sr., first assistant marshal; Mrs. Thomas Sitaro, second assistant marshal; Mrs. Francis Feeney, chaplain; Mrs. Joseph DeNardo, press secretary; Margaret LaChapelle, historian; Mrs. Paul Hubbard, first past president; Mrs. Henry LaChapelle, second guard.

Mrs. Bayles appointed Mrs. David Lyon as marshal and Mrs. Thomas Pratt, supreme marshal, of Rhode Island.

### Menu

Elderly  
Menus which will be served Feb. 13-17 at Mayfair and Westhill Gardens to Manchester residents over 60 are as follows:

Monday: Closed.

Tuesday: Roast smoked ham with pineapple sauce, buttered green peas, sweetheart pudding, whole wheat bread, margarine, skim milk, coffee or tea.

Wednesday: Braised beef casserole, seasoned egg noodles, raw vegetable salad with julienne cheese, creamy french dressing, tapioca cream pudding, cornbread, margarine, skim milk, coffee or tea.

Thursday: Roast tom turkey with giblet gravy, mashed potatoes, vegetable medley, glazed white cake, French bread, margarine, skim milk, coffee or tea.

Friday: Oven-baked haddock with lemon sauce, parried buttered potatoes, cabbage-carrot slaw with vinegar dressing, fruit gelatin with whipped topping, whole wheat bread, tartar sauce, skim milk, coffee or tea.

The menu is subject to change.

### Menu

School  
Cafeteria menus which will be served Feb. 13-17 at Manchester public schools are as follows:

Monday: Lincoln's Birthday — no school.

Tuesday: Frankfurt on a roll, baked beans, tossed salad, milk, mixed fruit.

Wednesday: Baked meat loaf with gravy, whipped potato, buttered peas and carrots, bread, butter, milk and ice cream.

Thursday: Oven-fried chicken with cranberry sauce, parried potato or candied sweet potato, buttered green beans, bread, butter, milk, and peaches.

Friday: Vegetable soup, toasted cheese sandwich, vegetable sticks, milk, and peanut butter crunch pudding.

### Your dental health

This is the fourth in a series of six articles on dental health published by The Herald, in cooperation with the Manchester Dental Society, in observance of National Children's Dental Health Week, Feb. 5-11.

My son, who is a freshman in high school, has indicated an interest in becoming a dentist. Are there any special courses he ought to take before entering college? What are the requirements for entrance to dental school?

Generally, a broad high school program leading to acceptance in a liberal arts college is considered the best type of educational preparation. Such a program is designed to cultivate an interest and curiosity not only in the sciences, including biology, chemistry, physics and mathematics, but also in English and the humanities, including sociology and history.

In college, the pre-dental student must study biology, inorganic and organic chemistry and physics. However, to achieve a broad educational background, the student should include a variety of courses such as psychology, qualitative and quantitative analysis, history, economics, statistics, mathematics, a foreign language, English courses, public speaking and so forth. Eighty-seven percent of students entering dental school in 1976 had completed four years of college and 83 percent had earned at least a baccalaureate degree. Further, a student must attain a passing grade on a special Dental Admission Test designed to evaluate aptitude for dental study.

Dental school offers a four-year academic program with the first two years developed primarily to a study of the biological sciences whereas the last two years are a combination of study and clinical practice.

Generally, students rotate through the various clinics of the dental school to gain practical experience treating patients under the supervision of clinical instructors. Dentists who become specialists, such as in orthodontics or periodontics, must take a minimum of two years of advanced study beyond dental school.

If you wish more detailed information on all types of careers in dentistry, write to the American Dental Association, Division of Educational Measurements, 211 E. Chicago Ave., Chicago, Ill. 60611.

promoted to his present rank while serving with the 1st Marine Division at the Marine Corps Base, Camp Pendleton, Calif.

A 1976 graduate of South Windsor High School, he joined the Marine Corps in August 1976.

Marine Capt. John F. Thorne III, whose wife, Linda, is the daughter of Cummings of 579 Bolton Road, Vernon, has reported for duty at the Marine Corps Air Station, Yuma, Ariz.

A 1971 graduate of the University of Hartford with a bachelor of arts degree, he joined the Marine Corps in March 1965.

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## Pantry coordinator named

Garry King, former training director for the Community Renewal Team of Greater Hartford, is serving as nutrition and Emergency Pantry coordinator for the Manchester Area Conference of Churches (MACC). King was one of nine persons hired through the Comprehensive Employment Training Act (CETA) to staff MACC's Project Services organization.

Irene Goss, a MACC volunteer who set up the Emergency Pantry and has operated it since its inception, set the pantry up so well that King said he was just following what she had done. He is, however, trying to keep an on-going inventory of food on hand so that the food that has been on the pantry shelves the longest is given first to those in need he said.

Learning that there was little demand for service at the Emergency Pantry on Mondays, King has set a new schedule of hours the pantry will be open. It is now open Tuesdays from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., and Wednesdays and Fridays from 1:30 to 3:45 p.m.

The pantry is now desperately low in supplies of baby foods, sugar, cold and hot cereals, peanut butter and jelly, dry milk, canned milk, dated formulas, rice, canned meats such as tuna fish, hash, beef stew, ham and corned beef, and spaghetti sauce.

There is a large supply of spaghetti and noodles but no spaghetti sauce, he said.

King also said that fruit juices, muffin mixes, spices, desserts, dried foods and crackers (some low in salt) are needed.

Those wishing to donate food to the pantry may leave it either at Center Congregational Church, where the pantry is located, or at the Project Services office in the Manchester State Bank building on Main Street.

King, who was certified after completing a seven-month course on human development at Sedfre, a New York City training firm, has attended Greater Hartford Community College. He said he doesn't want to give the illusion that there will be always will be a Project Services staff, because the CETA funds for the organization were allocated only for one year.

He hopes to set up nutrition workshops and is looking into programs that can be applied or administered to alleviate some of the responsibilities from the state and local social services agencies," he said.

King said he is doing research on different programs because "People needing food have other problems, too."

When King's work at the Emergency Pantry ends, he said he hopes to work for some Manchester social services agency.



Garry King

## About town

Jehovah's Witnesses will have a theatrical school and service meeting tonight at 7:30 in the Whittier Memorial Library auditorium, 100 N. Main St.

Manchester Composite Squadron of the Civil Air Patrol will meet tonight from 7 to 9:30 at the Main Street Armory. The meeting and membership is open to all young people from Grade 7 through high school. For more information call 646-6344 or 671-0257.

Al-Anon family groups will meet tonight at 8 at the Pathfinders Club, 100 Norman St., and Friday at 10 a.m. at the South United Methodist Church campus. The beginners group will meet tonight at 7:30, and Alateen for the 12- to 20-year-old children, at 8 at the Pathfinders Club. The family group is open to those affected by someone with a drinking problem.

The board of trustees of South United Methodist Church will meet tonight at 7:30 at 84 Finley St.

The board of trustees of Second Congregational Church will meet tonight at 7:30 in the church parlor.

Mrs. Anne Flynn will lead a Bible study Friday at 9:30 a.m. in the Federation Room of Center Congregational Church.

The Christian education committee and the New Members Class of Emmanuel Lutheran Church will meet tonight at 7:30 at the church.

Chappell Circle of North United Methodist Church will meet tonight at 7:30 at the home of Mary Chappell, 118 Diane Drive.

## Session opened and few cared

HARTFORD (UPI)—Governatorial hopeful Lt. Gov. Robert K. Killian began his gavel down on the hard wood podium and declared the 1978 legislative session officially under way.

Normally the situation would have presented an excellent opportunity for Killian to bask in the spotlight of public attention, something he desperately wants in this election year.

Wednesday it didn't.

Incumbent Gov. Ella T. Grasso and this winter snowstorm to hit Connecticut in the worst since Killian's thunder. The opening of the legislative session Wednesday, a traditional headline grabber this time of year, was thoroughly upstaged by the arrival of federal troops and the lifting a two-day emergency ban on auto travel.

"The 1978 legislative session is now open," Killian pronounced shortly after 10 a.m., his words echoing through the near-empty Senate chambers.

One floor down, House Speaker James Kennelly, D-Hartford, was making a similar announcement to an equally deserted hall.

While the legislative leaders were officially opening this year's legislative session, Gov. Ella T. Grasso was a block away at the state armory, or the Storm Center as it has become known in recent days, issuing commands and organizing relief efforts.

Normally, Mrs. Grasso would have been reading over her budget address for the last time before strolling to the House of Representatives to present her State of the State message to a packed house.

The House lured only three lawmakers Wednesday—House Minority Leader and Republican gubernatorial candidate Gerald Stevens of Milford; House Majority Leader William O'Neill, D-East Hampton, and Kennelly.

In the Senate, Killian was joined by Sen. Richard Bozuto, R-Waterbury; Senate Majority Leader Joseph I. Lieberman, D-New Haven; Senate Minority Leader and GOP gubernatorial contender Lewis Rome of Bloomfield and Senate President Pro Tem Joseph Paulino, D-Hartford.

The ceremonies were merely a technical exercise to conform with a state law that required the session to get under way Wednesday. Because of the snowstorm, the traditional opening day activities will take place Friday.

## Good month seen for water quality

The month of January was an improvement for water quality in the Town of Manchester.

"We had a good month," Bob Young, water treatment manager for the Water Department, said.

December included three high counts of bacteria and three reservoirs that had high averages for turbidity, which measures the number of particles suspended in the water.

The number of problems in January, however, were few.

There were no violations of bacteria levels and only one for turbidity at the Lydall Street Reservoir, Young said.

The violations are of new standards set by laws governing water quality. The town has received an extension before it has to comply with the standards, but it must notify the state and its water customers of any violations.

