

BUSINESS

Business In Brief

Christensen appointed

WINDSOR — Thompson Associates Inc. has appointed Norma Christensen of Manchester to the position of administrative services coordinator, the company announced.

She will be responsible for coordinating the workload for clerical personnel in the administrative services department as well as continuing as billing analyst for the company. Thompson Associates provides commercial printing and graphics services to business and industry.

Christensen and her husband, Albert, have one daughter, Larissa.



Norma Christensen

Pullitzer nixes bid

ST. LOUIS — Three shareholders owning more than 54 percent of the Pulitzer Publishing Co. on Monday rejected an unsolicited \$500 million takeover offer by A. Alfred Taubman, one of the shareholders said.

Pullitzer Publishing is the parent company of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch and other media properties. It is wholly owned by descendants of Joseph Pulitzer, founder of the newspaper.

Joseph Pulitzer Jr. said in a statement that he and his brother, Michael E. Pulitzer, vice chairman of the board, had been joined by David E. Moore, a grandson of the founder, in an agreement under which they rejected the takeover proposal. The three own more than 54 percent of the company.

Taubman, a Michigan real estate developer who also owns Taubman Media Inc. and Sotheby's, a fine-arts auction house, made the proposal on Thursday.

More thrifts get in trouble

WASHINGTON — A federal fund that insures savings and loan deposits is threatened by increasing numbers of financially troubled thrift institutions. The General Accounting Office says.

The watchdog agency of Congress was in a report Monday that the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corp.'s fund could be wiped out if federal regulators were forced to liquidate the 239 financially weakest S&Ls.

The number of technically insolvent S&Ls increased from 455 in March and June 1985, to the report. "Thrift Industry Problems. Potential Demands on the FSLIC Insurance Fund."

Another 83 institutions had net worths that were less than 3 percent of their assets, the report said. Just six years ago, there were only 16 technically insolvent S&Ls, it said.

The GAO projected that FSLIC's \$6 billion fund would have to pay out \$11.8 billion if all 239 troubled thrifts had to be sold off or merged with financially stronger institutions under the least favorable terms to the government.

Dollar drops in Europe

LONDON — The U.S. dollar plunged again today at the opening of European foreign exchanges. The price of gold jumped \$8 per ounce.

The greenback began trading in Frankfurt at 2,256 marks against 2,280 and in Zurich at 1,866 Swiss francs against 1,912.

The dollar opened in London at 1,480 to the pound against 1,462 and in Paris at 6,825 francs against 7,823. The dollar began the day in Brussels at 46.6750 Belgian francs, a four-year low, against 47.39 and in Milan at 1,536 lire against 1,355. The opening in Milan was the lowest rate there for the dollar since July 22, 1983.

Stock prices open mixed

NEW YORK — Stock prices were narrowly mixed in early trading today, as the stock market continued to hover near the highs of its months-long rally.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials was down 2.87 points to 1,695.41 by 10:30 a.m. on Wall Street, and several broader market measures were narrowly mixed.

Eastern Airlines led the list of most active issues on the New York Stock Exchange in the first 30 minutes of trading today, rising $\frac{1}{4}$ to $\frac{5}{8}$ to 1.39 million shares changed hands. Eastern announced Monday it had agreed to be acquired by Texas Air, creating the nation's largest airline operator.

Young man needs investment program

QUESTION: What advice would you give to a young man, age 27, who seems anxious to get a modest investment program started. My son has about \$16,000 in a bank at 5.5 percent interest and a steady job paying about \$30,000 a year. Financially, he has only himself to worry about, for the present.

Should he look for income, growth or both? About how much of the \$16,000 should he invest?

ANSWER: The first thing your son should do is pull his \$16,000 out of that 5.5 percent account — obviously an old-fashioned savings account — and put all that money in a money market deposit account, where it will earn higher interest and be just as safe.

It's a constant amazement to me that people keep large sums in low-interest savings accounts. Banks love people who do that. In effect, your son has been making a gift to his bank of the higher interest he could have been earning.

If he doesn't have an individual retirement account, he should open one — immediately. He has until April 15 to make a \$2,000 IRA contribution for 1985. And he should tuck another \$2,000 into the IRA for 1986.

He'll have to decide whether to look for high income or high growth. He can't expect to get the best of both from the same investment. For a young person, my recommendation would be to invest for growth in common stocks or mutual funds holding common stocks.

He should be aware that investments aiming for growth carry risk. If he doesn't want to take on risk, he should put most of his money in bank certificates of deposit or U.S. Treasury securities.

How much to invest is another decision only he can make. I'd suggest keeping about \$3,000 in a money



Investors' Guide

William A. Doyle

market deposit account, for emergency purposes, and investing the rest.

QUESTION: My bank is offering "capital notes" in \$2,500 minimum denominations. The notes pay 12.25 percent interest and mature in seven, eight, nine and ten years. I have \$20,000 from a recently matured certificate of deposit and the 12.25 percent is higher than I can get on new CDs.

I asked the bank teller if these notes are federally insured. He said they aren't but that they are backed by the bank. When I asked what would happen if the bank is taken over by another bank, he said the notes would be paid off before the takeover.

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My advice is to read the offering circular for those

notes very carefully. The teller's statement about the notes being paid off in the event of that bank being merged into another bank might not be true, unless there's a definite provision for that in the note offering.

All this is not intended to scare you. Banks frequently raise money by selling notes and other debt securities and, almost always, meet the interest payments and maturity obligations.

It boils down to the fact that the notes are as safe as the bank. Because the notes do not have federal insurance, the bank naturally has to pay higher interest on them than on insured CDs.

QUESTION: I go to Canada from time to time and use Canadian money. When I exchange U.S. dollars for Canadian dollars, I never get the amount listed in newspaper foreign exchange tables. On my last trip, I received \$1.31 Canadian per U.S. dollar. On that very day, the exchange rate in the paper was \$1.40 Canadian per U.S. dollar.

Where can U.S. investors get the full exchange rate?

ANSWER: Unless you deal in very large numbers, you can't. The foreign exchange rates in newspapers are for transactions of \$1 million and up. Those are the rates at which banks, brokerage houses and other institutional investors trade currencies.

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Doyle welcomes written questions, but he can provide answers only through the column.

Skies may not stay friendly over Pacific

By David R. Schwelberser
United Press International

TOKYO — Just two weeks old, United Airlines' aggressive incursion into the Orient is expanding the friendly skies with the threat of war over the Pacific for the air travel dollar.

United, already the world's largest private carrier, went from a scrappy but minor competitor in the Asian market to a major power on Feb. 11 when it took over the Pacific routes of Pan American World Airways.

Pan Am sold its routes and 18 jetliners to United for a badly needed \$750 million, making United the No. 2 domestic carrier in the Pacific and setting up a dogfight with the longtime U.S. leader, Northwest Airlines.

United Chairman Richard J. Ferris, on a kickoff swing last week through Tokyo, made it plain that the Chicago-based carrier will bring all its considerable muscle to bear on the market — and said he hopes to double Pacific traffic within five years.

He said it was "no secret" United will capitalize on its greatest advantage — a network of 164 domestic destinations linked to Asian "gateway" cities — and was already considering expanding Pacific service further.

"We've made an investment," he said. "Now we wish to nurture it."

But the path may be bumpy. United faces tough competition from Northwest and has flown smack into a dispute between Japan and the United States over revision of their three decade-old civil aviation accord.

The state of those negotiations is crucial because all major carriers use Tokyo as an operating hub — and Japan, unlike the United States, still tightly regulates civil aviation, including the number of airlines that can fly to the United States, which has long complained of inequity in the annual \$2 billion trans-Pacific market, actually withholding right approvals for United's Pan Am takeover for more than a month to show its unhappiness. It could hinder any further expansion.

In a fresh round of talks next month, Washington also is expected to renew a proposal that Japan allow airlines some price flexibility. Coupled with United's ambitious plans, it has ignited fears of a fare war.

Ferris said United would make full use of "add-on" packages to U.S. cities, its corporate links with the Westin Hotel and Hertz rental car chains and its computerized ticketing service.

"We will not be undersold," he warned.

Northwest, meanwhile, is publicly staying aloof.

"We're watching what United is doing," said Northwest spokesman William Gliza. "But we've been out here for 39 years, and in all that time there's always been formidable competition."

But the retreat of Pan Am has effectively replaced the flying wounded with a vigorous competitor that has a ravenous appetite for new business — and Northwest is not taking it lightly.

Digital Networks Span The Globe



UPI photo

World connection

Digital Equipment Corp. President Ken Olsen Monday plugs Decworld '86, the company's demonstration hookup in Boston, into the world's largest non-defensive data network. The network, represented by clocks behind Olsen,

Emhart to sell Farrel units

By John Hall
United Press International

FARMINGTON Conn. (UPI) — Emhart Corp. has announced signing contracts with two separate groups to sell its Farrel products to the United States, Brazil and England for an undisclosed price.

A new company formed by Interamerican Investment Group, First Funding Corp. and private investors will purchase the majority of Farrel assets including the polymer processing machinery and general machinery businesses, Emhart said Monday.

Those units have operations in Connecticut, Texas, England and Brazil.

The Connecticut-based Farrel products division will be purchased by the U.S. subsidiary of SIW, a West German manufac-

turer of iron and steel processing equipment, Emhart said.

The Connecticut Department of Economic Development granted approval last week for SIW to use \$3.5 million in low-cost self-sustaining industrial revenue bonds to finance the acquisition of Farrel products in Ansonia.

The German firm will purchase six buildings on 5 acres of land that house foundry operations and state officials said about 130 jobs would be retained or created.

All parties involved in the Emhart sales have agreed to finalize the transactions after agreements have been reached with various unions involved, Emhart said.

Emhart did not expect the separate sales to have any effect

on the company's reported earnings.

Farmington-based Emhart is a diversified producer of industrial and consumer products with 1984 revenues of \$1.1 billion, of which 99 percent came from U.S. operations and 41 percent from foreign operations.

Emhart also announced it would sell its gear shaping machinery unit, Fellows of Springfield, Vt. Emhart said there have been unsolicited inquiries about the purchase of Fellows.

The sale of Fellows is part of Emhart's continuing efforts to realign assets and resources around the world and reduce exposure to changing market trends.

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Marcos exits Guam, heads for Hawaii

By Richard Williams
United Press International

AGANA, Guam — Ferdinand Marcos, in improved health a day after giving up two decades of iron-fisted rule over the Philippines, flew out of Guam today along with 88 relatives and supporters, headed for Hawaii, and eventual refuge in the United States.

Marcos, who was carried on a stretcher for his flight from the Philippines Tuesday, "looked very well rested and in good spirit, as was Mrs. Marcos," said acting Gov. Edward D. Reyes of Guam, who saw the ex-president's party off at 11:34 p.m. (8:54 a.m. EST).

A total of 89 passengers were on board the U.S. Air Force C-141 Starliner for an eight-hour flight to Hickam Air Force Base outside Honolulu, including Marcos's wife, Imelda, his former military chief of staff, Gen. Fabian Ver, and his wife.

Officials said they did not know how long the Marcos party would remain at Hickam or where they planned to go from there but deputy White House press secretary Larry Speakes said in Washington there have been discussions on the possibility of the Marcoses staying in Hawaii.

Speakes said Marcos had his personal physician with him and "seems to be regaining his strength." President Reagan was expected to send messages to both Marcos and Aquino later today, Speakes said.

An extra detachment of Marines augmented normal security at Andersen Air Base for Marcos's departure because of telephoned threats against the former president and his family, according to base spokesman Capt. Steve Hendley.

Reporters were barred from the base, as was Philippine Consul Gen. Carlos Marinero.

Marcos, 68, bowing to a military rebellion, surrendered his presidency to Corazon Aquino Tuesday, just hours after he took the oath of office for a new six-year term.

Promised refuge in the United States, Marcos took off in an American C-9 Nightingale medical evacuation plane from the U.S. Clark Air Base today and flew to Guam.

His wife, Imelda, loyal armed forces chief Gen. Fabian Ver, their families and aides departed in two separate aircraft, also bound for Guam.

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States, Marcos abandoned the Malacanang Palace a few hours after his inauguration, flying by U.S. Air Force helicopter to Clark Air Base.

He was carried on a stretcher onto a U.S. Air Force C-9 Nightingale medical evacuation plane at dawn today and flew to Guam. Marcos' plane bore Red Cross markings to avoid being shot down or forced to land.

Arriving in Guam during a torrential rainstorm, Marcos walked down the airplane staircase without assistance. But Reyes said he appeared "frail."

A half-dozen anti-Marcos protesters stood in the rain outside the air base, which was sealed off to reporters.

Reyes said Marcos had a doctor with him on the plane but that he was not taken to the U.S. Naval Regional Medical Center as originally expected. Instead, Marcos and members of his immediate family were taken to a guest house on the base.

Other members of the Marcos group in his military-era wife's police motorcycle escort, went to the Hilton Hotel in Agana.

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A nun looks apprehensive this morning as she peers at a bomb discover on the grounds of the Philippine presidential palace in Manila during a cleanup operation by soldiers loyal to President Corazon Aquino. Ferdinand Marcos resigned the presidency Tuesday and was flown to Guam on a U.S. Air Force plane.

New president rules out extradition

By John Hall
United Press International

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Town attorney says Love Lane residency term is void

By Alex Girelli
Associate Editor

The town will not be able to restrict potential buyers of houses being built on Love Lane under municipal sponsorship to people who have lived in Manchester continuously since Jan. 1, 1983, town Attorney Kevin O'Brien has ruled.

O'Brien said he researched the question and concluded that while the town could insist that buyers be residents of Manchester, it might run into trouble enforcing a

requirement for residency over a period of time.

He said in a memorandum to Pellegri that while it is impossible to say the requirement is illegal or improper, "it is my opinion that it would be difficult to show 'compelling' reasons for the requirement."

O'Brien said the U.S. Supreme Court has not held such residency requirements illegal, but has indicated that a municipality must show compelling reasons for them.

O'Brien said the Supreme Court has indicated that "mere residency requirements will be subject to minimal scrutiny to ensure that there is a rational reason for such requirements."

He said that it is in the interest of the entire town that town-owned property should be used to benefit its residents.

For that reason, O'Brien said, he feels the residency requirement can be enforced.

The houses are being built on land the town owned before it was

sold to Visions Unlimited of Tolland under terms of the construction agreement.

The intent of the Board of Directors was to restrict sale of the "starter" houses to Manchester residents who would not otherwise be able to buy houses in the current marketplace. Majority Democrats pushed the plan through last year over Republican opposition.

Lotteries will be held March 13 on each of the first seven of the houses to be sold. Applications for

participation in the lottery must be submitted to Visions Unlimited five days before the lottery is held.

O'Brien's ruling will broaden the base of possible participants.

Anyone who wins the right to buy one of the houses is disqualified from all subsequent lotteries.

Prices for the houses, which will be of three different types, range from \$61,900 to \$67,000. The lots will cost an added \$11,000, but the buyers do not have to pay for them for 20 years.

Many factors cloud market analysis

By John Cuniff
The Associated Press

NEW YORK — With stock prices floating on an updraft of optimism, the thought crosses every investor's mind: When are prices too high?

That's the question that catches the fancy of everyone, and it always will, because nobody yet has come up with an answer.

Nevertheless, there are some standards that might be considered to have some objectivity. There is, for example, the level of prices in relation to earnings, often expressed as the price-earnings ratio.

Based on the 30 stocks that make up the Dow Jones industrial average, the price-earnings ratio now is close to 18, meaning those stocks are selling for that many times their per-share earnings.

When the Dow Jones ratio exceeds 15 many analysts consider it high so that puts the current level into that category, especially when compared to the PE of about 12 that existed just one year ago.

Some analysts believe guidance can be obtained from what has occurred on stocks markets in other countries, and by that measurement the U.S. market has a long way to go.

John Desauer, publisher of *Considerer's Journal of Finance*, measured the performance of seven stock markets from January 1, 1982 to December 31, 1985. France's market led the list. The United States was fifth.

These are his measurements of increases during that period: France, 310 percent; Germany, 192 percent; Netherlands, 161; England, 121; United States and Japan,

68 percent each; and Hong Kong, 25 percent.

To what degree such performance can be used as a criterion is debatable. Hong Kong, for example, has experienced its own internal uncertainties regarding its political status. And in France, stock prices reflected investor depression over the election of a Socialist government in 1981.

Future earnings are considered a guideline, although that guideline depends on estimates. Market prices are, after all, a reflection of earnings expectations rather than earnings achievements.

