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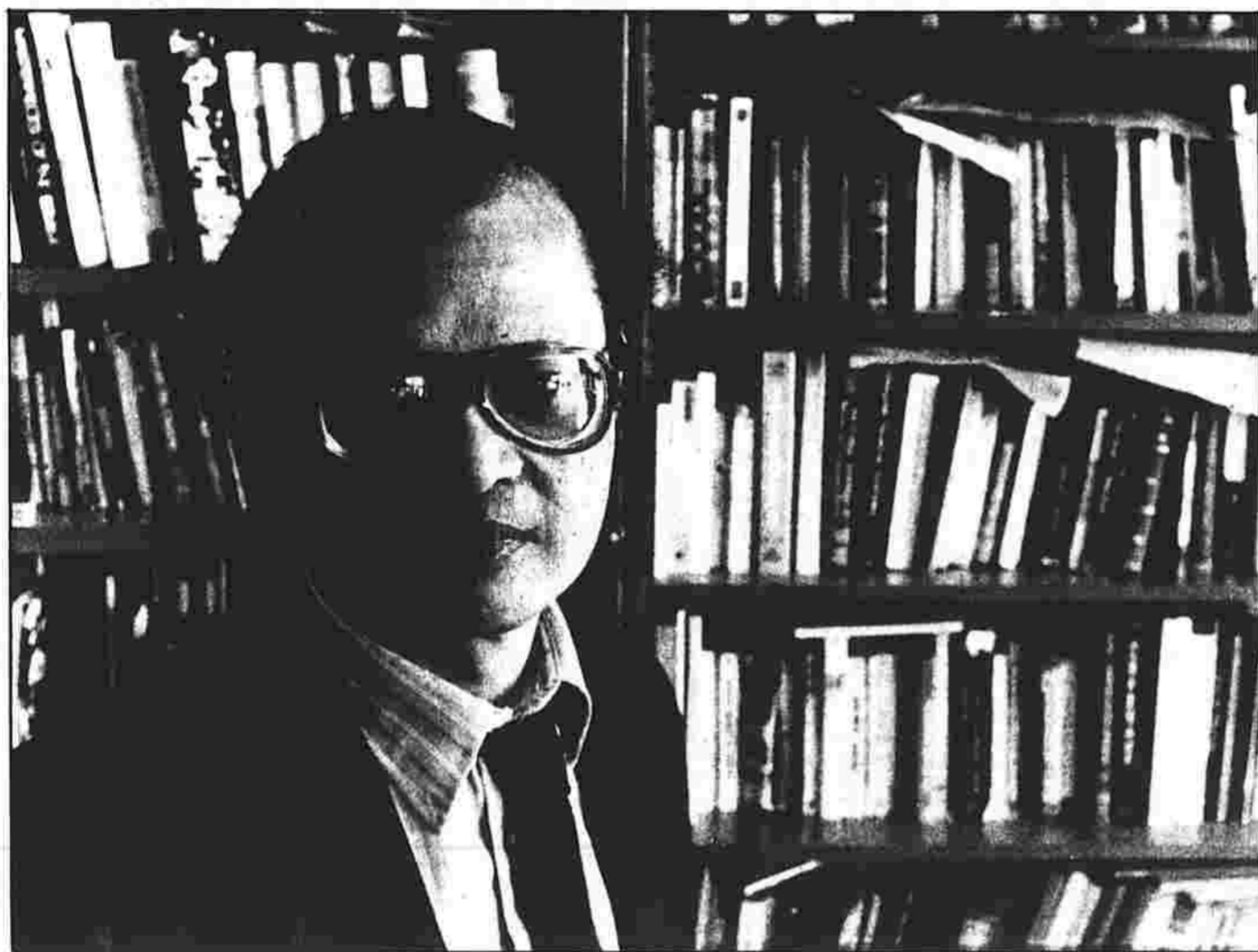
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Epifanio San Juan Jr., a University of Connecticut professor who recently completed a book about the Philippines, stands in his UConn office during a recent

interview. San Juan says the political atmosphere in his former country is moving toward revolution.

Filipino author sees change coming

By John F. Kirch Herald Reporter

STORRS — When Epifanio San Juan Jr. returned to his native Philippines in August 1985, he noticed a great change in the political atmosphere from the days when he was growing up in Manila. San Juan, an English professor at the University of Connecticut, said it was the first time he could remember the middle and upper classes talking to the streets to protest the rule of President Ferdinand E. Marcos.

"The masses ... have really become brave and have begun to demonstrate," San Juan, who has lived in Storrs since 1967, said in a recent interview. "That was the time when General (Fabian C.) Ver and 25 others were being tried for the death of (Benigno) Aquino. When they were acquitted, there was an explosion. And when you have the upper middle classes or the wealthy criticizing Marcos, that represents a change in atmosphere."

Ver and the others were on trial for the 1983 assassination of Benigno Aquino, the leading opposition voice to the Marcos regime.

They were found not guilty last year by a government fact-finding commission.

Before his three-week visit to Manila last year, San Juan had not been back home since the late 1960s. Part of the reason, he said, was because he was afraid to return after openly criticizing Marcos in articles he wrote for the Philippine press.

San Juan, 47, has also been involved with a U.S. lobbying group called Friends of the Filipino People, which has asked the U.S. government to cut military and economic aid to Marcos.

"I was prepared to be arrested," San Juan said. "But then I figured out. I'm not an American citizen and I'm not an important problem for Marcos."

The current political climate in the Philippines impressed San Juan. For centuries, Filipinos faced starvation and oppression, and the lower and peasant classes staged sporadic revolts. But now, San Juan said, it is the wealthier classes who are finding more and more wrong with a president who has been in power since 1965.

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Aquino reiterates charges of fraud

By Richard Pyle The Associated Press

MANILA, Philippines — Corazon Aquino, who met today with U.S. diplomatic troubleshooter Philip Habib, objected to any American action that could lend legitimacy to President Ferdinand E. Marcos' election victory over her.

Mrs. Aquino contends she won the Feb. 7 special presidential election, but was thwarted by

government officials and the Marcos-controlled National Assembly, which declared Marcos the victor late Saturday.

The following day, Mrs. Aquino called for nationwide protest strikes and boycotts to begin the first working day after Marcos' Feb. 26 inauguration. She also called upon the Philippine military and police to disobey orders that were "unjust."

Mrs. Aquino, 53, met for an hour today with Habib, dispatched by

President Reagan to the Philippines on a "fact-finding mission" following the fraud- and violence-marred election.

Earlier in the day, Habib had been received by Marcos at Malacanang Palace for two hours, but no details of the session were immediately disclosed.

Mrs. Aquino's headquarters issued a statement in which she said Filipinos "expect the understanding and support of the friends of democracy everywhere."

In her statement, Mrs. Aquino singled out a comment by President Reagan that the election had furnished "heartening evidence" of a continuing Filipino commitment to the democratic process. The Aquino statement said that in reality the election involved "a persecuted people clinging on the ballot boxes for their lives against a government determined to trample all over their rights."

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GOP tries innovations to defeat Bill O'Neill

By Judd Everhart The Associated Press

HARTFORD — Connecticut Republicans, desperate to make 1986 the first year in 16 that they win the governor's office, are planning two new tactics this year to generate extra publicity for themselves.

First is the novel GOP plan to stage a series of regional spring primaries for the four announced candidates for the Republican gubernatorial nomination, with unaffiliated voters invited to take part.

The second is an effort, begun in January, to raise \$300,000 to be

used for television advertising for the winner of the expected September primary.

Peter W. Gold, executive director of the Republican State Central Committee, said \$50,000 has already been raised.

"I'll be for the winner" of the primary, Gold said, to be spent on commercials between the primary and Election Day. If there is to be no primary — that is, if one candidate shuts out the others at the July nominating convention — the money could be used immediately after the convention and up

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France says Libya enters Chad conflict

PARIS (UPI) — A suspected Libyan warplane bombed a civilian airport in the capital of Chad today in apparent retaliation for the French raid on a Libyan airstrip in rebel-controlled northern Chad, French defense officials said.

A French defense ministry spokesman said a suspected Libyan warplane dropped a single bomb from high altitude on the airport in Ndjame, the capital. The spokesman said a runway was "partially damaged" and would be repaired quickly.

French news reports, quoting French defense sources, said the attack was carried out by a Soviet-built Tupolev TU-22 bomber. Libya has seven TU-22s based in northern Chad capable of making the 1,700-mile round trip into the government-held south without refueling, the defense sources said.

French Defense Minister Paul Quilès said France sent 200 troops during the weekend to protect the airport but there was "no way of defending against a high-altitude bombing."

Since last week, French planes have been flying large quantities of weapons and military equipment into the airport to support the Chadian government in its fight against Libyan-backed rebels in the north.