The Lydall Street Reservoir had an average turbidity of 2.3 for the month. The standard allowed by the new regulations is 1.0. The average at the reservoir was greatly increased by two heavy rain periods on Jan. 9 and Jan. 26. Heavy rain normally causes an increase in turbidity, but there were no other problems besides those at Lydall Street, Young said.

The reservoir also had to be heavily chlorinated during the month because of septic problems in Vernon. Some septic systems in the town were not hooked up and were draining into a brook which led to the reservoir. The heavy chlorination helped solve the problem.

Also, the fluoride level at two wells off Charter Oak Street was low. The fluoridation system had to be removed for routine maintenance work and caused the drop in the level, Young said.

## Manchester public records

Quitclaim deed  
Victor Lombardo to Carmella M. Lombardo, property on White Street, no conveyance tax.  
Certificate of attachment  
Marte, Keith & Clendaniel against Karen Kilbourn, \$1,200, property at 14 Dorset Lane.  
Building permits  
Joseph Gonthier for Jan. Winkler, alterations at 466 W. Middle Turnpike, \$2,000.  
Robert and Carole Brown, stove at 48 Ferguson Road, \$200.  
Robert Mazzone, fireplace at 167 Benton St., \$600.  
Marriage license  
Stanley S. Kulgoski, Glastonbury, and Rose Ann Hoyng, 65 Congress St., Haying, Feb. 24.

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## Dear Abby

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: One year after Roy and I were married, his father, a 68-year-old widower, came to visit us for "a few months." That was three years ago, and he's still here. He's a nice enough person, but Roy and I have no privacy in this one-bedroom apartment. Dad sleeps on a sofa bed in the living room and comes with us wherever we go. In 30 years of Roy's life, we've had a baby, but still his father leaves it's out of the question.

Dad has three other children (all married) who have invited him to live with them, but he prefers living with us because we live in California and the others live in New Jersey. He's in good health for his age, but all he does is eat, sleep, read and watch daytime TV. (We can't watch TV after 10 p.m. so he can sleep.)

Forget about letting Dad live alone. His family wouldn't bear it.

I hate to complain to Roy because he's such a sweet guy and thinks it's his moral obligation to look after his father. But I just want to be alone with my husband, Abby. Am I being selfish? Our marriage is beginning to suffer from this arrangement? Is there a solution?

DEAR THERE: Yes, tell your husband that it's time for "Dad" to divide his time among the other children. You are not selfish; it's a matter of survival. And if your husband is the "sweet guy" you say he is, he'll see it your way.

DEAR ABBY: Am I wrong for objecting to the following idea? My daughter-in-law wants to give a baby shower for her niece, who has been living in Alaska for two years. This niece is 14-years-old and is not married.

My daughter-in-law says her niece's school chums OWE her that. She says nobody has to know that the girl is not married.

Maybe I'm old-fashioned but it looks like greed to me, and I can't see where anybody "owes" her this kind of thing. I realize this girl is in a tough spot, but I just don't feel like going along with this kind of shower.

If you say I'm wrong, I'll send something for the baby.

ON THE FENCE  
DEAR ONE: The only reason to send a gift is because you WANT to. It's not "wrong" to send a gift under any circumstances, but nobody "owes" anybody anything.

DEAR ABBY: I am 23 and Peter, the man I'm engaged to, is 32. I love him very much and he says he loves me, and I guess he does, but I don't know why.

Peter is an engineer and he's had a very good education. I never went beyond the seventh grade. When we are with his friends, I'm always afraid I'll say the wrong thing, then everybody will know how dumb I am and Peter will be ashamed of me.

He says I am fine and I shouldn't worry about what to say, but by the end of the evening I'm so nervous and tied up in knots that I'm trembling. How can I get over this feeling? Folks tell me I'm pretty, but that's not enough. Can you help me?

SICK WITH FRIGHT  
DEAR SICK: If you can write, you can read. And if you can read, you can learn. Read your newspaper and keep up with the current events. That's a beginning. And don't be afraid to speak up.

If Peter were "ashamed" of you, he wouldn't introduce you to his friends. Even with your limited education, you are probably a lot brighter than you think you are. Look into taking some classes in adult education. It will do wonders for your confidence.

## Win at Bridge

Queen sets up end play

A club lead would have beaten South since both black kings were held by East but West opened a spade.

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## Astro-graph

By BERNICE BEDE OSOL

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)**  
Take advantage of every opportunity today to meet new people. There's a possibility you could make an enormously valuable contact.

**CANCER (June 21-July 21)**  
In competitive career situations you will be most successful when you are alone today. A booster behind the scenes will be backing you.

**LEO (July 22-Aug. 22)**  
Others will find your positive attitude and act like a winner. They'll want to ally today, and friends will go out of their way to do favors for you. You might even get a surprise gift. Like to find out more of what lies ahead for you? Send for your copy of Astro-Graph Letter by mailing 50 cents for each and a long self-addressed, stamped envelope to Astro-Graph, P.O. Box 68, Radio City Station, N.Y. 10101. Be sure to specify your birth sign.

**PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)**  
Before the day is over it's possible something will occur that will be personally profitable. It could come about in a circuitous fashion.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)**  
Close friends of the opposite gender are lucky for you today. They'll be saying nice things about you to those who can further your self-interest.

**TALIBUS (April 20-May 20)**  
A matter over which you have little or no control will be engineered as favorably for you today as if you blueprinted the plan yourself.

**Bugs Bunny — Helmdahl and Stoffel**

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LOOKIN' FOR A NEW TV, FLOOPY?

NOT REALLY... MY SETS AREN'T WORKING FINE.

BUT NEVER LIKES "WONDER DOG" AND I WANTED TO SEE THE BASKETBALL GAME.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE — CAROL & MCCORMICK

UM, WAS IT YOUR PATRIOTIC DUTY TO KEEP THAT CARBURETOR YOU ACQUIRED THROUGH AN UNCHANCE? THAT INVENTION MIGHT SAVE OUR COUNTRY FROM DEPENDING ON OIL IMPORTS!

I WON'T ATTEMPT TO EXPLAIN THE BALANCE OF TRADE!

THAT'S WHY THEY'RE SMALL!

THEY SEEM TO BE A BIT OUT OF RANGE SIR!

**Short Ribs — Frank Hill**

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## ACROSS

1 Sioux Indian  
2 Formerly  
3 School organization (abbr.)  
4 To the place  
5 Concept  
6 Ill  
7 Having center  
8 Word of  
9 Answering (pl. verb)  
10 These (Fr.)  
11 Young  
12 Answer price  
13 Playful child  
14 Not ripe  
15 Onomatopoeic  
16 Group  
17 Food  
18 Door  
19 Chemical  
20 Homocidal  
21 Harsh speech  
22 Species  
23 Betting group  
24 Asert  
25 Young socialist for short  
26 Non-suffr.  
27 Col. rank  
28 Panning  
29 Scout  
30 Pasture sound  
31 Bedouin  
32 Observed  
33 Theatrical  
34 Half-score  
35 Bird class  
36 Nouns (abbr.)  
37 (Sp.)  
38 Congress  
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## DOWN

1 Farm animal

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## Ask the Experts

A Texas reader wants to know when you should open a short suit against a no-trump contract.

The answer is that you do so when it appears that a lead of any one of your long suits is inadvisable. However, if your lead turns out wrong, we will not be held responsible.

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## This Funny World

"The silhouette looks a lot like a Dow-Jones chart" all you have to say about this grandeur!"

## Charles M. Schultz

OKAY, TROOPS... MORE ABOUT SURVIVAL IN THE WILDERNESS.

IF I WERE LOST IN THE WOODS, YOU KNOW WHAT I WOULD DO? I'D OPEN THIS CAN OF TENNIS BALLS.

YOU KNOW WHY I'D OPEN THIS CAN OF TENNIS BALLS?

BECAUSE WHEN I WAS PACKING MY GEAR, I THOUGHT IT WAS A TALL CAN OF SOUP!

## Bl-Focals — By Ruth Marcus

DON'T FRET ABOUT WOMEN'S LIB, DEAR... WOMEN WILL ALWAYS BE DEPENDENT ON MEN...

AS LONG AS DRESSES HAVE ZIPPERS IN THE BACK!

## Priscilla's Pop — Al Vermeer

I LOVE COMING HOME TO PEACE AND QUIET AFTER A HARD DAY AT THE OFFICE!

DON'T SHOW HIM YOUR REPORT CARD YET!

## Captain Easy — Crooks and Lawrence

CHOCOLATES... WHY, THANK YOU, YOUR NAME IS ABAB!

CAPTAIN EASY... HAK AM... FROM THESE INDUSTRIES! I THOUGHT YOU MIGHT ENJOY THESE WORKED BONBONS!

(SWIP) IMPORTED... MAM, NO DOUBT THAT EXPLAINS IT, PERHAPS THEY WERE A LITTLE TOO LONG IN TRANSIT!

NOW DON'T TURN UP YOUR NOSE, POOPY. I KNOW THEY SMELL A TRIFLE ODD... BUT TRY NOT TO HURT THE MICE HANDS FEELINGS!

## Alley Oop — Dave Graus

WHAT'VE YOU GOT THERE?

THROWING KNIVES! I TOLD YOU I WAS A BLADE MAN...

USED TO HAVE A PRETTY GOOD KNIFE-THROWING ACT BACK IN THE PISTERS!

MY WORD! HURT THE MICE HANDS FEELINGS!

## The Flintstones — Hanna-Barbera Productions

THAT EARLY BIRD IS SO BIG AND STUPID-LOOKING... HOW DOES HE EXPECT TO GET THE WORM?

SWAP!

THAT ANSWER YOUR QUESTION?

SWAP!

## Born Loser — Art Sansom

WHERE I COME, REACH OR NOT!