Wright Investors Service estimates that earnings of the Standard & Poor's 500-stock index will rise 12 percent to \$16.75 a share for all of 1986, a figure that usually would mean higher stock prices to come.

He added: "Uncertainty actually is the friend of the buyer of long-term values."

the 12 percent increase "will only make up for the ground lost in 1985," and that return on shareholders' equity for the year will remain below normal.

In such a subdued earnings environment, it comments, the stock market's upward price momentum seems like an act of hope.

Regardless of the Wright estimate, the market has found its way to advance, and that advance itself is believed to be the cause of some of the rosiest forecasts.

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Another Tylenol death

Medical examiners in Nashville, Tenn., found traces of cyanide in the body of a man who had been dead for days before being discovered and also in a Tylenol capsule lying near the body. His death could be linked to others. Story on page 8.

Clouds and cold

Cold tonight with clouds arriving overnight and a low from zero to the teens. Cloudy Thursday with a high from the mid 20s to the low 30s. Details on page 2.

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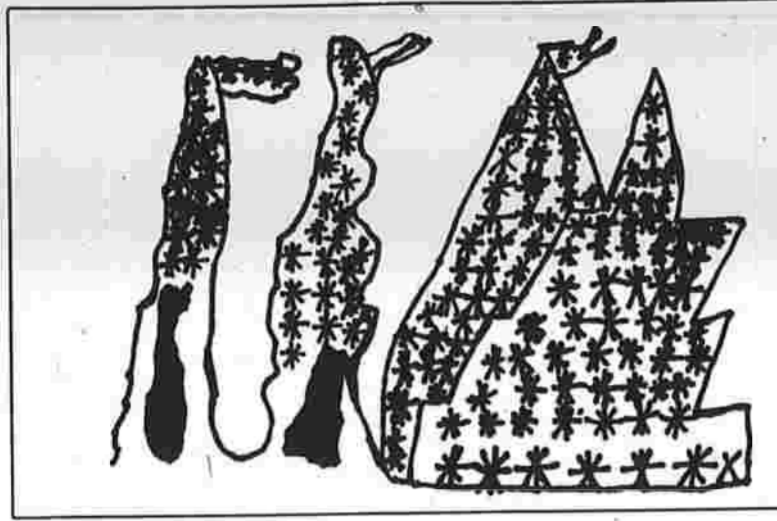
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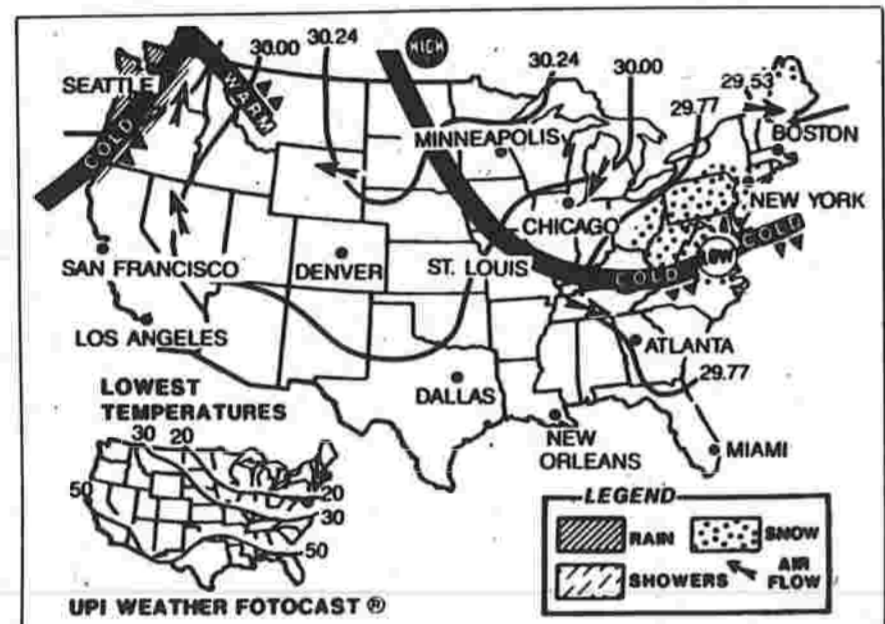
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WEATHER



Frigid air

Today: Windy, cold and sunny with a high temperature of 25 to 30. Winds northwest 15 to 25 mph, diminishing this afternoon. Tonight: Cold with increasing cloudiness overnight and a low near 15. Thursday: Mostly cloudy with a 40 percent chance of snow late in the day and a high around 30. Drawing by Christine Swift, 9, of 90 Birch Mountain Road, a fourth-grader at Martin School.



National forecast

During early Thursday, snow is forecast for the Mid Atlantic Coast States as well as the Ohio Valley and the Lower Great Lakes region. Rain is forecast for parts of the Pacific Northwest, and is also possible in the Plains States and the Mississippi Valley. Elsewhere the weather will be fair.

Today's forecast

Connecticut, Massachusetts and Rhode Island: A few flurries over the Cape Cod area, otherwise sunny windy and cold today. High temperature 20 to 30. Cold tonight. Clear early becoming cloudy overnight. Low from zero to the teens. Cloudy Thursday. A chance of light snow developing mainly over the south coast. High from the mid 20s to the low 30s.
Maine: Winds with light snow in the north today with an inch or two accumulation possible. Flurries in the mountains and sunny south. Highs in the teens and lower 20s. Flurries likely in the north tonight otherwise clear with diminishing winds. Lows zero to 10 below in the mountains with single numbers elsewhere. Thursday chance of flurries extreme north otherwise sunny. Highs in the teens and upper 20s.
New Hampshire: Windy with flurries in the north and sunny south today. Highs in the teens and 20s. Clear with diminishing winds tonight. Lows zero to 10 below north and single numbers south. Thursday sunny. Highs in the teens and upper 20s.
Vermont: Brisk winds and cold with partly sunny skies. Flurries mainly northeast kingdom. Highs 15 to 20. Cloudy periods and cold tonight and Thursday with flurries likely. Lows tonight near zero. Highs Thursday 20 to 25.

Extended outlook

Extended outlook for New England Friday through Sunday.
Connecticut, Massachusetts and Rhode Island: A chance of snow early Friday, then mostly clear. Cold but warming a little on Sunday. High temperature in the 20s and low 20s. Low temperature zero to the teens Friday and Saturday, teens and low 20s Sunday.
Maine: Flurries Friday, fair Saturday and Sunday. Highs in the upper teens and 20s. Lows below 5 above except quite so cold Sunday.
New Hampshire: Chance of snow Friday. Clearing Saturday. Fair Sunday. Lows zero to 10 above. Highs in the teens north and 20s south.
Vermont: Chance of snow Friday. Fair Saturday and Sunday. Lows zero to 10 above. Highs in the 20s.

Across the nation

Snow will extend over northern Maine and from the lower Great Lakes across the Ohio Valley, Virginia, Maryland and Delaware. Rain will reach over the northern Pacific Coast. Winds will be strong and gusty over Wyoming and western South Dakota. High temperatures will be in the teens and 20s from the northern Atlantic Coast across the Great Lakes and the northern Appalachians. Highs will reach the 40s over North Dakota and the 50s from Montana across the coast of Washington. High temperatures will be in the 30s along the central Atlantic Coast, in the 60s over Florida and in the 80s across much of Texas. Temperatures will reach the 70s along the northern coast of California with the 70s and 80s from Southern California to near 90s degrees over the desert southwest.

PEOPLE

Kiss on the critics

The heavy metal lobby took to the stage in Corpus Christi, Texas, where a city councilman is trying to cut in on rock 'n' roll. "People are saying rock is a terrible influence," Gene Simmons of Kiss said at a pre-concert news conference where he appeared with bandmate Paul Stanley. "That's fine. I may not necessarily like the influence of football. You just can't take an issue to an extreme." Asked whether Kiss members are devil worshippers, Simmons said, "I believe in this country that you can pray to that garbage and that is fine as long as it doesn't infringe on my rights. It's not anybody's business what my religion is." Councilman Leo Guerrero was among the 5,200 people at the Kiss-A-S-P. show Monday night and said the noise level was measured at about 110 decibels. Guerrero is pushing for an ordinance that will impose a minimum age of 14 at concerts. "I'm not the noise level and a crackdown on drugs," "You can smell the pot," he said.

Royal rock

Prince Rainier of Monaco didn't approve of his daughter Princess Stephanie going into modeling so maybe he will like her new career - rock singer. The headstrong princess just released her first record, "Irresistible," about falling in love with the wrong guy. She sings in French on one side and English on the other. It is the first foray into the rock world for Stephanie, who last year showed a collection of bathing suits she designed herself.

Glimpses

Amy Carter, daughter of former President Jimmy Carter, is still busy protesting South Africa's apartheid policy. She was among the 100 students in a Monday sit-in at Brown University, where she is a freshman. She also has picketed outside the South African Embassy in Washington. Los Angeles Lakers star Kareem Abdul-Jabbar recently signed a five-year contract with MCA Records for distribution and marketing of his new Cranberry jazz label, Abdul-Jabbar, a serious jazz buff, will produce at least two albums of new talent a year and oversee re-release of albums from MCA's jazz and blues catalogues. "The prospect of being paid to travel around the world and listen to music is just as exciting as it has been being paid to play basketball," he said. Mary Lou Warren of Colorado Springs, Colo., a mother of three and an ex-teacher, won the \$40,000 prize in the Pillsbury-General Electric bake-off. Her dish was an apple-nut lattice tart.



JOHN SEBASTIAN ... welcome back, vets

Vets get welcome

The "Welcome Home" concert for Vietnam veterans in Inglewood, Calif., also was something of a reunion for 60s bands. Neil Young, Graham Nash, Country Joe McDonald, John Sebastian, Richie Havens, Sha Na Na, former members of The Doors, The Byrds and Buffalo Springfield all played songs from that era, even their anti-war numbers. Jon Voigt, who won an Oscar for his portrayal of a disabled veteran in "Coming Home," opened the show by telling the vets, "Love to you, my fellow man. Your patriotism and suffering must not be forgotten... for this night will be a night of healing." Stevie Wonder was a surprise guest and he altered the words of one of his hits for the sake of the veterans. "I just came because I love you," he sang. "I am here to show how much I care." Actor Ed Asner and comedian Fred Travalina drew a big hand when they called on President Reagan to take action to bring back any veterans who might still remain in Southeast Asia. "Let it not be thought that we have forgotten the more than 2,300 that have not yet returned," Asner said.

Bid from Dixie

Singer Willie Nelson is considering a request from the Mississippi's agriculture

commissioner that the next FarnAid concert be held in the heart of Dixie, an organizer said. Nelson, whose concert last summer in Champaign, Ill., netted \$1 million for the nation's financially ailing farmers, also has been invited by officials in Austin, Texas; Dallas and Washington, D.C., said Steve Hauser of the Houston-based Pace Management Inc., which promotes Nelson's concerts. Commissioner Jim Buck Ross offered the Mississippi Memorial Stadium, which can hold 62,512 people, as a site for the July 4 benefit concert. "Mississippi is the heart of the South, which was built on farming and has thousands of farmers that need help," Ross said in his Feb. 18 telegram. Hauser said, however, that organizers were looking for a stadium that will hold up to 80,000 people.

Chameleon actress

Kelly McGillis, the regaling Amish woman in "Witness," has the kind of looks that seem to change from scene to scene. "I hope that I never have a set image because I'm different every single day," she says. "Not that it's schizophrenia but your personality has a wide variety of aspects to it. Maybe that's why I dye my hair every time I do something." McGillis will soon be seen as a scientist in "Top Gun," playing the love interest of fighter pilot Tom Cruise. There were reports that the love interest was extending off the screen. "There was some column that said that," McGillis says in Gentleman's Quarterly. "Somebody called me from New York to tell me that. I said, 'Really?' That's good. I'll go quick and tell him."

Ed Koch on

Mayor Ed Koch, author of two books including the best seller "Mayor," has been denied membership in the American branch of PEN, the international organization of writers. "If you're a great baseball player you don't expect to make the Hall of Fame the first time around," Koch said Tuesday upon learning of the decision. Koch was turned down but not notified by the organization less than a week before he gave a party for the foreign delegates to the 48th International Association of Poets playwrights, Editors, Essayists and Novelists congress last month. The New York Times reported today. Author Gay Talese, a PEN vice president who had proposed Koch for membership, said he would resubmit Koch's name at the group's membership meeting tonight.



Today in history

In 1935, Germany began operation of its air force, the Luftwaffe, under Field Marshal Hermann Goering. Goering is shown at right with Adolf Hitler during an airport inspection that year.

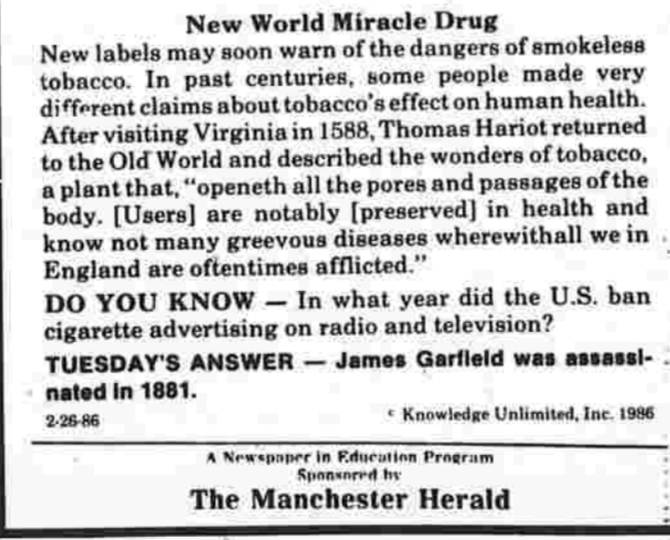
Almanac

Today is Wednesday, Feb. 26, the 57th day of 1986. There are 308 days left in the year. Among those celebrating birthdays today include actor Robert Alda (age 72), comedian Jackie Gleason (age 70), actor Tony Randall (age 60), actress Betty Hutton (age 65), singer Fats Domino (age 58) and singer Johnny Cash (age 54). On this day in history: In 1862, Victor Hugo, one of the great figures of French literature, was born. In 1815, Napoleon Bonaparte escaped from the Island of Elba to begin his second conquest of France. In 1846, "Buffalo Bill" Cody was born near Davenport, Iowa. In 1848, the Second French Republic was proclaimed. In 1952, Prime Minister Winston Churchill announced that Britain had developed its own atomic bomb. A thought for the day: Victor Hugo said: "There is one thing stronger than all the armies in the world, and that is an idea whose time has come."

Lottery

Connecticut daily Tuesday: 025 Play Four: 8301
Other numbers drawn Tuesday in New England:
Tri-state daily: 246, 9778 Rhode Island daily: 1855 "Lot-O-Bucks": 6-16-18-21-28 Massachusetts daily: 5539
Tuesday's Jingo numbers: 50-61-35-73-85-12-97-28-70-48

FOCUS



New World Miracle Drug

New labels may soon warn of the dangers of smokeless tobacco. In past centuries, some people made very different claims about tobacco's effect on human health. After visiting Virginia in 1588, Thomas Hariot returned to the Old World and described the wonders of tobacco, a plant that, "openeth all the pores and passages of the body. [Users] are notably [preserved] in health and know not many greivous diseases wherewithall we in England are oftentimes afflicted." DO YOU KNOW - In what year did the U.S. ban cigarette advertising on radio and television? TUESDAY'S ANSWER - James Garfield was assassinated in 1881.