The bombing came 24 hours after French Jaguar fighter-bombers based in Bangui, Central African Republic, destroyed a Libyan-built airstrip in Wadi Doum, 90 miles northeast of the rebel stronghold of Faya Largeau.

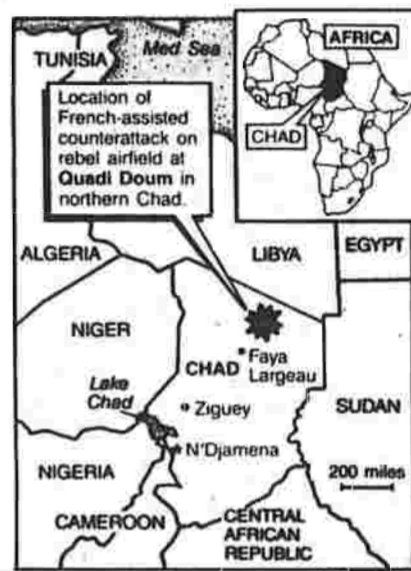
A spokesman for the rebel Chadian Government of National Unity, known by its French acronym GUNT, said in Paris that the rebels and their allies would make tit-for-tat responses to any attacks on North Chad by French forces.

"GUNT once again warns the French government of the risks of internationalizing Chad's internal conflict with direct military intervention," Abderrahman Moussa said. "With our allies, the rule of tit-for-tat will be applied each and every time it is necessary."

Quilès said he did not expect France to avenge today's attack.

"Reprisals are not our way of responding to things," he said. "French intentions are not warlike or bellicose. We moved to protect Chad at their president's request."

Quilès said the French raid Sunday was ordered by President Francois Mitterrand at the request of Chadian President Hissene Habre, whose troops held off six days of attacks across a cease fire line by Libyan and rebel forces.



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He said the airstrip was completed in 1985 and was the main Libyan support base for the rebel attacks that began last September on government-held towns mainly along two key north-south highways leading to Ndjame, the capital.

It marked the first French military intervention in Chad's 20-year-old civil war since September, 1984, when France withdrew the 3,500 troops it sent in to support Habre's forces against a Libyan-backed rebel advance from the north.

News reports quoting defense ministry sources said France brought together about 15 Jaguars in Bangui, Central African Republic, from various African bases this week to prepare for the strike.

They said the French-built fighter-bombers, which have a flying range of 750 miles were refueled in flight at least twice on the 2,000 mile return trip to Wadi Doum.

Hours after the surprise raid, the official Libyan news agency JANA appealed for "an immediate end to fighting in Chad in order to allow a resumption of African efforts to find a peaceful solution to the Chadian problem."

JANA confirmed a French attack took place on "a civilian airport in the liberated part of north Chad which is under control of the Chadian government of National Unity."

"This civilian airport is being used in receiving relief supplies, food and medicine, for the famine victims in northern Chad," it said.

French defense ministry sources said French planes have been delivering arms and supplies to Ndjame during the past few days and about 200 French troops were brought in to guard the airport. They were the first French soldiers stationed in Chad since the 1984 troop withdrawal.

East Hartford group mulls Silkdown changes

The Silkdown Flyer, a weekly shopping journal distributed throughout the Hartford-Manchester area, has been sold to an East Hartford publishing company, its new owners announced today.

Alvin H. Pellone, president and owner of Silkdown Publications Inc., which was incorporated in January for the purpose of buying the shopping journal, would not reveal the amount of money that changed hands in the sale last week.

But he said that there will probably be some changes in the journal, which carries classified and display advertisements and claims a circulation of about 40,000.

"It's too early to give a definite answer," Pellone said. "I have some ideas. I would like to make sure that revenue continues to come in so we can grow."

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TODAY'S HERALD

Workers strike

Over 13,000 United Steelworkers went on a nationwide strike today against the nation's four largest car manufacturers after rejecting offers of year-end bonuses in place of an increase in hourly wages. An American Can spokesman said all the companies wanted separate contracts in place of the industry-wide agreements. Story on page 4.

Freezing rain

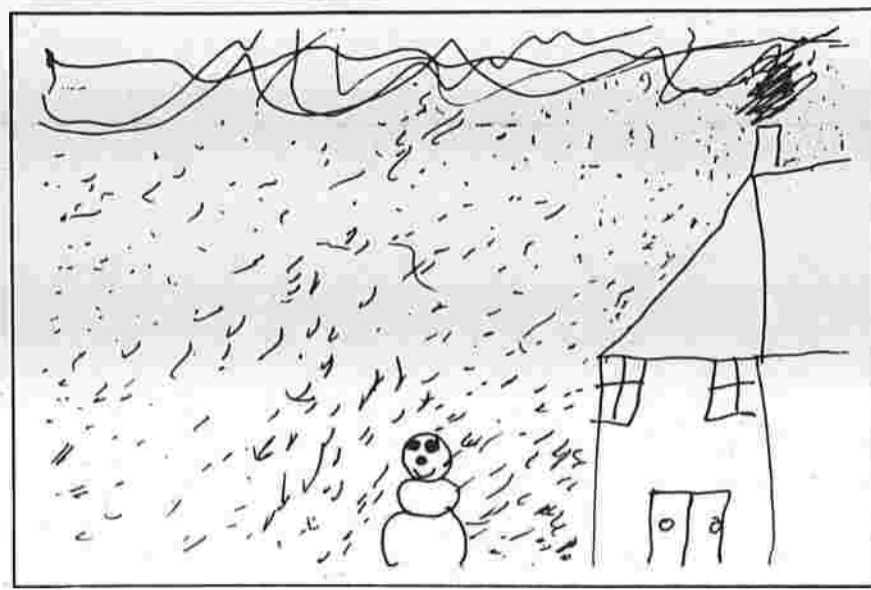
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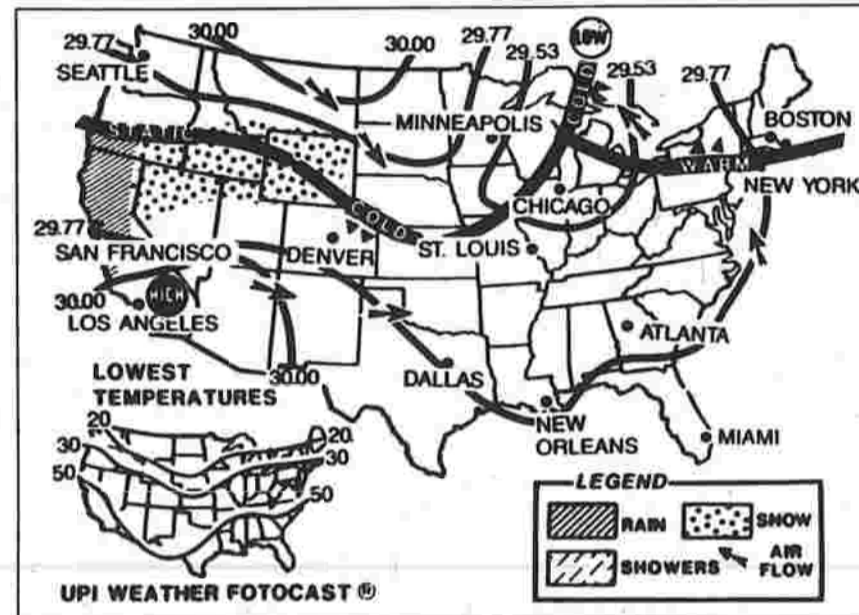
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Your snowman may disappear

Today: Occasional snow, accumulating an inch or two before changing to occasional freezing drizzle or freezing rain. High near 32. Wind light northeast. Tonight: Occasional freezing drizzle or freezing rain likely with fog. Low in the upper 20s. Wind light northeast. Chance of precipitation 60 percent. Tuesday: Cloudy with a chance of freezing drizzle continuing into Wednesday morning, then a chance of drizzle or rain. Drawing by Priscilla Maglieri, 10, of 26 Amy Drive, East Hartford, a fourth-grader at Saint James School.



National forecast

During early Tuesday, rain is possible along the Mid to Northern Atlantic Coast region and the Central Intermountain region. Snow is possible in northern New England. Rain is forecast for parts of the Pacific Coast states. Elsewhere the weather will be fair.

PEOPLE

Movies on Broadway

Robert De Niro will star as a drug dealer in a New York stage version of "Cuba and his Teddy Bear" starting April 15. His co-stars are Ralph Macchio from "The Karate Kid" as his teenage son and Bert Young, the lazy brother-in-law in the "Rocky" movies, as the boy's godfather. Two other familiar movie figures, Alan Arkin and Mark Hamill, are getting good reviews for their off-Broadway work in a revival of "Room Service" about Broadway's heyday. The New York Times praised Arkin for his "speedy and resourceful direction" and cast casting, Hamill further sheds his "Star Wars" persona, putting on "the evening's happiest surprise" in the role of George Marx played in the movie version of "Room Service."

