

Legal Notice

TOWN OF ANDOVER PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION Special Permit

The Planning & Zoning Commission of Andover, Connecticut will hold a public hearing in the lower level of the Town Office Building, Monday, April 13, 1981 at 7:30 p.m. on the application of Mr. Richard Selig for a Special Permit to establish a single family dwelling in a Business Zone located on Route 97, surrounded by the properties of N.P. Francis Gardens. Proposed for approval by the Planning & Zoning Commission of Andover, Connecticut.

At this hearing interested persons may be heard and written communication received. A copy of the application is on file in the Office of the Town Clerk, Andover Town Office Building, Andover, Connecticut.

Dated in Andover, Connecticut this 3rd and 10th day of April, 1981.

Planning & Zoning Commission of Andover  
John L. Kostic, Chairman  
Mary Keenan, Secretary

NOTICE PUBLIC HEARING BOARD OF DIRECTORS TENTATIVE BUDGET OF GENERAL MANAGER APRIL 6, 1981

WADDELL SCHOOL AUDITORIUM 163 Broad Street 7:30 P.M.

A public hearing on the General Manager's Recommended Budget for the fiscal year July 1, 1981 through June 30, 1982 will be held Monday, April 6, 1981 at 7:30 P.M. at the WaddeLL School Auditorium, 163 Broad Street, Manchester, Connecticut for all interested citizens of the Town of Manchester. The following budget is proposed for fiscal year 1981-82:

Table with columns: Category, Total, Revenue Sharing Portion. Rows include GENERAL FUND, Debt Retirement, Street Lighting, Police, Fire District Special Fund, SPECIAL TAXING DISTRICT, CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS, and Total.

Copies of the Proposed Budget are available from the General Manager's Office in Town Hall, and are also on file at the Town Librarian and Town Clerk's Office. All interested citizens will have the opportunity to give written and oral comment.

LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF MANCHESTER

The Zoning Board of Appeals at a meeting on March 30, 1981 made the following decision: Appeal No. 781 - East Catholic Parents Club - 115 New State Road - Variance approved with condition.

The variance shall have an effective date in accordance with the Connecticut General Statutes. Notice of this decision has been filed in the Town Clerk's Office.

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Lofts Lawn Food Fertilizer, Lofts Pre-Emergent Crabgrass Preventer, Lofts Perennial Rye Grass Seed, SUNBEAM Electric Lawn Mower with 20" Cut, TORO Self-Propelled 21" Lawn Mower, HOMELITE Nylon-Line Gas Powered Trimmer with 15" Cut, 3-Pc. California Redwood 70" Table and 2 Benches.

WELLS LAMONT Work Gloves, NIKON 35mm SLR Camera with 50mm f/1.8 Nikon Lens, KODAK Tele Ektralite 600' Outfit with 'Sensalite' Flash, SUNBEAM 'Shot-of-Steam' Deluxe Iron, TOASTMASTER Two-Slice Toaster, HUFFY 'Santa Fe' 10-Speed Bicycle.

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Brady removed from critical list

WASHINGTON (UPI) - Jim Brady, who was shot in the head in the assassination attempt on President Reagan, Friday was taken off the critical list and told his doctor that he was "press secretary at the White House." Brady's condition "continues to improve," the White House said in an evening medical bulletin. "He has been moved from the critical list but remains in the intensive care unit," the report said. "His vital signs are stable and there have been no further temperature elevations." This afternoon when Mr. Brady's physician asked him what his job was, he replied, "Press secretary at the White House."

'We know that dancer'

MANCHESTER - It was no ordinary performance by any standard. The ballet company was warming up as the entire student body from Nathan Hale filed quietly into the gym. Soon the students noticed a familiar face among the dancers. It was a face that some see almost everyday. One of the dancers was Mary Lou Peters, a grade 5 and 6 teacher at Nathan Hale. She is a unit leader in the school and works with students who are in the majorettes, or interested in ballet. She is also a member of the dance company of the School of Dance in Bolton, under the direction of Jan Johnson. The dance company presented a program at Nathan Hale School on Thursday afternoon. Selections included jazz, ballet and "character sketches."

Table with columns: Inside today, On route, Living will, Admits error, In sports, Outside today. Lists various news items and their page numbers.



Special exploding bullet used in Reagan shooting

WASHINGTON (UPI) - The FBI said Friday President Reagan was shot with an explosive-type "Devastator" bullet that did not detonate but that possibly could have left a sickening lead compound in his body. However, Thomas Kelleher, chief of the FBI's laboratory division, stressed he had no evidence lead leaked from the bullet into Reagan's body, and said the substance is "not that extremely toxic to the point of causing death." "It's a lead compound," Kelleher said, "and depending on the quantity you have in your body, it might make you sick." Lead aside is a substance enclosed in the hollowed Devastator bullet which acts as a detonator, causing the 22 caliber slug to explode and fragment on impact. Kelleher said although FBI ballistics experts have not finished their testing, they believe the fragment found in Reagan's body, apparently after ricocheting off the president's bullet-proof limousine, indicated the slug was about 5 grams lighter than when it was fired.

Panic reaction probed

WASHINGTON (UPI) - The White House will conduct a review of how its top officials reacted in the hours after President Reagan was shot, aides said Friday. Presidential counsel Edwin Meese characterized the inquiry ordered by chief of staff James Baker as "just a normal review that you would do in any incident." Meese told the Yale Club of Washington, "As far as the essence of government was concerned, the process worked extremely well. There was absolutely no interruption in the processes of government." "There was not one second where it wasn't clear who was in charge," Meese said, recounting how the Cabinet secretaries immediately established a telephone link with him and Baker at the hospital, and "each of the Cabinet members there went about their business."

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# News Briefing

## Man convicted

NEW HAVEN (UPI) — Lester Bellin, accused of masterminding execution plots against four people to cover up illegal operations, has been convicted in the fatal abduction of a young Middlebury man.

A U.S. District Court jury Thursday deliberated over three days before finding Bellin, 48, guilty of kidnapping and conspiracy. Also convicted on the same charges were John McCollough, David Taylor and Charles Simmons, the three alleged hit-men from the Bronx.

After the verdict, Bellin's bond was doubled to \$1 million. Bond for each of the three others was increased to \$500,000.

Prosecutors claimed Bellin organized plots to kill two men and two women who had threatened the cover he had created for confidence gamblers and drug deals.

Some of the plots had been abandoned, prosecutors said, but John Senior, 20, was kidnapped and shot to death.

His body was found in New York's East River last Labor Day. Three bullets had been fired into his chest while his hands were tied behind his back, authorities said.

Officials said Bellin posed as a wealthy advertising consultant while he rented the \$325,000 estate owned by Senior's family.

Senior's friend, Joseph Vilela, 22, miraculously survived after being shot in the face, wrapped in a rug and thrown in the river. Assaults fired a hail of bullets while he managed to swim to safety.

During the trial, Dean Kachulis of Waterbury had testified he helped Bellin find men who would kill his friends, Senior and Vilela.

All three had attended a Waterbury prep school together.



First Lady Nancy Reagan leaves George Washington Hospital in Washington, D.C., after visiting President Reagan who is recovering from a gunshot wound. Reagan continues to show improvement from his wound. (UPI photo)



New York's Gov. Hugh Carey and Chicago millionaire businessman Evangelino Gouletas, capping a whirlwind courtship that began in January at Ronald Reagan's inauguration, issued a statement early Thursday confirming they will marry in New York City on April 11 — Carey's 52nd birthday. She is 44. They are shown attending the St. Patrick's Day parade in Albany, N.Y., on March 17. (UPI photo)



## Lottery

Winning lottery numbers drawn Friday in New Hampshire, daily: 50-22, color blue.

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Rhode Island, daily arts lottery: Orange 947, 1897, 440 Jackpot, 32-02.

White 99, Bonus number 07-29, Jackpot worth \$50,492.

Vermont, 587.

"In fact, there are other programs available," she said. "We feel it is in the last trimester that the woman is least likely to abort. Also, that is the time she is going to have more expenses."

She said one reason the administration is recommending the change is because some women have used the payments to get abortions. The administration favors outlawing abortions.

## Foster returns

NEW HAVEN (UPI) — Actress Jodie Foster returned to her role in a Yale University stage production with a large contingent of federal and local authorities on hand for the performance.

Secret Service agents, city police and Yale campus police patrolled the area when Miss Foster went on stage Thursday night in her first appearance since a link between the actress and John W. Hinckley Jr., the man accused of shooting President Reagan, was disclosed.

Hinckley allegedly attacked Reagan in an apparent effort to win over the film star he never met.

During a news conference this week, the 18-year-old drama student said she had received several "love-type" letters from Hinckley. She said she had never met or spoken with Hinckley.

Miss Foster was so heavily guarded Thursday no one except other members in the college production of "Getting Out" were able to get near her.

Two guards were stationed outside the door of her dressing room. Others were posted inside and outside the theatre.

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"I wanted to say 'Hi' to Jodie," one woman said. "But when I saw the guards there, I didn't dare."

The show, which opened last weekend, was sold out Thursday and no tickets were available for performances tonight and Saturday.



Today's forecast

Saturday partly sunny windy and warm. Highs in the upper 70s. Saturday night fair and mild. Lows in the 50s. Sunday increasing cloudiness and warm with a chance of showers. Highs in the 70s. Southwest winds increasing to 20 to 30 mph Saturday continuing Saturday night.

Extended forecast

Extended outlook for New England Monday through Wednesday, Rhode Island and Connecticut. Fair weather Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Highs generally in the mid 50s to mid 60s. Lows generally in the mid 30s to mid 40s.

Maine, New Hampshire: Chance of showers Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Mild with highs 45 to 55 north and 50 to 65 south. Lows mostly in the 30s.

Vermont: Occasional showers ending Monday. Partly cloudy Tuesday and Wednesday. Daytime highs in the mid to upper 50s and nighttime lows in the mid 30s.

National forecast

By United Press International	Louisville	pe	80	57	
City & Post	Hi	Lo	Pe	82	66
Albuquerque	72	59	Miami Beach	83	72
Anchorage	40	30	Milwaukee	78	57
Ashville	80	35	Minneapolis	78	50
Atlanta	81	51	Nashville	79	50
Billings	47	25	New Orleans	78	67
Birmingham	82	49	New York	67	52
Boston	57	42	Oklahoma City	83	67
Brewster/Tx	81	46	Omaha	84	62
Buffalo	51	42	Philadelphia	67	40
Charlottesville	78	56	Phoenix	78	51
Charlotte N.C.	81	46	Pittsburgh	84	66
Chicago	80	61	Portland Me.	51	30
Cleveland	65	54	Portland Ore.	50	30
Columbus	72	56	Providence	59	36
Dallas	80	70	Richmond	82	66
Denver	74	40	St. Louis	79	52
Des Moines	81	44	St. Paul	82	54
Duluth	49	31	Salt Lake City	72	35
El Paso	82	56	San Antonio	79	57
Hartford	59	41	San Diego	73	57
Honolulu	84	72	San Francisco	59	48
Indianapolis	77	52	San Juan	81	67
Jackman Me.	82	65	Seattle	49	12
Jacksonville	78	45	Spokane	67	33
Kansas City	84	68	Tampa	75	49
Las Vegas	82	64	Washington	74	49
Little Rock	84	66	Wichita	67	40
Los Angeles	83	53			



## Almanac

By United Press International

Today is Saturday, April 4, the 94th day of 1981 with 271 to follow.

The moon is new.

The morning stars are Mercury, Venus and Mars.

The evening stars are Jupiter and Saturn.

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

Dorothea Lynde Dix, American pioneer of prison reform, was born April 4, 1802.

On this date in history:

In 1841, President William Harrison died of pneumonia one month after being inaugurated. John Tyler became the first vice president to become chief executive due to a death.