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Students take trip into past

By Susan Vaughn Herald Reporter

Harriet Tubman, Elizabeth Blackwell and Sister Rosa Parks came alive at Bennett Junior High School Tuesday morning in a one-woman program celebrating the significant contributions of women throughout American history. Frances Sharp, an actress and a teacher at Weaver High School in Hartford, entranced more than 200 students packed into the Bennett library with dramatic portrayals of several famous and some not-so-famous black and white women through monologues, poetry and song. The program was held in recognition of American History Month and Black History Month, which are marked in February, and Women's History Month, which is recognized in March. Sharp took on the voice of Harriet Tubman to describe her transition from slave to the "greatest conductor of the underground railroad" who led 300 slaves from the South in the 19th century. "She whupped me and whupped me 'til I bled. That's when I decided I would someday be free," Sharp said in the voice of Tubman, describing her punishment for putting her finger in a sugar bowl. "I did my part to free my people from bondage. Now it's your turn to finish the job," Sharp said, concluding her Tubman presentation. Donning a bonnet and a taking on the character of 19th-century black preacher, lecturer and abolitionist Sojourner Truth, Sharp told of her stands on women's rights. "THESE WOMEN together ought to turn the world right side up again. They are asking to do it and the men ought to let them do it," she said. The statement drew approving comments from the girls in the audience. Through a narrative poem, Sharp went on to relate how Elizabeth Blackwell, the first female physician in the United States, was rejected repeatedly by schools, men and other women for her attempts to gain entrance to a medical school, then later lauded for her accomplishments. Sharp then made a powerful transition from the grief to anger of a black woman who finds she cannot accept a medal for her son who had died in a war. "I can't get through with this big lie. You Jim Crowed him. You shoved him off into a corner and gave him third-rate schooling because he was poor and black. He joined the army because he couldn't get a decent job here." Sharp's most moving portrayal came when she put on a white beret and became one of the first black students to enter a segregated high school in Little Rock, Ark., under a 1957 Supreme Court order. In the words of the girl, Sharp showed how her excitement turned to fear as she got off the bus and faced the National Guard and a jeering mob at the doors of Central High. She ended crying and rocking in the safe arms of her mother, singing softly, "We Shall Overcome." Through another poem, Sharp related the Montgomery, Ala., bus boycott led by Sister Rosa Parks. SHARP CONCLUDED her 45-minute presentation with a "happy poem" of her own celebrating the contributions of many well-known women. "Our struggle is not over. Women gave their lives struggling for equality. There are countless women whose everyday struggle for survival have died unsung. If we don't sing their song, who will?" Sharp is a member of the Performing Ensemble and the Artist Collective of Hartford and has appeared in numerous plays and public television productions.



Frances Sharp, above, gets varying reactions from Bennett Junior High School students while she portrays Elizabeth Blackwell, the first female physician in modern times. Left, Sharp dons a 19th-century-style bonnet as Sojourner Truth, a freed slave who became a preacher, lecturer and abolitionist. Sharp portrayed several black and white women to show significant contributions they have made. February is recognized as Black History Month, and American History Month, while March marks Women's History Month.

STEAL wants to enlist PR firm to fight rhetorical battles

By George Lovvo Herald Reporter

The Eighty Utilities District group known as STEAL will suggest to the district's Board of Directors that it hire a public relations firm and a special legal counsel to combat attempts to promote consolidation. The attorney would work with district counsel John LaBelle Jr., he said. The two proposals are the first made by STEAL, which was officially reactivated Monday after having been dormant since fighting the last consolidation drive in the late 1970s. The group also plans to hold a rally and informational session Wednesday at the Whiton Memorial Library to counter claims made by consolidation supporters, he said. Bleitchman said a second attorney should also be hired by the district to review and advise the directors about attempts to promote consolidation. The attorney would work with district counsel John LaBelle Jr., he said. 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Filipinos rejoice in streets as Marcos era ends

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to be treated as a human being." Marcos's flight climaxed a four-day rebellion sparked by a fraud-and-violence scarred presidential election in which Marcos was proclaimed the winner despite an independent count that showed Aquino got more votes.

"The long agony is over," President Aquino, 53, told the nation early today on state-run television. "We are finally free and we can be truly proud of the unprecedented way we saved our freedom, with courage and with determination and, most important, in peace."

At least 16 people were killed during the military-led revolt — a comparatively modest toll considering the level of violence in the election campaign, during which some 150 people were killed — 90 on election day.

Filipinos stormed the gates of the presidential Malacanang Pa-

lace on learning that Marcos was gone and began looting the ornate Spanish-style mansion. They ripped up pictures of Marcos and his wife, Imelda.

Gen. Fidel Ramos, a rebellion leader named by Aquino as the new head of the military, said troops who entered the palace shortly after Marcos left found mines and other booby traps but safely disarmed them.

Ramos told a news conference influential people associated with the Marcos government were trying to spirit money out of the country.

A Philippine News Agency report said police today intercepted a truck containing 13 boxes with freshly printed Philippine peso notes worth \$5 million. They arrested the driver, Arturo Taborda, 32, an employee of Commodore Alfredo Romualdez, brother of Imelda Marcos.

AQUINO Huddled with Vice President Salvador Laurel and other top advisors today to map the direction of her new administration.

Foreign governments, including the United States and the 12 members of the European Community, quickly extended diplomatic recognition to the Aquino government.

The Securities and Exchange Commission said the Philippine stock market zoomed upward today on the first day of trading after Aquino's inauguration. The Commission said trading was halted in several major issues after the stocks shot up by 40 percent, the maximum one-day increase allowed.

Former Senator Ernesto Maceda, a longtime Philippine politician and close associate of Laurel, said many in Aquino's inner circle were taken by surprise by the rapid collapse of the 20-year-old Marcos regime.

"It's really amazing," Maceda

said. "They were so very much in control, so repressive, we thought they had loyalty of the bulk of the military." He said Marcos on Friday comes Easter Sunday. Maceda said he played a role in the negotiations that led to Marcos's departure. He said Marcos on Friday comes Easter Sunday. Maceda said he played a role in the negotiations that led to Marcos's departure. He said Marcos on Friday comes Easter Sunday.

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President Corazon Aquino and Vice President Salvador Laurel share a moment at a press conference today.

Rival's death hastened exit of Marcos and end of era

By Charles J. Honevli
The Associated Press

Thirty long months after it was fired, the bullet that killed one man in the Philippines has now undone another.

For Ferdinand E. Marcos, the last decades of his tumultuous two decades in power may have begun on Aug. 21, 1983, on the tarmac of Manila International Airport, when his political rival Benigno S. Aquino Jr. was felled by a single shot to the head.

That assassination, widely blamed on Marcos, unleashed an explosion of popular outrage against the Philippine president, an explosion that shook the economy as well, deepening a financial crisis that was crippling the nation.

For an experienced Asian leader who had dealt with five U.S. presidents, a skilled politician who always managed to outmaneuver his foes, an autocrat who once claimed divine guidance in suspending democracy, the flood of opposition touched off by the Aquino assassination finally proved unstoppable, and he was forced to resign today as president of his nation of 52 million people, giving way to the widow of the dead, and now vindicated, Aquino.

In the end, the loyal ally once praised by Vice President George Bush for his "adherence to democratic principles" was accused by the White House of widespread fraud in presidential elections Feb. 7. The ally had become an embarrassment.

FOR THE PHILIPPINES, the Marcos era was a time of modernization. His government built schools, roads and electrical systems. But at the same time it threw away untold millions of dollars on grandiose schemes and siphoned off millions more through official corruption.

In the Marcos era, one insurgency subsided, but another more potent rose up. And under Marcos Filipinos voted in almost a dozen elections and referendums — only to see their democratic institutions erode.

By the time he left, after 20 years of the Marcos "New Society," the gap between rich and poor in the Philippines had widened, the cash-starved economy had fallen far behind neighboring countries, and the stage had been set for a long struggle with Communist insurgents.

Marcos was an accomplished lawyer when he rose to prominence in the Philippine Congress in the 1950s and 1960s. In the presiden-

Reaction from Congressmen includes call for more aid

WASHINGTON (AP) — The transfer of power in the Philippines from Ferdinand Marcos to Corazon Aquino was widely praised in Congress, and already there were calls for possible increases in U.S. aid to a crucial American ally.

Sens. Sam Nunn, D-Ga., and Dan Evans, R-Wash., said Tuesday that the United States should consider more aid now that Marcos' 20-year rule has ended.

But other senators, including Sen. Richard Lugar, R-Ind., chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, said the United States should wait and see what Mrs. Aquino seeks before offering more help.

Other legislators said that while the transition may be welcome, the issue of more aid is a different question. "It is a question of domestic budget cuts proposed by President Reagan to reduce the federal deficit and budget restrictions imposed by the new Gramm-Rudman law."

"In a time of Gramm-Rudman, it will be difficult to find aid for any one country, but it's certainly something we should look at," said Sen. Patrick Leahy, D-Vt.

The Reagan administration had proposed \$23.6 million in aid to the Philippines during fiscal 1987, which begins Oct. 1. That is a slight decline from the \$240 million in the current fiscal year.

Those totals include military and economic assistance. They do not include construction projects at the two U.S. military bases near Manila — Clark Air Base and the naval base at Subic Bay, the largest American base outside the United States.

The Pentagon has asked for \$72.9 million for construction projects in the Philippines next year, a decrease from plans for \$82.1 million in fiscal 1986. Although much of the money is spent in the Philippines, it is technically not counted as U.S. aid.

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But some Filipinos were also skimming from the top, and economic growth was distorted. Although average incomes multiplied from \$140 in 1968 to \$772 in 1982, the vast majority of Filipinos remained impoverished.

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Former President Marcos is shown in Guam today being greeted by U.S. Air Force Colonel Robert J. Isaak, base commander at Anderson Air Force Base, Marcos, his family and aides reportedly left Guam today en route to Hawaii. Former First Lady Imelda Marcos (in dark glasses) is shown at left.

President Aquino engages the problems of economic development and national security.

That was not a promise of increased aid, but American officials said they were sympathetic to the twin Filipino problems of poverty and a communist insurgency.

Nunn said "the U.S. government should assist the new government of Mrs. Aquino, both economically and militarily," and he said earlier that increases in aid should be considered if the Philippines took steps toward solving the problems of economic development and national security.

Evans said, "It's very important for us now to rapidly establish the contacts necessary to determine what kind of aid the new government needs to carry on most effectively."

Lugar agreed that aid increases should be considered, but added, "We should wait and see, wait and let them tell us what they need."

Laxalt convinced Marcos to quit

WASHINGTON (AP) — For Philippines President Ferdinand Marcos, his support crumbled around him, it took a telephone conversation with a trusted friend — U.S. Sen. Paul Laxalt — to become convinced that the end had come.

For six months, Laxalt, R-Nev., had been talking on the telephone with Marcos, relaying U.S. demands that Marcos reform his government.

But still, Laxalt said Tuesday he was "very surprised" when an aide gave him a note Monday afternoon that Marcos was on the phone.

At the time, Laxalt was at a top-secret briefing by Secretary of State George Shultz and special presidential envoy Philip Habib. They were detailing U.S. efforts to end the impasse between Marcos

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U.S./World In Brief

Reagan speaks on national security
WASHINGTON — President Reagan will discuss U.S. national security and the nation's defense in a televised speech scheduled to begin at 8 p.m. EST Wednesday.

All three major networks plan to televise the address live. A Democratic response to Reagan's speech will follow.

Curfew quells rioting in Cairo
CAIRO, Egypt — Armored trucks rolled through the streets today and troops took up positions around the city to enforce a government-imposed curfew after a night of rioting by thousands of policemen who smashed and set fire to luxury hotels, buildings and cars.

Diplomatic sources said at least 32 people were injured in the violence, which spread to a police barracks near Cairo Airport, forcing authorities to close the facility.

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Military team arrives in Hanoi
BANGKOK, Thailand — A U.S. military team arrived in Hanoi today to receive new information on American servicemen listed as missing in action in Vietnam and to set a date for recovering at least 14 sets of remains.

The four-man delegation will participate in the first technical level talks since Hanoi began investigating "live sighting" reports of Americans last month — the start of a two-year program to resolve the 11-year MIA issue.

Hanoi officials told visiting congressmen in the past two months they would hand over information on some 70 MIA cases during the technical talks.

The information is the result of a public awareness campaign that launched the two-year program, the Vietnamese officials said.

The team also told the congressmen they were ready to repatriate at least 14 sets of remains of U.S. servicemen.

NASA official refutes engineers

By Al Rossler Jr.
United Press International

WASHINGTON — NASA's booster rocket manager testified today that the picture painted by Morton Thiokol engineers of NASA's role in the decision to launch the doomed Challenger shuttle was "misleading."

Lawrence Mulloy, manager of the booster rocket project office at the Marshall Space Flight Center, Huntsville, Ala., opened the second day of hearings before the presidential commission investigating the loss of Challenger and its crew four weeks ago.

"Yesterday in the testimony that was given before this commission and before that, I think, in more dramatic statements that have been attributed to Thiokol personnel by the media, a picture has been painted of the events of Jan. 27 that I think at best may be misleading," Mulloy said.

Engineers from Morton Thiokol Inc. told the presidential panel Tuesday that space agency rocket managers criticized a recommendation by Thiokol engineers to delay Challenger's launch until the weather warmed. The Thiokol engineers indicated pressure from NASA led company officials to approve the launch despite unanimous dissent from Thiokol's engineering staff.

Mulloy was a key player at the crucial launch eve conference for NASA along with George Hardy, deputy director of science and engineering at Marshall, and Stan Reinartz, manager of the shuttle projects office at Marshall.

During the 6½-hour hearing Tuesday, commission members repeatedly sought clarification of the reasons four company vice presidents eventually approved the launch.

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GM attorneys defend X-car in court

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Test results and a favorable accident record show the 1986 X-car is safe, recall. The trial began March 13, 1984.

Larry Moloney, the chief government lawyer, said Tuesday there is ample proof that a recall is needed to fix the brakes. X-car owners complained of unexpected spins and fishtailing, he said, and GM tests in 1978 indicated a brake pressure problem.

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College students occupy building

NORTHAMPTON, Mass. — Students at Smith College occupied the administration building for a second day today to back demands that the prestigious women's school divest its holdings in companies doing business in racially divided South Africa.

About 100 singing and chanting students huddled shoulder to shoulder in the doorways of College Hall Tuesday morning, blocking employees as they arrived for work. By afternoon, the number of protesters swelled to 200, a school spokesman said.

College President Marjorie Maple Dunn, who dismissed the workers for the day, praised the students for their commitment and made no immediate move to evict them, but said she would assess the situation on a day-by-day basis.

"She (Dunn) is very proud of the students on this issue," said spokeswoman Mary Callahan. "She's taking it one day at a time, and she's already decided not to try and evict them from College Hall today."

Trustees voted Saturday to sell \$550,000 worth of stock in one company with South African ties, but voted to keep other investments as long as the firms adhere to the Sullivan Principles, guidelines regarding fair hiring and integration in the workplace.

Ancient tools found in West Africa

WASHINGTON — Scientists have discovered nearly 300 stone tools dating back more than 2 million years in West Africa, making them among the oldest known instruments of labor fashioned by prehistoric human ancestors, officials announced today.

The quartz tools, discovered in eastern Zaire by an international team of scientists, include cobble, chips and cores that had been worked into implements by ancient humans.

"They are definitely from the hand of man, with the repetitive technological features characteristic of tools," said Dr. John W. K. Harris, an anthropologist at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee. "In studying them, we are sampling the behavior of the earliest hominids."

With Dr. Noel T. Boaz, a paleoanthropologist who directs the Virginia Museum of Natural History, and Dr. Alison S. Brooks, an anthropologist with George Washington University, Harris led a team that also found animal bones and teeth in a 130-square-foot excavation.

The absence of volcanic material in the area makes it impossible to date the site with the radioisotope-decay method normally used, the scientists said. But remains of animals whose origin, stage of evolutionary development or extinction is known provide clues to the time of the tools.

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OPINION

Bolton voters should back library center

Bolton voters will have another chance in early April to do something they should have done in 1984: authorize spending for a library-media center at Bolton High School.

The proposal, a pared-down version of the one rejected by townspeople two years ago, could be the best bargain the town will get. Preliminary estimates for the addition put its cost at about \$1.5 million dollars, but Bolton will have to pay just 40 percent of that. State grants will pay the rest.

What will Bolton get for its \$200,000? Relief from overcrowded conditions at the 22-year-old school, compliance with the state's minimum space requirements for school libraries and a better chance at retaining professional accreditation.

And Bolton taxpayers will be making an investment in the future. An April vote for the library-media center will be a vote for quality education. Bolton's students are certainly worth the investment.

Back in the 1984 referendum, when voters unwisely rejected the school project, officials attributed the outcome to widespread opposition to heavy spending at that time. The library-media center was one of four proposals up for a vote, and the total price tag was nearly \$3 million. Only one project — the new firehouse now under construction — won voters' approval.

But there probably were other reasons for the 1984 rejection: a failure by educators to make an adequate case for the library-media center, and a misunderstanding by many that the high school, when it was built in 1964, was designed for many more students than it was serving and thus there was no need for an addition.

Since 1984, there has been an increased awareness of the need for excellence in education, something that should increase the likelihood of a favorable vote on the library-media center. The threatened loss of high school accreditation is enough to make the point. And Bolton taxpayers also have much evidence of the cost of neglecting capital needs: witness the costly delays and other problems involving the Center School roof and the high school soccer field.

