

Urban Task Force Urges Hike in Welfare Benefits

HARTFORD (UPI) — Connecticut should raise welfare benefits, create a cabinet-level housing department and expand existing job incentive programs, a special urban task force told Gov. Ella Grasso Friday.



Bolton Gift-Giving

David Curly, left, hands a Christmas present to Ernest Aspinwall, one of the Bolton senior citizens who were entertained at a Christmas program in the Bolton Elementary School Friday afternoon.

Hit-Run Probe Has Futile End

HARTFORD (UPI) — Mrs. Lucille Showalter's effort to find the person responsible for the Christmas Eve hit-run death of her son five years ago apparently came to a futile conclusion Friday.

Chief State's Attorney Austin McGuigan notified Mrs. Showalter he cannot find sufficient evidence to warrant any prosecution for perjury at this time.

Connecticut Weather

WINDSOR LOCKS (UPI) — The National Weather Service forecast for Connecticut is: Saturday fair with highs around 40.

In his racing career, Man o' War won 20 out of 21 starts and broke five track records.

public transportation to school financing. One of the major recommendations of the task force was raising welfare benefits to the 1978 cost of living. Welfare benefits are now pegged to the 1974 cost of living.

The task force recommended the state gradually increase welfare benefits until they catch up with inflation. Mrs. Grasso's tentative budget for the coming fiscal year contains no increase in welfare benefits.

The task force also made the following recommendations: Give grants to colleges that offer courses that promote job training; Place special emphasis on disadvantaged inner-city youngsters in any state educational aid formulas.

Good Tidings in Report On Slow Inflation Hike

WASHINGTON (UPI) — In a touch of good tidings at Christmas time, the government reported Friday the cost of living rose 0.5 percent last month for the slowest inflation increase since midsummer.

Coventry Closing

COVENTRY — The Coventry land-fill area will be closed Christmas Day and New Year's Day and the Tuesday following the two holidays.

BATTERIES FOR Radio-Hearing Aids Games - Flashlights ARTHUR DRUG

Advertisement for DeGemmis featuring a photograph of a family and text about special holiday weekend hours: Saturday 9:30 - 9:00, Sunday 11:00 - 4:00.



Christmas Cookies at Meadows

Jennifer Miller of Lyness Street, Manchester, passes Christmas cookies to Florence Metzner, a patient at the Meadows Convalescent Home on Bidwell Street.

Economists Predict Housing Slump Due

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Eight economists told Congress Friday the nation is headed for a housing slump, and some said it could cost the overall economy 800,000 jobs.

Forum of the Arts

Season subscriptions are now available for the 13th annual Goodspeed Opera House Travelogue Series which begins Jan. 13.

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Dinner Theaters

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Advertisement for UJA theaters featuring a list of movies and showtimes for various locations like Watership Down, Pinocchio, and National Lampoon's Animal House.

That's Entertainment Old School Incredible

By ALLEN M. WIDEM He's 75 years old, he's achieved international stardom, international significance, much of his peer group has either passed on or long ago stepped aside from performing pursuits and yet a seemingly indefatigable Bob Hope hops on and off planes for short treks, long hauls, traveling to big cities, small cities, cracking jokes with an intensity that would create instant career credibility for a man half his age.

It is obvious that he is indeed of The Old School — the component of "show biz" ranks never voluntarily retiring and lives literally for the applause and the applause is sounded — whether it is before a network television studio audience in Los Angeles, or in northeastern Maine, where the Paul Bunyan legend persists and the top Bangor decision-makers gave the ubiquitous Hope a key to the city, hand-carved, stained Pine Tree State pine.

Travelogues at Goodspeed

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At The Bushnell

Ed Lark will narrate his travelogue on Norway Jan. 5, 6 and 7 at the Bushnell Memorial Hall in Hartford.

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British singer-actress Millicent Martin (center, hand on hip) is surrounded by "in-mates" of St. Anne's Asylum in the Broadway musical "King of Hearts." (UPI photo)

Theater World Don't Take It Seriously

By GLENNE CURRIE NEW YORK (UPI) — You can't take William Douglas Home's impudently lit bourgeois English comedy "The Kingfisher" seriously.

Theater Schedule

Table with theater names, showtimes, and titles. Includes shows like 'Supernatural', 'Oliver's Story', 'The Kingfisher', 'The Lord of the Rings', 'Clint Eastwood', 'Invasion of the Body Snatchers', 'Oliver's Story', 'Superman', and 'Moment by Moment'.

Advertisement for The Bing Crosby Christmas Show on WINF 1230, featuring a photograph of Bing Crosby and details about the Sunday, Dec. 24th, 2-4 p.m. broadcast.

Advertisement for a Christmas buffet brunch at a Club Restaurant, featuring a photograph of a buffet table and details about the event on Sunday, Dec. 24th, 11:00-3:00 p.m.

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Andrew Tully

Seasonal Story

WASHINGTON — Now at last, after their long journey from the East, the Three Wise Men had arrived in Bethlehem to pay homage to the Babe of Peace. They had followed the Great Star, and it had led them to the little stable near the inn. The Star had gone before him until it stood over where the young Child lay.

Wellington Long
A British View of America

NEW YORK (UPI) — Two burly policemen wearing broad leather belts supporting huge magnum pistols in fast draw holsters stood at the steps of the aircraft as we alighted. With the last passenger out, the policemen began to mount the steps, apparently to lead a search for contraband, or bombs. Halfway up, the cop in the lead stopped, braced himself with a hand on either rail, and blew his gum in a huge bubble that obscured most of his face.



Angle and Walters
Police Brutality Seen as Problem

WASHINGTON (NEA) — They were easy to overlook, these four short press releases in the daily wind of handouts from the Justice Department. Easy to file and forget, until the chilling impact of their cumulative effect finally registered.

Don Graff
German Investors Boost Dollar

Somebody out there still has faith in the U.S. dollar. In 1978, the National Broadcasting Company established a permanent coast-to-coast hookup. In 1948, ex-Premier Tojo of Japan and six other Japanese war leaders were hanged in Tokyo by the Allied War Crimes Commission.

Memorial Tree Program Planned at Three Sites

MANCHESTER — Dr. Douglas H. Smith, chairman of the Greater Manchester Chamber of Commerce Memorial Tree Program has announced the plans for the fall planting located at Charter Oak Field, Union Pond and St. James Church. The trees are planted upon the wishes of several donors in memory of a deceased family member or friend.

Habits Due to Age, Sex

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Age and gender have a lot to do with food preferences and eating habits, according to studies by U.S. Department of Agriculture economist Corinne LeBovit. Women eat less beef, pork, bread and milk as they grow older but more fruit and cereals.

Exchange Program Has Many Classes

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (UPI) — College students are discovering the best of many academic worlds in the Kansas City area. At least 160 students are participating in an exchange program that offers more than 10,000 courses and 200 different learning programs on 23 college and university campuses.

Wine Shipments Increase

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) — Shipments of California wine to market for the first three quarters of 1978 totaled 212.3 million gallons, an increase of 4.5 percent over the same period last year. John De Luca, president of Wine Institute, says the largest single category increase was in table wine.

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Customer Mood

STAMFORD (UPI) — To help repairmen deal with irate customers, Pitney-Bowes Inc. is sending them through the paces of transactional analysis. So far, some 3,000 service representatives have attended a company workshop to learn how to recognize customer moods and how to react to them.

Voight Contract

HOLLYWOOD (UPI) — Jon Voight, who recently completed a starring role in a re-make of "The Champ," signed a two-picture contract with Orion Pictures to be produced by his own company, Production. First of the two films will be "The Shore," based on an original story idea by Voight with a screenplay by Dory Previn.

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Thoughts

This year, the first day of Hanukkah falls on Dec. 25. It may be only coincidence, but it makes us pause for thought. Though the origins of the celebrations are worlds apart, there is an interesting parallel to be made. Hanukkah marks the celebration of the Feast of Lights. It commemorates the first recorded battle for religious liberty and the rededication of the ancient temple.

Almanac

By United Press International
Today is Saturday, Dec. 23, the 357th day of 1978 with eight to follow. The moon is between its last quarter and new phase. The morning stars are Venus, Saturn, Jupiter and Mercury. The evening star is Mars.

Yesterdays

25 Years Ago
Town seeks to reduce cost of Keeney Street School or find more money. Nine-year-old boy admits sounding false alarms in the Green Manor area.

Quote/Unquote

"These guys are supposed to be in here for padding, and they're looking for Cadillac treatment." Sheriff Art Thomas, after prisoners in the Kings County, Calif. jail staged a one-day hunger strike to demand Mexican food, donuts, TV privileges and sex magazines.



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Red Cross Appealing For Blood

MANCHESTER — "Give a Gift of Life Itself" is the message being expressed by the Manchester Area Conference of Churches and the Army and Navy Club who are co-sponsoring the visit of the Red Cross Bloodmobile Wednesday from 12:30 to 6 p.m. at the Army and Navy Club on Main Street.

Representatives of both organizations are urging all Manchester residents to give one more gift this year — blood, the gift of life.

The Bloodmobile is being kept open to 8 p.m., one half hour longer than usual in the hope that some people who have been unable to meet the 5:30 p.m. deadline will be donors, Joseph L. Swensen, chairman of the Manchester Red Cross Blood Program, said.

"There is still a serious shortage of blood and the holiday period is always a time of very high usage and low collections. We need the help of the people of Manchester to support this program and see that blood is available for those who unfortunately must be in hospitals this holiday time."

Appointments to visit the Bloodmobile Wednesday may be made by calling the Manchester Red Cross office, 643-5111.

The American Red Cross is hoping that full blood containers, such as that held by Linda Brewster, a laboratory technician at Manchester Memorial Hospital, will fill the blood banks at various hospitals throughout the state during this holiday season. (Herald photo by Pinto)

Warrants To Be Sought In Andover Tree Theft

ANDOVER — Trooper Santo Franzo of Colchester Troop K State Police, said the investigation is still continuing into an Andover incident involving the alleged theft of some trees from the property of Robert Post on Route 6.

Trooper Franzo said he is going to apply for arrest warrants for two men who were allegedly involved in the incident.

Post, the owner-operator of Burnap Brook Farm, said last week that while checking the area where he had planted trees about 20 years ago, he noticed that about 18 of the trees were missing. He said they had been cut about three feet off the ground.

Last Saturday Post decided he would camp out in the area and keep watch on the trees. He said as he was setting up he noticed "two guys lagging a tree out."

Post said he fired a shot into the air, the men came out and he marched them to the nearest neighbor and asked the neighbor to call the police.

Trooper Franzo said that Post didn't want to file a complaint that night because he was told that the two men might file a counter complaint against him.

Meetings Next Week

Here's next week's schedule of public meetings in Manchester (locations are in Municipal Building, 41 Center St., unless noted):
Tuesday 7:30 p.m. — Planning and Zoning Commission, Lincoln Center Conference Room.
Thursday 6:30 p.m. — Judge's Hours, Probate Court.

Carol Sing

BOLTON — The Mission Council of St. George's Episcopal Church, Route 44A, Bolton, will sponsor a community Christmas carol sing-along Wednesday at 8 p.m. at St. George's. Everyone is invited and coffee will be served after the sing.

Manchester Public Records

Warranty deeds
Ralph W. Hunter and Kathleen D. Hunter to Richard R. Riordan and Jean D. Riordan, property at 136 Woodbridge St., \$29,900.
Anna B. Hansauer to Robert Newth, Joyce N. Hood and Jean L. Strimike, property at 116 Wells St., \$47,500.
Joseph Simao Jr. and Valerie A. Simao to Leo R. LaRoque and Simone C. LaRoque, property at 38 Hyde St., \$43,000.
Atoinette Ponticelli to Irene R. Fisch, property on Congress Street, \$49,500 conveyance tax.
Industrial Park Corp. to MIP 15 Corp., property on Progress Drive, no conveyance tax.
Germain Marois and Sylviane Marois to Stanley E. Bajek and Diane L. Bajek, both of East Hartford, property at 173 School St., \$42,500.
Arthur L. Turkington to Richard P. Hayes, property at 21-23 Pioneer Circle, \$34,000.
Executor's deed
Estate of Elsa Z. Brander to Donald J. Sullivan, property at 30 Barry Road, \$44,500.
Fiduciary's deed
Estate of Melva L. Dandurand to Edmond J. Parent and Mary Ann Parent, property on Hilliard Street, \$48,900.
Quitclaim deeds
Louis J. Marquis and Mary C. Marquis to Raymond A. Perkins and Marguerite M. Perkins, property on Spring Street, no conveyance tax.
Thomas G. Davenport Jr., Vernon, to Linda E. Davenport, property at 57 Bretton Road, no conveyance tax.
Certificate of attachment
KBW Storage Co. against Real Pyramid Inc., \$200,000, property on Pleasant Street.
New trade name
Gary W. Lull, 30 Oak St., doing business as Gull Pool Co., P.O. Box 731.

Citizen Complains Again About Green Rd. Traffic

MANCHESTER — A Green Road resident repeated his concern about traffic flow at the intersection of Green Road and Parker and Woodbridge streets at Thursday's common session.
The resident has made the complaint before at the twice-month sessions, which are attended by a member of the Town Board of Directors.
The man said he feels traffic flow through the area is not good. A sign at Parker Street should be reversed and he would like a blind driveway sign put up near his residence.
Director William Diana presided at Thursday night's session.

Child's Organs Donated

HARTFORD (UPI) — Parents of the five-year-old Hartford kindergarten student who died after being hit by a car on his way home from school say they have donated the child's organs to transplant banks.
Leo Scott PeCord died Wednesday night at Hartford Hospital, one day after he bolted in front of a car driven by a city school administrator.
The victim's parents, Lee and Lynnette PeCord, Thursday said they decided to donate the child's eyes and kidneys for transplant purposes once doctors told him his brain had stopped functioning.
"It will be a miserable Christmas for us, but perhaps we can make it happy for someone else," Mrs. PeCord said.
"I hope part of him will live in someone else and give another kid a shot at life my son never had," the father said.



