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# Manchester Herald

Manchester - A City of Village Charm

Thursday, April 24, 1986

## Switch means GOP primary will take place

By George Lovno  
Herald Reporter

Republican Registrar of Voters Mary Willhide set the stage for a May 20 GOP primary this morning by reversing her controversial decision to invalidate a number of primary petition sheets collected by supporters of gubernatorial candidate Gerald Labriola.

The turnaround means a threatened court battle to overturn her decision will not be waged, but Willhide said she still believes she was correct when she rejected 135 signatures collected by Republican town directors William Diana and Thomas Ferguson.

"I have got to change my position, but I still maintain my interpretation is right," she said. "It has been a gray area for years and I was doing my job."

The reversal means both parties will hold delegate primaries next month. On the Democratic side, Toby Moffett has filed a challenge slate against the town committee-endorsed slate, which contains only delegates for incumbent Gov. William O'Neill.

Willhide said she was forced to reverse herself because Town Attorney Kevin O'Brien advised her Wednesday afternoon she was in "a no-win situation." She said an opinion issued by the secretary of the state's office holding that she should have accepted the 13 pages of signatures made any court battle useless.

"I'm not happy," she said. Willhide based her earlier decision on a state statute that forbids delegates on an endorsed slate from collecting primary petition signatures on behalf of a challenge slate of delegates that favors another candidate.

Ferguson and Diana, who support Labriola, are on the 16-member endorsed slate that contains mostly supporters of GOP gubernatorial candidate Richard Bozzuto. However, the two are also on the challenge slate that favors Labriola and wants to represent the town at this summer's nominating convention.



Stick 'em up

With all the furor over "elimination" of two-stick ice pops, Pet Dairy of Johnson City, Tenn., hastens to say it isn't so. Kevin Toney, 12, and Rebecca Booker, 5, split one. The double-stick, double-value pop caught on during the Depression, and now industry sales of frozen snacks amount to \$1.5 billion annually.

## Lingering cold snap damages fruit

By The Associated Press

A cold snap lingered today from the Great Lakes to the Carolinas after temperatures plunged to record lows in 14 states, causing millions of dollars of damage to fruit crops and dropping up to 2 feet of snow as winter weather gave the East one last shiver.

The surprise snowfall reached as far south as Virginia, snarling traffic and closing schools in New York and New Jersey.

"I couldn't believe it," said Christine Wilsey, a New York state police dispatcher in Oneonta, where 6 inches of snow fell Wednesday. "On Saturday, I was out in my backyard in a bathing suit."

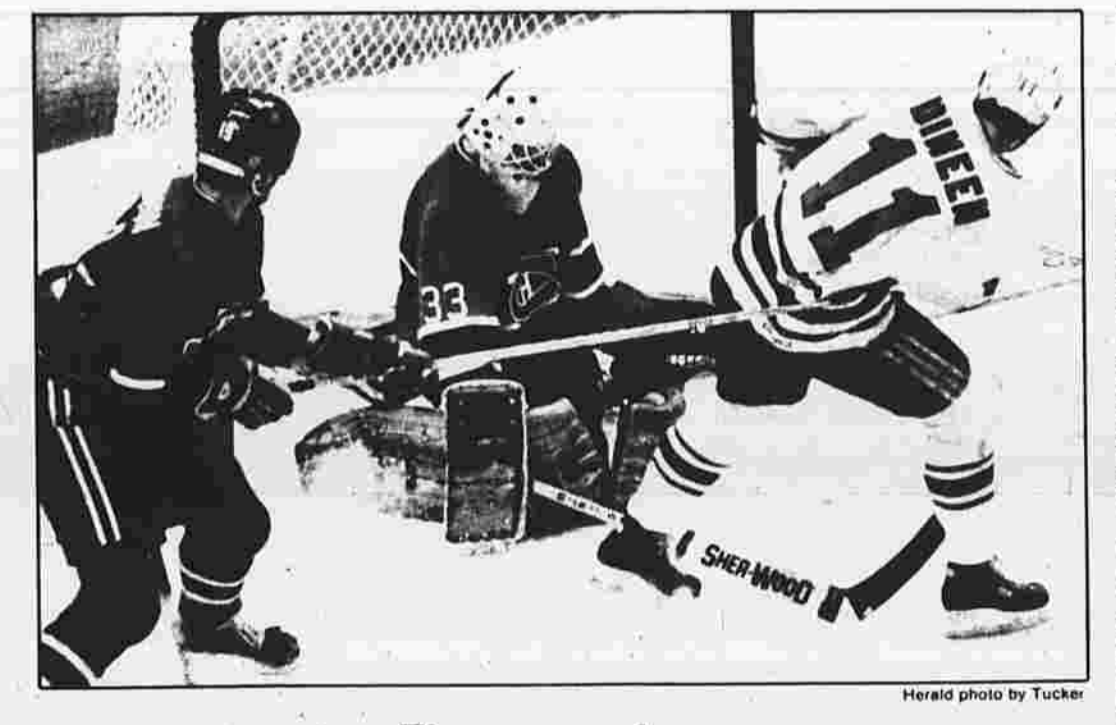
The highest reported snowfall was 24 inches in Eldred, N.Y., in the Catskill Mountains near the Pennsylvania border.

Gene Hathaway of the National Weather Service at Newark (N.J.) International Airport, where two-thirds of an inch of snow fell, said the old record of just a trace set in 1963 and 1988.

Record low temperatures Wednesday extended as far south as Miami, where the 37-degree reading was 2 degrees colder than the 1970 record, and as far west as Lake Charles, La., where the 48 degrees was 2 degrees lower than a 1934 record.

Meanwhile, the 84-degree reading at Aberdeen, S.D., tied an 86-year-old record for the date and was 9 degrees warmer than the high at Key West, Fla.

Tender fruit crops suffered widespread damage in Kentucky, Michigan, Indiana, West Virginia and Ohio. Most agriculture officials said damage could not be determined immediately.



The game-winner

Kevin Dineen of the Hartford Whalers swoops in front of the Montreal Canadiens goal and deposits the puck behind goalie Patrick Roy for the game-winner Wednesday night at 1:07 overtime at the Civic Center. Dineen's goal gave the Whalers a 2-1 victory, evening the best-of-seven Adams Division final at two games apiece. Story and more pictures on page 15.

## Two groups claim role in bombing

LONDON (AP) - A bomb exploded before dawn today outside the ground floor office of British Airways on Oxford Street, London's main shopping thoroughfare. The blast touched off a fire, but few people were in the area and only one passer-by was treated for shock.

Two groups claimed responsibility for the bombing, the latest in a series of terrorist acts aimed at British targets since Britain supported the U.S. bombing raid on Libya.

Press Association, the British news agency, said it was contacted by the Angry Brigade, an anarchist group, which claimed it planned the bomb in retaliation for British involvement in the bombing of Libya. Also claiming responsibility, Press Association said, was the Scottish National Liberation Army, a group seeking independence for Scotland.

The 4:50 a.m. blast and fire blew out one large window in the six-story building, and shattered and blackened others. Charred walls could be seen inside. The sidewalk was covered with glass shards, and there was some apparent structural damage.

The explosion also blew out windows in other buildings in the area, and police said it was heard several miles away.

Police cordoned off Oxford Street to search for other devices, snarling morning rush-hour traffic. The street reopened seven hours after the explosion, but the area around state-owned British Airways was sealed off as forensic experts went over the debris. Police said they closed Victoria Station, the busiest in London, and evacuated the area for several minutes this morning because of a bomb scare which turned out to be a hoax.

No one was reported injured by the explosion on Oxford Street, but a woman was treated for shock, said Chief Superintendent Hugh Blenkins of Scotland Yard. Firefighters extinguished the fire that broke out after the explosion in about an hour, confining it mostly to the airline office, one of 10 in London.

American Airlines and American Express have counters in the British Airways office, but Scotland Yard spokesman Philip Powell said the British airline appeared to be the target of the bomb. The U.S. Embassy is a few hundred yards from the building where the bomb went off.

The British government has been severely criticized at home and abroad for allowing the United States to use F-111 warplanes based in Britain in the April 15 bombing raids on Libya.

## TODAY'S HERALD

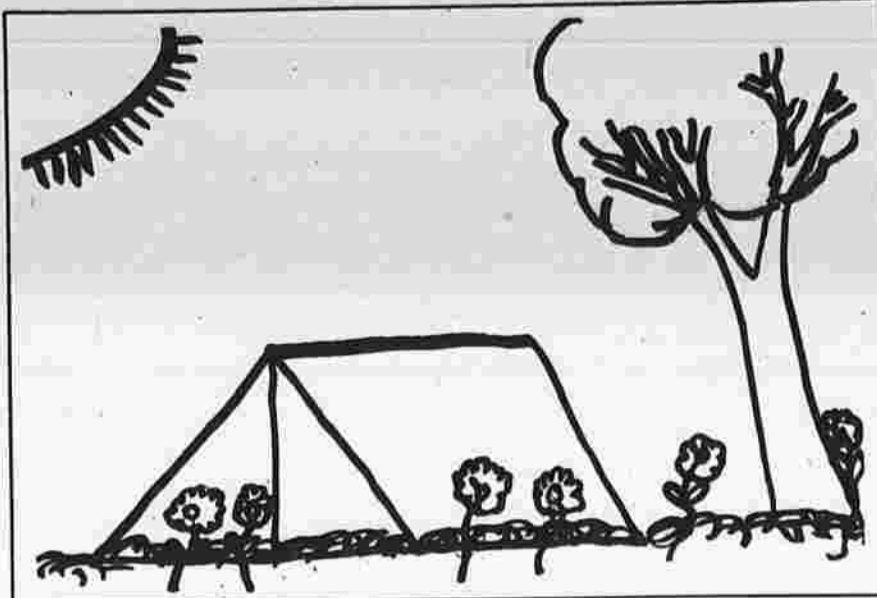
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# WEATHER



## Today's forecast

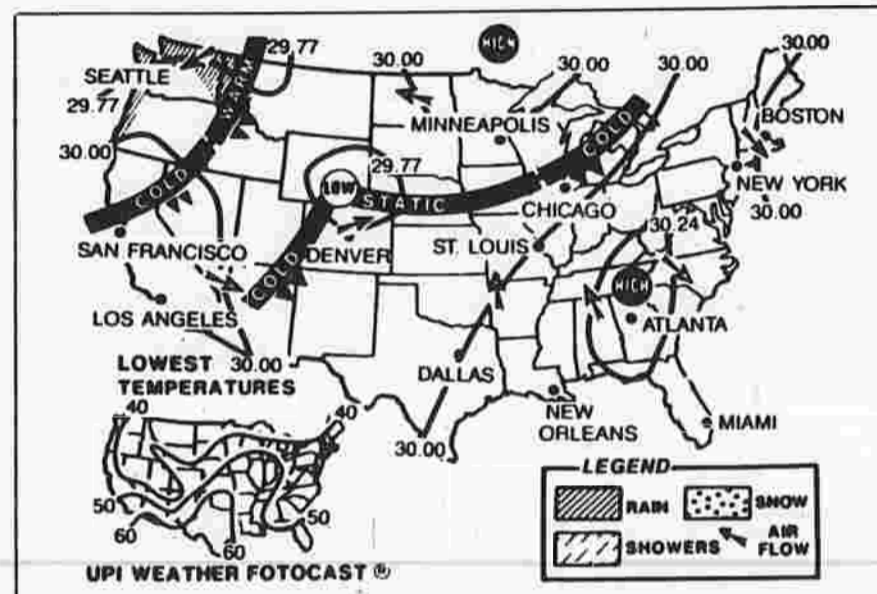
Connecticut, Massachusetts and Rhode Island: Partly sunny and milder today. High in the 50s at the shore, the low 60s well inland. Clear tonight. Lows 40 to 45. Sunny Friday. Milder inland. High in the 50s along the coast, the low 70s well inland. Maine: Partly sunny today with partial clearing showers elsewhere today with partial clearing southwest this afternoon. High 50 to 60. Partly cloudy tonight. Low 35 to 45. Mostly cloudy north and variable cloudiness south Friday. High in the 50s and 60s. Vermont: Mostly sunny, breezy and mild today. High in the 50s. Some clouds north tonight, clear south. Cool, lows in the 30s. Clouding up Friday, milder, high 55 to 65.

## Extended outlook

Extended outlook for New England Saturday through Monday: Connecticut, Massachusetts and Rhode Island: Fair through the period. Overnight lows in the 40s. Daytime highs in the 60s. Vermont: Chance of showers Saturday, dry Sunday and Monday. High in the 60s, lows in the upper 30s and 40s. Maine: Fair through the period. High in the upper 50s and 60s Saturday and in the 50s Sunday and Monday. Lows in the 40s Saturday and 30 to 40 Sunday and Monday. New Hampshire: Fair. High in the 60s Saturday cooling to the 50s Sunday and Monday. Lows in the 40s Saturday and 30 to 40 Sunday and Monday.

## Sunny and milder

Mostly sunny today and milder with a high in the low 60s; wind north 10 to 15 mph. Clear tonight with low around 40; wind diminishing to nearly calm. Sunny and milder Friday with high around 70. Today's weather picture was drawn by Winston Cobb, 10, a fourth-grader at Washington School.



## National forecast

During early Friday morning rain is forecast for parts of the extreme Northwest Coast and parts of the Northern Intermountain Region. Rain is also possible in parts of the Northwest Coast States, the Northern Plains and parts of the extreme North Atlantic Coast. Elsewhere, the weather will be fair.

# PEOPLE

## Bachelor party

If you can't make it to Hyannis for Saturday's nuptials, you can catch the bridegroom on television Friday night. On the eve of his wedding to Maria Shriver, Arnold Schwarzenegger will be a guest host on NBC's "Friday Night Videos," which airs right after "The Tonight Show" at 12:30 a.m. Schwarzenegger will share hosting duties with comedian Jay Leno, a veteran of married life who will offer the strongman lots of on-screen advice... like how to get along with his (Kennedy) in-laws.

## Quote of the day

Sen. Frank Lautenberg, D-N.J., criticizing a Justice Department decision not to seek an indictment against Palestine Liberation Organization chief Yasser Arafat for the 1973 murders of two U.S. diplomats in the Sudan: "If this is the way we arrest, indict and prosecute terrorists, they have nothing to worry about."

## Hooray for Hollywood

The Hollywood business district, long in need of a facelift, will herald a planned 30-year renovation in epic style: by changing the famed HOLLYWOOD sign. A helicopter was scheduled to lower two capital "H"s into place Wednesday to make the 45-foot-high sign read "HOLLYWOOD II" until May 1.



**SPOON TUNE** — The art of "playing spoons" is passed on to Maryann Plunkett by British star Robert Lindsay during a Wednesday rehearsal in New York of "Me and My Girl," the long-running British musical coming to Los Angeles and then to Broadway.

## Nuptial marathon

Now that the Boston Marathon is over, the dozens of Beacon Hill can turn their attention to the next big event: the wedding of CBS newswoman Maria Shriver and actor-strongman Arnold Schwarzenegger. The Cape Cod nuptials aren't until Saturday, but Wednesday's papers were full of all the details: the Boston Herald had a full-page spread headlined "Celebrities Cape-bound" and the Boston Globe covered the guest list (which includes anchorman Dan Rather, singer Andy Williams, and actresses Susan St. James and Cathy Lee Crosby) on the front page of its metro section. The groom and his family have already checked into the Dunley Hyannis Hotel. The bride's family, including Sen. Edward Kennedy, D-Mass, and matron-in-chief Rose Kennedy, will be staying at the family compound in Hyannis.

## Cinched the part

An actress who plays a vamp in the "North and South" TV miniseries may have stumbled upon a sure-fire way to win an audition. In an upcoming TV Guide interview, Terri Garber, who appears as Ashton Main in both Book I and Book II (which airs on ABC-TV May 4), recalls that the see-through lacy gown she wore for the steamy try-out just wouldn't stay in place. "It would keep falling and I'd keep pulling it back up. Finally, I was doing this love scene and it fell, and I just said, 'Oh, bleep it!' And I left it down there. Co-director Richard Heffron insists that her undress didn't get Garber the part but adds, "It didn't hurt, I guess. She was playing a very sexy girl..."