Unfortunately, there almost certainly will be renewed opposition to the school addition. It will come from those who argue shortsightedly that Bolton is too small to provide secondary education, or from those who have ignored the changing world and believe wrongly that vocational education and computer instruction have no place in the public schools.

The library-media center proposal has been scheduled for an April 10 referendum. It has been endorsed by the Public Building Commission as well as the Board of Education. But with just a month and a half to go, a lot of work is still required to inform the voters about the need for the project.

And Bolton taxpayers must have all the facts. If they do, they have no choice but to vote for the library-media center.



Jack Anderson

Once again, feds spy on U.S. activists

WASHINGTON — The FBI has been spying on peace activists again.

Several years ago, the Justice Department laid down "guidelines" for the FBI that supposedly prohibited the G-men from infiltrating peaceful domestic political groups. The reforms were instituted in response to disclosures that the FBI had tried to sabotage activities of groups opposed to the war in Vietnam; the bureau explained that it had been trying to learn whether the groups had foreign connections, which would have been a legitimate subject of FBI inquiry.

That explanation has been used today to justify the use of undercover informants to spy on Physicians for Social Responsibility, a group that advocates a bilateral, verifiable freeze on nuclear weapons by the United States and the Soviet Union. It claims 25,700 members in 155 local chapters. The international physicians' group with which it is affiliated, and which has Soviet members as well, won the Nobel Peace Prize last year.

The story of the FBI's infiltration of the group was brought to us by Angus Mackenzie of the Center for Investigative Reporting, who obtained pertinent FBI documents under the Freedom of Information Act.

THE DOCUMENTS SHOWED that the FBI spied on mainstream peace groups, including the Physicians for Social Responsibility, from 1982 through 1984. When this evidence was shown to Rep. Don Edwards, D-Calif., he asked FBI Director William Webster for an explanation.

Webster wrote back, in part: "The FBI is not conducting an investigation on the Physicians for Social Responsibility, although it has been the subject of investigation in the past. I am advised that in 1982 this organization was the subject of a national security investigation predicated upon information received from a source."

Webster added that the investigation "was conducted pursuant to" the attorney general's guidelines. This might be comforting to know, except for one thing: The counter-intelligence guidelines are secret.

Assistant FBI Director William M. Baker told Mackenzie: "The FBI was interested in determining whether or not the physicians' group was a Soviet front. But it was not."

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Open Forum

Taxpayers have been silenced

To the Editor: The budget for the coming year in the town of Manchester, if approved in its entirety, and I see no chance that it won't be, will mean a large tax increase to the taxpayers of Manchester. Perhaps this will wake up the many of us who pay the bills to operate our town government. Apathy has been very apparent in past years due to the amount of people attending budget hearings at Wadsworth School before the budget is adopted. Your absence was a voice of approval to your elected board to spend your money as they saw fit.

This year it won't make much difference whether you attend or not, because your voice has been silenced. You may ask why.

The biggest increase in the budget again is teachers' salaries. Granted, some deserve to be paid more money, but an across-the-board increase is no way to run a business. Our voice in teachers' salaries as well as police and fire matters has been silenced, even though we are the people who pay the bills. Their contracts are negotiated with paid town administrators and approved without the taxpayers having a voice. When we get to a budget hearing, it's all over. How would you run your business — that way?

The teachers were given a large raise without giving a thing. I think they should have been made to compromise. This budget is going to hurt the very people we spend so much time talking about helping — the

young family that is lucky enough to own a home and the renters, because the landlord will surely raise the rent when taxes go up.

This will happen while special interest groups are receiving favorable tax breaks, such as developers of the Cheney mills, Bennet, Love Lane. It's time for a management change.

Charles R. Pillard
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Congratulations to an MHS team

To the Editor: Congratulations are in order for Coach Frank Kinet and the Manchester High boys' basketball team for their season this year.

The adjustment period of a new coach and young team was evident early in the season. But with their backs to the wall this Indian team rose to the challenge and qualified for the State Tournament.

Congratulations for this season and your accomplishments.

Joe DePasqua
Castle Road
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Sign petition, fight unfairness

To the Editor: The senior citizens of Manchester are circulating a petition

protesting the rules of Medicare for admittance and discharge of hospital patients. The petition will be presented to Rep. Barbara Kennelly on March 20, 1986, at the Manchester Senior Citizens' Center.

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Connecticut In Brief

State seeks UTC back taxes

HARTFORD — The state is seeking more than \$20 million it claims United Technologies Corp. owes in back taxes, according to a published report.

State tax Commissioner John G. Groppe confirmed that an extensive audit of UTC had resulted in an assessment, but he said he could not comment in any detail because the information is confidential. The Hartford Courant reported in Wednesday's editions.

The assessment could be the largest ever imposed by the state on the basis of a single audit, the Courant reported. Quoting unnamed State Capitol sources, the Courant said the state had assessed UTC for \$28 million in additional taxes, and it appeared UTC is challenging at least \$8 million of the total. Groppe acknowledged that the Courant was close to the actual figures and that the company had protested part of the assessment, the newspaper said.

"We are not going to offer comment," said Franklin J. Parisi, UTC's director of public relations. "As a matter of practice, UTC does not comment on rumor or speculation regarding tax or other administrative issues."

New permit has strikers

BRIDGEPORT — The new, stricter federal sewer permit which the state's largest city will receive this week requires monthly reports on sewer overflows, state environmental officials said.

Bridgeport officials were worried the federal permit, administered through the state Department of Environmental Protection, might not be issued at all. There was some concern "considering the track record the city has had in the past," Chief Administrative Officer John G. Noriko said Monday.

Robert Norwood, a water pollution control engineer for the DEP, said issuing the permit was one way to get Bridgeport to file monthly reports on overflows from the sanitary and storm sewers. Bridgeport has reached 90 percent of capacity on its treatment plants, Norwood said.

Bridgeport seeks federal aid

BRIDGEPORT — The city will ask for up to \$40 million in federal aid to rebuild the crumbling and crime-ridden Father Panik Village housing project, Charles E. Tisdale, policy and development coordinator, says.

Bridgeport officials will meet next Monday with Rep. Stewart B. McKinney, R-Conn., and James Bough, acting assistant director for public housing in the Department of Housing and Urban Development to discuss the problems at Father Panik.

Tisdale said Tuesday the "most cost-effective way of dealing with a very serious problem" would be to rebuild a smaller, 40-unit building, an estimated cost of \$3 million to \$40 million.

Bridgeport officials were angered last week when they announced that HUD representatives had insisted the 110-unit public housing be razed and replaced with Mayor Thomas W. Bucchi called a "paltry" \$1 million toward the cost.

Bough later said an HUD representative could recommend the destruction of a federal housing project, but Bridgeport officials insist the recommendation was clearly stated.

Sheriff decides not to run

HARTFORD — Reversing an earlier decision, Tolland County Sheriff Francis H. Curran has said he will not seek a fourth term.

Curran, 39, said a lack of support from Democratic leaders played a role in his decision. "I don't think the nomination is within grasp," he said Monday.

His decision comes after Arthur Garafalo, deputy sheriff for eleven years, announced he would seek the sheriff's post.

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GOP leader says school accord near

Republican plan would set minimum salary and help towns pay

By Mark A. Dupuis
United Press International

HARTFORD — Republican House members are near agreement on an alternative to Governor William O'Neill's education reform package calling for increased teacher salaries, a top GOP leader says.

The program, which could cost slightly less than the \$91 million plan offered by O'Neill, would assist towns in paying a minimum starting salary for teachers and raises for other teachers, House Majority Leader Robert G. Jackie, R-Stratford, said Tuesday.

The general ideas in the program were outlined at a closed caucus of House Republicans, and Jackie predicted an agreement in principle could come as early as today.

"Career incentive" programs that would be financed by the state beginning in the 1987-88 fiscal year. The salary increase proposals would take effect in the 1986-87 fiscal year, which begins July 1, and the total package would cost slightly less than the \$91 million proposed by O'Neill for education improvements, Jackie said.

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For example, he said the governor's proposal for having mentor teachers work with new teachers could be part of a local career incentive program developed under the House GOP plan. Jackie said no votes were taken in the caucus but added that he was hopeful the House Republicans will agree in principle on a program when

they meet for another caucus Wednesday.

Approval of a package by the House Republicans would still leave major hurdles before the General Assembly, can enact a package and ship it to O'Neill for his consideration.

The Senate's Republican majority is considering a different package than the one before the GOP majority in the House, and agreement between the two chambers would be needed before a plan can be sent to the governor.

Top Senate Republican leaders have raised the possibility that the Legislature cannot agree on package before lawmakers reach their mandatory adjournment date May 7.

Jackie said he believes a package will be adopted during the regular session and does not see the need for a special session following the May adjournment to develop a plan.

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Panel backs 'Super Lotto,' game changes

HARTFORD (UPI) — A legislative committee has killed a measure to set up a one-year trial of a "video lottery," but has given initial approval to a bill to create a "Super Lotto" lottery in Connecticut.

The Public Safety Committee also Tuesday gave initial approval to another measure that would expand legalized gambling in the state by legalizing the sale of sealed tickets already being sold illegally by many non-profit groups.

The committee approved both the "Super Lotto" and sealed tickets bills by a 6-2 vote. The sealed tickets bill would give approval before the bills can reach the full House and Senate for debate.

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Schmidle bill would force clean campaigns

By Jude Everhart
The Associated Press

HARTFORD — A bill aimed at cleaning up political campaigns is being drafted by Rep. Mac S. Schmidle, co-chairman of the General Assembly's elections committee, who says the measure would impose penalties for lying or other unethical practices.

"I've had many people say to me, 'How can they possibly say that? How can they get away with that?'" the Newtown Republican said.

Schmidle said Ohio and New York have similar laws that have withstood constitutional challenges.

"I know there will be questions about free speech," she said. "But free speech does not include slander. I'm having some constitutional lawyers look at it."

The measure is being drafted to cover such areas as identifying oneself by a title one doesn't really hold; lying about one's or one's opponent's voting record; and releasing partial or poll results without disclosing

the idea of the bill, he does not expect it to win approval because of warnings from lottery officials that such a game in one drawing could lose the state \$5 billion.

The sealed tickets bill is part of an overall bill dealing with bingo games held by churches and other non-profit groups. It was approved in 1983 and sent to the Government Administration and Elections Committee.

The bill would legalize the sale of sealed tickets during bingo games and at bars operated by veterans groups and other non-profit organizations. The tickets, usually sold for 25 cents, can win prizes of up to \$50 or so.

Massachusetts lottery officials, testing before the committee Tuesday, said the Bay State had gross sealed ticket sales totaling \$65.7 million last year up from about \$20 million when the state began running the system in 1974.

Migliaro said that while he supports

leader from his own party. Robertson charged earlier that Migliaro had given false information to the committee in saying the bill could not be taken up because of the moratorium on new forms of gambling.

Robertson also said he will try to collect the 12 petition signatures needed in the Senate to revive the bill and force the Public Safety Committee to at least bring the measure to a hearing.

He said a video lottery, which could raise an estimated \$30 million a year for the state, would attract well-to-do young people who can afford to gamble but according to studies are not attracted by existing lottery games.

The "Super Lotto" bill, approved 18-1 and sent to the Finance, Revenue and Bonding Committee, would establish an annual July 4 lottery drawing with a lump-sum, tax-free prize of at least \$1 million.

State firm pays fine for White House paint

HARTFORD (UPI) — A shipment of old paint stripped from the White House has resulted in a Connecticut firm paying the state \$20,900 in fines for violating rules on the transportation of hazardous waste.

Ranco Technologies, which paid the fine Tuesday as settlement of a lawsuit brought by the state, was hired to remove from the White House the numerous coats of paint believed to date back to the War of 1812.

The attorney general's office said Attorney General Joseph I. Lieberman charged the paint wastes and solvents used to remove the paint from the White House had a flash point of less than 140 degrees, classifying it as hazardous.

The state charged the firm, which shipped the paint and solvents back to a storage facility in Hartford, with operating a hazardous waste storage facility without a permit, transporting hazardous materials without a permit and failure to properly manage hazardous materials.

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Nelson retains crown

INGLEWOOD, Calif. (UPI) — Azumah Nelson of Ghana retained his World Boxing Council featherweight title Tuesday night with a 12-round split decision over Marcos Villanasa of Mexico.

Nelson, spending most of the fight with his back on the ropes, appeared to be in command throughout. Villanasa suffered a cut on the bridge of his nose in the eighth round and it bled freely, though it did not hinder his vision. There were no knockdowns.

Dr. Gin Kin scored the bout 114-114, but Rudy Ortega had it 116-113 and Lew Filippou had it 116-112 in favor of Nelson.

"At most he won two rounds," said Nelson, who said he hurt his right hand in the sixth round. "I'll give him the two rounds for showing up. He fought a great fight. He came to take away the title. He's a strong, tough, son-of-a-gun."

"I don't know what the officials were watching. I should have won unanimously. I am the champ and I did not embarrass myself. I could have fought another 20 rounds."

Villanasa never appeared to hurt Nelson. He was the aggressor throughout, but Nelson seemed to land the more effective blows.

"I thought the fight should have been scored closer. I think I won," Villanasa said.

NCAA, SWC out to limit boosters

By Rick Gosselin
United Press International

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — The Southwest Conference wants to remove boosters from the recruiting process, and has an important ally in that quest — NCAA Executive Director Walter Byers.

The SWC made a proposal at the 1986 NCAA Convention last month that would have prohibited any in-person recruiting contacts by boosters and alumni. NCAA rules already prevent that group from recruiting in-person off campus. The SWC sought to expand the rule to eliminate in-person recruiting on campus as well.

But after bitter debate at the convention, the SWC withdrew the proposal for more work and probably will return to the floor with it at the 1987 convention. And the proposal would return with the support of Byers.

"I think the concept of the Southwest Conference amendment would be one of the great steps we could take to clean up that phase of our operation," Byers said Tuesday at the NCAA College Football Seminar. "It essentially would remove the outsider — the alumnus, the booster, the non-staffer — from the recruiting process."

"There are many, many alumni and boosters who are honest and sincere, who have contributed to the building of facilities and contributed to scholarship programs, who are dedicated to making their university the best that it can be. I don't want to imply any stigma on those types of people whom we owe a great debt."

"But at the same time the corrupting influence of intercollegiate athletics are those inflated, under-developed alumni and boosters who have large egos and retarded maturity who seem to get their kicks by bribing 18-year-olds to come play for their institution."

The reputation of the football-proud SWC already has been damaged by the actions of some overzealous boosters in the recruitment of players.

"There's nothing wrong with intercollegiate athletics except the recruitment of prospects," Byers said. "It's the time and again the Achilles' heel of intercollegiate athletics is recruiting. I marvel at the fact that professional sports to take care of the most critical phase of athletic management by instituting a draft. It denies the freedom of choice but it takes care of all the problems with one stroke."

Spring training roundup Stewart staying put with the Red Sox

By United Press International

WINTER HAVEN, Fla. — As far as the Boston Red Sox are concerned, their deal that sent shortstop Jackie Gutierrez to Baltimore for pitcher Sammy Stewart was made in good faith and should stand.

As far as the Orioles are concerned, the deal should be re-worked because Gutierrez may well be emotionally unfit to play this season.

There is no question how Stewart feels about the matter. "They should have checked it out when they traded for me," Stewart said Tuesday after the Red Sox completed their second day of official drills.

"I've made some commitments," he said. "I bought a home in the Boston area. I'll be forced to sue them if they don't turn around. I couldn't play for the Orioles. My heart wouldn't be in it. They said some things when the trade was made that they got the better of the deal. Well, Jackie Gutierrez hasn't done what I've done. I can never go back to Baltimore."

"They should have checked it out when they traded for me," Stewart said Tuesday after the Red Sox completed their second day of official drills.

"I'm very set in Boston," Stewart said. "I think everything is falling into place. I came to spring training with a good attitude. The atmosphere is set."

"In Baltimore, everybody always said, 'Boston's gonna trade.' They were wrong. We've got some pitching. They went to the winter meetings wanting to trade me. They made their bed and now they've gotta sleep in it. I'm a Boston Red Sox now."

"In baseball, there's always been something called 'let the buyer beware,'" said Red Sox general manager Les Gorman. "In other news out of the Boston camp, second baseman Jerry Remy, trying to come back from seven operations on his left knee, worked out and reported he had a good day and that he feels better than he did last year at this time."