In 1933, 73 crew members were lost when the U.S. Navy dirigible "Akron" foundered in a storm and fell into the ocean off Barnegat Bay, N.J.

In 1968, civil rights leader Martin Luther King was assassinated in Memphis, Tenn. James Earl Ray pleaded guilty and was convicted 11 months later and sentenced to 99 years in prison.

In 1975, a U.S. Air Force transport plane carrying Vietnamese orphans and escorts to the United States crashed shortly after taking off from Saigon, killing more than 200, including 100 children.

balance Corps plans to kick off its fund drive this month. And in conjunction with the drive the Town Council has declared the month of April, "South Windsor Ambulance Month."

The corps needs to raise \$60,000 by June 30 in order to buy an ambulance and have it in operation by fall. The recently formed corps now has more than 60 members who will be trained and ready to operate or assist the ambulance in the fall.

## Tax records needed

A thought for the day: British lecturer John Collins said, "Mistrust a subordinate who never finds fault with his superior."

NEW HAVEN (UPI) — Taxpayers who are income averaging on Schedule G should gather their prior year's records now, in time for the April 15 filing deadline, James E. Quinn, district director of the Internal Revenue Service said.

Those who want more information concerning income averaging should visit or call the IRS office in Hartford. The number in the Capitol-region area is 249-8261. Calls to the numbers are subject to monitoring for quality review.

## New service hours

NEW HAVEN (UPI) — INFO LINE, which has been providing comprehensive information, referral and advocacy services in the area, will begin new service hours April 18.

On that date the service will be available from 8:30 a.m. to midnight, seven days a week. Officials said that the change of the hours from 24 hours a day will result in a better distribution of staff to respond to callers during the program's busiest hours.

For those in the Capitol Region the number to call is 521-7150.

## Ordinances proposed

HARTFORD — Mayor George Athanson has proposed ordinances, to the City Council, that would control condominium conversions in Hartford.

The ordinances would require owners of apartment buildings, who are interested in converting them to condominiums, to obtain permits from the city and to give notice and relocation benefits to tenants.

Some 1,500 apartments have already been converted or are proposed for conversion in the city. The mayor's proposal would require building owners to offer relocation benefits to tenants who have been living in the buildings for at least six months. The proposed relocation benefits would be at least \$1,000 but not more than \$2,000 for each apartment.

City Corporation Counsel Alexander A. Goldberg and his deputy, Richard M. Cogrove, claim that Connecticut laws on condominiums will prevent Hartford from adopting its own laws.

## Fund drive kickoff

SOUTH WINDSOR — The South Windsor Am-

## Computer use high

HARTFORD — Students in Connecticut are using computers more diversified learning experiences than ever before, according to a survey made by the state Department of Education.

The report notes the fact that 91 percent of all high schools have computers available to students and computers are available for students use in 88 schools in 32 Connecticut towns and are available in 52 middle schools in 37 towns. The report said that 127 of the state's 140 high schools make computers available to students.

State officials said they would like to see an increase in access to computers in elementary and middle schools; and to promote computer use in curriculum areas other than math, science, and business education.

## Popular program

HARTFORD — An Individualized Degree Program, instituted at Trinity College, has experienced a surge of popularity, college officials said.

It is a self-paced program leading to the bachelor's degree. College officials said more than 100 students are enrolled in the program and some are among the best students at Trinity. They range in age from 23 to 69 and about 70 percent are women.

## Building inspections

EAST HARTFORD — Members of the East Hartford Fire Department will inspect commercial buildings, institutions and houses of four or more



Justice and Peace Day was sponsored by East Catholic High School at the school Thursday. Speakers during the day-long program included, from left, Mrs. Nancy Carr, executive director, Manchester Area Conference of Churches and Most Rev. Peter A. Rosazza, auxiliary bishop, Archdiocese of Hartford. (Herald photo by Pinto)

## Accountant acquitted, couldn't help gambling

HARTFORD (UPI) — A Manchester accountant, who contended his compulsive gambling was a form of insanity, has been acquitted of gambling away \$39,000 of his employer's money.

Psychiatrists agreed in testimony that Alexander Lafferty, 40, suffered from a recognized form of mental disease known as "pathological gambling" when he embezzled large sums in cash from Austin Organs Inc. of East Hartford between 1976 and 1978.

Hartford Superior Court Judge John J. Daly said Thursday evidence showed Lafferty, who became addicted to gambling when he was 5 years old, could not control his compulsion to gamble, even if obeying it meant breaking the law.

It was the first time in Hartford County an acquittal on grounds of insanity was sought because the criminal suspect was a pathological gambler.

Daly ordered Lafferty held for psychiatric observation at a state mental hospital for not more than 90 days, even though psychiatrists had said Lafferty posed no danger to himself or others. Daly also ordered police to confiscate two pistols found in Lafferty's desk at the organ company.

"This is not the week to overlook weapons," Daly said, apparently referring to the assassination attempt on President Reagan.

Assistant State's Attorney Herbert Appleton said he will investigate whether Lafferty's pistol permit can be revoked.

Lafferty had worked for Austin Organs 11 years before his arrest. He could have received a first term of as much as 20-40 years if convicted of two counts of first-degree larceny.

## Reading begins at home, program to show parents

MANCHESTER — A slide/tape presentation and discussion on "Reading Begins At Home" has been scheduled for Tuesday, April 7, at 7:30 p.m. The program, geared toward parents with pre-schoolers and children in kindergarten through grade four, is co-sponsored by the Manchester public libraries and schools.

This third annual program for parents will take place at the Whittier Memorial Library auditorium at 100 North Main St.

Hill, coordinator of elementary reading and director of the Title I/SADIC reading program in Manchester; Elsie Jenkins, children's librarian at the Mary Cheney Library; and Sarah Ellessor, coordinator of elementary media services in the Manchester public libraries and schools.

Speakers will include Jackie Moore, children's librarian at the Whittier Memorial Library; Carol

## Sports inspires menus

MANCHESTER — The Manchester School Lunch Program will be including two lunch menus with a sports theme during the present month.

On Thursday, April 9, a "basketball" menu will be offered. This menu will include traditional foods with basketball terminology affixed to each item. Prior to the day of the "basketball" lunch, a printed menu, accompanied by a recipe for making fruit taffy, will be distributed to students in all the elementary schools. It is hoped the recipe will give parents an additional idea for snacks when their children are hungry and can also be a fun project involving the whole family with a tasty reward.

On May 1, the second of the sports menus will be served. This lunch will have a "track and field" theme. Again, track and field terminology will be assigned to the food items and a menu will be distributed to students in all the elementary schools prior to the lunch. A game, nutritionally oriented, will be included with the menu and hopefully, all children will find it amusing to play and also a learning experience.

## Cafeteria workshop

MANCHESTER — Cafeteria managers from all the schools in the Manchester area attended a recent workshop on sanitation in March at Maritima School.

The program was presented by Margaret Grogan, nutrition consultant for the school lunch program in town. Areas covered during the workshop were the most common food poisoning organisms; proper handling and storage of foods; personal hygiene; proper care of equipment and working areas; and attitudes affecting sanitary practices.

In addition to the lecture, a very realistic videotape was shown, illustrating two different types of food poisoning, how they occurred and how they could have been prevented.

TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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Signed \_\_\_\_\_

IF YOU LIKE KIDS — SEND THIS TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

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# Town arms citizens to fight the moth

MANCHESTER — As Manchester residents begin to brace themselves for another attack of the gypsy moth, the town has put out a pamphlet to assist residents in effectively protecting choice plantings and trees.

The pamphlet explains that during the months of March and April, the buff-colored egg clusters can be destroyed by scraping them into a container of kerosene or creosote. They may also be saturated on the tree with a wood preservative or single stain of a creosote base.

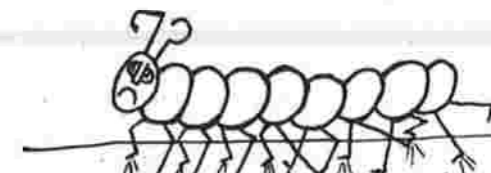
It is advisable to add coloring to the solution so you can distinguish the treated egg masses from the untreated ones, the pamphlet says.

If your trees are of considerable height, it is difficult to brush on or paint egg clusters at the upper limb extremities. It is of little value to just scrape eggs onto the ground as they will probably survive.

Spray equipment available to the home owners may not have the ability to reach the upper limbs of trees, but this method of control can be most effective.

If weather conditions are favorable, the caterpillars hatch about May 1. Their first two to three weeks of life are spent growing and migrating. The best time to spray is about May 15 to May 20, because trees sprays at this time are less likely to be reinfested.

More than one application is necessary. Two applications are minimum and should be 14 days apart. Unfortunately, all the eggs do not hatch at one time, so a second



## Tanglefoot tape

agricultural dealer will be able to provide approved chemicals for your selection. Some of the insecticides registered by the Department of Environmental Protection for ground application are Orthene, Sevin or Imidan. There are also other approved chemicals.

Always read the label before buying or using any chemicals or insecticides. Follow the manufacturer's directions and apply only the amount specified. Dispose of empty containers safely.

Another method of controlling adult caterpillars is by placing a band of burlap one foot wide around the trunk of the tree about four to five feet above the ground level. In the middle of your burlap band tie a piece of twine allowing the upper half to overlap the bottom half.

Caterpillars migrate up and down trees during daylight hours and have a tendency to seek protection, shade or cover afforded by the burlap. By lifting the overhanging burlap, you will expose the caterpillars and they can be collected and destroyed.

Your garden supply store or The use of sticky bands, such as

# Spermicides hold risk of defects in babies

BOSTON (UPI) — Women who become pregnant while using contraceptive foams or creams — if they conceive — stand twice the risk of bearing a child with certain birth defects, a Boston doctor reported in a national study.

The study, published in the most recent American Medical Association Journal, found a small but significantly higher rate of Down's syndrome and limb deformities in babies born to 763 Seattle women using the spermicide, than to 3,902 women who did not.

Several babies of spermicide users were also born with penis deformities and rare tumors of the brain and pancreas.

Dr. Herschel Jick of the Boston Collaborative Drug Surveillance Program, the major author of the study, has called the findings "very suspicious."

Although researchers agree that the study is not conclusive, they say it may issue a warning to the increasing number of women who opt for spermicidal foam over other the pill and intrauterine devices.

"The current study leaves a number of important questions unanswered and the results should be considered tentative until confirmed by other data," the authors concluded.

Contraceptive jellies, foams and creams contain a detergent called oxydol-9 which is toxic to sperm. The failure rate is estimated at about 10-15 percent, varying from foams and diaphragms.

The most recent statistics from the National Family Growth Study show that 10 million married American women used spermicides in 1976, alone or with diaphragms.

Researchers say the spermicides might be absorbed into the bloodstream and damage a sperm cell before conception, or damage the embryo directly.

One question that has not been explained is why no single type of birth defect has resulted from spermicide use.

## Policemen sworn in

COVENTRY — Two part-time police officers will be sworn in this morning, with another scheduled to be sworn in Monday afternoon.

Dennis Baboval, of Main Street, Coventry, a former dispatcher for the police department, and Ronald Hodgkins, Stafford Road, Willimantic, an auxiliary state trooper, will be sworn in at 9 a.m. Saturday, according to Police Chief Gary Sousa.

Sousa, auxiliary state trooper, Wilfred Bigl, also from Coventry,

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Magic bullets and the future

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the eleventh in a series of fifteen articles exploring "The Nation's Health..."

By PAUL D. SALTMAN

August 31, 1909, Frankfurt, Germany. Sahachiro Hata and Paul Ehrlich inject a syphilitic rabbit with a compound from a bottle labeled "906."



But young and old, male and female, rich and poor are still afflicted, still rendered helpless and ultimately—as must be to all—still threatened by death.

Genetic Research: Some of the most dramatic advances will come from basic research related to genes and DNA.