## What's in a name?

Promoter Chuck Sullivan thinks the \$1.5 million he lost on Michael Jackson's 1984 "Victory Tour" was a good investment because it helped him clinch a deal for the licensing rights to the superstar's name. Sullivan has paid \$18 million in advance to market Jackson clothes and other products, the Boston Herald reported Wednesday, and he expects to get first-year sales of \$35 million. Said the promoter, "The feeling Michael Jackson had was he didn't want anyone doing business with him not coming out in a profitable way." Jackson, who hasn't released an album since the 1984 smash "Thriller," is expected to have a new one out this fall. Meanwhile, Sullivan's father, New England Patriots owner Billy Sullivan, is selling the AFC championship team because of financial problems and has reached a tentative agreement with a group headed by former U.S. Transportation Secretary Drew Lewis.



## Today in history

Among those born on this date was poet Robert Penn Warren, in 1905, age 81. In February, he was named the nation's first official poet laureate.

## Almanac

Today is Thursday, April 24, the 114th day of 1986 with 251 to follow.

The moon is full. The morning stars are Mercury, Mars, Jupiter and Saturn. The evening star is Venus.

Those born on this date are under the sign of Taurus. They include Dutch King William I, founder of the Dutch Republic, in 1533; English novelist Anthony Trollope in 1815; actor Leslie Howard in 1893; artist Willem DeKooning in 1904 (age 82); U.S. poet laureate Robert Penn Warren in 1905 (age 81); actress Jill Ireland in 1936 (age 50); and singer-actress Barbra Streisand in 1942 (age 44).

On this date in history: In 1784, the Boston News Letter became the first American newspaper to be published on a regular basis.

In 1800, Congress approved the purchase of books for a Library of Congress.

In 1877, federal troops moved out of New Orleans, ending northern military occupation of the South following the Civil War.

In 1898, Spain declared war on the United States after receiving a U.S. ultimatum to withdraw from Cuba.

In 1970, China became the fifth nation to put a satellite in orbit.

In 1984, an earthquake shook San Francisco, injuring 30 people and causing \$10 million in damage.



## FOCUS

**A Full House**  
A recent study predicts that, by the year 2100, India will be the world's most populous nation. At that time, an estimated 1.6 billion people will live in India. That is assuming no major disasters significantly decrease that nation's population. In 1848, a potato famine decimated Ireland's population. Three years before the famine, Ireland had 8.25 million people. Six years later, only 6.5 million lived there. Today Ireland's population is under four million.

**DO YOU KNOW** — What is currently the world's most populous nation? **WEDNESDAY'S ANSWER** — Judaism uses the six-pointed star as an important symbol.

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**Benched again**  
Susan Hale of Coventry watches her children play at the playscape at the Lutz Children's Museum on South Main Street earlier this week.

## Manchester In Brief

### Crenshaw changes mind

An Olcott Street man who pleaded guilty last week in Hartford Superior Court to murdering his 10-month-old daughter has filed a motion to change his plea, a court clerk said this morning. No date has been set for a ruling by Superior Court Judge Francis R. Quinn, the clerk said. Marshall Crenshaw, 25, pleaded guilty last Thursday to the charge under the Alford Doctrine, in which he did not admit to the crime but said the evidence against him would have been enough for a jury to convict him. Crenshaw was to have been sentenced May 15. Assistant State's Attorney Dennis O'Connor said the state would ask for a 25-year jail term, the minimum for a murder charge. O'Connor and Crenshaw's attorney, Public Defender Richard Kelly, could not be reached for comment.

### Penny hits letter

A letter written by Mayor Barbara Weinberg on behalf of a Manchester man convicted of cocaine charges should not have been written on stationery that had the town seal on it, town Director Stephen Penny said Wednesday. Weinberg said that she paid for the stationery and uses it for social and personal purposes, and denied that she was trying to imply the town sanctioned her action. However, Penny said that by having the town seal and her office title on the paper, she created the impression of an official letter. Weinberg said she wrote the letter to Hartford Superior Court Judge Herbert Barall after being asked to do so by the family of Stephen Massaro, 39, who was convicted in February of being an accessory to possession of cocaine with intent to sell. Weinberg said she does not know if her letter influenced the sentencing of Massaro, although it was one of about 20 letters written by Massaro's friends and associates asking the judge for leniency on his behalf.

### Bill on plates passes

Senate Bill 183, which would make the state issue special license plates to handicapped motorcycle riders, passed overwhelmingly on Tuesday, according to a man who has been lobbying for the bill for eight years. The Rev. Robert W. "Kaiser" Herabberger of Manchester said that although there were some problems with the technicalities of the bill, there was a consensus opinion in both the Senate and House of Representatives in favor of the bill. Connecticut's Legislature is the first to pass such a bill, Herabberger said. He estimated that there are 40 people in the state who would benefit from the plates. Herabberger lost a leg in a motorcycle accident in 1973. He still rides a motorcycle and founded the Mission Church of Bikers. The bill was originally part of a larger proposal that the state return to using two plates on all motor vehicles. That bill was backed by Rep. Elsie Swenson, R-Manchester. Senate Bill 183 must now be signed by Gov. William O'Neill before it becomes law.

### PTA sponsors run

The Nathan Hale School PTA is sponsoring its annual, two-mile family fun run on May 4 at 10 a.m. The rules require that participating students run with an adult family member as partners through the course, which is adjacent to the school. Refreshments will be served and awards will be given after the run. In the event of rain, the run will be held May 18. For more information, call 647-9410.

## Naab and Reinhorn get nod

By John F. Kirch Herald Reporter

The Republican Party's executive board Wednesday night voted to recommend both Harry Reinhorn and Geoffrey Naab to the Republican Town Committee as possible replacements for former town Director Donna Mercier. The board, which had the option of recommending one candidate or more, chose to go with both Reinhorn and Naab because both were "good candidates," Republican Town Chairman Donald Kuehl said this morning. The recommendation, which came out of a secret ballot vote of the executive board, puts the matter in the hands of the full Republican Town Committee.

"The final decision will be taken at a vote Tuesday night," Kuehl said. Peter McNamara, the third candidate interested in the seat left vacant when Mercier resigned April 9 in the midst of her second term, will not be recommended by the board, but can still be nominated from the floor at the special town committee meeting next week, as can other candidates. McNamara, a tavern owner who ran unsuccessfully for the Board of Directors in November as a Libertarian, could not be reached for comment this morning.

"Whoever wins, the Republican Party will have a very good representative on the Board of Directors," Kuehl said of the contest between Reinhorn and Naab.

"I don't think anyone's going to move anywhere," he said. "We have business here." Talbot said the change would cut down on the company's "dead mileage." He said his cabdrivers often drop off someone in a town outside their service area, and have to drive back to Manchester without a passenger. Talbot said if the DOT approves the change, it will allow drivers to pick up fares in Hartford and deliver them to another town. He stressed, however, that Dial-A-Ride will not purposely extend its operations into Hartford. "We're not going to go looking for business," he said. The only time rides will be solicited in Hartford is if Dial-A-Ride is already in the city picking up or dropping off another fare, he said. Cumpton said the DOT will consider the negative consequences of the proposal before it makes its decision. A public hearing is scheduled for Friday, and a decision will probably be made 30 days after that, he said. Cumpton said the proposal was endorsed by the Greater Hartford Transit District and has the backing of most of the taxi carriers that would be affected. He said the change was suggested after hearings were held concerning some violations of the existing territorial rules. He said so far no opposition has surfaced. Cumpton said a similar change was only made once before by the department. However, he said that involved extending service into only one other town, not six.

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### PZC ready to review plan changes

The Planning and Zoning Commission has scheduled a workshop session Tuesday to review revisions made in the town's proposed new Comprehensive Plan of Development. The session will start at 8 a.m. and last about an hour, planning officials said. A location has not been chosen yet. The revisions were made to the document and land-use maps after two public hearings last year saw widespread opposition to the proposed plan, which will replace a plan adopted in 1983. A third public hearing will be scheduled on the revisions this May, after commission members get a chance to review the changes. If adopted, the plan will be used as a policy guide for all land-use

## State mulls new cab rules

By George Lovyn Herald Reporter

The state Department of Transportation is considering a change in regulations governing taxi service that could allow Manchester's sole taxi operator to serve other towns.

Robert Cumpton, public transit regulatory supervisor for the DOT, said the change being considered would allow any taxicab certificate holder who is authorized to pick up and discharge passengers in Hartford or East Hartford to extend their service to five other towns without changing their permits.

There could be an indirect effect on Manchester, Cumpton said, because Dial-A-Ride of Connecticut Inc. is based in East Hartford and in Manchester. It owns Cab Service of Manchester, Manchester Taxi and the Rockville Cab Co., all of which operate out of 134 E. Center St.

"They might in theory move all the cabs out of Manchester," Cumpton said.

Under the current arrangement, Dial-A-Ride can pick up and discharge people traveling to or from Manchester, East Hartford and South Windsor. But the company cannot, for instance, pick up somebody in Hartford and drop him or her off in Newington.

However, under the proposed rule change, the company could extend its service into Hartford, West Hartford, Bloomfield, Windsor, Wethersfield and Newington. The change could also allow Dial-A-Ride to completely move its operations into any of these towns if it found business there was more profitable. Cumpton said.

Roger Talbot, one of the owners of Dial-A-Ride, said this morning his company would not move out of Manchester.

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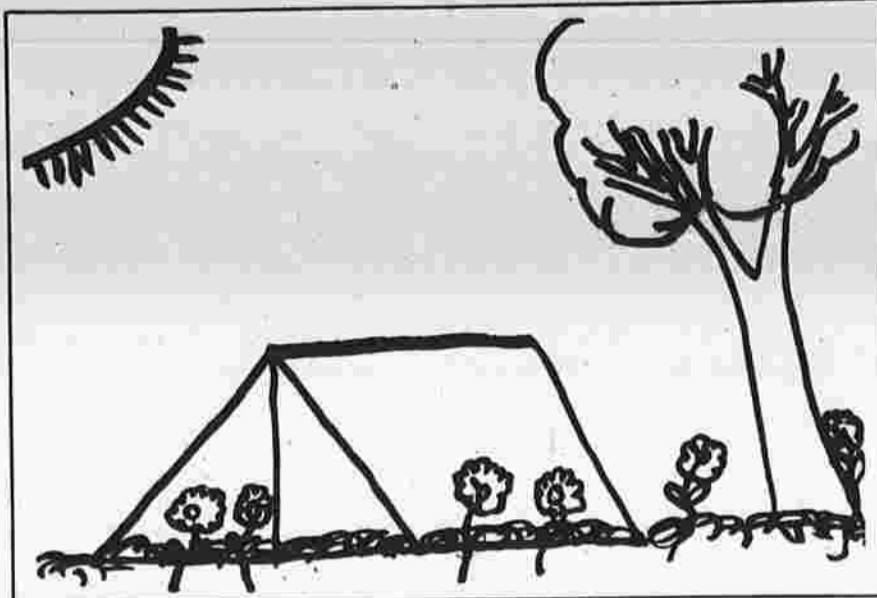
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# WEATHER



## Today's forecast

**Connecticut, Massachusetts and Rhode Island:** Partly sunny and milder today. Highs in the 50s at the shore, the low 60s well inland. Clear tonight. Lows 40 to 45. Sunny Friday. Milder inland. Highs in the 50s along the coast, the low 70s well inland.

**Maine:** Partly sunny mountains, a chance of showers elsewhere today with partial clearing southwest this afternoon. High 50 to 60. Partly cloudy tonight. Low 35 to 45. Mostly cloudy north and variable cloudiness south Friday. High in the 50s and 60s.

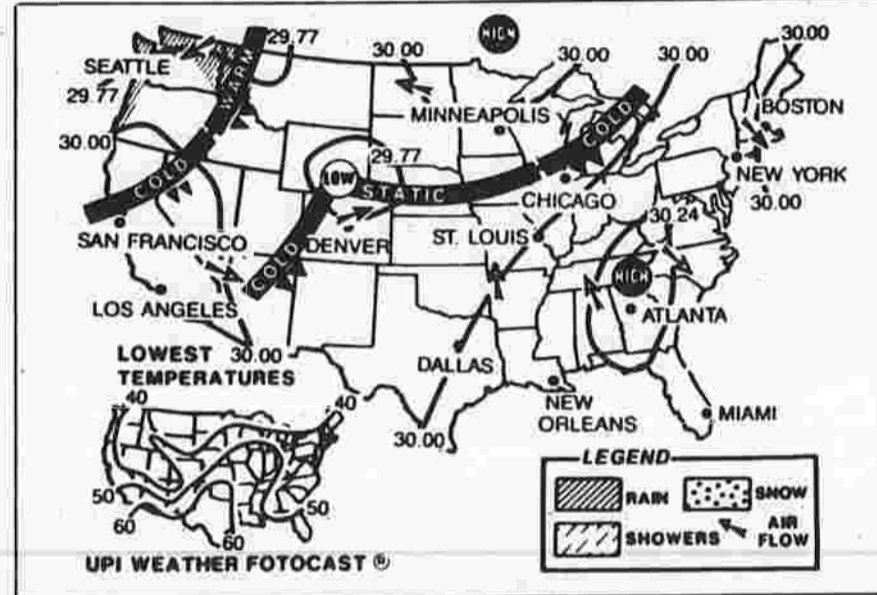
**Vermont:** Mostly sunny, breezy and mild today. Highs in the 50s. Some clouds north tonight, clear south. Cool, lows in the 30s. Clouding up Friday. Milder, high 55 to 65.

## Extended outlook

Extended outlook for New England Saturday through Monday:  
**Connecticut, Massachusetts and Rhode Island:** Fair through the period. Overnight lows in the 40s. Daytime highs in the 60s.  
**Vermont:** Chance of showers Saturday, dry Sunday and Monday. Highs in the 60s, lows in the upper 30s and 40s.  
**Maine:** Fair through the period. Highs in the upper 50s and 60s Saturday and in the 50s Sunday and Monday. Lows in the 40s Saturday and 30 to 40 Sunday and Monday.  
**New Hampshire:** Fair. Highs in the 60s Saturday and in the 50s Sunday and Monday. Lows in the 40s Saturday and 30 to 40 Sunday and Monday.

## Sunny and milder

Mostly sunny today and milder with a high in the low 60s; wind north 10 to 15 mph. Clear tonight with low around 40; wind diminishing to nearly calm. Sunny and milder Friday with high around 70. Today's weather picture was drawn by Winston Cobb, 10, a fourth-grader at Washington School.



## National forecast

During early Friday morning rain is forecast for parts of the extreme Northwest Coast and parts of the Northern Intermountain Region. Rain is also possible in parts of the Northwest Coast States, the Northern Plains and parts of the extreme North Atlantic Coast. Elsewhere, the weather will be fair.

# PEOPLE

## Bachelor party

If you can't make it to Hyannis for Saturday's nuptials, you can catch the bridegroom on television Friday night. On the eve of his wedding to Maria Shriver, Arnold Schwarzenegger will be a guest host on NBC's "Friday Night Videos," which airs right after "The Tonight Show" at 12:30 a.m. Schwarzenegger will share hosting duties with comedian Jay Leno, a veteran of married life who will offer the strongman lots of on-screen advice — like how to get along with his (Kennedy) in-laws.

## Hooray for Hollywood

The Hollywood business district, long in need of a facelift, will herald a planned 30-year renovation in epic style: by changing the famed HOLLYWOOD sign. A helicopter was scheduled to lower two capital "I"s into place Wednesday to make the 45-foot-high sign read "HOLLYWOOD II" until May 1.

**Hollywood II —** The Celebration" is a weeklong series of gala events starting Friday to promote the \$92-million renovation project.  
 Local Councilman Mike Woo says millions of tourists who come to Tinsel Town for bright lights find blight instead. The project will change all that, he claims, by restoring "the luster of the area, not only to the point it was before the 1930s '40s and '50s. But to go beyond that and make Hollywood a real gem for all of Los Angeles."

## Quote of the day

Sen. Frank Lautenberg, D-N.J., criticizing a Justice Department decision not to seek an indictment against Palestine Liberation Organization chief Yasser Arafat for the 1973 murders of two U.S. diplomats in the Sudan: "If this is the way we arrest, indict and prosecute terrorists, they have nothing to worry about."



**SPOON TUNE —** The art of "playing spoons" is passed on to Maryann Plunkett by British star Robert Lindsay during a Wednesday rehearsal in New York of "Me and My Girl," the long-running British musical coming to Los Angeles and then to Broadway.