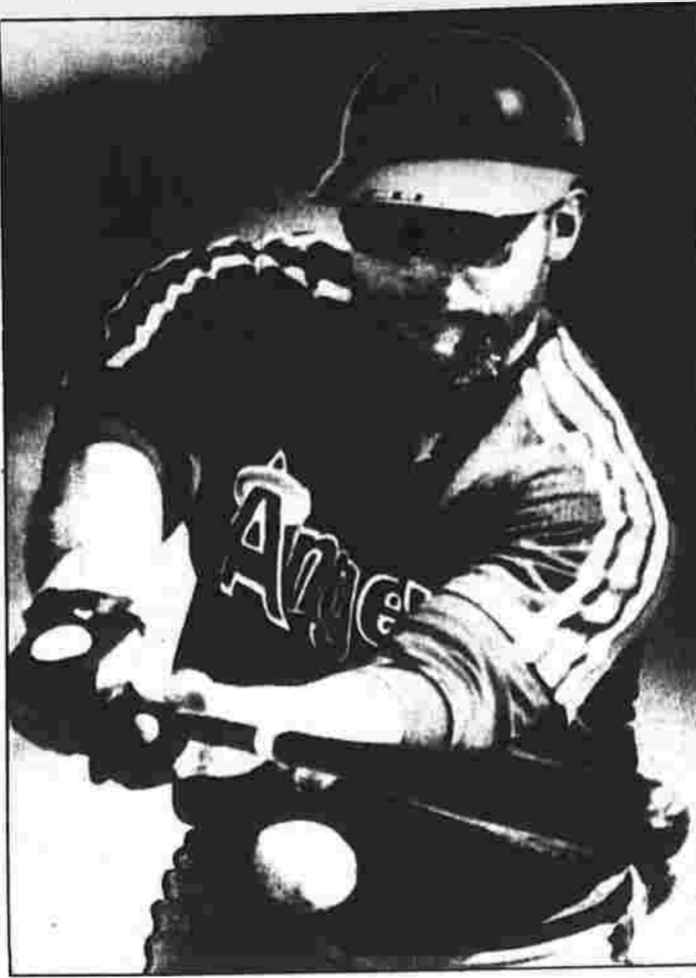
Other regulars on the field Tuesday included Jim Rice, coming off knee surgery, Mike Easler and Steve Lyons. Gorman said both Steve Howe and John Wockenuss had contacted him about jobs and were turned down.

"Howe has been calling and calling and calling," Gorman said. "At Fort Lauderdale, Fla., rookie New York Yankee catcher Lou Piniella selected Butch Wynegar to be the No. 1 catcher over Ron Hassey. There had been some question regarding the catching job. Wynegar had been hobbled by two different injuries and batted .223 last year while Hassey, who recently was traded to the White Sox and reacquired by the Yankees, batted .296 with 13 homers and 42 RBI in 92 games."

Because of his hot-hitting late in the season, Hassey won the confidence of former Yankee manager Billy Martin. But Piniella restored Wynegar to the No. 1 spot.

In addition to citing Wynegar's injuries as a major reason for his slump, Piniella also said the switch-hitting 30-year-old is superior defensively to Hassey.

At Mesa, Ariz., Chicago Cubs manager Jim Frey said he was overjoyed with the condition of his team after the first full day of workouts for pitchers and catchers.



UPI photo
Sluggo Reggie Jackson works on his swing during his first day of spring training at the Angels' camp in Mesa, Arizona. California is one of a handful of clubs that hold spring training in Arizona.

Sports In Brief

Little League signups scheduled

The Manchester Little League will conduct signups for the 1986 season on consecutive Sundays, March 2 and 9, at the American Legion Hall on Legion Drive between 1 and 4 p.m. on each day. Signups are for all children between the ages of 7 and 12. Youths must be before July 31, 1986, and not older than 12 after that date. The league requests that birth certificates be brought at the time of signups.

The registration fee is \$10 per individual or \$15 per immediate family.

League tryouts are scheduled for Saturday and Sunday, March 15 and 16. Anyone interested in being a coach, umpire or commissioner to serve in any other capacity is asked to appear at the signups.

For further information, contact Ed Detorre at 643-4482 or Stan Romanewicz at 646-6531.

Baseball card show Sunday at East

The first Open Pitch Baseball Card and Sports Memorabilia Show will be held Sunday from 9:30 a.m. until 4 p.m. at East Catholic High School. Approximately 30 dealers from throughout New England will showcase old and new baseball collectible items.

The general admission fee is \$1. For further information, contact Michael Chartier at 376-0835.

Scholastic title games on CPTV

HARTFORD — Connecticut Public Television will broadcast live the Connecticut Interscholastic Athletic Conference Class LL girls' and boys' basketball championship games. The girls' championship will be telecast on Saturday, March 22, at 3 p.m. while the boys' game will follow a week later on Saturday, March 29, at noon.

The games will be seen on Channel 24 in Hartford.

Huskies on road at Providence

PROVIDENCE — The slumping University of Connecticut men's basketball team, losers of five straight, will try to break out of it tonight at 8 when the Huskies open Providence College in a Big East Conference game at the Civic Center.

The Huskies are tied for fifth place in the nine-team conference with Pittsburgh, each 6-9. Providence is 14-12 overall, Connecticut, minus floor general and leading scorer Earl Kelley, is heading in the other direction. The Huskies have fallen into eighth place in the Big East at 3-11, one-half game ahead of cellar-dwelling 3-12 Seton Hall. The Huskies are 12-13 overall, under .500 for the first time this season.

The clubs met last Saturday at the Hartford Civic Center with Providence winning, 74-67.

Gooden receives black athlete award

NEW YORK — Dwight Gooden, the Cy Young Award winner for the New York Mets, Tuesday was named winner of the Gordon's Gin Black Athlete of the Year for 1985.

The 21-year-old right-hander, who recently signed a \$1.3 million contract with the Mets, will receive another \$25,000 as the outstanding black athlete, along with a hand-sculptured bronze trophy.

Gooden received 237 points in the final balloting by a panel of black broadcasters and sportscasters to beat out Kareem Abdul-Jabbar of the Los Angeles Lakers, with 201 points.

Hannah has reconstructive surgery

BOSTON — New England Patriots' All-Pro offensive guard John Hannah underwent reconstructive surgery on both shoulders Tuesday at Massachusetts General Hospital.

Hannah, a nine-time Pro Bowl player who just completed his 18th NFL season, was operated on by team physician Dr. Bertram Zarins to repair torn rotator cuffs in his right and left shoulders.

Aouita named Owens Award winner

NEW YORK — Said Aouita of Morocco, whose last year set world records at 5,000 and 1,500 meters, Tuesday was named the sixth winner of the Jesse Owens International Amateur Athlete Award.

Elected by an international panel of 200 electors, Aouita finished ahead of his British middle-distance competitor Steve Cram and Soviet pole vaulter Serguei Bubka.

Louie bounces back for net victory

OAKLAND, Calif. — Maureen "Peanut" Louie, snared in a slow start against Molly Van Nostrand, remembered her loss to Van Nostrand last summer at Wimbledon.

"All I was thinking was God here we go again," said Louie of dropping behind 3-0 to Van Nostrand in the first set Tuesday. "This is the hungriest I've been in a long time."

Louie was hungry enough to win four straight games and dominate the rest of the match in a 6-4, 6-1 triumph at the \$150,000 Virginia Slims of California.

Lipton tennis tourney seeks major status

By Will Dunham
United Press International

BOCA RATON, Fla. — The Lipton International Players Championships, the big bucks tournament that established itself as tennis premier-non-Grand Slam event, "took a couple of steps" this year toward that goal, the tournament's director said Tuesday.

But some players, including Ivan Lendl, the No. 1 player in the world and winner of last year's tournament, voiced doubt about that claim, arguing the two-year-old tournament has a long way to go before it is recognized as the fifth most important stop on the tennis circuit.

"Last year, we were born. This year, we took a couple of steps — and I think in the right direction. We came a long way," director Butch Buchholz said.

"This year, we improved our operations (and) improved our credibility with the players — this tournament is here to stay. We have a success story to tell."

"The tournament was seen on television in five continents and 28 countries and had a tournament attendance of about 193,000. We were 15 tickets short of a sell-out for the men's final Sunday, and I'm buying those, so it's a sell-out," Buchholz said.

Despite Buchholz's optimism, the tournament must address several issues before it can be mentioned on equal terms with any of the Grand Slams — Wimbledon, the U.S. Open, the French Open and the Australian Open.

The biggest knock against the event has been its lack of continuity. The tournament was played in different sites in 1985 and 1986 and is slated for a third move in 1987. It moved from temporary facilities last year and this year — and will be played in temporary facilities next year and, perhaps, every year until 1990, Buchholz said.

Only then is it likely that a \$15 million permanent stadium, along with ample courts and locker room facilities, will be constructed at the tournament's new permanent home, the Weston resort community about 30 miles from the Boca West resort, where it was held this year, Buchholz said.

Weston, a planned community under the auspices of the massive Arvida-Disney organization, is situated in an obscure, currently undeveloped location in Fort Lauderdale. Access to the site is hampered by a network of small roads and there are far from adequate numbers of hotels and restaurants.

Buchholz said tournament officials and Arvida-Disney, the Florida land development giant, did not want to move out of Boca West for next year, but, preliminary talks with developers at the Boca Raton resort community forced the transfer.

Padres hire nice guy Boros to replace volatile Williams

By Dennis Georgatos
The Associated Press

YUMA, Ariz. — The San Diego Padres cut clean their ties to Dick Williams and his often abrasive ways by hiring the quintessential nice guy, Steve Boros, as the club's new manager.

Boros became the 10th manager in the 18-year history of the franchise on Tuesday, a day after Williams resigned amid rampant player dissatisfaction with his managing style.

A former manager of the Oakland A's who joined the Padres organization a year ago, Boros said restoring player-manager communications marked during Williams' four-year reign would be his first order of business.

Unlike Williams, who kept aloof from players, Boros said he would work to develop warm relations with each member of the squad.

Anderson unsure about retirement

CINCINNATI (UPI) — A Bengal team official says veteran quarterback Ken Anderson intends to play next season, but Anderson is non-committal on whether he will want to move out of Boca West for next year, but, preliminary talks with developers at the Boca Raton resort community forced the transfer.

regarding the catching job. Wynegar had been hobbled by two different injuries and batted .223 last year while Hassey, who recently was traded to the White Sox and reacquired by the Yankees, batted .296 with 13 homers and 42 RBI in 92 games."

Because of his hot-hitting late in the season, Hassey won the confidence of former Yankee manager Billy Martin. But Piniella restored Wynegar to the No. 1 spot.

In addition to citing Wynegar's injuries as a major reason for his slump, Piniella also said the switch-hitting 30-year-old is superior defensively to Hassey.

At Mesa, Ariz., Chicago Cubs manager Jim Frey said he was overjoyed with the condition of his team after the first full day of workouts for pitchers and catchers.

Anderson unsure about retirement

"I'm going to be close to my players," he said at a Tuesday night news conference in Yuma, where the Padres are in spring training. "I've always been that way. That's not going to change."

"I still think I can do that and still have a disciplined atmosphere."

Boros inherits a club that finished in a third-place tie with Houston in the National League West last season after winning the league championship in 1984.

He also must deal with the after-effects of player disenchantment that marked the final months of Williams' tenure and bitter front-office infighting that preceded Williams' resignation.

"As I see my job, it's to motivate these players to get them to play to their potential," he said. "I think perhaps key players didn't have the years last year that they should have had and my coaches

FOCUS/Food

The American Peanut Goes French

When the noted French Chef Hubert was introduced to the native American peanut recently, some delicious and spectacular dishes resulted which are now being featured on the menu of his Paris restaurant, Le Bistro d'Hubert and in the classes of his cooking school, l'Ecole de Cuisine d'Hubert.

As with most Europeans, Chef Hubert was familiar with the peanut as a small

roasted nut, salted and served as a snack. He found American peanuts finer in quality, appearance and roasting characteristics than any he had known, prompting him to develop a number of recipes to introduce this American gem to the French.

Jayne Taylor, former Washington, DC caterer and now student and assistant to Hubert translated these recipes and offers suggestions for their American enjoyment.

Peanut Brittle Charlotte

Chef Hubert's "Peanut Brittle Charlotte" is elegant in the traditional French manner, and can be prepared ahead, an increasing requirement for our fast paced American lifestyles.

3/4 cup sugar	1 cup water
2 tablespoons water	2 tablespoons sugar
3/4 cup unsalted, roasted and chopped peanuts	4 tablespoons kirsch
3/4 cup butter	36 sponge lady fingers
1/2 cup creme anglaise*	2 cups creme anglaise

*accompanying sauce, if desired

To make the peanut brittle, melt 3/4 cup sugar in 2 tablespoons water over medium heat. When the sugar begins to brown, remove from heat and add the peanuts. Mix until all the nuts are well coated. Spread the peanut mixture onto a well greased, cool, heat resistant surface such as marble. Flatten it as much as possible and let cool. When cool, chop the peanut brittle into small pieces. In a large bowl, whip 3/4 cup butter until soft, add the chopped peanut brittle and the creme anglaise and mix.

To make the peanut brittle, melt 3/4 cup sugar in 2 tablespoons water over medium heat. When the sugar begins to brown, remove from heat and add the peanuts. Mix until all the nuts are well coated. Spread the peanut mixture onto a well greased, cool, heat resistant surface such as marble. Flatten it as much as possible and let cool. When cool, chop the peanut brittle into small pieces. In a large bowl, whip 3/4 cup butter until soft, add the chopped peanut brittle and the creme anglaise and mix.

Prepare the syrup by heating 1 cup water, 2 tablespoons sugar and 4 tablespoons kirsch in a saucepan until all is melted.

Line the sides and base of a charlotte mold with lady fingers which have been lightly dipped in the syrup. Fill half the mold with the peanut brittle/creme anglaise filling, then cover the filling with another layer of syrup-dipped sponge fingers. Pour the remaining filling on top and cover with more syrup-dipped sponge fingers. Cover and refrigerate overnight. To serve, unmold the charlotte and serve with creme anglaise sauce, if desired. Makes 6 to 8 servings.

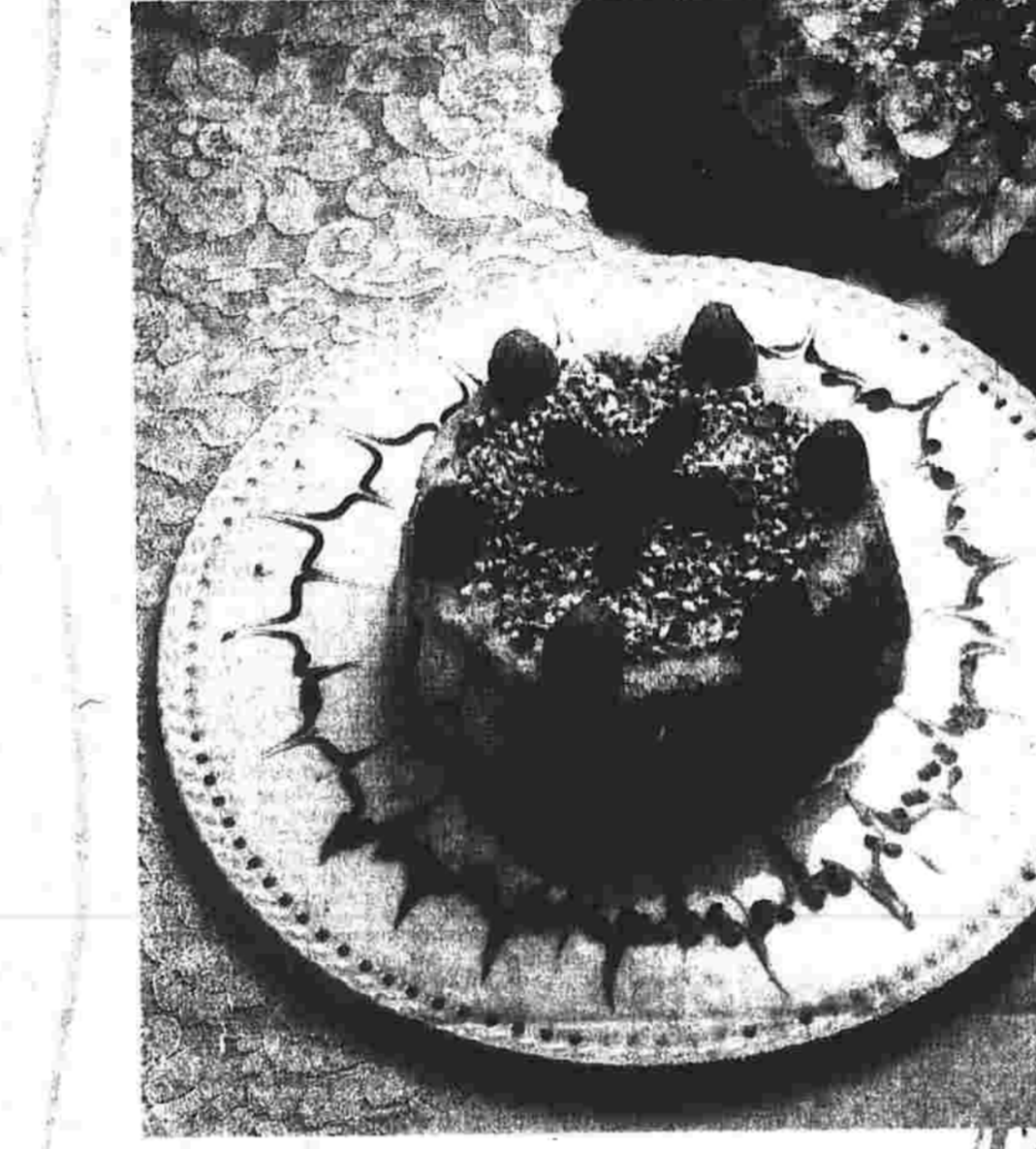
JAYNE'S ADVICE: A coffee flavored creme anglaise also would do nicely as the accompanying sauce. This dessert can be made a couple of days ahead and requires little last minute attention. You can add a nice color contrast by decorating the charlotte with fresh berries.