Exclusive Rentals

Egidio Romano of Des Moines, Iowa, is a haberdasher to a very exclusive clientele. He and his wife, Faye, rent Santa suits during the Christmas season from their home. Amateur Santas have been outfitted by the Romanos since 1950. (UPI photo)

Inflation Hikes Sales Tax Take

CHICAGO (UPI) — Inflation is hiking the state sales tax take, says the Commerce Clearing House.
Although 19 states have maintained a constant rate of sales tax during the past decade, inflation has greatly increased the amount of revenue from this source. Revenue collected from general sales and gross receipts taxes rose 13 percent from fiscal 1976 to fiscal 1977 and 10.3 percent from fiscal 1975 to fiscal 1976, according to the CCH report of the latest Census Bureau data.
The 19 states holding the sales tax rate line during the period were: Alabama, Arkansas, Colorado, Florida, Georgia, Hawaii, Idaho, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Michigan, Nevada, North Carolina, Ohio, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, Virginia, West Virginia and Wyoming.

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Saint James Schedule of Christmas Masses
Christmas Vigil: Sunday, Dec. 24th: 5:00 and 7:30 PM, and Midnight Mass (upstairs only) (The Midnight Mass will be preceded by a Concert by our Choir, beginning at 11:30 PM)
Monday, Dec. 25th: 7:30, 9:30, 10:30 AM and 12 Noon. THERE WILL BE NO 5:00 PM MASS ON CHRISTMAS DAY AFTERNOON.
Feast of the Holy Family - Sunday, Dec. 31st. (Please come to church with the whole family together for the family blessing!)
Saturday: 5:00 and 7:30 PM.
Sunday: 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 AM and 12 Noon. (The 12:00 Noon Mass will be the last scheduled Mass for the Feast of the Holy Family. The Masses Sunday Afternoon will be for New Year's Day and the Solemnity of Mary, the Mother of God.)
Solemnity of Mary, the Mother of God - New Year's Day, Jan. 1st.
Sunday: 5:00 and 7:30 PM.
Monday: 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 AM and 12 Noon. There will be no 5:00 PM Mass Monday, New Year's Day.
PLEASE SAVE THIS INSERT TO AVOID NEEDLESS CALLS TO THE RECTORY. THANK YOU.

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Suits for Both Sexes

Egidio and Faye Romano model men's and women's Santa Claus suits from their stock, putting on some final adjustments after suiting up for the holidays. What began as a sideline to pick up some extra Christmas cash turned into a fun project for the Romanos, who are now retired. "It's a nice way to meet people," says Mrs. Romano. "There are a lot of people looking for Santa." (UPI photos)

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Electronic Medicine

"This is a good-looking artery as there are no stroke killing plugs here," said Dr. Maurice Bluestein of Bio-Dynamics as he examines carotid artery of Suzanne Piche with a new Bio-Sound unit at Radiological Society of America's show in Chicago.

new mobile ultrasound scanner unit with a hand held probe produces on a viewing screen, images of carotid, breast, testicle, thyroid and other superficial tissues as tiny as one one hundredth of an inch. (UPI photo)

Painting Needs Good Brush

PITTSBURGH (UPI) — There is no such thing as a good paint job with a bad brush or applicator, says Jack Island, a paint applicator marketing manager.

Island says a poorly selected or maintained painting tool causes poor spreading, and uneven coating action transmits streaks, marks and stains to the paint.

An applicator should be matched to both the type of paint and the surface to be covered, Island says. In choosing a tool, he advises:

• Look for brushes with thick bristles that taper gradually to the tip to keep their shape under pressure, that are flexible enough to bend easily without spreading and have thin tips for better paint pickup and holding power.

• Rollers should have a cage-type frame for better tension control and easier cleaning. Handgrips should be comfortable, with all parts made of solvent-resistant material.

• Paint gliders and other special flat applicators should have removable pads for easy cleaning and quick color changing. Use a glider with a trim guide in tight spots and along edges. Extension handles should be lightweight and lock firmly and easily into St. Bernard's Sets Masses

VERNON — The Christmas mass schedule for St. Bernard's Church will include vigil masses Saturday at 5 and 7 p.m. and masses Sunday at 7, 8:30, 10 and 11:30 a.m. There will be a Sacrament of Penance Saturday at 2:30 to 4 p.m. and 7:45 to 8 p.m.

There will be a Children's Liturgy at 5 p.m. on Sunday and also a midnight mass. On Monday, Christmas Day, masses will be celebrated at 8:30, 10, and 11:30 a.m.

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Site Panel to Consider Guidelines for Station

VERNON — It is expected that the town's Permanent Building Committee will take into consideration guidelines set by the National Board of Fire Underwriters when it starts its work on selecting a site for a proposed new firehouse for the town.

The Fire Study Committee has recommended, and the Town Council has agreed, that the site should be located south of Interstate 86 in the Lake Street and Tunnel Road area.

The National Board of Fire Underwriters terms fire stations a major capital improvement to be used for many years and "their locations should be selected with care so as to result in the best fire protection possible, considering both life hazard and value of buildings and contents."

The Lake Street area has experienced considerable growth over the past few years and water is not easily obtainable in the area which is relatively isolated from the rest of the town because of the highway.

The proposed new station will replace the antiquated Company 2 station on Route 30 in the Dobson Road area. The underwriters caution that many points should be considered when choosing the location for the fire station and that the type of area to be protected should also be considered.

Sufficient stations should be provided so that no point in a high value district will be more than one mile travel distance from an engine company or 1 and one-quarter miles travel distance from a ladder company with these distances to be reduced according to fire flow.

In areas such as the Lake Street area, divided from the rest of the town by the man-made barrier (the highway), care must be taken by companies to respond from one portion to another, requires additional stations to provide proper protection, the underwriters say.

The Lake Street-Tunnel Road area is hilly but the underwriters advise against putting a station on the side of a hill or at the bottom of one when many responses must be made up grade.

The underwriters said a site at an intersection is good and advises that stations should be set well back from the curb line, especially where the street is narrow, and that the lot should be of ample size to provide adequate parking facilities for the firemen and adequate space for holding company drills.

George Russell, Vernon's town planner, has suggested that the ideal location would be one of two vacant lots at the intersection of Tunnel Road and Rollingview Drive.

The lots are surrounded by a subdivision of homes in the \$85,000 bracket. Town council members said there might be some opposition to that area from prospective homeowners.

Mayor Frank McCoy also mentioned another area at the end of a dead-end street in the Lake Street area but some officials felt this might cause problems for the fire equipment.

Rham Plan Gets Award

HEBRON — Regional School District 8 has won an "Award of Excellence for Educational Communications" in a contest conducted among Connecticut school districts, sponsored by the Connecticut Association of Boards of Education.

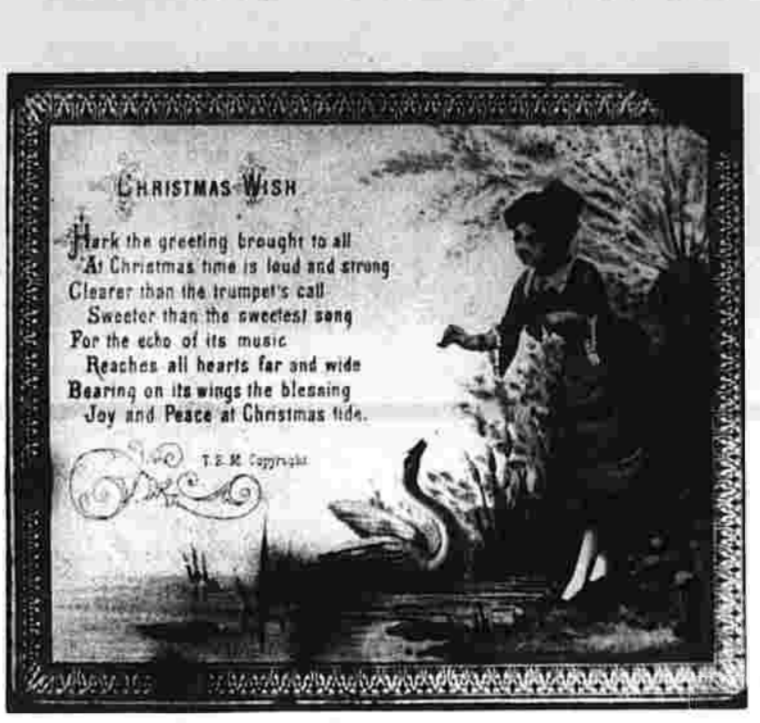
The award was given for the district's "Six-Year Plan" which was prepared for the regional board by David Cattanch, superintendent of schools.

The awards were based on the entry's overall effectiveness as a communications vehicle.

Collectors' Corner

Christmas Cards Were Different

By **RUSS MacKENDRICK**



This lissome creature, feeding a swan, is typical of the Christmas card art work of the 1800s. This was before Santa Claus, bells, holly, trees and reindeer had taken over in force.

The pictorials were not specialized — as long as there were ruffles and bows, or a heart with doves, a flower-basket or garlanded lovebirds you were in business.

Another card, embossed with pink apple-blossoms, says: "Dear Christmas-tide promise blest, 'Thou com'st like children, birds and flowers, 'To wake hope within the breast, 'And change to light the darkest hours."

Some of the cards were made reversible. One at hand has a lily pictured on one side: "May your Christmas be happy one!" On the other there is a pink rose: "A joyful Christmas to you!"

These were not necessarily meant for mailing. One writer mentions that they were often hand-carried and used as a kind of calling card.

The first American Christmas card was put out in 1874 by Louis Prang, who had a lithographing establishment in Roxbury, Massachusetts. He was foremost with a good color printing process. The little Miss Frostrou shown here has red shoes and ribbons, a gray dress, white stockings and a lovely complexion. The swan is kind

of greenish to match the vegetation and water. Another type of Christmas collectible can be found in Scott's Specialized Stamp Catalogue just after the Telegraph issues. The idea of Christmas Seals for charity first sprouted in Denmark in 1904. It was taken up in this country in 1907 by the Delaware Chapter of the American

Red Cross. There were two design types — one said "Merry Christmas" only and the other added "A Happy New Year." They are listed at 11 and 10 dollars. The 1908 is somewhat scarcer at \$20. It carries the inscription taken up in this country in 1907 by the Delaware Chapter of the American

Red Cross but sold by the national TB associations through 1919. That was the first year for the familiar doublebarred emblem and the last year that the Red Cross appeared on the design. The seals are now issued by the American Lung Association.

This year's productions are lively and refreshing. They are entitled "Christmas Seal Greetings from the Children of America." All artwork was presumably created by kids in the 50 states plus Washington, D.C., Guam, Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands.

Of course, any dedicated Christmas collector will need the series of U.S. postage stamps that began in 1962 with the wreath-and-candles motif. There have been all manner of designs since then, to make a total of 32 pictures, plus some further complications of experimental precancel stamps in 1974.

The Christmas theme is worldwide in stampdom. Some examples for this year: England, with four musical groups; Canada with 3 Madonnas; Sweden showing old toys (doll, tops, horsie and teddy bear); Liechtenstein with stained glass windows from a church; Gibraltar with Durer paintings; and others from Ireland, Austria, Australia, Malta, East Germany, Cyprus and Dominica.

Another greeting: To all my readers, every one (if any) — a very Merry Christmas.

Very young children should have their teeth brushed and flossed by an adult, and should be supervised when they start doing it themselves. They may be 8 to 10 years old before they can handle the job well, the Johnson & Johnson researchers said.

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Eagles Blow Lead, Northwest Victors

By GARY GRABOWSKI
Correspondent

For three quarters last night, East Catholic High looked as if it was going to knock a taller Northwest squad from the unbeaten ranks. For three quarters, the Eagles played an intense game of basketball which paid off where it counts most — on the scoreboard.

But in the end, the visiting Indians from Northwest used their height advantage to post a come-from-behind 52-46 win over the host East Catholic.

Northwest was able to win from the foul line where it converted 16 free throws while the Eagles scored only two points from the charity stripe in three tries.

The Indians erased a three-point third quarter deficit, 37-34 and outscored their opponents 18-9 in the final chapter for the win.

Indian Norman Bailey was the big gun scoring 16 points pulling down a dozen rebounds.

"We wanted to get the ball inside to him," said Northwest Coach Charlie Larson. "Bailey has been hitting 70 percent of his shots. We hadn't been getting the ball inside to him enough."

But I'm happy with the win. East Catholic coach Jim Penders agreed with Larson's analysis saying that the Indians' height advantage was a factor.

"We don't really have a big man. That's why we used a zone," Penders said. "Penders, though, had no qualms about his team's performance. He said the difference was at the free throw line."

"They connected from the line. That was it. I'm not upset with our performance. Our kids played their hearts out. I'm proud of the team," Penders said.

East owned a lead after each of the first two quarters. They led 16-13 after the first quarter and 25-25 at the half.

Mark Murphy was the big gun for the Eagles. He scored 15 points. The handsome director added that Pete Kiro added 13 for the losers.

The Indians were led by Bailey's 16. Troy Tyeley added 15 while Ulysses Garza jumped in with 11.

East took some satisfaction as its Jayvee squad scored a 79-44 victory.

Conard Girls Beat Indians

(Herald photo by Stempfer)

Superior height was the main factor last night as undefeated Conard High's girls' basketball team made Manchester High its sixth straight victim by a score of 58-33.

The winners jumped off to a commanding 24-6 margin in the first period and held a 40-18 edge at intermission. After three quarters, the host school enjoyed a 55-21 advantage.

Kathy Cermola's 19 points, which included eight baskets, led Conard's attack with Cathy D'Apice tossing in 11 points for runner-up offensive honors.

Best in defeat for Manchester with nine points was Lynne Wright. Cindy Mills added eight points and Mary Newell six. The locals' record stands at 5-3.

Twenty-four turnovers hurt the Indians cause.

Down by nine points with 1:45 remaining, the local Jayvees nearly pulled the first game out of the fire, losing by one point, 33-32.

Louis Hughes paced 12 points for Manchester which has a 3-5 win-loss record.



