

Serrani Disputes Claim Of Agency's Efficiency

HARTFORD (UPI) — The state Motor Vehicle Department isn't efficient enough to conduct annual auto emission tests which will be required under federal law next year, says the House chairman of the Legislature's Transportation Committee.

Bus Crash Not Result Of Mechanical Failure

HARTFORD (UPI) — Mechanical failure did not cause a crowded commuter bus to slam into a disabled gasoline tank truck, says an automotive engineer hired by state police to investigate the crash which killed three men.

O'Neill Seeks Reactions

NEW HAVEN (UPI) — Lt. Gov. William O'Neill says he plans to take the streets to find out the needs, wants and desires of Connecticut citizens concerning their state government.

Cults Topic Of Lecture

MANCHESTER — Manchester Community College will present a series of timely topics this semester offered at several faculty colloquia.

AARP Meets Wednesday

MANCHESTER — Connecticut Northeast Chapter, American Association of Retired Persons, will meet Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. at the KofC Home, 138 Main St.

PZC OKs Development

SOUTH WINDSOR — The Planning and Zoning Commission has voted to reject the application of Robert Sheridan, trustee, for a plan of development on the south side of Sullivan Avenue.

Board Members Resign

HEBRON — Jack Baker and Charles Schaeffer have resigned as members of the Board of Finance, Marion Celio, town clerk, has said that she has unofficially accepted their resignations, but has requested that they submit written resignations.

approved last year giving the commission of motor vehicles the option of deciding who will conduct the emission tests.

Load of Directors Adds to Clerk Job

MANCHESTER — The heavy meeting schedule of the Town Board of Directors means others besides the board members have to spend several nights a month listening to town issues.

Officials Probe Butter Disposal

CONCORD, N.H. (UPI) — Federal agriculture officials want to know why three tons of the high-priced spread — \$5,000 worth of U.S. government butter — ended up in the Concord dump.

To Head Council

MANCHESTER — Peter Vendrillo, representing the Army & Navy Club, was re-elected chairman of the Veterans Council of Manchester recently.

Dark Disease

NAPLES, Italy (UPI) — A virus causing an ailment called "dark disease" had killed at least 59 babies in southern Italy during the last year and doctors who admit they have no cure are playing tape recordings of mothers' voices in a vain effort to rouse stricken infants from the comatose state from which they do not recover.

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Tax Rebel To Fight Evidence

HAMDEN (UPI) — Tax rebel Irving Schiff, a long-time foe of the federal government, says he will fight the prosecution's attempt to introduce a tape of his appearance on a national television talk show at his tax evasion trial.

Back in Court

AUSTIN, Texas (UPI) — Madaly Murray O'Hair, the atheist leader who brought about the landmark 1963 U.S. Supreme Court ruling banning recitation of the Lord's Prayer in public schools, is back in court — trying to have the phrase "In God We Trust" removed from U.S. currency.

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Japanese Attitude Cold As Teng Lands in Tokyo

TOKYO (UPI) — Japanese officials said they were not impressed by the visit of Japanese Prime Minister Kakuei Tanaka to the United States.

PZC Backs MMH Plans For Lot on Closed Road

MANCHESTER — The Planning and Zoning Commission has approved a plan for a new lot on a closed road in the city.

Horae Racing Fix At Eastern Tracks

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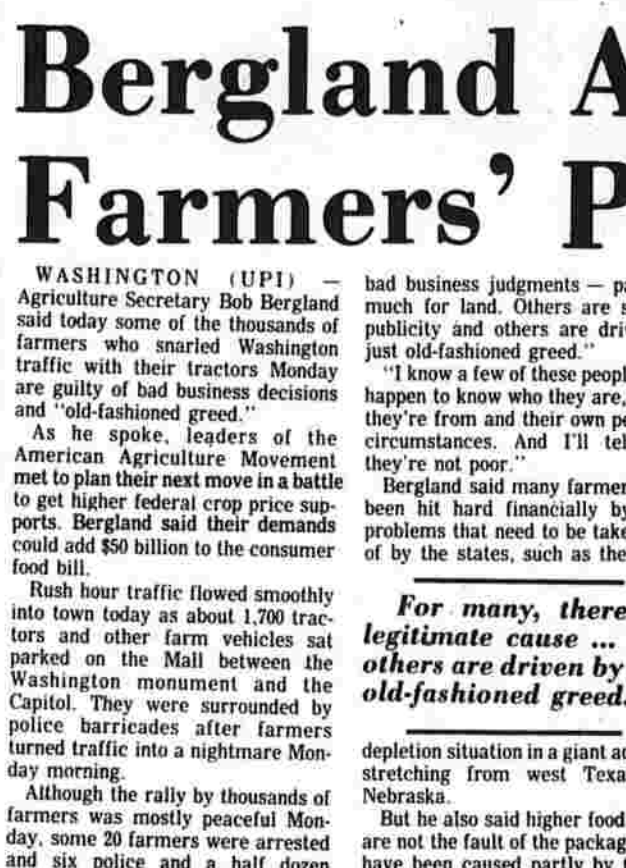
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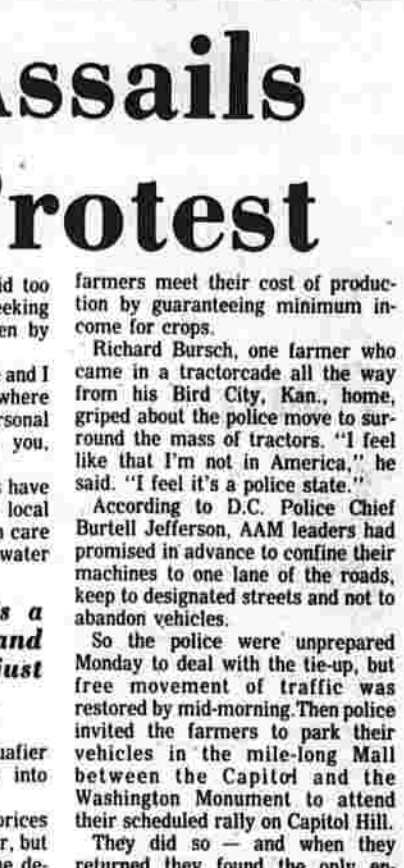
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PTA Group Urges Budget Hike Limit

By SUSAN VAUGHN
Herald Reporter

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At a public hearing, the committee also recommended several improvements which had not been included in the superintendent's proposed \$15.3 million budget for the 1979-80 school year.

In addition to the four improvement items included in School Superintendent James P. Kennedy's proposal, the committee recommended hiring a full-time art teacher for the elementary schools, rather than half-time as recommended.

The committee also urged the expansion of the program for gifted students to all elementary schools, three additional elementary school classroom aides, and a part-time nutritional consultant for the cafeteria program.

Amy Burns, co-chairwoman of the budget committee, said the committee's first priority on improvement programs was the proposal to partially close the open campus at Manchester High School next year. That item, at a cost of \$22,000, was Kennedy's most recent recommendation.

The other three improvements previously included in Kennedy's proposed budget and backed by the committee were an alternate education program at Bennet Junior High School, reinstatement of a second teaching position at the Environmental Education Center and the expansion of the art program.

The committee presented some surprising proposals on the number of classroom aides. Mrs. Burns said the committee feels that 30 additional classroom aides are needed to offset the staff reduction and the increased class sizes. However, the committee recommended the addition of only three aides as a start for next year. There are presently 13.35 aides in the elementary school.

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Catholic School Rally

It's rah! rah! rah! for the cheerleaders of Manchester's three Catholic junior high schools as they participate in a rally that opened this week's events in observation of Catholic School Week. Captains of the school teams are shown as follows: Back row, Donna Landry, left, Maureen Moriarty and Ann Louise Brady, Assumption Junior High School, middle; Patty Hollingsworth, left, and Arlette Hoch, right, St. James Junior High School, center; Cassie McConville, and Iront, Cindy Blasko, both of St. Bridget Junior High School. (Herald photo by Pinto)

Zinsser Says GOP Seeks Public Input on CD Fund

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Cummings Monday had criticized recent Republican statements in the proposed two-year ban on town participation in the Community Development program be the subject of a townwide referendum.

Cummings said the Town Charter already assures such a step and the Republican statement is a duplication of what already exists.

"All we're asking is for the people to have an opportunity to vote on this thing," Zinsser said. He said both those for and against the program already have made a number of statements.

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Fahey Offers Lease Bills

EAST HARTFORD — State Sen. Marcella Fahey has introduced two bills aimed at avoiding legal hassles between landlords and tenants. One bill would require both parties of a lease to sign a checklist of defects in an apartment or house before the lease is signed. The other bill would require plain language in dwelling leases.

"I am concerned that both parties to a rental agreement understand their rights and live up to their responsibilities. With the shortage of mortgage money and the economic crunch, more and more of us are becoming involved in rental situations," she said.

The checklist bill would require

both parties in a rental contract to agree on the condition of a dwelling unit before it is rented. The checklist would include a room-by-room listing of any defects.

"The purpose of this bill is to avoid the legal hassles that occur when a tenant moves out of an apartment, is charged for damages, and claims the damage was done before he moved in," Sen. Fahey said.

The plain language bill would require leases to be written in "plain and understandable language," she said.