Fridge chills Lauper

William "The Refrigerator" Perry doesn't think Cyndi Lauper is cool. The Chicago Bears' defensive tackle and media phenomenon says he was offered a movie role playing Lauper's bodyguard. "I read the script but I don't care for her, really," Perry told People magazine. "And I didn't want to go out to California and stay seven days to be in a movie. I'd rather go back home and spend my time fishing."

Literary lions

The main branch of the New York Public Library has long been known for the stone lions that flank its main entrance but now the

Extended outlook

Extended outlook for New England Wednesday through Friday: Connecticut, Massachusetts and Rhode Island: Cloudy Wednesday. Chance of rain or snow Thursday. Partly cloudy Friday. Overnight lows in the 20s. Highs in the 40s Wednesday, 30s to lower 40s Thursday and Friday. New Hampshire: Fair Wednesday, except for a chance of rain or snow extreme south. Chance of snow north and rain or snow south Thursday. Fair north and chance of rain or snow south Friday. Highs in the upper 20s to mid 30s north and mid 30s to lower 40s south. Lows 10 to 20 north and teens to lower 20s south. Maine: Fair Wednesday. Fair north and chance of snow or rain south Thursday and Friday. Highs in the mid 20s to lower 30s north and 30 to 40 south. Lows 5 to 15 north and teens to lower 20s south. Vermont: Unsettled through the period. Chance of rain or snow Wednesday and Thursday.

Today's forecast

Connecticut, Massachusetts and Rhode Island: Today: Occasional snow accumulating 1 to 3 inches before changing to occasional freezing drizzle or freezing rain. Rain along the south coast in the afternoon. Highs in the 30s. Tonight: Occasional freezing drizzle or freezing rain likely, except occasional drizzle or rain likely south coast. Foggy. Lows 30 to 35. Tuesday: A chance of freezing drizzle or freezing rain continuing into the morning. Otherwise a chance of drizzle or rain. Highs 35 to 45. Vermont: Light snow north Monday. Snow tapering off to occasional freezing drizzle south. High from 20s to low 30s. A little snow or freezing drizzle likely Monday night north. Cloudy and foggy with drizzle, freezing in spots south. Low in the 20s. Mostly cloudy and milder Tuesday with a chance of drizzle, freezing at first. High in the 30s to near 40. Maine: Increasing cloudiness Monday with snow developing in the southwest and a chance of snow central and southeast. A few inches likely in the southwest. Highs in the teens north to 20s south. Occasional snow or freezing drizzle likely south and chance of snow or freezing drizzle likely north. Highs in the 20s north to 30s south. New Hampshire: Snow developing south and chance of snow north Monday. One to three inches accumulation south. Highs in the teens and 20s. Occasional light snow or freezing drizzle likely south Monday night and some light snow likely north. Lows in the teens north to 20s south. Occasional light snow or freezing drizzle likely north and some freezing drizzle or drizzle south Tuesday. Highs in the 20s north to 30s south.

Those born on this date are under the sign of Aquarius. They include mail order retailer Aaron Montgomery Ward in 1843; engraver Frederick Ives in 1856; American novelist Dorothy Canfield Fisher in 1878; Texas oil millionaire H.L. Hunt in 1889; singer Marion Anderson in 1902 (age 84); Margaret Truman Daniel, daughter of President Harry Truman, in 1924 (age 62); and actors Hal Holbrook in 1925 (age 61) and Alan Bates in 1934 (age 52).

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Across the nation

Snow will fall from the Pacific Northwest to Montana with scattered snow showers in the mountains of Wyoming and Colorado. A mixture of rain, freezing rain, sleet and snow will occur across New York and southern and central New England. Rain will prevail from the central Pacific Coast to lower elevations of the central Rockies. Showers and thunderstorms will be scattered over the central and southern rainshowers, extending across portions of the Tennessee and Ohio valleys.



Today in history

In 1976, President Gerald Ford named George Bush director of the Central Intelligence Agency. Bush is shown in a 1976 file photo.

Almanac

Today is Monday, Feb. 17, the 48th day of 1986 with 317 to follow. Today is officially George Washington's Birthday, a federal holiday. In 1972, President Richard Nixon left for Peking, a trip that eventually resulted in establishment of diplomatic relations between Washington and the communist government of China. In 1976, President Gerald Ford named George Bush director of the Central Intelligence Agency. In 1985, 58-year-old retired autoworker-barber Murray Haydon of Louisville, Ky., received the world's third permanent artificial heart. A thought for the day: President George Washington said, "Few men have virtue to withstand the highest bidder."

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Lottery

Connecticut daily Saturday: 486 Play Four: 1677

In New England: Tri-state daily: 099 1007 Tristate lotto: 7-17-18-20-22-33 Rhode Island daily: 855 "Lot-O-Bucks": 9-12-18-34-37 Massachusetts daily: 2929 "Megabucks": 5-8-8-17-28-29



The First President

Today is the holiday commemorating the birth of George Washington, the ninth President of the United States. That's right, George was NOT the first President; John Hanson was. Hanson played a crucial role in getting the Continental Congress to pass the Articles of Confederation. He later became the first "President of the United States in Congress assembled." Seven other men presided over this Congress before the current Constitution was ratified.

DO YOU KNOW - In what year did the current U.S. Constitution go into effect? FRIDAY'S ANSWER - Cupid is armed with a bow and arrow to strike love into the unsuspecting.

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Manchester/Area Towns In Brief

Robot, boa come to Illing

Gifted children from around the state will have opportunities to meet a robot, pat a boa constrictor and create a dance or song at an all-day workshop March 1 at Illing Junior High School. The Connecticut Association for the Gifted's sixth annual workshop will offer a variety of learning experiences for children 5 years old and up, as well as programs for their parents. Workshops for children 5 to 8 will be from 9 to 11:30 a.m., while workshops for children 8 and older will be from 1 to 3:30 p.m. In the morning, Cathy Cyr-Sinicrope, a consultant for gifted and talented education, will address the questions of younger gifted children. Sherry Earle, past president of the CAG, will talk to parents of older children on creating a balance between home and school. Members of the CAG board will be available to discuss the organization and its efforts to pass legislation that requiring programming for gifted students in Connecticut. The March 1 workshop, called, "Minds in Motion," is a fund raiser for the CAG's lobbying activities and educational programs. For more information, call Debby LaBarre, 646-5123.

Elderly care is topic

A March 1 program at Manchester Memorial Hospital on emergency care of elderly people will focus on giving providers a better understanding of the special needs of elderly people. Emergency medical technicians, paramedics, emergency nurses and physicians, home care nurses, social workers, elderly outreach workers, primary care physicians, police officers and fire personnel will be among those attending. The program, which is being sponsored by the Manchester Kiwanis Club, will run from 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Registration can be made by sending \$15 per person payable to the Manchester Kiwanis Club to the Emergency Department or Administrative Offices, Manchester Memorial Hospital, 71 Hayes St. For more information, call 646-1222, extension 2313.

CPR teaching courses offered

The Connecticut Valley East branch of the American Red Cross is offering an instructor-level cardiopulmonary resuscitation course for people now certified. The course is scheduled to begin March 6 at the Manchester Red Cross office. Participants must be at least 17 years old and have a valid CPR certificate. The cost is \$15. For more information, call 645-5111.

Bolton store robbed

BOLTON - A Bolton Notch convenience store was robbed of over \$83 Saturday night by an unknown man who later fled on foot, state police said this morning. Police said \$63.51 was taken from the cash register at the Cumberland Farms store in the Bolton Plaza on Route 44. No one was injured and a weapon was not used in the 10:20 p.m. incident, state police said. A clerk was alone in the store when a man entered and demanded the money, police said. State police did not provide a description of the suspect, but they said their investigation is continuing.

The store's area supervisor, Kenneth Hill, said this morning the clerk was very frightened by the theft. He said the last time a robbery occurred at the store was in 1983. Hill said some changes in security are being considered, but he did not say what these were.

Town ends bus service

BOLTON - The weekly shopping bus service for senior citizens offered by the town will end March 1, the selectmen's office has announced. The decision was prompted by decreased ridership and funding shortages. The last shopping trip is scheduled for Feb. 27. For additional information, call 649-8743.



Philippine changes drastic for native

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Perhaps the biggest political change came with the emergence of Corazon C. Aquino - the wife of the slain Aquino - who opposed Marcos in the Feb. 7 election, which was marked by massive fraud. "The election gave some Filipinos hope for change," San Juan said. "But it could also serve to bring about more discontent since it now appears that Marcos will do anything to keep the presidency, he said. "There are still a lot of people, especially in the middle class, who feel elections can bring change," San Juan said. "Now if this election disappoints them, they will then go to other ways (for change)."