Northwest (52) defeated East Catholic (46) in a basketball game last night. Bailey (24) reaches for the heavens for rebound in action last night against Northwest Catholic at Eagles' Nest. (Herald photo by Stempfer)

Conard (58) defeated Manchester (33) in a basketball game last night. Cermola (19) leads the attack for Conard. (Herald photo by Stempfer)

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Indians Scrap, Claw But Conard Prevails

By LEN AUSTER
Herald Sportswriter

While no coach is happy at losing, Manchester High Basketball Coach Doug Pearson had to be encouraged seeing his cagers scrap and claw before succumbing 60-44, to CCIL foe Conard High last night before a meager audience at Clarke Arena.

The triumph keeps the West Hartford-based Chieftains in the undefeated ranks at 4-0 while the Silk Towners drop to 1-3. Next action for Manchester is Wednesday against cross-town East Catholic at the Eagles' Nest at 8 o'clock.

"We hustled, we worked hard. With the exception of two three-minute spans, I think we played them pretty even," voiced an encouraged Pearson. "Conard showed it has a good team and we battled them hard."

Conard had a slim 11-9 lead with three minutes remaining in the first quarter when it ripped off 8 un-

answered points. Manchester, in contrast, turned the ball over twice and missed five floor shots, winding up 3-for-17 in the stanza.

The Indians rallied in the second session behind Ron Apter's 10 points to narrow the gap to 22-25 at the intermission. But the Chieftains outscored the locals, 12-4, in the first five minutes of the second half to stretch the margin to 44-29.

Manchester tallied the opening points of the final canto to close the game to 9 points, 46-37, but Conard sprited, extending its lead down the stretch from the charity stripe as the desperate Indians were forced into a fouling situation.

"We played hard, we played pretty well. I'm not disappointed," Pearson stated.

If anything, Manchester's shooting from the field again was its downfall. The Indians were a poor 16-for-60 from the floor while the Chieftains were 24-for-46. Conard turned the ball over 26 times against 18 turnovers for Manchester.

Backcourt standout Scott Morron paced the Chieftains with 16 points followed by senior forward AJ Jones, who pumped in 12 markers before fouling out late in the fourth quarter. Two Chieftains and one Indian exited with five fouls in the physically demanding contest.

Apter, coming off the bench, paced Manchester with 16 points, 12 in the first half. John Haslett added 10 markers for the locals. Six-foot-6 Peter Ginnours, while scoring only 8 points for Conard, dominated the backboards with 19 rebounds along with swatting away several Tribe shots from in close.

Conard also took the Jayvee contest, 66-58. Pat Silver (15), Jim Florence (12) and Jamie Gallagher (12) paced the young Indians, now 2-2.

Sandstrom (20), A. Jones (5), J. 23, 12, Ginnours (25), Arel (20), Morron (47), Varum (0-0), Dabiel (24), M. Jones (12), Urban (10), Mattison (10), Murphy (0-0). Totals 24-23-40.

Manchester (44): Haslett (14), Sandstrom (12), Anderson (0-0), Adams (2-2), Apter (5-8), Reiser (2-2), Cohen (0-2), Lovell (2-3), Remson (0-0). Totals 16-12-18-44.

Portland (60): Manning (31), Anderson (2-8), Manning (3-7), Gublee (4-10), McClain (9-11), Brochu (2-4), Turner (1-4), Fitzgerald (3-6), Steele (0-0). Totals 24-24-40.

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Cheney Tech's Dave Gustamachio (32) and Portland High's Tom Manning (22) reach up high for ball in action last night at Tech gym. (Herald photo by Stempfer)

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ST. LOUIS (UPI) — A federal judge today ordered two New York men to undergo psychiatric evaluation before they are sentenced to prison for swindling a businessman of \$1 million. The judge ordered the two men to undergo psychiatric evaluation before they are sentenced to prison for swindling a businessman of \$1 million. The judge ordered the two men to undergo psychiatric evaluation before they are sentenced to prison for swindling a businessman of \$1 million.

Food, Clothing Aid Prices

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Led by improvements in food, housing and clothing, consumer prices in November rose at the slowest rate since mid-summer — 0.5 percent — and gave shoppers unexpected good news in the fight against inflation, the government said today. The November increase translates into an annual inflation rate of slightly more than 6 percent, a sharp drop from the near 10 percent level of the first 10 months of this year.

Advertisement for Harrison's Christmas Greetings. It features a drawing of a woman and a child, and text that says 'Season's Greetings', 'Peace In our hearts, In our world, In our time...', and 'HARRISON'S MANCHESTER, CONNECTICUT'. It also includes contact information for PERO 'THE KING OF PRODUCE'.

Additional Stock To Be Sold To Finance Nuke Plant

MANCHESTER, N.H. (UPI) — Two million shares of stock in the Public Service Co. of New Hampshire will be offered for sale in the near future to help pay for the \$2.1 billion Seabrook nuclear power plant. PSC spokesman Gordon McKenny said Thursday the sale guarantees that construction of the twin unit generating station will continue through January.

Oil Costs Predicted

PARIS (UPI) — The 14.5 percent increase in oil prices will cost non-Communist industrialized nations an extra \$19 billion, but their economies are certain to absorb the shock, the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development said today. In a report on economic prospects for the 24 OECD member nations next year, the organization said the expected slowdown of U.S. economic growth will be accompanied by a drop in West German and Japanese trade surpluses.

Merger Signed

STAMFORD (UPI) — Dictaphone Corp. officials say a merger agreement has been reached allowing Pinyon Bowes Corp. to proceed with its \$210 million takeover of the Rye, N.Y., dictating machine manufacturer. Dictaphone shares traded on the New York Stock Exchange Thursday for the first time since last week when the firm's board of directors announced approval of the deal.

Christmas: A symbol...

Here we are, shackled by the old political bondages, national sovereignty — in a world where the old ideas of patriotism and sovereignty are completely outmoded and outdated. We are in a world of economic stability, restrictions, chains binding our feet and minds. We are in a world that is completely out of touch with the world we live in. We are in a world that is completely out of touch with the world we live in.

Asbestos Closes School

OAK BLUFFS, Mass. — Classes have been suspended indefinitely at the Martha's Vineyard Regional High School in this island town off the coast of Massachusetts because of the potential dangers of asbestos. A spokesman for the Martha's Vineyard Regional School Department Friday said the school — with a student population of 500 — may be closed for the next two months while the situation is cleared up.

Advertisement for Yuletide Wishes. It features a drawing of a woman and a child, and text that says 'Yuletide Wishes', 'Hoping your Christmas will be merry', 'Your holidays bright and gay, And all the good old fashioned joys Cross your hearth and stay.', and 'Heartfelt thanks for your valued friendship.' It also includes contact information for Myles Travel.

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Advertisement for Mari-Mad's youth specialty shop. It features a drawing of a woman and a child, and text that says 'Merry Christmas & Happy New Year From Capitol Tire', 'Merry Christmas & Happy New Year From Capitol Tire', and 'Merry Christmas & Happy New Year From Capitol Tire'.

Advertisement for Emanuel Lutheran Church. It features a drawing of a woman and a child, and text that says 'EMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH MEMBERS extend holiday greetings to all and cordially invite you to join us in celebration worship this Christmas.', 'SUNDAY, DECEMBER 24th', and '10:30 A.M. Holy Communion 8:00 A.M. Family Service followed by a Carol Sing'.

Advertisement for Christmas Eve Worship. It features a drawing of a woman and a child, and text that says 'CHRISTMAS EVE WORSHIP 11:00 P.M. Musical Prelude 11:30 P.M. Festive Candle-light Worship', 'Emanuel Lutheran Church, 60 Church St. Manchester, Conn.', and 'Pastors: Ron Fournier, Dale Gustafson Music Director: Melvin Lumpkin'.

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Annual Songfest

Several hundred parents and students attended the annual student sing by Pintero and students at the Robertson School.

Inflation Eases Burden On Rural Postmaster

BETHLEHEM, N.H. (UPI) — Inflation may be giving everyone else headaches, but it has proven to be a Christmas blessing for the postmaster in the little town of Bethlehem. Last year, a record 20,000 cards from around the world arrived in Bethlehem, all begging for the hamlet's special Christmas stamp. Postmaster Hilton Newell and his two assistants must hand-cancel the stamp on every envelope. A weary-armed Newell worried he wouldn't have time for anything else. But this year, the number has dropped a bit.

Play Cast Selected

VERNON — The Rockville High School Drama Club has announced the cast for its winter production of "Up the Down Staircase." The tentative dates for the production are Feb. 22 and 24 in the school auditorium. Tracy Newirth will play the part of Sylvia Barrett, a teacher fresh out of college and going to teach in a crowded New York City high school. Working with her will be fellow English teachers played by Mike Brady and Cindy Bryant. John Boyle will play the part of the formidable administrative assistant. Doug Dagan will play the part of Joe Ferone. Miss Barrett's greatest teaching challenge.

Vernon Mayor Looks Back

By BARBARA RICHMOND Herald Reporter
VERNON — The two best things that happened in Vernon in 1978, as far as the town and Mayor Frank McCoy are concerned, was the receipt of a \$600,000 Small Cities Grant and the fact that as a result of the grant, the mayor was able to keep the tax rate to just a 1.5 mill increase. The mayor said it's not that he'd say that it was the goal of his (Republican) administration to put funds into areas to relieve the tax burden on the townspeople. He said if it wasn't for the grant which was used to work on projects that had to be done, tax money would have had to be used for this purpose and the tax rate would have had to be increased. He said the \$600,000 grant Vernon received was the largest of its kind in the state. On the other hand, the mayor said the worst thing that has happened in the town is the continuing prevalence of crime. He said he was concerned about this when he took office again last year and he is getting more concerned. He cited the two fires that occurred in the early morning hours of this past week, both termed of suspicious origin, one in a vacant house and one that gutted a room of the Tolland County Court House. The mayor said the only thing that saved the court house from total destruction was the fact that it had well-constructed fire walls. The house was extensively damaged. There have been many other fires of suspicious origin over the year also. The mayor also expressed concern about the extensive amount of total vandalism with houses and businesses being ransacked, property ruined and articles taken. He termed the situation "very serious" and said, "We have to take steps to bring the culprits to court and get them out of the social traffic." He said he doesn't blame the people in the Rockville area for being fearful because of the fires.

Community Calendars

Andover
Monday All town offices closed.
Tuesday School Building Commission, 7:30 p.m., Andover Elementary School.
Bolton
Monday All town offices closed.
Wednesday Public Safety Complex Study Committee, 7:30 p.m., Firehouse.
Conservation Commission, 7:30 p.m., Herrick Memorial Park.
Coventry
Monday Town Hall offices, and sanitary landfill area closed.
Wednesday Cemetery Commission, 7:30 p.m., Town Hall.
Lion's Club, 8 p.m., UConn Alumni Center.
Rotary Club, 7 p.m., Grange Hall.
Young People's AA, 8 p.m., St. Mary's Church.
Board of Welfare, 7:30-8:30 p.m., Town Hall.
Thursday Board of Education, 7 p.m., Coventry High School.
Glastonbury
Today Candlelight Procession
Library of Congress
Established for Congress in 1800, the Library of Congress in Washington, D.C., has extended its service over the years to other government agencies, to other libraries, and to the general public. It now serves as the national library.



Mee-kay and Mee-nee Mouse Capture Paris

PARIS (UPI) — The eyes of building contractor Jean-Marc Moret brightened as he wrote a check for 6000 francs (about \$1,500) for a 1929 velvet Mickey Mouse, his yellow mittens frayed, his grinning white face dingy. "I really love the United States, and Mee-kay represents that, and I have a 15-year-old daughter who will get this as a Christmas present," Moret said. Moret and some 400 other admirers of "Mee-kay" and "Mee-nee Mouse" were gathered at the Printemps department store (on Thursday Dec. 14) for what was billed as the first auction in Europe — or possibly the world — of Mickey Mouse memorabilia. It was organized in the store restaurant to commemorate the Mickey's 50th "birthday." The first Mickey Mouse cartoon by Walt Disney appeared on the screen in the Colony theater in New York on Nov. 18, 1928. Moret's Christmas purchase marked the highest bid for one of the 300-plus toys and other objects made from 1929 to 1977 all over the world, from Peking to Paris, indicating the universality of the little mouse. He termed the situation "very serious" and said, "We have to take steps to bring the culprits to court and get them out of the social traffic." He said he doesn't blame the people in the Rockville area for being fearful because of the fires.

Dozens of items from Disney World in Florida circa 1976 could have been auctioned for more than they cost new two years ago. Moret's velvet Mickey was said by the catalogue to have belonged to Disney's children. A pencil holder of porcelain was billed as having graced Disney's desk in Los Angeles in 1938 and sold for \$175. Most members of the audience were men and women under 35. Many said they were collectors and arrived wearing Mickey T-shirts and belts sweaters, neckties and belts purchased from Printemps' new Mickey boutique, opened on the anniversary. Pretty publicist Caroline Heylert, 28, in a Mickey T-shirt, eagerly bid on dozens of items and wound up buying \$1,250 worth, from a large metal belt buckle to a Mickey American watch. Clutching a framed Mickey tapestry she bought for \$175, Mrs. Heylert said, "I have a 4-year-old son but none of this is for him. It's for me. I collect." Why? "For the love of Mee-kay," she said simply. Collector Pierre Tchernia watched while the final item, a telephone in Mickey's shape, went for \$275, and mused why the rodent is so popular. "Mee-kay keeps his age forever, the eternal pal, always young. This exhibition bears witness to the fabulous vitality of Mee-kay and Mee-nee."