"Some of the leases are so intimidating that people who sign them don't realize the implications of the clauses until later. If rental con-

tracts were written more clearly, maybe the tenant would take the time to read the lease and avoid legal complications later," she said.

The state Legislature last year considered such "plain language" requirements for certain contracts, but the bill did not pass. Similar bills for a variety of topics have been introduced again this year.

Manchester Public Records

Warranty deeds
Fellowship of Baptists for Home Missions Inc., Elyria, Ohio, to Faith Baptist Church Inc., property on New Bolton Road, no conveyance tax.
John W. Braddock to Richard L. Hansen and Judy A. Hansen, property at 22 Greenwood Drive, \$40,900.
Anna Baresza to Stewart A. Street, Hartford, property at 16-20 Birch St., \$49.50 conveyance tax.
First Hartford Realty Corp. to the Town of Manchester, property at Forest Ridge Condominium, no conveyance tax.
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New trade name
Dennis Santoro, 397 Spring St., doing business as New England Hot Tube of Manchester, 767 Main St. Building permits.
Gene Michaud for Kenneth Barnett, repair fire damage at 84 Benton St., \$5,000.
Carl Mazzotta for Elizabeth Harmon, 45 Brewster Road, repair fire damage at 86 Wells St., \$4,000.
Nathan Hale Construction for Patricia Brozek, repairs at 18-20 Woodbridge St., \$1,400.
Ross Roofing & Siding for Mike Missouri, steel siding at 615 Main St., \$1,800.
Lou D'Anello for Robert Wehr, Windsor Locks, alterations at 313

Birch Mountain Road, \$18,000.
Mr. and Mrs. Romeo Dube Jr., repair fire damage at 95 Linwood Drive, \$500.
Peter L. Brown Co. for Mrs. Joseph Dubiel, aluminum siding at 20 McKee St., \$792.
Nimbus Mfg. Co. for Heyman Properties, Westport, fire wall at 210 Pine St., \$8,000.
Barrows Realtors for Muriel Wilson, 65 Adelaide Road, sign at 156 E. Center St., \$800.
James Repsher for Angeline Ponticelli, 36 Wilfred Road, alterations at 104 Homestead St., \$200.

CRCOG Plans Series of Hearings on Trans Plan

HARTFORD — The Capitol Region Council of Governments has released a report on future transportation plans, and it will conduct a series of public hearings during the next two months on the proposals.

The first public hearing on the "Trans Plan" will be in Manchester Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. in the Municipal Building's Hearing Room and will be for Manchester and Bolton residents.

The public hearings will see public input about what route to take for future transportation improvements through the year 2000. The future planning includes the spending of \$500 million for transportation improvements.

Trans Plan, developed by CRCOG,

identified transportation problems in the Capitol Region and offers choices for solving those expected problems.

It says mass transit services are not adequate for present needs of the region.

"Mass transit is considered an important long-range choice because of shrinking energy sources for the automobile, the plan says.

Commuters have said present parking lots for bus service are not conveniently located. There also is no reverse commutation, which would bring workers from Hartford to the suburbs, the study says.

The area's regional roads — including interstate and state highway networks — are used for 1.7 million automobile trips per day.

"To make these trips, the region's residents consume over one million gallons of gasoline a day," the study says. "In addition to energy consumption, these auto trips pollute the region's air with hydrocarbons, carbon monoxide, nitrogen oxides and particulate matter."

"Car-pooling is one step to limit gasoline use and air pollution, according to the study.

It also discusses some of the problems with running present mass transit services.

"In the operation of transit services, deficits have become a fact of life," the study says. The area's service is predominately buses.

The study lists four opinions for future transportation planning. They are as follows:

- "Do nothing to significantly change the trend of transportation decisions. Build highways already planned; expand crowded ones and continue as we always have."
- "Invest in some major transit improvements in the bus system and existing network." This would include expanding the bus fleet and the number of commuter parking lots and seeking to provide more reliable service.
- "Invest in light rail (trolley cars) in one or more of the deficient corridors, which have high population concentrations and need transportation improvements. Such a system also would require feeder bus service and other steps to insure high

ridership on the rail.

- Provide a combination of two or more of the alternatives.

Trans Plan also lists some of the funding sources for transportation improvements. These include the Transportation Improvement Program, which provides 90 percent funding for the Interstate 84 widening in Vernon and Manchester and engineering for Interstate 84 work in Bolton, and the Urban Systems program, which provides funds for reconstruction of Main Street in Glastonbury and other projects.

The following public hearings also have been scheduled along with the one in Manchester:

Vernon, Feb. 14; South Windsor, Feb. 28; Glastonbury, (also for Andover and Hebron residents), March 7; East Hartford, March 28.

All of the hearings will be in the town hall of the town and will start at 7:30 p.m.

Paper Drive
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Betty's notebook

By Betty Ryder

We've shared several opening and closing nights, but we can't recall one packed with more emotion than this past Tuesday when popular pianist and vocalist, Lloyd Gilliam, sang in several languages had the patrons near tears as he bid goodbye to his loyal fans.

The highlight of the evening was when some of the waitresses presented him with a huge marble cake aglow with sparklers. The congenial black performer quipped, "Even the cake is integrally tied to his gift to him was a large crystal teardrop, which seemed to express their sentiments and those of the patrons."

He offered his thanks with his rendition of "I Did It My Way," after which one long-time patron said, "I wish I could sing like you brought in the cake, then I started to bowl."

There aren't too many entertainers who can stir a crowd as Gilliam does and he will be sorely missed. It was obvious, he was the people's choice. The people's choice.

Gilliam joined the staff at Cavey's

shortly after veteran pianist, Eddie Reed, was injured in an auto-truck accident more than a year ago. The popular Reed celebrated 19 years with the restaurant prior to his accident and is still convalescing at Manchester Manor.

With fans promising to "follow you anywhere," Gilliam said he is currently negotiating a new contract and will be appearing elsewhere in the area soon.

Lloyd Gilliam — break a leg. You're a hard act to follow. (But, we will.)

Game Available

Had a call from George Marlowe of Marlowe's Department Store on Main Street, Manchester, informing us that he now has a supply of the Milton Bradley game "Simon," a computer-controlled game which was the rage before Christmas.

Many stores ran out before the holidays," George said. "But, we now have a supply for those still interested."

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magazine.

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On the other hand, if you're thinking of having twins your chances are 92 to 1. And the chances of your or any other child born today living to 100 are 1,000 to 1.

On Holiday

Well, the temperatures aren't exactly soaring in Bermuda except to a letter received from friends on the island today.

It is a mere 58 degrees, but compared to our 17 degrees, it sounds like paradise.

Hope to be island-bound in about a week and perhaps the temperatures will jump a little so we can come back sporting a tan after basking on the beach at the Elbow Beach Surf Club in Paget, O.I. well, time will tell. Anyway, it's bound to be warmer than it is here.

College Note

John P. Maloney of 166 Wells St., Manchester, has been named to the dean's list for the fall semester at Roger Williams College in Bristol, R.I.

Mr. Magee attended Cathedral High School and Saint Anthony's High School in Trenton, He served in the U. S. Navy and is currently attending the University of Arizona.

The couple is planning a summer wedding in Manchester. (Nassif photo)

Engagements

Anderson-Magee

The engagement of Miss Cheryl Lynn Anderson of Manchester to Michael Magee of Trenton, N.J., has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald K. Anderson of 92 Timber Trail, Manchester.

Curtice-Sheridan

The engagement of Miss Katherine Lee Ann Curtice to David Sheridan, both of Manchester, has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Curtice of 11 Phillips Road, Manchester.

Mr. Magee is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Magee of Trenton, N.J.

Miss Anderson graduated from East Catholic High School and attended Providence (R.I.) College. She graduated from Creative School of Hairdressing in Manchester and is employed at Innovation Haircutters, Inc. in Manchester.

Mr. Magee attended Cathedral High School and Saint Anthony's High School in Trenton. He served in the U. S. Navy and is currently attending the University of Arizona.

Mr. Sheridan graduated from East Catholic High School in 1975 and from Creative School of Hairdressing in 1978. She is employed at United Parcel Service in Hartford.

Miss Curtice graduated from East Catholic High School in 1975 and from Creative School of Hairdressing in 1978. She is employed at United Parcel Service in Hartford.

Mr. Sheridan graduated from Manchester High School in 1973. He served in the U. S. Navy and is currently attending the University of Arizona.

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Births

Pantasia, Richard John, son of Richard and Maureen Butcher Fantasia of Bell Court, East Hartford. He was born Jan. 29 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Cynthia Twible, solists; the Rev. Dean Gushue, benediction; Alice Need, usherette and guest book.

Miss Twible was presented her Rainbow Bible by Mr. Livingston and her gavel by her mother and brother. Refreshments were provided by mothers of the Rainbow Girls.

Hickerson, Robert John, son of Robert W. and Carol Ann Sadowski Dickerson of 224 School St., Manchester. He was born Jan. 30 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Sadowski of Jamaica, N.Y. His paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Dickerson of Bradford, R.I. He has a sister, Kathleen, 5.

In the Service

Airman Kim Kowalski, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Kowalski of 22 Granber Road, Tolland, has been selected for technical training at Sheppard AFB, Texas, in the Air Force civil engineering structural and pavements field.

He completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Texas, and studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special instruction in human relations.

He graduated from Tolland High School in 1978.

Michael E. Corcoran, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Corcoran of 39 Glenwood Road, South Windsor, has enlisted in the U. S. Air Force.

In 1974, Corcoran of South Windsor High School, he selected a position in the

general career field and departed for basic training College and also has a certificate from the Hotel and Restaurant Management Program at Manchester Community College.

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Obituaries

Frederick LaForge
SOUTH WINDSOR - Frederick T. LaForge, 63, of Griffin Road died Friday at Manchester Memorial Hospital.

The private funeral took place at Holmes Funeral Home, 400 Main St., Manchester. Burial will be at the convenience of the family.

Mr. LaForge was born March 16, 1915 in Manchester and lived there most of his life before coming to South Windsor. He had been employed as a machinist at the Emhart Mfg. Co., Hartford.

He is survived by a son, Frederick G. LaForge of Windsor Locks; a daughter, Mrs. Sheila Sartori of Windsor Locks; a sister, Mrs. Patricia May of Manchester; and four grandchildren.

Matthew Guastamacchio
SOUTH WINDSOR - Matthew Guastamacchio, 77, of 549 Demming St., former owner of the Long Hill Fuel Co. of South Windsor, died Monday at his home.

Mr. Guastamacchio owned the Long Hill Fuel Co. until 1948, when he sold the business and retired.

He was born in Terlizzi, Province of Bari, Italy, and had lived in East Hartford most of his life, coming to South Windsor 22 years ago. He was one of the founders of the Italian-American Club of East Hartford.

Other survivors are two sons, Jack Guastamacchio of South Windsor and Joseph Guastamacchio of Old Lyme; three daughters, Mrs. Frances Transtana of East Hartford and Mrs. Angelina Havens and Mrs. Antonette Colasanto, both of South Windsor; two brothers, John Guastamacchio of East Hartford and Joseph Guastamacchio of Florida; 13 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

The funeral is Wednesday at 8:15 a.m. from Samsel-Bassinger Funeral Home, 419 Buckland Road, with a mass at St. Francis of Assisi Church at 9 a.m. Burial will be in Wapping Cemetery.

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

Miss Loretta M. Gillette
MANCHESTER - Miss Loretta Mabel Gillette, 97, of 29 Cottage St. died Monday at Manchester Memorial Hospital.

Miss Gillette was born in Canton and had been employed as a companion in the New Hartford and Windsor areas for many years before coming to Manchester 20 years ago. She was a member of the Professional Women's Club of Manchester.

She is survived by 12 nieces and nephews.

The funeral is Wednesday at 12:30 p.m. at Holmes Funeral Home, 400 Main St. Private burial will be in Dyer Cemetery, Canton.

There are no calling hours. The family suggests that any memorial gifts may be made to the Memorial Fund of South United Methodist Church.

Mrs. Elizabeth S. Baron
HEBON - Mrs. Elizabeth Sallan Baron, 90, of Hebron died Sunday at Windham Community Memorial Hospital, Windham. She was the widow of Michael Baron.

Mrs. Baron was born in Czechoslovakia and had lived in Hebron for the past 40 years. She was a member of Holy Trinity Lutheran Church of Stafford Springs.

She is survived by three sons, Paul Baron and John Baron, both of Hebron, and Carl Baron of Richmond Hill, L.I., N.Y.; a daughter, Mrs. Henry Dombrowski of Hebron; five grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

PZC Backs MMH Plans For Lot on Closed Road

By JUNE TOMPKINS
HERALD REPORTER
MANCHESTER - The Planning and Zoning Commission has endorsed the Manchester Memorial Hospital's plan to close Memorial Street.

The land on both sides of the street, where partial parking is provided, would be converted into about 100 parking spaces, according to Paul Moss, assistant hospital administrator.

The conversion will also include demolition of the Chapman house on the corner of Hayes and Memorial streets, and two houses on Russell Street. The unoccupied Chapman house will be first to be removed, Moss said.

This in preparation for proposed construction of a mental health facility on the site of the existing building. Hayes and Guard streets. This will mean the loss of about 200 parking spaces, Moss said.

While the facility is being built, Moss said, the existing parking area around the hospital will be occupied by the construction firm working on the facility.

Housing Code Revisions To Allow Buckling Down

By GREG PEARSON
HERALD REPORTER
MANCHESTER - The proposed revisions to the town's housing code include an emphasis on safety and privacy and a method of withholding permits if a landlord fails to make needed corrections.

This revised code, combined with the recently established housing code, will help the town buckle down on the enforcement of its housing code, Ronald Kraatz, health administrator, said.

Town officials and members of the Community Development Advisory Committee have made requests in recent months that the town tighten enforcement of the code which sets certain standards that should be met in residential units.

The present code was adopted in 1962 and is outdated in some areas. Kraatz said the message seeking stricter enforcement has developed recently. The new code and the housing code should help obtain that goal.

The court opened Jan. 1. It is a separate session in Hartford's Superior Court, and deals specifically with housing matters.

Other items include attempts to provide more privacy. The revised code would prohibit a setup where a bedroom or bathroom could be entered only by going through a bedroom, Kraatz said.

Safety restrictions also will be tightened. The present code provides no enforcement for such things as storage of gasoline in a cellar near a furnace, he said.

"We've got a lot more things about safety in there. It's an area we've been concerned about," he said.

Dr. Ben Felt, head of the town attorney's office to make sure they comply with state law. They also will be reviewed by the Community Development Advisory Committee at his Thursday meeting.

One step for stricter enforcement would provide for a reversion of rents to be set up if a landlord fails to make changes required to meet code. Under the proposed code, the town could take the landlord to court or establish the reversion.

The reversion of rents, which would be a person appointed by the town, would hold the rents of the tenants until the corrections are made by the landlord. Such a reversion is permitted only for units that house three or more families, Kraatz said.

Such a reversion setup might help with out-of-state owners, who sometimes have been slow to correct problems in the past, he said.

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Housing Code Revisions To Allow Buckling Down

By GREG PEARSON
HERALD REPORTER
MANCHESTER - The proposed revisions to the town's housing code include an emphasis on safety and privacy and a method of withholding permits if a landlord fails to make needed corrections.

This revised code, combined with the recently established housing code, will help the town buckle down on the enforcement of its housing code, Ronald Kraatz, health administrator, said.

Town officials and members of the Community Development Advisory Committee have made requests in recent months that the town tighten enforcement of the code which sets certain standards that should be met in residential units.

The present code was adopted in 1962 and is outdated in some areas. Kraatz said the message seeking stricter enforcement has developed recently. The new code and the housing code should help obtain that goal.

The court opened Jan. 1. It is a separate session in Hartford's Superior Court, and deals specifically with housing matters.

Roof Out of Sight

The roof of the J.C. Penney Co.'s catalog distribution center seems to stretch out of sight. Much of the frame of the building has been installed, and construction work still will take more than a year to complete.

The two-million-square-foot building is in Manchester's Buckland Industrial Park near Exit 93 of Interstate 86. (Herald photo by Strempler)

Access to Case Mt. Wins PZC Approval

By JUNE TOMPKINS
HERALD REPORTER
MANCHESTER - Concerned that access to town-owned Case Mountain may be limited if adjoining land off Birch Mountain Road is sold to developers, the Conservation Commission is asking the town to purchase a parcel of that land which belongs to the Dennison family.

The Planning and Zoning Commission agreed. Representing the Conservation Commission, Malcolm Barlow, attorney, Monday night showed the Planning and Zoning Commission a map of a 32-acre parcel outlined by the town's engineer, Walter Senkow.

Barlow explained that according to Senkow, a plan that was made when Case Mountain first became available for sale showed an area off Birch Mountain Road that could provide about 50 parking spaces.

Club Plans Dance
EAST HARTFORD - The Italian Ladies' Club will hold a 50's dance on Saturday, March 3, at the Italian American Club, 464 Tolland St. The public is welcome.

Dancing will be from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Music will be provided by The Mixers. Dress is casual.

There will be a 50's dance contest with prizes for the best 50's dancers. Dips, chips and pizza and coffee will be served.

There is an admission price. Sets will be furnished at a nominal charge. Door prizes will be given.

For tickets, contact Millie Kershaw at 569-1767. Deadline for tickets will be at the club's Feb. 22 meeting.

Suspect Red-Handed

MANCHESTER - Two Manchester Police Patrolmen caught a suspected thief literally red-handed with two jars of spaghetti sauce and other food as he was exiting from a Main Street delicatessen early today.

Police said Kenneth F. Hatfield, 18, of 98 Summit also lit a fire in a wastebasket in the Full of Baloney store at 415 Main St. and left it burning, when he left.

Manchester Police Report

MANCHESTER - Burglaries in two neighboring apartments on Downey Drive were reported to police Monday. Both burglaries occurred during the day.

More than \$1,500 worth of stereo equipment and \$450 in pewter tableware was stolen from one apartment. Stereo equipment, a camera and some jewelry were stolen from the other apartment.