## Nuptial marathon

Now that the Boston Marathon is over, the dozens of Beacon Hill can turn their attention to the next big event: the wedding of CBS newswoman Maria Shriver and actor-strongman Arnold Schwarzenegger. The Cape Cod nuptials aren't until Saturday, but Wednesday's papers were full of all the details: the Boston Herald had a full-page spread headlined "Celebrities Cape-bound" and the Boston Globe covered the guest list (which includes anchorman Dan Rather, singer Andy Williams, and actresses Susan St. James and Cathy Lee Crosby) on the front page. The metro section, "The groom and his family have already checked into the Dunfee Hyannis Hotel. The bride's family, including Sen. Edward Kennedy, D-Mass, and matriarch Rose Kennedy, will be staying at the family compound in Hyannis.

## Cinched the part

An actress who plays a vamp in the "North and South" TV miniseries may have stumbled onto a sure-fire way to win an audition. In an upcoming TV Guide interview, Terri Garber, who appears as Ashton Main in both Book I and Book II (which airs on ABC-TV May 4), recalls that the see-through lace gown she wore for the steamy try-out just wouldn't stay in place. "It would keep falling and I'd keep pulling it back up. Finally, I was doing this love scene and it fell, and I just said, 'Oh, bleep it!' And I left it down there." Co-director Richard Heffron insists that her undress didn't get Garber the part but adds, "It didn't hurt, I guess. She was playing a very sexy girl...."

## What's in a name?

Promoter Chuck Sullivan thinks the \$1.5 million he lost on Michael Jackson's 1984 "Victory Tour" was a good investment because it helped him clinch a deal for the licensing rights to the superstar's name. Sullivan has paid \$18 million in advance to market Jackson clothes and other products, the Boston Herald reported Wednesday, and he expects to get first-year sales of \$33 million. Said the promoter, "The feeling Michael Jackson had was he didn't want anyone doing business with him not coming out in a profitable way."  
 Jackson, who hasn't released an album since the 1984 smash "Thriller," is expected to have a new one out this fall. Meanwhile, Sullivan's father, New England Patriots owner Billy Sullivan, is selling the AFC championship team because of financial problems and has reached a tentative agreement with a group headed by former U.S. Transportation Secretary Drew Lewis.



## Today in history

Among those born on this date was poet Robert Penn Warren, in 1905, age 81. In February, he was named the nation's first official poet laureate.

## Almanac

Today is Thursday, April 24, the 114th day of 1986 with 251 to go.  
 The moon is full.  
 The morning stars are Mercury, Mars, Jupiter and Saturn. The evening star is Venus.  
 Those born on this date are under the sign of Taurus. They include Dutch King William I, founder of the Dutch Republic, in 1533; English novelist Anthony Trollope in 1815; actor Leslie Howard in 1893; artist Willem DeKooning in 1904 (age 82); U.S. poet laureate Robert Penn Warren in 1905 (age 81); actress Jill Ireland in 1936 (age 50), and singer-actress Barbra Streisand in 1942 (age 44).  
 On this date in history:  
 In 1794, the Boston News Letter became the first American newspaper to be published on a regular basis.  
 In 1800, Congress approved the purchase of books for a Library of Congress.  
 In 1877, federal troops moved out of New Orleans, ending northern military occupation of the South following the Civil War.  
 In 1986, Spain declared war on the United States after receiving

a U.S. ultimatum to withdraw from Cuba.  
 In 1970, China became the fifth nation to put a satellite in orbit.  
 In 1984, an earthquake shook San Francisco, injuring 30 people and causing \$10 million in damage.

A thought for the day: Anthony Trollope wrote, "Love is like any other luxury. You have no right to it unless you can afford it."  
 The world's smallest independent country is the State of the Vatican City, an enclave within the city of Rome that has an area of 108.7 acres. It is also the least populous state, with 728 inhabitants in 1979 and a zero birth rate.

**Auburn auto museum**  
 AUBURN, Ind. (AP) — The Auburn-Cord-Duesenberg Museum is housed where the cars were once built, the Auburn Automobile Co. facility.  
 The museum is called the "home of the classics" because it honors three marques from the past. More than 130 classic, antique and other cars from 1890 to the present are on display.

## Lottery

Connecticut daily: Wednesday: 418 Play Four: 9364  
 Other lottery numbers drawn in New England Wednesday:

Rhode Island daily: 1507. Rhode Island weekly: 493, 5333, 61352 and 689441.  
 Tri-state daily: 115 and 4563. Massachusetts daily: 5754. Megabucks: 9-11-18-21-25-38.



**A Full House**  
 A recent study predicts that, by the year 2100, India will be the world's most populous nation. At that time, an estimated 1.6 billion people will live in India. That is assuming no major disasters significantly decrease that nation's population. In 1848, a potato famine decimated Ireland's population. Three years before last, only 6.5 million lived there. Today Ireland's population is under four million.

DO YOU KNOW — What is currently the world's most populous nation?  
**WEDNESDAY'S ANSWER —** Judaism uses the six-pointed star as an important symbol.

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Susan Hale of Coventry watches her children play at the playscape at the Lutz Children's Museum on South Main Street earlier this week.

## Manchester In Brief

**Crenshaw changes mind**  
 An Olcott Street man who pleaded guilty last week in Hartford Superior Court to murdering his 16-month-old daughter has filed a motion to change his plea, a court clerk said this morning.  
 No date has been set for a ruling by Superior Court Judge Francis R. Quinn, the clerk said. Marshall Crenshaw, 25, pleaded guilty last Thursday to the charge under the Alford Doctrine, in which he did not admit to the crime but said the evidence against him would have been enough for a jury to convict him.  
 Crenshaw was to have been sentenced May 19. Assistant State's Attorney Dennis O'Connor said the state would ask for a 2½-year jail term, the minimum for a murder charge.  
 O'Connor and Crenshaw's attorney, Public Defender Richard Kelly, could not be reached for comment.

**Penny hits letter**  
 A letter written by Mayor Barbara Weinberg on behalf of a Manchester man convicted of cocaine charges should not have been written on stationery that had the town seal on it, town Director Stephen Penny said Wednesday.  
 Weinberg said that she paid for the stationery and uses it for social and personal purposes, and denied that she was trying to imply the town sanctioned her action.  
 However, Penny said that by having the town seal and her office title on the paper, she created the impression of an official letter.  
 Weinberg said she wrote the letter to Hartford Superior Court Judge Herbert Barall after being asked to do so by the family of Stephen Massaro, 39, who was convicted in February of being an accessory to possession of cocaine with intent to sell.  
 Weinberg said she does not know if her letter influenced the sentencing of Massaro, although it was one of about 20 letters written by Massaro's friends and associates asking the judge for leniency on his behalf.

**Bill on plates passes**  
 Senate Bill 183, which would make the state issue special license plates to handicapped motorcycle riders, passed overwhelmingly on Tuesday, according to a man who has been lobbying for the bill for eight years.  
 The Rev. Robert W. "Kaiser" Hersherberger of Manchester said that although there were some problems with the technicalities of the bill, there was a consensus opinion in both the Senate and House of Representatives in favor of the bill. Connecticut's Legislature is the first to pass such a bill, Hersherberger said. He estimated that there are 40 people in the state who would benefit from the plates. Hersherberger lost a leg in a motorcycle accident in 1973. He still rides a motorcycle and founded the Mission Church of Bikers.  
 The bill was originally part of a larger proposal that the state return to using two plates on all motor vehicles. That bill was backed by Rep. Elsie Swenson, R-Manchester.  
 Senate Bill 183 must now be signed by Gov. William O'Neill before it becomes law.

**PTA sponsors run**  
 The Nathan Hale School PTA is sponsoring its annual, two-mile family fun run on May 4 at 10 a.m.  
 The rules require that participating students run with an adult family member as partners through the course, which is adjacent to the school. Refreshments will be served and awards will be given after the run.  
 In the event of rain, the run will be held May 18. For more information, call 647-9410.

**PZC ready to review plan changes**  
 The Planning and Zoning Commission has scheduled a workshop session Tuesday to review revisions made in the town's proposed new Comprehensive Plan of Development.  
 The session will start at 8 a.m. and last about an hour, planning officials said. A location has not been chosen yet.  
 The revisions were made to the

document and land-use maps after two public hearings last year saw widespread opposition to the proposed plan, which will replace a plan adopted in 1983.  
 A third public hearing will be scheduled on the revisions this May, after commission members get a chance to review the changes. If adopted, the plan will be used as a policy guide for all land-use

## Naab and Reinhorn get nod

**"Whoever wins, the Republican Party will have a very good representative on the Board of Directors,"** Kuehl said of the contest between Reinhorn and Naab.  
 The Republican Party's executive board Wednesday night voted to recommend both Harry Reinhorn and Geoffrey Naab to the Republican Town Committee as possible replacements for former town Director Donna Mercier.  
 The board, which had the option of recommending one candidate or more, chose to go with both Reinhorn and Naab because both were "good candidates." Republican Town Chairman Donald Kuehl said this morning.  
 The recommendation, which came out of a secret ballot vote of the executive board, puts the matter in the hands of the full Republican Town Committee.  
 "The final decision will be taken at a vote Tuesday night," Kuehl said.  
 Peter McNamara, the third candidate interested in the seat left vacant when Mercier resigned April 9 in the midst of her second term, will not be recommended by the board, but he will be nominated from the floor at the special town committee meeting next week, as can other candidates.  
 McNamara, a tavern owner who ran unsuccessfully for the Board of Directors in November as a Libertarian, could not be reached for comment this morning.  
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Board of Directors and more of an ability to analyze the issues and try to make decisions that make more sense for the Town of Manchester," Naab said.  
**BOTH AGREED THAT** the executive board's decision to recommend both of them for the job was the best decision for the party. And both said they wanted to see a "gentleman's campaign."  
 "I don't plan on making any name-calling," Reinhorn said. "I can't speak for him, but I would expect he would handle the situation the same way."  
 "I completely agree with that," Naab said. "I think the town would benefit from either Mr. Reinhorn or myself."  
 Both said they have a good chance, but would not speculate on who might have the edge.  
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### House kills investment ban, cuts charge-card interest

HARTFORD (AP) — The state House has defeated measures that would have barred state banks from investing in South Africa and some companies in Northern Ireland.

Proponents of the other amendment wanted to prohibit South Africa's policy of apartheid — white-minority rule and strict racial separation.

**Credit-card interest**  
Meanwhile Wednesday, the Republican-controlled state House approved a Democratic proposal reducing from 18 percent to 15 percent the maximum annual interest rate banks may charge on credit cards.

### Connecticut In Brief

**Prexy says Yale policy is tough**  
NEW HAVEN — Yale University's standards for investments that do business in South Africa represent a "very tough policy" and may result in the eventual divestment of some stock, says the school's president, A. Bartlett Giamatti.

The standards were strengthened twice within the last year, and the school will begin evaluating companies on the basis of the modified policy after June 30, Giamatti said Wednesday in an interview.

"There is not any squeamishness about the divesting of those companies that don't meet the test. There never has been," Giamatti said.

**Millstone 3 back on line today**  
WATERFORD — The Millstone 3 nuclear power plant, shut down within hours of beginning commercial operation, was brought back onto line early today, a spokesman for Northeast Utilities said.

The plant's commercial start began at 12:01 a.m. Wednesday, but the discovery of a "gasket problem" in a major nuclear part of the facility required it to be shut down at about 8:20 a.m., according to Anthony J. Castagno, a spokesman for Northeast Utilities.

"At 2:38 a.m., it was brought back on line and should be 100 percent by tonight," Castagno said this morning. NU, based in Berlin, operates the plant and owns 65 percent of Millstone 3.

**Public wants stricter standards**  
NEW HAVEN — The general public wants stricter standards for industrial chemicals, handguns, and air travel than are being demanded by safety advocates in the respective fields, a Yale University researcher says.

A two-year, \$500,000 study of public perceptions of risks and safety standards indicates the public is more concerned in some areas than both technological and environmental advocates, said Dr. Jan A.J. Stolwijk, chairman of the Department of Epidemiology and Public Health at the Yale School of Medicine.

"Political actions by individuals are more likely to be taken based on the perceptions people have rather than the actual risks," resulting in both excessive and inadequate regulations, Stolwijk said Wednesday.

**Grand jury probes suspended**  
HARTFORD — Prosecutors have suspended four grand jury investigations statewide in reaction to a Superior Court judge's ruling challenging the validity of investigations begun before Oct. 1.

Chief State's Attorney John J. Kelly said Wednesday he suspended work on three grand jury investigations, including one into allegations of illegal gambling and corruption in Torrington, and the focus of the adverse ruling Tuesday by Judge Walter M. Pickett Jr. in Litchfield.

But Kelly said today that his decision doesn't mean the actual investigations will be stopped.

**Two held in bank heist; cash found**  
ENFIELD — Two men have been arrested in connection with a robbery of the Suffield Savings Bank, and half the money has been recovered, Enfield police said Wednesday.

Carlos A. Bailey, 32, of Brooklyn, N.Y., was arrested Tuesday in Enfield, police said. He was charged with second-degree larceny, first-degree robbery and illegal possession of a machine gun, police said.

James Desausserie, 51, also of Brooklyn, was arrested Tuesday night in Hartford, police said. He is also known as Albert Gilmore, officials said.

Enfield police Sgt. Paul D'Amato said about \$5,800 was taken Tuesday's robbery, and about half has been recovered. D'Amato said one machine gun was also recovered in connection with the robbery of the bank's Scitico Plaza branch.

### Speeders prevail on highways

BRIDGEPORT (AP) — More than half of the vehicles on Connecticut's highways exceed the 55 mph speed limit, despite police efforts to slow down motorists, according to state Department of Transportation statistics.

The newest figures also show that better than one out of five vehicles travel at speeds above 60 mph.

"We do not have and never will have enough troopers to detect all violations," says State Police Commissioner Lester Ford. "We are barely holding our own."

In 1983, state troopers handed out nearly 60,000 speeding tickets, 53 percent of the vehicles on the road exceeded the speed limit, according to the DOT.

"The following year, when troopers issued 144,000 speeding citations during a well-publicized crackdown, 41 percent of those using the state's highways exceeded the speed limit."

"The number of speeders has been creeping up since then, with 43 percent of the vehicles on the road exceeding the speed limit in the last quarter of 1985, and 53 percent during the first three months of this year. The DOT

report doesn't say how many cars were surveyed in 1985 and earlier this year.

Automobile operators who drive too fast face fines ranging from \$100 to \$140, depending on the speed of the vehicle, while the penalties for commercial vehicles range from \$120 to \$240. A driver with five speeding infractions also faces the loss of his operator's license.

State police have used marked and unmarked cruisers, a fleet of Mustang sports cars, motorcycles, airplanes, radar and truck squads in their attempts to stop speeders.

But they say their enforcement efforts have been hampered by a shortage of personnel and growing demands on their time.

"We are constantly being given more tasks to perform," says Ford, noting that his department is responsible for investigating narcotics trafficking, violent crimes and major fires, among other areas.

"We have a manpower shortage in the department," observes Lt. Kenneth Kirschner, a state police spokesman.

In 43 of the 50 states, more than 50 percent of highway motorists exceeded the 55 mph speed limit

gubernatorial contender Richard C. Bozzuto claimed that 33, or 32 percent, of the delegates to this summer's nominating convention were committed to his candidacy.

"These numbers far outpace any delegate counts my opponents have been able to put together, or will be able to before the convention," Bozzuto said at a state Capitol news conference.

Bozzuto, a former state senator, is in a four-way race for the Republican gubernatorial nomination. The other contenders are Deputy House Majority Leader Julie D. Belago, former state Sen. Gerald Labriola and former state Sen. Romeo G. Petroni.

A candidate needs the support of 20 percent, or 219, of the 1,093 delegates to the July nominating convention to qualify for a primary in September.

**Cracking down**  
Finally Wednesday, the Senate approved a measure making it easier for police to obtain and use results of hospital blood tests as court evidence against injured drunk-driving suspects.

The measure, passed unanimously, now goes to the House where it already has the support of some key members. It also is widely endorsed by emergency medical officials, law enforcement authorities and the anti-drunken driving lobby.

Current law has a loophole which allows the legislature to go a long way toward closing it, Richard Johnston, R-Wethersfield and co-chairman of the Judiciary Committee, said on the floor of the Senate.

The loophole allows suspected drunken drivers who claim to have been or actually were injured in an accident to take refuge in hospital emergency rooms so that police have difficulty in establishing probable cause for a drunken-driving arrest, he said.

Further, blood tests taken for the purpose of medical treatment are presently inadmissible in court as evidence of drunken driving only if seven statutory requirements are satisfied. Several of those, such as consent of the defendant, are difficult or impossible to obtain when the defendant is undergoing hospital treatment.