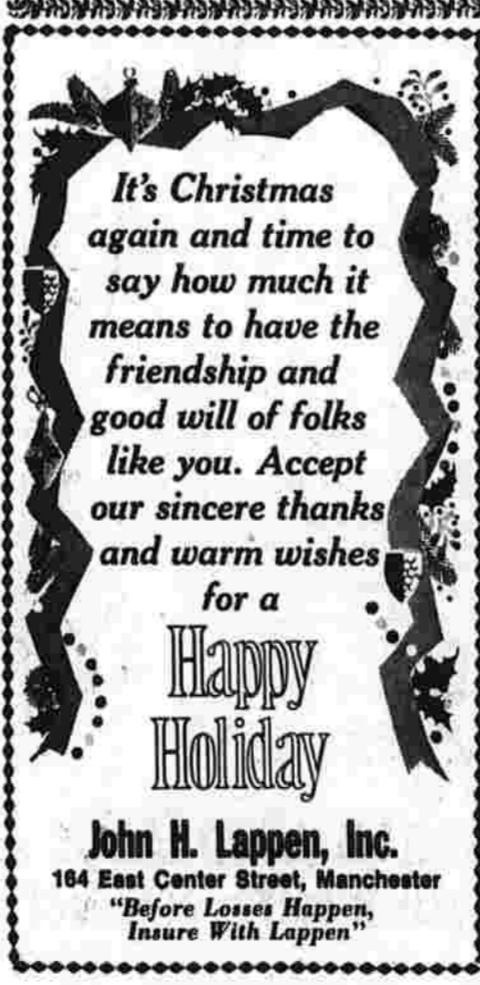
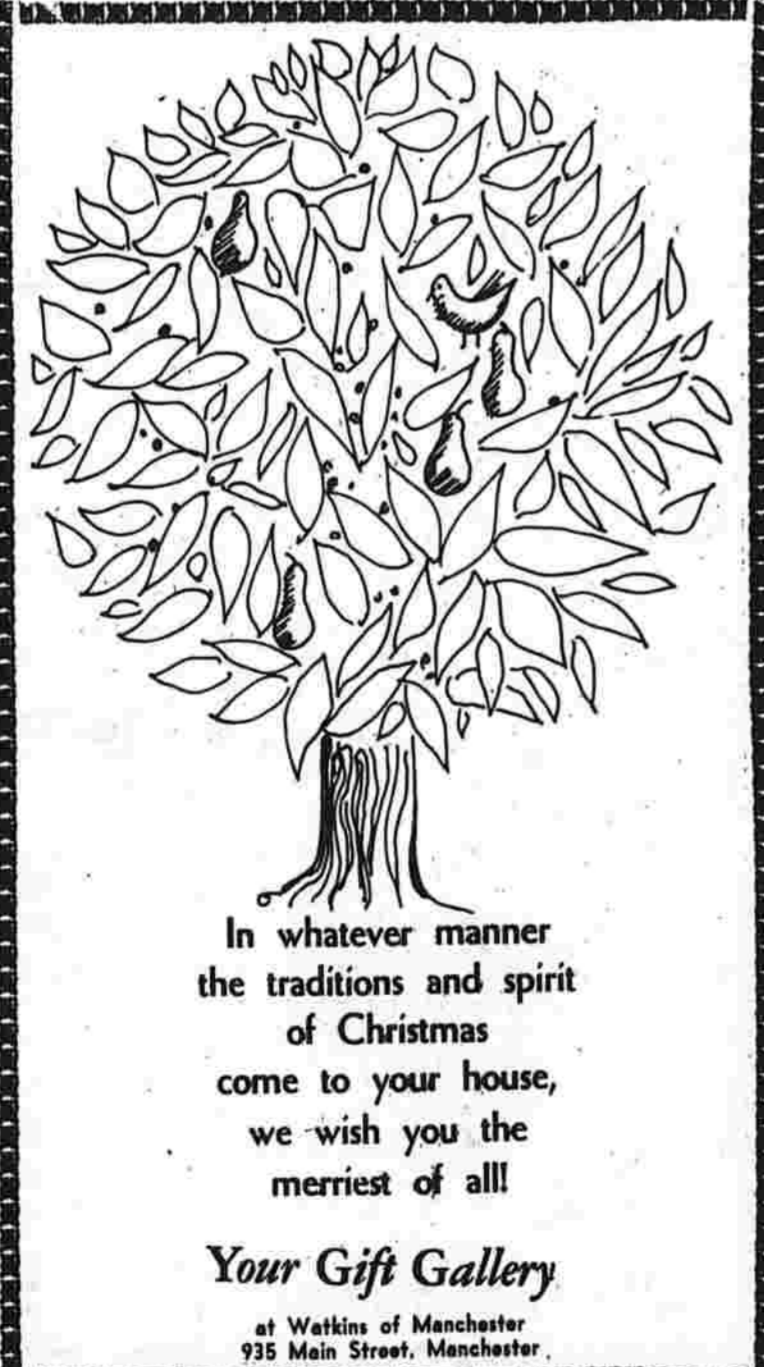
Chance Meeting with a Jew in the USSR

(Editors note: Sherie Winston of Seal Beach, Calif., is a student intern in UPI's London bureau. This is her account of a personal encounter during a recent trip to the Soviet Union.) A chance meeting with a Soviet Jew. By SHERIE WINSTON MOSCOW (UPI) — The noontime shoppers hurriedly pushed their way through the crowded passageways of GUM Department Store off Red Square. Young boys cautiously approached me, a young American tourist being jostled along with the crowd, and asked to trade trinkets for chewing gum. While the transaction was made, a youth several years older walked up laughing and said, "Silly American girl. Trading chewing gum for trinkets." He surprised me. Wasn't this denim-clad student also a tourist and probably doing the same thing? The impression proved wrong and this was how I met the young man I will call Yitzhak, a young Russian student whose English was so fluent I mistook him for a fellow tourist. Guardedly, at first, we asked each other about life in our respective countries. He explained that his English studies were under the supervision of reading American books and also corresponded with American relatives. A comment he made about some of the tourist attractions I had visited led me to question his party attitude. Quietly, he said, "I am in the party (presumably the Young Communist League) because I have to be, but I was born a Jew." We exchanged greetings of Shalom and he told me that, while practicing Judaism was not "forbidden," it was made difficult and could possibly be detrimental if he hoped to obtain a decent job. He only discovered his Judaism when he was 16 and saw it stamped on his passport. "I was curious to know more about life for a Soviet Jew." As we continued walking through the crowded store, Yitzhak told me that he was a prominent student who tried to emigrate to Israel. His visa was denied and he lost his job only to spend the next few years washing bottles in a factory. He later was allowed to leave and now lives in Jerusalem. Yitzhak said his parents feared a similar situation, and therefore did not practice their religion and did not allow him to speak English in their home. We stopped to buy ice cream cones and, when I tried to pay, Yitzhak shook his head. "You give me English. I give you ice cream. That is more important to me." Yitzhak said he is not a religious person. "Since I have discovered my background, I am curious to learn more. I have only attended religious services at the synagogue occasionally during the holidays." He had been to a recent celebration for the New Year and was very moved by all the people, young and old, who attended. He said some Americans also were there and he had a chance to speak to them.

taken for granted. Yitzhak said most of the men speak only Yiddish and know very little Russian. "They are the main ones who practice our religion. The younger people are becoming curious and want to know more than what their parents have told them. People my parents' age are afraid." "I have a young brother who wants to be a cowboy," he said. "He will like it."

Mitchell Starts Yule Furlough

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (UPI) — Former U.S. Attorney General John Mitchell, nearing the end of his sentence for Watergate crimes, left a federal prison today on a five-day Christmas furlough. "I'm going to have a delightful time. Merry Christmas to you all," Mitchell said as he quickly strode by reporters and stepped into a taxi for a short trip to the city airport. He left the prison without an escort. The 64-year-old Mitchell declined to say where he would spend the holidays and officials at the Maxwell Air Force Base prison camp said his destination was privileged information. Mitchell awoke today at 6 a.m., changed from his brown prison work clothes into a blue plaid sports coat and tie and left the prison before he had breakfast. Although the temperature was a chilly 35 degrees, he did not wear a topcoat or hat. Prison Superintendent Charles Beaver said Mitchell, one of 25 inmates who got holiday leaves, must report back to the minimum security prison by Wednesday. He is scheduled to be released on parole Jan. 19.



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Reversing Vasectomies

Pregnancy Means Success
By WILLIAM SHIBERG
DETROIT (UPI) — The men who come to see Drs. Anthony Thomas and J. Edson Pontes are hoping for a second chance.

Bank Saves Plants for Future

IRVINE, Calif. (UPI) — which are retrieved later. About 200 higher plant species become extinct each year and a University of California scientist has created a flower "gene bank" in an attempt to save some of the endangered plants.

food and medicine in the future. He noted a South American yam that was used in the development of birth control pills until it was learned how to synthesize the product needed, and the periwinkle plant, now used in anticancer agents.

Merry Christmas

WE HAVE ALL YOUR HOLIDAY PARTY NEEDS... SMOKED HAMS, FRESH HAMS, DELICIOUS CAPONS & TURKEYS, POPPYSEED STRIPS, CHEESE STRIPS, WALNUT STRIPS, BAKKA BREAD.

HOMEMADE POLISH STYLE KIELBASY - GOLD CUTS - BBQ CHICKEN

OLYMPIA DELICATESSEN 697 MAIN ST. (CLOSED SUN. & MON.) TEL. 643-0809

Hebron Parents Given Reminder HEBRON — Parents or guardians of children attending elementary school in Hebron are reminded that they should update their child's medical files by contacting the school health room if there is any change in status.

a happy Holiday Sing a song of Christmas, Of snow and faces glowing, Of holly wreaths and mistletoe, Old fashioned joys still growing! Our gratitude to one and all. CAPITAL EQUIPMENT 38 MAIN STREET MANCHESTER 643-7958

Lovable Pets For Sale... The Herald CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

Enzymes Busy In Your Body
WILTON (UPI) — You can't see them and don't even notice them at work but enzymes are among the busiest and most important compounds in the human body.

LEGAL NOTICE

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LEGAL NOTICE

At a meeting held on December 18, 1978, the Planning and Zoning Commission made the following decisions: TRAVEL TIME (7-38) Denied request to erect roof sign — 182 Spencer Street.

NOTICE

PUBLIC HEARING
ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATIONS
BOARD OF DIRECTORS
TOWN OF MANCHESTER, CONNECTICUT
Notice is hereby given that the Board of Directors, Town of Manchester, Connecticut, will hold a Public Hearing in the Hearing Room at the Municipal Building, 41 Center Street, Manchester, Connecticut, Tuesday, January 2, 1979, at 8:00 P.M.

LEGAL NOTICE

The third quarterly installment of taxes on the 1 Oct. 77 Grand List is due and payable 1 Jan. 79. Also the Supplemental Motor Vehicle bill is due and payable 1 Jan. 79.

DIAL AN AD FORM

Call 643-2718 FOR AFTER HOURS HERALD and DOLLAR SAVER ADS. WRITE YOUR FAST AD ON THIS FORM BEFORE CALLING IN. Phone ads for The Herald will not be accepted if name and address are not given.

Don't store things you can't use. Sell them fast with a Herald Classified Ad. HELP WANTED: WANTED - Gas station attendant, full or part time. MATURE, responsible person for third shift. References call 871-1898.

MERRY CHRISTMAS

SEASON'S GREETINGS To Relatives And Friends HARRY and BETTY DiPACE. To All Our Friends and Business Associates MAY THE PEACE & LOVE OF CHRISTMAS ABIDE ALL THROUGH THE YEAR! Mary and Rupert Upling. TO THE "WILD BUNCH" IN THURSDAY MORNING CERAMICS. Thanks for the Beautiful Dried Flower Arrangement MERRY CHRISTMAS! From Marty

Thank You & Happy Holidays To Intimate Care Unit Staff Rhine and Nancy Malin, Room 151

TO MY HONEY, Merry Christmas Love, SUE

SEASON'S GREETINGS TO ALL Agnes, Bill, Mark, Mo Simpson

Dear Reid, I hope this is your best Christmas ever! Love, Aunt Sue

Fried and Annie, Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to Two Really Great Neighbors! Love, Sue

WELCOME HOME CHARLIE! From Mom & Dad Al & Dave, Barb & Bob, and Sootie!

Jack, Shirley and Jonathan, A very Merry Christmas to three of the Nicest People I know! Merrylyn

Happiness Is Having A Friend Like You Cheryl MERRY CHRISTMAS!

We Want To Thank All Our Customers For Your Loyal Patronage And Wish You All A Merry Christmas And A Peaceful And Healthy New Year. BOTTI PLUMBING AND HEATING CO.

To Dr. Kenneth Judson D.V.M. From Little Joe and Lady HAPPY HOLIDAYS!

Bible Study Group MANCHESTER — The Bible Study and Prayer Group of Second Congregational Church will meet Tuesday at 9:30 a.m. in the church parlor.

AA Chapter MANCHESTER — Emanuel Hill Chapter of Alcoholics Anonymous will meet tonight at 8 in Luther Hall of Emanuel Lutheran Church, 60 Church St.

WATES TO Meet MANCHESTER — The Manchester WATES will meet Tuesday at the Italian-American Club. Weighing in will be from 7 to 8 p.m.

Old Guard MANCHESTER — The Emanuel Old Guard will meet Tuesday at 10 a.m. in Luther Hall of Emanuel Lutheran Church. After the meeting, the Beethoven Chorus will rehearse.

Parents Group MANCHESTER — The local chapter of Parents Anonymous will meet Tuesday at 7 p.m. in Manchester. To learn more, call toll free 1800-842-2288.

Alcoholics Meet MANCHESTER — Alcoholics Anonymous meets every Monday at 8:30 p.m. at 102 Norman St. The group also meets Tuesdays and Fridays at 8:30 p.m., Wednesdays at 10 a.m. and Sundays at 3:30 p.m. at 102 Norman St.

More information is available by calling 646-9233. AA contact is available 24 hours daily by calling 646-2285.

Merry Christmas To All Our Friends And Customers BOTTI'S FRUIT FARM 280 BUSH HILL RD. MANCHESTER

Heartly greetings and thanks are coming your way... have a Merry Christmas!

SHOWCASE TV and APPLIANCE, Inc. 171 Union St., Rockville Telephone 872-9167

HAPPY HOLIDAY A donation has been mailed to the Newington Home for Crippled Children in lieu of our annual calendar distribution.

Season's Greetings We're hoping this will be a warm, wonderful holiday for you... filled with lots of cheer. Enjoy!