Five tanks of bottled gas were reported missing from the J.C. Penney Construction site on Tolland Turnpike over the weekend. Police

Herald Angle

Earl Yost
Sports Editor

Did You Know That...

Will Chamberlain once played basketball in Manchester against George Mitchell's Red Ambers. The seven-foot All-American out of the University of Kansas and later an All-Pro in the NBA after he moved to Springfield, Mass., in the spring.

Boxing great Sugar Ray Robinson, called in many quarters the best pound for pound fighter to ever lace on a pair of gloves, once performed on the basketball court at the Clark Arena. Robinson wore the colors of Marquis Haynes' Magicians. The Sugarman held the lightweight and middleweight titles.

Former world's featherweight boxing champion Willie Pep fought several times as an amateur in Manchester at the State Armory on his way up the ladder. The Manchester Red Men promoted the shows.

Baseball Hall of Famer Ed Walsh, who once won 40 pitching decisions in one year with the Chicago White Sox in the American League, hurled in an exhibition game at Mt. Nebo 20 years ago. Walsh won 40 and lost 15 games in 1908.

Manchester has had four natives make it to the major leagues in baseball. Herman Bronkie, Tom Kelley, Joe Morhardt and Jay Johnstone. The latter is the only member of the foursome in the big show.

Brookie is director of athletics and Morhardt is director of athletics and baseball coach at Gilbert High in Winsted and Kelley is working for the postal service in Virginia Beach, Va.

Former major league pitcher Rollo Shelton of the New York Yankees and ex-NBA player Toby Kimball were once on the payroll of Fred Nassiff III at the Nassiff Arms store sporting goods store during their off-seasons.

Bobby Knight went from the Manchester Guards to the Hartford Hartford Ghettoettes and back to the Guards where he could make more money and travel a lot less.

Names in the News

Jesus Alou
HOUSTON (UPI) - The Houston Astros Monday named Jesus Alou, 36, as a new player-coach to replace Tony Pacheco, who will become the team's National League scout.

It was not disclosed whether Alou would assume Pacheco's duties as first base coach.

Bob McCammon
PHILADELPHIA (UPI) - The Philadelphia Flyers have completed a rare trade of head coaches by sending Bob McCammon back to coach their Maine Mariners farm team in the American Hockey League.

McCammon was appointed Monday to replace Pat Quinn, who Sunday was brought up to the parent club as the new coach after McCammon was relieved of his duties. McCammon, 37, led the Mariners to the Calder Cup title last year.

Michael Goldberg
PORTLAND, Ore. (UPI) - Former general counsel for the American Basketball Association Michael Goldberg has been named general representative of the NBA Coaches Association, Portland Trail Blazers Coach Jac Ramsey announced Monday.

Ramsey, president of the coaches group, said Goldberg was the first person named to the position which will involve arranging financial security for the coaches and their assistants, many of whom have no pensions.

Fred O'Connor
WASHINGTON (UPI) - Fred O'Connor, the San Francisco 49ers' interim coach for the final seven games last season, is joining the Washington Redskins as an assistant, according to Coach Jack Pardee.

Earlier Monday, Pete McCulley, the man O'Connor replaced as head coach of the 49ers, was hired as an assistant coach by the New York Jets. O'Connor will coach the Redskins' offensive backs. George Dickson, who coached them last year, will handle the linebackers next season.

Don Hasselbeck
PHILADELPHIA (UPI) - Tractor-trailer Monday just after starting out on a 1,300-mile bicycle caravan from Veterans Stadium for the benefit of the Muscular Dystrophy Association.

Hasselbeck, a 6-foot-8 backup receiver for the Patriots, suffered contusions of the left knee and shoulder but was released after treatment at Methodist Hospital, a hospital spokeswoman said. Police said he probably would rejoin the group of bicyclists Tuesday between Baltimore and Washington.

Racing Fix Scheme in East

Five Horse Race Tracks Are Involved

BOSTON (UPI) - FBI agents hunted today for more than one dozen suspects in a \$1.3 million race-fixing scheme involving horse tracks in five eastern states.

A federal grand jury in Boston Monday indicted 21 persons, including three jockeys and two horse owners, on 51 counts of racketeering and bribery. One defendant was on the FBI's Most Wanted List.

By late Monday, five of the defendants had been arrested. Three others were already in prison on other charges, including the alleged leader of the operation, the FBI said.

An FBI spokesman said he expected many of those still at large to give themselves up today. Among the fugitives was Joseph McDonald of Somerville, Mass., who is on the FBI's Most Wanted List for interstate transportation of \$250,000 in rare stamps stolen in Boston.

The indictments charged the defendants with fixing at least 20 races at five tracks in Massachusetts, Rhode Island, New Hampshire, Pennsylvania and New Jersey in 1974 and 1975 and seeks forfeiture of \$1.35 million in profits allegedly reaped from the races.

Among those believed to have testified before the grand jury was "Red" Carew, who has appeared as a witness for the government in other race-fixing scandals.

The leader of the alleged scheme was identified as Howard T. Winter of Lexington, Mass., a reputed leader of organized crime in the Boston area who is currently serving an 18-month prison term for extortion.

The maximum penalty for racketeering is 20 years in prison and a \$20,000 fine. The maximum sentence for sports bribery, which could include paying off jockeys in a race, is five years in jail and a \$10,000 fine.

In addition, the indictments also charged 29 counts of interstate transportation in aid of racketeering. The maximum penalty for that charge is five years and a \$10,000 fine.

The six tracks involved in the alleged scheme are: Suffolk Downs in East Boston, Lincoln Downs in Rhode Island, Rockingham Park in Salem, N.H., Pocomo Downs near Las Vegas, Nev.; John D. DeSalvo, 51, of Philadelphia, and jockey Edward Donnelly, 35, of Crystal Beach, Fla. Donnelly was apprehended in Little Rock, Ark. The others were arrested in their home towns.

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Picture-Card Scene at Killington Ski Resort
Snow frosted trees along the slopes at Killington Ski Resort present a beautiful sight for skiers as they glide down the central Vermont area. (UPI Photo)

Angel Ticket Sales Soar

ANAHEIM, Calif. (UPI) - The deal that brought batting star Rod Carew to the California Angels also brought a record sale of season tickets - including a pair to former President Richard Nixon.

Nixon, whose San Clemente estate is about 40 miles from Anaheim Stadium, bought the tickets Monday, two days after the Angels acquired the seven-time American League batting champion from the Minnesota Twins.

Nixon, through an aide, told an Angels executive. "Since you obtained Carew I know you're making every effort to bring a winner out here, and we just want to support you."

Carew and the Angels have scheduled a news conference for Thursday at 12:30 p.m. PST at which time sources said a five-year, \$4 million contract will be signed.

Angels' Vice President and General Manager Buzie Bravay said Monday, contrary to an official statement from the Minnesota Twins, the deal between California and Minnesota that brought Carew to the Angels did not involve cash.

The Twins' said they received \$400,000, plus outfielder Reaux, right-handed pitcher Paul Hartzell and two minor leaguers - pitcher Benjamin Davis and catcher-third baseman Evan Bawers - said only the players headed north.

Carew's multi-million pact looked a little less expensive to the Angels Monday when the first sign of his marketing impact was felt. Since ticket counts opened Sunday, 250 season seats have been sold, totaling nearly \$90,000, the Angels said.

Gene Autry, the old singing cowboy and now President of the Angels, said, "Rod Carew just might make us win the pennant. In the old days I remember when the New York Yankees needed one or two certain players and they'd get them and go on to win pennants and World Series. We're hoping that will be the case here."

"In any case it certainly will improve our ballclub." Manager Jim Fregosi, set to begin his second season at the helm of the Angels, said much of Carew's talent has been overlooked.

Red Sox Were Not In Carew Picture

BOSTON (UPI) - Rod Carew is now a California Angel and Hayward Sullivan says he's just as glad the seven-time batting champ was never really close to playing for the Boston Red Sox.

"He wanted to go to California all the time," the Boston general manager said Monday. "I'm kind of glad we weren't involved. Naturally we would have loved to have him, but we didn't get into deep negotiations. We just let them know we were interested."

The Red Sox were never really in the picture to land Carew. But the New York Yankees were, and Sullivan said he wasn't all that worried about Carew playing in minstrips.

"Public relations-wise, it would have been a coup for them to sign Carew," Sullivan said of the Yankees. "But what it does to your ball club is more important. If he had gone to New York, I was hopeful they would have had to give up enough to it wouldn't have been a real coup for them."

The Yankees reportedly offered Chris Chambliss, Juan Beniquez and others for Carew. But the Yankees pulled out of the bidding when Carew said he wasn't sure he wanted to play in New York.

Sullivan said the most pressing needs for the Red Sox still are pitching and bench support. He said three hurlers projected to fill big roles on the 1979 staff - Andy Hassler, Bob Stanley and Jim Wright - were unsigned.

"I've talked to Hassler's agent and there appears to be no problem with him. We're in pretty good shape. We'll have to negotiate some of spring training.

"But we don't have anyone who won't report because they're not signed. I think we'll have a full contingent out there," Sullivan said.

The general manager said the Red Sox were not "really pushing to make a deal" before spring training, which starts in three weeks. He said he was hoping one or two of the minor league pitchers could make the club this season.