* Creme Anglaise

5 egg yolks	2 cups milk
2/3 cup sugar	1/8 teaspoon salt

In a saucepan, beat the yolks and sugar together until thick and light colored. Heat milk to a simmer (not quite to the boiling point). Gradually add the milk into the yolk mixture, beating constantly. Add salt. Cook over medium low heat stirring constantly until the mixture thickens to a custard like consistency. (Do not let sauce boil, it will curdle.) Remove sauce from heat. Set pan in cold water to hasten chilling. Continue to stir for a few minutes more. Allow to cool to room temperature then chill in refrigerator for an hour or longer.

Use 4 ounces of the custard as an ingredient in the Charlotte. Serve the remainder along with the Charlotte. Makes approximately 2 1/2 cups.



Peanut and Praline Ice Cream

The "Peanut and Praline Ice Cream" may be served as simply or elegantly as the occasion demands. The Praline also doubles as a topping for Peanut Butter Mousse.

For the ice cream:	For the praline:
1 quart milk	3/4 cup sugar
10 egg yolks	1 tablespoon water
3/4 cup sugar	2 drops vanilla extract
3/4 cup unsalted, roasted and chopped peanuts	3/4 cup unsalted, roasted and chopped peanuts

To make the ice cream: Bring milk to a boil in a large saucepan. In a large mixing bowl, whip the egg yolks with the sugar until they become pale. Add the peanuts and slowly add the milk, stirring constantly. Pour the mixture back into the saucepan and reheat slowly, so as not to curdle the mixture, until it coats the back of a spoon. Cool the mixture, then pour it into an ice cream freezer and churn it until hard. Makes 6 servings.

To prepare the praline: Slowly heat the sugar and water in a deep pot, stirring until all the sugar has melted. Add 2 drops of vanilla extract. When the caramel begins to darken in color, add the peanuts and mix vigorously until all the nuts are well coated. Pour the caramel onto a well greased, cold, heat resistant surface such as marble. Flatten it as much as possible and let cool. When cooled, chop the praline into small pieces.

To serve: Scoop the ice cream into bowls and sprinkle the praline on the top, as desired.

JAYNE'S ADVICE: For a more elegant presentation, serve the ice cream in a stemmed glass with julienenes of orange, lemon or lime peel around the base of the glass.

Peanut Butter Mousse

1/2 cup water	1/2 cup creme peanut butter
1/2 cup sugar	Peanut Praline; recipe above
3 egg yolks	Unsweetened whipped cream
1 cup heavy cream	

Prepare syrup: Combine water and sugar in saucepan. Bring to a boil for 7 minutes. Meanwhile, beat egg yolks in mixer on highest speed until frothy. Slowly pour syrup onto yolks while beating on medium speed. Continue beating for 5 to 10 minutes, until mixture is cool. In clean bowl whip cream to soft peaks. Blend in peanut butter. Fold peanut butter mixture into yolk mixture. Spoon into six stemmed dessert glasses. Chill in refrigerator overnight. Serve each with a sprinkle of Peanut Praline (see recipe above) and dollop of whipped cream. Makes 6 servings.

Peanut Rum Souffle with Chocolate Sauce

3/4 cup milk	4 egg whites
3/4 cup creme peanut butter	2 tablespoons sugar
1/8 teaspoon salt	8 ounces semi-sweet chocolate pieces
4 egg yolks	2 tablespoons hot water
1/4 cup packed brown sugar	3 tablespoons rum
3 tablespoons butter	1/4 cup half and half
3 tablespoons rum	1/2 cup chopped salted cocktail peanuts
1/2 teaspoon vanilla	

Butter and sugar a 7" souffle dish (1-1/2 quarts). Place milk, peanut butter and salt in saucepan over medium heat; stir until smooth and just below boiling point. Beat yolks and brown sugar until smooth and light. Blend yolk mixture into milk mixture over low heat until thick and custardy, stirring constantly. Do not boil. Remove from heat and stir in butter, cool. Blend in rum and vanilla.

Beat egg whites until soft peaks form. Sprinkle in sugar and beat until stiff but not dry. Stir 1/4 of the whites into the custard and mix well. Gently fold in the remaining whites in until no white streaks remain. Pour into prepared souffle dish and bake in 350°F. oven for 30-35 minutes.

Prepare chocolate sauce while souffle is baking. In small saucepan, blend chocolate pieces, hot water, rum and half and half over low heat until melted; keep warm.

Garnish souffle with peanuts. Serve with chocolate sauce. Makes 6 servings.

Peanut Butter Chocolate Truffles

2/3 cup heavy whipping cream	1/2 cup creme peanut butter
10 ounces milk chocolate, cut into pieces	1 teaspoon vanilla extract
1/2 cup heavy whipping cream	2 tablespoons cocoa

Heat cream to just below boiling point. Place chocolate in mixing bowl. Pour cream over chocolate; beat until smooth. Stir in peanut butter and vanilla. Chill about 2 hours until firm. Roll between palms of hands into approximately 1-inch balls. Roll in cocoa, shaking off excess. Chill on platter until ready to serve. Makes about 32 truffles.

Chocolate Peanut Caramel Tart

2 unbaked 9-inch deep-dish prepared pie shells	3 whole eggs
6 tablespoons butter	3 egg yolks
3/4 cup plus 1/3 cup sugar	4 ounces semi-sweet chocolate, melted
4 cup ground roasted peanuts	Sweetened whipped cream, for garnish
2-1/2 cups whipping cream	2 tablespoons crushed dry roasted peanuts
1 cup sour cream	
2 tablespoons cornstarch	

Bake pie shells in 375°F. oven about 15 minutes until golden brown; cool. In saucepan melt butter over medium heat. Add 3/4 cup sugar; cook and stir just until melted, then cook without stirring until mixture turns golden brown. Add ground peanuts and 1-1/2 cups of the whipping cream; cook and stir for 3-4 minutes, until well blended. Pour equal amounts into two pie shells. In saucepan, combine sour cream and remaining 1 cup whipping cream. Add 1/3 cup sugar and cornstarch; stir to blend. Add eggs and egg yolks; cook and stir over low heat until mixture comes to a boil. Stir in chocolate. Remove from heat and pour into pie shells. Chill at least 3 hours. Add dollop of sweetened whipped cream onto top of pies; sprinkle with crushed peanuts. Yield: 29-inch pies.

For additional peanut recipes, send a stamped, self-addressed #10 envelope to the National Peanut Council, 101 S. Peyton St., Suite 301, Alexandria, VA 22314.

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Your Neighbor's Kitchen

Busy lady works hard on desserts

By Margaret Hayden Herald Reporter

Beverly Cimino used a chocolate cheesecake recipe from the March 3 Woman's Day magazine for her daughter's birthday cake Sunday.



Herald photo by Photo

Beverly Cimino of 29 Cornwall St. holds part of the chocolate cheesecake her family enjoyed Sunday for the birthday of her daughter, Francine. Also on the table is her torte.

- Chocolate cheesecake CRUMB CRUST 1 package (8 1/2 ounces) chocolate wafers, crushed fine 1/2 cup granulated sugar 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon 6 tablespoons margarine, melted FILLING 3 packages (8 ounces each) cream cheese at room temperature 1 cup granulated sugar 1 cup (8 ounces) semisweet chocolate chips melted and cooled 1 1/2 tablespoons all-purpose flour 2 large eggs 2 tablespoons heavy cream 2 teaspoon vanilla extract TOPPING 1/2 cup sour cream 1/2 cup semisweet, mini chocolate chips Heat oven to 400 degrees. Have a 9-inch spring form pan ready.

About Town

Spencer Village plans fair

Spencer Village Craft Club will hold an Easter Fair March 15 and 16 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Spencer Village Community Hall, 58 Pascal Lane near K-Mart Plaza.

Nursery holds open house

BOLTON - The Bolton Cooperative Nursery will hold an open house Thursday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m.

Club offers Boston show trip

COVENTRY - The Coventry Garden Club has space for its bus trip to Boston Flower Show on March 19.

Check blood pressure

BOLTON - A free blood pressure screening for residents of all ages will be held Thursday from 1 to 2:30 p.m. at Bolton Pharmacy, Bolton Notch.

College presents comedy

The Dramatic Arts Club of Manchester Community College will present "The Real Inspector Hound," a dinner-theater comedy production by Tom Stoppard at 7 p.m. Friday and Saturday at the Love Program Center.

Lutz offers many programs

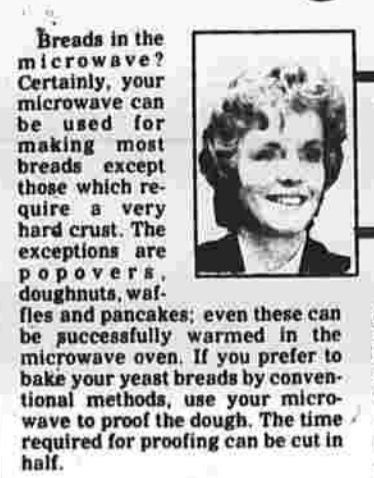
The Lutz Children's Museum is offering several programs for children. For more information or registration, call the Lutz at 643-0949. A six-week, mid-winter class in basketry for children from kindergarten to grade 5 will meet Saturdays from 1 to 2 p.m. at the museum, 2475 Main St.

College Notes

Maccaroni earns degree

Teresa Maccaroni Hanks of Windsor has completed her requirements for a degree in elementary education from the University of Connecticut.

Proofing dough in microwave enhances oven baking



Microwave Kitchen Marge Churchill

Breads in the microwave? Certainly, your microwave can be used for making most breads. Breads which require a very hard crust. The exceptions are popovers, doughnuts, waffles and pancakes; even these can be successfully warmed in the microwave oven.

ingredients and stretches the gluten into a fine elastic framework which holds yeast gas bubbles. Wheat flour, which produces gluten, is necessary for making good breads. Raising or proofing is an important part of yeast cell development. Use the microwave oven to shorten the time needed for rising.

Menus

Senior citizen

The following meals will be served at Mayfair Gardens and Westhill Gardens the week of March 3 through 7. Monday: Hot dog or chili dog, potato sticks, buttered green beans, rosy applesauce.

Meals on Wheels

The following meals are to be served to Meals on Wheels clients the week of March 3 through 7. The hot noon meal is listed first and the cool evening meal second.

Manchester schools

The following lunches will be served in the Bolton Elementary-Center schools the week of March 3 through 7. Monday: Fruit juice, Italian burger with lettuce and tomato, potato chips, cake with topping.

Hobby becomes occupation

Teen cook runs own bakery

MINERSVILLE, Pa. (AP) - Jeff Cleary comes in to work at 5 p.m. every day and spends the next 12 or 13 hours making fresh bread and pastries in the small bakery he runs. "None of this is unusual for a baker. Except that Jeff Cleary is only 18 years old."

Supermarket Shopper

Couponers have dilemma with receipts

By Martin Sloane United Feature Syndicate

DEAR MARTIN - Manufacturers' refund offers frequently ask for register tapes, and this is a problem for me because I save all my register receipts for income-tax purposes. In most years, my actual sales-tax expenses have been much more than the standard deduction, which makes it well worth it to save all these receipts.

question. I am what you would call an avid refunder. I have a large family, and each week I add dozens of box tops and labels to my proof-of-purchase collection. I also receive many proofs from friends and relatives. I must admit that I occasionally do a little "trading" and this too adds to my proof-of-purchase collection, which now fills 26 big cartons.

well as folders for keeping your receipts. No manufacturer's form is needed for this offer. Just send your request and your Exceldin proof of purchase to: Exceldin Tax Organizer Offer, P.O. Box 14134, Baltimore, MD 21288. This offer is limited to one per family and expires May 31, 1986.



Poor "Today's Special." The column isn't getting any mail! How can we hunt down your favorite recipe for veal piccante or chocolate mousse, if we don't know where you've enjoyed the dishes?

Drop us a note and tell us about the most fabulous fish, the most perfect pasta that you've enjoyed anywhere. Write to Today's Special, Manchester Herald, Box 591, Manchester, 06040.

Then we'll do the rest. We'll contact the chef and ask for the recipe, which will be printed in TODAY'S SPECIAL.

Name _____ Address _____ Phone Number _____ Favorite restaurant dish _____ Served at _____

Clip 'n' file refunds

Cooking, baking needs Clip out this file and keep it with similar cash-off coupons - beverage refund offers with beverage coupons, for example. Start collecting the needed proofs of purchase while looking for the required forms at the supermarket, in newspapers and magazines, and when trading with friends.

Betty Crocker Super Moist Cake Mix (any flavor), Betty Crocker Creamy Deluxe Frosting (any flavor) and M&M's Plain or Peanut Chocolate Candies (12-ounce bag or larger). Expires March 31, 1986. NESTLE \$1.25 Refund Offer. Send the required refund form and two Universal Product Codes from two packages of any variety of Nestle Morsels. Expires March 31, 1986.

Judge is lenient to fellow judge

AND. Ore. (UPI) - A county judge who admitted he parked illegally in a zone reserved for the handicapped was found innocent by a fellow justice on grounds of "no evidence that a disabled person was deprived of a parking space."

because someone else was illegally parked in his reserved space, which he has used for 29 years. The judge said he forgot he had parked in the handicapped space. "There was no question I was parked in the handicapped zone," Thalhoffer said. "I don't blame Deputy Devine for giving me the ticket and I probably deserved the ticket."

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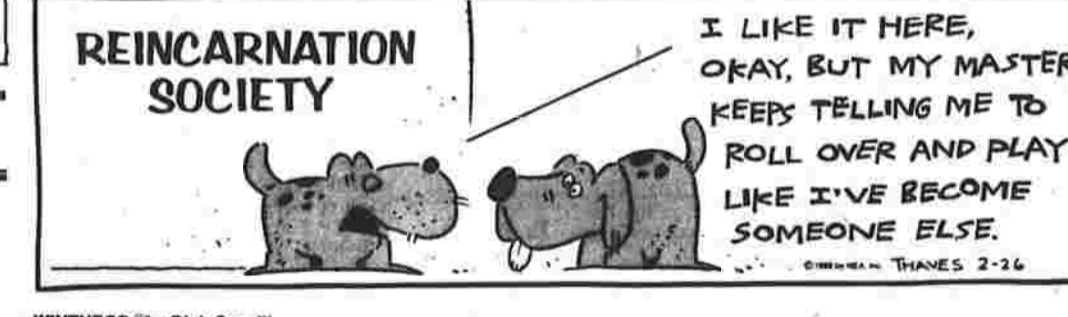
ALLEY OOP by Dave Grove



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BUGS BUNNY by Warner Bros.



Puzzles

Word puzzles including Across, Down, and a 15x15 grid. Includes clues for words like 'Heathen deity', 'Pickling spice', and 'Landing boat'.