Changing our environments: The physical, chemical, and biological elements of our environment are also potential targets for new magic bullets.

In the past, medicine has been able to treat some genetic problems by replacing missing hormones or by altering patients' diets.

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About the author

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An editorial sampler

What New England thinks

St. Johnsbury, Vt. Caledonian Record: Leo Bryza, as the March issue of the National Taxpayers Union publication Dollars & Sense reported,

At the same time, U.S. statements and actions in that part of the world should not jeopardize the much improved relations with the black African countries that have been achieved in the past few years.

Our point here is that we cannot make America strong and solve our own economic problems by leaning on our friends and allies, who also have to sell their products to survive.

Supplies and hydroelectric capacity, Canada has and will play a crucial role in U.S. efforts to move without trauma into the post-petroleum age.

Providence (R.I.) Journal Bulletin: Diplomats in Washington are wondering whether there has been any real change in U.S. policy toward South Africa.

Newport (R.I.) Daily News: Baseball player Pete Rose is using a rose-colored bat this spring and wearing a matching glove.

The Berkshire Eagle, Pittsfield, Mass.: After sitting on it for two years, the Senate Foreign Relations Committee this week ratified that part of a treaty with Canada that settles an offshore boundary dispute between the nations.

Manchester: 7:30 p.m.—Planning and Zoning Commission, hearing room, Municipal Building.

Senior Citizens

Trips scheduled to dog track, St. Lawrence

By WALLY FORTIN: Remember this coming Monday morning will start at 2 p.m. This past Tuesday afternoon it was our Senior Bowling League that was the complete package.

Rehearsal this Sunday will be a full dress affair and will start at 2 p.m. This past Tuesday afternoon it was our Senior Bowling League that was the complete package.

Well, tonight while you are all enjoying doing your thing, I'll be floating around space on my way for a week visit to Ireland.

Calendars

Monday: Assessor, 7 p.m., Town Office Building. Tax Collector, 7 p.m., Town Office Building.

Tuesday: Housing Authority, 7:30 p.m., on site. Republican Town Committee, 7:30 p.m., Board Room, Town Hall.

Wednesday: Conservation Commission, 7:30 p.m., Planning Office, Town Hall.

Thursday: 9 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.—Director's comment session, Director's Offices, Municipal Building.

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Coventry

Monday: Town Council, 8 p.m., Board Room, Town Hall. Committee on Needs of the Aging, 7 p.m., Building Inspector's Office, Town Hall.

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Mrs. Joan Wood, home economics teacher at Iling Junior High School, left, had a lot of takers to sample her "party popcorn" recipe at the annual health fair at the school. Mrs. Wood's display on nutritional snacks was one of several dealing with the health field at the fair. (Herald photo by Pinto)

### Enrichment program sets Sunday lecture

MANCHESTER — The Family Enrichment Program of St. Bridget Church will sponsor a lecture program Sunday at 7 p.m. in the cafeteria of St. Bridget School. The theme of the lecture will be "Communication in the Family — A challenge for the 80's." The speaker will be the Rev. Edmund O'Brien. He was principal of St. Paul's High School in Bristol for a number of years and is now co-pastor at St. James Church in Rocky Hill.

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Mary Tyrell, dental hygienist for the Manchester School System, was demonstrating the proper methods of dental care at the annual health fair at Iling Junior High School Thursday morning. (Herald photo by Pinto)



Viewing a filmed demonstration of the proper use of seat belts at the health fair at Iling Junior High School Thursday morning were from left, Steven St. Thomas, Edward O'Dwyer and Andrew O'Reilly, all Grade 8 students at the school. The demonstration was provided by the Connecticut Department of Public Safety. (Herald photo by Pinto)

### Audubon Society sets meeting

STORRS — An organizational meeting to establish a chapter of the National Audubon Society in Northeastern Connecticut will be held April 14 at 7:30 p.m. at the Unitarian Meeting House on Spring Hill Road. The Northeast Regional Representative of the National Audubon Society, Marshal T. Case, and his wife, Jean, will present a program on the care of injured and orphaned wildlife titled, "Look What I Found." The program will include live animals including owls, frogs, turtles and salamanders. Local members of the national society are invited to the meeting. The public is invited.

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Enjoying the balmy weather during the first full week of spring last week, John Lauritis of Alpine Street practiced his soccer skills at Charter Oak Park. (Herald photo by Tarquinio)

### Haig, Weinberger headed for talks on Poland crisis

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The Reagan administration's two chief Cabinet officers Friday headed for consultations with U.S. allies in Europe and the Middle East, amid increased concern about a possible Soviet intervention in Poland. Pentagon officials cited heightened levels of Soviet military activity around Poland and said the possibility of a Soviet move against its East European satellite has reached a "critical phase." State Department spokesman William Dyes told reporters Washington does not believe "an invasion (of Poland) is inevitable." But he did not repeat his earlier assessment that an invasion was not "imminent."

Secretary of State Alexander Haig and Defense Secretary Caspar Weinberger said they received general guidelines and instructions from President Reagan at brief meetings in Reagan's room at George Washington University Medical Center before taking off Friday night. Haig headed for Egypt on the first stop of a Middle Eastern tour that will take him to Israel, Jordan and Saudi Arabia in efforts to forge a loose alliance with the aim of halting Soviet advances into the oil region. The former NATO commander may press Egypt for U.S. rights to use its base at Ras Banas on the Red Sea coast. The administration has asked Congress for \$108 million next year for an Army and Air Force buildup of the rundown facility. In both Egypt and Israel, Haig is likely to discuss the creation of a largely American peace-keeping force to step into the eastern third of Sinai once the Israelis pull out in April 1982 under terms of the Egyptian-Israeli treaty. The Saudis are likely to push for the purchase of sophisticated advance warning radar aircraft, which Israel opposes. Haig may renew efforts to convince Jordan to join the stalled Camp David peace talks. Afterward, he will travel to Madrid, London, Paris, Bonn and Rome, and the arduous trip is expected to be the first real test of whether his credibility and effectiveness have been survived his internal feuds with White House staff members. State Department officials said the principal aim of Haig's tour is to show the Reagan administration is alert to the dangers posed to the Middle East by the Soviet Union — particularly since its invasion of Afghanistan. Weinberger will come into more direct contact with the situation in Poland during his three-nation week-long trip to Europe. It is made up of two-day ministerial meetings of the NATO Nuclear Planning Group opening Tuesday in Bonn. His first stop is England to visit British and American units, and after the Bonn meeting he is scheduled to go to Rome for a session with allied and U.S. 6th Fleet naval commanders. Weinberger and Haig will cross paths in some of the same cities in Europe but will not meet.

**New Britain probes gaming**

HARTFORD (UPI) — The state's three-year investigation of municipal corruption in New Britain began as an investigation into illegal gambling activities, prosecutors say. Assistant State's At-Torney Glenn E. Coe said Thursday the investigation began when the Statewide Organized Crime Task Force started looking into three "Las Vegas nights" in New Britain. Coe's comments came in the first day of the corruption trial of New Britain Detective Capt. Edward J. Kilduff. Kilduff, one of 27 persons arrested in the state investigation, is charged with two counts of perjury. The state alleges Kilduff lied twice to a grand juror investigating a municipal job-selling scheme in New Britain. Coe said an unnamed judge from Hartford told Kilduff about state police wiretaps which were conducted during the gambling investigation. He did not say why Kilduff was told of the wiretaps.

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### Committee backs living will bill

HARTFORD (UPI) — A "right to die" bill that would establish an adult's legal right to execute a living will and a measure that would allow doctors to prescribe marijuana in limited cases cleared a legislative committee Friday. Another bill to eliminate Connecticut's death penalty had a short life during the hectic final meeting of the Legislature's Judiciary Committee. The bill was approved, reconsidered and finally left to languish in the committee. The living will proposal recognizes an adult's right to make a written declaration directing his physician to withhold or withdraw life-prolonging treatment when "inevitable death is imminent." Interest in the emotional issue peaked last month when a "right to die" case was decided in the Connecticut courts. A judge allowed doctors to disconnect the life-sustaining apparatus from a comatose young woman who was declared brain dead. The bill, passed on a 10-3 vote, goes to the Senate. Sen. Gerald Labriola, R-Naugatuck, a medical doctor, supported the bill and said it would allow physicians to respect a person's wishes "without fear" of malpractice suits. The bill also clarifies death as the time when the person's heart and lungs can not ever function again without life-support systems and the brain is "dead" — or does not register any brain waves in testing. The bill which would allow doctors to prescribe marijuana to patients suffering from glaucoma or side effects of cancer chemotherapy was not expected to have widespread impact. Under the bill, which passed on a 12-4 vote, the physician would have to receive permission from two federal agencies and a license from the state consumer protection commissioner in order to possess or prescribe marijuana. Labriola opposed the measure and said it should only apply to doctors who treat cancer patients. "I see no sense making marijuana more widely available to the vast array of physicians out there," he said. The proposal to eliminate the death penalty and replace it with mandatory minimum life imprisonment was first proposed, so the bill could be amended and used to revise the current capital punishment statute. The committee co-chairman later moved for a reconsideration of the bill for the original bill during a hectic series of motions. The committee co-chairman later moved for a reconsideration of the bill, and a motion to kill the proposal failed 7-9. But there was no motion to approve the bill, so it in effect died in the committee.

### Group studies tuition spending

HARTFORD (UPI) — A special ad hoc committee has been formed to work on a bill to determine how much freedom the state's higher education system should have in spending tuition money. The committee is made up of legislators from the Education and Appropriation committees and representatives from the University of Connecticut and the executive branch of the government, including the state auditors and the Office of Policy and Management. The bill approved by the Legislature's Education Committee proposes a three-year trial period in which a special tuition fund to pay for non-personal services would be set up for use by the University of Connecticut. The four state colleges, community colleges and technical schools would be allowed a special fund but only tuition increases would be included, again on a three-year trial basis. At present, all tuition and fees from the public institutions are placed in the state's general fund. The special fund would not be considered a budget item and UConn could use the tuition without legislative approval. However, it would be required to file quarterly reports to explain how the money was spent. The bill was proposed by UConn and Board of Higher Education officials who want to be able to use tuition funds directly as a more efficient way of doing business. The bill would require UConn to provide the Office of Policy and Management, in addition to its regular budget requests, the amount of tuition expected to be collected in the next school year. The money would then be authorized for direct use of the tuition funds pending legislative approval. One of the questions over the proposal is whether the tuition fund should be a special fund and excluded from legislative approval or a budgetary item that must be approved by the lawmakers. Tuition at the University of Connecticut, excluding fees, amounted to \$9 million and the general fund totaled about \$77.2 million in the current fiscal year. Rep. Otto Neumann, R-Granby, ranking member of the Education Committee, said the bill represents "a symbolic issue" of whether higher education could handle its business affairs better with a freer hand.



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# Family



April Merritt of Manchester receives congratulations from Dr. Gordon Brodie following her crowning as Queen at the Manchester WATES 26th annual awards banquet Thursday night. Miss Merritt lost 58 pounds since last November. (Herald photo by Ryder)

## Manchester WATES name April Merritt queen

By BETTY RYDER  
Lifestyle Editor

Will power paid off Thursday night for pretty April Merritt of Manchester when she was crowned Queen of the Manchester WATES (Women's Association to Enjoy Slimming) at its 26th annual award banquet held at Fiano's Restaurant in Bolton.

Miss Merritt, 25, lost a total of 58 pounds since last November. Her secret? "I ate fish seven to ten times a week for the first few weeks," she said. Miss Merritt, who is employed at the Pratt & Whitney Aircraft Division of United Technologies Corporation in East Hartford, believes that fish and chicken are the key to losing weight. "Now, I eat fish about five times a week and also chicken without the skin. I have about 30 more pounds to go, but I can do it," she said.