Sullivan revealed he has had general discussions with Carl Yastrzemski about a new contract. Yastrzemski said he was not interested in a new contract.

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Swedish Stars Ready for NHL-Soviet Series

Three Swedish hockey players who will play with the NHL All-Stars against the Soviets take time out during practice session at Madison Square Garden. Anders Heberg, left, and Ulf Nilsson, right, perform with the New York Rangers and Borje Salming, center, is with the Toronto Maple Leafs. Series starts Thursday. (UPI Photo)

Curved Hockey Stick Starts Controversy

NEW YORK (UPI) — "Well," pronounced NHL President John Ziegler, standing in the runway leading to the Madison Square Garden ice, "within 24 hours we have a controversy."

And that's how the week of the Soviet-NHL Challenge Cup opened — not with a shot, and not with a check, but with a hassle over the allowed curvature of the Soviet sticks.

"We didn't mind the curve on Bobby Hull's stick," said one member of the Soviet party, referring to an era when the NHL allowed the half-moon blade.

"As far as I know, the contract provides for National Hockey League rules," answered Ziegler. "The contract has been in existence for a year and I haven't heard any request for changes."

But the early lapse into quibbles — mild though they may be — indicates the sense of competition in a three-game series that will be settled, if necessary, but an overtime in the third game.

"I'm convinced the Soviets will have the best representative team they've ever had," said Montreal Coach Scotty Bowman, who is running the team.

Viktor Tikhonov, the Soviet coach, tried to downplay the meeting, saying the ultimate goal of the Soviets is to win the world title. "This series is only a preparation for the world championship in Moscow."

Dominant Bout

SANTA MONICA, Calif. (UPI) — The Muhammad Ali Amateur Boxing Club won six of nine bouts over the weekend to defeat the U.S. Marine Corps team at the Santa Monica Civic Auditorium.

Tony Tubbs, the only American to go the distance, won Cuba's Olympic Gold Medalist Teofilo Stevenson, scored a decision over Rufus Hadley in one heavyweight bout to lead the All Club.

Lightweights Dan Avery and David Armstrong, flyweight Sonny Long and Bernard Bontion all won on decisions and Jeff Whaley scored a TKO over William Hayes in the light flyweight class for the All Club.

Basketball

ILLING: Despite landing three players in double figures, Illing Junior High dropped a 35-48 decision to John F. Kennedy High of Enfield yesterday afternoon.

Mark Butler scored 15 points. Manny Johnson 11, Frank Marandino 10 for the losers who won an 83-70 loss record.

ILLING JUNIOR

Kennedy High of Enfield lacked an 82-38 setback on the Illing Jayvees yesterday afternoon.

Mike St. Laurent hooped 19 points and Jim Bosse 8 for the locals. Kevin Brophy and Glenn Dobias each hauled down 8 rebounds for Illing whose record dipped to 1-8.

HEWITT

Running its record to 11-1 yesterday afternoon, Bennet Junior High nipped Timothy Edwards of South Windsor, 64-61.

Chris Carmel's two critical free throws and one by Ron Pedemonte with seconds remaining clinched the victory.

The losers were paced in point-making by Tim Mountain with 29 and Bob Stengel with 18.

Coach Fred Lennon's Bears were in action again today against Karcuszek of Enfield add one basketball.

Y PEEWEE

Don Willis Garage opened Blue Moon last night, 31-17, and VFW shaded CBC, 17-16, in play at the V.

Brian Brophy's 18 points led the Garagemen with teammate Sean O'Donnell dropping in 6 points. Best in defeat were Paul Scarito and Laura Boudreau with 7 and 4 points respectively.

Mike McDonald's 7 points led the Vets in a lousier affair. Neil Schuckner added 4 points to the VFW attack. Kelly Dubois paced CBC with 6 points.

Butler Paces MCC To 20-Point Win

Followers of Manchester Community College's basketball team were treated to the Carlton Butler Show last night at East Catholic High.

Butler went on a second half tear in leading the Cougars to a 68-48 victory over Middlesex Community College.

The success ended a five-game losing streak and pegged the locals' record at 10-9. Middlesex has a 5-13 won-lost log.

Wednesday night the Cougars are home again with Mattatuck supplying the opposition following a preim featuring the women's team of two colleges' at 6.

Butler contributed 33 points, pulled down 21 rebounds, collected two steals, passed off three assists and blocked six shots in the finest individual performance by a MCC player this season.

After getting off to a fast start, and enjoying an 11-point lead, the locals saw Middlesex creep to within three points at intermission 33-30. The locals tallied just two points in the last six minutes of the half.

After the break, Butler took over, although he didn't dominate play until the final 10 minutes. At the halfway point in the second half, the teams were deadlocked at 43-43. Coach Frank Kinel's charges then came alive, sparked by Butler, and reeled off 12 straight points to break the game wide open. Butler tossed in 8 points and Paul Litke 4 for a 55-43 edge. With 5:30 remaining, the local lead ballooned to 20 points, 71-51, and Butler was replaced. His second half performance totaled 14 points and as many rebounds.

Paul Litke added 12 second half points, all from long range. He wound up with 14 points and 9 rebounds. John Zito added 13 points and Sean Thompson again sparked in the backcourt handing out a dozen assists.

Stickouts for Middlesex were Dave Powell with 21 points, Frank Prater with 18 and Greg Peay with 12.

Manchester (86) Thompson 3 0-0, Zito 6 12-13, Butler 16 18-33, Frederick 13 5, P. Litke 7 0-4, Murphy 2 0-0, D. Litke 1 0-0, Barzano 0 2-2, Wyman 1 1-3. Totals 40-60-86.

Middlesex (68) Powell 10 1-4, Prater 9 0-18, Peay 6 11-13, Lucas 1 0-2, Crouch 1 0-2, Reese 3 4-10, Coyle 1 0-2. Totals 31-64-88.

Rhody Holds Top Position

BOSTON (UPI) — The University of Rhode Island has lost two of its last three and no longer sports the best record among New England's Division I basketball teams.

Boston College has won eight in a row, 11 of its last 12, and at 14-4 has New England's best record.

But the coaches still think the Rams are the region's top team.

URI, 15-4, gathered in 12 first place votes and 68 points to keep hold of the top spot for the eighth straight week. Rhode Island has lost to Wake Forest and St. Joseph's. The Crusaders traveled a win over Division II Merrimack, in the past week. The Rams face Massachusetts and Boston University this week.

Boston College could collect only two first place votes and a total of 57 points. BC visits St. John's Tuesday night and hosts Holy Cross this Saturday.

Connecticut is again solidly in the third position. The Huskies, 13-6, collected 18 points. They just Harvard and Massachusetts this week while meeting Fordham on the road. Holy Cross, 13-6, is in fourth place with 56 points. The Crusaders traveled a win over Division II Merrimack, in the past week. The Rams face Massachusetts and Boston University this week.

During the day I caught up with

SKI NOTES

By BILL SACHEREK

Skied at Berkshire East last weekend and found good granular conditions.

Berkshire East is off the Mahanuk Trail, one and a half hours from here. It was called Thunder Mountain and founded by Art Parker in 1953, with whom I chatted, and at that time they had a rope tow. A chair was installed in 1960 as most of the trails were cut.

Today at Berkshire East has it all. A complete ski and rental shop, all new skis, a new base lodge, the main base lodge, consists of 2 floors and 2000 sq. ft. of space. Night skiing until 10 Tuesday through Saturday. Snowmaking and good grooming covers 95 percent of the area.

The Busch Winterfest was in progress as Bill Hoffman and Bill O'Leary and Troupe gave free style and many free lessons.

The Busch balloon was aloft giving many youngsters a thrill. The Busch racing team found good competition in the GS.

During the day I caught up with

Irish Up Margin In UPI Cage Poll

NEW YORK (UPI) — When Notre Dame first reached the top of the weekly UPI Press International weekly college basketball ratings three weeks ago, Coach Digger Phelps was worried, thinking back to the only other time the Fighting Irish were ranked No. 1.

"I hope we stay on top longer this time," Phelps said at the time, referring to the short week Notre Dame spent on top after breaking UCLA's 88-game winning streak in January 1974.

Phelps must have been pretty pleased Monday when the Irish increased their lead over second-ranked Indiana State in the latest voting of the 45-member Board of Coaches.

Notre Dame scored easy victories over Brown and Xavier and battled to a come-from-behind decision over Dayton last week, to boost its season record to 15-2. The Irish were rewarded with 22 first-place votes — 10 more than last week — and 603 points to strengthen its position at the top of the heap.

Indiana State, the nation's only undefeated team with 20 victories, followed with 16 first-place mentions and 562 points to maintain a firm grip on the No. 2 position in a week of relative calm at the top of the ratings.

For the first time this year, the top six spots remained the same as last week. UCLA, 16-3, garnered 514 points and one first-place vote to hold onto third place while Duke, 16-3, picked up the other three first-place mentions and 483 points for fourth.

After boosting its record to 19-3 with a pair of tough wins, Louisville remained fifth and North Carolina, 16-4, stayed six despite a Friday night loss to Furman.

In a major reshuffling of the middle spots, LSU took No. 7 after raising its record to 16-5 in the tough Southeastern Conference. Marquette moved up one notch to eighth place with a pair of wins and Michigan State, a winner three times during the week, is in No. 9, returning to the top 10 after a week's absence.