"Prosecution is, if not lost, hindered," said Johnston. But the new legislation would make admissible as evidence routinely taken blood tests when a judge issues a search warrant authorizing the test results to be seized.

### Election panel wants O'Neill payback

By Mark A. Dupuis  
United Press International

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### NU's loss on rates popular at Capitol

HARTFORD (UPI) — State utility regulators who often draw the ire of politicians today basked in their praise for denying Northeast Utilities any of the \$147 million hike in electric rates the company sought this year.

Democratic and Republican legislators joined state officials from the governor on down in basking in the decision Wednesday by the Department of Public Utility Control to reject a Northeast Utilities rate hike in electric rates this year.

Gov. William A. O'Neill said he is "delighted" by the ruling reached by DPUIC members at a meeting in New Britain, while Attorney General Joseph I. Lieberman headed the decision as "historic."

"This DPUIC decision is one more piece of good economic news in a year that already has been very good for Connecticut residents," said Lieberman, who said appeared before the DPUIC to fight the rate hike request.

"We feel very good about it," said Sen. James P. Zimmet, R-Manchester, co-chairman of the Energy and Public Utilities Committee.

He said the ruling vindicated a decision last year by the GOP-controlled Legislature to leave the rate case to the DPUIC rather than have lawmakers dictate how the agency should rule.

"The one thing we've been saying all along is the DPUIC has their job to do and we have our job, and we shouldn't interfere," Zimmet said. "I think the ruling proves we were right."

Not only did the regulatory agency rule out a rate hike this year, but it also said it will continue proceedings to determine if Northeast must set aside some revenue from existing rates to offset increases in future years.

Lieberman and state Consumer Counsel James F. Meehan said they will press their demands for Northeast to be required to create

the ratepayer fund, which Meehan said could reach \$100 million this year.

Northeast officials said they had not decided if the company would go to court to appeal the DPUIC's denial of a rate increase.

Northeast filed an application last November seeking the \$155.5 million increase in gas and electric

interest rates, were among the chief factors that led the DPUIC to conclude Northeast does not need a rate hike this year, officials said.

While originally requesting the \$15.5 million hike in electric and gas rates, Northeast offered a plan several weeks ago that it said would freeze electric rates but that state officials said would still mean higher bills for customers.

### U.S./World In Brief

**Fletcher promises to fix NASA**  
WASHINGTON — Former NASA chief James Fletcher has promised to try to put the agency back on course and investigate waste and mismanagement charges if the Senate confirms his nomination to return as head of the agency.

"All has to be re-examined very closely and tightened up," Fletcher told the Senate Commerce Committee Wednesday. As a result of the Challenger disaster, Fletcher said the National Aeronautics and Space Administration faces the toughest problems of its 26-year history. He said it may take months or years to restore morale and confidence to workers shaken by the deaths of the seven shuttle astronauts.

"We have to get on with the job," he said. "We have to get flying again safely. There's no excuse for another accident."

**Reagan extends retaliation threat**  
WASHINGTON — President Reagan says the United States may retaliate against Syria and Iran with military force, if there is clear evidence linking them to attacks against Americans.

"If we have evidence, and it is irrefutable — like the evidence against (Libyan leader Muammar) Khadafy, then given the fact that state-sponsored terrorism is a form of warfare, we should consider all the options," Reagan told a group of U.S. columnists. An administration official said Reagan would "consider the military option."

"If we have hard evidence" linking Syria and Iran to terrorist acts against Americans, Reagan said, then U.S. policy would be "put into effect from A to Z."

**Aquino mulls amnesty for Marcos**  
MANILA, Philippines — President Corason Aquino said he is seriously considering granting ousted ruler Ferdinand Marcos and his associates amnesty if they return a portion of the assets amassed while he ruled.

In an interview shown on state television Wednesday night, Aquino said she had been unable to vigorously pursue programs to lift the economy from its worst economic crisis since World War II because of financial difficulties.

"We really want to do a lot of things but we do not have money to get these projects off the ground," said Aquino, whose government is burdened with a \$28.2 billion foreign debt largely incurred by the Marcos regime.

"You go into a room full of smoke and you can't see anything and the guys don't look for fire," he added. D'Amore said he plans to pursue his allegations against O'Neill by going back to the elections commission for further action or demanding an investigation by the attorney general's office.

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### Film shows hanging of 'hostage'

BEIRUT, Lebanon (UPI) — A pro-Libyan group released a videotape showing a man it claimed was British hostage Alec Collett dangling from a gallows and called on all groups holding American or British hostages to kill them.

The tape was sent to the An-Nahar newspaper Wednesday night by the Revolutionary Organization of Socialist Muslims, which said it "executed" Collett to avenge last week's U.S. raid on Libya and punish Britain for allowing U.S. planes to be launched against Libya from British bases.

"Our organization also calls on the other groups which are holding American and British hostages to execute them, too, because spilling British and American blood has become legitimate everywhere," the group said in a statement accompanying the tape.

The statement was a copy of one the group sent to An-Nahar and a leftist newspaper in Moscow west Beirut April 17 claiming it killed Collett and promising to produce proof later. The five-minute videotape was sent to An-Nahar Wednesday night to fulfill the promise.

The tape, apparently made in a field, showed a man the group claimed to be Collett with his hands fastened with chains. It showed the victim for nearly 2 1/2 minutes, then focused on the head of a man who read a statement justifying the death sentence against Collett.

The victim, wearing a red checkered shirt, blue jeans and a light beige jacket, was shown later hanging from the gallows, his face red and his tongue hanging out of his mouth.

Collett, an information consultant for the U.N. Relief and Works Commission, was held in the southern outskirts of Beirut on March 25, 1985.

There was no mention in the videotape of the statement to indicate where the "execution" occurred or where the body could be found.

**Violence flares as pass law ends**  
JOHANNESBURG, South Africa — The government, in a giant step toward the reform of internationally condemned apartheid, scrapped 73-year-old "pass laws" restricting black mobility.

But nine blacks were killed and a white policeman wounded in violence that erupted in a black township outside Johannesburg and Law and Order Minister Louis le Grange proposed new laws for dealing with racial unrest.

A white paper presented in Parliament Wednesday immediately lifted "pass laws" — some of the most irksome restrictions on blacks, and provided for repeal or amendment of 34 race laws before the end of the year.

But laws segregating housing, schooling and hospitals were not affected by the announcement.

**Recipient of Jarvik-7 heart dies**  
PARIS — A Frenchman who received a Jarvik-7 artificial heart two weeks ago in an effort to strengthen him so he could receive another human heart has died, the Paris Public Health Authority said today.

The 25-year-old man, who was never identified, died Wednesday night. The authority said details of the precise cause of death would be given later.

The newspaper Le Figaro, which sponsored a collection to help pay for the operation, said the man died of a lung infection. King Hassan II of Morocco had donated \$2.5 million francs (\$357,000) to the fund.

The man was said to have had severe lung problems before the implantation of the Jarvik-7 in an operation led by Professor Christian Cabrol.

**Police probe 'bizarre' murders**  
LEXINGTON, Ky. — Five people were found slain during a three-hour period within 5 miles of each other on the city's southeast side and the killings are believed to be linked, police said today.

Two of the victims appeared to have been run over by an automobile and three others were found together lying beside or beneath a burning car, police said.

Police Lt. John Bizzack, head of the homicide squad, said police were investigating all five deaths as murders, but he would supply no motives or other clues to the slayings.

"This is a bizarre series of events," Bizzack said. "We are treating them as related."

**Senate ignores panel's spending limits**  
WASHINGTON (UPI) — For almost a month, the Budget Committee waited patiently, well aware that its delicate bipartisan money package for fiscal 1987 faced big troubles in the Senate.

On Wednesday, the committee found out how big the troubles are. On its first attempt, the Senate easily pierced the committee's ceilings, adding \$300 million for education.

Although the amount in a nearly \$1 trillion budget was small, the size of backing for the education amendment was big, 60-38.

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# OPINION

## GOP dispute was a waste

The question of whether a challenge slate filed by a group of Manchester Republicans will face off in a primary against the one endorsed by the GOP Town Committee apparently won't end up in court, thanks to a belated bow to reason by the party's registrar of voters.

But Registrar Mary E. Willhide's turnaround this morning on the acceptability of petitions filed by supporters of gubernatorial hopeful General Labriola, which came only after a needless dispute reached furious proportions, offers a significant lesson on conduct and proper procedures.

On Monday, Willhide said her reading of the law governing the collection of signatures for candidates vying for the right to represent the town party at the July nominating convention indicated that some had been gathered improperly. Because 135 of the signatures were collected by two members of the town Board of Directors who appear on both delegate slates, Willhide believed them to be invalid.

On Tuesday, she put the challengers out of business and the prospect of a May 20 Republican primary on ice.

Wednesday morning, however, the opinion Willhide should have sought in the first place held that her reading of the law was incorrect. An elections attorney for the secretary of the state's office explained that in the case of delegates like the two in question, the circulation of petitions was legal and had been treated as such since at least 1980.

Nonetheless, Willhide stubbornly stood by her refusal to certify the petitions until she was informed by other experts that it would be an embarrassment to defend in court.

Her actions have led some party members to question her abilities and others to question her motivation — especially since she supports gubernatorial candidate Richard Bozzuto, who stands to lose delegates in the event of success by the challenge slate, which is weighted toward Labriola. A side effect is that once again, Manchester Republicans look foolish and disorganized.

Willhide is not a lawyer and cannot viably claim to be an expert on election law. Anyone who reads either the complicated statute on gathering signatures or the complicated explanation of it issued by the secretary of the state's office will have a hard time understanding her willingness to hastily rule on a matter as important as the challenge delegates' right to mount a primary.

Clearly, the registrar should have sought the counsel of state election officials and other experts before trying to shut the slate out of the political process. Just as clearly, she was too slow to change her stand once she was found to be in error.

Now that Willhide plans to accept the petitions, the challenge delegates — led by town Directors William Diana and Thomas Ferguson — have been spared a court battle to put before voters the question of how many of Manchester's delegates back Bozzuto, Labriola, Julie Belaga or Romeo Petroni when the convention rolls around. But much blood and ink has been spilled for no purpose whatsoever.

Whatever happens in the primary, Willhide must reconsider her position in electoral affairs if she plans to long career as a registrar. Should she fail to comprehend and learn from the valid questions surrounding her attempt to restrict participation in the electoral process without adequate research or cause, both the town and the GOP will be the worse for it.



"Sniff. Yetch. I think I smelled a kindred soul."

## Open Forum

### Central America not Guard's place

To the Editor:

This letter was sent to Gov. William O'Neill by the Board of Directors of the Manchester Area Conference of Churches.

Dear Governor O'Neill:

Aware of your responsibility for the maintenance of peace and order in our state, we as the Manchester Area Conference of Churches, share with you our deep concern over the assignment of members of our National Guard to military training maneuvers in Central America. As recently as this past winter, we understand, the Connecticut National Guard participated in maneuvers in Honduras.

The Board of Directors of the fourteen Christian Churches who form the Conference unanimously voted at their regular meeting of April 9, 1986, to urge you to request that Connecticut National Guard troops not be sent again to Central America.

We urge that you seriously consider the consideration of this matter. We look forward to hearing from you regarding your actions in this regard.

Nancy P. Carr  
Executive Director  
Manchester Area Conference of Churches

### Three prayers from an Islamic text

"Today must be their last. Reluctantly I bid the Trumpet blast and readied for the final judgment blast!"

• A theologian lifted up his prayer: "Allah, spare Earth till I complete this task inscribing Arabic upon a scroll so all Thy Beautiful Names may soon be known by every human soul."

"Not that, My child, can hold the Trumpet back! Worthy that task is, but can judgment wait?"

• A second man slunk from a bloody wrack of terror he had fused off cunningly. Creeping unnoticed from shocked crowds, he made his one focused demand: "Allow only a day more, just an hour to even up the score and finish off our common enemy in this Thy holy war."

"Not Mine, not Mine" said He before whose Face all Time shall melt away and cease to be. "Unholy of all are those who planned arms coldly aimed against My innocent who fools who bring Last Judgment quickly round."

• Then watering with warm, compassionate tears all Time spat he'd dug with loving shade, a third man bowed his aged brow to the ground and pleaded, "Allah, let this little tree I plant here get some chance to grow long after these my numbered breaths are spent and make a greener future."

"Allah heard and answered that for which the third man prayed."

Wallace William Winchell  
Manchester

### Bill would hurt retired teachers

To the Editor:

According to the Connecticut State Statute, the state shall provide a comprehensive retirement plan for all qualified retired teachers. A comprehensive plan would include provisions for health insurance.

Under a proposed Appropriation Committee bill (5522), the state would force all retired teachers who are not covered by Medicare to withdraw from the health insurance plan the state

has, at present, with Blue Cross. If they wanted to continue their health insurance coverage, these retirees would find it necessary to make arrangements with the local board of education that last employed them before retirement, and to be enrolled at the retiree's expense in the active teachers' health insurance plan.

By doing this, the state would save \$913,850, according to the Office of Fiscal Analysis. This savings would be at the cost of these elderly retirees who were assured, at the time of retirement, that they would be secure with a comprehensive health insurance plan provided, in part, by the state.

Unholy of all are those who planned arms coldly aimed against My innocent who fools who bring Last Judgment quickly round."

Charles J. Quinn  
M. Z. Zabretsky  
Legislative Co-Chairmen,  
Hartford County  
Retired Teachers' Association

## NRA is government's ubiquitous 4th branch

By Chuck Stone

I still don't believe a majority of the American people honestly — and knowingly — support the weakening of federal gun controls.

Nor do I believe that Americans would vote tomorrow for legislation that makes it easier to assassinate their presidents, murder their neighbors and get themselves mugged on the streets.

But their representatives did, and by a 64 percent margin.

The voting was done by their representatives in the legislative branch of government who were paralyzed by the "fourth" branch of government — the National Rifle Association.

Lincoln was right. "This government cannot endure half-slave and half-free." What he did not anticipate was the NRA branch of government's ability to subjugate the legislative branch.

WITH PAVLOVIAN FIDELITY, members of Congress voted a few days ago for a 'good of boy' mentality that has replaced the lynching of blacks with the hunting of animals.

Three factors differentiated this gun control vote from previous ones — the NRA's terrifying tactics that masqueraded as lobbying, the detection of America's police chiefs as NRA allies and the importance of "safe congressional districts" able to withstand the NRA's despotic intimidations.

Ordinarily, a member of Congress reflects his or her constituents' wishes, but many confessed privately to colleagues and reporters that they feared the NRA's well-established reputation for reprisals at the polls.

According to one published story, a leading Western Democrat who insisted on anonymity estimated he was one of 30 moderates who wanted to retain strong federal gun controls, but were afraid to antagonize the NRA. If a priest had been available, "we would have asked for absolution," he wryly quipped.

Bronx, N. Y., ex-cop hero Rep. Mario Biaggi, who led the fight to repeal the gun controls, said several Texas lawmakers confided they wanted to support the "police chiefs" amendment, but feared the thousands of NRA members in their districts.

WHEN AMERICA'S police chiefs broke ranks with the NRA this time on weakening gun controls, it was clear that the NRA was no longer representing the American people or gun-owners, but gun manufacturers.

Unfortunately, the police chiefs, represented by 13 national organizations, began their lobbying too late and with little money. Their puny \$15,000 was no match for the NRA's \$1.6 million spent on brain-washing the legislative branch.

Police chiefs know better than any of us the need to tough gun controls. Last year, 70 police officers and 26,000 citizens were murdered by handguns.

Chuck Stone's syndicated column focuses on national and minority affairs.

Our savage society murders more people per capita than any in the world — it has 170 times as many murders as in Australia, 142 times as many murders as in Canada and 229 times as many murders as in England. In itself, gun owning is no crime. But lack of controls and the absence of punishment for abuse help sustain a lawless mentality that accepts an amoral compromise with crime similar to the Wild West.

THE THIRD DIFFERENCE in this gun control struggle for the nation's soul — safe congressional seats — was most dramatically demonstrated by the 17 out of 18 voting black members of Congress who voted with the police chiefs and against the NRA.

Their cohesive vote was the ultimate irony. Blacks commit a disproportionate percentage of the nation's crimes, especially murders and armed robberies. In voting to retain stronger gun controls, black members of Congress also enjoyed the luxury of thumbing their collective ethnic noses at the NRA branch of government.

