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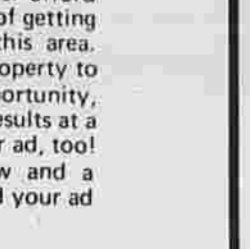
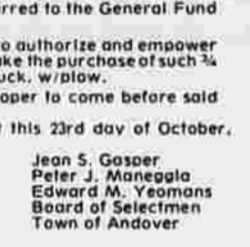
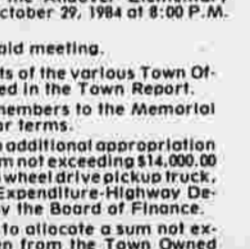
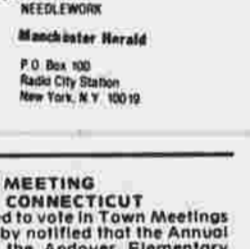
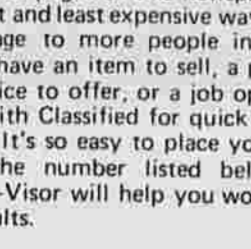
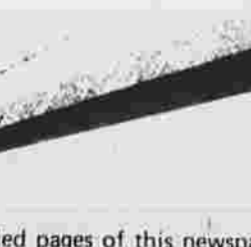
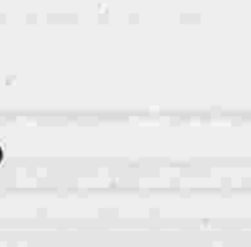
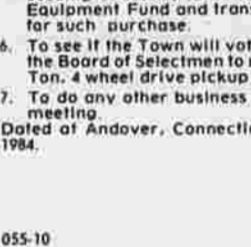
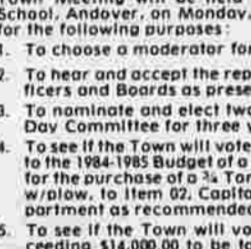
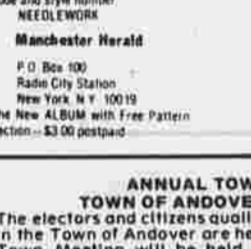
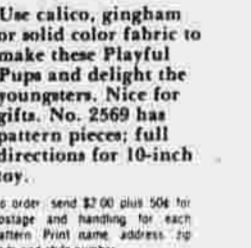
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- 1. To choose a moderator for said meeting.
- 2. To hear and accept the reports of the various Town Officers and Boards as presented in the Town Report.
- 3. To nominate and elect two members to the Memorial Day Committee for three year terms.
- 4. To see if the Town will vote on additional appropriation to the 1984-1985 Budget of a sum not exceeding \$14,000.00 for the purchase of a 3 1/2 Ton, wheel drive pickup truck, to wit, to Item 02, Capital Expenditure-Highway Department as recommended by the Board of Finance.
- 5. To see if the Town will vote to allocate a sum not exceeding \$14,000.00 to be taken from the Town Owned Equipment Fund and transferred to the General Fund for such purchase.
- 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize and empower the Board of Selectmen to make the purchase of such a 3 1/2 Ton, wheel drive pickup truck, to wit, to Item 02, Capital Expenditure, Connecticut this 23rd day of October, 1984.

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## Americans mark invasion anniversary

By Carolyn Curie United Press International

ST. GEORGE'S, Grenada - One year ago today U.S. Marines stormed ashore to put down a Marxist rebellion, and low-key ceremonies were arranged to mark the invasion that President Reagan said rescued America from "self-doubt."

The St. George's Chamber of Commerce on the island of about 100,000 asked private businesses to shut down for the day and shops throughout St. George's posted signs in windows Wednesday announcing the closings.

Some of the 250 American troops still based at the military converted Grenada Beach Hotel on the outskirts of St. George's were to take part in a prayer service at 8:30 a.m. EDT, a spokesman at the base said.

"It looks like it will be low-key all the way around," the spokesman said.

IN THE HEART of the capital, church services were planned and Governor-General Sir Paul Scoon was to attend the graduation of U.S.-trained Grenadian police officers at their base near the Point Salines Airport.

Nineteen American servicemen died in the U.S.-led invasion last Oct. 25, 1983, which President Reagan ordered to put down a Marxist rebellion and, he said, rescue some 800 Americans attending medical school in Grenada.

Reagan said Wednesday the invasion was a turning point in obliterating America's "period of self-doubt and national confusion" during the late 1970s - when his Democratic challenger, Walter Mondale, was vice president in the Carter administration.

At the time of the invasion, island residents were under a shoot-on-sight curfew ordered by military leaders. Prime Minister Maurice Bishop, toppled in a power struggle with a hardline Marxist faction of his New Jewel Movement, had been killed six days earlier by the shock of the population of the normally tranquil spice island.

The operation involved more than 6,000 mostly U.S. troops with support from neighboring Caribbean forces.

After one week, the invaders had mopped up virtually all pockets of resistance. Hundreds of Cuban troops and advisors, many of whom were helping build the Point Salines airport, were soon evicted and Grenadian-Cuban relations broken off.

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Two workmen raise a cloud of dust as they wipe off what experts say is the last existing car from the old South Manchester Railroad, also known as "Cheney's Goat." The two helped remove the tank car from a brick shed behind the Clocktower Mill building on Wednesday. Both John Hartzell, left, and Max Miller, right, work for the Valley Railroad of Essex - where the car has been donated.

## Last Cheney car going away

By Sarah E. Holl Herald Reporter

Workers hauled what is said to be the last existing car of the historic South Manchester Railroad from its world-tomb Wednesday afternoon.

The relic - a 17-ton tank car discovered in a shed behind the Clocktower Mill in the Cheney historic district - has proved to be quite a find.

"I really think it's the only one like it in the world," said Ted Mackenzie, president of the Valley Railroad Company, a tourist attraction in Essex which houses railroad exhibits. He said it was last used in the 1920s or early 1930s to carry oil that fueled boilers in the huge Cheney Brothers silk mill complex.

The South Manchester Railroad was widely known as "Cheney's Goat."

Clocktower Mill Associates, which is converting one of the mills into 185 one- and two-bedroom apartments, decided to donate the car after a Manchester train buff brought it to their attention.

About a year ago, Robert C. Bell spotted the tank car as he was surveying the tracks of the old Cheney railway to make a model of it for his business. He is the owner of the Train Exchange and New England Hobby Supply Company on Hilliard Street, and also runs the gift shop for the Valley Railroad Company.

"I'm sure employees knew of it and saw it every day and didn't even think of it," Bell said Wednesday. He contacted the developers on behalf of the Valley Railroad to request the donation.

"It seemed like the most appropriate thing for us to do with the car," said S. John Chessari, project manager for the developer. "We would not have any use for it and we like to see history preserved. Our own restoration of the mill building is, in fact, proceeding according to strict historic guidelines."

Chessari and about a half dozen spectators gathered around Wednesday afternoon as workmen from the Valley Railroad pushed and pulled the car out of its brick shed. Its wheels - rare "arch-bar trucks" not used since the 1930s - groaned as the workers strained on the car.

"It's like opening King Tut's tomb," Bell said when the enormous green doors enclosing the tank car were pryed open with pickaxes and sledge hammers.

After the car was pulled out, one of the workers hopped on the running board and rubbed dust off the black paint, to reveal the words "Cheney Brothers" and "South Manchester, Conn." in big white letters.

The car is unusually well preserved, Mackenzie and Bell said, because it has been stored for years in a solid brick building. It has old Westinghouse air brakes which Bell said "just don't exist anymore."

Within a week, Mackenzie plans to move the car to Essex on a flatbed truck. "It really is an important find," said Bell, as he scurried around snapping pictures of the vehicle before workers pushed it back in its shed.

## Chairman charges 'cowardice'

## GOP hits Democrats on CD

By Kathy Gorman Herald Reporter

The Democratic Town Committee did not discuss whether Manchester should accept federal block grant funds because of "political cowardice," Republican Town Chairman Curtis Smith charged today.

Smith said the Democrats are divided on whether the town should re-enter the "political cowardice" Republican Town Community Development Block Grant program and so avoided a full town committee discussion of the matter.

"It appears that the Democratic chairman and his legislative candidates realize that the issue will again be voted down by the voters," Smith said in a news release.

"The refusal to debate the re-entry of Manchester into the CDBG program under HUD (the Department of Housing and Urban Development) was an act of political cowardice."

Smith charged in an interview that the Democrats are trying to make scapegoats out of the town directors if voters decide not to re-enter the program when they vote on Nov. 6. The six Democratic directors endorsed CDBG re-entry Wednesday at a news conference.

"I've been called a coward, corrupt, evil... long before Curt Smith staggered on the scene," Democratic Town Chairman Theodore Cummings said today, what he asked about Smith's statement. "And I'll be here long after he drops his dictionary."

Cummings said the party was not divided on the question of CDBG participation.

He said the Republicans tried to inject "fear and suspicion" into the issue in an effort to damage Democratic candidates.

"I'm not about to play the game that the Republicans are playing through their town committee," Cummings said.

The Republican Town Committee this month voted 36 to 4, with two abstentions, to oppose the town's re-entry into the CDBG program.

Some members of the Democratic Town Committee contacted today said they disagreed about whether the issue should have been discussed at a town committee meeting. One was scheduled this week but later canceled, according to the Municipal Building calendars given to the Herald.

"I prefer discussion," said John W. Cooney, a member of the committee from District 1.

But Cooney disagreed with Smith's claims that the issue was not discussed because the party had not reached a consensus.

"What's a consensus - half plus one?" he asked. "Sometimes a consensus is that those people who attend carry the day."

Cooney said he has reservations about the town's accepting CDBG funds but has not yet made up his mind.

"Sure it should have been discussed," said Vincent T. Kelly, a committee member from District 8 and an opponent of CDBG participation.

By not discussing the matter, the party was attempting "to railroad something down our throats," Kelly said.

Amby Burns, vice chairman of the Democratic Town Committee, said voters already have enough information on the block grant program.

"I think it's an issue that we shouldn't exploit," she said. "I think they (the Republicans) are trying to make it a political issue."

Burns said she favors re-entry into the program.

"I think any issue that affects the people of Manchester is a political issue," Smith said. "They (the Democrats) gave me an opening big enough to fly a B-1 bomber through."

Smith said the issue was especially important to discuss because of its history of controversy.

In a 1979 referendum, residents voted by more than a 2:1 margin to withdraw from the block grant program. They also turned it down in 1980.

The town was later sued by three low-income women who claimed the town's withdrawal was racially motivated and discriminated against low-income residents. The women were assisted by the U.S. Department of Justice.

The town won the lawsuit.

The block grant question was put on the November ballot after a study committee recommended re-entry into the program.

Joseph T. Sweeney, a member of the Democratic Town Committee and the author of the study committee's minority report, which opposed rejoining, said today it was "unfair to see this HUD issue presented in this partisan manner."

He said that had the town committee decided to discuss the issue, he would have recommended that it remain neutral.

He said the party was "genuinely divided" on the question of accepting the block grant funds.

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# Peopletalk

### Bad medicine

When Rod Stewart's guitarist, Jim Cregan, slipped and hit his head during a concert in Austin, Texas, last week, keyboard player Kevin Savitar decided to help.