The other ways include revolt, the subject of the English professor's latest book, "Crisis in the Philippines - The Making of a Revolution." "Friday, as the government-controlled vote counters in Manila rattled up what was called an "unbeatable lead" for Marcos, the country's Roman Catholic bishops denounced the election as "unparalleled in fraudulence." In the wake of Marcos' victory, the bishops, along with Aquino, have called for a "non-violent struggle for justice," and Sunday 600,000 people turned out for a rally in the country's capital. Despite the outcome of the election, San Juan said Aquino's candidacy might have done the country some good. For the first time since 1969 San Juan said, Marcos was faced with a viable opposition candidate. He said Aquino would have been the winner if it wasn't for mass fraud. "Aquino represents all the oppressed people," San Juan said. "A certain level of political awareness was spread out more. If

necessary from Filipinos and Americans so President Reagan will not send support to the Marcos regime in the Philippines," Chen said Sunday. "We hope the people who have been murdered while calling for democracy will not have died in vain." The participants plan to organize a future demonstration outside the White House, Chen said. Rep. Bruce Morrison, D-Conn., Mark Thompson of New Haven, who was an observer during the Philippine election, and Frederico Makaranas, a Filipino scholar based in New York City, will be among the featured speakers at the conference, Chen said. New London attorney Premjivo deLeon, a Filipino, a group of students from Yale University, and several other people from the Boston, Mass., and New York City areas are also expected to attend the conference sponsored by the Filipino-American Association of Connecticut, Chen said. The political implications resulting from Ferdinand E. Marcos' victory in the recent presidential election will be discussed, she said. Chen said supporters of both

Area groups plan strategy on Marcos aid

MILFORD (UPI) - More than 150 Filipinos and Americans will develop a strategy for urging President Reagan to halt U.S. aid to the Marcos regime in the Philippines during a conference tonight, a spokeswoman says. A committee of Filipinos and Americans who say they support democracy in the Philippines will meet at 7 p.m. at the Milford Holiday Inn to discuss plans for an American-based strategy, said E. Chouk-Lik Chen, a conference spokeswoman. "What we hope to accomplish is to gather as much support as

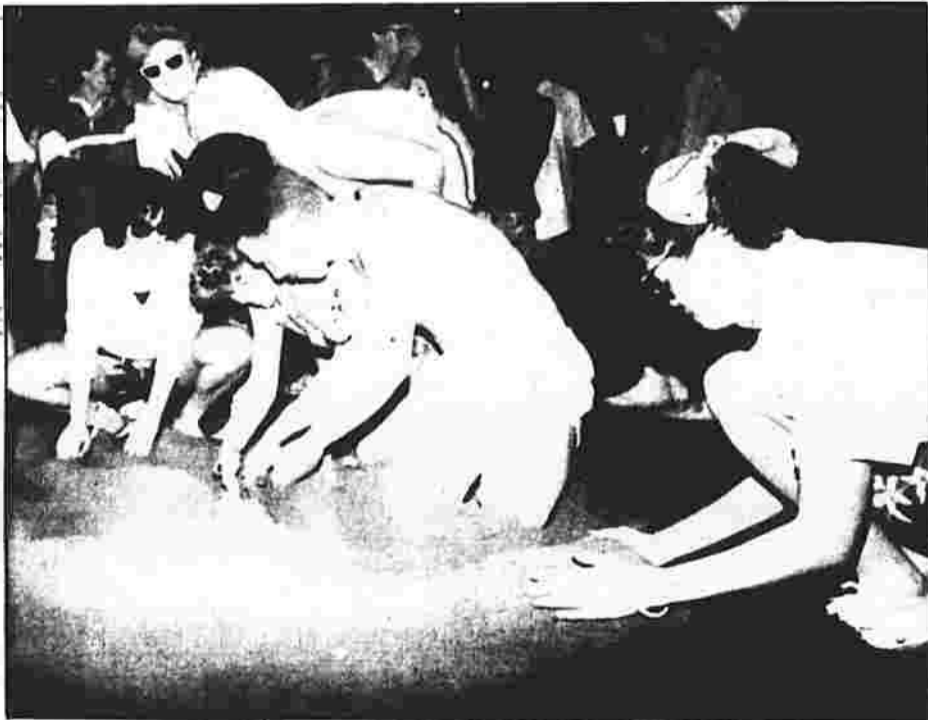
Book chronicles seeds of unrest in islands

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STORRS - On the last day of his life, poet Jose Rizal called the Philippines the "Pearl of the Orient Sea." The description came in his poem, "Mi Ultimo Adios," which he wrote before his execution in 1896. But most important to San Juan is the book's emphasis on culture - the arts, music and literature. "That's my specialty," he said. "I consider myself a student of the cultural process, the interaction of societies and culture." While the release of San Juan's book was not timed for the Philippine presidential elections on Feb. 7, its subject is now more timely than ever. "The book's conclusions are, as long as the U.S. government considers the military bases as the most important thing, then more and more Filipinos will realize the U.S. government is not concerned with their welfare," San Juan said. "Not only will the U.S. (eventually) lose the bases there, but they will lose any sense of belief in the United States that many middle class and upper class people have now."

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What do the students at St. Vincent College in Latrobe, Penn., do with 10 inches of snow on the ground and temperatures in the teens? Have a beach party complete with 10,000 pounds of sand, sunglasses and tropical drinks. Here, some of the 700 "beach goers" try their hand at a sand sculpture in practice for the upcoming spring break. The idea of the student government was to help students through the cold winter weather.

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Rabbi Abraham Weiss, third from left, joyously breaks a "prisoner of conscience" bracelet bearing the name of released Soviet dissident Anatoly Shcharansky during a victory celebra-

Vigil ends in victory

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. — Before and after photographs may determine today if wreckage spotted on the floor of the Atlantic Ocean is part of the right booster rocket that is a leading suspect in the explosion of space shuttle Challenger.

Tylenol case spurs official to demand ban on capsules

NEW YORK — The top official in the county where cyanide-laced Tylenol killed a woman and a second tainted bottle was found has called for a ban on capsule forms of non-prescription drugs before a "lanitic" strikes again.

President walks tightrope over handling of Marcos

WASHINGTON — President Reagan is standing by Philippine President Ferdinand Marcos, but at a distance intended to signal displeasure with the tainted presidential election and push Marcos toward political compromise.

Democrats urge policy changes

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan should personally call on Philippine President Ferdinand Marcos "in unambiguous terms" to step down from office.

NASA to study photographs of suspected booster parts

By Howard Benedict The Associated Press
WASHINGTON last week, Lawrence Mulloy, NASA's booster project manager, testified that engineers for Morton Thiokol, which makes the booster rockets, had cautioned against a launch on Jan. 28 because of low temperatures that dropped to 24 degrees overnight and were only 38 degrees at liftoff.

The four-man research submarine Johnson Sea-Link 2 reported Sunday it had photographed components believed to be sections of the 149-foot rocket 1,200 feet deep about 45 miles northeast of Cape Canaveral.

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U.S. team back in Laos on MIA mission

By Paul Wedel United Press International
BANGKOK Thailand (UPI) — An American military team arrived in southern Laos today to begin a second U.S. Laos joint excavation of a warplane wreckage searched for by Americans missing in action from the Vietnam War.

Soviet vessel reverses call for assistance

WELLINGTON, New Zealand (AP) — A Soviet cruise liner carrying 729 people sent a distress message after slamming into rocks, but then radioed that it needed no help even as it was sinking in stormy seas.

Rebels use stamp for cause

WASHINGTON — Angolan rebel leader Jose Savimbi has found a way to publicize his cause and appeal to stamp collectors by the same time, with a set of "Freedom" stamps marketed by a Florida millionaire.

Fishermen's strike goes on

NEW BEDFORD, Mass. — A strike by fishermen at the nation's richest fishing port continued for a 53rd day today with little hope for a resolution of the dispute soon.

State Department's actions keep Duvalier out of U.S.

PARIS (UPI) — Former Haitian President Jean-Claude Duvalier was booked on a flight to New York, but U.S. officials said he would not be allowed in the country and the reservation was canceled.

Weight Watchers

Weight Watchers advertisement featuring a woman and text: "INTRODUCING THE 1986 PROGRAM".

Free First Meeting Join For Only \$13

Weight Watchers advertisement: "Weight Watchers introduces a revolutionary idea in weight loss—freedom of choice."