Back in 1850, William Makepeace Thackeray hailed the power of the press — the fourth estate: "She has her ambassadors in every quarter of the world — her courtiers upon every road... Her envoys walk into statesmen's cabinets. They are ubiquitous."

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## Col. Khadafy should fear the Soviets

WASHINGTON — Last November we suggested that Libyan Leader Muammar Khadafy, who stands at the center of a worldwide terrorist network, was living in terror himself and would likely be ousted by a coup within a year.

We cited intelligence reports that portrayed Khadafy as a haunted man, with nerves rubbed raw, who gulped down sleeping pills and complained that his enemies were trying to poison him.

We also quoted a top-secret CIA evaluation, which suggested he was "very vulnerable" to a coup. No less than two dozen anti-Khadafy groups have been plotting his downfall. But the Soviets, who have befriended him and stocked his arsenal, are expected to beat them all to the kill.

CIA reports, including intercepted communications (compiled before the U.S. bombing of Tripoli) indicate that the Soviets would like to replace the volatile Khadafy with the man who has been protecting their interests inside Libya's revolutionary regime. He is Khadafy's No. 2 man, Abdul Salam Jalloud.

According to one intercepted message, the Soviets are "looking forward to Khadafy's downfall." Another top-secret CIA report quotes a high Soviet military official as saying, in a private conversation, that Khadafy is a "madman on top of a pile of gold." The reference presumably is to the black gold under Libya's desert sands.

FOR KHADAFY'S PART, he is described by the CIA as "xenophobic and anti-communist." He "once offered Egypt generous inducements to expel the Soviets." He moved closer to Moscow because he wanted Soviet arms more than he hated communism. Still, the CIA reports that he "had to be persuaded by Prime Minister Jalloud to negotiate the first arms accord with Moscow in May 1974."

It has been Jalloud more than Khadafy who has turned Libya into a Moscow-armed confrontationist state. Khadafy let the Soviets inside his tent reluctantly — because of the military aid and the power this gave him. He repeatedly and sharply "warned the Soviets that he will not be used 'like other Arab leaders.'"

Concludes a top-secret CIA analysis: "Khadafy has almost certainly neither softened his ideological opposition nor his basic distrust of the Soviets. On the contrary, his basic hostility to them may ultimately disrupt the liaison."

IT SEEMS MORE LIKELY that the Soviets will do the disrupting. They have far too much at stake in Libya to leave their fortunes in the hands of the unpredictable Khadafy. Not since they were booted out of Egypt in 1972 have they had a better opportunity to control North Africa. They are establishing a powerful new beachhead in North Africa through Libya, Sudan and Ethiopia.

What has happened, clearly, is that the Soviets have transformed Libya into a forward logistical base to solidify their hold on North Africa. They have shipped more than \$20 billion worth of military hardware to Libya. Ostensibly this formidable arsenal was "sold" to Khadafy, who may think he owns it. But the Soviets aren't likely to leave their forward base in the hands of the unreliable Khadafy.

They would prefer the reliable Jalloud.

**Censors beware**

We recently disclosed the government's well-guarded plans to censor mail and other communications during an emergency. But the would-be letter openers will have to batter their way through the U.S. Postal Service first. "The Postal Service places high importance on protecting the right to free, full and uncensored communication through the U.S. mails," the agency's public affairs director, D. Jamison Cain, assured us. He said postal regulations forbid any censorship of mail without explicit authorization from Congress. Cain pointed out that it took exactly that to permit censorship during World War II.

**Where's the action?**

Bedeveled for years by its critics and beset by attempts to politicize it, ACTION, the federal volunteer agency, has somehow managed not only to survive but to thrive in adversity. Under its new director, Donna Alvarado, ACTION is stronger than ever. On any given day last year, for example, some 19,000 foster grandparents shared their time and affection with 68,000 children nationwide. This week, ACTION is co-hosting a reception with the Disabled American Veterans to mark National Volunteer Week.

## UConn studies smokeless tobacco use, cancer in teens

FARMINGTON (AP) — The use of chewing tobacco and snuff among Connecticut teenagers will be studied this summer at the University of Connecticut Health Center in light of growing evidence smokeless tobacco causes cancer.

Dr. S. Stephen Kegeles, a behavioral psychologist who will lead the study, said the purpose is to determine how widespread the use of smokeless tobacco is among young people, why they use it, and what can be done to discourage its popularity.

Nationally, sales of smokeless tobacco to young men increased by 60 percent over the last four years, Kegeles said.

"We're trying to get some sense of what is happening in Connecticut," he said.

The study is one of seven funded by a \$6.5 million grant to the Yale School of Medicine for its Cancer Control Research Unit program.

The goal of the program is to determine new methods of detecting and preventing cancer.

Kegeles said he expects to find, based on studies in other states, that as many as 12 percent of adolescent boys in Connecticut use smokeless tobacco. Very few girls use it, he said.

A profile of a typical teenage user, he said, is a male athlete who lives in a rural area of the South or

Southwest, has a history of smoking cigarettes and has experimented with other substances.

Kegeles said he also suspects he will find that teenagers begin and continue to use smokeless tobacco for a variety of reasons — advertisements by professional athletes endorsing smokeless tobacco products, social pressure to use it; family members who use smokeless tobacco. He also suspects that after a time teenagers continue to use it because they are addicted to the nicotine.

The reports of increased use among teenagers prompted Congress recently to pass a federal law requiring health warning labels on

packages of smokeless tobacco and a ban on electronic advertising of products.

Two types of tobacco are commonly used — snuff, which is inhaled into the nose, and chewing tobacco, which is packed between the gum and cheek, and chewing tobacco. The tobacco mixes with saliva and the nicotine is absorbed into the bloodstream.

The newest form being marketed is a small pouch similar to a teabag that is packed between the gum and the cheek.

Kegeles said users of smokeless tobacco get a reaction from both the sugar and nicotine in the tobacco.

According to an article in the

April 17 issue of the New England Journal of Medicine, oral pharyngeal cancer accounts for 1 percent of all cancers in the United States and is the seventh most common cancer. The article concludes that the current evidence links oral cancer to smokeless tobacco and oral cancer.

Kegeles added that oral cancer is a particularly virulent form and metastasizes quickly.

He said he is not sure where he will find the greatest use among Connecticut teenagers. A preliminary survey of high school principals showed that few were aware of any widespread use, although athletic directors reported about

## Seizures don't cause low IQs

BOSTON (UPI) — A 14-year government study reassured parents of children with epilepsy today that seizures apparently do not retard intellectual development or cause low IQs.

The new study, which compared the IQs of children before and after their first seizure and to the IQs of healthy children, found no significant differences in the attacks.

"The seizures themselves do not appear to be a cause of intellectual deterioration," said Dr. Deborah Hirtz, one of three researchers who conducted the study at the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda, Md.

The results should be useful to parents and doctors trying to decide how to treat children with epilepsy, especially when considering seizure-controlling drugs that have side effects, said Hirtz.

"It's also a reassurance to parents that they don't have to worry that each seizure is costing the child some degree of IQ," said Hirtz, whose findings were published in The New England Journal of Medicine.

About one in every 200 children in the United States suffers from epilepsy, in which victims experience convulsive attacks. The cause is not known. The seizures can be controlled by drugs and sometimes stop later in life.

The study is the first involving children whose IQs were measured before their first seizures, and to closely match subjects with other children of similar initial IQ, race, sex and socio-economic status, which influences IQ.

The researchers measured the IQs of 98 children who had seizures at age 7 and compared them to

siblings close in age who did not have seizures. They found no significant differences overall in the two groups.

The researchers also measured the IQs of 62 children at age 4 — before they experienced their seizures — and again at age 7, after they had experienced at least one seizure.

Their IQs were then compared to children who did not suffer seizures whose IQs were measured at the same ages who were similar in sex, race and initial IQ and socio-economic status.

Again they found no significant difference. Using the Wechsler Intelligence Scales for Children, the researchers found that the mean IQ at age 7 for the children with seizures was 94.5. The mean IQ for the controls was 98.5. The IQs ranged from 80 to 133.

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There are about 6,000 new cases annually in the United States of chronic myelogenous leukemia, a cancer of the blood-forming organs that causes excessive production of white blood cells.

Although some victims of the disease respond to chemotherapy, the treatment usually fails to prevent the illness from eventually progressing into the fatal stages.

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## Blood donations not contaminated

BOSTON (UPI) — Efforts to prevent the nation's blood supply from becoming contaminated with the AIDS virus by discouraging members of high-risk groups from donating apparently is working, officials said today.

A study of donated blood in Connecticut found a nearly fourfold drop in units infected with the AIDS virus after a warning discouraging homosexual men from donating was emphasized on booklets given to potential donors.

"There was a very definite fear at one time that the nation's blood supply would be contaminated with the AIDS virus," said Dr. Robert L. Kalish, assistant medical director of the Red Cross in Connecticut. "But we think that the risk is now about as close to zero as humanly possible."

Acquired immune deficiency syndrome, which attacks the body's defenses against disease, primarily infects homosexual men and intravenous drug abusers. The virus that causes AIDS, HTLV-3, is believed transmitted through body fluids, primarily semen and blood.

Blood centers nationwide began testing donations for antibodies to the AIDS virus last spring to prevent the spread of the disease to transfusion recipients. Donors are now also questioned to identify potential members of high-risk groups. Donors also read a booklet that advises members of high-risk groups against donating.

The results of the Connecticut study, published in a letter to The New England Journal of Medicine, should be representative of blood donations nationwide, Kalish said.

Another study in the journal confirmed that health care workers have little risk of catching AIDS from patients, even if they are stuck with needles or splattered with blood from victims of the disease.

In the largest study of its kind, the Centers for Disease Control in Atlanta followed 938 doctors, nurses, laboratory workers and other health care employees who could be at high risk because they had been exposed to the AIDS virus.

The workers had been accidentally jabbed with needles while treating AIDS patients, given blood from AIDS patients into their own open wounds or had blood or other body fluids splattered into their mouths or eyes.

None of the workers developed symptoms of acquired immune deficiency syndrome after an average of three years of follow-up and only two of 451 who were tested were found to have the virus that causes AIDS in their blood.

## Doctors at HMOs order fewer tests

BOSTON (UPI) — Doctors who work at HMOs are less likely to order certain tests than their counterparts in practices where patients pay extra for each aspect of their treatment, Harvard researchers said today.

"Our study seems to show that along with other factors, the fee structure appears to play a role in patient care," said Dr. Arnold M. Epstein of the Harvard School of Public Health.

"We can't say whether more tests are good for you or less tests are good for you. But if you believe as I do that the primary determinant of IQ for the child is the intelligence of the child, we ought to consider revising the fee schedule," said Epstein in an interview.

Other studies have been conducted to compare care at different types of medical practices few have examined testing, which account for about 25 percent of all ambulatory care expenses in the United States, Epstein said.

Epstein's study, published in The New England Journal of Medicine, involved 10 internists in the Boston area and 17 internists working at two large HMOs — the Harvard Community Health Plan in Brookline, Mass., and the Rhode Island Group Health Association in Providence, R.I.

The researchers examined the records of 354 hypertension patients to determine how often they received electrocardiograms, chest X-rays, blood counts and urinalysis.

All 10 fee-for-service doctors performed the electrocardiograms in their offices. Seven of the 10 could do chest X-rays themselves. The electrocardiograms and the chest X-rays were the most profitable of the tests.

Even though the fee-for-service patients had fewer office visits, those physicians ordered 50 percent more tests. There was no significant difference in the number of blood counts and urinalyses, which are less profitable.

Epstein noted that the salary and bonus structures at many fee-for-service practices encouraged the ordering of tests. Doctors at HMOs, however, are paid by salaries alone and have less economic incentive to order extra tests.

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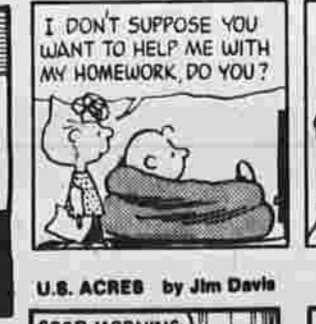
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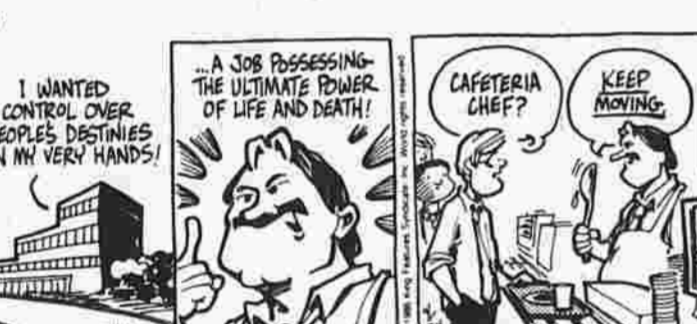
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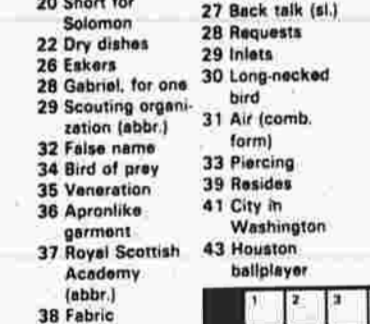
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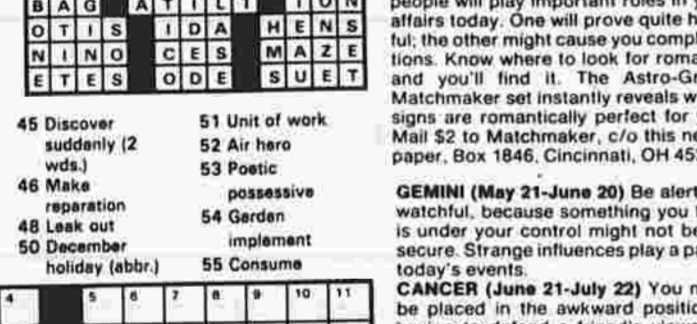
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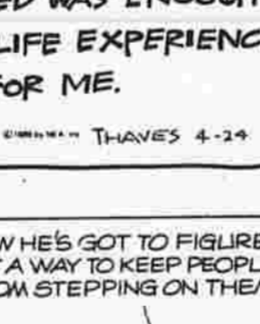
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THEY FOLLOW HIM AROUND BY THE HEAT RADIATING FROM HIS BODY.



NOW HE'S GOT TO FIGURE OUT A WAY TO KEEP PEOPLE FROM STEPPING ON THEM.



BRIDGE

Bridge table with North-South and East-West hands and scores.

Taking precautions

By James Jacoby. The sudden leap to six no-trump by North was a bit tempestuous. It would not have been at all remarkable for South to have a solid club suit and a heart stopper consisting of the Q-J, for example, in which event the contract might be immediately set. But declarer's actual hand presented quite a good play for 12 tricks at no-trump. Unfortunately South botched the play. See if you would have done the same.

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BUSINESS Officials say bearing plant sale won't kill Bristol

By Brent Lovmon The Associated Press. BRISTOL - Local officials say Bristol's economy is diversified enough to cope with the decision by the New Departure-Hyatt Division of General Motors, the city's largest employer, to sell its commercial bearings line. The commercial bearings operation, serving about 4,000 mostly non-automotive customers, accounts for a little over 40 percent of the Bristol plant's business, said plant manager William R. Mosley. The plant will continue to produce automotive bearings, primarily for General Motors, company officials said. The sale does not include the 1.24 million square foot plant itself.

Business In Brief

Dollar opens mixed in Europe. LONDON - The dollar, buffeted in recent days by sharp losses, opened mixed on European markets today and gold was unchanged. The dollar was up slightly at the open in Frankfurt at 2.1820 marks against Wednesday's closing of 2.1819. In Brussels, the dollar opened fractionally higher at 45.050 francs against 45.05, and in Milan the dollar started at 45.1498.75 lire against 45.1497 at the close of trading Wednesday, which was the lowest quotation in Italy since July 27, 1983. The dollar continued to drop in London, where the pound opened at \$1.5405 against Wednesday's close of \$1.5260. The dollar was also lower at the opening in Zurich at 1.8275 francs against 1.8277, and in Paris at 6.9875 francs against 6.9775. In Tokyo, the dollar closed unchanged at 162.85 yen after falling at one point during the session to a record low of 166.675 yen on speculative trading triggered by President Reagan's reported statement that he favored a higher yen.