He followed the ambulance to the hospital with a bottle of brandy. While Cregan was being treated by doctors, Savitar was administering brandy. "It was strictly for medicinal purposes," Savitar said.

The doctors, none too pleased with Savitar's "medical help," called police. Savitar was handcuffed and hauled to the hospital's basement for questioning. After a call to the tour's accountant, Savitar was released and joined his bandaged friend Cregan. How did they celebrate their freedom? With a drink, of course.

### Cabbage patch couture

The "father" of the hot-selling Cabbage Patch Kids may be adept at toymaking, but meeting London's standard of dress is another matter for American millionaire Xavier Roberts.

A hotel spokeswoman said Roberts arrived for a tea-time at London's posh Claridge's Hotel clad in a cowboy hat and snakeskin boots, and without a jacket and tie. Roberts, creator of America's number-one toy, was "politely asked to leave" Claridge's for failing to meet its strict dress code. He "accepted it perfectly," hotel officials said.

### A ballet great

Former prima ballerina Margot Fonteyn stopped briefly in New York this week for a party for "Pavlova, Portrait of a Dancer," her book about the Russian ballerina who died in 1931.

"I saw her dance when I was 6 but I didn't see stars and rush out to be a great dancer," Dame Margot admitted. The busy ballerina just took part in dancer-choreographer Sir Frederick Ashton's 80th birthday gala in London and was en route to Panama to help her invalid husband, Roberto Arias, celebrate his birthday Thursday.

Wishing her well were Atlanta ballerina Marya Barredo, Russian emigre ballerina Gidonova, Paul Haakon, a one-time partner of Pavlova, Broadway star Liliane Montevecchi, choreographer Geoffrey Holder and his dancer-wife, Carmen de Lavallade, and Vincenzo Gilli, dean of American dance instructors and once a student of Pavlova.

### More Beatle talk

Paul McCartney calls John Lennon's widow, Yoko Ono "a nice lady," but there was a time when things were "sticky."

"I think at first we had a lot of problems, because I was breaking up the old gang. You know, wedding bells are breaking up that old gang of mine," McCartney told David Hartman in an interview to air Friday on ABC's "Good Morning America." "But you can't say to two people who are in love, listen, the Beatles is more important than your love. And we were all aware that we couldn't say that. So it was very sticky for all of us."

He said that business hassles plagued the last 10 years of his relationship with Lennon, then described their final phone conversation. "It was warm, and it was fabulous. It was like the best phone conversation of the whole 10 years. So, I mean, thank heaven for small mercies, really."

### Not so serene

Grace Kelly eventually settled down as Her Serene Highness of Monaco, but there was nothing serene about her love life in her Hollywood heyday, according to a story in the November Cosmopolitan. The roll call of her romantic attachments included Clark Gable, Bing Crosby, Ray Milland and William Holden.

"Grace was very keen on Gable," an observer remarked, but said the relationship was strictly casual on Gable's part. On the other hand, it was Grace who was pursued by Crosby, Milland and Holden — and both Milland and Holden were married at the time.

As for Crosby, Grace's sister, Lizanne, said, "Bing was mad for her, really mad for her, taking her out all the time. She liked him very much, but she wasn't in love with him."

### Lunch treat

Roger Verge, one of France's top chefs, was to be in Dallas Thursday to prepare a luncheon for Happy Rockefeller, recipient of the Betty Ford award for being one of the first women to write about her personal but with breast cancer.

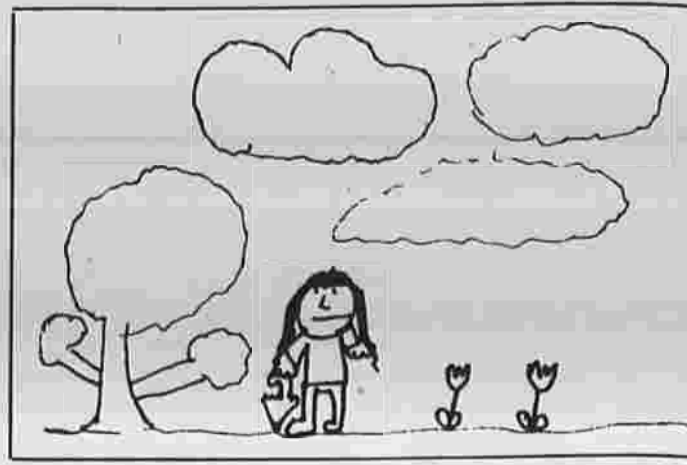
Verge, whose Moulin de Mougins in southern France is one of the great restaurants of France, was assigned the task of preparing lunch for 1,550, including Betty Ford.

# Weather

### Today's forecast

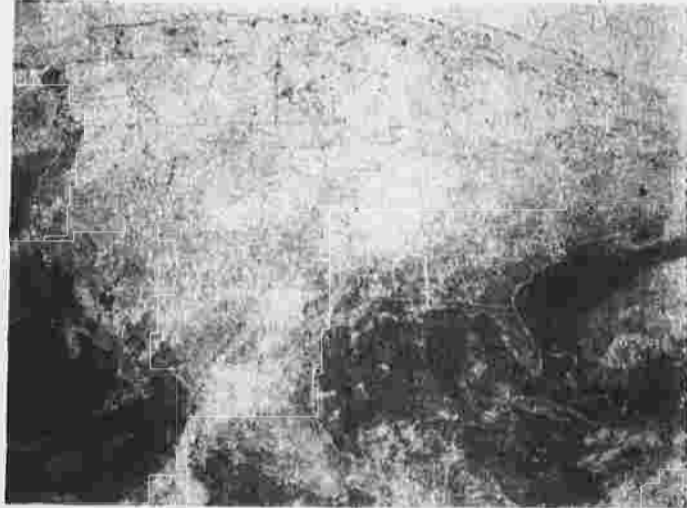
Connecticut, Massachusetts and Rhode Island: Today: some early clouds extreme south and west otherwise mostly sunny. Highs 60 to 65 except in the 90s southeast coast. Tonight: increasing clouds, chance of occasional rain south coast and western highlands after midnight. Lows in the 40s. Friday: overcast and cool with showers likely late tonight and Friday. Lows tonight 35 to 45. Highs Friday 50 to 55.

Maine and New Hampshire: Mostly cloudy with a chance of showers in the north today. Fog clearing in the south becoming mostly sunny today. Highs in the 40s north and around 60 south. Clearing in the north tonight with lows in the 20s and cloudy with a chance of showers south. Lows in the upper 30s and lower 40s. Friday a chance of rain south and mostly sunny north. Highs in the 30s north to low 50s south.



### Keep an eye on the skies

Today: partly sunny. High 60 to 65. Wind northwest around 10 mph. Tonight: increasing cloudiness, lows in the 40s. Wind light north. Friday: cloudy with a 60 percent chance of rain. Highs in the 50s. Today's weather picture was drawn by Kelsey Rodwell, 9, of 2½ Village St., a fourth grader at Marlin School.



### Satellite view

Commerce Department satellite photo taken at 4 a.m. EDT shows broken clouds causing showers and thunderstorms over the Southern Plains, the Central Plains and the Middle Mississippi Valley. Low level frontal clouds are visible over the Middle Atlantic states while high clouds cover the Northwest.



### National forecast

For period ending 7 a.m. EST Friday, Thursday night will find scattered showers again dominating most of the area from Texas northeastward into New England. Shower activity is also likely in parts of the Pacific Northwest, while mostly fair weather rules elsewhere. Minimum temperatures include (approximate maximum readings in parentheses) Atlanta 60(81), Boston 46(54), Chicago 51(71), Cleveland 53(70), Dallas 62(75), Denver 30(65), Duluth 40(58), Houston 63(82), Jacksonville 53(81), Kansas City 51(64), Little Rock 60(78), Los Angeles 56(73), Miami 78(86), Minneapolis 44(61), New Orleans 66(86), New York 51(60), Phoenix 54(81), San Francisco 51(62), Seattle 40(51), St. Louis 55(76), Washington 56(73).

### Extended outlook

Extended outlook for New England Saturday through Monday.

Connecticut, Massachusetts and Rhode Island: Fair Saturday, chance of showers Sunday and Monday. Daytime highs in the 60s Saturday, upper 60s and low 70s Sunday and Monday. Overnight lows in the 40s Saturday, 50s Sunday and Monday.

New Hampshire: Fair south and chance of showers north Saturday. Chance of showers all sections on Sunday and again late Monday. Mild weather through the period. Highs in the mid 50s to mid 60s. Lows in the upper 20s to mid 30s Saturday and upper 30s to lower 40s Sunday and Monday.

Summit forecast for the northern White Mountain, N.H.: Westerly winds 30 to 50 mph today. Summits remaining in clouds with a chance of furies. Highs 30 to 35.

Maine: Fair south and chance of showers north Saturday. Chance of showers all sections on Sunday and again late Monday. Mild weather through the period. Highs in the mid 50s to mid 60s. Lows in the upper 20s to mid 30s Saturday and upper 30s to lower 40s Sunday and Monday.

Vermont: Quite mild with a chance of showers. Highs in the upper 50s and 60s. Lows in the 40s.

### Across the nation

Thunderstorms will occur over eastern parts of Texas, Oklahoma and the Mississippi Valley. Rain will occur from the western Plains and over much of the Pacific Northwest, Wisconsin, Indiana and lower Michigan. Showers will be widely scattered from western Tennessee to the upper Ohio Valley.

Rain and snow will be scattered over portions of Colorado and New Mexico. High temperatures will be in the upper 30s and 40s over the Rockies, the Plains and from the Dakotas to Michigan.

# Lottery

### Connecticut daily Wednesday: 704 Play Four: 3707

Other numbers drawn Wednesday in New England:

Maine daily: 040

New Hampshire daily: 3481

Rhode Island daily: 1205

Weekly numbers: 557, 949, 6899 and 53553

Vermont daily: 790

Massachusetts daily: 0174

Weekly numbers: Yellow 415, Blue 66, White 1

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# Manchester in Brief

### U.N. Day comes to schools

School children across town will celebrate United Nations Day Wednesday, discussing world issues in the classroom and taking part in contests.

Wednesday morning, Mayor Barbara Weinberg visited students at Bennet Junior High School to discuss the U.N.'s "Decade for Women" and other international concerns. World population and disarmament are other topics teachers were asked to relate to classroom discussions.

Other officers elected at the group's Tuesday night dinner meeting were Lillian Rubin, vice president; Eileen Wilson, treasurer; Robert McComb, assistant treasurer; Carolyn Nelson, recording secretary; and Alita Gay, corresponding secretary.

### Agency elects officers

Visiting Nurse and Home Care of Manchester Inc. elected Gene Carroll of 57 Ludlow Road as its new president this week.

Ludlow, 55, is a mother of eight and has served as a volunteer for a variety of agencies since she moved to Manchester 25 years ago.

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### 'Wellness Day' at hospital

Manchester Memorial Hospital will sponsor a "Wellness Day" in its new main lobby today, in recognition of October as state "Wellness Month."

Three exhibits — on good nutrition, the Medic Alert and Lifeline programs, and poison control — were featured between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.

The hospital recognized the day "in the belief that promoting good health is one of the most effective ways of dealing with the dilemma of rising health costs," a news release stated.