I WONDER WHO'S ON CAREEN TREATMENT?

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### Obituaries

#### Michael H. Thomas

ROCKVILLE — Michael H. Thomas, 64, of 19 Dailley Circle died Tuesday at the Rocky Hill Veterans Hospital. He was the husband of Mrs. Josephine Bigelow Thomas.

Mr. Thomas was born May 11, 1913 in Middletown and had lived in Hartford before coming to Rockville 15 years ago. He was employed at Capewell Mfg. Co., Hartford. He was an Army veteran of World War II and a member of the Rockville American Legion Post. He had been a member of the American Legion for 33 years.

He is also survived by two daughters, Marjorie J. Thomas and Elizabeth L. Thomas, both of Rockville; two brothers, four sisters and two grandchildren.

The private funeral is today at Ladd Funeral Home, 19 Ellington Ave. The Rev. Robert LaCounte, pastor of Rockville Baptist Church, will officiate. Burial will be in the veterans section of Grove Hill Cemetery at the convenience of the family.

The family suggests that any memorial gifts may be made to the Rockville American Legion Post, West Road.

#### Mrs. Martha Y. Maylott

Mrs. Martha Young Maylott of Enfield died Tuesday at an Enfield nursing home. She was the widow of Edward Maylott and the mother of Sumner E. Maylott of Manchester.

She is also survived by a brother, a sister, three grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

The funeral is Friday at 11 a.m. at the Lee-Steves Enfield Chapel, 61 South Road. Burial will be in Thompsonville Cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral chapel Friday from 10 to 11 a.m.

The family suggests that any memorial gifts may be made to the Memorial Fund of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Prospect Street, Enfield.

#### Mrs. Adam F. Valteau

EAST HARTFORD — Mrs. Edith Dewey Valteau, 65, of 639 Forest St. died Wednesday at Hartford Hospital. She was the wife of Adam F. Valteau.

Mrs. Valteau was born in Simsbury and had lived in East Hartford for the past 45 years. She was a member of the First Congregational Church of East Hartford.

She is also survived by a son, Albert D. Birnbaum of East Hartford; three sisters, Mrs. Myrtle Roach of Granby, Mrs. Helen Parcell of Canton and Mrs. Frances Tetro of Simsbury; and two grandchildren.

The funeral is Friday at 10 a.m. at Newkirk and Whitney Funeral Home, 318 Burnside Ave. Burial will be in Hillside Cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home today from 3 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m.

The family suggests that any memorial gifts may be made to the Heublein Radiation Oncology Center, 80 Seymour St., Hartford.

#### Mrs. Nellie M. Littlefield

EAST HARTFORD — Mrs. Nellie May Littlefield, 79, of 88 Ritsley St. died Tuesday at an East Hartford convalescent hospital. She was the widow of Charles H. Littlefield.

Mrs. Littlefield was born in Knox, Maine, and lived in Scarborough, Maine, for many years before coming to East Hartford four years ago. Before retiring, she had been a teacher in the Knox and Monroe, Maine schools for 20 years.

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Martin W. Evans of East Hartford, with whom she made her home; four grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

The funeral is Saturday at 1 p.m. at Newkirk and Whitney Funeral Home, 318 Burnside Ave. Burial will be in Knox, Maine, in the spring.

There are no calling hours.

#### Thomas J. Brown

Thomas J. Brown of Miami, Fla., formerly of the Hartford area, died Sunday in Miami.

Survivors include a son, three grandchildren, and several relatives in the Manchester area.

The funeral is Saturday at 8:15 a.m. from Newkirk and Whitney Funeral Home, 318 Burnside Ave., East Hartford, with a mass at St. Rose Church, East Hartford, at 9. Burial will be in Mt. St. Benedict Cemetery, Bloomfield.

Friends may call at the funeral home Friday from 3 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m.

#### Mrs. Alice M. Fournier

EAST HARTFORD — Mrs. Alice Martel Fournier, 84, formerly of Washington Avenue, died Wednesday at a Glastonbury convalescent home.

Mrs. Fournier was born in Canada and had lived in the Hartford area for many years.

She is survived by two sons, Armand R. Brule of Hartford and Romeo H. Brule of Florida; four daughters, Mrs. Cecile Binette of East Hartford, Mrs. Jeanette Labbe of Hadley, Mrs. Diane Jordan of Maine and Mrs. Loretta Smith of Green, Maine; 25 grandchildren and 70 great-grandchildren.

The funeral is Saturday at 9:15 a.m. from Rose Hill Funeral Home, 580 Elm St., Rocky Hill, with a mass at St. James Church, Rocky Hill, at 10. Burial will be in Rose Hill Memorial Park, Rocky Hill.

Friends may call at the funeral home Friday from 7 to 9 p.m.

#### Alexander Y. Smyth

Alexander Young Smyth, 74, of South Windsor, formerly of 195 McKee St., Manchester, died this morning at a Vernon area convalescent home.

Mr. Smyth was born Feb. 10, 1903, in Paisley, Scotland, and came to this country in 1927. He had lived in Hartford before coming to Manchester in 1947 and had made his home with his daughter, Mrs. Catherine Collins of 8 Collins Lane, South Windsor, since last May. Before retiring, he was employed as a plant engineer at Phoenix Mutual Insurance Co., Hartford. He was a member of the British American Club and St. John's Lodge of Masons of Hartford.

He is also survived by another daughter, Mrs. Anne Jones of Manchester; two sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Wilson of New Jersey and Mrs. Mary Soule of Wisconsin; and five grandchildren.

The funeral is Saturday, at 2 p.m. at Samsel-Bassinger Funeral Home, 419 Buckland Road, South Windsor. Burial will be in Wapping Cemetery at a later date.

Friends may call at the funeral home Friday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

#### Joseph A. Picotte

EAST HARTFORD — Joseph Adolphe Picotte, 65, of 229 Brewer St. died Monday at Hartford Hospital. He was the husband of Mrs. Ermina Frachey Picotte.

Mr. Picotte was born in Canada and lived in Willimantic before coming to East Hartford 25 years ago. Before retiring two years ago, he had been employed at Pratt and Whitney Division of United Technologies Corp. for 33 years. He was a communicant of Blessed Sacrament Church.

He is also survived by a daughter, Rochelle Szabo of East Hartford; a brother, Bruno Picotte of Willimantic; and a sister, Mrs. Bella Bacon of Canada.

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#### Henry Stutz

ELLINGTON — Henry Stutz, 92, of 182 Jobs Hill Road died Wednesday night at a Vernon area convalescent home.

Mr. Stutz was born in Wagram, Germany, and had lived in the Ellington area most of his life. He had been a self-employed farmer until his retirement at the age of 80. He was a member of the First Lutheran Church of Ellington.

He is survived by four sons, Walter K. Stutz and Edwin W. Stutz, both of Ellington; Henry J. Stutz of Rockville and George R. Stutz of Farmington; five daughters, Mrs. Ruth Erismann of Rockville, Mrs. Martha Devine of Windsor, Mrs. Mildred Gillan of Southington, Mrs. Anne O'Brien and Mrs. Kay Benoit, both of Hartford; 23 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

The funeral is Saturday at 11 a.m. at Ladd Funeral Home Home, 19 Ellington Ave., Rockville. The Rev. Eugene F. Mitchell, pastor of the First Lutheran Church, will officiate. Burial will be in Ellington Center Cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home Friday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

The family suggests that any memorial gifts may be made to the Memorial Fund of the First Lutheran Church of Ellington.

#### Robert K. Boyden

TOLLAND — Robert K. Boyden, 48, of 71 Buff Cap Road died Tuesday at Rockville General Hospital. He was the husband of Mrs. Carol Miller Boyden.

Mr. Boyden was born in New Haven and had lived in Tolland for the past 21 years. He was employed as a typewriter service technician by the Metro Office Machine Co. of East Hartford. He served as a corporal in the Army from 1952 to 1954 in Germany. He was a member of the United Congregational Church of Tolland. He also belonged to the Tolland Volunteer Am-

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Other survivors are his mother, Mrs. Mabel Ikerd of West Haven; two sons, Kenneth R. Boyden and Edward C. Boyden, both at home; two daughters, Linda E. Boyden and Nancy C. Boyden, both at home; a brother, Clarence A. Boyden of Dracut, Mass.; and five sisters, Mrs. Dorothy Hill of West Haven, Mrs. Clara Wanless and Mrs. Edith Simmonette, both of Orange, Mrs. Mabel Callahan of Lowell, Mass., and Mrs. Bertha Campbell of Bedford, Mass.

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Burial will be in St. Mary's Cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home Sunday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

Mr. Harpin was born in Moosup and had lived in East Hartford for 36 years. Before his retirement 10 years ago, he had been employed by the U.S. Postal Service in Hartford for 42 years. He was a communicant of St. Isaac Jogues Church.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Angeline Boucher Harpin; two sons, Harvey R. Harpin of Bolton and Norman L. Harpin of South Windsor; a daughter, Mrs. Theresa L. Oliver of Flossmoor, Ill.; and seven grandchildren.

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EAST HARTFORD — Robert J. McFetridge, 68, of 75 Miller Road, Broad Brook, formerly of East Hartford, died Monday in the state Veterans Home and Hospital, Rocky Hill. He was the husband of Mrs. Alice Sauer McFetridge of Broad Brook.

Mr. McFetridge was born in Hartford and lived in East Hartford many years before moving to Broad Brook. Before retiring seven years ago, he was employed by Hamilton Standard Division of United Technologies where he worked 30 years.

He was a World War II Navy veteran and was a member of VFW Post No. 2774 of East Windsor. Other survivors are four sons, Robert McFetridge of Pittsburgh, Pa., Joseph McFetridge of Broad Brook, Gerald Dwyer of Ellington and Richard Dwyer of Warehouse Point; two daughters, Miss Joan McFetridge of Fort Lauderdale, Fla., and Mrs. Thomas Wright of Broad Brook; nine grandchildren and one great-granddaughter.