If it's legally gained, you can invest it

QUESTION: The newspaper carried a story about a thief who was caught because he asked for a check on how to invest \$200,000 quickly. This got me to thinking about how to invest that kind of money. I don't know. Could you give me some ideas? ANSWER: You'll have no problem, whatsoever, assuming you came by the money legitimately. You can go to a brokerage firm, open an account and buy stocks, bonds and other securities in any amount, large or small. Or, you can deposit the money in a bank and, sometimes, arrange for securities purchases there. I didn't see the news story you mention, but I suspect it involved some Light-Fingered Louie who had a big bundle of folding money. Brokers and banks naturally cock eyebrows when someone walks in with a stack of old currency and they are required to report to the Internal Revenue Service. Such transaction involving \$10,000 or more. That requirement, of course, is aimed at putting a crimp in underworld and other dishonest activities. People who operate outside or on the fringes of the law usually deal in cash - not checks. 'Tis rumored that many otherwise legitimate folks do some business "under the table" in cash to dodge the taxman. The currency reporting rules make that more difficult. The newspapers have been full of stories about banks being brought up on charges and slapped with huge fines for failing to file cash transaction reports. Nonetheless, "money laundering" does go on. However, none of this should stop you or any other honest citizen

T-note yields at nine-year low

WASHINGTON - Yields on two-year Treasury notes fell to 6.68 percent in Wednesday's auction, the lowest level in nine years. The Treasury Department sold \$9.8 billion of the notes, with the average yield down from 7.19 percent at the last auction on March 19. The rate was the lowest since 6.34 percent on July 19, 1977.

Wall Street rebounds from decline

NEW YORK - The stock market advanced slightly today, rebounding from the decline of the past two sessions. The Dow Jones average of 30 industrials edged up .62 to 1,830.23 in the first hour of trading. Gainers outnumbered losers by about 4 to 3 in the early court of New York Stock Exchange-listed issues. DuPont rose 1/4 to 80 1/2. The company reported first-quarter earnings of \$1.67 a share, against 59 cents in the comparable period last year. Among other actively traded blue chips, International Business Machines gained 1 1/4 to 157, American Express 1/4 to 63 1/2, and Union Carbide 1/4 to 24 1/2. American Telephone & Telegraph was unchanged at 45. At 10 a.m., the NYSE's composite index of all its listed common stocks was up .33 at 139.87. The American Stock Exchange market value index rose .72 to 272.21.

RCA-GE merger means strength

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) - The proposed merger of RCA Corp. and General Electric Co. will strengthen GE's domestic earnings base and help offset the company's vulnerability to monetary, political and policy changes worldwide, said GE Chairman John F. Welch Jr. "The RCA acquisition fits into an overall strategic rationale that dictates that for a company to be strong internationally it must be strong at home," Welch told about 300 shareholders attending GE's annual meeting Wednesday. "General Electric, as the nation's largest exporter live of the last six years, has clearly demonstrated its ability to win in world markets, but its competitiveness is chronically affected both at home and abroad by the strength of the U.S. currency and by political, monetary and policy changes" by other companies and governments, Welch said. GE and RCA announced in December a definitive merger agreement under which GE would pay \$4.28 billion in cash to merge with RCA, whose broadcast companies include NBC. RCA shareholders have approved the merger but it is under review by the Federal Communications Commission. Welch said RCA, "with its strong array of domestic businesses, defense, service and the NBC network, will provide General Electric with a strong domestic earnings base" to fuel GE's manufacturing, services and technology industries. The merger also would create a well-managed company that would "compete successfully with anyone, anywhere in any market that we serve," Welch said. He said the merger was progressing well and in response to a shareholder's question said it was premature to discuss possible changes in management of RCA and NBC. Welch, who is the eighth chairman and chief executive officer in GE's 100-year history, said the economic outlook for both the company and the country have changed dramatically in the past year.

Anderson answers Bhopal critics

DANBURY (UPI) - The process of getting aid to the victims of the Bhopal, India, gas leak would be helped by people "keeping their mouths shut," Union Carbide Corp. Chairman Warren M. Anderson speaking Wednesday at a news conference following the company's annual meeting, responded to critics of the company's \$50 million out-of-court settlement offer for victims of the December 1984 tragedy. More than 2,000 people were killed and 200,000 injured when methyl isocyanate leaked from a Carbide pesticide factory. The government of India has rejected that offer and members of the New York-based Citizens Commission on Bhopal said the stockholders meeting that adequate compensation would be closer to \$4.1 billion. "You get numbers that run all over the lot," Anderson said. "I feel that public comment about an adequate approach related to the settlements doesn't help the process. The process is aided and abetted by people keeping their counsel to themselves and keeping their mouths shut." Anderson said the Indian government had stalled the process of aiding the Bhopal victims. "So far, we have not been able to

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Robert J. Smith, Inc. Insuransmiths Since 1914. 65 E. Center Street, Manchester, Ct. 649-5241. The board of directors elected Kennedy chief executive officer of Union Carbide following the meeting. He succeeds Anderson, who continues as chairman until his retirement in November, when Kennedy will also become chairman of the board. Members of commission on Bhopal suggested Carbide's massive restructuring program would affect its ability to compensate Bhopal victims.

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## Songwriter dies at 81

NEW YORK (AP)—Songwriter Harold Arlen, whose show-stopping hits "Over the Rainbow" and "Stormy Weather" highlighted an Oscar-winning career during which he composed more than 500 tunes, has died at 81.

Arlen died Wednesday of natural causes at his Manhattan apartment. His funeral is scheduled for Friday.

Arlen and lyricist E.Y. "Yip" Harburg won the 1939 Academy Award for Best Song for "Over the Rainbow," which became the signature song of Judy Garland after she sang it in the film classic "The Wizard of Oz."

Five other songs by Arlen were nominated for Oscars: "Blues in the Night," "That Old Black Magic," "My Shining Hour," "Ac-cent-tchu-ate the Positive," and "The Man That Got Away."

Arlen's songs "cover such a range of style and content—from the soaring openness of "Over the Rainbow" to the bluesy phrases of "Blues in the Night," from the sassiness of "Down With Love" to the tender charm of "Last Night When We Were Young"—that almost any singer can find a number of songs that suit his or her style." The New York Times critic John S. Wilson wrote in 1979.

Thirty-five of his songs came to be regarded as part of the standard repertoire, including "I Love a Parade," "It's Only a Paper Moon," "One For My Baby (And One More For the Road)," and "Come Rain or Come Shine."

"Mr. Arlen adores class," said pianist-singer Bobby Short during a 1984 concert in Arlen's honor. "He has what they call panache and style."

Named Chaim Arluk when he was born in Buffalo in 1905, Arlen's musical career began at age 7 in the choir of the synagogue where his father was cantor.



The Duke and Duchess of Windsor are photographed on their wedding day, June 3, 1937. The duchess died today at her home in Paris after a long illness.

## Duchess of Windsor dies after long illness

LONDON (AP)—The Duchess of Windsor, the American divorcee for whom King Edward VIII gave up the British throne, died today at her home near Paris, Buckingham Palace announced.

She was 89 years old and had been in frail health and confined to her home for eight years. Sources in Paris said she died of bronchial pneumonia. The sources, who spoke on condition of anonymity, said a doctor who visited the duchess Wednesday night had been optimistic, but her condition deteriorated and she developed a high fever just before her death.

Buckingham Palace said she will be buried at Windsor Castle's Frogmore Garden cemetery alongside her husband, Queen Victoria and Prince Albert also are buried there.

The announcement did not say when the funeral would be held.

For a few short months in 1936, Edward had hoped to make the twice-divorced Wallis Warfield Spencer the Queen of England. But their romance proved to be an embarrassment to traditionalists and the Church of England hierarchy, and he was forced to give up his throne.

"I have found it impossible," Edward had said in a moving radio broadcast to his subjects throughout the world on Dec. 11, 1936, "to carry the heavy burden of responsibility and to discharge my duties as king as I would wish to do without the help and support of the woman I love."

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After Edward abdicated the couple went to live in exile in France, Edward, who became the Duke of Windsor when he abdicated, died of throat cancer at age 77 in 1972. His body was returned to Britain for burial.

The Windsors had been ostracized for decades by Buckingham Palace 10 days before Edward died. Queen Elizabeth II visited their home in the Bois de Boulogne, the duchess stayed at the palace for the funeral but returned to Paris immediately and was not invited to the wedding of Prince Charles and Lady Diana Spencer in 1981.

Today's Buckingham Palace announcement said: "It is announced with deep regret that the Duchess of Windsor died at 10 a.m. (4 a.m. EST) today at her residence near Paris."

Unknown to the British public, Mrs. Simpson, born in Blue Ridge Summit, Pa., of a prominent Baltimore family, had been Edward's constant companion for the last two years before he took the throne on the death of his father, King George V, in January, 1936. He was 41 and unmarried. She was 39.

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## Obituaries

### Cary A. Crane

Cary A. Crane, 65, of 95 Essex St., died at Manchester Memorial Hospital. He was the husband of Margaret (Meehan) Crane.

He was born Dec. 24, 1920, in Springfield, Mass., and had been a resident of Manchester since 1957, moving here from Hartford. Until he retired in December, he had been employed at the Hamilton Standard Division, United Technologies Corp. for 31 years. He was a veteran of World War II, serving in the U.S. Army in Company A, 29th Engineering Combat Battalion, in Europe.

He was a member of the South Congregational Church of Hartford, and was a lifelong member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Post 2046 of Manchester. He was also a member of the Manchester Army & Navy Club, and was a former member of the Masonic Fayette Lodge Number 69 of Vernon and Ellington.

Besides his wife, he is survived by a brother, Roland Crane of Glastonbury; a sister, Pearl Nugent of East Hartford; two step-sons, Andrew Bowers of Manchester and James Bowers of Del Rio, Texas; two stepdaughters, Judy Reynolds of East Hartford and Margaret Davis of Bolton; five stepgrandchildren; and several aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces and nephews.

The funeral will be Friday at 11 a.m. at the Holmes Funeral Home, 400 Main St. Burial will be in the veterans' section of the East Cemetery. Calling hours are today from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Members of the F.W. Auxiliary will meet at the funeral home at 7:30 tonight.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, 237 E. Center St.

### Nina M. Walker

Nina M. Walker, 68, of 4602 Paradise Village, Phoenix, Ariz., formerly of Coventry and Manchester, died Tuesday at her home. She was the wife of Kenneth Walker.

Born in Derby, March 28, 1918, she had been a resident of Manchester and Coventry for 22 years before moving to Arizona three years ago.

Before moving to Arizona, she worked as a nurse's aide at Manchester Memorial Hospital for 15 years, and drove a school van for special education children for five years.

She is survived by two daughters, Donna Savage of St. Petersburg, Fla., and Nina Walker of Meriden; three sons, Wayne Walker of Niantic, Dennis Walker of Thompson, and Gary Walker of Lebanon; two brothers, Warren Andrews of Ansonia and Wallace Andrews of Winston; six granddaughters; and one great-grandson.

The funeral will be Saturday at a time and place to be announced. Burial, which will be in the East Cemetery, will be at the convenience of the family. Calling hours are Friday from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Holmes Funeral Home, 400 Main St.

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

### Edouard Turgeon

Edouard Turgeon, 91, of 191 Eldridge St., died Tuesday at Manchester Memorial Hospital. He was born in Biddeford, Maine, and had lived there for 49 years. He lived in Hartford before moving to Manchester 15 years ago. He was retired from Pratt & Whitney.

He is survived by a sister-in-law, Juliette Turgeon of Williamstown, Mass., his nephew and niece, Romeo Lajeunesse and Anita Lajeunesse, with whom he lived for 40 years; two nephews, Edward Turgeon and William Turgeon, and a niece, Tina Vareschi, all of Williamstown; and many great-nieces and great-nephews.

The funeral will be Friday at 10:15 a.m. at the John F. Tierney Funeral Home, 219 W. Center St., with a mass of Christian burial at 11 a.m. in St. James Church. Burial will be in St. James Cemetery. Calling hours are today from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

### Harry C. McDermott

A funeral for Harry C. McDermott, 84, of 660 Main St., who died Tuesday, was held today at St. Peter's Church in Hartford. Burial was in St. James Cemetery, Manchester.

He is survived by his wife, Mary M. (Tyman) McDermott, and a niece, Robert (Ame) MacSweeney of Clinton; and three grandchildren.

## Shuttle cabin intact in pictures

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (UPI)—New photographs of the shuttle explosion show Challenger's nose section with the crew cabin inside emerging relatively intact from the fireball of the ship's exploding external fuel tank.

But NASA officials insist the resolution of the film does not indicate what condition the cabin may have been in after the agency refuses to discuss the fate of the seven astronauts.

"You're going to have to draw your own conclusions," NASA spokesman Hugh Harris said Wednesday when NASA released 10 pictures from a 2,800-mile-per-hour film taken Jan. 28 by a tracking camera.

Some experts have speculated the seven astronauts in the crew module may have been alive during the cabin's 8.9-mile plunge to the sea but the father of one shuttle flier said he was told the astronauts probably died seconds after the explosion.

A NASA statement accompanying the new photographs said: "There is not enough detail available to ascertain the integrity of the cabin."

"All available data sources, including these photographs, are being utilized in an attempt to understand the condition of the crew module following vehicle breakup. NASA will have no further comment until the analysis is complete."

The pictures, taken by a camera 2 miles away from Challenger's launch pad, were released after Freedom of Information requests made by United Press International and other news organizations.

The space agency continues to refuse release of the entire sequence of pictures despite repeated requests.

One frame shows the cockpit section trailing what appears to be a thin stream of vapor with markings on the object that could be black tiles around the cockpit window frames. But the resolution of the film made precise identification impossible.

The first photograph was taken about 76 seconds after blastoff, two or three seconds after the explosion, with the object identified by Harris as the nose section emerging from the fireball of Challenger's exploding fuel tank obscured by thick smoke.

The final picture in the sequence was taken about 161 seconds after blastoff.

## Asbestos bidder may win again

BOLTON — An Andover, Mass. firm will probably be recommended to remove asbestos this summer from Bolton Center School and Bolton High School, an engineer with the firm overseeing the project said this morning.

J. Michael Callahan of Applied Thermodynamics Associates Inc. in Eastford said this morning.

The firm selected to do the work, Dec-Tam, had the lowest bid of \$128,000, the lowest of two offers opened Tuesday.

If Dec-Tam's bid is accepted, it will mark the second time the firm has been chosen by Bolton to do the work. Last year, the firm was the lowest bidder for the project, but plans were canceled after one of the other bidders threatened to challenge the selection.

The town decided not to accept Dec-Tam's offer because an East Hartford firm contended the town did not follow the insurance provisions outlined in the bid specifications. The town had required a \$1 million insurance policy, but agreed to accept Dec-Tam's \$500,000 policy because the firm could not obtain greater coverage.

This year, Dec-Tam met the specifications, Callahan said. "I will most likely recommend to go with the low bidder," he said.

The other bid opened Tuesday was from National Surface Cleaners of Methuen, Mass., for \$123,000.

It also had bid last year. Callahan said four firms picked up copies of the bid specifications, and he was surprised more offers were not received. Last year, four firms bid on the project.

He said fewer offers were probably received because the project is small. He also said the bids were what had been expected.

"The numbers are within at least the ballpark of our estimates," he said.

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# FOCUS

Sunny Phillips, who is of Chinese descent and from Thailand, holds up a mirror for her 14-year-old daughter, Gracie, who models the Oriental-style gown Mrs. Phillips wore at her wedding.



## Nostalgia rings at this bridal fashion show



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## Socially Speaking

Rhea Talley Stewart



Fran Beaulieu, who modeled her own gown from her 1970 wedding to Ken Beaulieu, arranges the hair of one of the small attendants, Nichole Conopask, at "Brides Through the Century," a bridal show at St. Mary's Episcopal Church.

## A warning to all parents: the mousse is loose!

By Melissa Sones  
United Press International

NEW YORK — If your teenager has been through a punk hairdo, records by The Cult and a boyfriend you don't approve of, this won't hurt a bit. It's temporary haircolor, the latest from the makers of hair mousse.

Because teenagers are a loyal part of the \$250 million annual mousse market, they shouldn't have trouble reaching for that familiar drizzle of a can, pressing the nozzle and receiving foam in shades of mauve, gold, red, red or chocolate kiss instead of white.

"Color styling mousse," as it is called, is being introduced by Revlon, Vidal Sassoon and Clairol.

All hope to create a new fashion category, like nail polish or eyeshadow, that's automatically matched up to suit the outfit.

They also hope to hook young people, who think haircolor is something for grandmothers, in the hopes they will move onto standard haircolor later on.