Second runner-up in the weight loss race was Rachel Kraeschmar with 51 pounds. Lois Cole of Hebron, Miss Merritt's sister, took third place with a 48-pound loss.

Dr. Gordon Brodie of Vernon, who practices family medicine in Manchester, crowned the queen and

was the guest speaker. He was introduced by Esther Armstrong, WATES president.

Dr. Brodie cited various ways to lose weight some of which work, but many which do not.

He noted that many quick weight loss diets, liquid diets, and diet pills are available to the would-be dieter. "Diet pills will make you lose weight," he said. "But, in a week or 10 days they are less effective. Diet pills are amphetamines and people over 40 with high blood pressure should be especially cautious," he said.

"The best way to lose weight is to change the way you eat—watch the caloric intake and stick to a course until you reach your goal."

He congratulated the WATES members on their outstanding losses and offered words of encouragement for those still striving to attain their goal.

In closing, he said, "If I had the way to make fat people thin, I'd be in Stockholm collecting my Pulitzer prize."

Others receiving weight-loss awards are: Dorothy Hayman, 36 pounds; Alice McCanagh, 31 pounds; Irene McCaughey, 31 pounds; Eileen McQuay and Nikki Savard, 26 pounds each; Patricia Murianos, 25 pounds; Florence Carini, 22 pounds; and Rita Peckham, 18 pounds.

Elizabeth Pavelack was honored for perfect weekly attendance during the past 24 years.

Among the guests were Mrs. Gordon Brodie; Evelyn Cady, Connecticut WATES Queen; Kathryn Meacham and Gertrude Smachetti, founders of Manchester WATES; Elizabeth Pavelack, goodwill chairman; and Ida Carini, Irene Bennett, Emily Fracchia and Jean Krar, the oldest and honorary members.

Harvey Ward served as toastmaster and Lillian Banner, WATES chaplain, said grace.

Door prizes were awarded and the banquet concluded with the singing of the Wates song. The 26th annual awards banquet was dedicated to the late Francis "Boots" Labadie, a WATES member.

WATES officers for 1981-82 are: Esther Armstrong, president; Mary Tarr, vice president; Jean Downing, recording secretary; Nina Armstrong, corresponding secretary; Evelyn Foglio, treasurer; and Lois Chesick, assistant treasurer.

## Mastering first grade not easy for children

CHICAGO (UPI)—The ability to master first grade skills can make the difference later between a drug-using juvenile delinquent and a well-adjusted teen-ager on the way to success, a social psychologist says.

"First-grade failure is the source of the welfare cases and the overcrowded jails," said Shepard Kellam of the University of Chicago. "This is where we either win or lose the children."

An on-going study of children in a black urban ghetto found "very powerful predictors" linking lack of success in first grade to later psychological problems, Kellam said in an interview.

"If we look at the symptoms and we look at the children for early antecedents, we found children who had problems mastering tasks in first grade had much greater risk of having psychiatric symptoms—particularly depression and paranoia—as teen-agers," he said.

"The success or failure of children was important to their psychological well-being. We have to stop failing children in first grade and stop failing to help them master the tasks."

The study, which started in 1960, assessed first grade students in suburban Wood Lawn, Ill., and followed their progress to 1981.

Kellam said researchers also found two major antecedents that

led to problems in the child's later life.

"On one hand, kids who performed better on IQ and readiness for school tests were actually more frequent substance abusers than less well-performing kids were," he said.

"The second set of predictors pertained only to males, where early aggressive behavior such as fighting and breaking rules was predictive of heavy alcohol, marijuana and cigarette abuse later."

"Shy male first graders who didn't speak up much and sat away from the others were not drug users 10 years later. It was dramatically less."

## Crafts program in Tokyo

NEW YORK (UPI)—A summer crafts program will be offered in Tokyo this summer by the Parsons School of Design, The American Crafts Council and the Tokyo Designer Gakuin College.

The two-part program will include studio courses in ceramics, metals or textiles and a survey course on the history of Japanese crafts.

Four days a week will be devoted to studio work and demonstrations by Parsons faculty and Japanese craftsmen. Slide lectures and historical presentations will be held in the afternoons.

In addition students will make regularly scheduled excursions to craft centers in the Tokyo area, field trips to textile factories, metalsmiths studios and museums. They will also visit medieval and ancient kiln sites.

Inquiries about the program should be addressed to Dean Vieri R. Salvadori, Parsons School of Design, 66 Fifth Ave., New York, N.Y. 10011.

## Award degree

Dr. Douglas C. Hauschild, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Hauschild of Manchester, was recently awarded the Doctor of Optometry degree from the New England College of Optometry in Boston.

He did undergraduate work at Wesleyan University in Middletown, receiving a bachelor's degree in biology in 1977.

While at the college, he was named to the Beta Sigma Kappa Honor Society and received the Clinical Teaching Associate Award.

## Engagements

### Brissette-Johnson

The engagement of Miss Martina Ann Brissette of Manchester to Martin Johnson of Manchester has been announced by her parents, Helen O. Brissette, of 34 Liberty St., Manchester, and Joseph C. Brissette of Auburn, Maine.

Mr. Johnson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy C. Johnson of 75 Pleasant St., Manchester.

Miss Brissette graduated from Manchester High School and from Manchester Memorial Hospital School of Radiologic Technology. She is employed as an X-ray technician at Manchester Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Johnson graduated from Manchester High School and attended Manchester Community College. He is employed as assistant manager at M&E Enterprises.

The couple is planning an Oct. 17 wedding at Emanuel Lutheran Church in Manchester. (Nassiff photo)



Martina A. Brissette Lorna A. Stasinski

### Stasinski-Gavello

The engagement of Miss Lorna A. Stasinski of Warehouse Point to Richard J. Gavello of South Windsor has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stasinski of Warehouse Point.

Mr. Gavello is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Attilio Gavello of South Windsor.

Miss Stasinski graduated from East Windsor High School. She is employed at Szabo Foods Service in Windsor Locks.

Mr. Gavello graduated from South Windsor High School. He is employed at Pratt & Whitney Division of United Technologies Corp. in Southington.

The couple is planning a July 18 wedding at St. Philip's Church in Warehouse Point. (Bragan photo)



Jill A. Brower Donald S. Young Annemarie Ozimek

### Brower-Young

The engagement of Miss Jill Arlene Brower of Vernon to Donald Scott Young of Vernon has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brower of 75 Campbell Ave., Vernon.

Mr. Young is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Young of 178 Tracy Drive, Vernon.

Miss Brower attended Rockville High School. She is employed at the Southern New England Telephone Co. in Hartford.

Mr. Young attended Rockville High School. He is employed at Delta Industries in Granby.

The couple is planning an Aug. 1 wedding.



Kim P. Warren Leslie J. McCulloch

### Ozimek-Krach

The engagement of Miss Annemarie Ozimek of Colchester to Edward D. Krach of Manchester, has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ozimek of Colchester.

Mr. Krach is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Krach of 23 Beacon St., Manchester.

Miss Ozimek graduated from Manchester Community College and attended the University of Connecticut. She is employed as a senior technical assistant at Aetna Life & Casualty.

Mr. Krach graduated from Manchester Community College and from Central Connecticut State College with a bachelor's degree in mathematics. He is employed as a programmer analyst at the Hartford Insurance Group.

The couple is planning an October wedding at St. Andrew's Church in Colchester. (Creative photo)

Mr. Faulker is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Faulker of Bolton.

Miss McCulloch graduated from MacDuffie School of Springfield, Mass., and received a bachelor's degree in art history from Boston University. She is employed at the Bournwood Hospital in Brookline, Mass.

Mr. Faulker graduated from Bolton High School and received a bachelor's degree in English from Boston State University. He is employed by the Boston Contract Co. A September wedding is planned.

## Wedding

### Willard-Knight

A reception was held at the British-American Club in Manchester, after which the couple left for the Adirondack Mountains in New York State. They will reside in Rockwood, Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard are employed as assistant managers of "The Birches," a four season resort at Moosehead Lake, Rockwood.

### Warren-Fischer

The engagement of Miss Kim Patricia Warren of Simsbury to Paul James Fischer of Williamsville, N.Y., has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Warren of Simsbury. Mr. Warren is formerly of Manchester. Miss Warren is also the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Warren of Manchester.

Mr. Fischer is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fischer of Williamsville, N.Y.

Miss Warren graduated from Simsbury High School in 1977 and will graduate in May from the University of Rochester (N.Y.) School of Nursing, with a bachelor's degree in nursing.

Mr. Fischer graduated from Williamsville North High School in 1977 and will graduate from the University of Rochester College of Engineering in May with a

new door chime

CINCINNATI, Ohio (UPI)—Computer technology has led to development of a door chime with a repertoire of 25 melodies—everything from Beethoven's Fifth Symphony to Yankee Doodle.

The chime system translates musical notes into a frequency that can be picked up by mini-computers in the chime casings.

With the push of a button, the owner can switch from one melody to another. Whatever is selected plays each time a caller pushes the doorbell button.

## Cleanup time in Newport

NEWPORT, R.I. (UPI)—Spring cleaners looking for inspiration might compare their meager tasks to the Herculean job facing Bob Coyne.

Coyne is chief custodian for the opulent Breakers, the summer palace built in 1895 for railroad tycoon Cornelius Vanderbilt.

Coyne's assignment has been to tidy up the 140,000-square-foot, 70-room Italian Renaissance-inspired palace before today's opening to tourists.

"We started in the attic in November and we've been working our way down," said Coyne. "We're going room by room, getting all the last-minute details."

Coyne, 52, retired from the Air Force 11 years ago to take on the house-cleaning task.

He and a small crew of cleaners wash and wax marble floors, polish a galaxy of chandeliers and scrub the house's museum-size collection of statues and figurines.

The Breakers is the largest of the mansions maintained by the Preservation Society of Newport County.

The former summer palaces for America's super-rich all get a top-to-bottom scrubbing before they're massive doors are swung open for 700,000 tourists who visit each year.

Just for starters, they require 300 pounds of wax for wood floors, 40 gallons of marble sealer and wax and 2,000 light bulbs. Then the delicate work begins.

The Breakers, the most popular of the homes, is the crowning jewel amid the sparkling palaces along famed Bellevue Avenue and the Cliff Walk. It sits on 1 1/2 acres of green manicured lawn, overlooking the blue Atlantic.

The Vanderbilts didn't skimp when it came to furnishing their seaside castle. They imported marble, limestone, furniture and other "touches" from around the world to fill the huge spaces in the home.

The job presents some unusual problems—like cleaning delicate threads of a room-size, 16th century Flemish tapestry.

"We try to vacuum that very carefully—very carefully," Coyne said, his small figure dwarfed by intricate tapestry.

Special attention is also given to the library, which is wrapped in walls of polished walnut and Spanish goldembossed leather; the marble mosaics of the billiard room; the bathtub of the master bedroom, with running fresh and salt water; and 180 copper pots and pans in the kitchen.

Then, there are the matched, 12-foot chandeliers in the formal dining room. Each crystal ball is dusted and washed, the bronze chains rubbed down with crude oil.

"It takes me a day and a half just to clean one side of those chandeliers," Coyne said.

Some of the work inspires awe. For Coyne, it's the Breakers' hunched chandeliers.

"I've always wanted to lay out on the grass and count all the windows," Coyne said with a whimsical sigh.