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Eastern Connecticut's Leading Opticians 4 CONVENIENT LOCATIONS TO SERVE YOU... 383 MAIN ST., PHONE 643-1191 EASTBROOK MALL MANCHESTER TEL. 648-1341

Optical Style Bar 230 MAIN ST. PHONE 643-1191 MANCHESTER

The Islander 179 Tolland Turnpike, Manchester Merry Christmas To All

PEARL 280 BUSH HILL RD. MANCHESTER

GREETINGS To our friends and neighbors, all best wishes for a happy holiday happiness.

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Autos For Sale

1974 JEEP CJ-5 - 258 C.I. High performance engine, 20,000 miles. Hooker Headers. Good Holiday four barrel. Offenhauser high-rise manifold. Mono Magnum shocks, all pages, 2 sets of tires, fog lights, roll bar. Excellent shape. Must sell this month! Please call 622-4651.

1971 FORD FAIRLANE WAGON runs good, 460 or best offer, 649-3802 after 5 pm.

1969 CHEVY IMPALA good condition, no dents. Air conditioning, AM/FM radio, 1971 350 automatic. Asking \$800, 528-9419.

1971 CHEVROLET IMPALA hard top, 2-door. Good running condition. \$500, 649-7149 after 5 pm.

GREETINGS



Through our door pass the finest people in the world... our clients... our friends. With appreciation for your confidence we wish you a Merry Christmas!

CHENETTE ASSOCIATES
Phone 528-9021
Dec. 23, 1978

Autos For Sale

NOVA FOR PARTS: 1968 & 1970, or option to buy. Good parts, no junk. Call 745-5211 after 5 p.m.

1978 DATSUN B-210 10,500 miles standard, excellent condition. Takes regular \$3,200. Call 646-0799 evenings.

1967 FORD FAIRLANE XL-2 floor. Runs good. New starter. Good tires. No rust. \$400, 643-6226.

1970 IMPALA 4 Door Hard Top. Full power, Air, New Tires. Exceptional Value. Call 649-8113, 5 pm or weekends.

Trucks For Sale

1981 CHEVY PICK-UP. Good condition. \$800, 649-4365 after 5 pm.

Opening the door to the spirit of Christmas and its many delights, we extend thanks and warm wishes to our many friends.

THE LESPERANCE FAMILY and ASSOCIATES

Best Wishes

Let your home be blessed with good health and happiness throughout the year. Thanks.



Century 21

JACKSTON/AVANTE
646-1316

Warm Christmas Wishes

A sleigh full of cheery wishes is coming your way! Have a very merry Christmas Day! Our gratitude for your support.

AIRWAY TRAVEL AGENCY
Jan Champagne Maureen Houle Jeannette Lesperance Alfred Lesperance
646-2500


SEASON'S GREETING FROM ALL THE GANG AT MIMA'S OFFICE.
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Joined together by the glory and pageantry of this sacred season we reverently pray that whatever is meaningful, whatever is beautiful, whatever brings happiness to you and your dear ones will be yours forever more.

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Dear Abby
By Abigail Van Buren

Three Needn't Be a Crowd

DEAR ABBY: When my husband's mother came to live with me and my husband 23 years ago, she made our lives so miserable that I vowed I would never bring such misery to my children if I ever had to live with them. One day I sat down and wrote myself a letter containing some "rules." I put it in an envelope marked, "To be opened on the day I go to live with one of my children." Thus I put it away.

I've been widowed and self-sufficient for eight years, but I was recently forced to give up my job and go to live with my daughter. I'm submitting that letter. Perhaps your older readers might benefit from it, as I intend to. Here are the rules:

- Give what you can toward your keep. Any budget will stretch just so far.
- Keep yourself clean and neat. Fresh undies and daily baths are a must.
- Remember, it is THEIR home. Give them privacy at every opportunity.
- Try to make your own friends and develop interests outside the home.
- If you suspect they would like to go away on a vacation, but are hesitant because of you, offer to visit another relative or friend so they will be free to go.
- Don't offer any advice or express any opinion on family matters unless asked.
- Volunteer information that they might be too embarrassed to ask for, such as arrangements for your burial, hospitalization, etc.

These rules were written over 25 years ago. I read them often and am determined to keep them.

SEVENTY-SIX AND HOLDING

Now we are having trouble with our 15-year-old daughter. She wants to go steady. We said no, she has to have a date with another boy between dates with her special boyfriend. She says no one else asks her.

Tell me, Abby, how can parents keep their children from going steady? We know from past experience that it is dangerous, and we don't want any more "burry-up" marriages in our family. But if the kids don't want to go with anyone else, or if no one else asks them, what can parents do?

TRYING HARD

DEAR TRYING: Instead of making rules, if parents would work toward building the kind of relationship with their children that leads to a strong, unemotional bond, they would fare better.

Let your children know why too much togetherness puts a strain on two normal young people who have a strong physical attraction for each other. Explain that this attraction is usually satisfied with love—but don't put it down and say it's only puppy love.

Tell them that the only way to reduce temptation is to reduce the time spent together alone.

Tell them that you are aware that when young people think they are in love, the more they make out the more difficult it is to control their desires, and they seldom do less when they're together than they did the previous time. Let them know that you understand and trust them, but you are opposed to going steady because you want to help them, not punish them. And then, Mother, you will have less to worry about.

CONFIDENTIAL TO YOU: If you want to have a truly merry Christmas, call someone you suspect might be alone and invite him or her to your plans.

Peanuts — Charles M. Schulz

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Winthrop — Dick Cavalli

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DOWN

1 Upon
5 Embrace
8 Formerly
12 Nerve (Pl.)
13 Same (prefix)
14 Blockhead
15 Ink stain
16 Morsy
17 Dressed
18 Broker's advice
19 Plans
21 For example (abbr.)
23 Giddy group (abbr.)
24 Mat
29 Bolshoi
33 (possess. case)
34 Work of art
35 Haystack
37 Little brook
38 Makes perfect score
41 Contemporary painter
42 Across
43 Burstyn
44 Sharpest
46 Canal system in northern Michigan
48 Coiled lava
49 Worn-out
54 Streets (Pl.)
55 Medical
59 Vandal
60 Whimsical responses (abbr.)
61 Goddess of love
62 Superlative
63 River in Germany
64 Rain's mass
65 Greek letter

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NORTH 12-25-A
♦ A K 6 3
♥ J 4
♦ A 7 5
♣ Q 6 2

EAST
♠ 5 2
♥ A K Q 7 6
♦ J 10 4
♣ A 8 7 6 5

SOUTH
♠ Q J 10 7 4
♥ 10 8 3 2
♦ Q 8
♣ K 5

Vulnerable: East-West
Dealer: West

West North East South
1 ♠ Pass Pass ♠ Pass
2 ♦ 1 ♠ Pass ♠ Pass
3 ♣ 3 ♠ Pass ♠ Pass
4 ♣ Pass

Opening lead: ♠K

You hold: 12-25-B
♦ A K Q
♥ A K Q
♠ A Q 10 7

By Oswald Jacoby and Alan Sontag

Today's hand was played in a really expert duplicate. The players were so good that every South wound up in three spades and everyone but one made it.

West started with four rounds of hearts. Each declarer trumped the fourth one high in dummy. West trumped to his queen and a low club toward dummy. West would make his best play and duck so dummy's queen would hold that trick. Each declarer would continue by producing all his trumps to produce a three-card end.

Healthlit — George Gately

An Oregon reader asks if we open two clubs. No. We have 25 points and notrump distribution and make the standard American call of three notrump. (NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

(Do you have a question for the experts? Write "Ask the Experts," care of this newspaper. Individual questions will be answered if accompanied by stamped, self-addressed envelopes. The most interesting questions will be used in this column and will receive copies of JAGGED MODERN.)

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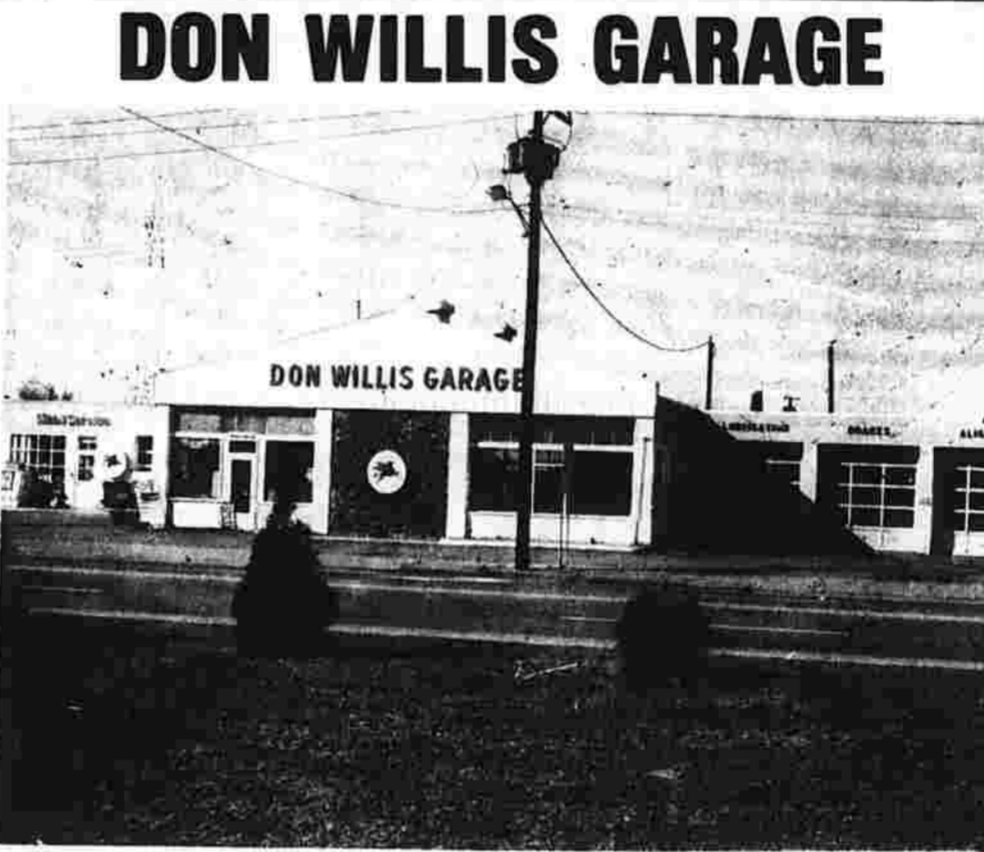
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Inside: Television Programs, Dec. 23 to 29

This Week's TV Specials

Today

MORNING

10:00
Christmas Eve With Mister Rogers Fred Rogers, Stanley Clay, Frances Bay and other guests celebrate the holiday season in California and western Pennsylvania. (R)

11:00
Christmas Eve On Sesame Street An hour of songs and Christmas fun for the whole family. (R)

AFTERNOON

12:00
Weekend Specials "Trouble River" A young boy and his grandmother escape from a group of renegades by rafting down a dangerous river. (Part 1 of 2) (R)

2:00
Christmas Eve The Indiana University Opera Theater presents Nicolai Rimsky-Korsakov's "Christmas Eve."

3:00
A Christmas Celebration Richard Kiley hosts this history of the traditions associated with Christmas Day, established by Pope Julius I.

3:30
Christmas Eve With Mister Rogers Fred Rogers, Stanley Clay, Frances Bay and other guests celebrate the holiday season in California and western Pennsylvania.

5:00
A Christmas Child A sophisticated airline stewardess, stranded by an unscheduled layover, finds herself alone in a strange city on Christmas Eve.

5:30
The Joy Of Christmas The Mormon Tabernacle Choir and the Westminster Ensemble Orchestra present a deliciously Christmas half hour of Yuletide favorites.

EVENING

7:00
Special "Christmas Is" A young boy unhappy with his role as the second shepherd in the school play learns the real meaning of Christmas when he is transported back to the Nativity.

7:30
Mario And The Magic Movie Machine Mario examines the seventy-five year history of aviation, from the Wright Brothers' 12-second flight to the training of astronauts.

8:00
Archdiocese Of Hartford Christmas "No Room At The Inn" Reverend Edmund Nadolny compares the housing problems in Connecticut's urban centers to the traditional housing problem of history's first Christmas.

8:30
The City That Forgot About Christmas Benji learns the real meaning of Christmas.

9:00
Minority Advisory Special Christmas Eve On Sesame Street An hour of songs and Christmas fun for the whole family. (R)

9:30
The Twelve Gifts Christmas is a young boy unhappy with his role as the second shepherd in the school play learns the real meaning of Christmas when he is transported back to the Nativity.

9:45
Simple Gifts "Six Episodes For Christmas" Views of the holiday season by Virginia Woolf, Theodore Roosevelt and Moss Hart are animated. (R)

10:00
CBS Reports "But What About The Children?" The experience of a typical American family trying to reconstruct their lives after a recent divorce is viewed.

10:30
Christmas Snows, Christmas Winds A man reminisces about Christmas in the 1940s and a special school band concert. (R)

10:45
A Christmas Celebration Richard Kiley hosts this history of the traditions associated with Christmas Day, established by Pope Julius I. (R)

Sunday

MORNING

10:00
Devey And Goliath

11:00
The Joy Of Christmas

11:30
A Christmas Child

AFTERNOON

12:00
Affair In The Air The love of flying is examined at the 1977 Experimental Aircraft Association Fly-In Convention in Oshkosh, Wisconsin, the world's largest aviation event.

12:30
St. Michael's Ukrainian Choir

1:00
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1:15
Holy Cross Children's Choir

1:30
Do-Re-Mommies

1:45
Sing We Noel The Mormon Youth Symphony And Chorus present traditional and contemporary Christmas music, as well as children's versions of the Christmas story.

2:00
Polonia Paderawski Choir
Christmas "A Symbol Of Love"

2:00
Archdiocese Of Hartford Christmas "Trouble River" A young boy and his grandmother escape from a group of renegades by rafting down a dangerous river. (Part 1 of 2) (R)

4:30
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5:30
A Girl Of Winter

EVENING

6:00
Minority Advisory Special Christmas Eve On Sesame Street An hour of songs and Christmas fun for the whole family. (R)

6:30
Silent Night

gift for the Christ Child, in this production of Gian-Carlo Menotti's Christmas opera.