### Calling all volunteers

How about doing a health survey, or brushing up on office skills, or serving on a youth commission in your spare time?

Three different town agencies are asking that question, in their plea for volunteers. They are:

- The Manchester Health Department, which is asking for up to a dozen people to help intern Joann Linton conduct a health survey of adults in town. Call 647-3173 for more information.
- The volunteer office of the Manchester Board of Education, which is looking for someone to do office work a few hours a week at the Regional Occupational Training Center. Call Judy Nevins at 647-8229, any weekday morning, for more information.
- The Manchester Commission on Children and Youth, which needs both adult and youth members. To join, contact your town political committee, town hall, or any Board of Directors member.

# Area Towns in Brief

### Bloodmobile in Andover

ANDOVER — The Red Cross Bloodmobile is scheduled to be in Andover Friday at the Andover Congregational Church on Route 6.

Red Cross volunteer Maureen Helman said there is a special need currently for blood types O-positive and O-negative. Donors of all types are welcome.

Donors must be in good health, between the ages of 17 and 66 and weigh at least 110 pounds.

The hours scheduled are from 1:30 to 6:30 p.m. in the church basement. No appointments are necessary.

### Governor appoints Walker

COVENTRY — David B. Walker of Coventry has been appointed by Gov. William D. Neill to the Connecticut Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations.

Walker's term began Oct. 15 and will end June 30, 1986.

# Pension attorney won GOP primary

## Mercier wages tough campaign in 12th

By Alex Girrell  
Herald Reporter

Jonathan Mercier had to fight for the right to run against incumbent Rep. James McCavanagh, D-Manchester, in the 12th Assembly District this year. And despite the fact that Mercier is a relative newcomer to Manchester, he won the endorsement of the Republican Town Committee for the nomination over Betty Sadloski, a veteran political figure.

The town committee vote was 18 to 8 in Mercier's favor.

Sadloski went on to force a primary election, which was held in September. And despite her much higher name recognition in town circles, she lost to Mercier 407 to 298.

Mercier, who came to Manchester nine years ago from East Hartford, said from the outset that he and Sadloski were not far apart on the issues. But he maintained he would be the better candidate for the Republicans to run against the well-liked McCavanagh because he would treat town hard at winning the election.

He said he doubted Sadloski would put forth the sustained effort it would take to defeat McCavanagh, a lifelong resident of the district.

Mercier, during his primary campaign, said he favors legislative initiative — or the proposal of laws by citizens and their passage by referendum. This is something Sadloski has long advocated.

### IN THE GENERAL ELECTION

campaign so far, the question of legislative initiative has not played a part. But Mercier has worked hard, bombarding newspapers with arguments almost every day and attacking McCavanagh's record during his first term in the Legislature.

He said he was motivated to run for state office because he did not like to see the Democratic administration raising taxes far beyond the rate of inflation and was

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disturbed by corruption in government, with one scandal following another.

He has continually hammered away at those themes and sought to link McCavanagh with votes for tax increases and against measures that would curb inflation. McCavanagh has responded that Mercier is running an unnecessarily negative campaign and has criticized Mercier for attacks on his integrity.

Last week, McCavanagh said he would not appear on the same platform with Mercier for the rest of the campaign because of the attacks, which he said were "scurrilous... (and) far beyond the bounds of legitimate political debate." He has released several offers from Mercier to debate.

Mercier is a lawyer with the pension department of the Aetna Life and Casualty Co. He works at Aetna's office in Middletown.

Mercier said in a recent interview he thinks the sales tax — the basic way Connecticut raises revenue — is more predictable than an income tax. But changes the Democrats have made in the sales tax have made it more and more regressive, he said.

He said he would support legislation to remove some of the new features of the sales tax immediately.

MERCIER ALSO SAID he does not, in general, favor any increase in direct services provided taxpayers by the state government. He said that generally the state can better serve its residents by providing incentives for municipal governments and private groups.

Often, a town is better able to provide a service than the state, he added.

An advocate of merit pay for teachers, Mercier did not get the endorsement of the Manchester Education Association. He said there are methods of working out merit pay standards that are not totally subjective.

# Robare charged in heists

Vernon police reported Wednesday they caught Manchester robbery suspect Scott Robare after a foot chase through Rockville.

Robare was charged with two counts of first-degree robbery in connection with two armed robberies in Vernon and additional counts of stealing firearms Wednesday from a Rockville home, Vernon Police Sgt. John Stodd said. The armed robberies occurred Sept. 17 at the Colonial Inn and Oct. 10 at Dairy Mart on Route 30.

Robare also faces one count each of fourth- and sixth-degree larceny in connection with the robberies. State police hold a warrant for him on an escape charge, Stodd said.

Robare escaped Monday from Hartford's Morgan Street Jail, where he was being held in connection with a purse-snatching Oct. 15 on Main Street in Manchester.

Manchester police have said Robare is a suspect in several other recent crimes but have refused to give details of those cases.

Manchester police early Wednesday

# Fire Calls

Tolland County

Tuesday, 1:35 p.m. — medical call, Springdale Avenue, Coventry (South Coventry).

Tuesday, 2:47 p.m. — alarm, Box Mountain Road, Vernon (Bolton).

Tuesday, 6:49 p.m. — medical call, 141 Forge Road, Coventry (Farmington).

Tuesday, 11:43 p.m. — transfer from Windham Hospital to Manchester Memorial Hospital (South Coventry).

Wednesday, 1:01 p.m. — medical call, 29 Woodland Drive, Coventry (South Coventry).

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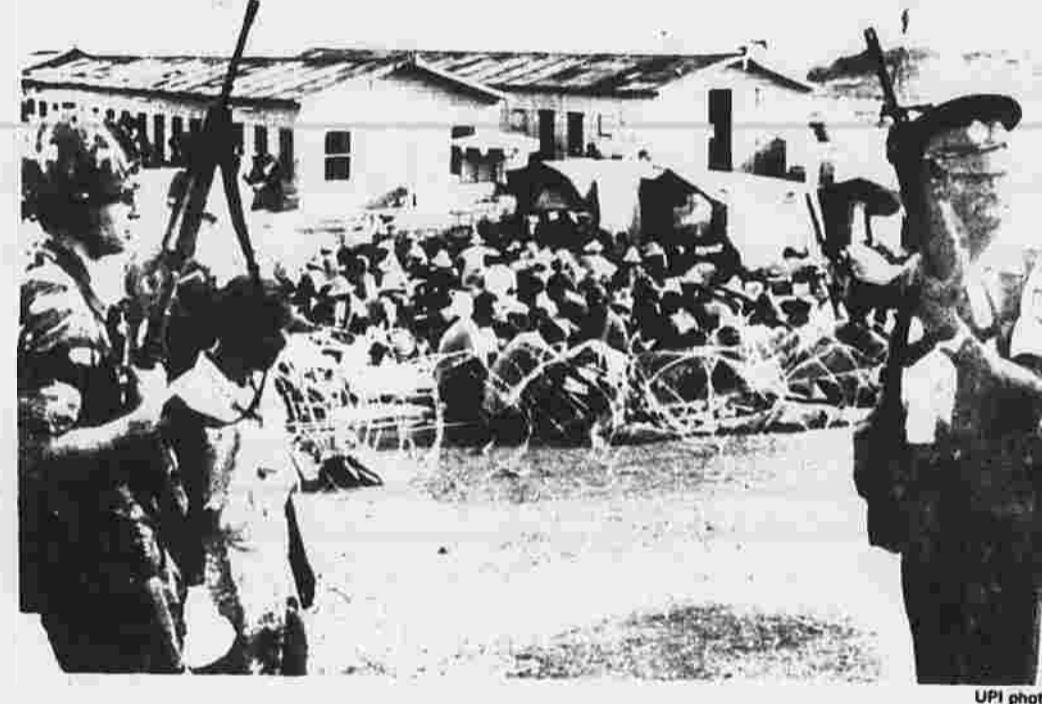
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# Almanac

Today is Thursday, October 25th, the 299th day of 1984 with 67 to follow.

The moon is new.

There is no morning star.

The evening stars are Mercury, Venus, Mars, Jupiter and Saturn.

Those born on this date are under the sign of Scorpio. They include British historian Thomas Macaulay in 1800, Austrian composer Johann Strauss in 1825, French composer Georges Bizet in 1838, Pablo Picasso in 1881, explorer Richard Byrd in 1888, film director Abel Gance in 1889 and Israeli statesman Levi Eshkol in 1895.

On this date in history:

In 1854, in what's known to history as the Charge of the Light Brigade, 670 British cavalrymen fighting in the Crimean War attacked a heavily fortified Russian position and were wiped out.

In 1900, Britain annexed the Transvaal in South Africa, an action that helped lead to the bloody Boer War.

In 1971, the United Nations admitted communist-ruled mainland China to membership, ousting the Nationalist government of Taiwan.

In 1983, in the biggest U.S. military action since Vietnam, some 1,900 American troops, supported by six Caribbean nations, invaded the tiny, leftist-ruled island of Grenada. Eighteen Americans died in the fighting.

A thought for the day: British poet Thomas Macaulay said, "There is only one cure for the evils which newly acquired freedom produces, and that cure is freedom."

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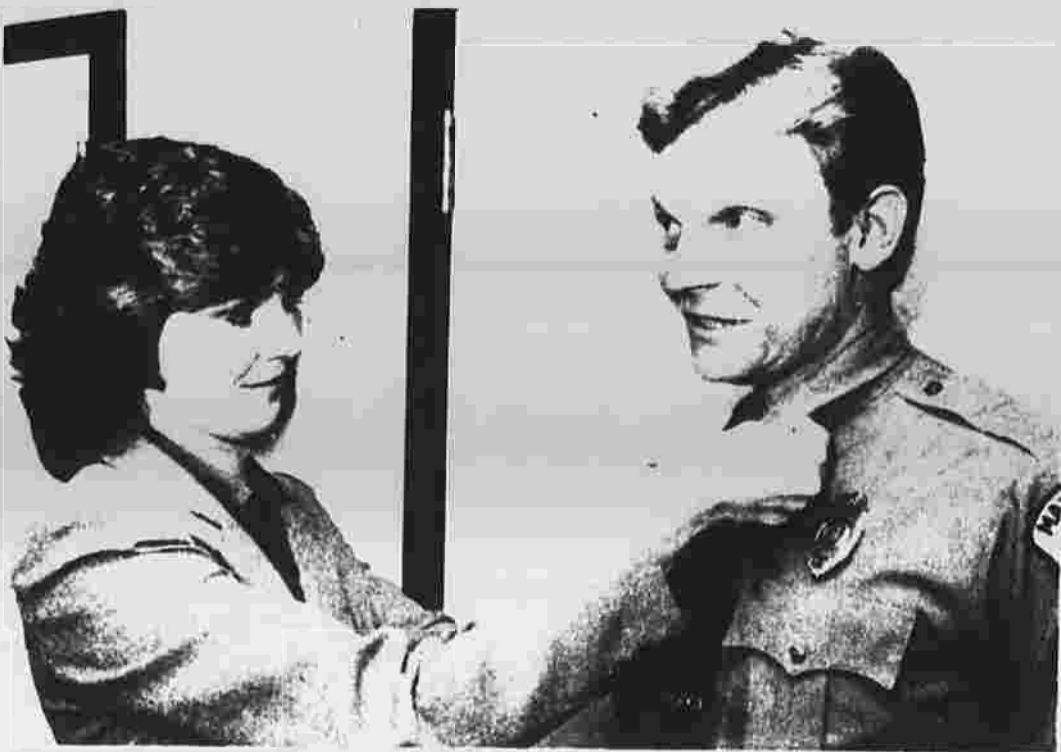
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Police get new sergeant

Susan Frazee pins sergeant's stripes on her husband Spencer's collar during his promotion from patrolman Wednesday at the Manchester Police Station. Chief

Robert D. Lannan said Frazee was one of five officers interviewed for the job, vacated by the death last month of Sgt. Lewis Dischert.