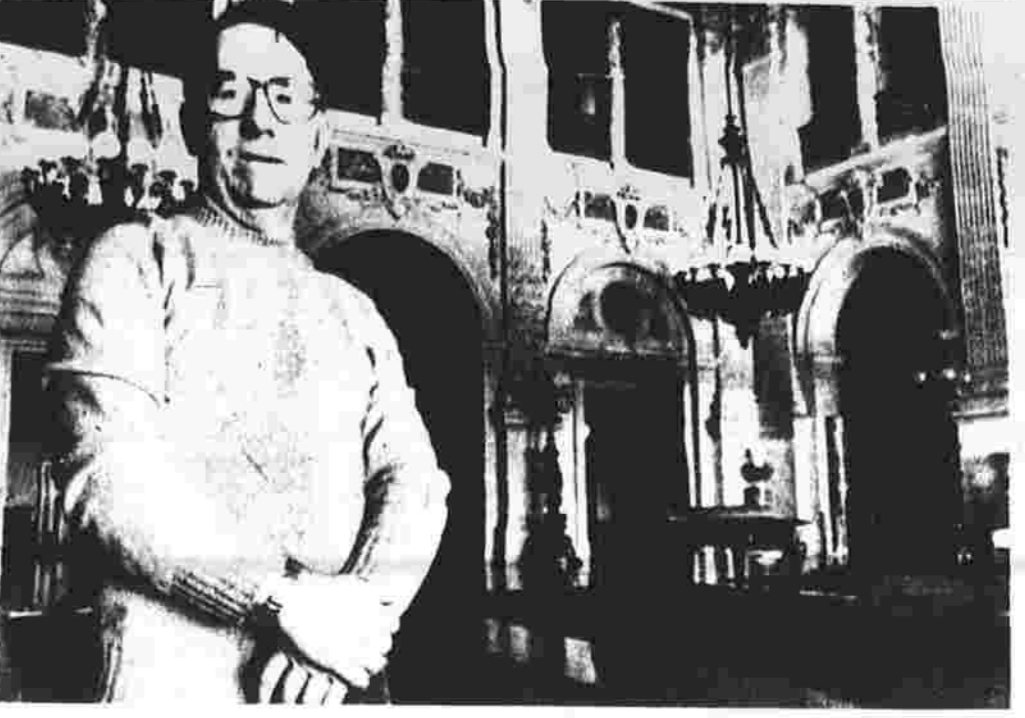
He's always been too busy washing them to take the time.

Some of the tasks just inspires hard work.

"When you get a new one, you've got to hang on to them for about a week," Coyne laughed.

His work won't end when they swing the Breakers' half-timbered doors open to sightseers.

They just come through and we follow them, cleaning up," Coyne said. "It's a never-ending cycle."



Spring cleaners looking for inspiration might compare their meager tasks to the Herculean job facing Bob Coyne in Newport, R.I. Coyne is chief custodian for the opulent Breakers, the summer palace built in 1895 for railroad tycoon Cornelius Vanderbilt. Coyne's job is to tidy up the 140,000-square-foot 70-room Italian renaissance inspired palace before opening to tourists. Coyne poses in the Breakers, one of seven homes maintained by Preservation Society of Newport County. The former summer palaces for America's super-rich all get a top-to-bottom scrubbing each year. (UPI photo)

## Don't act secretive when taking forms

By MARTIN SLOANE  
DEAR SUPERMARKET SHOPPER—Several weeks ago while shopping, I saw an interesting-looking pad of refund forms lying on the supermarket shelf. I picked up the pad, ripped off two forms, quickly put them in my purse and went on with my shopping.

I had paid for my purchases and was heading for my car when a security guard stopped me and accused me of shoplifting. I took me nearly an hour to get him to believe that all I had taken were two refund forms.

I hope that will tell other shoppers about my experience and advise them to be very obvious about taking refund forms so that there can be no mistake about what they are doing. Needless to say, this was very embarrassing for me.

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DEAR — I WOULD BE PLEASED TO ALSELY ACCUSED — I WOULD BE PLEASED TO alerting us to this potentially embarrassing situation. Your advice is excellent.

Shoppers should never be secretive about taking refund forms. They are there to be taken, so rip one off with a little flair, wave it over your head and set the record twice, open your purse or pocket and let it flutter in gently.

This is also an opportunity to remind supermarkets that not everyone who takes something off the shelf and puts it into a purse or pocket is a shoplifter.

That does not apply only to refund forms taken from tear-off pads. Many shoppers who purchase a jar or a bottle with a hangtag put the product into their shopping cart and the tag into their purse or pocket so that it will not be lost.

Store employees—especially security personnel—should be trained to recognize these situations. A special note to concerned couponers: I have received many letters from readers who are upset about a recent edition of "The Phil Donahue Show" on which two guests attacked couponing viciously. I have asked these readers to write to Donahue and set the record straight. His address is: Phil Donahue, WGN-TV, 2501 Bradley Place, Chicago, Ill. 60618.

If you didn't see this show, a transcript can be obtained by sending \$2.50 to Donahue transcripts, P.O. 2111, Cincinnati, Ohio 45201. Be sure to ask for the transcript from the show on coupons.

If you think that Donahue and the two coupon critics should have picked on someone other than you, write to Smart-shopper award winner Linda Erps of Sunnyvale, Calif.

"I bought my Thanksgiving turkey for \$12 and saved the entire wrapping and the receipt," she wrote. "In December,

I sent the hang-tag to Armour for a \$2 refund. Then I used the receipt to take advantage of a \$2 offer from Baggy's. In January, I used the brand name from the wrapper for a \$3 refund from Mother's Cookies. And this month I got another \$1 back from Armour in return for the large star cut from the wrapper."

"The only thing I have left is the net-weight statement, and I'm not throwing it out!"

Ms. Erps and other readers whose smart-shopping experiences are published in this column receive my "1981 Guide to Coupons and Refunds." Write to me in care of this newspaper.

Refund of the day

Write to the following address to obtain the form required by this \$1 refund offer: Close-Up Refund Offer, P.O. Box 2838, El Paso, Texas 79977. Send a stamped, self-addressed envelope with your request. This offer expires June 30, 1981.

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## Births

Beer, Matthew William, son of Julius D. and Patti-Ann Dunn Beer of 44 Cambridge St., Manchester, was born March 26 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. Her maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William H. Dunn of South Glastonbury. His paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Julius H. Beer of Rockville. His maternal grandfather is John W. Kasper of South Glastonbury. He has a sister, Julie Ann, 2.

Martin, Amber Jean, daughter of Albert F. and Colleen M. Cordy Martin of 41 Ashworth St., Manchester, was born March 23 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. Her maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jean Cordy and Calvin Cordy, both of Manchester. Her paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Albert R. Martin of Manchester. Her great-grandmother is Mrs. Irene Dupont of Ashford.

Hainey, Ronald Marvin, son of Martin L. and Kerry Churchill Hainey of 74 Volpi Road, Bolton, was born March 24 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ronald W. Churchill of Bolton. His paternal grandmother is Jeanette Hainey of Manchester. His great-grandparents are Christine Hainey of Glastonbury, Mrs. L. W. Churchill of Greenville, S.C., and Kenneth Davis of Cranlistad, N.M.

## Clubs

Alcoholism

GLASTONBURY—"Alcoholism: Choosing the Best Treatment" will be the topic of a free program April 8 at 7:30 p.m. in the Atrium of the Medical Center, New London Turnpike and Hebron Avenue.

The program, sponsored by the Medical Center and Counseling Affiliates of Greater Hartford, will feature Dr. Jonathan S. Warner, a psychologist who practices in Glastonbury, Farmington and Canton.

Further information about this program may be obtained from Counseling Affiliates of Greater Hartford (869-2897) or the executive office at the Medical Center (241-0256).

Square Circle

MANCHESTER—The Square Circle Club of Manchester Lodge of Masons will have an open house on Monday from 10 a.m. to noon at the Masonic Temple. There will be cards, pool, conversation and refreshments.

All Masons and their friends are invited.

Tasting benefit

HARTFORD—The Friends of Connecticut Public Broadcasting will present a collection of California's finest wines with one of the state's most celebrated collections of art in an evening of California Wine Tasting on May 3 from 5:30 to 8 p.m. at the Wadsworth Athenaeum.

Conducted by the California Wine Institute, 13 wineries will present selections. There will be samplings of cheese, bread

Glastonbury and Hartford.

It is free and the public is cordially invited.

The Traveler's Plaza Building Garage, Level 5, across the street from the Morgan Wing of the Albeeum. Cost of the evening is \$10 per person and proceeds will benefit Connecticut Public Radio. For additional information, call 278-5310.

Stroke Club

MANCHESTER—The Manchester Stroke Club will meet on Monday at 6 p.m. at the Crestfield Convalescent Home parking lot and leave sharply at 6:15 p.m. to go to the American National Red Cross office at 209 Farmington Ave., Farmington. A film entitled "Stroke-Counter Stroke" starring Patricia Neal will be shown. A social hour will follow from 8 to 9 p.m. All stroke patients and their families are invited.

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# Police head admits Klan fight avoidable

HARTFORD (UPI) — Public Safety Commissioner Donald Long admitted Friday that violence might not have erupted at a Ku Klux Klan march in Meriden last month if state police officers had been there.

Long, in two hours of testimony before the Legislature's Public Safety Committee, said if he had to do it over again he would have stayed in Connecticut and not visited his son at college in New York.

In nine pages of prepared remarks, he read to the committee. Long also contradicted a previous statement that he made a direct telephone command to dispatch troopers.

He told lawmakers Friday that he ordered the officer in charge, Lt. Col. James Rice, to follow a standing policy of not sending troopers unless local police couldn't handle the situation.

The State Police Union has called for Long's resignation because troopers were not sent to Meriden March 21 when protesters beat



Looking annoyed at the intrusion into their private game in a sand pile, cousins Heather Robertson, 4, rear, and Jason Robertson, 3, front, both of 95 W. Middle Turnpike, took advantage of the spring weather to have a little out-of-doors fun. (Herald photo by Pinto)

# Dodd backs conditions for El Salvador aid

By LISA SHEPARD  
WASHINGTON — Sen. Chris Dodd (D-Conn.) joined two House members Thursday in introducing legislation to cut off military aid to El Salvador unless five conditions are met by the present government.

To date, the Reagan administration has committed \$35 million in military aid and sent 54 advisors to support the Christian Democratic government of El Salvador's President Napoleon Duarte.

Dodd, a member of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee and Reps. John Dingell (D-Mich.) and Stephen Solarz (D-N.Y.) says the U.S. should send no more military assistance until the Duarte government is committed to free elections at an early date, continues implementing economic and political reforms, stops violating human rights, achieves control over its security forces and shows a willingness to negotiate with opposition groups.

The legislation would require the president to certify the conditions 30 days after the bill's enactment and each six-month period after that.

"I think it was a mistake to have sent military advisors to El Salvador," said Dodd. "But I'm afraid I'm confronted with a fait accompli. This is an effort to achieve some needed reforms in El Salvador to terminate those advisors."

Dodd is considering traveling to El Salvador in mid-April to meet with Duarte and other Salvadorans. "I think Napoleon Duarte is doing as good a job as possible under the circumstances," said Dodd. "It's very difficult to try and undo decades of control that rested in the hands of very few people."

"I don't expect to have land reform achieved within 30 days, but we are looking for clear, factual evidence that they're progressing

toward land reforms, elections and control of the security forces," said the Connecticut senator.

The Duarte government has begun a sweeping land reform program that would transfer 100,000 acres controlled by 14 families to the people, but there has been strong opposition from the political right to Duarte's action, Duarte, it is reported, also has difficulty controlling security forces which previously were commanded by political right.

The Reagan administration continues to support the Duarte regime but some members of Congress believe all military aid to El Salvador should be stopped immediately. Rep. Gerry Studds (D-Mass.) has circulated a bill to end military assistance which has 49 co-sponsors.

But Dodd says his proposal is more moderate and has a better chance than any others concerning military aid to El Salvador.

# Latest black victim killed immediately

ATLANTA (UPI) — Eddie Duncan, a young, retarded black who became the latest victim in this city's unsolved string of 24 murdered or missing youths, probably was killed and dumped into the Chattahoochee River on the night he vanished, a medical examiner said Friday.

"Everything I've found is consistent with his having been in the water since he disappeared," said Dr. Byron Dawson, assistant director of the state Crime Laboratory.