Comet makes Chilean appearance

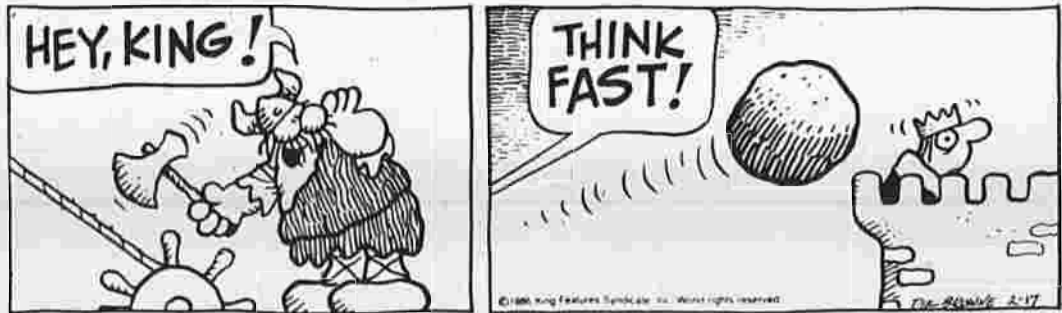
CAMBRIDGE, Mass. (UPI) — Astronomers in Chile, who observed Halley's Comet for the first time since it returned from behind the sun, say it is following its predicted course, the Smithsonian observatory says.

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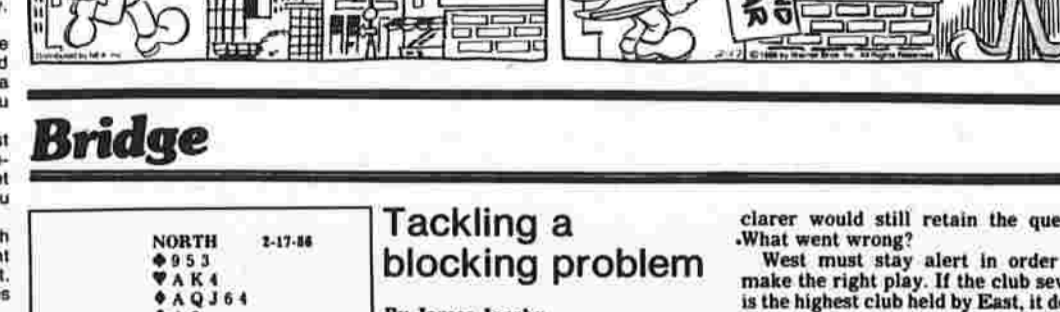
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Children's cancer fight brings 'great victories, great defeats'

By Linda Stowell The Associated Press
FARMINGTON — When Stephanie Muron was 7, she and her mother went shopping for a wig because they wanted to be prepared when Stephanie's hair fell out.
All of a sudden it was told your child has cancer is pretty devastating, and in the beginning, it's very scary," said Cathy Muron. "One neighbor took our newborn, our church friends brought us meals and straightened the house and the social worker sat with us, answered questions and told us things like where to buy a wig.
Last week, Stephanie finished two years of treatment for leukemia at the University of Connecticut Health Center's cancer unit for children. She's in remission now, which means all clinical signs of the disease have disappeared.
"All we can do is wait, hope and pray," Mrs. Muron says.
Cancer in children, says Dr. Arnold J. Altman, is "not as unusual as you'd think."
He said there are about 7,000 new cases annually in the U.S. and about 150 each year in Connecticut. It's the leading cause of death from disease for children older than 1 year, he said. UConn's unit in Farmington is one of two for children in the state — the other is at Yale-New Haven Hospital.
Leukemia, a malignancy of the blood, is one of several cancers children can get. Others include neuroblastoma, a malignancy of nervous tissue, Wilms' tumor, cancer of kidney, or Hodgkin's disease, cancer of lymph glands.
FOR STEPHANIE, leukemia hit suddenly. She never had a cold or sore throat, until Christmas 1983. The family was packed for a holiday visit to Virginia, when just before her seventh birthday, Stephanie came down with a fever.
"IT FELT SO GUILTY," Mrs. Muron said. "I wondered if it was the vitamins we gave her... some people told us it was the stress of the new baby — Stephanie had been nearly 30 years, said Dr. G. Peter Beardsley, associate professor of pediatrics.
"Children are different from adults. They have different kinds of diseases that require different kinds of treatment," Beardsley said. "Children aren't just small adults. Fifty percent of the children with cancer can be cured — in adults that figure is much less."
Allman started the children's cancer program at UConn 12 years ago "to improve the quality of life for kids with cancer."
Today, his team of three doctors, a social worker and two nurses, see 50 outpatients and 25 inpatients. The team first confirms or makes a diagnosis, then has a lengthy conference with the family and begins treatment.
"Remember when my husband and I told her that she was really sick," Mrs. Muron said. "She was so good about it. She just said, 'At least they know what it is.'
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Advertisement for Rite Aid Pharmacies featuring 'BIG BUYS!' and various products like BIC Disposable Shavers, Tums Antacid, Tylenol Extra-Strength, and others with prices.

Puzzles

Puzzles section containing crossword puzzles with clues and answers, and a 'Your Birthday' section for February 18, 1986.

Astrograph

Astrograph section providing horoscopes for various zodiac signs like Aries, Taurus, Gemini, Cancer, Leo, Virgo, Libra, Scorpio, Sagittarius, Capricorn, and Aquarius.

Bridge

Bridge section featuring a 'Tackling a blocking problem' by James Jacoby and a 'One ticket worth \$1.7 million' article about the Hartford lottery.

Connecticut In Brief

STAMFORD — Police responding to a burglar alarm found a 22-year-old Newtown man who had apparently broken into the house seeking help after being stabbed more than 20 times by attackers, authorities said.
HARTFORD (AP) — A review conducted by the Connecticut Executive Council shows the state spent more on educating its public school students than all but four other states.
GROTON — A 26-year-old sailor was killed early today when his car collided head-on with a tractor-trailer on Interstate 84, state police said.

Review shows state fifth in school spending

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Connecticut school districts spent an average of \$4,438 per student in 1984-85, 30 percent more than the national average of \$3,413, according to the National Education Association whose figures are supplied by states' education departments.
Alaska spent the most, \$6,867, and only New York and New Jersey spent more per student than Connecticut among Northeastern states.
Teachers' salaries in Connecticut averaged \$24,468, 14th highest in the nation and \$886 more than the national average, according to the survey. New Jersey ranked higher among Northeastern states.
Teachers' salaries increased 8.1 percent compared to 1983-84 in Connecticut, the 15th largest increase. The national average was 7.5 percent.
Only Rhode Island and Vermont had larger increases in teacher salaries during the past five years, according to the survey.
Connecticut teachers' salaries in 1984-85, however, were 50 percent in the same period. The consumer price index for urban wage earners and clerical workers increased just 4.6 percent.
Connecticut had the second-highest ratio of professional staff to pupils in the nation with 25 staff members for every 1,000 students. The strong ratio is partly attributable to the state's sharp decline in enrollment: only Massachusetts had a bigger drop-off than Connecticut's 15 percent. Vermont had 77 staff members for every 1,000 students.
The state provided 42 percent of total school revenue in its district in 1984-85, 10 percent below the national average and 36th overall. However, support from the state in Connecticut increased 4 percent in two years and of the Northeast states, only Maine's state-support figure is as above 50 percent.
Fairfield has the highest teacher salaries among Connecticut's 165 school districts for 1984-87, paying teachers with Bachelors degrees a minimum of \$22,167 and those with Masters degrees \$36,809. Colebrook, whose salary figure was estimated paid teachers the lowest — \$12,341 for those with Bachelors degrees and \$26,848 for those with Masters degrees.
The ranking of average teacher salaries in the public schools among some of Connecticut's larger school districts is as follows:
• Fairfield, \$22,167 for Bachelors and \$36,809 for Masters;
• Stamford, \$20,436 for Bachelors and \$35,681 for Masters;
• Greenwich, \$19,873 for Bachelors and \$30,186 for Masters;
• New Britain, \$19,575 for Bachelors and \$31,746 for Masters;
• Hartford, \$19,435 for Bachelors and \$35,788 for Masters;
• Vernon, \$18,000 for Bachelors and \$31,000 for Masters;
• Millford, \$17,814 for Bachelors and \$31,581 for Masters;
• Norwich, \$17,600 for Bachelors and \$35,000 for Masters;
• Danbury, \$17,350 for Bachelors and \$35,140 for Masters;
• Norwich, \$17,338 for Bachelors and \$31,292 for Masters;
• Bristol, \$17,272 for Bachelors and \$30,640 for Masters;
• Waterbury, \$17,073 for Bachelors and \$31,794 for Masters;
• Bridgeport, \$16,384 for Bachelors and \$32,139 for Masters;
• Meriden, \$15,583 for Bachelors and \$32,546 for Masters;
• New London, \$15,300 for Bachelors and \$30,000 for Masters;
• Ansonia, \$15,226 for Bachelors and \$28,378 for Masters.

CELEBRITY CIPHER section featuring a grid puzzle and a 'PREVIOUS SOLUTION' for a word puzzle.