### Swensson says she'll fix record

By Alex Girelli  
Herald Reporter

"If you make a mistake, admit it," Rep. Elsie Swensson, R-Manchester, told members of the Young Republican Club Wednesday night. The two-term 13th Assembly District incumbent said she made a serious mistake by allowing a campaign flier to go to the printer without seeing it. She was referring to a flier that came under attack earlier in the day from her opponent in the race, Democrat John Thompson, who said Swensson "sponsored and enacted into law" nine different bills that were "unfair and unjust." Thompson continued his criticism of the flier today. "If she was not aware of her own voting record, then the omission speaks for itself," he said in a news release. "Don't ever give out misinformation," Swensson said in her Wednesday night talk at Republican Headquarters. "Look who's giving that advice."

### Zinsser, Mercier address club

Some young Republicans were surprised Wednesday night when state Sen. Carl Zinsser, R-Manchester, told them he was going to the Columbia landfill Saturday morning. "When you are running for office, you go where the people are and that's where the people will be on Saturday morning," Zinsser said. Zinsser was one of three Republican candidates in the Nov. 6 election who spoke to members of Manchester's Young Republicans Club at party headquarters. While the group was meeting at one end of the room in the lower level of the Manchester Mall, campaign workers were busy at telephones at the other end of the room. Zinsser told the group he has sent a letter to his opponent, Democrat Stephen Cassano, asking him to repudiate the endorsement of the referendum of the Connecticut Citizen Action Group. Zinsser said the CCAAG distributed a leaflet at the Manchester Parkade claiming that he had opposed five bills when, in fact, he voted for two of them. Zinsser protested the CCAAG leaflet distribution at a news conference Tuesday but said he had not contacted Cassano. Cassano responded that he would not repudiate the endorsement. He said that if some of the claims are false, he would expect CCAAG to correct them. Zinsser said the letter asks Cassano either to repudiate the endorsement or insist that the

record be corrected. Zinsser said he is interested in working for a fairness-in-campaigning law that would hold candidates accountable for what they say in campaigns. He said some states now have such laws, and he is studying them. In answer to a question about the chance that Republicans will gain control of the General Assembly Nov. 6, Zinsser said there is an excellent chance of taking the House. "Those of you who think we can take the Senate have your heads in the sand," he said. Zinsser predicted that the success of the Democratic Party in the state would depend on how successful candidates can be in disassociating themselves from the Mondale-Ferraro ticket. He said in the 1st Congressional District, the Democrats could run a blank on the ballot and win. Jonathan Mercier, who seeks to

unseat incumbent Democrat James McCavanagh in the 12th Assembly District, told the group he is pleased with the progress of his campaign. Mercier, a pension attorney, said he has campaigned door to door and raised a number of issues. He displayed a flier he plans to distribute, saying it tells his stand on 12 issues, most of which have already been made public in newspaper stories. Mercier said he cannot understand why McCavanagh has accused him of making "scurrilous attacks" on him. Mercier said he attacked McCavanagh's record in the Legislature, rather than his personality. The 1984 Detroit Tigers were the first major-league baseball team since the 1927 New York Yankees to stay in first place for the entire season.

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### Visiting nurses celebrate 50 years of town service

By Sarah E. Hill  
Herald Reporter

In a strict sense, prime rib and shrimp were the only entrees when Manchester's visiting nurses held their 50th anniversary dinner at Willie's Steak House Tuesday night. But the meat of the discussion was how to deal with rising health-care costs, as well as the growing numbers of patients coming home "sicker and quicker" from the hospital.

"More people are needing home care because they're coming home from the hospital sooner," said Gene Carroll, moments after she was elected the new president of Visiting Nurse and Home Care of Manchester Inc.

About 100 people turned out Tuesday night to elect officers, listen to speakers, and celebrate the agency's 50th anniversary of incorporation.

Gardner Wright, chairman of the state Commission on Hospitals and Health Care, was the keynote speaker. He told the group that new payment systems are forcing shorter hospital stays.

"I might say, that you're still going to pay rent," Weiss quipped. Wright predicted that increasingly fierce competition from other visiting nurse groups will be a big worry in the future.

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### Reagan plans Northeast blitz

By Helen Thomas  
United Press International

WASHINGTON — President Reagan, who plans "to keep the pressure on" until Election Day, will train his political guns in the Northeast and Midwestern states in the final 12 days of the campaign.

His strategists were huddling today to plan his travel schedule with seven days aside for rigorous campaigning.

"We plan to keep the pressure on," said campaign spokesman James Lake.

Lake and other aides said Reagan will not reveal the exact percentages in their most recent sampling.

The president returned to the White House Wednesday after a three-day swing following his Sunday debate with Walter Mondale.

Since he is subject to questions only on occasions and on the run, Reagan has not said what his second-term plans might be, except that he means to continue the policies of the first term.

But Reagan always winds up his speeches with the declaration, "The students, whose expenses were paid by two tax-exempt foundations with ties to conservative organizations, were scattering across the country today to speak on campuses as part of 'Student Liberation Day' ceremonies.

Republican Thomas Dewey all along the way of his Mississippi Valley Harvest Tour. He drew large and enthusiastic crowds as he visited farms and trekked through Main Street U.S.A., promising programs to put the family farm back on its feet and restore the health of the family farm.

He then campaigned among white ethnic voters outside Milwaukee, where he rebuffed Reagan's claims that he would endanger the nation's security. "I'm not patsy. Nobody's going to push me around," Mondale told a Michiganist Victory Hall in Cudahy, Wis.

As he drove through the Farm Belt, Mondale reminded voters of his rural Minnesota background that included a stint as a pea lice inspector and attacked Reagan for turning a "cold shoulder" to depressed American agriculture.

"I never lived in a town this big. Our community was always 900 or less, if you counted the dogs," Mondale speaking from the back of a red pickup truck, told 2,000 people gathered in downtown Canton, Minn.

Mondale, 56, also recalled that he was too young to vote in 1948, but rode on a plain-speaking Truman's surprise 1948 win over

soybean crop probably was lost. Light rain fell across much of the southern and central Plains Wednesday. Thunderstorms were scattered from southeastern Texas to the southern Appalachian region and extreme southern Florida.

A winter storm watch covered the mountainous area of Idaho. Winter sports enthusiasts in Utah grabbed their skis to attack slopes weeks ahead of schedule.

Maryland state police said all four persons aboard died when a single-engine plane crashed and burned Wednesday night while trying to land at Salisbury, Md., in light rain and drizzle.

Flash flood watches today covered northeastern Texas, southeastern Oklahoma and northern Arkansas. Four inches of rain hit Killeen, Texas.

Rain fell today from eastern Texas toward Missouri. Another band of rain covered the southern high Plains, turning to wet snow in the mountains of New Mexico. Four inches of new snow fell Wednesday in Cloudcroft, N.M.

Clouds and dense fog extended from eastern Texas to the middle Atlantic Coast. A travelers' advisory for fog covered the western two-thirds of South Texas.

Representatives of the National Flood Insurance Program opened claims centers in the Louisiana bayou country, where damage was expected to rise into the millions of dollars from floods caused by a foot of rain.

Residents piled ruined carpet on lawns and driveways, set waterlogged furniture out to dry, and dodged snakes driven into neighborhoods by high water.

"Every time it rains like this, snakes do come out. They're trying to get to higher ground," New Iberia, La., police lieutenant Jamie Jester said.

The most serious flooding since Hurricane Hilda hit Cajun country in 1964 caused at least one death, forced hundreds from their homes, devastated croplands and flooded homes and businesses.

Authorities said at least 300 people were evacuated from flooded areas. County agents said 75 percent of Vermilion Parish's

AP writers missing in Lebanon

BEIRUT, Lebanon (UPI) — The Lebanese army, police and Muslim militiamen searched today for four Lebanese employees of the Associated Press news agency, missing and assumed kidnapped as they drove to work.

The kidnaping prompted the State Department to renew warnings to Americans about terrorist attacks in Lebanon and revealed "new information concerning threats across the board to Americans."

The warning was to supplement the "travelers' advisory" issued May 15 urging Americans to avoid travel to Lebanon, said spokesman John Hughes.

"We are trying our hardest to find them and gain the release of our people from whoever has seized them. But we have little information at the moment," said Terry Anderson, the AP's chief Middle East correspondent.

The four were identified as driver Moheddine Hubbal, radio monitor Khazir Abboud, accountant Nicolas Chafati and office manager Charles Asi.

AP Beirut correspondent G.G. Labelle said Hubbal drove his car as usual Wednesday morning across the Green Line, dividing Beirut's Christian and Muslim sectors. He picked up the other three employees from the Christian area and headed for work.



Geraldine Ferraro, Democratic vice presidential candidate, has been spending most of this week in California. Sen. Edward Kennedy (D-Mass.) joined her Wednesday in Hollywood in attacking President Reagan's 1960 letter about John F. Kennedy.

Mass., the only surviving brother of the late president.

About 7,000 supporters packed into the Hollywood Palladium Wednesday and standing outside Reagan for sending an anti-Kennedy letter to Richard Nixon in 1960.

It was the first time the Massachusetts senator, who introduced Ferraro to Democratic supporters, commented on the recently disclosed letter.

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### CBS introduces intelligence cable

NEW YORK (UPI) — CBS has counterattacked in Gen. William Westmoreland's \$120 million libel suit against the network with a military communique that ordered intelligence officers to exclude irregular forces in estimates of enemy troop strength.

The cable from Gen. Phillip Davidson, Westmoreland's intelligence chief, was introduced Wednesday in the third week of Westmoreland's trial against CBS.

The retired general is suing the network over a 1982 documentary, "The Uncounted Enemy: A Vietnam Deception," which accused Westmoreland of lying about the strength of the enemy.

The documentary charged Westmoreland deflated enemy troop strength to bring "good news" to President Johnson in order to win a commitment for 200,000 more troops to the war effort.

Davidson's cable was sent from Saigon on Aug. 19, 1967, to his aide Col. George Godding, who was attending a National Intelligence Estimate meeting with the CIA in Washington.

Godding is expected to testify today.

Further consideration reveals the total unacceptability of including the strength of the Self-Defense and Secret Self-Defense in any strength figure to be released to the press," Davidson wrote.

The SD and SSD forces consisted of old men, women and children able to plant booby traps, but confined to their villages.

The figure of about 420,000, which includes all forces including SD and SSD, has already surfaced out here," the cable said. "This figure has stunned the embassy and this headquarters and has resulted in a scream of protest and denial."

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my view of Gen. Westmoreland's sentiments. I have not discussed this directly with him, but I am 100 percent sure of his reaction," Davidson's cable said.