Duncan was last seen in the Techwood Homes public housing area, where he lived, on the night of March 20. His body was found in the river south of Atlanta on March 31, just two miles from where the remains were found. Timothy Hill, 20, was discovered a day earlier.

Separate funerals for Duncan and Hill, two hours apart, will be held Saturday.

Dawson, who conducted an autopsy on Duncan, said there were no marks of violence on the body. This, and indications the killer slew his victim almost immediately, tended to fit the pattern of other cases, although at 21 years of age, Duncan was five years older than the oldest child victim.

In the past 20 months, 24 young blacks, all of them children except Duncan, vanished from the poorer sections of the city. The bodies of the murdered children is reported missing.

He said an emergency action will be taken, with roadblocks thrown up around the city. Cars will be searched, he said, with particular attention being paid to cars carrying black children and to closed vans.

Meanwhile, Hartford, Conn., Police Chief George Sicasas said Friday that a robbery suspect being held for Fulton County, Ga., police was not a suspect in the slayings. Sicasas quoted Atlanta Public Safety Commissioner Lee Brown as saying no member of the city's investigative force would be sent to Hartford to question Marshall. The suspect reportedly knew Hill, one of the child victims.

George Napper announced a complete revamping of police response if another child fitting the profile of the murdered children is reported missing.

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# USSR sounds warning on Polish dissenters

WARSAW, Poland (UPI) — An ominous new warning on Poland Friday, stepping up its propaganda attacks against Polish dissenters even as a strike alert was lifted in the nation's last pocket of labor unrest.

This followed a warning by Defense Secretary Caspar Weinberger, who was preparing to leave for a tour of NATO countries, that the danger of Soviet intervention had increased since the Solidarity labor coalition called off a nationwide strike last Tuesday.

In Moscow, the official newspaper Pravda conceded labor calm had returned to Poland but accused Solidarity of waging a "struggle against the party and the state" for control of the government.

The new attack, following unprecedented criticism of the Polish leadership in the state-run news agency Tass, was repeated for emphasis by Radio Moscow in what Western diplomats said was more evidence of the Kremlin's growing alarm.

And in Poland, there were signs that moderate union leaders worried by these warnings were trying to distance Solidarity from political dissenters in the organization. KOR, which has been the target of strong denunciations by both Moscow and the badly divided Polish regime.

Solidarity, its own ranks divided along lines similar to the schism in the Communist Party leadership, announced that activist Anna Walentynowicz had been dismissed from her union post in Gdansk, the labor movement's Baltic Port headquarters.

Mrs. Walentynowicz was the latest of several top officials to leave the union after advocating confrontation with the government.

# Contract talks fail, none further slated

HARTFORD (UPI) — Union laborers and the Connecticut Construction Industry Association Friday failed to reach agreement on a new contract to end a three-day-old strike against public construction projects.

Marvin B. Morganbesser, association president, said a 90-minute negotiating session produced no changes in the original contract proposals offered by contractors and laborers.

He said no new talks were scheduled but "there may be an exchange of telephone calls during the weekend, or they may call for another formal session."

However, he said "it would be far too optimistic to expect to reach a settlement during the weekend."

The strike by the Laborers' Union was called Wednesday after the CCIA rejected the union's last wage proposal calling for increases of 40 percent over a three-year period.

The old contract expired Wednesday.

Morganbesser said picketing spread "to a great many other jobs today (Friday) throughout the state," including the Tilton/Tomasso for the rest of the state.

The department also forecast good air quality Saturday at Greenwich and moderate air quality for the rest of the state.

# Fire calls

Friday, 9:06 a.m. — medical call from 129 Center St. (Town)

Friday, 10:06 a.m. — fire alarm from 18 Huckleberry St. (Town)

Friday, 1:53 p.m. — wood fire at 494 Main St. (Town)

Friday, 2:28 p.m. — leaf fire at 44 Grandview St. (Town)

Friday, 4:10 p.m. — medical call from 18 Huckleberry St. (Town)

Friday, 7:55 p.m. — small brush fire behind the Georgia Pacific building. (Eighth Dist.)

# Air quality report

HARTFORD (UPI) — The Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection reported good air quality Friday at Greenwich and moderate air quality for the rest of the state.

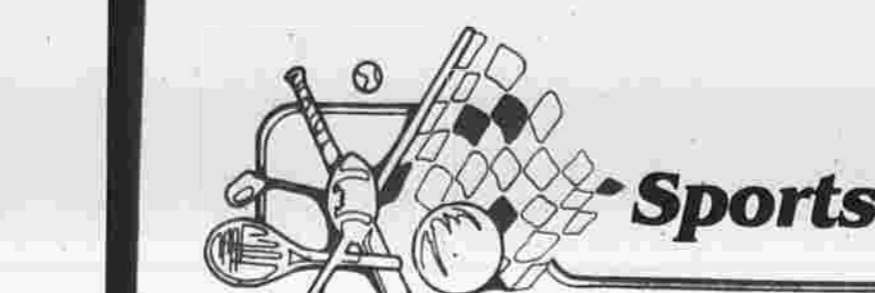
# Death called homicide

MANCHESTER — The ly seeking his whereabouts. Early Friday, Allen K. Tierney, 22, was hit by a car in the Manchester Parkade parking lot outside David's restaurant. His sister, Darlene, 19, was also injured.

Tierney was pronounced dead at Manchester Memorial Hospital. His sister is in Hartford and recovering from surgery, a hospital spokeswoman said. She is reported in stable condition.

After police talked to witnesses at the scene, they listed Tierney's death as a homicide.

Recipes galore  
Great ideas for new recipes are exclusively yours in the full-color People-Food section of the Herald. New Ideas, coupons and great recipes are yours in the Herald.



Hard-hitting Steve Testoni of Manchester Community College had to duck to escape inside pitch in Wednesday's 15-2 rout of Post College. The Cougars trek to Middletown Sunday for a twilb against Middlesex Community College. (Herald photo by Pinto)

# Two-stroke edge held by Nelson

GREENSBORO, N.C. (UPI) — Larry Nelson, firing one of the best sub-par rounds of the day over the windswept Forest Oaks course, posted a 4-under-par 68 Friday to take a two-stroke lead after the second round of the \$300,000 Greater Greensboro Open.

Nelson's 68, which matched the best round of the tournament and two strokes in front of Mark Hayes, alone at 139 after a 70-69 in the first two rounds.

Gusty winds and difficult pin placements that brought complaints from several of the leaders made a monster out of the 6,994-yard Forest Oaks course.

"The greens are some of the fastest I've ever seen," said Nelson, who carded five birdies and one bogey. "They are also some of the most severe I've ever seen. On one hole, I was one-and-a-half to two feet away from the cup, and all I was trying to do was put it."

Trailing Hayes by one shot were Leonard Thompson with a 69-71-140, and first-round coleader Jay Haas with a 69-72-140. Lee Trevino with a 69-72-141 and Jim Dent with a 70-71-141 were four shots off the pace.

The course is playing extremely difficult because of the wind and the position of the pins," said Hayes, who added he felt the pin placements were unfair.

"If I had not played well, I would have been mad," he said. "But when you play well you tend to overlook those things."

Among the casualties was Bill Kratzert, co-leader in the first round, who followed his opening 68 with a 75.

Tom Weiskopf, who needed a victory here to qualify for his 13th consecutive Masters search to a 76 after an opening round 71 and barely made

# Last inning steal halts Cheney, 8-7

Two baseball games in a 48-hour span resulted in a pair of defeats for Cheney Tech's baseball team. The latest took a successful delayed double steal play in the last inning to claim the decision.

The culprit, as far as Tech was concerned yesterday afternoon at the Beaver Field was East Windsor High which rallied for two runs in its final at bats to eke out an 8-7 duke.

Tech Coach Rich Busick was pleased. "Twice we came back to knot the score and the team played a good game. It was a tough one to lose and a great one to win," he noted.

East Windsor jumped on starting Cheney pitcher Brian Eaton for two runs in the first inning but his teammates roared back to knot the count at 2-2 in their half of the frame.

Eight runs crossed the plate in the second stanza, four by each side. East Windsor scored first for a 6-2 margin and Tech came back to deadlock matters.

Cheney took the lead for the first time in the fifth inning. With one out, Mike Strasser tripled to deep left centerfield and scored on Dan Barone's perfect suicide squeeze bunt.

The lead held up with three outs remaining but a walk and two singles loaded the bases for the visitors with no one out. Following a strikeout victim, East tied the count on a fielder's choice, the middle number being cut down at second base.

This set the stage for East Windsor's retaliation in the steal department.

Scott Loos, on first base, was off for second as Eaton's pitch came to the plate. The throw to second was in time to cut down the runner but not before Tom Alprandi who was on third, raced home before the return throw and that was the ball game. The 17 is snugged.

Eaton hurled the distance for Tech and deserved a better fate. He scattered six hits, fanned seven and walked five batters. He gave up two earned runs. Four misplays aided led to most of the run-making.

No Cheney player had more than one hit while Alprandi and Shay Foster each collected a pair of safes in victory.

Mike Harrison, coming on in relief with one out in the third inning, picked up the tie the mound win. John Regalutti was the East starter.

East Windsor tallied twice in the opening inning without benefit of a hit and Cheney's two scores came in the same manner.

Two singles, two errors and Alprandi's double gave East four runs in the second and Tech got them back on Tom Eaton's single. Dave Nowak's double, Don McElheron's two-run single and the final two markers came home on bobbles and it was 6-6.

East Windsor (8) — Cappelletti ss, 3-1-0, Harrison 2b/p, 2-3-0, Alprandi 2b, 4-2-2, Foster 1b, 3-1-2, Szymala c, 3-1-0, Loos rf, 4-0-0, Jay cf, 3-0-1, Regalutti p/3, 3-0-0, Teller lf, 2-0-1. Totals: 27-8-6.

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# Canadiens third, top Whalers, 6-1

MONTREAL (UPI) — Pierre Larouche fired in two goals Friday night and the Montreal Canadiens defeated the Hartford Whalers 6-1 to secure third place in the NHL standings.

The Canadiens have 101 points and will face the 14th place team in the final round of the playoffs which began Wednesday in Montreal.

It was the seventh consecutive season and 11th time in the history of the club, the Canadiens were short two players and the Whalers one but Hartford elected to remove goalie

John Garrett for another skater. Rejean Houle scored the final goal at 18:17, putting Montreal in front 6-1. After Houle scored, the Canadiens faced 11 Montreal intermissions to replace Sevigny. Herron made his 24th appearance of the season. He needs one more appearance to get his name on the Vezina Trophy, which goes to the team with the best goals-against average.

First-period goals by Yvon Lambert and by Guy Lafleur on a power play put Montreal in front 2-0.

Larouche's 24th goal on a rebound at 5:39 of the second period gave the Canadiens a 3-0 lead. Doug Jarvis scored the first Montreal intermission goal at 14:40. Larouche scored his second goal at 5:22 of the final period on a power play to make it 5-0.

The opening game of the season, Cap played his first shutout when he scored on a power play at 10:14 of the final period. At that time, the Canadiens were short two players and the Whalers one but Hartford elected to remove goalie

# Palmer ties in Seniors

TAMPA, Fla. (UPI) — Arnold Palmer ramed in a 15-foot birdie putt on the 18th hole Friday to pull into a three-way tie for the lead midway in the \$125,000 Seniors Classic.

Knotted with Palmer at 5-under-par 139 after two rounds of action were Doug Ford and Miller Barber. Palmer had three bogeys and four birdies for a 1-under-par 71 over the 6,529-yard Carrollwood Golf and Country Club course.

"The difference was definitely my putting," said the 50-year-old Palmer, who carded a 68 in Thursday's opening round.

"Yesterday the putts were going in the hole," he said. "It seemed whenever I had to make a putt, I did today I was rolling the ball well, but they just didn't drop."