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### No one hurt in fire

ENFIELD (UPI) — About 1600 Enfield High School students were evacuated today when a fire broke out at their school shortly after it opened. Authorities said there were apparently no injuries.

Fire trucks from Enfield and Thompsonville responded to the blaze that broke out shortly after the school opened at 8 a.m.

Officials said students left the building in a calm, orderly fashion and were met with school buses that took them back to their homes. Firemen said apparently none of the pupils was injured.

"I thought it was a fire drill," one student said. "There were varying reports from students on where the blaze began. One said the fire apparently started in the board of education room. Another thought it began in the drivers' education section of the building.

Fire officials said the cause of the fire and the extent of damage to the school was not immediately known.

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SECOND SECTION

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### About town

The executive board of the Manchester Junior Women's Club will meet tonight at 8 at the home of Mrs. Michael Miodinski, 57 Montauk Drive, Vernon.

The Vesperian Emblem Club will hold its annual scholarship card party Saturday at 7:30 p.m. at the Elks Lodge in Glastonbury. Setback and whist will be played. There will be door prizes and refreshments. Tickets are available at the door. The public is invited.

The Shanti School lottery for student admission was postponed from today to Wednesday, Feb. 15 at 9 a.m. at Manchester High School. Applications are available at the MHS guidance office and must be submitted to Shanti School before the time of the lottery. Students in Grades 10, 11 and 12 may apply.

The Verplanck School PTA will sponsor its annual volleyball game of fifth and sixth grade students versus their parents and teachers Friday in the school gymnasium. Mothers and daughters will play at 6:30 p.m., and fathers and sons will play at 7:30 p.m. Refreshments will be served between the games in the cafeteria. There will be a small admission fee. The proceeds will go toward the physical education program.

The potluck and meeting of the Widows-Widowers Association, Chapter 11, scheduled Sunday has been canceled.

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### Interim funds approved for town transit system

By GREG PEARSON

Herald Reporter

The Manchester Board of Directors Wednesday night approved funding for a temporary transportation program for the town's elderly and handicapped.

The board unanimously agreed to use \$10,000 in town funds and \$25,000 from a federal grant to finance the program.

The town had agreed to buy two mini-buses for a permanent program. A federal grant needed for the purchase, however, is still being processed. The buses had been expected Jan. 1.

Thus, the board has agreed to set up a temporary system until the buses arrive. The town's \$10,000 had been set aside for the bus purchases but now will be used for the temporary system, which probably will be established for at least six months. Town officials have been hopeful that the system can start on March 1.

The directors took other budget actions Wednesday night. These included the transfer of \$283,525 from the Contingency Fund to various budget accounts.

The board previously had approved reductions of some department budgets. This money was transferred to the Contingency Fund for distribution to other budgets that faced shortfalls this year.

### Correction

The person shown receiving a Manchester Land Conservation Trust corporate membership certificate in Wednesday's Herald was Chester Potrieka, manager at Arthur Drug Stores Inc. on Main Street. He was incorrectly identified.

### Fire calls

Wednesday, 4:49 p.m. and 5:45 p.m. — small fires in rooms at 201 E. Center St. (Town)

Wednesday, 7:27 p.m. — water call, 5 Ford St. (Town)

Wednesday, 8:13 p.m. — smell of gas, 160 Cooper Hill St. (town)

Wednesday, 9:10 p.m. — car fire, Shell station, 323 Spencer St. (Town)

Today, 4:49 a.m. — coffee pot overheated, Manchester Memorial Hospital (Town)

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## Petitioners support plan for new elderly center

By GREG PEARSON

Herald Reporter

A petition signed by about 700 persons supporting a new senior citizens center was presented to the Manchester Board of Directors Tuesday night.

The petition was one of several comments favoring or questioning the proposed expenditure of Manchester's Community Development grant for 1978-79.

The Citizens Advisory Committee's which decides how to spend the CD money, has recommended that \$24,000 be spent either for a senior citizens center or a neighborhood center or both.

The petition asked for a larger senior center with all facilities on one floor and ample parking. The directors also received a letter from the Manchester Green Chapter of the American Association of Retired Persons supporting a new center.

The present senior center on Linden Street is on two floors and the parking is considered inadequate.

Dr. Walter Schardt, chairman of the Advisory Board of Health, and Dr. Robert Smith, a local dentist, both spoke in favor of a dental clinic. The Citizens Advisory Committee has recommended that \$216,000 be spent for a senior or neighborhood center, to be used to buy

### Ski races Saturday

Children's ski races postponed last Saturday because there wasn't enough snow, will be held this coming Saturday at Northview Ski Area starting at 10 a.m.

The races are open to boys and girls ages 6 to 15 and they may register from 9 to 10 a.m.

The race groups will be broken down into the following age groups: 6 to 8 years, 9 to 10 years, 11 and 12 years, and 13 to 15 years.

### Manchester police report

Thomas D. Turkowski, 16, of 330 Adams St. was arrested Wednesday night on a charge of interfering with a police officer in connection with an incident at Pinball Wizard on Main Street.

Police said they had gone there to pick up a juvenile runaway from Long Lane School in Middletown. They said Turkowski and another juvenile attempted to interfere. The juvenile was referred to juvenile authorities and the runaway was returned to Long Lane, police said.

Turkowski was released on a non-surety bond for court Feb. 27.

Other arrests Wednesday included Scott T. Russell, 18, of Andover, charged on a warrant with second-degree larceny. He was released on \$2,500 cash bond for court Feb. 27.

Darwin D. Jones, 25, of Hartford was arrested on Tuesday and Wednesday on the same charges. He was charged with operating a motor vehicle while his license is suspended and operating an unregistered motor vehicle. Court date is Feb. 21.

Harry C. Millette, 30, of Galloway St., was charged with breach of peace. Police said he threw a lit cigarette at an officer who was investigating an accident at Galloway and North School streets in which Millette's car was stuck in a snowbank. He is scheduled for court Feb. 27.

Michael C. Wheeler, 18, of 106 Summit St. was charged with possession of a cannabis substance when he was stopped on Main and Center streets Wednesday after allegedly throwing a snowball at a police car. He was released on \$250 cash bond for court Feb. 27.

### Give yourself a tax-sheltered Valentine. Open an IRA by February 14.

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# Meeting schedule rushed in Vernon

Beset with problems of scheduling meetings due to the weather the Vernon Town Council will have to crowd in three public hearings and a special workshop meeting within the next few weeks.

At its meeting Wednesday night, adjourned on Monday night, the council set Feb. 27 for two public hearings and a regular council meeting. A third public hearing is set for March 6 and the workshop meeting will be scheduled sometime thereafter.

The hearings on Feb. 27 will be on a proposed revision to the 1977 Block Grant application and discussion of the Community Development Block Grant for 1978.

The other hearing, scheduled for March 6 will be on proposed amendments to the town's housing code.

Mayor Frank McCoy appointed a special committee to study the housing rehabilitation program and that committee will make several recommendations in connection with the investor-owned housing rehab program.

The mayor said he appointed the committee because he was not satisfied with the way the first program had been handled.

Robert Hurd, chairman of the committee, said the committee's intent was to review the town's housing code ordinance and its enforcement procedures. The public hearing will review the proposed revisions, and after that the council will be asked to adopt them. The committee wants the ordinance adopted in time for this spring's building season which it hopes will be in the middle of March.

Hurd also said because the rehab program is quite extensive and complicated, the committee felt it would be best to hold a special workshop session with the council rather than try to discuss it at a regular council meeting.

Mayor McCoy said the workshop meeting will have to be scheduled sometime within the next two weeks. Some council members suggested it may have to be scheduled for a Saturday and the mayor agreed this had been done on other occasions.

The other hearing, will be on the proposed amendment to the 1977 Community Development Block Grant. The mayor is asking the council to reallocate \$7,000 of the funds to com-

plete repairs to the Horowitz Pool at Henry Park as recommended by Laurie Glass, the town's community development coordinator.

Ms. Glass suggested that the \$7,000 be transferred from \$5,000 designated for sidewalk reconstruction and \$2,000 from the administrative portion of the budget.

The proposed amendment would give the town a total of \$22,000 to complete pool repairs which are going to be more extensive than anticipated when the grant request was filed. Ms. Glass said it is her hope to have the pool repairs completed by the time the pool is scheduled to open in June.

**Housing consultant**  
In an 82 vote Wednesday night the Town Council gave a special committee permission to hire a consultant for the town's federally funded housing rehabilitation program.

The two dissenting votes were those of Democrat James Filkoff and Republican John Gidhetti. Mayor Frank McCoy, although not voting, was not in favor.

The committee asked to hire the consultant at \$20 an hour, not to exceed a total of \$1,000. Filkoff and Gidhetti felt the money would be better spent to provide assistance to families involved in the rehab program.

Mayor McCoy said he felt the town's housing officials and the council were better equipped to know what the town's housing code should contain.

Robert Hurd, chairman of the committee, said the \$1,000 would come from the contingency fund in the rehab budget. He said the committee feels the consultant would provide a degree of objectivity and would assist the committee in completing the program guidelines. He said they see the consultant as reviewing the committee's work to date and providing them with a critique and advice as to any potential problems in implementing the proposed course of action.

"We see the consultant as a good insurance policy as they are not working on a complicated and difficult undertaking," Hurd said.

John Loranger, town planner, said one of the major concerns is the fact that the rehab program has the potential of displacing people, but one of the goals is not to let this happen. He said the consultant can help in this area.