Escrow accounts eyed

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Dillon was referring to the estimated hundreds of millions of dollars which Connecticut banks have received since the state's escrow law took effect in 1981.
"Who's using that money and where is it going?" Dillon said.
State legislators last year passed bills increasing the interest rate banks pay on mortgage escrow accounts and allowing lawyers to avoid using the banks for client accounts.
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Republican Chairman Smith worries about primary split

By Alex Grell
Associate Editor

Republican Town Chairman Curtis Smith says he hopes state Republicans can avoid a primary fight as they select a candidate to oppose Gov. William O'Neill this November.

GOP eager to oust O'Neill

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Through the election, Gold said. "Three hundred thousand dollars is a hell of a lot of TV advertising," Gold said. "The principle thing is that the money can be spent so that the candidate can plan," he said. "Four years ago, coming out of the convention, we didn't have very little resources. What he had, his staff was eating up. They were scrambling around."

Silktown Flyer changes hands

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Paliwoda said he will look into expanding the journal into other towns. He also said it is possible that the Flyer will be carrying editorial material in the future. But customers will see little change in the publication at the beginning, he said. "It's a smooth transition — that's all we're looking for here right now," he said.

Beltless cruises costly to four

Four people will have to pay for not buckling up while driving around town, police said today. The four were charged last week under the new law that requires motorists to wear seat belts. Each was fined \$15, plus a \$2 service fee, for violating the state law that went into effect Jan. 4. The law has only been enforced since the first of this month, police said.

Envoy meets Marcos, Aquino

Continued from page 1
"There was nothing healthy or democratic about the violence, intimidation, cheating or bribes by which Mr. Marcos sought to snatch victory," she said. "Any word or statement that seeks to obscure this blunt truth is not helping the Filipino people, and assists in the betrayal of their fight for democracy," she added.

Nun released after attack

STAMFORD (UPI) — A 50-year-old nun has been released from a hospital after being slashed in the face by a resident of an emergency homeless shelter, officials said.

Obituaries

Alton B. Cowles, longtime umpire
Alton B. Cowles, 66, of Windsor Locks, formerly of Manchester, died Saturday at St. Francis Hospital and Medical Center, Hartford.



Alton B. Cowles

Mary Meserian
Mary (Bidigian) Meserian, 85, of Newington, formerly of Hartford, died Sunday at Hartford Hospital, 86 Center St., Hartford.

John J. Trivigno
John J. Trivigno, 74, of 46 Alexander St., husband of Jennie (Mistretta) Trivigno, died Sunday at his home.

Edward C. Lynch
Edward C. Lynch, 84, of 325 Vernon St., died Sunday at an area convalescent home. He was the husband of the late Marrian (Sullivan) Lynch.

Alice Donovan
Alice (Wetherill) Donovan, 73, of East Hartford, died Saturday at Hartford Hospital. She was a native of Manchester.

Gerard J. McDonald
Gerard J. McDonald, 71, of Killingtin, died Sunday at Middletown Memorial Hospital, Middletown. He was the husband of Frances (Harriet) McDonald and the retired owner and operator of Collectors Corner of Manchester.

Ida O'Neill
Ida (DeCarli) O'Neill, 83, widow of Walter G. O'Neill, of Swansea, Mass., formerly of West Hartford, died Friday in Fall River, Mass.

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SPORTS

NBA roundup

Keeper Celtics strike down Lakers

INGLEWOOD, Calif. — The Boston Celtics' bench, which played so poorly in the 1985 championship series loss to the Lakers, is striking back at Los Angeles this season.

During only 16 minutes of a game against the Lakers last month, Bill Walton had 11 points, 10 blocked shots and 8 rebounds to spark the Celtics to a 110-95 victory. The 6-foot-11 redhead was there again Sunday against Los Angeles — with plenty of help.

Jerry Sicking had 11 points, Rick Carlisle had 6 of his 10 points in the final quarter and Walton added 10 points and 7 rebounds to allow the Celtics to sweep their two-game series with the Lakers with a 105-99 triumph.

"They're deeper than they were last year," said Los Angeles center Kareem Abdul-Jabbar. "Walton can come off the bench and play with any center in the league. They now have more guys that can play 48 minutes."

Center Robert Parish limited to just 23 minutes because of foul trouble — he picked up his fifth personal with 7:54 left in the third period — and forward Kevin McHale out with a sore Achilles tendon, the Celtics needed help from the reserves — and they got it.

"Our bench now shows it can do the job," Boston coach K.C. Jones said. "They now can control the ball and run the offense. They can't go out and play like the first unit; they have to stay within themselves."

Center Bill Walton (5) tries to control a rebound as he's hit from behind by Los Angeles' Kurt Rambis (31). The Lakers' James Worthy (right) has a good view of the action. Walton helped the Celtics to their second win of the year over Los Angeles, 105-99.

Whalers continue nosedive

BLOOMINGTON, Minn. — The streak stretched to 10 games Saturday night in losing to the home-dwelling Minnesota Stars, 4-1. The Hartford Whalers are now 0-9-1 in the past three weeks.

The club winless record is 12. Hartford, 26-20-4, in three games under 400 for the first time this season. With 23 games remaining, the Whalers are stuck in last place in the Adams Division, six points behind Buffalo and seven behind the Boston Bruins.

Police consider death homicide

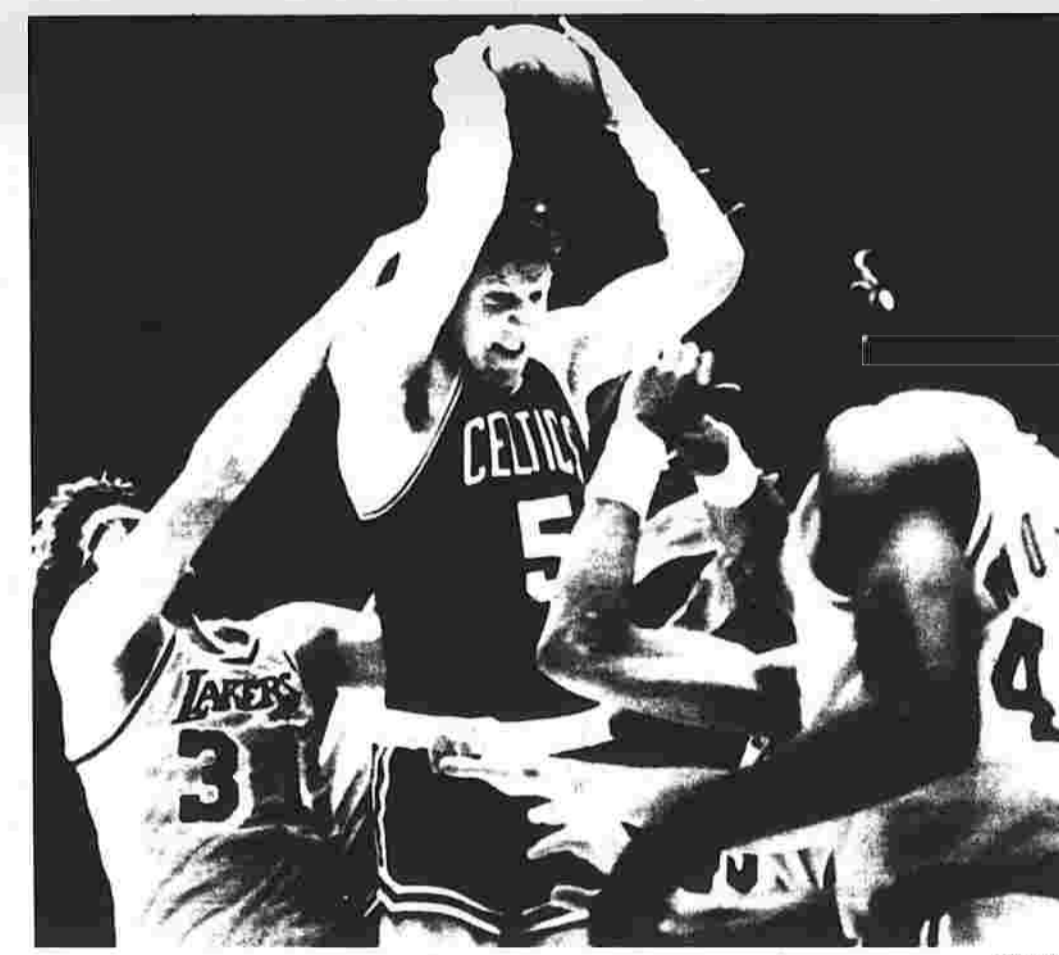
NEW HAVEN (UPI) — No arrests have been made in connection with the shooting death of a New Haven man who was killed Saturday while standing at the entrance of a crowded after-hours night club, police say.