Ford, the first round leader, birdied the 17th and 18th holes, but he had a bogey on the 19th hole. Barber, who is competing in his first Seniors Tour event, overcame a double bogey early in the round to end with a 71.

"I'm very fortunate to be where I am because I wasn't hitting the ball that well today," said Barber, who celebrated his 58th birthday last Tuesday.

Two strokes behind the leaders at 141 was Don January, who had a bogey in the final hole. He had a 1-under-par 71. Ted for 10th place another stroke back were Mike Souchak, Gardner Dickinson and J.C. Gosse.

# Rangers win, gain playoffs

NEW YORK (UPI) — Mike Allison tied the score just 58 seconds into the third period and Don Maloney came out on the game-winning four minutes later Friday night to lead the New York Rangers to a 3-1 victory over the Chicago Black Hawks, clinching a playoff berth for New York.

The Rangers raised their point total to 72, assuring them of a spot in the top 16 teams of the NHL.

Maloney, who also assisted on Allison's goal, deflected Chris Kotsonopoulou's shot from just inside the blue line past Chicago goalie Murray Bannerman at 4:43. It was his 28th goal.

Allison, who also had a hand in the winning goal, tied it 1-1 with 26th goal, beating Bannerman on the stick side during a goalmouth scramble. New York's Dean Talafous scored his 13th goal on an empty net with 1:37 left.

John Marks broke a scoreless tie at 17:06 of the second period, putting a 10-footer from the right side past Rangers goalie Steve Baker. It was only the third goal given up by New York in the last three games.

# DeCinces injured

MIAMI (UPI) — Baltimore Orioles third baseman Doug DeCinces cut his foot while running on the beach Friday and may be sidelined for a week.

DeCinces cut his left heel on a piece of glass on the beach near his Key Biscayne apartment a few hours before the Orioles' game against the New York Yankees.

The wound required seven stitches to close and DeCinces was told not to apply any pressure to the foot for three or four days. He could be sidelined as long as a week.

# Knicks ousted by Chicago

CHICAGO (UPI) — Reggie Theus scored 4 of his game-high 37 points in overtime to lead the Chicago Bulls to a 115-114 heart-breaking victory over the Knicks on Friday night, knocking the Knicks out of the NBA playoffs.

The victory put the Bulls into the Eastern Conference semifinals against the Boston Celtics.

The Bulls came from an 87-80 deficit entering the fourth quarter and rallied to tie it 98-98 when Theus fired a Pirates Manager Chuck Tanner.

Tanner will start the season with Pittsburgh as a member of the AAA Pacific Coast League.

Tiant, who has notched four 20-win seasons and predicted he will be back in the majors this season, reportedly has a \$125,000 a year contract at Portland.

Marvin Webster tipped in Campy Russell's shot, putting the Knicks ahead again, but Ricky Sobers tied it up with 27 seconds left at 104-104.

With nine seconds to play, Ray Williams hit a 10-foot bank shot and Chicago tied the game. Sobers took the inbound pass from Greenwood at midcourt and drove to the basket to send the game into overtime at 106-106 with three seconds left.

In the overtime, Mike Glenn put the Knicks on top but Gilmore countered with a basket to tie it 108-108. Gilmore then made one of two free throws with 1:14 left to put the Knicks ahead at 109-108 at 3:10. Gilmore had 4 of his 25 points in overtime. New York held a 36-32 lead after

# Obituaries

**Fredrick H. Baxter**  
VERNON — Mrs. Fredrick H. Baxter, 56, of Cottage St., died Thursday at his home.

He was born in Ellington and had lived in the Ellington-Rockville area all of his life. He retired recently from the Kephauzas Brothers in South Windsor.

He leaves his mother, Elizabeth (Noack) Baxter of Rockville, two brothers, Wilfred Baxter in Florida and Alfred Baxter, Norwich, four sisters, Mrs. Clara Robbins and Mrs. Florence Rothor, both of Rockville, Mrs. Irene Drury of Talcottville, and Miss Marion Baxter of Rockville, and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be Monday at 11 a.m. from the White-Gibson-Small Funeral Home, 65 Elm St., Rockville. Cremation will be at the Springfield crematory. Burial will be in Grove Hill Cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home Sunday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Memorial donations may be made to St. Gabriel's Church, Ellington or the American Cancer Society.

**Bernice Y. Carney**  
WINDSOR — Mrs. Bernice Young Carney, 88, of 185 Popponock Ave., died Friday at a Windsor Convalescent home.

She was the widow of Norbert B. Carney. She was born in Rockville and had lived in Windsor for 80 years. She was a member of the St. Francis Hospital Auxiliary and a charter member and former officer of St. Gabriel's Church in Windsor.

She leaves a son, Richard Y. Carney of Manchester; two daughters, Miss Bernice H. Carney and Mrs. Joseph (Virginia) Riccard, both of Windsor; and five grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Monday at 9:30 a.m. at the Carmen Funeral Home, 6 Popponock Ave., Windsor, with a mass of Christian burial at 10 a.m. at St. Gabriel's Church. Burial will be in St. Bernard's Cemetery, Rockville. Friends may call at the funeral home Sunday from 7 to 9 p.m. Memorial donations may be made to St. Gabriel's Church.

**Grace M. Calabretta**  
MANCHESTER — Mrs. Grace

# VanHoose holds on to LPGA lead

PALM SPRINGS, Calif. (UPI) — Myra Van Hoose shot a 6-over-par 73 Friday but still held a one-shot lead over former U.S. Amateur champion Carolyn Hill after two rounds of the \$250,000 Dinah Shore LPGA tournament.

Van Hoose, last year's Rookie of the Year who had a sparkling 6-under-par 66 in the first round, had a 36-hole total of 139, 5-under par at Mission Hills Country Club. Hill shot her second consecutive 79 Friday for a 140 total.

Van Hoose, who had three birdies and four bogeys, said the wind was not as strong as during the first round, when it gusts to more than 30 mph, but it was tricky.

"It would start and stop," she said. "The pins were tougher. They were out behind the bunker. They were supposed to be harder."

Hill was helped by a stunning eagle on the 45-yard second hole. She dropped a 225-yard, 5-wood within a foot of the cup and tapped in for a 3.

Tied at 141, 3-under par, were Jan Stephenson and Jane Blalock, while Sandra Palmer and Sally Little were knotted at 142. Another shot back were Judy Rankin, Lynn Adams and Penny Pult.

At even-par 144, defending champion Donna Caponi and Nancy Lopez-Melton led a group that included JoAnne Carner, Amy Alcott and Kathy Whitworth.

# Trail Blazers remain alive

MIAMI (UPI) — John Lowenstein hit a pinch-hit single with two out in the ninth inning Friday night to give the Baltimore Orioles a 4-3 victory over the New York Yankees.

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"Myron game, which I think for me is the most important, is much better."

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Elsewhere Friday, major league clubs were busy preparing their rosters for the start of the season. The champion Philadelphia Phillies reduced their roster to 26 players by cutting pitchers Warren Bruslarz, Dickie Noles and Jon Reardon and outfielder Orlando Isles. All were sent to Oklahoma City of the American Association.

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# Base stealing trend to continue in majors

NEW YORK (UPI) — UPI survey of 38 experts on predictions for 1981 major league baseball (points in parentheses):

American League East — 1. Baltimore (234), 2. Milwaukee (226), 3. New York (218), 4. Cincinnati (154), 5. Detroit (112), 6. Boston (97), 7. Toronto (42).

West — 1. Kansas City (249), 2. California (194), 3. Oakland (190), 4. Texas (140), 5. Chicago (125), 6. Minnesota (92), 7. Seattle (47).

East — 1. Montreal (203), 2. Philadelphia (196), 3. St. Louis (138), 4. Atlanta (144), 5. New York (92), 6. Chicago (48).

West — 1. Houston (208), 2. Los Angeles (187), 3. Cincinnati (154), 4. Atlanta (144), 5. San Francisco (81), 6. San Diego (45).

AL Championship — Baltimore (14), NL Championship — Houston (15).

World Series — Baltimore (11).

(Points — in AL regular season, 7 points for a first-place pick down to one for seventh place; in the NL, 6 points for a first-place pick down to one for sixth place; for league championships and world series, figures denote votes to win.)

and tripled their attendance, figure to be the most copied. Led by Henderson, Billy Martin's club stole 175 bases, including home seven times. Things like that tend to make people notice.

"I want to see if we can play a running game," said John Goryl, beginning his first full season as Minnesota Twins manager. "I told our kids the first day of spring training that we were going to play on an area that would add another dimension to our ballclub, it team speed."

For all its popularity and value, the stolen base has not regained its status as the top offensive weapon in baseball. It probably never will, says Baltimore manager Earl Weaver.

"Every stolen base does not produce a run," said Weaver. "Every home run produces a run. A stolen base puts a guy in scoring position but you still need a base hit to get him in. A steal of home gets you a run."

"I don't dislike the stolen base. It's been a big part of the game but the home run has been bigger."

Circle all as the home run is there and the game is set up so that people can hit them, the home run is the bigger weapon," said Virton. "You may produce wins with a stolen base but you don't necessarily produce the big inning."

The Houston Astros won the NL West with strong pitching and little power. Manager Vin Lunardi believes they can repeat with the same blend but he still respects the value of the long ball.

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# Business Finance

## Life insurance firms make radical changes

NEW YORK (UPI) — Some life insurance companies are making radical changes in whole life, cash value policies to halt the drift away from whole life to combinations of term insurance and non-insurance savings investments.

They are introducing flexible coverage and flexible premium payment plans and even are permitting policyholders to withdraw portions of the cash value without making loans against the life insurance protection and thus paying interest on their own money.

These radical policies are designed to meet the criticisms of

the verge of introducing such policies.

The new policies are designed not only to stem loss of business to term insurance underwriters and to rival savings plans but to preserve two big advantages of whole life insurance. The first of these is inexpensive insurance protection for those who still need it late in life because they don't have other substantial savings. The second is a cash value accumulation for use in emergencies. While term insurance gives substantial protection at low cost early in life, it is prohibitively expensive for many people later in

life and it doesn't build up cash value.

The conventional whole life insurance policy provides level life-long premiums and level amounts of coverage. The new policies permit the amount of coverage to be adjusted up or down the way one does in renewing term life insurance.

They also permit paying the premiums in uneven annual amounts so long as the policy has accumulated cash value sufficient to offset any deficit in premium payments.

Life of Virginia's Turner explained that these policies accumulate cash value not at the low rates (under 5 percent) complained of by the PTC staff report, but at rates comparable to many other savings investments. He said he expects a yield of 10.46 percent for the quarter ended April 30. These accumulations are exempt from current income or capital gains taxes and may or may not be taxable when withdrawn.

Turner said he expects the policies to be very popular. Hutton's Barger said his company already is writing as many of them as it can process. They agree widespread adoption of these policies could greatly curb the

increase in policy loans and whole life policy surrenders and lapses.

Both companies agree also that it takes sophisticated, objective agents to market these policies. Barger said Hutton is relying on the sales force of its parent E.F. Hutton financial group for most of the selling. Turner said Life of Virginia is planning to shift about half its sales volume to independent agents handling other insurance companies and other financial services in order to give prospective customers more comprehensive service and more objective advice.

### Realty seminar slated

HARTFORD — The Connecticut Association of Real Property Professionals will present a seminar entitled "Finding Your Home's Roots" April 11 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Auerbach Science Center Auditorium, Hartford College for Women, 1265 Asylum Ave. Advance registration is recommended. Contact Marion P. Russo, 101 Birchwood St., Waterbury.

### Conoco reserves up

STAMFORD — Conoco Inc. increased its proved U.S. domestic petroleum reserves in 1980.

The company's domestic liquid petroleum reserves increased by five million barrels, more than offsetting on a bit-by-bit a slight decline in the company's U.S. natural gas reserves.