# Council delays action on fire truck request

**Vernon**

A request to consider budgeting for a new ladder truck for the Rockville Fire Department was briefly discussed at Wednesday night's Town Council meeting and the matter was tabled for action until the next meeting of the council.

The request was made by Rockville Fire Chief Donald Maguda

who told the council there is an opportunity to buy a ladder truck for \$100,000, which is last year's price. The new models are costing about \$30,000 more, Maguda said.

Councilman Stephen Marchant urged the council either to investigate the possibility of buying the truck outright or exploring a lease agreement.

Marchant said there will be some \$475,000 coming to the town through motor vehicle taxes gleaned through legislation passed at the last session. The legislation now allows assessors to prorate the taxes.

Stanley Roesser, director of administration, said he estimates that the town should be getting an additional, one-time bonus from these taxes of \$200,000, and he planned to check with the motor vehicle department today to see what figure it might have.

The mayor said leasing the equipment may be the answer. He said the general budget has what might be called its remaining funds, but Connolly suggests that policy not be implemented until the program has been clarified.

Seven of the 15 associations have questionable status. Over the past few months the council has been studying ways of incorporating the non-conforming associations so that they will be eligible to receive town funds to maintain their private roads.

A report from the manager's bookkeeper, Deborah Wojcik, shows that for the period from July 1974 to June 1978, the town has made available, \$23,288 in matching road funds. With the additional surplus funds from past years, the fund balance now stands at \$26,474.

Associations clearly eligible to receive funds are Bellevue, Gerald Park, Lakewood Terrace, Oak Grove, Pine Lake Shores, Waterfront

# Many items face council

**South Windsor**

Many items will see action by the Town Council tonight at 8 in the Town Hall council chambers. The agenda had been scheduled for Monday but was postponed because of storm "Larry."

The council is expected to make appointments to various boards and commissions. The council had decided to wait until its vacant ninth seat was filled before making appointments.

The council will also discuss a \$376 claim of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Cooper and the re-establishment of the Charter Revision Commission.

# Coventry Grand List increases \$1 million

Coventry's Grand List increased \$1,029,425 last year to reach an all-time high of \$6,976,025, according to a recent report by Tax Assessor, Gerard Lavioie.

The figures may be slightly altered by the Board of Tax Review, Lavioie said, which will be holding special meetings today, from 7 to 9 p.m. and Saturday from 9 a.m. to noon at the Town Hall.

Most of the increase came in motor vehicle taxes, which rose from \$55,528,705 in 1976 to \$6,021,960 in 1977. Real estate taxes jumped \$457,030 to reach \$30,419,570. About \$4 million worth of property in Coventry is tax-exempt or tax-deferred, such as land owned by the state or charitable organizations.



Mariana Malin, left, and Beverly Battiston look over 'Executive,' a game they developed to assist in the study of business education. Both are teachers in the business education department at Bolton High School.

# Teachers create new game

**Bolton**

Executive, a game developed by Beverly Battiston and Mariana Malin, has been published in the state Department of Education Curriculum Enrichment Materials and is available through "job performance" and "try your luck" cards.

The educational goals of the game are to expand business career information, to demonstrate progression from minor roles to executive roles, and to incorporate into subject-matter.

Executive consists of a gameboard printed in three colors. With each throw of a die, players progress along career paths from training education and a variety of modern and futuristic business equipment.

The game places emphasis on personal relationships in building a successful career. The teachers said that it is a primary cause of job failures and it is difficult to evaluate and incorporate into subject-matter.

The board will discuss the school self-evaluation report, special education students and special education services available through the Coventry Regional Council.

The board will hear a special report on the Iowa Test results and services available through the Coventry Regional Council.

The current school year for Bolton students will end June 27. Because of the schools being closed Tuesday and Wednesday, school will be in session April 24 and 25.

If there are any more snow days the school will be made up beginning April 26. The April dates are from the previously scheduled April vacation.

Parents Alison Boisoene and Mary Mann wrote to the board with suggestions as to how the snow days should be handled.

Bolton residents who anticipate flooding problems are advised to get the natural drainage flow areas at their homes cleared as soon as possible.

Cliff Massey, civil preparedness director, said if the town gets any rain or as the snow thaws more flooding can be expected. He said many of the natural drain courses are blocked and they must be cleared or there will be more flooding.

Massey advises people traveling in cars to watch and be cautious at the intersections. He said Bolton roads are clear and passable but the intersections are dangerous.

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**Hebron**

At a special meeting of the Hebron Board of Education, scheduled for tonight at 8 at the Gilead Hill School, the board will discuss a proposed restructuring plan for the elementary schools. The matter was brought up at the regular meeting of the board, last week, and comment was reserved.

At the last meeting, despite the late hour, several townspeople remained throughout board discussion on the proposed education budget for 1978-79, hoping to comment on the restructuring plan.

Sandy Boynieski complained that the board had no comment on increased transportation costs of the restructuring plan as part of budget discussion.

Mrs. Boynieski said the board appeared willing to cut textbooks, audiovisual materials, in-service training for teachers and cultural enrichment items, but made no mention of the costs it had imposed on the budget by the restructuring vote of last month.

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# Today's pro tennis players need help in many departments of behavior

**By MILT RICHMAN**

**NEW YORK (UPI)** — Today's tournament tennis players remind me of sheep.

Dumb, driven sheep following each other blindly and mindlessly in the misguided belief there is no limit to how much money they can make or to how much sheer boorishness they can lay on those who come out to watch them before they kill the golden goose.

To me, Romania's Ilie Nastase was the forerunner, the one who set the pattern for the kind of nauseating conduct you see so often displayed in tournament tennis nowadays.

Somehow Nastase got the idea he could make himself more colorful, and more money at the same time, by disrupting a match he was in, so he proceeded to make that type

behavior his trademark. Nastase is fined occasionally, but so what? He's making more and more money, so what's an occasional fine. The important thing with him is that he has made a reputation for himself as the Bad Boy of Tennis and it is paying off handsomely.

One Ilie Nastase would've been enough, but now you have any number of them in tournament tennis. The thinking with all the others is difficult to figure. If it worked for him, why can't it work for me?

One of the results of that kind of rationale is what took place in the World Cup Championships at Richmond, last week.

Vitas Gerulaitis, the 23-year-old winner of the tournament, is being threatened with a \$10,000 fine and a one-year suspension because of the way he conducted himself during his matches. Speaking of some of the things Gerulaitis did, Referee Walter Horsley said, "The way he was acting, he's not fit to play before a major audience. It was the most irrational behavior I've ever seen."

Gerulaitis wasn't alone, though. Eight others also were cited and stand to be fined for making obscene gestures, throwing their rackets, withdrawing without cause, and hitting balls into the stands.

Nastase also was in the tournament. Naturally, he had his thing, too, and has a \$700 fine hanging over him for three different incidents, two involving obscenities.

Some of the more "understanding" tennis people, the soft-liners, are inclined to rationalize away all this misbehavior by pointing to the lack of efficient line judges and umpires and referees. They also call attention to

the fact that most of the players are young, have gotten too much too soon and obviously don't know how to handle it. I don't buy any of that.

None of these players are too young to read, and if they'd merely take the trouble to read the basic Standards of Conduct for tennis, they'd discover that all competitors are under a duty to encourage and maintain high standards of gentlemanly conduct, fair play and good sportsmanship.

These standards were set forth for the good of the game and for the good of all those competing in it. To violate these rules, it seems to me, is nothing more than pure stupidity because such actions eventually can't be exhibited in front of spectators and they're the ones who make it possible for a Jimmy Connors to

earn \$222,667, a Guillermo Vilas \$800,842 and a Gerulaitis \$234,324 as well last year.

Somehow I can't ever remember a Bill Tilden, Don Budge, Fred Perry ever making an obscene gesture, throwing a racket or cursing out a linesman, and I'm sure they were victims of bad calls in their day also.

"If I as much as said 'damn' or 'hell' on the court, my folks would've made me stay home until I learned to behave myself," says Budge, twice U.S. singles champion, former Wimbledon titlist and one of the foremost tennis players of all time.

I feel sorry for these kids. They're vastly overpaid and what's more, they're making asses of themselves because they don't realize that it's more important than the individual and that it will go on when they are long dead and gone."

Budge has devoted 49 years of his life to the game. He and his wife, Loret, run the Don Budge World of Tennis at Harder Hall in Sebring, Fla., and are directors of the tennis program at McDonough Prep School in Baltimore. As far as the present complaints about officiating are concerned, Budge recalls what Germany's Gottfried Von Cramm said to him before a Davis Cup match they once played.

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# Stall too much, Maryland bows

**NEW YORK (UPI)** — Maryland Coach Lefty Driesell sounded like a passionate advocate for a college basketball time clock Wednesday night.

With the score tied 58-58 and 13:30 remaining in a tense Atlantic Coast Conference game at Maryland, North Carolina Coach Dean Smith ordered his team into an stalling, "four corner" offense in an effort to draw the Terps out of their 2-1 zone defense.

When Maryland chased only halfheartedly, the seventh-ranked Tar Heels stalled for 40 minutes of full-court play.

"I'd like to play four minutes of full-court play, just one time," fourth Driesell, reflecting on his north straight home loss to North Carolina.

"They were at home, and the crowd (14,500, a sellout) had them juiced up," said Smith. "If I thought we'd cool them off. If they had come out and played man-to-man, we would have played basketball."

North Carolina went ahead for good, 60-58, with 10:07 remaining on a tap-in by floor leader Phil Ford, who finished with 22 points. Two Mike O'Koren baskets on back-door plays made the lead six points before a futile Maryland rally.

The game's first 27 minutes were played at a breakneck pace, much in contrast to the final 13. North Carolina led 44-42 at halftime behind Ford's 16 points, and held a 56-51 advantage at 15:48 of the second half before Maryland came back to tie.