Six coaches from each of seven geographical areas of the nation comprise the UPI ratings board.

South Windsor Stops Midgets

Outshot, outscored and outmaneuvered was the Manchester Midget hockey team last Sunday against the South Windsor Midgets at the Hartford Arena.

The winners tallied once in the first period and three times in the second while Manchester's scores came once in the first period and twice in period No. 2.

Dean Tully accounted for two Manchester goals and George Zdanis added the third with assists going to Don Weinbaum, Willie Simon and Karl Florentine.

Martin had two goals for South and Glenn and Steve each had one each. Penalties hurt the locals while none were assessed against the winners.

Manchester faces Enfield Friday night in Enfield.

Bowling

EASTERN BUSINESS: John Lavado 188-416, Bob Martin 189-380, Tom Turner 155-140-411, Dave Grzyb 157-146-426, Ted Kowzun 155-408, Dave Dynes 147-393, Bill Zwick 144-142-413, Mike Zwick 141-375, Tony DeDominicis 141, Sandy Hanna 140-378, Bob Holmes 403, Hank Grzyb 379, Ron Joiner 376.

Mahre Upsets Stenmark

JASNA, Czechoslovakia (UPI) — American Phil Mahre, moving into a peak form when the circuit moves to the United States next month, won his first World Cup slalom of the season Monday with an upset victory over Swedish ace Ingemar Stenmark.

Stenmark was not upset about the outcome.

"The World Cup doesn't interest me any more. I am not concentrating on it all," he said.

The Swede, who refuses to take part in downhill races, cannot retain his World Cup title under the new points system which allows a maximum of 150 points for slalom events.

Luescher is favored for the title with 174 points with Stenmark second at 135 and Phil Mahre at 127.

Stenmark, who gained his sixth consecutive giant slalom victory Sunday, seemed set to complete a double feat by winning a double slalom on Monday. He had a 1-1 record in the current slalom, and moved him up one notch into third place in the current standings.

Phil Mahre, who has been behind runner Stenmark, Mahre has been following with 16 first-place mentions and 562 points to maintain a firm grip on the No. 2 position in a week of relative calm at the top of the ratings.

Hamell Out

DETROIT (UPI) — Defenseman Jean Hamell of the Detroit Red Wings will be out of action for about a month due to a hand injury suffered in Sunday's game between the Red Wings and Pittsburgh Penguins.



Words of Wisdom Passed Out and Followed

With the regulars sitting on the bench taking a breather during a timeout and the reserves squaring, East Catholic High Coach Jim Penders had some words of advice against South Catholic High last Friday night. The coach got his point across as East won the HCC leaders in overtime, 65-63. (Herald Photo by Strempler)

Major Test for Eagles, Indians and Tech Home

By LEO AUSTER

Herald Sports-writer

"We'll show up and see what happens," East Catholic Basketball Coach Jim Penders stated prior to last Friday's clash with arch-rival South Catholic, after finding out his quintet would be without injured starter Pete Kiro.

Well, the rest is history. The Eagles' showed up — and snappd their nine-game, three-year losing streak to the arch-rival Rebels with an overtime decision. East's last in over South had been in 1975-76 in John Pinone's freshman year, 64-57.

Having put to rest that loss keen, East will be out tonight to snap another as it travels to West Hartford to oppose HCC for Northwest Catholic. Coach Charlie Larson's Indians have taken five straight from the Eagles, including a 52-46 duke earlier this year.

Manchester High, still fighting for the fourth and final CCLL playoff berth, is home against fast-charging Forni High while cross town, 3-19-72 Cheney Tech has the unenviable assignment of entertaining COC leading 13-0, 15-0 Cromwell High visits 7-7, 8-7 Westfield High and 1-13 East Hartford High hosts 12-2, 14-2 Conard High in CCLL matchups. South Windsor, 10-6, is at 5-5 Hartford Public in a non-conference clash while 5-5, 7-8 Rockville High is at 6-4, 7-8 Windsor High in CVC play. 2-14-2 Conard High in Charter Oak Conference bouts.

If Kiro isn't ready, he won't play states Penders. "He has to prove to me he is 100 percent. He's too valuable to gamble with," the second-year East coach commented. "Every game is important but I won't take any chances. He won't start if he does play." Huss Radant, 6-foot-6 1/2 sophomore, replaces the 6-foot-3 Kiro in the starting lineup.

Northwest currently holds down the third spot in the HCC at 5-2 and is 12-3 overall. The Indians have won seven of their last eight, the only mar 5-point setback to South. Northwest trailed throughout in the first meeting against East, but rallied in the closing quarter to take the decision.

"We took poor shots when we were ahead in that first game," Penders explained, "and also maybe it was a case of not enough sleep. We now believe in ourselves and others' points) believe in us, too."

The Eagle leader isn't concerned about a possible letdown, either. "We could but it hasn't happened this year. We have too many competitors, too many kids who want to win for it to happen."

Manchester, 7-7 in the CCLL and 7-8 overall, dumped Forni in Enfield, 75-41, in their first meeting. But the Falcons, 5-8 in the league and 6-10 overall, have been on a hot streak of late, winning four of their last five. "They had two good wins last week," concurred Manchester Coach Doug Pearson of his upcoming foe. "I anticipate a very tough game."

The Silk Towners broke a two-game slide last Friday with a 66-41 duke over Hall. "I was pleased in that we eliminated a lot of silly mistakes," Pearson remarked, "plus we won a close game. That's the first time in quite awhile and that kind of game should help us."

Manchester had been involved in four games decided by 10 points or less previously — and dropped them all.

Area Swimmers Ranked Nationally in Age Group

Two of the greater Hartford area's outstanding swimmers have been listed among the National top 10 A.A.U. Age Group swimmers for the 1978 season.

England A.A.U. record set at Harvard University.

Anderson, who held the national record for 10 and under in the 100-yard breast event swims for the Capital Region Aquatic Club, and is a eighth grade student at Kingswood-Oxford School in West Hartford. He resides at Rainbow Trail.

Chris Anderson, a Vernon resident, was ranked in three events. His performance of 35.80 in the 50 meter breaststroke category, and 1:08.49 for the 100-yard breaststroke event won a ranking of fifth in the nation for each. He also placed 10th in the 111-113 years in the 100 meter breaststroke with a time of 1:19.80. These times are also listed as Connecticut A.A.U. records. The 100-yard breast is listed as a New

Rec Swim Team Members Score Well in AAU Meet

Members of the Manchester Rec swim team did well at an AAU 12-and-under meet last Saturday at Westfield High.

Jennifer Harrell tied for first in the 100-yard IM in the girls' 10-and-under bracket with a 1:30.5 checking. She capped third place in the 200 free and second place in the 100 backstroke.

Slacey Louwag captured the 100-yard breaststroke with a time of 1:37.4, garnered third place in the 100 back and third in the 50 butterfly in the 10-and-under group. Katy Nollmann was fifth in the same group with a time of 1:58.4.

Sandro Squarito took third place in the 100 back in the boys' 10-and-under age group.

Archery Champs

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (UPI) — An Illinois couple took the top two prizes Sunday in the tenth annual "Vegas 1 Shoot" indoor national archery tournament.

Terry and Michelle Ragsdale, of Mahomet, Ill., won the championship unlimited category in the men's and women's divisions respectively. Terry, the defending champion, shot 1180, just two points less than a perfect score, and his wife scored 1189.

Pride at Stake, Money Second

By MILT RICHMAN

NEW YORK (UPI) — A little thing like pride, not money, is the key reason Rod Carew is with the California Angels today instead of the New York Yankees.

Here was a case where the pride of two men, George Steinbrenner and Rod Carew, was involved, and in the end neither one felt defeated and each could say he prevailed.

Steinbrenner, the man who calls the Twins seven-time AL batting champ would fit in perfectly in the Yankees' lineup, adding consistency as well as speed.

So the Yankee owner went all out to get Carew. He was willing to give up four players, including Chris Chambliss, one of the most solid performers on his club, plus \$4 million over five years to Carew.

But then he began reading some of Carew's statements about the Yankees and the papers, statements which said the Yanks had never been his first choice and that he was leery of becoming part of what departing relief pitcher Sparky Lyle had called "a zoo."

Steinbrenner didn't like those statements. From day one, Jan. 3, 1972, the day he was part of a group that purchased the club, Steinbrenner had vowed to restore the pride of the Yankees, in rather sad shape at the time.

To a large degree, he has done that, but now Carew wasn't standing up and saluting the way Steinbrenner would like to see him. Steinbrenner created a major obstacle which became bigger when the Yanks and Twins couldn't agree on the players the Yankees would like to trade away from the Yankees. They were willing to pay him what he wanted.

Sometimes, though, pride goes before money. Rod Carew has his pride too. He realized he could maintain his identity much more easily with a team like the Angels than with the Yankees, where he'd never be anything more than second banana to Reggie Bar.

If Carew wasn't busting his buttons to become a member of the world champion Yankees, and he plainly wasn't, then Steinbrenner didn't want him anymore. Carew's attitude turned him off.