Astrograph

Answer to Previous Puzzle: A loving and loyal friend will be of great help to you in the year ahead in improving your financial position. He will look out for your interest without having to be asked.

BRIDGE: North American championships had a distinctively Canadian flavor last year, with the spring meeting in Montreal and the fall tournament in Winnipeg.

Bridge

Bridge section with a table showing North-South and East-West hands and a commentary on a slam contract.

REINCARNATION SOCIETY

I LIKE IT HERE, OKAY, BUT MY MASTER KEEPS TELLING ME TO ROLL OVER AND PLAY LIKE I'VE BECOME SOMEONE ELSE.

Wednesday TV

- 6:00PM (3) Eyewitness News
(4) Diffrent Strakes
(5) Action News
(6) Hart to Hart
(7) Gimme a Break
(8) Knots Landing
(9) NewsCenter
(10) Doctor Who
(11) News
(12) Reporter 41
(13) MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour
(14) ESPN Meade SportsLook
(15) (HBO) Movie: 'Breath From Another Planet' (CC) A slave is pursued across the galaxy by a white bounty hunter...

- 7:00PM (3) CBS News
(4) The Company
(5) ABC News Magazine
(6) \$100,000 Pyramid
(7) Jeopardy!
(8) Carson's Comedy Classics
(9) M*A*S*H
(10) Wheel of Fortune
(11) MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour
(12) Newlywed Game
(13) Crust
(14) Nightly Business Report
(15) One Day at a Time
(16) CNN Magazine College Basketball Syracuse at St. Johns
(17) Muz Special: Dyango
(18) (HBO) On Location: Buddy Hackett II. On Stage at Caesar's, Atlanta, Ga. Buddy Hackett shows his true form in this uncensored special. (60 min.)
(19) 10:00PM (3) The Equalizer
(20) News
(21) (HBO) Annette's Hotel (CC) A Vietnam veteran recognizes a Vietnamese warbler as the man who once tortured him. (60 min.)
(22) (HBO) A man who once tortured him as a sensitive youth while on a school tour. (60 min.)
(23) (HBO) A man who once tortured him as a sensitive youth while on a school tour. (60 min.)
(24) (HBO) A man who once tortured him as a sensitive youth while on a school tour. (60 min.)

Cinema

Cinema listings for Hartford, including 'The Little Theatre of Manchester, Inc.' and 'Antonio's Restaurant'.



'We Are the World' wins four Grammys at ceremony

LOS ANGELES — "We Are the World," the all-star record that raised millions for starving Africans, capped 13 months of emotional and commercial success with four Grammys...

off stage in tears. Tina Turner, a major winner last year, was named best rock female vocalist for "One of the Living" single. Don Henley, a previous winner as a drummer and singer with the Eagles, won on his own as best rock male vocalist for "The Boys of Summer."

Composer Jan Hammer was a double winner for his "Miami Vice Theme," for best pop instrumental performance and instrumental composition. Trumpeter Wynton Marsalis won two jazz instrumental Grammys.

Antonio's Restaurant advertisement featuring 'FREE Liter of Soda' and 'LARGE PIZZA' with dinner specials.

Advice

D.A. questions the value of therapy

DEAR ABBY: This concerns the letter from the woman who wrote me...

Dear Abby
Abigail Van Buren

grams that provide treatment without incarceration...

DEAR MR. MOORE: Of all the DENNIS W. MOORE, DISTRICT ATTORNEY...

Specialist may ease tissue irritation

DEAR DR. GOTT: After two and a half years of testing following a severe car accident...

Dr. Gott
Peter Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: Is there any evidence that high doses of aspirin can affect the pancreas?

DEAR READER: Aspirin does not commonly affect the pancreas...

Lumps in batter improve pancakes

DEAR POLLY: Why do pancake recipes say that a few lumps should be left in the batter?

Pointers
Polly Fisher

DEAR SUSAN: The ideal pancake is a light and tender creation...

DEAR POLLY: Everytime I make stuffing for a turkey or chicken...

Thoughts

In Luke 4:1-12 we see Jesus fasting in the desert as he contemplates his role of Messiah...

Gentle rule of Rome: I'm sure a people of Jesus wished to free them and rule over them in righteousness...

DEAR ABBY: This is for "Melissa" and all the other people who insist that smokers have rights...

DEAR ABBY: This is my first letter to you, but I need to know what you and your readers think of the enclosed request printed at the bottom of a wedding invitation we received...

DEAR SEEN: Requesting money - unless specifically asked what the couple "needs" - shows very poor taste...

Wilson celebrate 54th



MR. AND MRS. DONALD K. WILSON ... married 54 years

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Day-care proposal criticized

Harris favors current system

By John Gustafson
The Associated Press

HARTFORD - A legislative committee headed in the wrong direction with a bill providing for a voucher payment system for day care in Connecticut...

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Flight claim draws fire

Wright devotees say their man was first

KILL DEVIL HILLS, N.C. (AP) - The head of the First Flight Society says a 1903 flight by Orville Wright was witnessed and photographed "by reputable citizens..."

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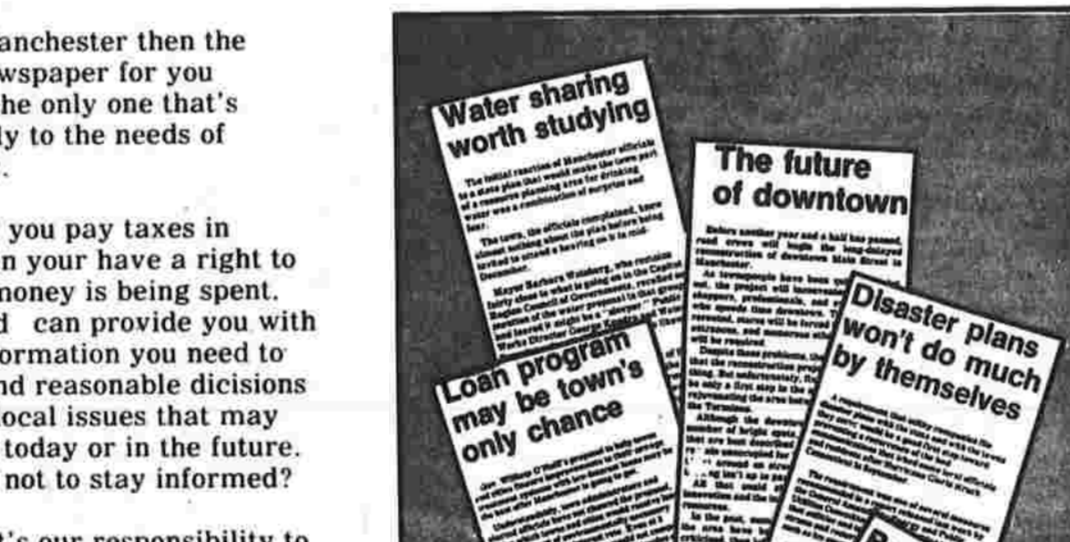
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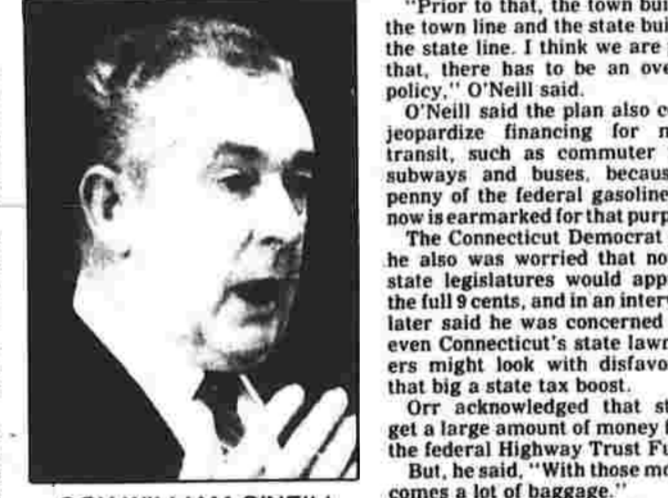
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GOV WILLIAM O'NEILL

WASHINGTON - Connecticut Gov. William A. O'Neill says that even though the National Governors' Association agreed with him and rejected a call for transferring highway programs from the federal government to the states, the idea may not be dead.

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The Quiz

THE QUIZ IS PART OF THIS NEWSPAPER'S NEWSPEAPER IN EDUCATION PROGRAM



Worldscope (10 points for each question answered correctly)

1 Several states have banned the sale of Tylenol pills after recent findings showed some of the pills contained a painkiller...

2 The commission investigating the space shuttle disaster recently suggested that the decision to launch the shuttle Challenger...

3 Repeating his claim that new taxes will be needed to reduce the deficit, House Speaker Thomas "Tip" O'Neill called on Congress...

4 Chief Justice Warren Burger recently chided the American Bar Association for opposing the creation of an intermediate appeals court to relieve an overburdened Supreme Court.

5 Mario Soares recently became Portugal's first (CHOSE ONE: military, civilian) head of state in 60 years.

6 Patti Davis, daughter of J.F.K., has said it was cathartic to write "Home Front," an autobiographical novel that describes the life of a fictional daughter of a California governor.

7 Leaving eight crashed cars bound for the junk yard, (CHOSE ONE: Geoff Bodine, Dale Earnhardt), won almost \$200,000 for his efforts in the recent Daytona 500.

8 Several baseball players are demanding one-million dollar plus contracts this season. The Met's star pitcher (CHOSE ONE: Bret Saberhagen, Dwight Gooden) signed for \$1.2 million.

9 YOUR SCORE: 81 to 100 points - TOP SCORE; 71 to 80 points - Good; 61 to 70 points - Fair; 51 to 60 points - Excellent; 41 to 50 points - Poor; 31 to 40 points - Knowledge Unlimited, Inc. 224-98

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Secretary, various diversified duties in a small manufacturing production office, full time interesting position available. Apply in person: Gunner Manufacturing Co. 234 Hartford Road, Manchester.

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BUSINESS

Singer returns to its roots

Subsidiary will put company back in sewing business

By Peter S. Howes, The Associated Press

STAMFORD — The Singer Co. hasn't found a chief executive or a name for the new company it intends to create when it spins off its sewing and furniture businesses. But its strategy already is in place, according to Joseph B. Flavin, chairman of the Stamford-based company that once dominated the international sewing industry. When it first emerges, the offering will resemble the Singer of almost three decades ago. It will begin life with the main household products — sewing machines and dining and bedroom sets — that were Singer's cornerstones from its founding in 1850 until it began a transition into a largely high-tech defense contractor in the 1960s. Financially, the new company will share Singer's pre-diversification size as well. In 1985, the last year in which Singer's businesses were primarily sewing and furniture, Singer had revenues of \$447.4 million. The new company should have first-year revenues of about \$500 million, Flavin said. Similarities end there, however, as the new company's structure will differ vastly from that in place at Singer as the 1980s draw to a close. Changing economic and a slow-growing U.S. market are expanding Singer's interna-

operations — and a great percentage of their markets — overseas and forced the company out of the financially draining retail business. SINGER HAS CLOSED A number of plants in the United States, Great Britain and Germany, moving the operations to less expensive labor markets in South America, Asia and Europe. Employment in Singer's sewing and furniture operations has shrunk from 1983's 50,000 workers to a projected 17,000 or 18,000 for the new company, according to company figures. Much of the decline can be attributed to the divestment of Singer's once 2,000-strong chain of retail stores. Starting in the late 1970s, Singer closed or sold all but a handful of the stores through which it once sold its sewing machines. The spin-off company will continue to sell sewing machines through about 4,000 non-Singer outlets and will sell its furniture through such stores as Sears, Roebuck & Co., J.C. Penney and other retail outlets. In its search for growth, Flavin said, the new company intends to focus on several areas. • Third World and developing countries where he said demand for sewing machines is strong. • Increasing its share of a slow-growing U.S. market. • Expanding Singer's interna-

tional presence as a trading company that buys such products as videocassette recorders, televisions and stereo systems from third parties and sells them to the public under Singer's name. Singer announced last week that its board had authorized management to investigate the possibility of combining the furniture and sewing businesses and molding them into a new company that would be distributed to Singer stockholders as a special dividend. FLAVIN SAID in an interview Tuesday that he expects the spinoff to be completed by summer. While most of the new company's managers would be Singer executives currently in sewing and furniture operations, a chief executive has yet to be hired. When the management is in place, the company will be named, Flavin said. "It would be confusing to have two Singers," he said. Nevertheless, he said, "Singer" would remain in the name to retain product recognition among sewing-machine users. "It's my guess that the U.S. operation would be something like the new corporation — 'Singer' with no difference abroad," he said. Wall Street has reacted favorably to Singer's announcement. The company's stock has risen from \$40 per share before it to \$48.25 as

of Tuesday morning. Most analysts said the new company showed good potential. "Its markets aren't bad, it has a new product line and, of course, it'll be in wholesaling without the overhead of the retail stores," said Morton Langer, an analyst with Bear, Stearns & Co. "I think it'll do better than most people think." Flavin said the new company initially would rent space at Singer's Stamford headquarters and would have about 3,500 domestic employees. WHILE ABOUT 50 percent of the company's workforce would be based abroad, about half of its business would be done overseas and half in the United States, Flavin said. The company will start a debt of about \$100 million, he said. Flavin would not predict the growth potential for the new company, although he said the domestic sewing machine market likely will grow only 2 percent or 3 percent per year in the near future. The real growth, he said, would come from developing nations "where the demand is pent-up." As for expansion, Flavin said the domestic sewing machine market likely will grow only 2 percent or 3 percent per year in the near future. The real growth, he said, would come from developing nations "where the demand is pent-up." As for expansion, Flavin said the domestic sewing machine market likely will grow only 2 percent or 3 percent per year in the near future. The real growth, he said, would come from developing nations "where the demand is pent-up."



Teledisc arrives

An employee in Rochester, N.Y., examines a sample of the Eastman Kodak Co.'s advanced dual lens arrangement for the newly-introduced tele-disc camera, which offers both normal and telephoto options. Each lens in the compact configuration has three elements.

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02 HELP WANTED
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08 HELP WANTED
Live-In Housekeeper/Companion for elderly man. 299-2252 before 4:30, 643-9808 after 5:30.

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Lathes and Bridgeport operators with own set-up experience. OT, insurance, vacation and holidays. See Ed or Bruce, L.E. Hall & Sons, Route 22, South Willington, 429-0510.

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ANSWER: You can, but there's no reason in the world for you to go to that trouble. You can redeem your bonds through any bank or savings and loan association that is a "paying agent" for U.S. Savings Bonds, free of redemption charge. All Savings Bond paying agents are specifically prohibited from charging the public for cashing those bonds. The U.S. Treasury Department pays fees to Savings Bond paying agents for that chore.

This applies to all types of Savings Bonds — E, EE, H, HH and the old Savings Notes.

There's a wrinkle, here. Some Savings Bond paying agent banks and S&Ls do lay on fees for providing Form 1099s, which list accumulated and taxable interest on Es, EEs and Savings Notes when they are redeemed.

When you cash an H or HH bond received in exchange for Es, EEs or Savings Notes, you have to pay federal income tax on that old E, EE or Saving Note interest. But you get a 1099 from the Treasury Department — not your local bank.

Well over 90 percent of all banks are Savings Bond paying agents. It's possible, but unlikely, that your bank is free to hit you with a charge for redeeming your bonds because it is not a Savings Bond paying agent. If that's the case, go to a bank or S&L that is. Provide adequate identification and your bonds will



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William A. Doyle

be redeemed, without charge.

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Please, dear readers, don't confuse the procedure on Savings Bonds with those for U.S. Treasury securities. Banks can and do charge fees for the purchase, sale, redemption and rollover of U.S. Treasury bonds, notes and bills.

QUESTION: I own some Series HH, U.S. Savings Bonds, on which interest is due April 1 and November 1. The Nov. 1 1985 interest check was not received. I wrote a letter to the Department of Treasury, Parkersburg, West Va. 26106. No answer to date.

Do I have to pay income tax on interest I never received?

ANSWER: In January, you should have received a

Form 1099, listing the amount of your 1985 HH bond interest. The Internal Revenue Service gets copies of all 1099s. If you don't report that interest on your federal income tax return, the revenue computer will go "bll" and you'll hear from them.

You could enclose a note with your return, explaining the problem and stating you'll report and pay tax on that interest for 1986, by which time you should have the missing interest. That, of course, would be a hassle. The easier way would be to report the interest on your 1985 return.

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Doyle welcomes written questions, but he can provide answers only through the column.