If all goes well at these very competitive companies — only Sassoon would reveal a \$10 million price tag on its upcoming ad campaign — teenagers should know about color mousse by the end of April.

Clairol's line is called "Pazzazz" and includes only four mousses: bronze, rose, gold, and copper. Sassoon's "Colorific" has ten traditional colors ranging from cool blond to soft auburn and chestnut brown.

Revlon's, an extension of their well-established Roux color rinse, is called "Fanci-Full" and has 12 cans squaring mauve, decade and red, not which look like boysenberry and raspberry sherbet respectively along with chocolate kiss, basil blue and silver lining (for older Roux devotees).

The idea is to shampoo, apply mousse, style and — depending on your color choice, the amount you put in, and whether you mousse your whole head, or prefer highlights, streaks, or to mix several color mousses in plaid patterns, you head off to school, the office, or the Palladium after midnight.

Pazzazz and Fanci-Full wash out after one shampoo. Colorific after "three or four."

Unlike Fanci-Full and Pazzazz, "Colorific" comes with plastic gloves. Betty Jameson-Dunn, vice-president of marketing at Vidal Sassoon, said gloves are necessary because their product, unlike the competition, gives a salon quality hair color, something that extensive market research showed women want.

"You need the gloves because it stains your hands on application," she said, adding that Colorific gives the styling other products give but adds "intensity of color" as well.

"This is a color story," said Maude Simard, group director for new products at Clairol. "Our hair has some runoff," and "if that did happen and it got on your clothing it washes out."

"That's the first time we heard that," said Jameson-Dunn.

As for a torrential downpour, a spokeswoman for Clairol said "the fact of the matter is most people don't get caught in downpours." On the off-chance, "you would have some runoff," and "if that did happen and it got on your clothing it washes out."

Colorific volunteer has medium brown hair and tried "Hulan gold" for the "subtle copper tones," as recommended. The outcome was barely noticeable (she probably has to try another shade), but her nail polish changed color.

## Ruling frustrates Republicans

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open the process, especially with the challenge for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination by former U.S. Congressman Toby Moffett.

In Manchester, the reaction of political leaders in the judge's stay allowed party lines, with Republicans saying they should have control over their own rules and Democrats insisting open primaries would only cause problems for the two-party system.

"There is nothing in the Constitution that says a political party cannot change its own rules," said Nathan Agostinelli, a member of the Republican State Central Committee. He said he was not sure whether the GOP would appeal the stay.

"If a person votes in a primary, chances are they will also vote for that person in the election," Republican Town Chairman Donald Kuehl said.

Kuehl and other Republicans interviewed today said the GOP needs to get more unaffiliated voters involved in order to become the majority party in Connecticut.

"In Connecticut," Kuehl said, "somebody supported only by Republicans can't win."

Town Director Stephen T. Cassano, a Democrat, said today that he opposed open primaries because it could hurt the system.

"Somebody could use the open primary to hurt a party by nominating a more radical candidate," Cassano said. He said if the U.S. Supreme Court rules in favor of open primaries, it could lead to a legal precedent that would allow somebody to force the Democrats to open their primaries.

All who were interviewed said they thought the Supreme Court would eventually rule in favor of the Republicans.

At issue is a lawsuit now pending before the U.S. Supreme Court, originally filed by the state GOP, seeking to open some of its primaries. The high court had earlier refused to grant a speedy hearing on the case and settle it before September's primaries.

The right of the Republicans to open primaries was affirmed by federal courts in Hartford and New York. The state then appealed to the Supreme Court.

The state argues that the General Assembly and not political parties should set election laws. The GOP changed its rules in 1984 to allow independent voters to participate in Republican primaries for statewide office, such as governor and treasurer, and U.S. House and Senate races.

That year, the Legislature, then controlled by Democrats, killed a GOP bill that would have implemented the rule changes. The Republicans then filed the suit against the state.

Last year, with Republicans in control of the Legislature, they got the bill through, only to have it vetoed by O'Neill.

O'Neill opposes the GOP approach to open primaries, saying that if some are going to be open, they all should be. Including rates for state legislative seats and local contests for first selectman.

Lieberman spokesman Kennedy said the stay was sought because it would have been next to impossible to gear up for open primaries this year, with September only five months away.

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TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

wooly Spirit, you who made me see myself as I am, you who have made me reach my goal, you who gave me the desire to be a Christian, you who made me a son to me and you, who are in all things, I pray to you, and I pray that you will give me the strength to live for you, and I pray that you will give me the wisdom to know what to do, and I pray that you will give me the power to do it, and I pray that you will give me the grace to resist temptation, and I pray that you will give me the joy of heaven, and I pray that you will give me the life of the age to come.

## Switch means primary will be held in May

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from doing that," he said.

"Sitting here myself, I've denied there was any impropriety about her first decision."

"I've never seen any intimation of a conflict of interest," she said. "If somebody wants my job, they can have it."

Agostinelli said the state chairman of Labriola's campaign and a former mayor of Manchester.

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Advice

Flying marriage ceremonies might give Amtrak a boost

DEAR ABBY: What are actually writing to you hoping to promote the idea of employing airline captains to perform marriage ceremonies...

Dear Abby
Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I fly the pilot in the cockpit, flying the plane, not in the back of the plane performing a marriage service.

DEAR CAROL: Relax. I doubt that it will ever happen. Read on for an update on marriages performed on the high seas.

CAROL IN DALLAS

DEAR ABBY: You were quite right in stating that sea captains are permitted to perform marriage ceremonies years ago when voyages were very long.

FREDEIRCK N. MACLEAN, AFTON, CALIF.

DEAR MR. MACLEAN: Thanks for a nice Fisher's story.

DEAR ABBY: A man who works where I work keeps asking me to go out with him.

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Don't have unneeded X-rays

DEAR DR. GOTT: Just how dangerous are X-rays? I had three taken of my lower back after slipping on the ice last winter.

Dr. Gott
Peter Gott, M.D.

DEAR READER: Any X-ray exposure is potentially dangerous. However, sensible doctors will weigh the dangers of X-ray exams against the potential value of the information to be gained.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I had a myelogram, which disclosed two ruptured discs.

DEAR READER: Discs act like washers between the spinal vertebrae.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I wash my hair every other day and have tried every kind of shampoo there is.

DEAR READER: You may have chronic skin infection called pyoderma.

Lipstick plant should flower

DEAR POLLY: I have a lipstick plant that I have had for quite some time and it has never bloomed.

Pointers
Polly Fisher

DEAR BETTY: I can't give you a definitive answer as to why your plant hasn't flowered, but I can recommend the optimum conditions to promote flowering.

Thoughts

"Blessed are the merciful: for they shall obtain mercy." This beautiful moves well beyond the "eye for an eye, and tooth for a tooth" perspective that seems to pervade so much of society.

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About Town

Red Cross in fest

Connecticut Valley East Branch of the American Red Cross will participate in the Community Volunteer Fest Saturday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at McAllister Park.

Dance set Friday

Parents Without Partners, Hartford Branch, will hold an open dance Friday at 9 p.m. at Hadden Valley in Berlin.

Samaritans save lives

Samaritans of the Capitol Region are seeking volunteers to talk to people who are lonely, despairing and suicidal on a suicide hotline.

Course for fathers

Manchester Memorial Hospital's Parent Education Program will sponsor a three-part series, Fathering in These Times: Exploring, Understanding and Changing.

Lutz puppet program

Lutz Children's Museum will have a variety of activities, games and crafts dealing with Connecticut's native animals Friday from 1 to 4 p.m.

WCTU gives data

The Women's Christian Temperance Union of Connecticut has updated schools in the state with drug-related literature including hard drugs, alcohol and tobacco.

Teams raise \$5,732

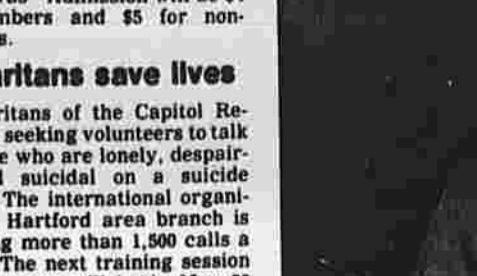
Volleyball teams raised \$5,732.40 for Easter Seals at recent games at East Catholic High School.

Checks must be returned to Treasury

QUESTION: My father was receiving retirement checks when he died and my mother will be applying for widow's benefits soon.

Cards flow in to help students

By Margaret Hovden Herald Reporter



Since a story about Virginia Barker's presents to Head Start children appeared in the Dec. 26 Manchester Herald, she has received more than 15,000 used cards.

"I can't get over the response," said Barker, who works at Scan-Optics in the Manchester Industrial Park.

Soon after the story appeared, she found several large bags of cards at the doorstep of her home at 186 1/2 W. Middle Turnpike.

"I can use more," she said. The cards enable her to brighten the lives of many children.

She said she thinks about the children whose Christmas will be brighter because of her gifts. In her spare time, she cuts the donated cards into circles for the decorations.

Last year she bought and gift-wrapped crayons and coloring books for each of the 100 Head Start children in Manchester.

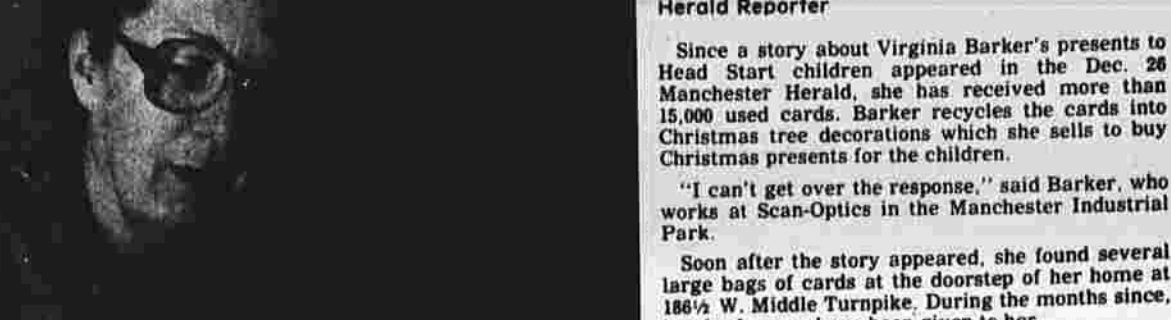
"I'm not too proud to pick up a penny," she said. The coins she finds go into a can for gifts for children. Others have contributed to the collection which totals about \$30.

But the sale of tree decorations will be the primary source of gift money this year.

"I received cards from 29 countries. A lot come from church people who know missionaries. Immigrants received cards from abroad," she said.

"I couldn't do it alone," she said.

ADOPT THIS BEAR!



Three Lucky Boys or Girls Will Win This Bear Valued at \$70 From the Wooden Sleigh Others Will Win:

QUESTION: My father was receiving retirement checks when he died and my mother will be applying for widow's benefits soon.

ANSWER: No. Any checks she received after the month of his death should be returned to the U.S. Treasury Department.

QUESTION: My grandson, who's been getting SSI because of a disabling condition, is graduating from high school this year.

ANSWER: Medicare can help pay for portable diagnostic X-rays. You should be aware, however, that not all laboratories are certified by Medicare.

QUESTION: Suppose you are too ill to go to the hospital for X-rays. Will Medicare pay for someone to come into your house and take the X-rays?

ANSWER: Medicare medical insurance can help pay for diagnostic tests conducted by an independent laboratory provided the lab is certified by Medicare.

QUESTION: If I do as my doctor says and take a lot of laboratory tests, will my Medicare pay for them?

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Adopt-a-pet

Daisy can bring spring to owner

By Barbara Richmond Social to the Herald

Daisies are one of the harbingers of spring and so are puppies. So what better name for a little golden retriever cross than Daisy?

The puppy, a 15-week-old female, was found roaming at Adams and Center streets on April 21. She's really a baby and needs someone to love her and care for her.

There were two other new dogs at the pound this week, plus several that were mentioned in last week's column.

Another new resident is a female shepherd cross, also a puppy about 3 months old. She was picked up on Eldridge Street on April 20. She's black and tan and very friendly.

Monsieur, last week's featured pet, a white poodle cross, is still waiting to be adopted. He's about 5 years old, was clipped recently, and was found roaming near Parker Street and Tolland Turnpike last week.

A male beagle, about 5 years old, is also still waiting to be claimed or adopted. He's tri-color and was picked up on Villa Louis Road.

Two other dogs mentioned in last week's column were claimed by their owners, the black Labrador retriever and the black and tan Doberman, about 10 months old, was found on Cushman Drive. He has one brown eye and one pale blue eye and appears to be quite timid.

He was picked up on April 18.

Someone can also be contacted at the pound by calling either of those numbers from 6 to 9 p.m., Monday through Friday.

There is a \$5 fee for adopting a dog and the new owner must have a dog licensed.



Daisy, a harbinger of spring, has an outing with Assistant Dog Warden Dan Fuller.

Choose a mortgage carefully

A relocated executive and family wanted a mortgage with the lowest possible interest rate. The monthly payments, because his company was paying all the up-front costs. He also expected to be transferred in another five years.

So he was a short-term mortgage commitment. He took out a low-interest adjustable mortgage with four points up front, which his company paid.

A young medical intern had a wife and infant to support on a modest income. His needs were for a low-cost condominium to be purchased for little down and at least five years of low monthly payments which would then escalate to higher monthly payments as his income grew.

He took a 95 percent mortgage with an initial interest rate below market, but which graduated yearly up to the market rate.

A widely accepted rule of thumb is: 28 percent of your gross monthly income can be budgeted for housing expenses.

ALL YOU NEED to do is look out the window of a moving car and you know it's the home buying season.

NPW also means that you should take the opportunity to acquaint yourself with a veterinarian-hospital. If all turns out normal, be comforted to know that you have a healthy, well-cared-for pet.

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Sylvia Porter

house, of course: insurance, attorney fees, house inspections, surveys, taxes, closing fees. And points. Points represent the lender's initial costs and profit for processing the mortgage.

There's little worse than the feeling that you got stuck with a poor mortgage. It lasts too long to be forgotten.

A GOOD AFFORDABLE mortgage is a lifelong commitment for the borrower and would be wise to spend what you must to get what you want and can live with.

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SPORTS Dineen hero in OT for the Whalers

By Bob Papetelli Herald Sports Writer

HARTFORD — If the puck was a live grenade, Kevin Dineen would fall on it. If the net were engulfed in flames, Kevin Dineen would dive in and carry the goalie over his shoulder.

There was a moment when Dineen would even scald the endless steps of the Civic Center Coliseum to get it down.

For the time being, Kevin Dineen will just have to settle for what he is: Hartford's hockey hero.

Dineen hustled into the goal-scoring column with typical timing. He pounced on a loose puck at mid-ice and drove down the left lane, blowing by future Hall-of-Fame defenseman Larry Robinson.

The game-winner described his game-winner: "I caught Larry Robinson kind of flat-footed and got around him from the outside. I held him off with one arm, and took the puck back to myself and put it upstairs."

Kevin Dineen in Game Four of the '85 Adams finals was Carlton 'Fish' in Game Six of the '75 World Series.

"Kevin — he's a game-winner, his whole act," said Hartford defenseman Ulf Samuelsson whose consistently spectacular performance was overshadowed in the end, as was just about everything else.

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more than a few folks Wednesday night by responding throughout with save after clutch save.

"Everybody played great defense in front of me," noted the ultra-modest Weeks, who stopped 18 shots.

There was the absence of dependable Dave Babych, the Whalers' best all-around blue liner. Babych missed his first game of the year with a groin injury, after laboring for 81 regular season games with Winnipeg and Hartford, plus six more in the playoffs.

"I would have been a liability if I played," said Babych, whose status, like Liut's, is day-to-day.

There was the win evened the Best-of-seven Adams Division finals at two games apiece. Game Five is at the Forum on Friday night, with Game Six back in Hartford on Sunday night.