"I still believe in something called pride," Steinbrenner says. "If he (Carew) doesn't know what it means to play for a team like the Yankees, okay, that's fine, he can go somewhere else and good luck to him."

Now feels he knows the meaning of what it is to play for the Yankees and he'll pass, thank you.

Showdown Meet Friday

Setting the stage for its showdown meet Friday, Manchester High boys' swimming team dunked Conard High, 95-77, last Friday evening in West Hartford.

The Silk Towners are embushed at 7-0 overall, 6-0 in the CCLL, and will face equally unbeaten Westfield High at the locals' pool Friday afternoon at 3:30 with the league title at stake.

Bob Michael, Geoff Michael, Bill Haldin, Mark Darna, John Will, Larry Krupp, Glenn Eggleston, Paul Brindamour and Rob Tanner turned in fine performances for the locals.

Results:

200 medley relay: 1. Conard 1:55.1, 200 free: 1. Saunders (C) 2, Davison (C), 3. G. Michael (M) 1:58.8

200 IM: 1. B. Michael (M), 2. Haldin (M), 3. Darna (M) 2:24.0, 500 free: 1. Goggin (C), 2. Wilkie (M), 3. Tanner (M) 2:42.

Diving: 1. Eggleston (M), 2. Peroutka (C), 3. Garry (M) no points

100 fly: 1. G. Michael (M), 2. Darna (M), 3. Brindamour (M) 1:02.5

100 free: 1. Saunders (C), 2. Tanner (M), 3. Goggin (C) 54.0

500 free: 1. B. Michael (M), 2. Davison (C), 3. Will (M) 5:55.0

100 back: 1. Fields (C), 2. Wilkie (M), 3. Haldin (M) 1:03.8

100 breast: 1. Hamilton (C), 2. Krupp (M), 3. Eggleston (M) 1:12.2

400 free relay: 1. Conard 3:32.1.

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TV in Review

PBS Plans TV Poetry

By JOAN HANAUER
NEW YORK (UPI) — On series television, your basic black roles are confined to two types — sitcom stars and second banana heroes.

Now PBS will broadcast "Langston" Wednesday at 9:30 p.m. (check local listings). The show features the works of black poet Langston Hughes, as presented by David Scott, a 22-year-old Georgia legislator whose credentials are peculiar, considering his task, but whose moving, evocative production offers a view of black culture seldom seen by white America.

Or, for that matter, black America. Scott, who was born on a small farm near Aynor in Horry County, S.C. ("the poorest county in South Carolina"), grew up in Seaside, N.Y., earned his B.A. from Florida A&M and wound up with an MBA from the prestigious Wharton School of Finance at the University of Pennsylvania.

"I worked my way through — you name it — I shined shoes in front of the Waldorf-Astoria in New York, I used tables and picked up garbage in Florida. And for six-and-a-half years I've dreamed of this — the first national television program on an American black writer," Scott said.

The picture of black life, the concept that black is beautiful, the imagery and bitterness vitally that Hughes brings to life, all are a far cry from "The Jeffersons" or "Sanford and Son."

"The Jeffersons" and "Good Times" and the other shows have come in for their share of criticism," Scott said in an interview. "But I think we ought to thank Norman Lear and those guys. They gave jobs to black actors and to have black people working is good. But there also must be an opportunity for black writers and black creators to develop the black experience in America for television."

Scott talked the Coca Cola company into agreeing — and helping to underwrite promotion for "Langston!" One of the show's biggest boosters is baseball hero Hank Aaron, now vice president of the Atlanta Braves, who accompanied Scott on tour.

"We're a lot of other things besides clowns," Aaron said. "I think black kids, and whites, too, should know the greatness of black Americans and what they have stood for down through the years."

"I think the show David has created gives blacks an opportunity to see there is more to black people than just clowning around. There's a lot left to be done, a lot needs to be done. Take even Jackie Robinson. The younger generation coming along now is forgetting. He needs to be recreated on film to show that we do have heroes."



Stephanie Mills, left, star of the Broadway version of "The Wiz," and Diana Ross, who plays Stephanie's role of Dorothy in the movie version, get together at Studio 54 during a party for record producer Ray Caviano. (UPI photo)

Peopletalk

But Is It Art?

Thoughts of Pablo Picasso seldom lead in free association to thoughts of James Earl Ray, but the woman who married him says that's how it all came to be.

The former Anna Sandhu — who met the convicted slayer of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. when she went to sketch his picture as a courtroom artist, says, "During a break in the interview, he sat down with me and started talking about Picasso. He wanted to know why Picasso's work is so expensive when it's so terrible."

Mrs. Ray told the Nashville, Tenn., Banner she bonded up on the assassination, enlightened Ray on Picasso and fell in love. They were married in October at the prison where Ray is doing 99 years.

Wedding Bells There'll be a merger next month — between fried chicken and television glamor — as ex-Miss America Phyllis George and John V. Brown marry in New York.

Miss George is a former CBS-TV sportscaster who's still a personality on the tube — who owns the Boston Celtics of the National Basketball Association — is the former chairman of the Kentucky Fried Chicken Corp. and the man who turned Col. Sanders into the worldwide phantom of fast foods.

Dr. Norman Vincent Peale will do the honors March 17 at Manhattan's mechanical clocks were introduced. The next major step in clocks was the application of the Pendulum about 1660. Visitors to the exhibit experiment with pendulums and examine 16th and 17th century escapements, an early orrery and a selection of small mechanical clocks.

The so-called "Age of Clockmakers," Newlin pointed out, came with industrialization when machines forced people to change from task orientation to time orientation. Among the exhibit artifacts and films are the clock and the famous Josephine Clock, a sophisticated, ornate automation clock made for Empress Josephine during 1805 at the request of Napoleon.

Music

Tanya Tucker Grows Up

By BRUCE MEYER

United-Press International -

For some reason, it's always a surprise when a child star grows up. It's a natural enough thing to happen, of course; it happens to all of us. But for millions of movie-goers, Shirley Temple will always have golden curls and a bow in her hair — and Judy Garland will never grow out of those ruby slippers.

Musicians don't get age-act as readily as movie stars, but the pattern is similar. It took a lot of fans years to figure out that Little Stevie Wonder had grown up. He had acquired the image of a precocious kid and while that gave him a head start in the business it forced him to prove himself all over again for the audience he matured.

Now Tanya Tucker is going through that same difficult process. Most people will probably remember Tanya as a 15-year-old country singing sensation, a little cutie with a big, powerful voice and stage presence that never failed to rivet the audience. Her first record, "Delta Dawn," was a smash and she followed that with a string of impressively sophisticated country hits.

But now she's 20 years old; that little girl image just doesn't work any more. And with her new album, "TNT" (MCA Records), she has declared her independence from her past in a fashion almost as startling as when she first appeared.

Tanya Tucker is now a rock 'n' roller — and she's got the skin-tight black leather jeans to prove it. "When I first came to Nashville," she says, "I was real happy to be there. I was 13 and, of course, my roots were in country music. It was all I ever listened to, back home in Wilcox, Ariz. — Jimmy Rogers, Hank Williams. But I went to high school in Vegas and started listening to rock 'n' roll. I liked the way it felt, like the way I could move to it."

Anyone who has seen Tanya in concert can attest to the fact that she moves to it very well indeed. And the new record demonstrates once and for all that she can rock in the studio just as well as she does on stage.

Produced by the decidedly non-country Jerry Goldstein of Far Out Productions, "TNT" mixes rock standards like Buddy Holly's "Not Fade Away" and Elvis' "Heartbreak Hotel" with some newer material, including a line version of "Texas Moon" which was still thinking of the O'Keefe's trailer.

In accordance with the usual board procedure, a hearing will be conducted March 1 on the request. Mrs. O'Keefe was advised by the board to check with the town sanitarian to determine whether she would be able to utilize the existing septic system for this trailer or if a separate system would have to be installed.

Richard Keefe, building inspector and zoning agent, advised the board that the house which is being constructed for Kevin Nicolazzo, at the intersection of Hope Valley, Jones Street and Burrows Hill Road would meet zoning requirements when complete. Also, Keefe said, a certificate of occupancy will not be issued to Nicolazzo if the dwelling did not conform.

Hearing Set On Request For Trailer

HEBRON — The Zoning Board of Appeals received an application from Edward and Barbara O'Keefe of 114 Hope Valley Road, Amston, to house an elderly relative in a trailer on the O'Keefe's property.

The hand is light and there are a variety of guests on the clean, well-produced album, including John Prine and Seals and Crofts.

The dwelling which is being approved for construction is 30 feet in front, 25 1/2 feet in rear, and 20 feet on both sides. Keefe was also asked to supply the board with updated information on the dwelling as the board had received numerous complaints about its construction during its meeting in January.

Keefe also said that he understood that Nicolazzo has fired the builder because of problems and that the builder has put a lien on the house. Also, Keefe said that no such work has been done on the house.

In other business the board members agreed to write a letter to the zoning agent, with a copy to the Planning and Zoning Commission to investigate a possible violation of use cars being parked on the un-paved portion of a lot where M & M Associates is operating a used car business.

Willard Miles, one of the operators in the used car dealership told the board in December that 15 cars would be on the paved portion of the lot until the business expanded. Miles was told by the commission that cars could be "only parked on the paved portion of the lot," when he sought approval for his plan of development.