"This represents the first year since 1968 that additions proved oil and gas reserves combined on a bit-by-bit basis have been sufficient to replace production," said Ralph E. Bailey, chairman, in the company's annual report.

### New vice president

HARTFORD — Jay Tabb Hostetter has been promoted to vice president of Hartford National Bank. He will continue to be responsible for managing the Elmwood Office of the Bank in West Hartford, managing a portfolio of commercial loans, and is responsible for new business development.

Hostetter joined Hartford National in 1972 after graduating from Trinity College with a bachelor's degree in economics.

His company activities include serving as treasurer of Phi Psi Building Association of AXP, secretary of the Trinity Club of Hartford, and serving on the Greater Hartford Arts Council.

He lives with his wife, Patricia, and three children on Conway Road.

### Local men cited

MANCHESTER — Two Manchester men were among 54 away drivers from this area honored at a dinner in Massachusetts Monday for completing a year or more of driving without a preventable accident.

Faul Zentek was awarded for five years of driving without such an accident and Ray Flegert for 11 years.

### Holmes at conference

MANCHESTER — Arthur G. Holmes of Holmes Funeral Home attended the 23rd Annual Conference of the International Order of the Golden Rule held at the Crown Center Hotel in Kansas City, Mo., March 23, 24 and 25.

One of the guest speakers at the conference was Dr. Earl A. Grollman who presented a workshop on the subject of bereavement in children. A pioneer in family crisis intervention and thanatology, Dr. Grollman has appeared on numerous national television and radio shows and has authored several books. One of his books, "Talking About Death: A Dialogue Between Parent and Child," was awarded the Trends Citation of UNESCO for new approaches to children's literature.

### Brand-Rex gets order

WILLIMANTIC — Brand-Rex Co., a part of Akzona Inc. has announced that it signed a multi-year contract March 1 with AT&T to supply Teletape undercarpet flat communications cable.

Under the terms of the contract, the Telecommunications Division of Brand-Rex has agreed to supply associated installation hardware and other product support services. The Bell System presently is installing Brand-Rex Teletape cable in Akzona's new corporate headquarters at Asheville, N.C.

### Lydall sells division

MANCHESTER — Materials, metal, plastic, elastomeric and fiber components, and specialized packaging.

Millard H. Pryor Jr., president of Lydall Inc. has announced the sale of its Fiber Recycling Division in Hartford, Connecticut to the Capitol Fibers Co.

The new owners of the Fiber Recycling business, who have extensive experience in the waste paper industry, will continue operations at the present location of 123 Murphy Road.

Lydall Inc. is a \$100 million diversified manufacturer of products for industry which includes engineered fiber



The Card Gallery at Manchester Parkade conducted its grand reopening Friday morning. From left, Fred Ragazzi, supervisor; Frances Fielding, manager; Lorraine Miles, supervisor and Mrs. Cicero Tilley, supervisor. (Herald photo by Pinto)

## Market loses ground, investors take profits

NEW YORK (UPI) — The stock market lost ground Friday as investors cashed in on recent profits amid uncertainty about interest rates. Trading was moderately active.

Brokers said some late selling was caused by Wall Street's concern about tensions in Poland. The Reagan administration has warned that the possibility of Soviet military intervention had grown to the "very serious" stage.

The Dow Jones industrial average, which lost 5.13 points Thursday, surrendered 1.90 points to 1,007.11. But the closely watched average, which is up nearly 20 points since mid-February, gained 12.33 points for the week.

The New York Stock Exchange index lost 0.43 to 78.14 and the price of an average share decreased 19 cents. Standard & Poor's 500-stock index slipped 0.83 to 135.49. Declines topped advances 887-628 among the 1,893 issues traded.

Big Board volume totaled 48,680,000 shares, down from the 52,570,000 traded Thursday.

Composite volume of NYSE issues listed on all U.S. exchanges and over the counter totaled 55,829,750 shares, compared with 60,355,466 traded Thursday.

### Talk show guests

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Scheduled guests on Sunday's network interview programs include:

- Moshe Dayan, former Israeli defense minister, on ABC's "Issues and Answers";
- U.N. Ambassador Jeane Kirkpatrick on NBC's "Meet the Press";
- The guest on CBS' "Face the Nation" had not been announced.

FRANK AND ERNEST by Bob Thaves

**ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFER FRAUD... WHAT ABOUT YOU?**



## Penney names manager for Buckland warehouse

MANCHESTER — J.C. Penney has appointed a plant manager, who will move to Manchester in July, for its unopened \$20 million, 64-acre catalog distribution center in the Buckland Industrial Park. Dennis Radabaugh, presently working in Penney's Atlanta catalog distribution center, said the retailing company is committed to a 1982 opening. He said he will take charge this July and begin hiring next spring.

"We're shooting to start shipping orders in August 1982," said Radabaugh. "We're planning to build-up our inventory in late spring 1982, probably around May. We'll be doing some hiring and training beginning in mid-March. The vast majority of our staff will be hired locally."

Company officials said Radabaugh's appointment should put to rest the rumors that J.C. Penney is trying to sell or rent

the facility and has no intention of moving here.

The company has consistently denied those rumors. But the plant's opening was delayed twice from its original projected debut in 1980.

Radabaugh is a veteran of Penney's catalog division. He joined the staff of the company's Milwaukee distribution center upon college graduation in 1966. He was later promoted to operations manager at the Atlanta plant and also served on a corporate expansion committee.

Radabaugh said he has already purchased a house in the Manchester area and will move to Connecticut with his wife Sheila and three-year-old daughter Abbey in July.

The plant is expected to employ some 2,000 workers.

## Seminar to air cost plans

STAMFORD — Cost prediction and money-saving estimate techniques will be the topics of a practical seminar to be offered here this spring by the University of Connecticut.

Managers, engineers, administrators and staff members can improve their skills in cost estimating in this two-day seminar titled "Cost Estimating for Managers and Engineers." It will be held at the Assembly, starting April 27.

Sponsored by the UConn School of Business Administration and the University's Division of Extended and Continuing Education, the seminar will cover a variety of topics. They include warranty

budgeting, work measurement procedures, learning curves and cost-accounting procedures.

Small group instruction, a reference manual and problem-solving workshops are featured in the program to assist participants.

David H. Hamburger, an operations manager for the Thermal Operations Division of the Dorr-Oliver Co. of Stamford, will lead the seminar.

Registration and fee information may be obtained from Management Development, Box 156D, The University of Connecticut, Storrs, Conn. 06268, telephone (203) 486-3234.

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## Fun Page

### Abby

By Abigail van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I was heartick, but not terribly surprised, to find birth control pills in my daughter's bathroom. Rhonda (not her real name) just turned 18 and is a senior in high school. She's been going steady with a young man since last summer. Rhonda is an excellent student and plans to start college away from home next fall.

In today's world, what are a girl's chances of being harmed permanently by premarital sex? Rhonda is my only daughter. I love her dearly and never dreamed I would have this problem.

DEAR MOTHER: A girl's chances of being harmed permanently by premarital sex would be infinitely greater were she not taking precautions to prevent an unwanted pregnancy. Many mothers whose daughters have had an abortion or a child out of wedlock would have welcomed your "problem." I am not condoning premarital sex, but when it's a fact, it should be dealt with intelligently and responsibly.

DEAR ABBY: Apparently neither you nor PERPLEXED IN N.Y. has ever been to a dance where there was a considerable number of unsecured women. I have, and believe me, the burden on the escort is nothing compared to that of the woman who must sit smiling while those parasites "borrow" her husband.

My husband and I both love to dance, and in the 40 years of our marriage we have attended many dances and exchanged dances with other couples during the evening. Now, however, there are increasing numbers of widows and divorcees to be waltzed around the floor, and if my husband danced with such one of them, it would leave me without a partner all evening, so now we attend dances for "couple only."

While I sympathize with women who don't have husbands, it doesn't follow that I should give up mine.

ADAMANT IN N.Y.

DEAR ADAMANT: Read on for another view:

DEAR ABBY: I am a widow and I love to dance. When I go to a dance alone or with another woman and there aren't enough men to go around, it's torture for me to just sit and tap my toes while others are dancing, so I ask a woman to dance. It's not quite as much fun as dancing with a man, but it beats sitting.

Oh, I get a few funny looks, but that doesn't bother me. Do you see anything wrong with it?

LOVES TO DANCE IN HIBBING, MINN.

DEAR LOVES: No. But if two men started to dance together in public, they'd promptly be asked to dance out of the place. Unfair! Yes. But who ever said life was fair?

DEAR ABBY: I agree, the word "hopefully" is woefully overused — and incorrectly at that. It would be much simpler if "I hope" were used instead, because that is what it means.

Another word that is overused is "very." I once knew an editor who told his reporters that he would fire any reporter who used the word "very" in his copy. It's a good rule. "Damned" instead! But since it was a family newspaper, he blue-penciled all the "damned" before the stories went to the composing room.

DEAR NOVELIST: That's damned interesting — I hope!

Getting married? Whether you want a formal church wedding or a simple, "do-your-own-thing" ceremony, get Abby's new booklet. Send \$1 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped #10 envelope to: Abby's Wedding Booklet, 132 Lasky Drive, Beverly Hills, Calif. 90212.

**Astrograph**

Your Birthday

April 6, 1981

You've developed some new and revealing associations this coming year. The underlying reason to get along with others.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) It would behoove you today to read material or attend services where the message is of spiritual nature. If you haven't been to church lately, this is the day to go. Find out more of what lies ahead for you in the year following your birthday by sending for your copy of Astro-Graph. Mail \$1 for each to Astro-Graph, Mail Box City Station, N.Y. 10018. Be sure to specify birth date.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Conquerors are likely to tell you secrets today which they are not apt to tell others. Some of this information could prove to be of personal benefit.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Try to communicate today with persons you've recently met and with whom you feel you may have something in common. Your first impressions are accurate.

CANCER (June 21-July 20) Involve yourself in projects today which do something to you, and for others as well. Your joy will be well-spent on these endeavors.

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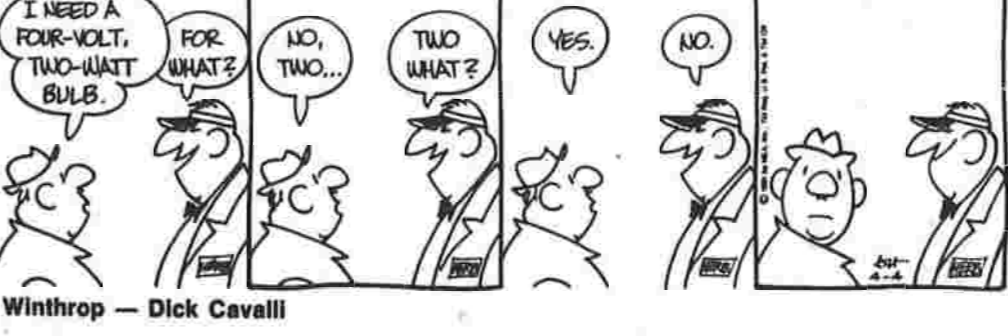
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## Bridge

Oswald Jacoby and Alan Sontag

### Missing the king and jack

By Oswald Jacoby and Alan Sontag

The classic case here is a Q 10 8 opposite J 7 5 3. If you want the maximum, finesse the queen. This gives you a 27 in a 4 percent chance for all the tricks. If you need four tricks and lead toward the queen — an 83 percent chance.

On the other hand, if you want to be sure of four tricks and then lead toward the ace and then lead toward the queen. It only gives you a 12.5 percent chance for five tricks, but it gets you four any time you don't find K x or K x x in back of the ace. This is an 83 percent chance. Not much better than 81.5 percent, but definitely better.

Furthermore, if you do play the queen and it loses to the king, your best play is to lead the first player held K x x — which case you would lose to a singleton jack. This plays win 94 percent of the time.

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