8:00
Christmas Heritage Edward Rowe, Oliver Jensen, Len Wood, Alistair Cooke and Scott Momaday look at Christmas customs in the U.S.

8:30
Jackie Gleason Christmas Special

9:00
The Nutcracker Mikhail Baryshnikov and Gelsey Kirkland perform the title roles in this American Ballet Theatre production of the classic story of a small girl's dream on Christmas Eve.

9:30
Huckleberry Finn Mark Twain's classic character Huck Finn (Jeff East) runs away from his drunken father and joins an escaped slave (Paul Winfield) on a wild rafting trip down the Mississippi River.

10:00
Hanukkah Ed Asner explains the significance of the religious holiday.

10:30
Christmas Heritage Edward Rowe, Oliver Jensen, Len Wood, Alistair Cooke and Scott Momaday look at Christmas customs in the U.S. (R)

10:45
Jack Van Impe Christmas

11:00
The Joy Of Christmas Yuletide favorites are performed by the Mormon Tabernacle Choir and the Westminster Ensemble Orchestra.

11:30
Christmas Eve Special Jazz pianist Mary Lou Williams performs music of the holiday season.

11:45
Richard Wilbur: Poet The New England poet shares some of his work.

12:00
What Does Christmas Mean To Me? Messages from the Most Rev. John F. Whealon, Archbishop of Hartford and the Rev. Andrew Mellon, Executive Director, Cl. Council of Churches. Rev. Edmund S. Nadolny, Archdiocesan Director of Radio and TV will host and introduce filmed musical selections by the West Point Choir and present some answers by people to the question.

12:00
A Christmas Festival Excerpts from memorable Christmas Eve broadcasts of previous years are presented.

12:30
Hour Of Power Christmas Special

9:30
Christmas Rome 1978 Pope John Paul II celebrates his first Christmas Midnight Mass. (From St. Peter's Basilica in Vatican City, Rome)

10:00
Like The Wind Individual expressions of faith in the lives of five people are documented.

10:30
Wildier, Wildier Four of Thornton Wildier's early plays on religious / moral themes are presented. (R)

11:00
The Spirit Of Punxsutawney

12:30
A Chesapeake Planter

12:00
Archdiocese Of Hartford Christmas

8:00
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9:00
Wake Of '38 The destruction caused by the 1938 hurricane resulted in a radical appraisal of the settlement of coastal areas.

9:00
We Ain't What We Was A very old black woman (Ivy Minks) recalls what it has been like being black in America.

11:00
Boys Town Choir An annual event of Christmas music.

11:30
A Christmas Festival The story of Christmas in scripture, music and dance from St. Bartholomew's Episcopal Church in New York City.

12:00
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AFTERNOON

12:00
Pinocchio

12:30
Jackie Gleason Christmas Special

1:00
A Child's Christmas In Wales Sir Michael Redgrave narrates this dramatization of Dylan Thomas' poem describing his boyhood in Wales, performed by the National Theatre of the Deaf. (R)

12:30
A New England Christmas

2:30
Christmas Harp

3:00
Sleeping Beauty Mikhail Baryshnikov hosts Tchaikovsky's classic ballet telecast live via satellite from the Royal Opera House, Covent Garden. Acclaimed dancers David Wall and Merle Park are featured.

3:30
New Britain Schools Christmas Program

EVENING

6:30
Hanukkah Ed Asner explains the significance of the religious holiday.

7:00
Jack Van Impe Christmas

7:30
Oral Roberts Christmas

9:30
Irish Treasures Alexander Scourby narrates a tour of the "Treasure Of Early Irish Art" held at Boston's Museum of Fine Arts.

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Contest To Carnegie Hall "The Van Cliburn Competition" An inside look at the fifth Van Cliburn International Piano Competition, held in Fort Worth, Texas.

10:00
The Priceless Treasures Of Dresden Inauguration ceremonies of the East Building of the National Gallery of Art, along with President Carter's official remarks, are blended with pieces from the Gallery's Dresden collection and music of the period. (R)

10:00
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3:00
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6:30
Bowling For Dollars

Wednesday

MORNING

10:30
Introduction To The Folk Song

11:00
FolkLife: The Dulcimer

AFTERNOON

12:00
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EVENING

8:00
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This Week's TV Sports

Today

AFTERNOON

12:00
Candlepin Bowling

1:00
Wrestling
NHL Hockey Boston Bruins vs. Buffalo Sabres

1:30
NCAA Football Live coverage of the Sun Bowl with the University of Maryland vs. the University of Texas from El Paso, Texas.

2:30
WCT Tennis

3:00
Championship Wrestling

3:30
NCAA Football Live coverage of the Liberty Bowl from Missouri vs. LSU from Memphis, Tennessee.

3:45
Bruins Wrap-Up

4:00
Sports Challenge
Rose Bowl Highlights
"Blood, Sweat And Cheers"

EVENING

6:00
Racing From Aqueduct "The Roamer Handicap"

7:00
Soccer Made In Germany

8:00
Football The Panthers of the University of Pittsburgh take on the Wolfpack of North Carolina State University in the 33rd annual Tangerine Bowl from Orlando, Florida.

9:00
NBA Basketball Houston Rockets vs. New York Knicks

11:15
Madison Square Garden Spotlight

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AFTERNOON

12:00
Golf "Championships Of The United States Golf Association" Dramatic moments from the U.S. Open, the U.S. Women's Open, and other major USGA tournaments are reviewed.

1:00
Soccer

12:30
NFL Football Live coverage of National Football Conference play-off game. Starting time, teams and location to be announced. (Note: Local programming will be preempted by game coverage.)

2:00
Tennis Finals of the Junior Davis Cup Tennis Championships from Miami, Florida.

3:30
NFL '78

4:00
NFL Football The Miami Dolphins play the Houston Oilers in the first round of the American Football Conference playoffs.

6:00
Greatest Sports Legends

10:00
Sports Extra

1:00
Peach Bowl Live coverage of Georgia Tech vs. Purdue in the Peach Bowl from Atlanta, Georgia.

3:30
Fiesta Bowl Live coverage of Arkansas vs. UCLA in the Fiesta Bowl from Sun Devil Stadium in Tempe, Arizona.

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10:45
Bruins

Today, Dec. 23

MORNING	AFTERNOON	EVENING	
6:00 (1) Man Builds, Man Destroys (2) Pattern For Living (3) Children's Gospel Hour (4) PTL Club	(57) American Story 12:00 (1) Space Academy (2) Movie "The Mummy" (1959) Peter Cushing, Christopher Lee. (3) Weekend Specials (4) Fabulous Funnies (5) Julia Child And Company (6) Movie "Champions Of Justice" Clayton Moore, Jay Silverheels. (7) Candiepin Bowling 7:00 (1) Villa Alegre (2) Popeye And Pals (3) Little Rascals (4) Consultation 7:30 (1) Arthur And Company (2) The Flintstones (3) News (4) News Stoopies (5) Tennessee Tuzado 8:00 (1) Popeye (2) Superheroes (3) Scooby's All-Stars (4) Devery And Goliath (5) Gaiety Gool-Ups (6) Sesame Street (R) 8:30 (1) Woody Woodpecker (2) Viewpoint On Nutrition (3) Fantastic Four 9:00 (1) Bugs Bunny / Road Runner (2) Birdman (3) Daniel Boone (4) Godzilla Super 90 (5) Mister Rogers (R) (6) Villa Alegre 9:30 (1) Shazzan (2) Superfriends (3) Once Upon A Classic (4) Carrascolandas 10:00 (1) Moby Dick (2) Movie "It Came From Beneath The Sea" (1955) Faith Domergue, Kenneth Tobey. (3) Christmas With Mister Rogers (4) Hot Fudge 10:30 (1) Tarzan / Super Seven (2) Spiderman (3) Daffy Duck (4) Green Acres 11:00 (1) Soul Train (2) Fantastic Four (3) Yogi's Space Race (4) Christmas Eve On Sesame Street (5) Beverly Hills (6) American Story 11:30 (1) Pink Panther (2) Movie "Manfish" (1956) John Bromfield, Lon Chaney. (3) The Rifleman	4:00 (1) Big Valley (2) Nashville On The Road (3) Sports Challenge (4) Parent Effectiveness (5) Movie "Ghost Ship" (1953) Hazel Court, Dermot Walsh. (6) Sesame Street 4:30 (1) SPO Sports Spectacular (2) Pop! Goes The Country (3) Director's Playhouse (4) See How Honey (5) Fairfield Gallery 5:00 (1) Mission: Impossible (2) A Christmas Child (3) Animal World (4) Director's Playhouse (5) Wild Kingdom (6) Studio See (7) Lawrence Welk 5:30 (1) The Joy Of Christmas (2) Living Faith (3) News Show Highlights (4) Next Step Beyond (5) Freestyle (6) The Rifleman 6:00 (1) News (2) Six Million Dollar Man (3) Gulligan's Island (4) Movie "The Mountain" (1956) Spencer Tracy, Robert Wagner. (5) Dick Van Dyke (6) Wall Street Week (7) The Bible With The Archbishop (8) Movie "Little Lord Fauntleroy" (1936) Freddie Bartholomew, Mickey Rooney. 6:30 (1) Little Rascals (2) Another View (3) Moon Man Connection (4) Movie "Five Fingers" (1952) James Mason, Danielle Darrieux. (5) Christmas Eve (6) Emergency One! (7) A Christmas Celebration 7:00 (1) Agronsky And Company (2) Hot City Disco (3) ABC News (4) The Unknown War (5) Lawrence Welk (6) Special (7) Odyssey (8) Mundo Real (9) See How Honey (10) Dick Van Dyke (11) In Search Of... (12) Soccer Made In Germany 7:28 (1) If You Ask Me 7:28 (1) Daily Numbers 7:30 (1) Mario And The Magic Movie Machine (2) Archdiocese Of Hartford Christmas (3) The City That Forgot About Christmas 8:00 (1) Soap Factory (2) Movie "They Died With Their Boots On" (1941) Errol Flynn, Olivia de Havilland. (3) Jukebox 8:30 (1) News (2) ABC News (3) Movie "House Of Fear" (1939) William Gargan, Irene Harvey. (4) Emergency One! 9:00 (1) ABC News (2) Movie "The Jazz Singer" (1953) Danny Thomas, Peggy Lee. 9:30 (1) News (2) Risk Of Marriage	8:00 (1) The Homecoming (2) Movie "Holiday Inn" (1942) Bing Crosby, Fred Astaire. After losing his fiancée, a man retreats to his Connecticut farm, which he turns into a seasonal inn. 2 hrs. (3) Welcome Back, Kotter (4) Rod McKuen's Christmas In New England (5) Melodyland Evening Service (6) The Stingiest Man In Town (7) Crockett's Victory Garden (8) Football (9) Once Upon A Classic 8:30 (1) Carter Country (2) We Interrupt This Week 9:00 (1) Love Boat (2) NBA Basketball (3) Jerry Falwell (4) Lifeline (5) Oral Roberts Christmas (6) Simple Gifts (7) Movie "The Lavender Hill Mob" (1951) Alec Guinness, Stanley Holloway. An unlikely group of robbers attempts one of the oddest bank heists in history. (1 hr., 30 min.) 10:00 (1) CBS Reports (2) News (3) Fantasy Island (4) Beat Of Festival Of Faith (5) Weekend (6) Christmas Snows, Christmas Winds 10:30 (1) Black News (2) A Christmas Celebration (3) Sneak Preview 11:00 (1) News (2) Donna Fargo (3) Dick Van Dyke (4) Nelson (5) Scenes From A Marriage 11:15 (1) Madison Square Garden Spotlight 11:30 (1) Movie "White Christmas" (1954) Bing Crosby, Danny Kaye. (2) Movie "The Bells Of St. Mary's" (1945) Bing Crosby, Ingrid Bergman. (3) Movie "Sam Cado" (1972) Glenn Ford, Edgar Buchanan. (4) Racing From Rosemead (5) Saturday Night Live (6) Andy Griffith (7) The Gong Show 12:00 (1) Wrestling (2) Viewpoint On Nutrition (3) Movie "The Sad Sack" (1957) Jerry Lewis, David Wayne. 12:30 (1) The Athletes 12:45 (1) Listen 1:00 (1) Soap Factory (2) Movie "They Died With Their Boots On" (1941) Errol Flynn, Olivia de Havilland. (3) Jukebox 1:30 (1) News (2) ABC News (3) Movie "House Of Fear" (1939) William Gargan, Irene Harvey. (4) Emergency One! 2:00 (1) ABC News (2) Movie "The Jazz Singer" (1953) Danny Thomas, Peggy Lee. 2:30 (1) News (2) Risk Of Marriage

TV Dial-ogue

HELL'S HOUNDS — I hope you can answer a movie-oriented question. Do you know the breed of dog that appeared in "Omen," and "Damien, Omen II"? — Linda Hamel, Hammond, Ind.

The guards of Satan were played by mastiffs, who serve mostly as watchdogs in real life, as well, though one would hope to less devilish owners.

CARSON'S EX'S — I would like to know Johnny Carson's marital status, and how many times he's been married. A friend of mine said she heard Carson say he'd been married to the same woman, Joann, for 20 years. I say his first wife was Joann, he has three sons, and he's divorced from her. I believe he's been married to a second or even a third wife, Joann, for the past three or four years. — Mrs. C. Carier, Corinth, Ms.

I'll give you the facts, and let you figure out how close you came to the truth. Carson married the former Jody Wolcott in

1948, with whom he had three sons, Chris, Ricky and Cory. He divorced Jody and married Joanne Copeland in 1963. His third marriage, in 1972, was to Joanna Holland. Since Johnny never stayed married to any of these women long enough to celebrate a 20th anniversary, I assume your friend misunderstood his statement. Or it was a joke?