Koren contributed 14 points for the Tar Heels, 7-2 in the ACC and 14 overall. Freshman Al King led Maryland with 22 points.

In other games involving top teams, sixth-ranked Kansas whipped Missouri, 72-52, Clemson upset Wake Forest, 91-81, Nebraska defeated Kansas State, 63-50 and Duke routed Virginia, 106-79.

Senior forward Ken Koenigs scored a season-high 20 points to lead four Kansas players in double figures and help keep the Jayhawks in sole possession of first place in the Big Eight Conference with a 9-1 record.

Colon Abraham and Jimmy Howell combined for 32 points to lead Clemson to its upset over Wake Forest.

Center Carl McPhee, anchoring a tough Nebraska defense with a game-high 11 rebounds, scored 21 points to lead the Cornhuskers to a Big Eight Conference victory over Kansas State. The win boosted Nebraska's league record to 8-2 and its season mark to 19-3.

Jim Sparakel scored 30 points to lead Virginia up Duke to an easy victory over first-year in an Atlantic Coast Conference game.

# Unknown reserve Nash steals show

**KANSAS CITY, Mo. (UPI)** — Kansas City honored one of the NBA's all-time greats, John Havlicek, Wednesday night, but it was an unknown reserve who stole the show.

Bob Nash, who a year ago was playing in Sweden, had just five field goals, but four came in the final quarter in a 104-100 Kansas City Kings' victory over the Boston Celtics. Nash is a former Hartford, Conn., high school star.

Three times Nash came up with clutch goals after the Celtics had closed to within a few points or less. His biggest basket came with just 39 seconds left when the 6-8 forward drilled a 12-footer from the baseline with only a second left on the 24-second clock, giving the Kings a 100-98 lead.

"That was the ball game," said Havlicek. "We had good pressure, but he hit it from behind." Boston Coach Tom Sanders agreed Nash was the difference.

"It was the most opportunistic thing for him to catch here," said Sanders. "He hit two tips that were very important and then, of course, the big jump shot at the end, and he had a good game on defense."

Nash, whose season's high is only 12 points, was in the lineup because of an illness which has kept Kings' Ron Boone, who is now only four points behind, out of 100 consecutive games. The Celtics managed only 16 first quarter points.

"We had another one of our famous quarters, this time the first," said Havlicek. "We just can't put four quarters together." Havlicek, who was honored in his last playing appearance at Kemper Arena, was limited to just five points.

"My God, what about charging?" The official promptly blew his whistle and called the technician.

"I think I'm probably the first sportscaster to get a technical foul," said Hagen, who didn't broadcast the game, but was taking notes so he could report back to his station.

Havlicek said he told the official a technical foul could be called on a member of the news media and showed him his press pass, but the official told him he was part of the Airlines' "entourage" and thus was subject to the same rules.

The Airlines' lost the game, 85-79, but Hagen's efforts didn't go unnoticed. He received a standing ovation from the Airlines bench and was voted a member of the team.

# 38 points lead way Nets break streak behind Williamson

**NEW YORK (UPI)** — Danny Roundfield searched out "Super John" Williamson, said to him, "I thought I told you give us a break tonight and take it easy," winked, then headed back to the Indiana Pacers' locker room.

It was Roundfield's way of letting Williamson — who was traded by the Pacers to the New Jersey Nets last week — know that his 38 points, six rebounds, four steals, and three assists that snapped the Nets' 16-game losing streak Wednesday evening with a 140-138 overtime victory over Indiana, were indeed super.

"I'm beat," smiled Williamson, who got in New York City just in time to get two hours sleep.

But he showed no ill effects,



Destination: Clearwater, Florida

Four members of the Philadelphia Phillies and a former NFL player stop in front of the White House as they bicycle caravan for Muscular Dystrophy funds for Clearwater, Fla., and spring training. The quintet, (l. to r.) pitcher Tug McGraw, outfielder Jerry Mattern, pitcher Larry Christensen, ex-NFL quarterback Roman Gabriel and pitcher Steve Carlton. (UPI photo)

## Business and tennis careers for Britton

By EARL YOST  
Sports Editor

"I enjoy the mixed lives, one as a business pro and the other as a tennis pro. One compliments the other," Mike Britton explained while waiting for his final doubles match in the NETS Tennis Tournament last weekend at the Manchester Racquet Club.



Mike Britton

The 32-year-old University of Connecticut grad, Class of 1968, is a sales representative specializing in computers for IBM in Boston.

Formation of the NETS was given me an opportunity to play with and against the best tennis players in the region," came the reply on the meaning of the group.

Formation of the NETS was the brainchild of Ted Hoehn. The New England Lawn Tennis Association rankings were considered and the records of players in open competition were also used to determine those eligible for membership in the NETS. Records of all players were studied, especially in tournament play. The top players were selected.

"It was Oct. 1, 1968," Britton recalled. That I broke my leg playing top football. I wore a hip cast for seven months.

"I wasn't sure if I would ever play tennis again," he recalled. Thanks to tennis, the leg healed perfectly and it became stronger than ever.

"Doubles is my best game today," he concluded as he headed for the court.

NEW YORK (UPI) — Back in August, Steve Garvey, the Dodgers' first baseman, received an unusual phone call, which is something in itself, because during the course of his career a ballplayer becomes accustomed to so many different types of calls that none seems so unusual anymore.

This caller identified himself as the principal of a junior high school in Lindsay, Calif., which is an agricultural community approximately 40 miles from Los Angeles. He said his name was Bob Edwards and he was principal of Lincoln Junior High School.

Edwards told Garvey his school was having some problems. Not any real major ones, but the kind he felt still called for some action on his part. Mostly, the problems dealt with the general morale of the students, Edwards explained.

"We've come up with an idea, but first we want to check with you to find out whether it's all right," he went on. "We'd like to rename our school after you."

## Graham surprised rivals in classic

PALM SPRINGS, Calif. (UPI) — David Graham surprised himself and, for that matter, his rivals as well in the opening round of the \$225,000 Bob Hope Desert Classic.

Playing for only the second time this year, and after a nearly three-week layoff during which he hardly practiced, the 31-year-old Australian shot 6-under-par 66 Wednesday, for the lead in the five-round Hope by a shot over Peter Oosterhuis, Dave Eichelberger, Vic Regalado and Fuzzy Zoeller.

"It's kind of nice to come back and play this well," Graham said. "I've had so much to do lately that I haven't been able to play much."

Today, Graham, as well as Oosterhuis, Eichelberger, and Regalado, will play La Quinta, the course most think is the toughest of the four they use in the 90-hole Hope Classic, the sixth event of 1978.

"I have no illusions," said Graham, "about being in front. I think the pressure is the same whether you are in front or a shot or two behind."

In the Hope, there are 384 amateurs, grouped in teams of three, who play one round each on the four courses, and with a different pro each day. So, it can be a very frustrating week, and a frustrating one, too.

"Oh, I don't mind," said Graham. "After all, it's the amateurs who pay our way and I feel by playing in an event such as this I am making a contribution as well. I try to have fun and let it go at that."

Of the foursome at 67, Zoeller played his first round at easier Indian Wells, today, he goes to Bermuda Dunes.

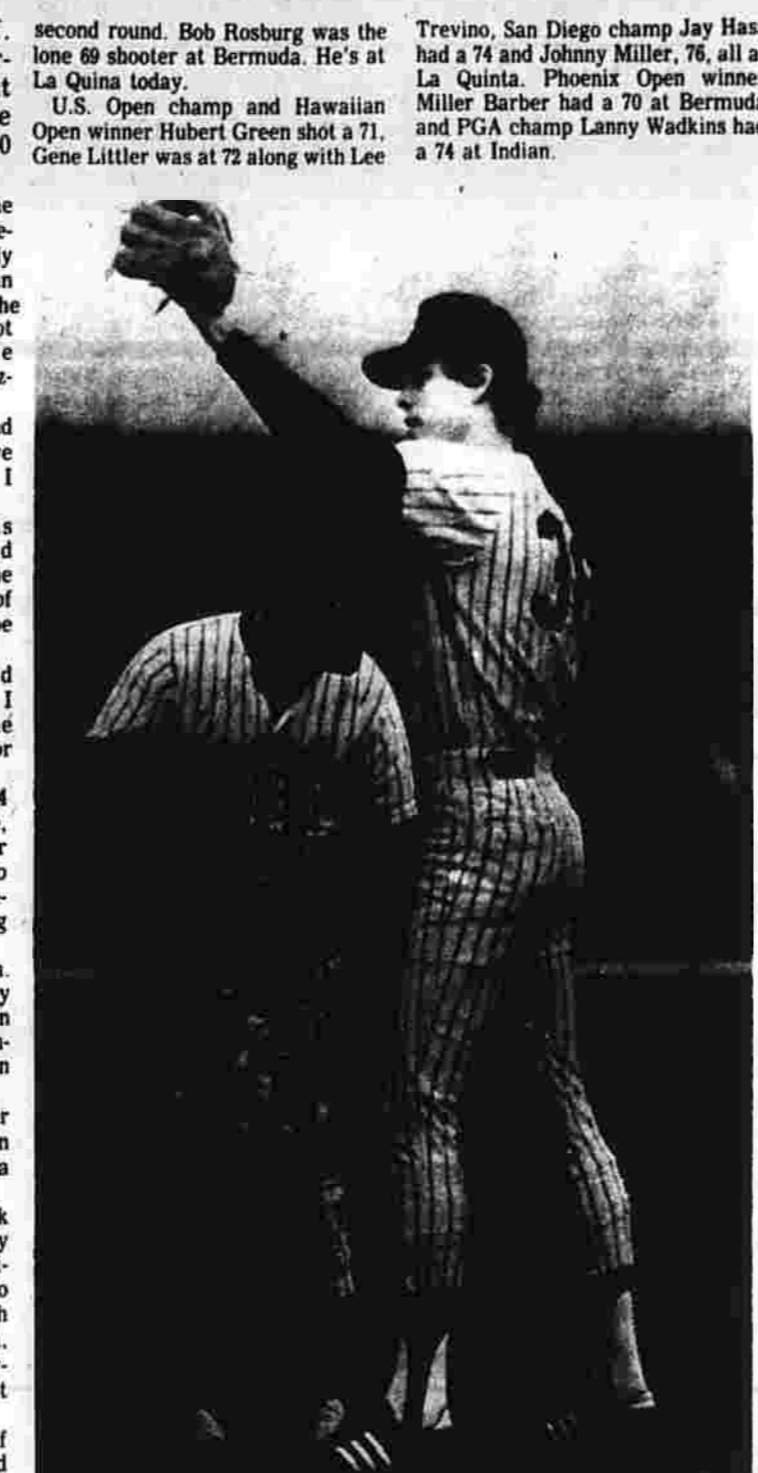
Defending champion Rick Massengale survived having to play with host Bob Hope, former President Gerald Ford and Flip Wilson to shoot at 68 at La Quinta. Keith Fergus also had a 68 at La Quinta, while Tom Purtzer shot 68 at Bermuda and Larry Nelson 68 at Eldorado.