Godding, who retired a brigadier general, was responsible for collecting intelligence reports under Davidson.

In earlier testimony, Davidson said his boss never told him to fake enemy estimates before the 1968 Tet offensive and said he would have refused such an order.

Davidson, who retired as a three-star lieutenant general, also told the court he could not recall drafting or sending a letter — a copy of which was shown to Davidson — that called for keeping enemy estimates down.

CBS attorney David Boies asked Davidson that since he could not recall sending the Aug. 15, 1967, letter to his subordinates, "Does the statement in the document reflect your views in August 1967?"

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# OPINION

## Editorials

### Elect Thompson in 13th district

Voters in the 13th Assembly District face a choice Nov. 6 between a friendly and popular Republican incumbent and a Democratic former mayor of Manchester who stresses consumer issues and shows a clear understanding of what's at stake in state government.

The Manchester Herald enthusiastically recommends a vote for Democrat John W. Thompson.

Like almost everyone in Manchester, we find it difficult to criticize Thompson's likable opponent, two-term incumbent Elsie "Biz" Swenson. But though Swenson's intentions are generally good, her record in the Legislature has been deficient.

Thompson is clearly the more substantial candidate of the two. His abilities would help him represent the interests of Manchester constituents far better than Swenson has for the past four years.

While Swenson has shown a tendency to follow the dictates of the Republican state leadership and is often badly informed about stands she herself has taken, Thompson's record in politics has been one of independence and concern for the people he has represented.

Thompson, who served on the Manchester Board of Directors for three terms and was mayor for two of them, is known around town as a man who can be relied upon. His leadership during his tenure on the board showed him to be an imaginative and competent politician.

Under Thompson's leadership, Manchester established a sheltered workshop for the mentally retarded. School buildings and recreation facilities were improved. He held mayor's office hours and paid heed to the wishes and concerns of his constituents, no matter what their needs.

We are certain Thompson would turn in the same type of performance in the Legisla-

ture. He intends to hold regular office hours and offers a sincere and well-informed commitment to improving education and helping Manchester maintain its infrastructure.

In addition to his government background, Thompson has lengthy experience as a union representative and a business consultant. In interviews and at public forums, he has proven that he can see both sides of an issue and relate his varied background to complicated political concerns.

Thompson also has served in a number of official capacities that provide insight into what role state government can play in addressing the problems faced by towns like Manchester. They have included the Capitol Region Council of Governments, the Connecticut Society of Gerontology and the Connecticut Conference of Municipalities.

Swenson, for her part, has displayed a willingness to listen to the individual needs of her constituents and has often acted on their behalf. But at the same time, she has claimed credit for accomplishments that are not hers and has often voted against the interests of consumers while using a misleading slogan, "People Before Politics."

Swenson, for example, opposed the cap on utility rate increases related to nuclear plant construction and was later unable to justify her vote. She also voted against the bill requiring the state to hire conservators for elderly people who are deemed mentally incompetent, even though she had earlier signed on as a co-sponsor.

Later, in a campaign filer, she claimed she sponsored the measure. Because of the sharp contrast between Thompson's record and Swenson's, the Herald has no qualms about this endorsement. A vote for Thompson would be a vote to improve Manchester's representation in the Capitol.

### There's still time

More than 30,000 Manchester residents have registered to vote in the Nov. 6 election, but many more who were eligible did not meet the Oct. 16 sign-up deadline.

For a small group of people who become eligible after Oct. 16, there's still time to register, and we urge them to do so.

And for anyone who missed the deadline, there's still a chance to vote in the presidential race — but only in that race.

Those who can still register for the General Election fall into three categories:

- Those whose 18th birthday falls between Oct. 16 and Nov. 6.
- Those who move into Manchester between Oct. 16 and Nov. 6.
- And those who become U.S. citizens between Oct. 16 and Nov. 6.

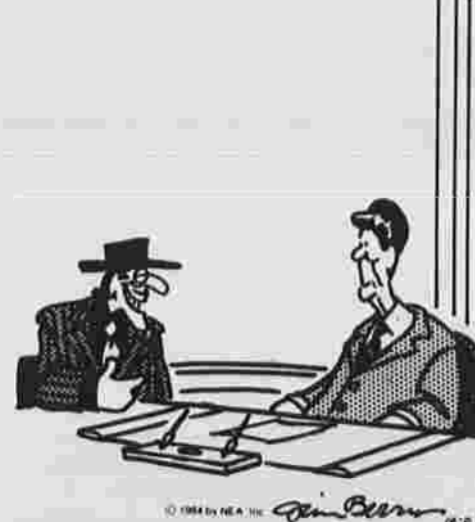
The deadline for those who qualify is 11 a.m. on Nov. 5. People who qualified as voters before Oct. 16 but failed to register in Manchester can still ask for a special presidential ballot. But there's not much time left: The deadline is Monday, Oct. 29.

While we're reminding people about their voting rights, we also should mention absentee ballots. Registered voters who cannot make it to

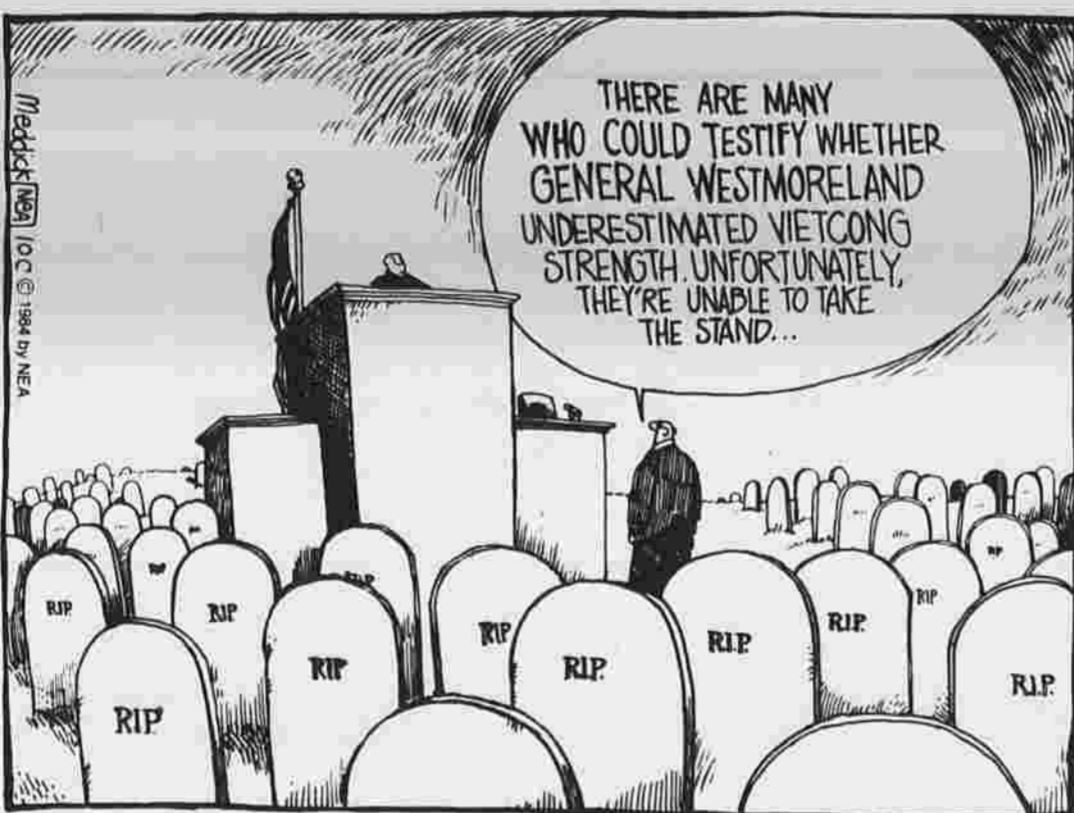
the polls Nov. 6 can apply for an absentee ballot. An official application must be submitted to the town clerk by 5 p.m. on Nov. 5.

Voting is one of our most precious rights as American citizens. It is also a responsibility.

If you're puzzled about voter registration, or about any other part of the election process, someone has the information you need. Call the town clerk, the registrars of voters, the secretary of the state, or a political party — they have the answers.



"Hey I work with Democrats, Republicans — whatever. I'm a sleaze consultant!"









# Lack of chlorine shuts down pool

Complaints about dirty water have led to the closing of a swimming pool and a whirlpool at the Holiday Health Fitness Center on West Middle Turnpike, a health official said today.

John Salcius, a town sanitarian, said health inspectors found the main pool murky and lacking adequate chlorine when they checked it on Wednesday. The whirlpool was foaming and had no chlorine in it at all, Salcius said.

But he said both will probably re-open today if a planned morning inspection shows that enough chlorine has been added.

Wednesday's inspections were performed after the health department received a few phone calls from patrons who were "very upset" about water quality, Salcius said.

"They said the swimming pool was dirty and the whirlpool was scummy," he said. Officials at the fitness center then closed the pool facilities voluntarily, he said. Otherwise, the health department would have had to order its closing because the chlorine levels violated state public health standards, Salcius said Wednesday.



Herald photo by Shaw

### Smashup on Middle Turnpike

The remains of Bristol resident Kenneth A. Thorpe's 1975 Toyota Celica sit on a bank while Deputy Town Fire Chief Peter Beckwith talks to driver Sherry P. Shamash this morning at the intersection of East Middle Turnpike and Vernon Street. Police said Shamash's 1974 Volvo collided with Thorpe's car. Shamash, 29, of Elizabeth Drive, was charged with failure to obey a stop sign. A Manchester Memorial Hospital spokeswoman said Thorpe, 20, was treated for a back injury and a cut on his eyelid and Shamash for a bruise on her head. Her two children, ages 3 and 5, who were with her in the car, were not injured, police said.

# Students file lawsuit against Yale

**Charge contract breach**

NEW HAVEN — Angry Yale University students filed suit Thursday charging the Ivy League school with breach of contract for failing to provide educational services during a month-long strike by white collar workers.

The class-action lawsuit filed in New Haven Superior Court named 102 students as plaintiffs and seeks \$10 million in damages plus \$2 million for each week the strike continues.

"The strike has been alienating for me and has divided the university into opposite camps," said junior Marilee Albert. "The atmosphere is not only depressing and unpleasant but it is not one which is conducive to a healthy academic life."

The aim of the lawsuit is to convince Yale to meet from its refusal to move the union's demands or submit the dispute to binding arbitration, spokesman Tom Keenan said.

"We hope the threat of \$10 million in damages will prod (Yale) toward a more flexible bargaining position," said Keenan, of Washington, D.C., a graduate student in comparative literature and one of the plaintiffs.

"We figure that if they're concerned about money, this will get them to listen," he said.

Local 34 of the Federation of University Employees offered to submit unresolved issues to faculty arbitration, but Yale immediately rejected the offer Wednesday.

"The union's proposal is not acceptable to the university," said Michael Finney, Yale's vice president for administration. "It is an attempt to move the process away from direct bargaining across the negotiating table and away from the process of mediation that both parties have agreed to."

Yale has been in a state of total turmoil over the last four weeks and contrary to repeated pronouncements by the university, students are not getting an education," Keenan said.