(Send your questions to **TV Dial-ogue, Pepper O'Brien, 200 Park Ave., New York, N.Y. 10017**)



Marlo Thomas stars in the ABC Movie, "It Happened One Christmas," Dec. 24.

Christmas Eve

"It Happened One Christmas," starring Marlo Thomas, will return for an encore showing on ABC this Christmas Eve. The movie became an instant holiday classic when it attracted the largest audience of any television movie on the air last year. It will air as "The ABC Sunday Night Movie" Dec. 24.

Marlo Thomas stars as Mary Bailey Hatch in the story of a remarkable young woman and a lovable apprentice angel who team up to make a miracle.

Also starring are Orson Welles as the greedy banker, Mr. Potter; Cloris Leachman as the angel and Wayne Rogers as

George Hatch, Mary's devoted husband, the father of their children and her business partner.

Brandon Stoddard, vice president in charge of announcing the encore showing. "It Happened One Christmas" is a holiday gift wrapped in the loving care that creates a classic. This gentle film glows with the warmth of a Yule log, and it seems most appropriate to present it this year on Christmas Eve.

Critic John Voorhes of the Seattle Times, reflecting much of the national response to the film's premiere showing, called the movie "a lovely piece of filmmaking."

Sunday, Dec. 24

MORNING	AFTERNOON	EVENING
5:50 (1) News 6:00 (1) Everywoman (2) Rev. Cluypuus Robinson 6:30 (1) Beat Of News-DAY (2) Time For Timothy (3) Faith For Today 7:00 (1) Face The State (2) Wonderama (3) This Is The Life (4) Melodyland Morning Service (5) 700 Club (6) Ring Around The World (7) Gospel Express Christmas Greetings 7:30 (1) Spread A Little Sunshine (2) Christopher Closeup (3) Oral Roberts (4) Underdog (5) Sacred Heart 7:45 (1) Devery And Goliath 8:00 (1) We Believe (2) Sunday Mass (3) James Robison (4) Voice Of Faith (5) Come Walk The World (6) Sesame Street (R) (7) Movie "Badman's Territory" (1946) Randolph Scott, Gabby Hayes. (8) Dr. Doolittle (9) Latino (10) Hot Fudge (11) Insight (12) Day Of Discovery (13) Oral Roberts (14) Fantastic Voyage (15) Jewish Heritage 9:00 (1) Mario And The Magic Movie Machine (2) Frankenstein Jr. And The Impossibles (3) Devey And Goliath (4) Oral Roberts (5) Jimmy Swaggart (6) Day Of Discovery (7) Journey To The Center Of The Earth (8) The World Tomorrow (9) Sesame Street 9:15 (1) A New Day 9:30 (1) Kidsworld (2) Space Ghost And Dino Boy (3) Little Rascals (4) Newark And Realty (5) Instruction (6) Jimmy Swaggart (7) Electric Company (R) (8) Celebrate (9) Hardy Boys (10) Rex Humbard 10:00 (1) Barre (2) Herudolds (3) Devey And Goliath (4) Christmas Eve Mass (5) Jerry Falwell (6) Instruction (7) Chalice Of Salvation (8) Studio See (9) Sunday Mass (10) Top Cat 10:30 (1) Spiderman (2) Kids Are People Too (3) Point Of View (4) The World Tomorrow (5) Freestyle (6) The Jetsons (7) Studio See 10:45 (1) Jewish Life 11:00 (1) Up Front (2) Woody Woodpecker (3) Rex Humbard (4) Insight 11:15 (1) Movie "When The North Wind Blows" (1974) Henry Brandon, Herbert Nelson. 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(4) Bernard Meltzer (5) Sing We Noel (6) Polonia Paderewski Choir (7) The Ghost And Mrs. Muir (8) Christmas 2:00 (1) Movie "It Happened One Christmas" (1942) Bing Crosby, Fred Astaire. (2) Tennis 2:30 (1) Movie "Going My Way" (1944) Bing Crosby, Barry Fitzgerald. (2) Movie "Holiday Inn" (1942) Bing Crosby, Fred Astaire. (3) Weekend Specials (4) Tennis 3:00 (1) Star Trek (2) Movie "Francis Joins The WACS" (1954) Donald O'Connor, Julie Adams. (3) Dr. Gene Scott (4) Hollywood Squares 3:30 (1) NFL 78 (2) NFL 78 4:00 (1) Movie "The Matchmaker" (1958) Shirley Booth, Anthony Perkins. (2) NFL Football (3) Movie "The World Of Hans Christian Andersen" (1971) Animated. 4:30 (1) Movie "The Adventures Of Tom Sawyer" (1938) Tommy Kelly, Jackie Moran. (2) Sing We Noel 5:00 (1) Six Million Dollar Man (2) UFO (3) Athanazom's Forum (4) Firing Line (5) Economically Speaking (6) Rebob 5:30 (1) Faith For Today (2) A Gift Of Winter (3) Congressional Outlook 6:00 (1) News (2) "When The North Wind Blows" (1974) Henry Brandon, Herbert Nelson. A wiry old trapper hunts and later befriends the majestic snow tiger of Siberia. 2 hrs. (3) Minority Advisory Special (4) Movie "Bell, Book And Candle" (1959) James Stewart, Kim Novak. A young lady with "strange" powers meets a book publisher on the eve of his wedding and sets out to break his engagement so that she can marry him herself. 2 hrs. 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(4) Spanish Insight (5) Christmas Snows, Christmas Winds (6) Holy Cross Children's Choir (7) Firing Line 1:15 (1) Do-Re-Mommies 1:30 (1) Eighth Day (2) Echoes Of Inspiration (3) Movie "King Of The Khyber Rifles" (1954) Tyrone Power, Michael Rennie. (4) Bernard Meltzer (5) Sing We Noel (6) Polonia Paderewski Choir (7) The Ghost And Mrs. Muir (8) Christmas 2:00 (1) Movie "It Happened One Christmas" (1942) Bing Crosby, Fred Astaire. (2) Tennis 2:30 (1) Movie "Going My Way" (1944) Bing Crosby, Barry Fitzgerald. (2) Movie "Holiday Inn" (1942) Bing Crosby, Fred Astaire. (3) Weekend Specials (4) Tennis 3:00 (1) Star Trek (2) Movie "Francis Joins The WACS" (1954) Donald O'Connor, Julie Adams. (3) Dr. Gene Scott (4) Hollywood Squares 3:30 (1) NFL 78 (2) NFL 78 4:00 (1) Movie "The Matchmaker" (1958) Shirley Booth, Anthony Perkins. (2) NFL Football (3) Movie "The World Of Hans Christian Andersen" (1971) Animated. 4:30 (1) Movie "The Adventures Of Tom Sawyer" (1938) Tommy Kelly, Jackie Moran. (2) Sing We Noel 5:00 (1) Six Million Dollar Man (2) UFO (3) Athanazom's Forum (4) Firing Line (5) Economically Speaking (6) Rebob 5:30 (1) Faith For Today (2) A Gift Of Winter (3) Congressional Outlook 6:00 (1) News (2) "When The North Wind Blows" (1974) Henry Brandon, Herbert Nelson. A wiry old trapper hunts and later befriends the majestic snow tiger of Siberia. 2 hrs. (3) Minority Advisory Special (4) Movie "Bell, Book And Candle" (1959) James Stewart, Kim Novak. A young lady with "strange" powers meets a book publisher on the eve of his wedding and sets out to break his engagement so that she can marry him herself. 2 hrs. 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Host: Archbishop John F. Whealon
Dec. 23: Channel 8, 7:30 P.M. "NO ROOM IN THE INN"
Dec. 24: Channel 3, 8:00 A.M. "WE BELIEVE"
Dec. 24: Channel 20, 12:30 (noon) "NEW BEGINNINGS"
Dec. 24: Channel 30, 11:30 P.M. "MEANING OF CHRISTMAS"
Dec. 26: Channel 20, 1:00 P.M. "A WOMAN'S PLACE"
Dec. 30: Channel 8, 7:30 P.M. "ANOTHER CHOICE—ADOPTION"

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Daytime Programs

MORNING

- 5:55 Today's Woman
6:00 (1) Agronsky And Company (Mon)
(2) We Believe (Tue)
(3) Best Of News-Day (Wed)
(4) Barrio (Thu)
(5) A Handful Of Souls (Fri)
(6) New Zoo Revue
(7) Archdiocese Of Hartford Christmas (Mon)
(8) Connecticut: Seen (Tue)
(9) Eighth Day (Thu)
(10) Delouge (Fri)
(11) PTL Club
(12) Not For Women Only
6:30 (1) Comment (Mon)
(2) Bugs Bunny And Friends (Tue)
(3) Up Front (Tue)
(4) Face The State (Wed)
(5) Suge Bunny And Friends (Thu)
(6) Battle Of The Planets (Fri)
(7) Adelante (Mon)
(8) Black Perspective On The News (Tue)
(9) Ring Around The World (Wed)
(10) What About Women (Thu)
(11) It Is Written (Fri)
6:55 (1) News
(2) Popeye And Friends
(3) Good Morning America
(4) News
(5) Today
(6) Superheroes
7:00 (1) CBS News
(2) News
(3) Today
(4) Superheroes
7:15 (1) New Zoo Revue
7:25 (1) News
7:30 (1) The Flintstones
(2) PTL Club
(3) Today
(4) The Archies

Christmas, Dec. 25

- DAYTIME SPECIALS
6:00 (1) Archdiocese Of Hartford Christmas
9:00 (1) Christmas Day Mass
(2) Christmas Is
9:30 (1) The City That Forgot About Christmas
10:00 (1) Christmas Mass
(2) Christmas At Washington Cathedral
11:00 (1) Boys Town Choir
11:30 (1) A Christmas Festival
(2) Christmas Snows, Christmas Winds
12:00 (1) Pinocchio
(2) Jackie Gleason Christmas Special
(3) A Child's Christmas In Wales
12:30 (1) A New England Christmas
2:30 (1) Christmas Harp
3:00 (1) Sleeping Beauty
(2) New Britain Schools Christmas Program
DAYTIME SPORTS
1:00 (1) Peach Bowl

- 3:30 (1) Bewitched (Tue-Fri)
(2) Spiderman (Tue-Fri)
(3) Over Easy
(4) Adam-12
(5) Dancing Disco
6:55 (1) News
7:00 (1) CBS News
(2) The Brady Bunch
(3) ABC News
(4) Dating Game
(5) Festival Of Faith
(6) Sounding Board
(7) News
(8) Dick Cavett
(9) Newlywed Game
(10) The Odd Couple
7:29 (1) Daily Numbers
7:30 (1) PM Magazine
(2) Carol Burnett And Friends
(3) \$100,000 Name That Tune
(4) Newlywed Game
(5) Sha Na Na
(6) MacNeil / Lehrer Report
(7) Wild Kingdom
(8) Chico And The Man
(9) Tic Tac Dough
8:00 (1) CBS Sports
(2) Cross-Wits
(3) News
(4) Happy Days
(5) NHL Hockey
(6) \$20,000 Grandpa Goes To Washington
(7) Pizzicato Circus
(8) Joker's Wild
(9) Wake Of '38
5:30 (1) Mary Tyler Moore (Tue-Fri)
(2) The Flintstones (Tue-Fri)
(3) The Odd Couple (Tue-Fri)
(4) Electric Company (R)
(5) Lottery Show (Thu)
(6) Hogan's Heroes (Tue-Thu)
(7) News
(8) Movie (Cont'd) (Thu)
6:30 (1) Bowling For Dollars
(2) Jakes News Gospel Time
(3) NBC News
(4) Over Easy
(5) Adam-12
(6) Dancing Disco
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Tuesday, Dec. 26

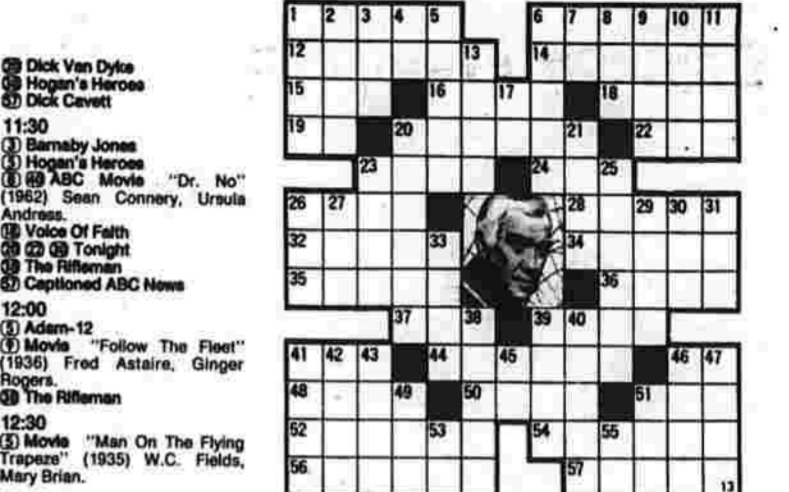
- DAYTIME SPECIALS
10:30 (1) Wilder, Wilder
11:00 (1) The Spirit Of Punxsutawney
12:30 (1) A Chesapeake Planter
3:30 (1) Bewitched (Tue-Fri)
(2) Spiderman (Tue-Fri)
(3) Over Easy
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(7) News
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(2) Jakes News Gospel Time
(3) NBC News
(4) Over Easy
(5) Adam-12
(6) Dancing Disco
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(6) MacNeil / Lehrer Report
(7) Wild Kingdom
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(9) Tic Tac Dough
8:00 (1) CBS Sports
(2) Cross-Wits
(3) News
(4) Happy Days
(5) NHL Hockey
(6) \$20,000 Grandpa Goes To Washington
(7) Pizzicato Circus
(8) Joker's Wild
(9) Wake Of '38