Other motor vehicle charges over the weekend included the following: • David R. Talt, 19, of 47 Bunce Drive, charged with reckless driving and speeding Saturday night. Court date is Feb. 20.

Kevin E. Grier, 26, of 16 Hamlin St., charged with driving under the influence of liquor early Saturday on East Center Street. Court date is Feb. 20.

Sandra S. Hahn, 37, of 55 Highway Drive, South Windham, charged with possession of less than four ounces of marijuana. Police said he was observed at East Center Street and Bolton Road early Saturday. A police check found that he was wanted by Glastonbury police on a charge of possession of a dangerous weapon. He was processed and released to Glastonbury police. Court date on the Manchester charge is Feb. 26.



Getting Jump on Spring Dave Romano, Center St., Manchester, took advantage of clear weather over the weekend to get a little early tennis practice at Charter Oak Park. (Herald photo by Strempler)

Manchester Police Report

MANCHESTER — Christopher R. Jordan, 22, of 74 Henry St. was charged with reckless driving in concert with an accident early Saturday on Summit Street. Court date is Feb. 13.

Police said Jordan was traveling at a high rate of speed, drove through a stop sign and collided with a vehicle driven by Jonathan E. Yoonants, 21, of 57 Kensington St. Court date for Jordan is Feb. 20.

Patricia A. Donohue, 17, of Salem, Illinois, charged with driving under the influence of liquor early Monday. Court date is Feb. 27.

Edward L. Van Wormer, 20, of Windsor Locks, charged with operating a motor vehicle under the influence of liquor Friday night at Proctor Road and West Center Street. Court date is Feb. 13.

Bruce P. Gordon, 23, of 33 Adams St., charged with reckless driving (knowingly operating with defective equipment) Friday night. Court date is Feb. 13.

Other arrests over the weekend included Gordon C. Hy, 20, of Andover, charged with possession of less than four ounces of marijuana. Police said he was observed at East Center Street and Bolton Road early Saturday. A police check found that he was wanted by Glastonbury police on a charge of possession of a dangerous weapon. He was processed and released to Glastonbury police. Court date on the Manchester charge is Feb. 26.

John Wetherall, 65, of 709 Main St. was charged with disorderly conduct in connection with a disturbance at his residence. Court date is Feb. 26.

U.S. Funding Suggested For Vernon Playground

VERNON — A proposal, to include in the town's application for an \$8,000 Community Development Grant, improvements to the West Main Street playground, was made by John Kaminski of the Village Street Area Neighborhood Association during a public hearing of the Town Council Monday night.

The proposal was backed by Ardis Abbott, representing the Northwest Rockville Neighborhood Association and was the only suggestion for use of funds made at the hearing.

Kaminski said that the Village Street group represents a significant number of both residents and property owners in the area bounded by West Main, Union and Orchard streets.

"We are concerned with the agreement negotiated with the developer, Florence Mills, to improve the playground. We are also concerned with the town's commitment to provide decent playground equipment," Kaminski told the council.

Florence Mills Associates has bought the old envelope factory on West Main Street and as part of the deal said the project to convert the factory into apartments for the elderly would include improvements to the playground.

The town had, from the owners of the factory, a lease on the area next to the building for a mini-playground area for neighborhood children.

Kaminski said he met with Peter Kasch, project manager for Florence Mills and Kasch assured the group that his company recognizes its commitment to the improvement of the playground. He said later this summer they will improve the existing basketball court, construct a six-foot fence around the area and do some general landscaping to achieve a more parklike environment.

Kaminski said that Donald Berger, the town's director of recreation, was also at the meeting with Kasch. He said that the town has no plans for adding any more playground equipment.

Kaminski's proposal for improvements would cost about \$5,000 to buy a tire swing, a slide, a manureur, horizontal ladder, support panel, post, maze, a climber, and two picnic tables and a basketball back stop and support pole.

Mrs. Abbott, in supporting Kaminski's proposal, also suggested that perhaps some of the rest of the grant money could be used to buy benches to put along some of the benches where elderly persons walk to Rockville to do their shopping.

Mayor Frank McCoy said such grant money can be used for a variety of projects of on-going community development activities such as sidewalk improvements, playground improvements, demolition of non-rehabilitate structures, drainage improvements, and buying land for off-street parking.

Councilman Robert Wehrli asked if some of the grant money could be used for a feasibility study concerning the harnessing of energy of the Hockanum River. He said the river was used for that years ago. He said he mentioned this because of the concern about the high cost of running the new sewage treatment plant.

The town planner, George Russell said the grant money couldn't be used for that unless it was tied in with some project of the town. He said he thought it would be an unlikely candidate for fund use.

The council will have to conduct a public hearing and the preliminary grant application has to be filed by the middle of April.

Vernon Waives Bid For Court Repairs

VERNON — Because of the emergency nature of the situation the Town Council Monday night waived bidding for the rehabilitation of a 19 court house which was extensively damaged in a Jan. 23 fire.

The building is owned by the town. It was given to the town when the Rockville Shopping Plaza was built and for several years was used as the town's administration building and during the past couple of years it has been leased to the state Judicial Department.

The Connecticut Building Corporation, which is rehabilitating the building, will do the work.

Konnie Hise, director of public works, said he inspected the damaged courthouse with Dallas Dodge, an independent insurance adjuster working for the company that insures the town. He said Francis McNulty, the town's building inspector, Peter Durans, assistant building inspector, and John Cotter from the Connecticut Building Corporation, also were present.

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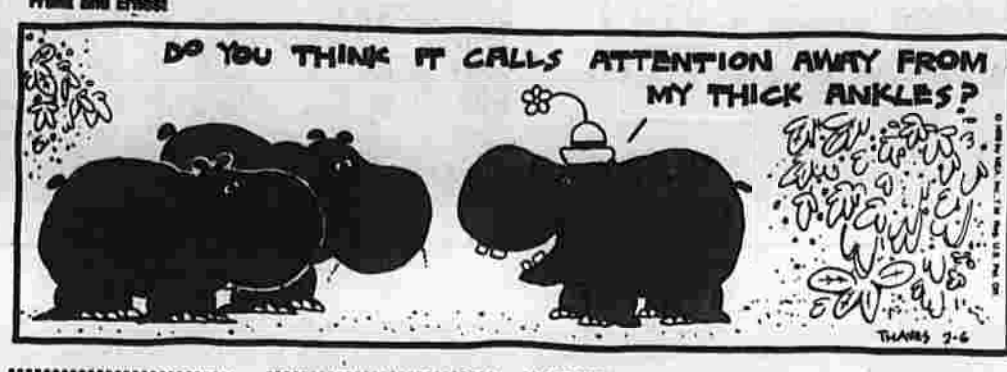
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Dear Abby

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I'm 33, divorced, and have been dating Gary for two years. He says he loves me and wants to marry me, but I'm not ready for another marriage just yet. My problem is the way Gary holds on to his money. He's never offered to pay my baby-sitter. (I have two children.) Twice I've had to ask Gary to lend me money for the sitter because I was short.

Now he wants me to go on an ski vacation with him and expects me to pay all my own expenses—plane fare, lodging, meals and even the ski lift tickets!

My girlfriends tell me that when they go on trips with Gary can't afford to treat me. Far from it. He is very wealthy. This money problem is making me resent him. Am I expecting too much? What do you think?

DEAR TROUBLE: Generous he's not, but before you label him a well-bred booby, consider this. Gary may not be the best person to marry, but he is a very wealthy man. Refuse. If you decide to say goodbye, you'll owe him nothing.

DEAR ABBY: I am a 23-year-old woman who gave birth to a fine, healthy baby boy three weeks ago. What should I say to women who criticize me for not breast-feeding my baby?

My mother-in-law suggested I tell them I don't have enough milk to nurse my baby, but that's not the case. My decision was a personal choice, and one I am happy with. I talked it over with my doctor, and he assured me that a bottle-fed baby gets as much nourishment from a breast and, as long as a close physical contact is maintained during feeding time my baby will not suffer feelings of neglect.

Please help me.

NEW MOTHER: Your honest response: "My decision is a personal choice, and one I am happy with. Use that as the expert suggest by your mother-in-law. Her title is a mother, not a mother-in-law. Use it!"

DEAR ABBY: One of my many complex areas is living together without marriage. How does one address letters, cards and invitations to both of them?

My wife says I HE is living in HER house, they are addressed. My wife and John Brown. But if SHE is living in HER house, they are addressed John Brown and Mary Jones. Who is right?

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PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20): Pre-arranged are harmful to your image today. Your friends like you for what you are, so just be yourself.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Allow for the frailties of others today and you'll be prepared to handle any disappointments that might occur. Recall: Everyone has his or her weaknesses.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): It's never worth hurting another's feelings in order to get your way. You'll be happier if you learn over backward to be considerate.

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"I'm just ASSUMED, when I was invited to the White House for dinner, I would be eating with everybody else!"



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1 Possessive pronoun
 2 Open
 3 Sarcasm
 4 Ingredient
 5 Exaggerated
 6 Beyond the limit
 7 Cautious
 8 Woman's name
 9 Influence
 10 Journey
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 12 Sadist
 13 (colloq.)
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