JAMAICA, N.Y. — Senior super guard Earl Kelley has played his last game for the University of Connecticut basketball team after being ruled academically ineligible to compete, the school said Sunday.

Kelley is ineligible to compete, period," said Tim Tolokan, UConn sports information director.

UConn is bound by law to refrain from commenting on any subject relating to a student's academic career, Tolokan said.

Kelley was placed on restrictive academic probation for not completing course work last semester. Kelley, who had received an incomplete in one of his



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we are measured against," said Abdul-Jabbar, who scored 23 points. "I guess for them it's a big win. Psychologically they have to be happy."

Sunday's Celtics-Lakers game, reminiscent of the last two NBA championship series, had three exciting matches in the second quarter before the two teams settled down.

Elsewhere in the NBA, it was Atlanta 110, Portland 101; San Antonio 113, Sacramento 94; and Dallas 120, Chicago 114.

Mavericks 120, Bulls 114
Rolando Blackman scored 13 of his 28 points in the fourth quarter, including seven points in the final 2:53, to lead Dallas over Chicago.

The Bulls trailed 101-88 midway through the fourth quarter, but Charles Oakley scored 11 straight points and George Gervin hit a jumper to cut the deficit to 107-106. But Blackman started his late streak with a basket to start an 8-2 run that clinched the victory.

Oakley had 28 points and 15 rebounds and George Gervin added 24 points for Chicago, which has lost six straight games. The Mavericks have won nine of 11. **Hawks 110, Blazers 101**

Atlanta beat Portland behind solid performance from forwards Cliff Levingston and Kevin Willis in the absence of all-star Dominique Wilkins.

Levingston had 25 points and Willis 21 and both had 11 rebounds against the Trail Blazers, who lost their sixth straight game. A 10-2 streak in the third period gave the Hawks a 62-53 lead, and Portland got no closer than seven the rest of the way.

Kiki Vandeweghe led the Trail Blazers with 21 points. **Spurs 113, Kings 94**

Sacramento trimmed most of a 22-point deficit before succumbing to San Antonio.

The Spurs bench, led by Alfredrick Hughes and Jeff Lump, built a 49-27 lead in the second quarter, and San Antonio had a 17-point bulge at halftime.

The Kings cut the deficit to 90-84 early in the fourth quarter before Steve Johnson, who scored 10 of his 15 points in the final quarter, helped San Antonio's advantage to 101-88 with 4:18 left.

Lamp led the Spurs with 16 points, while Larry Drew paced Sacramento with 18.

Coghlan denied seventh title at Millrose Wanamaker Mile

NEW YORK — Eamonn Coghlan's bid for an unprecedented seventh Wanamaker Mile victory was denied by fellow countryman and Villanova alumnus Marcus O'Sullivan. Coghlan's late surge on the gut lap proved to be too little and too late to catch the flying O'Sullivan at the 7th annual Wanamaker Mile race on Friday night at Madison Square Garden.

O'Sullivan's winning time for the prestigious mile was 3:56.4 while Coghlan turned in a time of 3:56.34. Coghlan, the world indoor record holder in the mile and three-time winner of the Manchester Road Race on Thanksgiving day, has fallen on hard times during possible his last year of competition. He lost for the first time in four years in an indoor mile event at the Sunnik Invitational in Los Angeles

at the outset of the indoor campaign. Since then, Coghlan has suffered defeats at the Meadowlands, Dallas in the two mile and this being his toughest loss indoors. "I really felt good and thought I could have run a 3:57 or 3:58," said the 21-year-old O'Reilly. "We went through the half mile too slow to get a really fast time out of it. I'm very pleased, especially because my time already is good enough to qualify for the nationals outdoors."

Asked about a possible return to Manchester this coming Thanksgiving, O'Reilly replied instantly. "I'll definitely be there because I love the race and especially the people of Manchester."

The Golden Anniversary of the Road Race could very well be the Manchester Road Race, as vic-

torious in the ICA College Mile Friday night. The race was completed by the finest college milers on the East Coast and O'Reilly, another Irishman, won handsomely with a time of 4:01.38. That Madison Square Garden during his illustrious career prior to Friday night. However, he still feels confident concerning his chances of defeating his heir apparent in the indoor mile, O'Sullivan.

Coghlan will be applying for entry into this race was the first time this season I had felt physically able to win. Last week at the Meadowlands, I felt horrible the entire race."



Ireland's Marcus O'Sullivan (7) hits the tape with a time of 3:56.05 to beat fellow countryman Eamonn Coghlan, three-time winner of the Manchester Road Race, who won second in 3:56.34 at the Wanamaker Mile at the Millrose Games last Friday night.

Kelley is ineligible, UConn bombed by St. John's

Colles each netted 14 points to pace the Huskies. Freshman Phil Gamble, thrust into the role as point guard for UConn in place of Kelley, did a credible job with 8 points and 5 assists.

"I didn't feel scared. I just took my time," Gamble said. "I work at the point about 10 minutes every practice. But I never played the point in high school. I think I did a pretty good job for the first time."

Sophomore Terence Warren started at the point for UConn and, after a shaky first half, did a better job in the second 20 minutes. "It was hard," Warren said. "I was going to take some time to get things together. We just have to work hard."

UConn learned after Friday's practice that it would be without Kelley. It had less than 24 hours to get reorganized. "One of our problems was getting our chemistry. We didn't have it. So we struggled," Perno said.

The Huskies showed some determination and poise in cutting a 14-point deficit to 29-24 at halftime. "We hung in there," a drained Perno said. But St. John's, in second place in the Big East at 11-2 and 24-3 overall, took charge in the opening four minutes after the intermission. The Redmen steadily increased their lead until it was 66-24 with 7:24 left.



UConn's Earl Kelley (in white) was declared academically ineligible on Friday, just before the Huskies were scheduled to leave for their game Saturday night with St. John's in Jamaica, N.Y.

Economists predict strong 1986 economy

WASHINGTON (AP) — The U.S. economy, bolstered by falling oil prices, should enjoy significantly better growth this year than in 1985, many economists now believe. The new optimism represents a sharp turnaround from expectations little more than a month ago. At that time, many analysts felt the economy would muddle through the new year much as it did last year, with sluggish growth and a stagnant unemployment level. However, plunging world oil prices have altered that view. In the last month oil prices on the spot market have fallen by one-third dropping from \$25 per barrel to around \$17 per barrel. Such a precipitous decline could spark trouble for countries such as Mexico, which depend on oil revenue to finance their heavy debt burdens, but it is likely to be good news for most Americans. The beneficial impact of falling oil prices will be felt in two ways, economists believe. U.S. output will rise because consumers and businesses will have more to spend on other items since their oil bills will be less, and inflation in this country will be lower. "The economic effect is the same as getting a big tax cut. It is a terrific boon for the economy," said Nariman Behravesh, vice president of Wharton-Economic Advisers, a private forecasting firm. "Money that would have gone to pay an oil bill, much of it to foreigners, will now be used by consumers to buy cars, refrigerators and take vacations." Wharton which in December was forecasting that the economy would grow 3 percent this year, is now predicting growth of 3.7 percent, when measured from the fourth quarter of 1985 to the fourth quarter of 1986.

OPEC collapse helps Massachusetts enjoys oil price war

By Jerry Berger United Press International BOSTON — The average price of home heating oil has dropped to \$1 per gallon, the lowest mid-winter level in six years and state officials say the international oil glut has triggered old-fashioned price wars. A weekly survey of 90 full-service heating oil dealers found the statewide average for a gallon of No. 2 home heating oil at \$1.04 down a nickel in one week and 13 cents since mid-January. A year ago, the statewide average stood at \$1.11 a gallon. It is the first time average home heating oil prices have dropped to the \$1 mark during the night of the winter season since 1980, says Gillian Ganley, a spokeswoman for Energy Secretary Sharon M. Pollar. And Ganley says "there is a price war" in parts of the state where discount dealers are offering it at 64 cents a gallon, cash on delivery. The survey found the lowest average price, 93 cents per gallon, in central Massachusetts with the highest at \$1.05 reported in western Massachusetts. Other area averages include 96 cents in the North Shore, Merrimack Valley area, 97 cents along the South Shore and southeastern Massachusetts, \$1.03 on Cape Cod, and \$1.04 in greater Boston. The lowest reported price among the 90 dealers surveyed was 89 cents per gallon in central Massachusetts, while the highest individual price was \$1.15 per gallon in western Massachusetts. The root of the good news for consumers is an international oil market that has fallen on chaos and hard times. The one-solid Organization for Petroleum Exporting Countries cartel has collapsed into squabbling that has carried over into non-OPEC producers. The result has been soaring supplies and prices that have plummeted by about \$10 a barrel since early December. "The prices are really dropping rapidly, but has carried over describing the OPEC quarrel as a 'steamroller effect' that leaves exporters dumfounded over prices which eventually settle. While prices have hovered around the \$1 mark in mid-winter, Ganley says the current prices are "very unusual for this time of year. Usually we have price peaks in January and February. We're in that period when it's usually the highest." Ganley says the highest prices can be found in western Massachusetts and Cape Cod, where transportation costs are higher — and among dealers who stocked up early in the heating season when prices were at their peak. "There's a lot of oil out there and people are getting rid of it," she says, acknowledging a state warning last fall of potential oil shortages may have contributed to the stocking. Prices are also higher in the greater Boston area, a development she ascribes to "the market just bearing a higher price."