Tom Watson, already the winner of two events this year, and Arnold Palmer, who has won the Hope five times — but not since 1973 — both played at La Quinta Wednesday and both shot 69. They play at Eldorado today.

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While New Englanders are throwing snowballs after the latest blizzard, Rawly Eastwick of the New York Yankees gets a basket full of baseballs as he got in a little pre-training pitching practice yesterday in Fort Lauderdale, Fla. (UPI photo)

That time of the year



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### Stan Smith net winner

SPRINGFIELD, Mass. (UPI) — Second-seeded Stan Smith of Sea Pines, N.Y., defeated Cliff Richey of San Angelo, Texas, 6-3, 6-4, in first round competition in the Springfield International Tennis Classic.

Fourth-seeded Bob Lutz of San Clemente, Calif., also squeezed by Geoff Masters of Australia 6-3, 6-3.

Earlier, unseeded Heinz Günthard of Switzerland defeated his 19th birthday Wednesday by whipping seventh-seeded Brian Teacher of San Diego 6-2, 6-4, in the second round.

Third-seeded Jan Kodes of Czechoslovakia also advanced for the quarter-finals by defeating Australian Ross Case 5-7, 7-5, 6-0. Case won the first set on a service break.

Kodes broke back in the second set and dominated the third set.

"I think I broke his confidence," said Kodes. Günthard was in control throughout the match, as he broke Teacher's serve twice in the first set and once in the second.

Günthard, who is the top-ranked Swiss player, called the win "one of the top wins I've had. I think I played well and I think he played badly."

### Bowling

K. of C. Dennis Guay 205, John Kotzick 210-565, Jim Cantin 223-571, Ely Newcomb 220, Fred Nassiff 558, Dan Lodge 202, Pete Peterson 232-587, Bill August 206, Ray Dufanel 204-559, Real Audet 257-205-54, Norbert Audet 244-600, Ron Jerosko 221, Roger Poudrier 201-558, Pete Byram 225, Wendell Poucher 208.

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**MS chapter plans lunch**  
The Connecticut River Valley chapter of Multiple Sclerosis will have a party luncheon Friday from 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the East Hartford Young Men's, Young Women's Christian Association (YM-YWCA).

The chapter includes the towns of Manchester, East Hartford, Vernon, Bolton, Andover, Coventry, South Windsor and Hebron.

The luncheon is for areas multiple sclerosis patients and their guests. There is no charge. It is being sponsored by Stop and Shop.

The luncheon will include a beef/noodle bake and peach cake surprise. There will be games and prizes.

For more information call 236-3229.

**The Herald snowman**  
When your Manchester Herald arrives at your doorstep, it's liable to be "Herald" Snowman who delivers it, as he knows just how to manage in snow. Here he is being readied for his route by Leanne Spears, left, 10, of 166 School St., Mary DeSauteles, 14, of 151 School St., and Jeff Marineau, 13, of 162 School St. (Herald photo by Dunn)



Fun on huge snowdrift

One thing all this snow is good for is fun — for kids and dogs. Children are making a sliding hill out of a huge drift on W. Middle Turnpike near Crestwood Drive while a dog romps in the snow. (Herald photo by Pinto)

## TBC amends station specs

By SUSAN VAUGHN  
Herald Reporter

The Town Building Committee Wednesday night approved the new reduced plans for the addition and renovations to the Manchester Police station.

The amended specifications for the second phase of the project will be available to contractors today at the offices of Lawrence Associates of Manchester, architects for the project.

The entire project had to be revamped after the first bids came in more than \$150,000 above the funds available under the Public Works Employment Act grant.

Despite the limited project, Sartor said he feels the physical plant and facilities will be significantly improved.

## Church housing foes

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The housing, the deadline originally was set for November 1977, but HUD already granted one extension.

"It puts us in more of a time bind," Kolas said if the project is not heard until April. "But, it doesn't kill the project," he said.

The Board of Education will meet with the PTA Budget Study Committee tonight at 8 at Robertson School auditorium to discuss the 1978-79 school budget recommendations. The meeting will also be open to comments from the public.

The board will adopt the budget at next Tuesday's regular board meeting at 4:5 N. School St.

Manchester Power Squadron will celebrate its Founders Day Friday starting at 6:30 p.m. with a potluck Saturday and Monday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., for those who were unable to file for unemployment this week because of the storm.

## Changes sought in bazaar rules

Several supporters of carnivals and bazaars attended Wednesday night's meeting of the Manchester Board of Directors and spoke in favor of an ordinance change that would permit such activities for charity and fraternal groups.

Carnivals and bazaars have been held in the past in town, but a ruling last year by then-Town Counsel Victor Moses said that the events are prohibited by the Town Charter and the zoning regulations.

The Board of Directors and the Planning and Zoning Commission both would have to agree to make changes to permit the events.

The proposed change, suggested by the town counsel's office at the recommendation of Directors John FitzPatrick and William Diana, would permit certain organizations to conduct such events for up to seven days during a calendar year.

Representatives from St. Bridget Church and the Knights of Columbus dominated the public hearing discussion on the proposed change. Both have conducted carnivals or bazaar events in the past.

Michael Pohl of 157 Brookfield St. represented the church and said, "Young and old people alike enjoy carnivals." He said that money raised at the events by some local organizations is donated to charities.

Thomas O'Marra of 20 Schaller Road represented the Knights of Columbus.

"We would be able to do more for the community if we could hold a good carnival," he said. Other representatives from the organization mentioned the event in past years has assisted mentally retarded children in the area.

Father William Mack, assistant pastor at St. Bridget, called the church's bazaar and other similar events "inexpensive entertainment for families."

"It is a service to the town," he said. Mary Lucas of 62 Edwards St., a member of the church, said, "We've run our bazaar for four years, and it's been very successful. We'd hate to see it stopped now."

"This isn't a show of any kind. It's a family affair — good clean entertainment," she said.

Town Manager Robert Weiss told the board that he met with some town officials Wednesday on the proposed ordinance change.

The collective judgment was that the Board of Directors might be well advised to look at the reasons why steps were taken to limit these activities," Weiss said. Mayor Stephen Penny asked for a report from Weiss to detail the reasons.

The board's decision against the carnivals originally was approved in 1948.

Members of the Planning and Zoning Commission have objected to any change in the present rules. They apparently feel that such events are not needed in Manchester and some concerns has developed about such events taking place near or in residential zones.

Supporters of the events Wednesday night, however, repeated the fact that these charity events are "good, clean fun."

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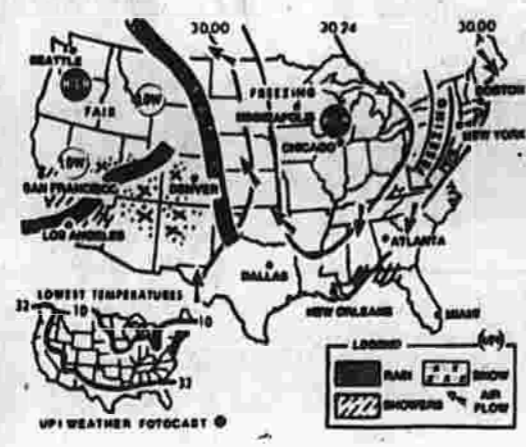
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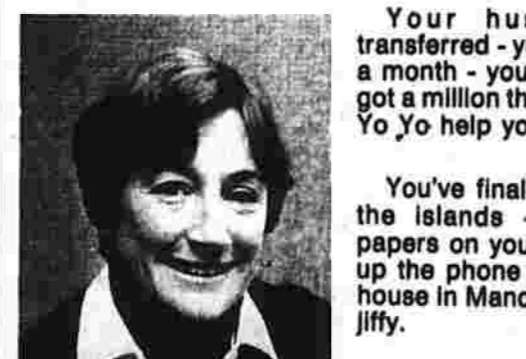
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# Calls to police increase

Coventry Police Chief Robert Kjelquist reported that calls from persons requiring police assistance increased eight percent since last July. "The monthly average of calls has been 635," the chief said.

That period also showed a 21 percent increase in crime with all categories jumping from 199 last year to 253 this year. There were 160 traffic accidents last year, and overall traffic enforcement rose 50 percent. In the last six months, 77 people were injured and two killed on the town's roadways.

Last month the police department acquired a new patrol car. In addition, new moving radar equipment has been received and funded by the federal highway safety act. "It will be utilized in higher-rated accident

locations," Kjelquist added.