Wednesday, Dec. 27

- DAYTIME SPECIALS
10:30 (1) Introduction To The Folk Song
11:00 (1) FolkLife: The Dulcimer
12:00 (1) The Concord String Quartet Plays Bartok And Haydn
DAYTIME MOVIES
12:00 (1) "Best Of Enemies" (1962) David Niven, Michael Wilding.
1:00 (1) "The Impatient Years" (1944) Jean Arthur, Lee Bowman.
4:00 (1) "On The Waterfront" (1954) Marlon Brando, Eva Marie Saint.
(2) "Julia Misbehaves" (1948) Walter Pidgeon, Elizabeth Taylor.
EVENING
6:00 (1) (1) (2) (3) News
(2) The Brady Bunch
(1) Joker's Wild
(2) Sozo's Big Top
(3) TV Community College
(4) My Three Sons
(5) Bonanza
(6) Zoom (R)
8:00 (1) I Love Lucy
(2) Bowling For Dollars
(3) Jakes News Gospel Time
(4) NBC News
(5) Over Easy
(6) Adam-12
(7) Dancing Disco
6:55 (1) News
7:00 (1) CBS News
(2) The Brady Bunch
(3) ABC News
(4) Dating Game
(5) Festival Of Faith
(6) Journeys To The Mind
(7) News
(8) Dick Cavett
(9) Newlywed Game
(10) The Odd Couple
7:29 (1) Daily Numbers
7:30 (1) PM Magazine
(2) Carol Burnett And Friends
(3) \$1.98 Beauty Show
(4) Newlywed Game
(1) Wild Kingdom
(2) Big Money
(3) MacNeil / Lehrer Report
(4) Hollywood Squares
(5) Chico And The Man
(6) Tic Tac Dough
8:00 (1) Les Miserables
(2) Eight Is Enough
(3) Movie "Chad Hanna" (1940) Henry Fonda, Dorothy Lamour. The story of circus life in the mid-19th century and of a country boy's love for a bare-back rider is depicted. 2 hrs.
(4) Dick Clark's Live Wednesday
(5) Mark Russell
(6) New Honey
(7) NHL Hockey
8:30 (1) Merv Griffin
(2) The Wages Of Congress
(3) Minority Advisory Board Special
9:00 (1) Charlie's Angels "Car Wash" (1976) Richard Pryor, George Carlin. Radio contests, religion and revolution mix with politics and prostitutes in a typical day at the Deluxe Car Wash in Los Angeles. (R)
12:00 (1) "Great Performances"
10:00 (1) (2) (3) News
(2) The Gong Show
(3) Unintentionally
(4) Dick Van Dyke
(5) Hogan's Heroes
(6) Dick Cavett
11:30 (1) CBS Late Movie "I'll Cry Tomorrow" (1956) Susan Hayward, Richard Conte.
(2) Hogan's Heroes
(3) Police Woman
(4) Voice Of Faith
(5) Tonight
(6) The Rifleman
(7) Captioned ABC News
12:00 (1) Adam-12
(2) Movie "The Gay Divorcee" (1934) Fred Astaire, Ginger Rogers.
(3) The Rifleman
12:30 (1) Movie "She Done Him Wrong" (1933) Cary Grant, Mae West.
1:00 (1) (2) (3) Tomorrow
1:58 (1) Movie "Incendiary Blonde" (1945) Betty Hutton, Arturo de Cordova.
2:15 (1) Joe Franklin
2:16 (1) News
2:45 (1) News

TV Dial-ogue

AGES OF ANN - Could you tell me the age of Ann-Margret? Also, where might I be able to get in touch with her? - Ted Robinson, Boston, Mass.
LIFE'S OVER - What happened to the program "Lifetime"? It was so nice in a world of TV filled with violence, sex and fantasy to be able to view a show that was touching, suspenseful and filled with reality and dedicated people. - Mrs. J. Edwards, Orim, Utah
You should have discovered by now that reality carries little weight in television. "Lifetime" was given several outings by NBC in various time slots, in the hope that an audience would be found for this sort of show. The audience never materialized.



ACROSS
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12 Grow out of
14 - Sanford
15 Bessie or Lame
16 Hebrew month
18 Seized
19 Senior (ab.)
20 Charlie's -
22 Compass point
23 Otherwise
24 Mr. Levenson
26 Martin -
28 Rigg or Rovv.
32 Jobs for Kar.
34 Alan and Robert
35 Indine
36 Cronkite reports in
37 Took a chair
39 Barbara -
41 A. Romero's first name
44 Alias Jack, John -
46 Chicago railway (coll.)
48 - Kazan
50 Flesh food
51 Before
52 First name of a Shore
54 - Nielson
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57 - Hope

DOWN
40 Restrain
41 Require
42 Miss Fitzgerald
43 TV tuner knob
45 Ewell's short signoff
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51 Guido's note
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Rol-Tan: 247 million

into criminal company is retold. 2 hrs. (R)
(1) Dick Cavett
11:17 (1) News
11:30 (1) Rockford Files
(2) Hogan's Heroes
(3) Police Story
(4) Tonight
(5) Honeymoners
(6) The Real America
12:00 (1) Adam-12
(2) Movie "Carefree" (1938) Fred Astaire, Ginger Rogers.
(1) Joe Franklin
12:30 (1) Movie "Horse Feathers" (1932) The Marx Brothers.
12:40 (1) CBS Late Movie "The Spiral Staircase" (1946) Dorothy McGuire, George Brent.
12:47 (1) The Saint
1:00 (1) (2) (3) Tomorrow
1:45 (1) Joe Franklin

Thursday, Dec. 28

- DAYTIME SPECIALS**
- 8:00
 23 Wilder, Wilder
- 10:30
 28 Forgotten Frontier
- 11:00
 24 Peter And The Wolf
- 12:00
 29 The Concord String Quartet Plays Bartok And Haydn
- 1:00
 30 Into The Morning: Willa Cather's America
- DAYTIME MOVIES**
- 12:00
 39 "Tokyo Joe" (1949) Humphrey Bogart, Florence Marly.
- 1:00
 40 "It Should Happen To You" (1954) Judy Holliday, Jack Lemmon.
- 4:00
 41 "The Last Angry Man" (1959) Paul Muni, David Wayne.
 42 "The Bride Goes Wild" (1948) Van Johnson, June Allyson.
- EVENING**
- 6:00
 31 32 33 News

- 35 The Brady Bunch
 36 Joker's Wild
 37 Bozo's Big Top
 38 TV Community College
 39 My Three Sons
 40 Bonanza
 41 Zoom (R)
- 6:30
 42 I Love Lucy
 43 Bowling For Dollars
 44 Jake Hees Gospel Time
 45 Over Easy
 46 Adam-12
 47 Dancing Disco
- 6:55
 48 News
- 7:00
 49 CBS News
 50 The Brady Bunch
 51 ABC News
 52 Dating Game
 53 Festival Of Faith
 54 Jimmy Swaggart Christmas
 55 News
 56 Dick Cavett
 57 Newlywed Game
 58 The Odd Couple
- 7:29
 59 Daily Numbers
- 7:30
 60 PM Magazine
 61 Carol Burnett And Friends
 62 Family Feud
 63 Newlywed Game
 64 Hollywood Squares
 65 MacNeil / Lehrer Report
 66 The Gong Show
 67 Chico And The Man

- 68 Tic Tac Dough
- 8:00
 69 The Waitons
 70 A House Divided
 71 Mork & Mindy
 72 NHL Hockey
 73 Project U.F.O.
 74 F.Y.I.
 75 Joker's Wild
- 8:30
 76 A House Divided
 77 Liars Club
 78 What's Happening!!
- 9:00
 79 Hawaii Five-O
 80 Merv Griffin
 81 Quincy
 82 Contest To Carnegie Hall
 83 Movie "The Killers" (1964) Lee Marvin, Angie Dickinson. A pair of hired assassins search for leads to a million dollar robbery. (2 hrs.)
 84 Barney Miller
 85 Soundstage
- 9:30
 86 Almost Heaven
- 10:00
 87 Barnaby Jones
 88 Family
 89 Living Faith
 90 David Cassidy
 91 The Priceless Treasures Of Dresden
 92 News
- 10:30
 93 News
 94 NHL Hockey
 95 Rippling Yarns

- 11:00
 96 97 98 News
 99 Dick Van Dyke
 100 Hogan's Heroes
 101 Dick Cavett
- 11:30
 102 M*A*S*H
 103 The Gong Show
 104 Starksy & Hutch
 105 Voice Of Faith
 106 Tonight
 107 The Rifleman
 108 Captioned ABC News
- 12:00
 109 Hogan's Heroes
 110 The Rifleman
- 12:05
 111 CBS Late Movie "Rebecca" (1940) Laurence Olivier, Joan Fontaine.
- 12:30
 112 Movie "Old Fashioned Way" (1934) W.C. Fields, Judith Fields.
- 12:37
 113 S.W.A.T.
- 1:00
 114 Joe Franklin
 115 Tomorrow
- 2:00
 116 News
- 2:04
 117 Movie "The Burning Hills" (1957) Tab Hunter, Natalie Wood.
- 2:42
 118 News

TV Dial-ogue

GARNERED - What was the name of the series that starred James Garner before he became Rockford? It was a turn-of-the-century Western set in a small town, where the people turned to him for help. He rode a motorcycle, and his pal Stuart Margolin was also in the cast. Hope you can help. - Janice Hawkins, Ripley, W.Va.

"Nichols" was both the name of the show and the character played by Garner. This "Support Your Local Sherrif" styled show unfortunately appeared when Westerns were being bumped by cops and car chases, and it didn't garner very high ratings, despite all its charm.

TWO-FIVE, TAKE TWO - This past year there was an ABC movie which starred Don Johnson as one of two cops. It was similar to "Starksy & Hutch," and I believe it

was supposed to become a series. What ever happened to the show? - Tim Cochran, Alexandria, La.

"The Two-Five" was the movie you're thinking of, which starred Joe Bennett as Johnson's partner in crime busting. The original pilot was supposedly too adult to make it in any of the available 8-9 p.m. slots this past season, and nothing later in the evening was available.

SING-SONG -- Did Vanessa Redgrave do her own singing in "Camelot"? Also, who does her son by co-star Franco Nero live with? - Mrs. O. Timpson, Mt. Kisco, N.Y.

Although Redgrave can sing a bit, she still can deliver a speech better than she can a song, and it was not her voice you heard in "Camelot." Carlo lives with his mother, but spends several months each year with Nero.

Friday, Dec. 29

- DAYTIME SPECIALS**
- 6:00
 1 A Handful Of Souls
- 12:00
 2 The Concord String Quartet Plays Bartok And Haydn
- 1:00
 3 The Priceless Treasures Of Dresden
- 2:00
 4 A Chesapeake Planter
- 2:30
 5 Wake Of '38
- DAYTIME SPORTS**
- 2:00
 6 Football
- DAYTIME MOVIES**
- 12:00
 7 "The Strange One" (1957) Ben Gazzara, Julie Wilson.
- 1:00
 8 "Jubil" (1956) Glenn Ford, Ernest Borgnine.
- 4:00
 9 "Miss Sadie Thompson" (1954) Jose Ferrer, Rita Hayworth.
 10 "Some Kind Of A Nut" (1969) Dick Van Dyke, Angie Dickinson.
- EVENING**
- 6:00
 11 12 13 News
 14 The Brady Bunch
 15 Joker's Wild
 16 Bozo's Big Top
 17 Mundo Real
 18 My Three Sons
 19 Bonanza
 20 Zoom (R)
- 6:30
 21 I Love Lucy
 22 Bowling For Dollars
 23 Jake Hees Gospel Time
 24 Over Easy

- 25 Adam-12
 26 Dancing Disco
- 6:55
 27 News
- 7:00
 28 CBS News
 29 The Brady Bunch
 30 ABC News
 31 Dating Game
 32 Festival Of Faith
 33 Soap Factory
 34 News
 35 Dick Cavett
 36 Newlywed Game
 37 The Odd Couple
- 7:29
 38 Daily Numbers
- 7:30
 39 PM Magazine
 40 Carol Burnett And Friends
 41 Sha Na Na
 42 Newlywed Game
 43 Porter Wagoner
 44 \$100,000 Name That Tune
 45 MacNeil / Lehrer Report
 46 Match Game P.M.
 47 Chico And The Man
 48 Tic Tac Dough
- 8:00
 49 Wonder Woman
 50 Cross-Wits
 51 Donny & Marie
 52 New York Report
 53 Different Strokes
 54 Washington Week In Review
 55 Joker's Wild
- 8:30
 56 Merv Griffin
 57 Meet The Mayors
 58 It Can't Happen To Me
 59 Wall Street Week
 60 Liars Club
- 9:00
 61 Incredible Hulk
 62 Gator Bowl
 63 It Is Written
 64 Rockford Files
 65 Congressional Outlook
 66 Movie "Wild And Wonderful" (1964) Tony Curtis, Christine Kaufmann. A French girl goes looking for her alcoholic poodle. (2 hrs.)
 67 Masterpiece Theatre
- 9:30
 68 The World Tomorrow

- 69 The Fourth Estate
- 10:00
 70 The Christians
 71 News
 72 Jimmy Swaggart
 73 Promises Of God
 74 Quincy
- 10:30
 75 Newark And Realty
 76 Living Faith
 77 Turnabout
- 11:00
 78 News
 79 The Gong Show
 80 Racing From Yonkers
 81 Dick Van Dyke
 82 Hogan's Heroes
 83 Dick Cavett
- 11:30
 84 Movie "One Million Years B.C." (1967) John Richardson, Raquel Welch.
 85 Movie "Duck Soup" (1933) The Marx Brothers.
 86 Bobby Vinton
 87 Tonight
 88 Movie "Docks Of New Orleans" (1948) Roland Winters, Virginia Dale.
 89 Captioned ABC News
- 11:45
 90 News
- 12:00
 91 Movie "Damsel In Distress" (1937) Fred Astaire, Joan Fontaine.
- 12:15
 92 Movie "Just For You" (1952) Bing Crosby, Jane Wyman.
 93 Baretta
- 12:58
 94 Movie "Battle Cry" (1955) Van Heflin, Aldo Ray.
- 1:00
 95 96 97 Midnight Special
- 1:22
 98 News
- 1:30
 99 News
- 2:05
 100 Joe Franklin
- 2:35
 101 News
- 4:10
 102 Jack Benny

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