U.S. dollar opens lower

LONDON (UPI) — The dollar slid downward again today opening marginally down against most European currencies and touching a seven-year low against the Japanese yen. Gold was slightly up. In Zurich, the dollar started at 1.9428 Swiss francs against 1.9485, and in Paris it was 7.1950 francs against \$1.00. The dollar dropped to 2.3470 marks against 2.3590.

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Manchester - A City of Village Charm

Progress may kill an eatery

Sinnamon says he was fooled

By John F. Kirch Herald Reporter

Joseph S. Sinnamon opened the Sinnamon Shop Restaurant at the corner of Oak Street and Purnell Place just last year. Now, after four months of vibrant business, he fears he may be forced to move.

The reason: the town plans to construct a road through the downtown area that would require the demolition of the building that houses his restaurant.

The road would run parallel to Main Street behind businesses on the east side of the street and is intended to serve the area once the planned reconstruction of the street from the Center to the Terminus gets under way.

Site plans for the \$4.4 million reconstruction project show the access road running close to the building at Oak Street and Purnell Place where the Sinnamon Shop, Manchester Shoe Repair and Oak Street Package Store rent space from owner George Marlow, a downtown merchant.

"We knew about the access road," Sinnamon said Monday. "I was told the (reconstruction) plan in town hall and we were told by someone in town hall that there was no plan to remove this building."

Sinnamon worked at Cavey's restaurant for seven years until he had enough money to invest in his own business. Now that he may lose it, he feels deceived.

Sinnamon said he saw the reconstruction plans in September and convinced the building was safe, signed the lease with Marlow at the beginning of October. He opened his restaurant Oct. 17.

Marlow has repeatedly said he did not know about the tentative plans to knock down the building until two weeks ago when he was told by Town Manager Robert B. Weiss said Monday that he spoke with Marlow in October about the access road and told him that the access road could require removal of the building.

Marlow, however, has denied that he was told about the possible demolition of the building. He said the only indication he had that the building might be removed came during the summer.

At that time a couple expressed interest in opening a restaurant in the building, Marlow said. The plan to demolish the building was announced last week.

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Crewmen aboard the USS Preserver, a Navy salvage ship, hoist aboard what is believed to be the remains of the solid rocket propellant cases, including the inert upper stage, or IUS. The IUS was carried in the cargo bay of the Challenger, which exploded after liftoff on Jan. 28.

Senate starts hearing

NASA studies evidence

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (UPI) - The growing search for Challenger's broken remains slips into high gear today with the arrival of a nuclear submarine three weeks to a day after the shuttle exploded in a deadly ball of fire.

A smaller, four-man submersible scoured the ocean floor Monday about 40 miles east of the launch pad where NASA believes the remains of the spacecraft's right solid rocket booster are resting in 1,200 feet of water about 40 miles off shore.

A rupture in the right-hand rocket is suspected of triggering the explosion of Challenger's external fuel tank on Jan. 28. 73 seconds after blastoff.

Photographs of the wreckage taken by the crew of the small submersible, called the Johnson Sea Link 2, were flown to rocket engineers at the Marshall Space Flight Center in Huntsville, Ala., for positive identification.

The Navy's NR-1 submarine, a research vessel nicknamed the "inner space shuttle," was scheduled to arrive at the search scene today to assist with deep-water recovery efforts.

The seven-man crew, expected to include a solid rocket engineer, could play a key role in locating and identifying debris from the submerged wreckage of the suspect rocket. The craft is equipped with a robot arm and sophisticated electronic gear, including external television cameras.

In Washington, former Secretary of State William Rogers, chairman of the presidential commission investigating the disaster, NASA shuttle chief Jesse Moore were expected to testify during the course of Senate hearings on the disaster.

On Saturday, Rogers asked acting NASA administrator William Graham to ban any space agency officials who participated in the decision to launch Challenger from working on NASA's shuttle program.

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Johnson & Johnson drops capsules

Tylenol feared in area

By David E. Nathan United Press International

NEW BRUNSWICK, N.J. - The death of a New York woman from cyanide-laced Tylenol has caused Johnson & Johnson to drop its line of over-the-counter capsule drugs and left the future of all such medications in doubt.

Johnson & Johnson took the action Monday, nine days after Diane Elloroth, 25, of Peekskill, N.Y., died from taking two Extra-Strength Tylenol capsules filled with cyanide and more than three years after the unsolved killings of seven people in the Chicago area who took Tylenol capsules containing cyanide.

Food and Drug Administration Commissioner Frank Young said it would be "premature" for other pharmaceutical companies to take similar action but announced plans for a series of meetings to discuss industry-wide changes.

Pharmacists interviewed in spot checks around the nation said they thought consumer confidence in capsules has been jarred by the second Tylenol tampering scare and the easy-to-swallow medicines may have to go.

Chairman James E. Burke said Johnson & Johnson will spend an estimated \$10 million to rework production lines and exchange tablets and capsules for 15 million packages of capsules in stores and in the hands of consumers.

"We feel the company can no longer guarantee the safety of capsules," Burke said. "Since we cannot control tampering with capsules after they leave our plant, we feel we owe it to consumers."

The brands involved in the recall are extra-and regular-strength Tylenol, Sine-Aid, Co-Tylenol, Maximum-Strength Tylenol Sinus Medicine and Dimensyn capsules. Prescription drug brands are not affected by the decision.

Johnson & Johnson suspended the manufacture and sale of Tylenol capsules Feb. 10 after Elloroth's death. A second tainted bottle was found last week in a package - with all three seals apparently intact - taken from a Bronxville, N.Y., store just blocks away from the one where the fatal bottle was purchased.

New York investigators Monday visited the Tylenol plant in Fort Washington, Pa., where the capsules that killed Elloroth were made and the distribution center in Montgomeryville, Pa., from which both bottles were shipped.

Young said the FDA will meet with drug company representatives and consumers in the next few days to decide if industry-wide changes are necessary. Burke said his company will not recommend what course other companies should take.

Many of the pharmacist interviews were conducted in the recall area.

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Boycott sends peso sinking in Philippines

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MANILA, Philippines - Thousands of youths protested today at the U.S. Embassy and the state-run television building against President Ferdinand Marcos's disputed election victory over Corason Aquino.

The demonstrations came as U.S. special envoy Philip Habib held separate meetings with Prime Minister Cesar Virata and Labor Minister Blas Ople on the election during the second day of his fact-finding mission to the Philippines that in the end was weakened by what one financial analyst described as "a confidence slide" after the disputed election, fell to a record low, and seven respected businessmen resigned from a government economic advisory panel.

Habib was sent to the Philippines by President Reagan to assess the political climate following the re-election of Marcos in the Feb. 7 special presidential election, which was marred by charges of widespread government cheating and violence.

"I trust that in the end - after meeting with a broad spectrum of the Filipino leadership across party lines - he will form a more even-handed impression of the problems of the country," Ople said.

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Dodd says democracy paramount

MILFORD (UPI) - Democracy is more important in the Philippines than American military bases, Sen. Christopher J. Dodd, D-Conn., told a rally staged by Filipinos demanding the ouster of President Ferdinand E. Marcos.

"Those bases are important to democracy, but those bases are not more important than democracy," said Dodd, who was among American observers during the recent Philippine election.

Dodd's speech Monday night during a campaign-like gathering of 200 supporters of opposition leader Corason Aquino held at the Milford Holiday Inn. The group met to initiate a nationwide organization of Filipino natives aimed at ending U.S. support and recognition of the Marcos government.

The group called for American support of an economic boycott in the day by Aquino as a non-violent means of driving Marcos from office, rally organizer E. Chouk-Lak Chen said.

Chen, who lives in the Milford area, said she has spoken with organizers in all 50 states to plan a White House rally calling for an end to U.S. support to the Marcos government.

Israeli captured

Hundreds of Israeli troops, backed by helicopters and warplanes, searched today for two Israeli soldiers kidnapped by a Moslem group in southern Lebanon and Moslem guerrillas said they clashed with an Israeli search patrol. Prime Minister Shimon Peres vowed a thorough search. Story on page 5.

Rain continues

Drizzle or rain likely tonight. Low in the 30s. On Wednesday morning, clouds will give way to partly sunny skies and mild temperatures. Details on page 2.

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