Last October the police linked up to a statewide "hotline" radio network. "It provides an intramunicipal and state law enforcement radio communications capability and is used to broadcast and receive messages of an emergency nature," the chief stated.

The report noted that the department provided assistance to other local agencies the past year concerning planning and zoning matters, traffic authority requests, and street lighting and recreation projects.

Police personnel received training in driving, fire arms use, arson investigation, and advanced fingerprint techniques. Kjelquist also informed town manager Frank Connolly that he felt a radio communication system between Coventry and

Columbia should be continued. The system was begun six months ago on a trial basis.

Connolly advised the council to continue the agreement at least one more month, until it has had time to review the project.

Kjelquist reported that since August at least 1,100 locks for Columbia have been performed by Coventry Police dispatch personnel. Payment of \$212 was made by Columbia. "The system operates smoothly without any undue burden upon Coventry Police," the chief said.

## Now you know

Bonfires are derived from English "bone fires" to burn the bodies of victims of the plague.

# Honor roll Show equipment bought

**Bolton**

The following students were named to the honor roll at the Bolton Elementary School for the second quarter:

Heather Hanford, an 8th grader, was named to the A Honor Roll.

Named to the B Honor Roll were the following:

**Grade 8**

William Baker, Heather Briggs, Kimberly Columbia, Dawn Connolly, Charles Ferguson, Cynthia Fletcher, Patricia Frana.

Darcy Grisel, Lynn Halburde, Sean Neath, Christine Rody, Jennifer Ralph, Scott Rich, Jennifer Valentine, Jeffrey Warner.

**Grade 7**

Katherine Cannon, Gregory Fenton, Amy Flano, Leah Flano, Mary Fletcher, Michael Fletcher, Rebekah Gleason.

Jessica Greenwood, Teresa Holbrook, Maureen Holland, Heidi Luck, Katherine Placco, Andrea Ruel, Kate Shorey, Allison Stern, Roberta Toner, Cheryl Ural, Jacqueline Wetman.

**Vernon**

The Vernon Recreation Commission will ask the Town Council to approve use of a trust fund balance to buy equipment for the town's showmobile.

The Emily Swindell Trust Fund currently has a balance of about \$1,000 and the Recreation Commission would like the council to transfer \$500 of this.

The commission would like to use the money to buy 30 folding chairs for the showmobile which was bought last summer with funds from that account.

It would also like to buy special supports to keep the speaker columns secure; lettering for the unit; and to make some changes in the electrical system.

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# Workshop open to area artists

**Vernon**

The Tolland County Art Association has opened its weekly artists' workshop to all area artists, both accomplished and beginners.

The group meets each Tuesday from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the Lottie Fisk Building, Henry Park. The workshop is in its third year of operation. During the sessions artists may work independently, with still life subject matter being shared.

Those attending bring their own lunch, and coffee is provided. Persons may come and go whenever they please during the five-hour period. The workshop will be free during the month of February.

On March 7 a 15-week session will

start with programmed activities for those interested in participating. There will be demonstrations in technique in special areas such as silk screen printing and mat cutting as well as studies in art appreciation with films, slides, and special reports by members. This type of activity starts at 11 a.m. but the workshop will still start at 9 a.m. There will be a charge for the 12-week session workshop.

Art classes will be conducted on Tuesdays from 2 to 4 p.m. with beginning oil and acrylic painting to be taught by Jeanne Pehoviak, starting Feb. 14. Beginning drawing will be taught by Peg Wither, starting April 4. Information about fees and

registration may be obtained at the workshop or by calling Mrs. Pehoviak, Ridge Road, Tolland, or Mrs. Wither, Somers Road, Ellington.

Pictures of the Month to be displayed in February are: an acrylic by Pat Cook, Tolland Library; watercolor by Esther Lagunohi, Peoples Bank, Tri-City; pastel by Carol Gorman, Savings Bank of Tolland; oil by Mildred Lisk, Hall Memorial Library, Ellington; watercolor by Eleanor Cascio, Savings Bank of Rockville; and pastel by Lu Scariato, First Federal Savings, Rockville.

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**Getting back to normal**

Snow blowers were the equipment of the day. Tuesday and Wednesday, and probably will be for the next several days as East Hartford residents try to clear the way for business as usual. Charles Gabalis, a worker at Republic Steel on School Street, East Hartford, is trying to make a dent in the large drifts around the plant. (Herald photo by Dunn)

**East Hartford bulletin board**

**Makeup scheduled**  
Fourth grade students interested in entering St. Rose School in September 1978, who were unable to take the entrance examination last Saturday may take the makeup test Saturday at 10 a.m. There is a \$2 test fee. The exam will be given at St. Rose School on Church Street.

**West Point hopeful**  
Maureen Fitzgerald, of 11 Hickory Drive, East Hartford, is among 10 young people who will compete for one vacancy at West Point Military Academy. Sen. Lowell Weicker has announced.

**Final selections will be made by the academy and the appointment will be announced in the coming months.**

**Farmland rights**  
The Hartford Group of the Sierra Club will sponsor an informal debate on the advisability of the purchasing of farmland development rights by the state.

The meeting will be at the East Hartford Library, 840 Main St., Feb. 15 at 7:30 p.m. The guest speakers will be Dr. Aubrey Birkebach of the University of Hartford and Don Tuttle of the Connecticut Department of Agriculture.

**Fire calls**

Wednesday, 11:25 a.m. — Medical call to 234 Woodcrest Drive.  
Wednesday, 11:41 a.m. — Water leak, 929 Burnside Ave.  
Wednesday, 2:58 p.m. — Medical call to 84 Mill Road.  
Wednesday, 3:55 p.m. — Medical call to police station.  
Wednesday, 9:54 p.m. — Medical call to 106 Landers Road.  
Wednesday, 10:22 p.m. — Medical call to 28 Manor Circle.  
Wednesday, 11:06 p.m. — Medical call to 927 Main St.  
Wednesday, 11:18 p.m. — Accident, Silver Lane and Simmons Road.  
Today, 2:30 a.m. — Accident, 800 Main St.  
Today, 3:10 a.m. — Medical call to 457 Forbes St.  
Today, 4:31 a.m. — Medical call to 57 Woodbridge Ave.  
Today, 5:34 a.m. — Medical call to 21 Garvan St.  
Today, 7:33 a.m. — Medical call to 199 Plains Drive.  
Today, 8:57 a.m. — Investigation, 82 Mitchell Drive.  
Today, 9:57 a.m. — Investigation, 16 Lanham Lane.

**East Hartford police report**

Frank Torres, 24, of 115 Nutmeg Lane, East Hartford, and his wife, Karen Torres, 21, were both charged Wednesday in connection with a domestic disturbance at their home. Police said the arrests stemmed from a complaint they received that Torres was beating his wife. Police said he allegedly had a knife and a gun but used his fists to strike his wife.

Torres was charged with first-degree reckless endangerment, disorderly conduct, third-degree assault, and two counts of possession of a dangerous weapon. Mrs. Torres was charged with breach of the peace.

He was released on a \$1,500 surety bond and she on her promise to appear. Both are scheduled to appear in Common Pleas Court 12, East Hartford, Feb. 27.

# Storm blows whistle on many town events

**By SHEILA TULLER**  
Herald Correspondent

Storm Larry blew the whistle on several high school sporting events scheduled for this week.

In an effort to play catch-up in a season plagued with Tuesday and Friday snows, most teams had postponed games to make up even before light and Larry hit.

The East Hartford High School girls' basketball team, looking for that elusive one more win to make the state tournament, was scheduled to play Conard Tuesday.

The meeting between the Hornets and undefeated CCIL leader Conard has been rescheduled for Saturday, Feb. 11.

The Lady Hornets will play Fermo of Enfield Friday.

Penney High's girls' team, scheduled to meet Hall of West Hartford Tuesday, pushed the game up to this afternoon. With East Hartford schools closed again today, Penney Coach Maureen Rodgers said Wednesday night was now uncertain about the status of this game.

A game for the Penney girls today would mean playing two days in succession, because Windham's on the schedule for Friday afternoon.

"We haven't had practice since last Saturday but I guess all the teams are in the same boat," Miss Rodgers said.

The second Penney-EHHS meeting is on tap Monday, Feb. 13 at Penney's gym. East Hartford won the first game 38-36.

Both boys' basketball teams have met similar interruptions since the basketball and snow seasons started.

The Hornets postponed Tuesday game with Conard will be played next Wednesday between two regularly scheduled games on Tuesday with Windham and Friday with cross-town rival Penney.

The Jan. 17 EHHS-Simsbury game

postponed again last night has not been rescheduled yet.

Penney's Tuesday night game with Hall will be played next Monday night on the Black Knights' court. Tonight's game with Windham, which was originally scheduled for this Friday night, was still on the books last night, when Coach Bernie Dandley discussed his team's schedule.

The Penney-Windham game was moved up a night because Penney's game with Glastonbury, postponed from Jan. 24, is being played this Saturday night. Coach Dandley didn't want his team playing two nights in a row.

The Jan. 17 meet with Simsbury has been rescheduled for this Saturday at EHHS.

Penney gymnastic coach Patty Lawliss could not be reached for comment on her team's schedule changes.

East Hartford's indoor track team has not been affected by the weather this week. If players can make it into Hartford Friday, they're slated to run in the Hartford Invitational at the state armory.

All coaches questioned on the 77-78 season could not remember a schedule altered so many times by Mother Nature.

With only two weeks of regular season play left, all coaches and teams face rigorous schedules to complete all events.

Hornet basketball coach Neil Guerin said, "It's just speculation on my part, but maybe league tournaments will be canceled to allow completion of regular schedules before the state tournaments are slated to start."

The high school wrestlers, runners, swimmers, and gymnasts are also scheduled for postseason championship events and must complete their regular schedules first.

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