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# CIA confirms death of employees

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The Central Intelligence Agency has confirmed that two men, reported to be among four killed in the crash of a CIA plane in El Salvador, were employees of the spy agency.

The CIA has declined to identify those killed in the crash, but an agency spokesman said the two were Curtis Wood and Scott Van Lieshout were "overt" employees of the CIA and their association with the agency could be confirmed.

The names of three of the four people killed in the crash Friday have been assembled from news accounts of their funerals.

Van Lieshout, 28, was a native of Wisconsin and was buried Tuesday in Cadbury, Wis. Wood, 41, was described by the Fort Walton Beach (Fla.) Playground Daily News, as a resident of the Washington, D.C., suburb of Fairfax County and a former Air Force physician. A paid obituary in Monday's editions of the Atlanta Constitution said he "died suddenly" the day of the crash. Wood was buried Tuesday in College Park, Ga.

The third man linked to the plane crash was Richard Spicer, 53, described by The New York Times as the pilot of the plane. He was buried Monday in Warren, Pa. Without identifying them, the agency honors its employees killed in the line of duty with stars posted in the lobby of its headquarters in Langley, Va. Before the crash there were 46 stars.

Intelligence officials, The New York Times said, report that the four were monitoring arms smuggling to Salvadoran guerrillas from Nicaragua. The CIA has reported that two of the men were full-time employees and the other two worked on contract, the Times said.

# Obituaries

### Howard R. Janicke

Howard R. Janicke, 57, of South Windsor, died Wednesday at Manchester Memorial Hospital. He was the husband of Mary (Fasciglione) Janicke of South Windsor. He was born in Manchester and lived in Hartford before moving to South Windsor 22 years ago. He was the owner and manager of Maaco Paint & Auto Body of West Hartford. He was a former musician.

He also is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Philip (Linda) Smith of Cromwell, a brother, Robert Janicke of Manchester, a sister, Mrs. Mildred Fraher of Deltona, Fla., and three grandsons.

The funeral will be Friday at 8:15 a.m. from the Samsel Funeral Home, South Windsor, followed by a mass of Christian burial at 9 a.m. at St. Margaret Mary Church. Burial will be in Rose Hill Memorial Park, Rocky Hill. Calling hours are today from 7 to 9 p.m.

Memorial contributions may be made to the South Windsor Ambulance Corps, P.O. Box 705, South Windsor.

### Inez Buscaglia

Inez (Cossetti) Buscaglia, 86, of 207 Henry St., died Wednesday at an area convalescent home. She was the wife of John Buscaglia.

Born in Italy, she had lived in Manchester since 1942.

Besides her husband, she is survived by a daughter, Norma Willard of Manchester, four grandchildren, Joyce Miner of Coventry, Constance Adams of Stafford, John Willard Jr. and William Willard, both of Maine, and two great grandchildren.

The funeral will be Saturday at 8:15 a.m. at the Holmes Funeral Home, 400 Main St., with a mass of Christian burial at 9 a.m. at St. James Church. Burial will be in St. James Cemetery. Calling hours are Friday from 3 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. at the funeral home.

Memorial donations may be made to a charity of the donor's choice.

### Fire Calls

**Manchester**  
 Tuesday, 4:09 a.m. — medical call, 91 Strickland St. (Paramedics).  
 Tuesday, 8:05 a.m. — medical call, 77 Timber Trail (Paramedics).  
 Tuesday, 10:13 a.m. — medical call, 346 1/2 West Middle Turnpike (Paramedics).  
 Tuesday, 10:17 a.m. — alarm, Manchester Community College, Bidwell Street (Town).  
 Tuesday, 10:29 a.m. — medical call, 17 Hilltop Drive (Paramedics).  
 Tuesday, 10:49 a.m. — motor vehicle accident, 383 Broad St. (Town).  
 Tuesday, 11:23 a.m. — medical call, 112 Elizabeth Drive (Paramedics).  
 Tuesday, 3:50 p.m. — medical call, 28 Vernon St. (Paramedics).  
 Tuesday, 9 p.m. — service call, 784 Center St. (Town).  
 Wednesday, 12:28 a.m. — malfunctioning appliance, 10 Bushman Drive (Eighth District).  
 Wednesday, 10:29 — medical call, Buckingham and Farmington streets (Paramedics).  
 Wednesday, 12:34 p.m. — alarm, Manchester Memorial Hospital (Town).  
 Wednesday, 4:12 p.m. — gasoline washdown, 717 Main St. (Town).  
 Wednesday, 7:21 p.m. — medical call, 192 Deming St. (Paramedics).  
 Wednesday, 7:26 p.m. — smoke alarm, 56C Pascal Lane (Town).

# Fire Calls

Wednesday, 7:55 p.m. — smoke alarm, 1235 Main St. (Eighth District).  
 Thursday, 8:03 a.m. — motor vehicle accident, 555 E. Middle Turnpike (Town).

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## The Bottom Line

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- STRONGER PENALTIES FOR DRUNKEN DRIVING
- PROTECTION FROM EVICTION FOR ELDERLY, BLIND & DISABLED
- PROVIDE FUNDING TO REPAIR OUR ROADS & BRIDGES (Before the Mianus Disaster)
- AND TWENTY-TWO OTHER PUBLIC ACTS THAT BECAME LAW DURING 1983 & 1984

**RE-ELECT SWENSSON NOV 6TH**  
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# FOCUS / Family

# Bolton vet looks back on 31 years

By Sarah E. Hall Herald Reporter

**BOLTON** — Thirty-one years ago, young Allan Leventhal became the first veterinarian based in town.

Local farmers were skeptical. They were used to an old vet from Merrow who would birth a calf or mend a sow's teat for just \$3. The newcomer charged \$5.

But the newcomer must have convinced them he was worth it. Today Leventhal, 60, runs one of the largest veterinary practices in the state.

"The first year was the hardest part," he said in an interview last week. "The problem was carving out a practice where there wasn't one already. There were months when we had problems meeting the mortgage."

A tiny, two-stall horse barn along Route 44 was Leventhal's first hospital. His wife, Doris, filled in as secretary, assistant, bookkeeper, nurse — as well as a mother to their two small children.

"In those days, it was a fire engine type of practice," Leventhal said. Preventive medicine was still in its infancy. And to save money, farmers often waited too long before calling in a vet.

**SHORTLY AFTER** Leventhal opened his hospital, an epidemic wiped out most of the pig population in Tolland and Hartford counties. The state was forced to slaughter thousands of infected swine. "Vesicular exanthema," a sickness resembling the dread foot-and-mouth disease, was the cause.

"Today there's better immunization and there's better husbandry, but we still have outbreaks," Leventhal said. In fact, there are more than 70 animal diseases which can be passed to humans.

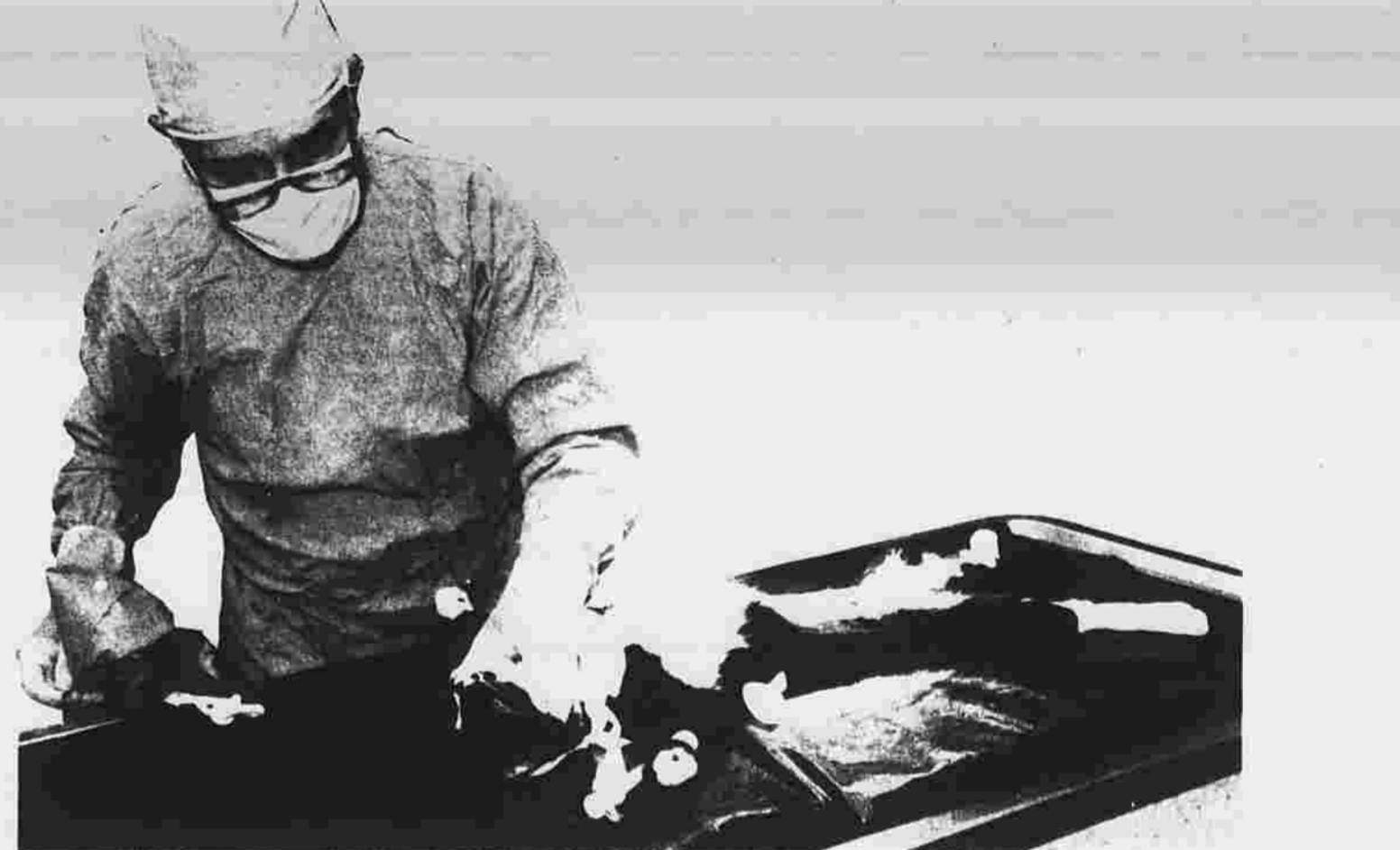
Leventhal knows first-hand. He once caught undulant fever by sticking himself with a syringe. The needle, filled with live brucellosis vaccine, was meant for a bucking calf — but got pushed into Leventhal's thumb by mistake.

"That laid me up for about a month and a half," he said. Like malaria, undulant fever causes raging fevers one minute and chills the next.

Leventhal is still spaying cats and mending broken paws — but leaves the heavy farm work to six younger



Photos by Al Tarquinio



doctors in his practice.

"We used to see about 80 percent large animals," Leventhal said. "But it's completely reversed over the past 30 years."

**DRESSED IN JEANS**, a sports shirt, and sensible shoes, Leventhal still seemed fit enough to hop in a truck and tackle a sick cow. If it weren't for his gray hair, he'd look much like the fighter pilot he was during World War II.