Business In Brief

Stocks nearing 1,700 level

NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market headed higher today, making a new bid to surpass the 1,700 level in the Dow Jones Industrial average. Dow Jones' average of 30 blue-chip stocks rose 2.18 to 1,694.84 in the first hour of trading.

Gainers took a narrow lead over losers in the early rally of New York Stock Exchange-listed issues.

Eastern Airlines rose 1/4 to 8 3/4 and Texas Air, traded on the American Stock Exchange, slipped 1/4 to 2 1/4. Texas Air is moving to acquire Eastern.

The recently depressed oil issues, which rallied a bit on Tuesday, were steady to slightly higher today. Mobil gained 1/4 to 30 1/4, and Exxon was unchanged at 54 1/4.

The NYSE's 10 a.m. composite index of all its listed common stocks was up .03 at 108.96. At the close, the market value index rose .38 to 252.80. On Tuesday the Dow Jones industrial average fell 2.82 to 1,692.66.

Declining issues outnumbered advances by about 9 to 7 on the NYSE. Big Board volume totaled 147.96 million shares, against 144.87 million in the previous session.

Value of U.S. crops drops

WASHINGTON — The value of U.S. crop production dropped 5 percent last year to an estimated \$75.5 billion from \$79.4 billion in 1984, according to an annual report by the Agriculture Department.

Farmers harvested bumper crops in 1985, but market prices were down \$2.22 in 1984, when total crop production was worth \$82 billion.

The record 1985 corn harvest, the traditional crop leader, was worth \$21.3 billion, up from about \$20.1 billion in 1984. Last year's average price at the farm was projected at \$2.41 per bushel, compared with \$2.62 in 1984.

Official estimates said that the estimates were based on production multiplied by estimated prices for the various commodities so far this season. The dollar amounts are not the same as "farm marketings" of crops, which reflect the value of commodities actually sold by farmers. The annual figures do provide a look at the book of crops, however, and can be useful in comparing one commodity with another.

Dollar mixed in Europe

LONDON — The dollar opened mixed in Europe today after bouncing back against the yen in Friday trading. The price of gold fell.

The dollar began trading marginally down in Frankfurt at 2,255 marks against 2,250 at the close Tuesday, but it posted a slight gain in Zurich, opening at 1.8942 franc compared with 1.8887.

In London, the pound sterling traded lower against the dollar at \$1.4555 against \$1.4552. The dollar opened fractionally higher in Paris at 6.9375 francs compared with 6.9315.

In Tokyo, the dollar bounced back against the yen in moderate trading to close at 181.85 yen against 180.80 yen Tuesday. It rose to \$1.55 Canadian Tuesday from Monday's \$1.5277.

Gold opened at \$346.75 an ounce, down from \$351.50, and at \$345.95 in London, off from \$350.25. Silver started trading at \$5.45 in Zurich, down from \$6.65, and in London it was \$5.88 against \$5.99.

State firm plans layoffs

NORTH BRANFORD — Most of Picker International Inc.'s 240 workers here face layoffs as their employer makes plans to close its town plant and move the operations to Cleveland, a company official says.

Picker, one of North Branford's largest employers and taxpayers, said on Monday that it would close its nuclear and ultrasound imaging products plant in the Northford section of town.

"We're going to do everything we possibly can to make the transition easier for the employees," said Jerry Cirino, spokesman for the Cleveland-based Picker, which is owned by General Electric of the United Kingdom.

Cirino said some employees, mostly technical staff and managers, will be offered jobs in Cleveland. But most workers will be laid off during the next four months, he said.

Picker had employed as many as 700 people in the New Haven region since 1983, but has steadily reduced employment in the last six years. The company plans to sell the factory, which was built with funds from the Connecticut Development Authority, Cirino said.

Farmland market finds two-tiered price system

NEW YORK (AP) — Prices of some prime, cornbelt farmlands are beginning to stabilize after having fallen 50 percent from their 1979 peak, bringing disaster to farmers, bankers and entire rural communities.

But before the rebuilding begins, according to one of the country's largest farm management companies, a final wave of farmer bankruptcies is likely later this year in certain areas where lands are less productive.

A two-tier market has developed, said William Ball, president of the Kansas City-based Oppenheimer Industries, a farmland broker and operator of 800,000 acres for owners, many of them absentee investors.

In the upper tier, land values may already have begun rising, said Ball, but only in a narrow band of highly productive acreage from northern Indiana through central and northern Illinois into eastern Iowa.

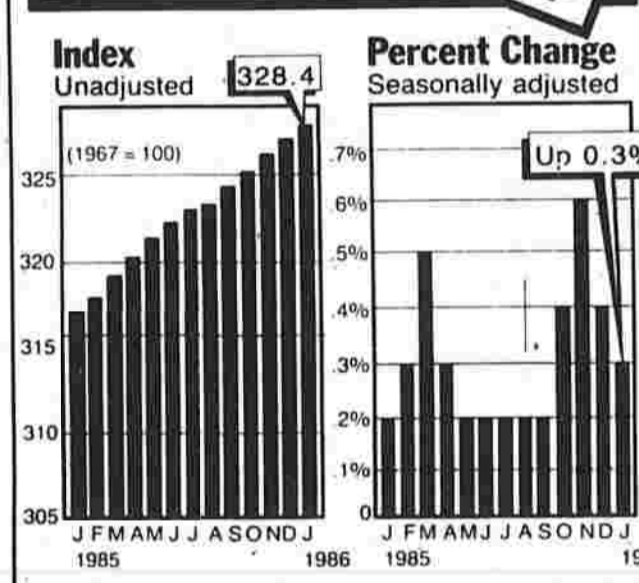
"Where the land is of high quality and the operations are good there should be no further decline," he believes.

The lower tier, where prices are still falling, includes southern Iowa, Northern Missouri and parts of Nebraska, where acreage is less productive and often incapable of producing a profit at today's prices.

Ball believes many farmers in this lower tier will be unable to obtain loans to plant crops and stay in business. "The land will have to go back to grass," he said, meaning its best use might be as pasture.

"There will be a centralization (in larger towns) of most business activity," brought about not just by economics but by improved transportation in recent years. "Business prospects in small towns are likely to dry up. They won't be an automobile dealer in towns of less than 20,000."

Consumer Prices



Moderate Increase

Consumer prices rose a modest 0.3 percent in January, stemming a late 1985 surge, as meat and imported oil costs declined, the Labor Department reported Tuesday.

The consumer price index, after adjustments for seasonal factors, was the lowest since a 0.2 percent increase in September.

Norden Systems president announces plans to retire

HARTFORD (UPI) — Herman A. Michelson, president of United Technologies' Norden Systems, is retiring after more than 33 years with the company, UTC has announced.

Michelson, 55, became president of Norden in 1979, and during his tenure as the company's top official saw its annual revenue increase from less than \$100 million to more than \$800 million in 1985, said William F. Paul, senior vice president for UTC's Defense and Space Systems.

After Michelson became president, Norden grew from being a company which produced only components and subsystems into a major designer and builder of complete, advanced-technology electronic, propulsion and space systems. Paul said Tuesday.

Michelson said he was retiring early "in order to do some things I've been wanting to do for a long

The United States and Cuba signed an accord in 1973 that called for the prosecution or extradition of those who hijacked planes or ships.

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Gerber's third-quarter sales, earnings decline

By John F. Kirch, Herald Reporter

Gerber Scientific Inc. of South Windsor reported Monday that sales for the quarter that ended Jan. 31 decreased 6 percent, while consolidated net earnings for the same period declined 26 percent from third-quarter earnings last year.

Gerber, which manufactures high-technology factory automation products and has a plant in Manchester, said net earnings went from \$6.3 million during the third quarter in 1985 to \$4.7 million in the period this year. Earnings per share fell from 36 cents in the third quarter of last year to 27 cents this year.

Sales for the first nine months of Gerber's fiscal year, which began June 1, decreased 11 percent to \$142 million, compared to \$159 million the previous year. Consolidated net earnings in this year's first three quarters were \$13 million, a decrease of 28 percent from net earnings of \$18 million for the same period last year. Earnings per share were 76 cents during the first nine months of this fiscal year, down from \$1.07 for the same period last year.

But Gerber said its financial condition "remained very strong."

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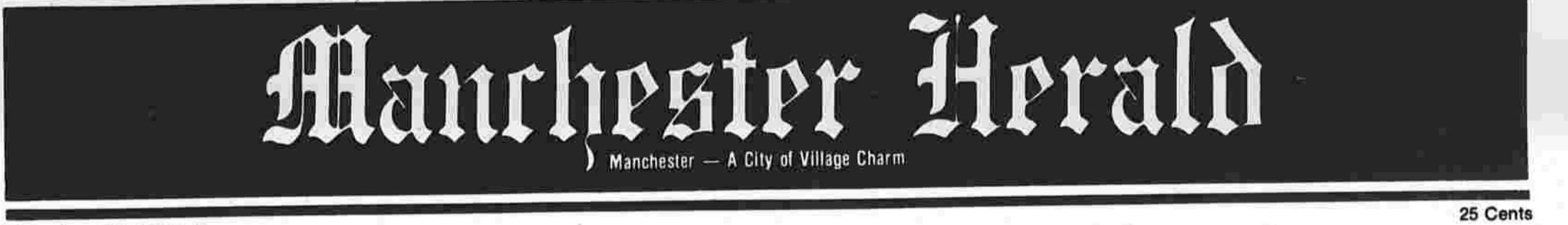
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Scholar praises actions

San Juan says democracy won

By John F. Kirch, Herald Reporter

President Ferdinand E. Marcos's departure from power Tuesday after 20 years of tight control means more democracy for Filipinos and will have little effect on the United States, a University of Connecticut scholar said Wednesday.

Epifanio San Juan Jr., a Philippines native who has taught English at UConn since 1968 and is an author on Filipino affairs, said the Reagan administration had made the best policy move possible by recognizing the government of President Corason C. Aquino, who replaced Marcos. The quick recognition should reduce tensions between the two countries, San Juan said.

"Everyone knows that President Reagan likes Mr. Marcos personally," San Juan said. "But in the last week he had to listen to many opinions in Congress."

After reports of widespread election fraud on the part of Marcos supporters, members of Congress began calling for cuts in aid to the Philippines, which averages about \$250 million a year, and for Marcos to resign.

San Juan believes that the president's special envoy to the Philippines, Philip C. Habib, may have passed a subtle word along to the Philippine military that America was ready for a change.

Habib probably indicated that there was a need for reform in the military and that the U.S. would support any change in the military," San Juan said, alluding to Marcos's control of the military and reports of corruption.

"I think he (Habib) made some observations that were interpreted to encourage the acts of Ramos and Enrile."

Gen. Fidel V. Ramos and Defense Minister Juan Ponce Enrile, both close Marcos associates during his years in power, took control of a military base last weekend and called on Marcos to resign. The move was seen by many as the straw that broke the camel's back for the regime.

Because of the American recognition of the new government, San Juan said, the people of the Philippines will not hold a grudge against the United States as a result of its long support of Marcos.

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President Reagan poses in the Oval Office Wednesday after delivering his speech on defense to the nation. The president warned that attempts to cut military spending are "reckless, dangerous and wrong" and will put America's security in jeopardy.

Congress cool to hikes

Reagan reiterates stance on defense

By W. Dale Nelson, The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — President Reagan says proposed cuts in his defense budget would be "back to the most irresponsible kind," but some of his strongest supporters in Congress predict he faces a stiff fight against his military buildup.

The president, speaking from his desk as snow fell outside an Oval Office window, said in a televised speech Wednesday night that because of his policies, "American strength is once again a sheltering arm for freedom in a dangerous world."

"Just as we are sitting down at the bargaining table with the Soviet Union, let's not throw America's trust away," he said, noting congressional proposals to cut as much as \$50 billion from his \$20 billion military spending request.

"This is reckless, dangerous and wrong," he said. "It's backsliding of the most irresponsible kind."

House Democratic leader Jim Wright of Texas, in his party's response to the president's address, said defense cuts are needed to reduce budget deficits that "themselves pose a danger to our national security."

Wright's Republican counterpart, Rep. Robert Michel of Illinois, said, "I'm going to do my best to support the president's request, but I recognize full well he is not going to get everything he is asking for."

Sen. John Warner, R-Va., an administration supporter on the Senate Armed Services Committee, said, "I am for a strong defense, but I won't commit to an exact figure at this time. I think the element of fairness has to be shown throughout our analysis of the budget, both on the defense and the non-defense side."

Even Sen. Strom Thurmond of South Carolina, a Reagan booster who is the second-ranking Republican on the Armed Services panel, conceded, "We may not be able to get as much as the president

Soviet satellite hits Australia after 'burnout'

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. (UPI) — A Soviet satellite that may have had a nuclear power plant aboard re-entered the Earth's atmosphere and "burned out" over north-central Australia early today, officials of the North American Aerospace Defense Command said.

The re-entry was tracked on radar and there were no initial reports of anyone sighting debris, NORAD spokesman Del Kindschi said.

"We have confirmation the satellite re-entered at (7:15 a.m. EST) over north-central Australia," Kindschi said. "It was hit by light which could be seen. We sometimes get reports of people sighting something but it might take a while for those to come in."

Kindschi said the closest city to the re-entry point is Darwin.

Another spokesman said all crashed in the icy wilderness of northwestern Canada. Some radioactive fragments were recovered there, but there were no reports of casualties or damage in the sparsely inhabited northwest area of Canada where the fragments landed.

This is the second known satellite incident involving Australia.

On July 11, 1979, the United States' 77-ton unmanned space station Skylab broke up while re-entering the atmosphere and came down in a shower of pieces over the Indian Ocean and Western Australia. There were no reports of injuries or property damage, but then President Carter sent apologies to Australian Prime Minister Malcolm Fraser.

"Receiving Skylab is an honor we should have happily foregone," Fraser responded by adding he would "happily" exchange the pieces of the spacecraft for better U.S. import quotas on Australian beef.

Town officials shut Nike site gun range

The building that houses the rifle range at the town-owned Nike Site has been closed because of several building code violations found by the Building Department earlier this week. Recreation Director Scott Sprague said this morning.

Sprague said that the violations involve deficiencies in the electrical system and exhaust equipment. The building will be closed immediately, he said.

Chief Building Inspector Russell L. Davidson confirmed today that the building was inspected Tuesday, but said he had not completed all of the violations.

The indoor rifle range is open to the public several times a week and is also rented by private groups for recreational purposes and by companies for training security personnel, Sprague said.

The barracks-style building is one of several at the former missile site that have been used by the Recreation Department. The Recreation Department offices were housed in one of the buildings until they were moved to the former Highland Park School more than a year ago.

Sprague said he will be preparing a full report on the cost and extent of the repairs needed.

TODAY'S HERALD

Rockwell's turn

The Rogers commission called five officials from the company that built Challenger to testify today into the chain of events that led to the shuttle disaster. The panel wanted to hear about worries Rockwell International managers might have had about the launch. Story on page 4.

Chilly night

Clearing and cold tonight with lows in the teens along the coast to the single numbers over the colder interior sections. Partly sunny and continued cold Friday. Details on page 2.

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Lawyer seeks acquittal for pope plot suspects

ROME (AP) — The prosecutor in the pope plot trial said today there was not enough evidence to support the charge that three Bulgarians were involved in an alleged plot to kill Pope John Paul II.

Prosecutor Antonio Marini asked for the three defendants' acquittal under a provision in Italian law that would not amount to clearing them of suspicion. Marini's presentation means the prosecution believes the defendants might be guilty, but it does not have enough evidence to support the case.

The court of two judges and six jurors is not bound by Marini's request.

The prosecutor has demanded life sentences for two of the three Turkish defendants and said he will likely seek the same for the third.

Marini has spent more than 30 hours over 10 days discussing the alleged conspiracy behind the May 13, 1981, shooting of the pope in St. Peter's Square carried out by Turkish terrorist Mehmet Ali Agca.

Robert Penn Warren becomes nation's poet

WASHINGTON (AP) — Robert Penn Warren, a widely respected American man of letters and three-time winner of the Pulitzer Prize for poetry and fiction, has been named the first "poet laureate" of the United States.

The announcement Wednesday by Librarian of Congress Daniel J. Boorstin said Warren, 80, will assume the largely ceremonial office next Oct. 1 for a one-year term that may be extended for a second year.

A resident of Fairfield, Conn., Warren is expected to receive annual pay of \$35,000 from the proceeds of a private endowment created at the Library of Congress 50 years ago to establish a "consultant in poetry."

In an attempt to enhance the public recognition and prestige of

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