"I was 19, 20 years old and slightly crazy," he said. "It was an ideal situation for me at that age... The guys who were 27 and 28 we called 'Pappy.'"

Leventhal enlisted in the Army Air Corps shortly after he married Doris Hall, his high school sweetheart. By war's end, he had flown 113 combat missions over southern Europe.

"I was hit several times, but I always came back," Leventhal said. Sixteen of the 24 men in his unit didn't.

When he returned to the States, he enrolled at Cornell University and became the fifth in his family to enter the field of veterinary medicine. "It just came naturally," Leventhal said. "I was always crazy about cats and dogs."

But it was his Aunt Ida who probably was responsible for his early interest in animals.

As a young boy, he went to live on his aunt's farm in Attleboro, Mass. after his mother died and his father lost his job during the Depression.

**HE AND HIS PARTNERS** built the new Bolton Veterinary Hospital in 1976. Two years ago, he was elected president of the Connecticut Veterinary Medical Association. By then, animal medicine had taken on a new face.

An upsurge in the quality of living meant that most clients had cars. So Leventhal no longer had to trudge all over to treat sick animals. More people were keeping pets for pleasure, instead of for farm work. And vaccination had become popular, so many animals did not get sick at all.

"Perhaps the biggest change that's occurred in the last 10 years is the advent of specialties," said Leventhal. Today there are vets who specialize in brain surgery, chemo-therapy, and even geriatrics.

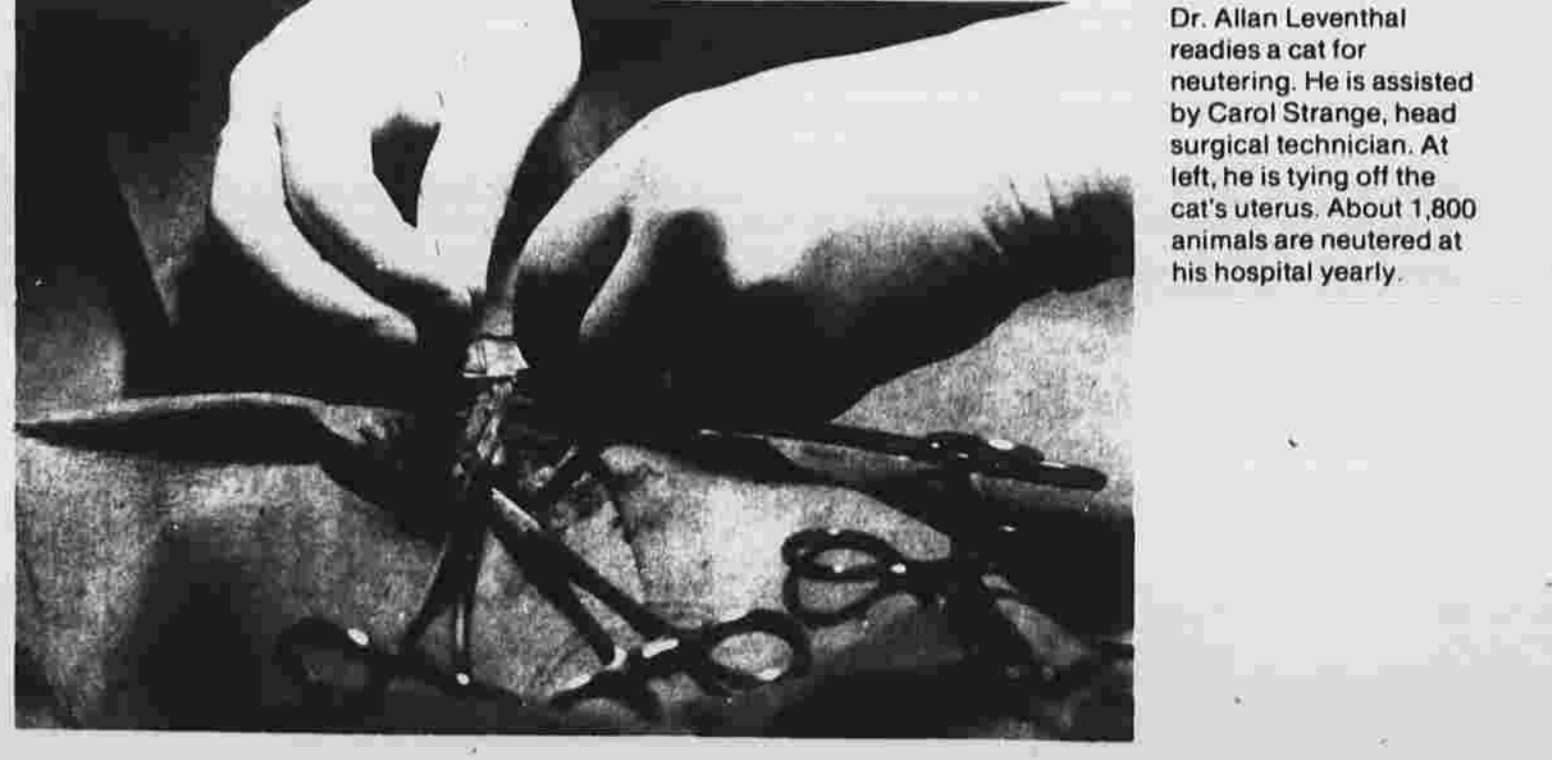
Leventhal's own dog, a standard poodle named Tonaya, would be a candidate for the latter. At 14 years old, she is nearly blind and has arthritis — though her owner said she is still jealous enough to rip into any other dog he and his wife might try to adopt.

Over the years, Leventhal has helped train about 25 young doctors who came to him fresh out of vet school. He retained the "four best" as his partners. New interns "bring us up to date on the science of veterinary medicine, and we teach them a little about the art," he said.

**BUT THE SCIENCE** is advancing faster than clients' ability to pay, said Leventhal. He hopes that pet insurance — already available in states such as California and New York — comes to Connecticut soon.

"For now, he is content with his work. While he has traveled to China, Russia and Israel and enjoys walking, skiing, and gardening, he says his job is his favorite hobby.

"I like to do what I'm doing," he said. "My profession has been my vocation and avocation for many years."



Dr. Allan Leventhal readies a cat for neutering. He is assisted by Carol Strange, head surgical technician. At left, he is tying off the cat's uterus. About 1,800 animals are neutered at his hospital yearly.

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# Scoreboard

## Hockey

### NHL standings

Team	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
NY Islanders	12	2	0	24	38	21
Philadelphia	11	3	0	22	31	24
New Jersey	10	4	0	20	28	22
Washington	9	5	0	18	25	20
Pittsburgh	8	6	0	16	22	20

### Adams Division

Team	W	L	T	Pts
Montreal	9	2	1	19
Hartford	4	7	3	11
Buffalo	4	8	2	10
Quebec	3	9	3	9

### Campbell Conference

Team	W	L	T	Pts
Chicago	3	6	3	9
St. Louis	3	6	3	9
Toronto	2	7	4	6
Minnesota	2	7	4	6

### Wales Conference

Team	W	L	T	Pts
Edmonton	2	10	4	6
Calgary	2	10	4	6
Winnipeg	1	11	5	3
Vancouver	1	11	5	3

### Los Angeles

Team	W	L	T	Pts
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### Wrestling

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New York	1	11	5	3

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## Scholastic

### Illing cross country

The Illing Junior High cross country team remained undefeated by besting cross-country runner John High 24:30, Benet's Bob Shaffel nipped Illing's Sean Toland at the finish line, but Illing lost the numbers four through ten spots. Chris Choe of Benet was third.

### Illing soccer

The Illing Junior High soccer team was blanked by the South Windsor freshmen squad, 5-0. Scott McKay, Gary Stollenberg, and Rich Bay played well for Illing, now 4-2. The Illing Junior varsity team beat Toland, 5-1. Illing's next game is Friday against Web School in Wethersfield.

### Black Hawks 9, Canucks 3

Chicago's Ben Wilson scored a pair of goals as the Black Hawks handed Vancouver its sixth straight loss. Chicago scored three goals in each period.

### Bruins 4, Blues 1

At St. Louis, Ken Linseman registered two goals and goaltender Pete Peeters had a shutout as the Bruins beat the Blues 4-1.

### Devils 5, Penguins 2

At Pittsburgh, Don Lever backed-handed the puck behind Pittsburgh goaltender Michel Dion late in the second period to break a 2-1 tie and lead New Jersey.

### Oilers 3, Capitals 3

At Edmonton, Alberta, Mike Krushelnyski's power play goal kept the Oilers' unbeaten streak alive as they defeated the Capitals 3-3.

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## Free agency list continues to grow

### NFL statistics

NEW YORK (UPI) — Four more players, including nine-time All-Star outfielder Fred Lynn, filed for free agency Wednesday, bringing to 44 the number of players who have opted for the Nov. 8 re-entry draft.

### MacMullens win duckpin crown

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### Perrone still leads UMass

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### Calendar

**TODAY**  
Bolton at RHAAC (6 p.m.), 3-15  
Crawford at Coventry (9 p.m.), 3-15

### Friday

Manchester at Wingham, 7:30 p.m.  
New York at Boston, 7:30 p.m.

### Saturday

East Catholic at Holy Sepulchre, 10:30 a.m.  
Manchester at Entfield, 1:30 p.m.

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## Sports In Brief

### Hedlund leads Maine booters

ORONO, Me. — Jay Hedlund, a 1983 graduate of Manchester High, is leading scorer on the University of Maine soccer team. Hedlund has scored six goals to go along with four assists to lead the Black Bears, who were 7-7 after 14 games. Hedlund has a pair of game-winning goals, scoring the decider in a 2-1 win over Thomas College and a 1-0 triumph over Bowdoin.

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# Manchester Herald

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## Pope suspects charged

By John Phillips  
United Press International

ROME — Italian investigators today indicted three Bulgarians and five Turks in the attempted assassination of Pope John Paul II, concluding for the first time that two gunmen shot the pope.

The indictments were the first official acknowledgment of the "Bulgarian Connection," but there was no immediate indication of whether investigators implicated the Soviet KGB secret police in the attack on the Polish-born pope in St. Peter's Square May 13, 1981.

"However, one must retain as certain that a plot existed to kill the pope," investigating magistrate Mario Martella told a news conference.

Named in the 1,243-page indictment were Mehmet Ali Agca, 26, the Turkish gunman already serving a life sentence for the attack that seriously wounded the pope, and Sergei Ivanov Antonov, 36, a Bulgarian airline official arrested almost two years ago.

The indictment charged that a second Turk, Oral Celik, also shot the pope, grazing him in his arm and index finger. Celik, a close friend of Agca, had helped him escape earlier from prison in Turkey. His whereabouts are not known.

At Agca's trial in July 1981 the court concluded that Agca acted alone, firing two shots that wounded the pope in the abdomen and arm. But the indictment said Celik fired a third shot.

A Turk identified as Omar Bagci was the accomplice who brought the 9mm Browning pistol from Switzerland to Italy for Agca to use in the shooting, said Martella, who led the 23-month investigation.

Indicted along with Agca, Antonov, Bagci and Celik were two more Turks, Musa Serdar Celebi and Bekir Celenk, and former Bulgarian Embassy officials Todor Avazov and Maj. Zheljo Vasilev.

The indictment charged Agca specifically with introducing the gun into Italian territory.

Avazov, Vasilev, Celenk and Celik will be tried in absentia. Celenk, an accused arms trafficker, lives in Sofia under protection of Bulgarian authorities.

Martella said it was possible to identify Celik on descriptions given by American witnesses who were in the square for the pope's weekly general audience. He said the descriptions corresponded to a photograph taken in the square, which was identified as being of Celik.

Identification of other suspects was based on Agca's reports of "physical characteristics, meeting places and meeting times," Martella said. For example, he said, Agca said he met Sotin Kolev, the alias Avazov allegedly used, in Sofia in July or August 1980.

No date has been set for the trial, and Martella underlined that an Italian court has still to make a final judgment on the evidence produced by his investigation.

"This trial is extremely difficult. All the facts have to be verified under cross-examination," he said.

Martella said it was his duty as investigating magistrate only to "see if one can go ahead" with trial.

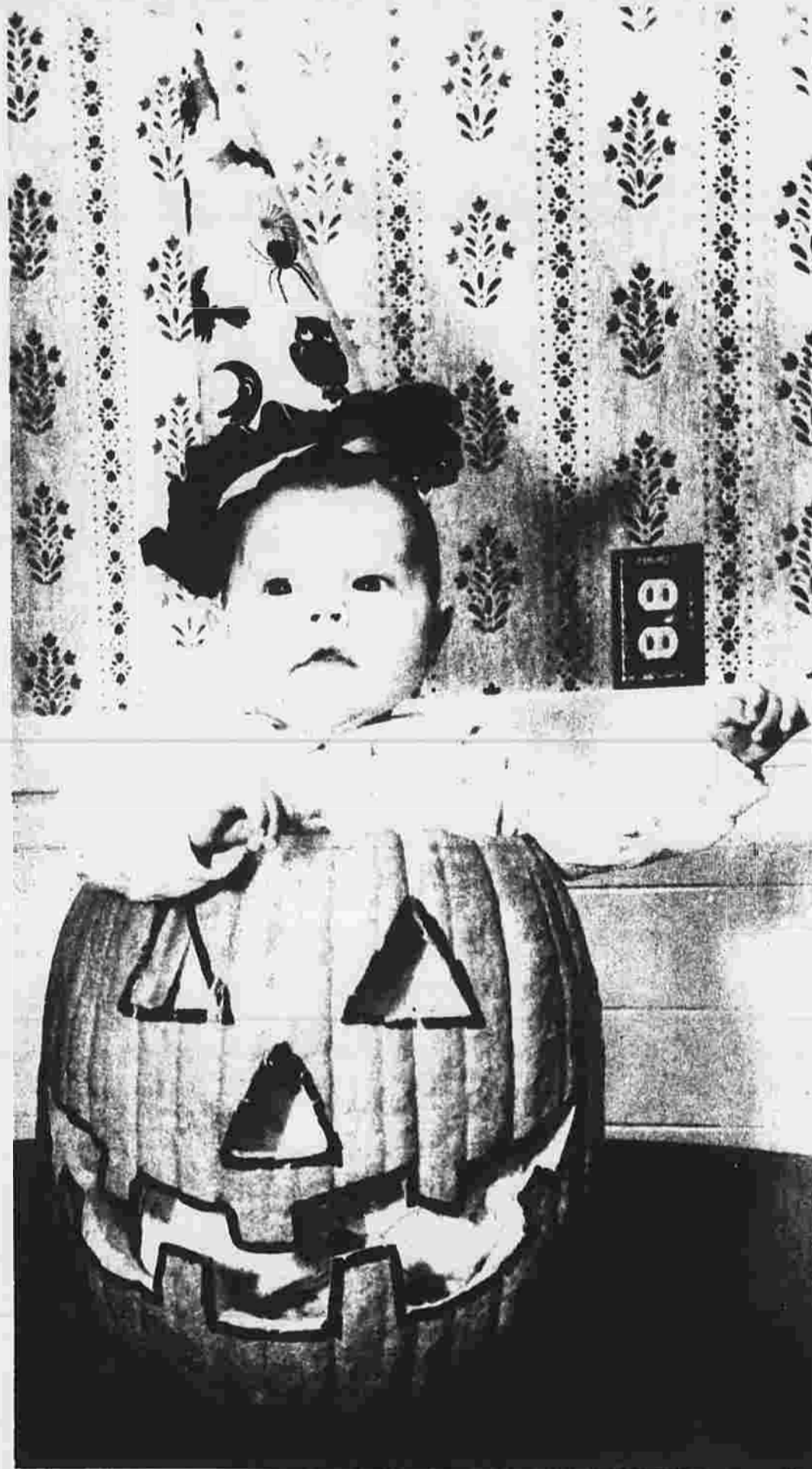
The indictments would set the stage for a trial of the "Bulgarian connection," although CBS sources said no direct link has yet been established between the Bulgarians and the Soviet KGB.

Agca, who has charged the Bulgarians organized the assassination attempt and helped him up to the moment he fired the gun, is expected to be the star witness in the trial.

John Paul was severely wounded in the assassination attempt in St. Peter's Square and spent a total of 11 weeks in a Rome hospital.

Agca was convicted in Rome in July 1981 and sentenced to life at a top security jail near Ascoli Piceno in east-central Italy.

Turkish police said Agca threatened to kill the pope in November 1979, during the pontiff's visit to Turkey. Agca made the threat a few days after escaping from the Maltepe military prison outside Istanbul.



**Snug in a pumpkin**

May Anastos, 2 months old, is too young to trick or treat — so her mother, Jerrienne Anastos of 99 McKee St., popped her in a pumpkin to celebrate

Halloween. Amy obligingly interrupted her afternoon nap to pose in her new fall outfit.

Herald photo by Terquino

## Mondale fights on despite polls

By Matthew C. Quinn  
United Press International

FLINT, Mich. — Walter Mondale, his emotions showing, said today he knows it will be "tough" to defeat President Reagan but vowed he will win because, "I'm giving this campaign everything I've got."

Mondale made the comments as he began a day of campaigning that will take him to four states, ending in California. He denied a report in today's Boston Globe that campaign Chairman James Johnson told him this week that Reagan's lead is insurmountable.

"We did have a meeting. Jim pointed out it's going to be tough and we all know that," Mondale told reporters outside his hotel. "I think that these polls are dead wrong. I think we've got an excellent chance of winning."

Citing the arms issue and other major points in his campaign, Mondale said, "I'm giving this campaign everything I've got because America's future is at stake. I don't care what the polls say."

"The crowds are enormous. They're engaged. They're enthusiastic because the issues are deep and profound," he added. "This is not about public opinion polls."

As he talked with reporters and predicted victory, Mondale's eyes grew moist with emotion. "I'm going to win because I'm right," he said. "There's a lot of deep issues that make this fight worthwhile."

Mondale, who is running behind Reagan in almost every state according to most polls, noted that unemployment is 15 percent in Flint "with an administration that doesn't care and we're going to win this election."

With just 10 days left before election day and the polls showing him still trailing President Reagan by 12 percentage points or more, Mondale has returned to "speaking from the heart," as one aide said.

Mondale unveiled a new stump speech Thursday as he campaigned before large and enthusiastic crowds in Ohio.

"The victory march begins here in Cleveland today. I can feel it. We're on our way. We're going to win," Mondale told a lunchtime crowd in the city's cavernous Arcade amid balloons and confetti.

Today, Mondale campaigns in four crucial states, Michigan,

Iowa, Texas and California. His stop in Des Moines, Iowa, is the second this week and the Texas swing is his fifth since Labor Day. He will spend three days in California and the Pacific Northwest, where polls show him within striking distance of Reagan.

Mondale has decided to ignore the polls, recalling "they stopped taking polls" in 1948 when Harry Truman staged his upset win. And, judging from the Democrat's crowds and enthusiasm, so have his supporters.

Several hundred people stood in the rain Thursday night to greet Mondale at the Flint airport. Mondale jumped up on a jeep tailgate and told the cheering supporters in the unemployment-stricken auto town, "My fight is your fight."

"I want to be president to speak up for workers, to speak up for their families and give people a chance."

John Reilly, Mondale's senior policy adviser, said Mondale has settled on the themes he is comfortable with and will stick with them for the whirlwind days before the election.

"He's making his final argument or summation to the jury," Reilly said.

After his speech, Mondale plunged into hand-shaking with screaming supporters, many of them saying, "Give 'em Hell, Fritz."

Though weary at the end of a long day, he paused for a moment, leaned on his elbow atop a huge amplifier, listened for a few seconds to the blaring marching music from the Toledo Scott High School band, and — displaying characteristic optimism — he flashed the thumbs-up sign.

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## Bolton leader knew about asbestosis in 1982

# Ryba suit charges firms contributed to death

By Sarah Posselt  
Herald Reporter

BOLTON — First Selectman Henry P. Ryba learned that he was dying of asbestosis more than two years ago, according to papers filed federal court in connection with a \$3 million lawsuit Ryba brought against 24 companies in 1982.

Ryba died last month at the age of 54 of abdominal mesothelioma, a type of cancer that attacks the lining of the abdominal cavity, according to his death certificate.

Manchester physician Arnold Kilpstein, who signed the certificate, attributed the cancer to Ryba's asbestosis.

Ryba and his wife Janina filed suit in U.S. District Court in Hartford in February 1982, charging the Johns-Manville Corp. and 23 other asbestos manufacturers and distributors with negligence in

failing to warn Ryba of the hazards of working with asbestos.

Ryba worked as a construction superintendent for AC and S of Wethersfield, a nationwide insulation contractor. Court papers claim that Ryba had worked with asbestos since he was 18 years old.

"The injuries and diseases from which the plaintiff, Henry P. Ryba, is suffering will in all probability be fatal," court documents filed by New Haven attorney James F. Early say.

Janina Ryba declined Thursday to comment on the lawsuit.

James Connaughton, a legal assistant in Early's office, said this morning the Rybas are also suing two Connecticut firms in Bridgeport Superior Court. The companies are Raymark Industries and Combustion Engineering.

Early specializes in asbestos litigation. He said today that he represents about 1,000 clients with

asbestos-related illnesses, including about 300 in Connecticut.

Connaughton said Ryba's estate has not yet been scheduled for trial. He said the companies being sued generally do not offer to settle out of court until a trial date is set.

Connaughton said Early's is one of two law firms in Connecticut that handle asbestos litigation. He said Early has won about 11 settlements since entering the field in 1980.

The lawsuit, which is still pending against 21 of the companies, asks for \$1 million in compensatory damages and \$2 million in punitive damages, plus the costs of bringing suit.

Court records show that the Rybas agreed to drop their claim against three of the companies — J.P. Stevens Co. Inc., Garlock Inc. and Pittsburgh Corning Corp.

Connaughton said Garlock and Pittsburgh Corning settled out of court with all those who sued them and that the Rybas got a share of those settlements.

J.P. Stevens was dropped because there is not enough direct evidence against them, Connaughton said.

All asbestos-related civil action against Johns-Manville halted when the company filed for bankruptcy two years ago, Connaughton said.

The company was allowed to file for bankruptcy when it claimed that if it settled all the lawsuits pending against it, it would be bankrupt by the year 2000, Connaughton said.



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