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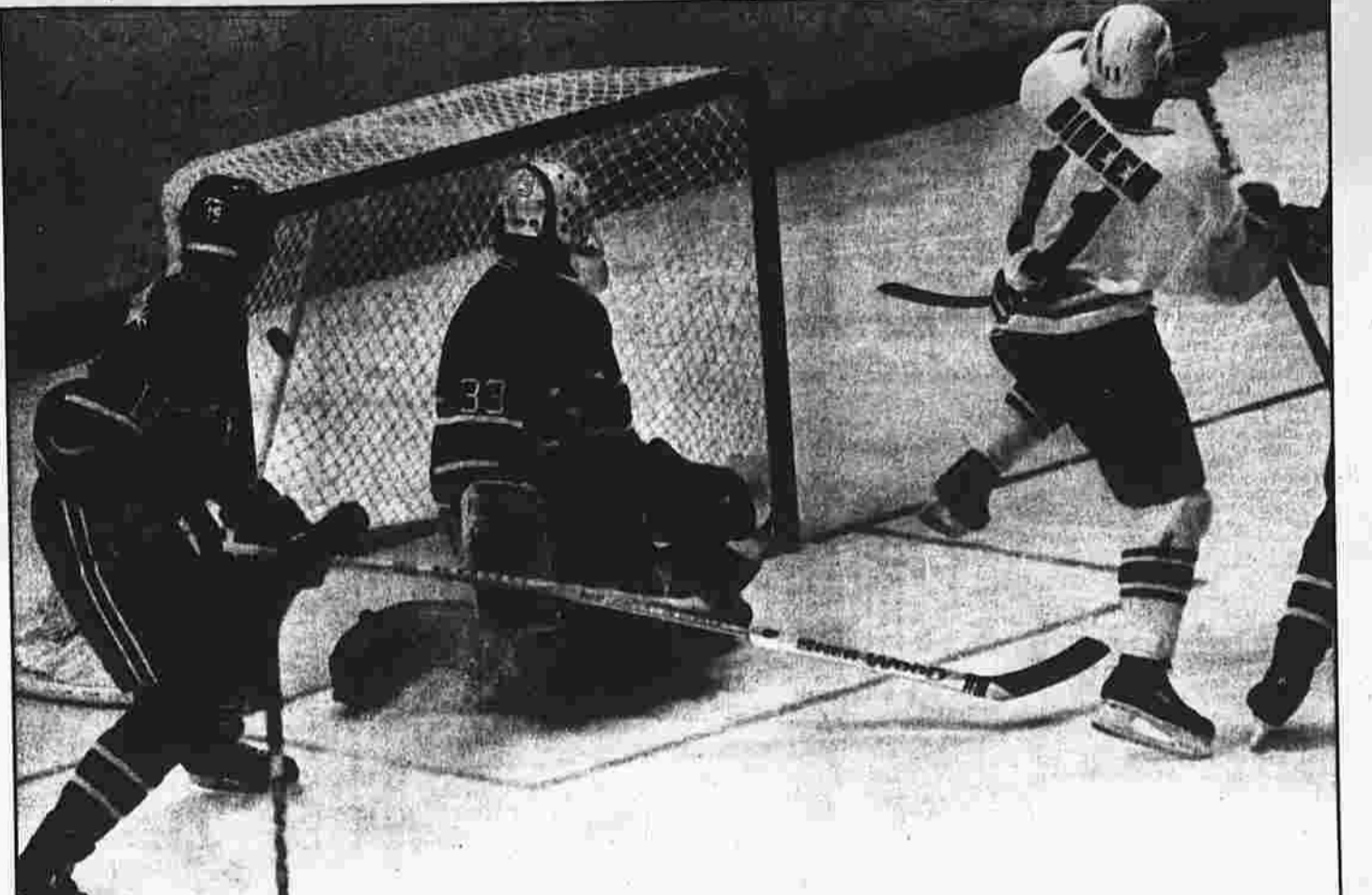
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Hartford's Kevin Dineen (right) sweeps past the Montreal net and the puck is already behind Canadian goalie Patrick Roy (33) as Dineen scored the game-winner 1:07 into overtime Wednesday night at the Civic Center.



Whaler goalie Steve Weeks, pressed into service with the injury to No. 1 netminder Mike Liut, keeps a close eye on the puck as teammate Joel Quenneville tries to clear Montreal's Bob Gainey from in front of the net.

'Yes and no' on paper training

QUESTION: Is paper training recommended for a puppy?

ANSWER: The answer to this is yes and no. If the weather is moderate, I think paper training should be avoided and the puppy taken outside to void.

Don't use newspapers as bedding or he or she will think the whole area is for soiling. After the puppy voids, praise him or her and before long paper training will be accomplished.

Some experts do advocate outdoor training for all seasons but I don't agree. Of course, you must retain the indoor drier when the weather improves but this can be accomplished sometimes just by moving the newspapers outdoors.

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Caribou cows head for new home

LAKE EMMA, Alaska (AP) — The four cow caribou remained crunched in their wooden crates at the edge of a frozen mountain lake, unsure what to do next.

Ahead of them was an uncertain future on the Tustumena benchmark of the Kenai Peninsula.

Tipping one crate slightly, biologists gave one cow some gentle nudges. She finally lunged out of the crate and lurching to her feet.

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Rangers receive gift OT victory from the Capitals

By Lisa Harris United Press International

NEW YORK — The New York Rangers have no pretenses, only hopes.

They know their overtime goal Wednesday night was a gift, but it tied the best-of-seven Patrick Division finals against the Washington Capitals 2-2.

Game 5 is set for Saturday night in the Capital Center in Landover, Md.

Bob Brooke scored from the top of the circle on a pass that Washington defenseman Scott Stevens sent out from behind the net at 2:40 of overtime to lift the Rangers to a 6-5 victory.

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someone not watching. "I don't know what we were thinking of," Washington coach Bryan Murray said.

Rangers coach Ted Sator claimed no thought pattern either.

Asked what his overtime game plan had been, Sator joked: "I said 'Get the puck to Bobby Brooke and Bobby, you.'"

The overtime goal marked the second time in the game New York rallied from a two-goal deficit, and also the second time in the series the Rangers rallied to win in overtime.

"We could accept losing the game if they won," Washington center, Bob Carpenter, said. "We wanted it really bad, but a win for them and a win for us was the difference between being one game away from the whole thing being over or won."

NBA playoff roundup Thundering Lakers complete sweep of the Spurs

By William R. Barnard The Associated Press

Los Angeles Lakers, overshadowed by Boston in the regular season, are finding some thunder in the NBA playoffs.

"I told our guys you just have to give the Lakers credit," Spurs Coach Cotton Plemmons said after the Lakers completed an easy three-game sweep of the Spurs with a 114-94 decision on Wednesday night.

They are the champions. I thought our guys did the best they could. L.A. just has a great team."

The 20-point triumph was the closest of the three victories for Los Angeles, which won the first two games 135-98 and 122-94.

"We are a better team than the Spurs. I think the series speaks for itself," said Lakers center Kareem Abdul-Jabbar, who scored 25 points in the first game.

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Brooke forced the extra session at 17:25 of the third period. Brian MacLellan fed Brooke for a 5-3 lead with a short-handed goal at 7:45 of the third period. New York, exhibiting the comeback tendency displayed so often by Washington in the series, stormed back 24 seconds later to salvage something from the power play on a goal by defenseman Willie Huber.

The Rangers pulled within 3-2 at 4:42. After Tom Laidlaw hit the post, he picked up his rebound for Pierre Larouche, who fed Mike Ridley for a 15-foot shot.

Malone hit the game-winner 20 seconds later. On Dallas' next possession, Blackman's shot rolled over the rim and Malone tipped the rebound from James Donaldson, who led the Mavericks with 17 points and 20 rebounds.

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Spurs point guard Wes Matthews led all scorers with 30 points.

The Spurs, 5-21 in the last third of the regular season, cut a 27-20 deficit after one period to 48-42 in

the second quarter. But they never got any closer.

Maurice Lucas scored 17 points for the Lakers, who outrebounded San Antonio 64-45 and hit 53.4 percent from the field to 41.6 percent to the Spurs.

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Toronto	7	7	.500	8
Milwaukee	5	9	.357	10 1/2

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 Philadelphia vs. Washington 1  
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### Hockey

**NHL playoffs**  
**Division Finals (Best-of-seven)**  
 Boston vs. Washington  
 (Series tied 2-2)  
 April 21 - New York 4, Washington 3 (OT)  
 April 22 - Washington 4, New York 3  
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 Hartford vs. Montreal  
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Baltimore	7	6	.538	7 1/2
Toronto	7	7	.500	8
Milwaukee	5	9	.357	10 1/2

### Tigers 3, Red Sox 1

DETROIT	BOSTON
Trinnell 2b 5 0 10	DwEvens rf 4 0 0 0
Coakley 3b 2 0 0 0	Wright 1b 3 1 1 0
Whiteaker 2b 3 0 2 0	Buckner 1b 3 0 0 0
Parran c 0 0 0 0	Rice 3b 1 0 0 0
Strom 1b 3 0 0 0	Borner dh 2 0 0 0
LeMay 2b 3 0 0 0	Armsch cf 2 0 0 0
Brogan dh 2 0 0 0	Johnson 2b 2 0 0 0
Bertram 1b 1 0 0 0	Barrett 2b 3 0 0 0
Edwards 1b 1 0 0 0	Kennon dh 1 0 0 0
Delaney 1b 1 0 0 0	
Totals	27 11 3 Totals
DETROIT	BOSTON
Game-winning RBI - Coakley (1)	
E-Bertram, DP - Detroit 3, Boston 1.	
LOB - Detroit 18, Boston 6. 2B - Rice, Romero, Brooks, Trinnell.	
WP - Detroit 2, Boston 1.	
Hernandez (5-5) 1 1 0 0 0 0	
Hurt (1-1) 2 0 2 0 0 0	
Hurt pitched to 2 batters in 7th.	
Umpires - Home, Merrill; 1b, Hernandez; 2b, Cousins; 3b, Evans.	

### Indians 5, Orioles 1

BALTIMORE	CLEVELAND
Wiggins 2b 3 1 0 0	Nixon cf 2 0 0 0
Swartz 1b 3 1 0 0	Corcoran 1b 2 1 1 1
Lacy rf 4 2 1 0	Corcoran cf 2 0 0 0
Strom 1b 3 0 0 0	Strom 1b 2 0 0 0
Murray 1b 3 0 0 0	Jocelyn 2b 2 1 2 1
Spaeth 3b 2 0 0 0	Butler cf 2 0 0 0
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Dempsie 5 3 0 0	Bernard 2b 2 0 0 0
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McGriff (L 1-2)	3	3	3	4	1
Hovens	1	0	0	0	0
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Schram (W 3-1)	6	3	1	2	7
Baltzer (5-5)	1	1	1	2	1
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**By United Press International**

THE WOODLANDS, Texas — The Houston Open has had its share of misfortune, but that all changed this year.

Tom Watson was the first to announce he would play the Houston Open this year. Lanny Wadkins, Tom Kite, Sandy Lyle, Mark O'Meara, defending champion Raymond Floyd and John Mahaffey soon followed.

In mid-March, an agreement was reached with ESPN to televise all four rounds.

But the big bonus came April 15 when Jack Nicklaus, three days after winning the Masters, announced he would play in the Houston Open.

"Jack had encouraged us all year long," said Houston Golf Association Executive Director Duke Butler. "When he won the Masters and fulfilled his commitment, it was just a bonus beyond our wildest imaginations. We had a very good field go to a very outstanding field."

Butler said the tournament, which does not have a commercial sponsor, was already a financial success before Nicklaus committed. Last year, playing on a new Tournament Players Course in a down Houston economy, the event lost more than \$100,000.

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Twenty-eight teams — including

## Palmer, Player reunited in legends

AUSTIN, Texas — Arnold Palmer and Gary Player, two-thirds of what 20 years ago was known as the Big Three, will be reunited Thursday at the Legends of Golf — an annual gathering of the game's great figures and the starting point of the multi-million dollar senior tour.

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Bradley, Miller head S&H Classic

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. — Pat Bradley and Alice Miller enter Thursday's opening round of the \$200,000 S&H Classic displaying different strokes for different folks.

Bradley, who already has earned \$172,724 this year, leads the LPGA Tour in seven categories.

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Friday, April 25, 1986

## Packwood plan would cut tax, end deductions

By Mary Beth Franklin  
United Press International

WASHINGTON — Senate Finance Committee Chairman Bob Packwood, R-Ore., today is hoping to move his panel back towards "true tax reform," has offered a new, radical plan to lower tax rates and wipe out most deductions.

The proposal, a copy of which was obtained by United Press International, was considered by senators as merely a starting point for discussions.

The plan, distributed in a private committee meeting Thursday, calls for two tax rates for individuals — 15 percent and 25 percent.

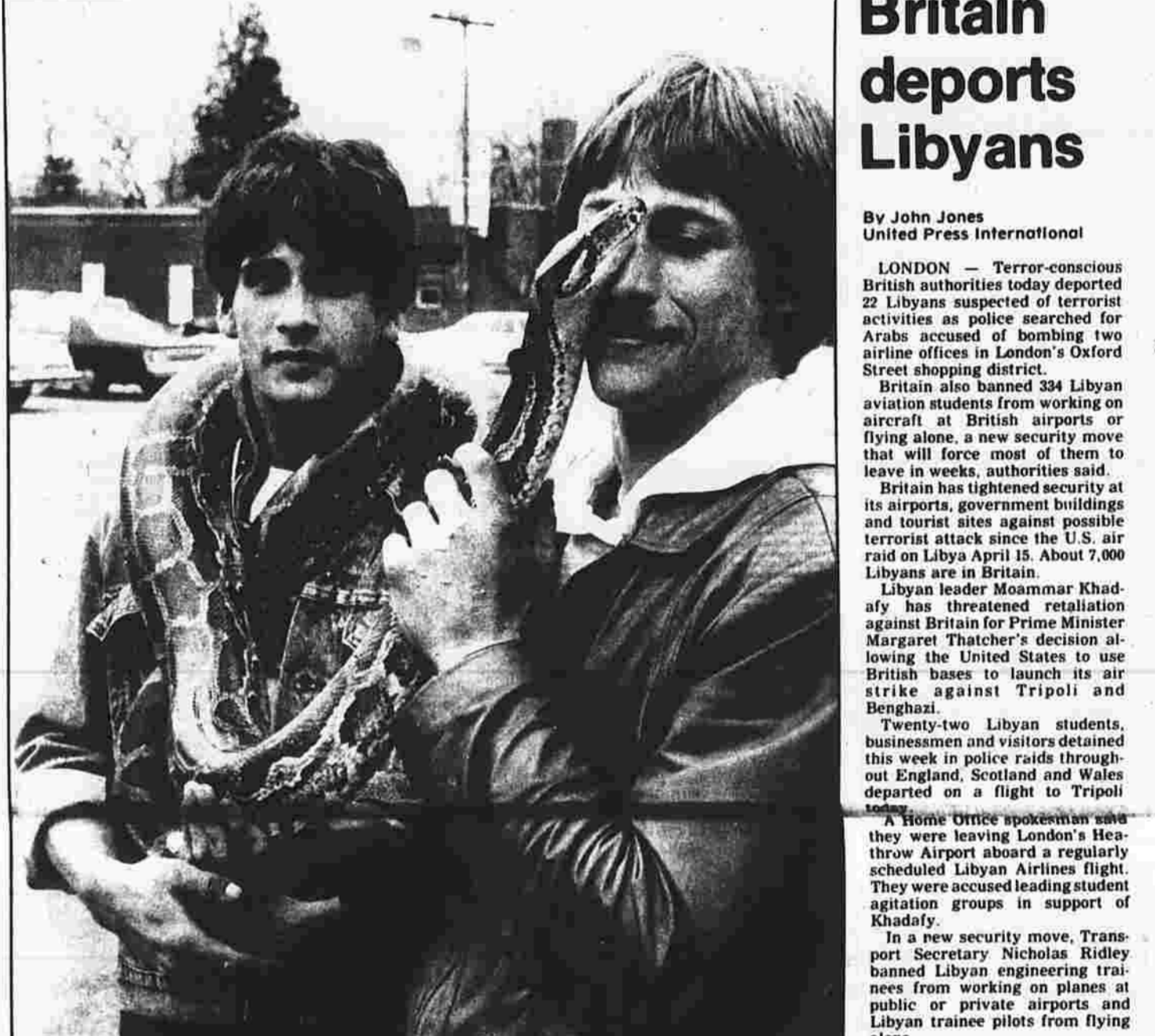
The current system includes 14 tax brackets ranging from 11 percent to 50 percent.

The Packwood plan would boost the personal exemption from the \$1,120 level scheduled for 1987 to \$2,000 — a top priority with President Reagan. The exemption would be phased out for wealthy taxpayers.

To pay for these generous proposed changes for individuals, the plan would repeal most existing deductions, including the tax write-off for contributions to individual Retirement Accounts.

Some deductions would remain sacred, however, such as those for home mortgage interest, charitable contributions and state and local property, sales and income taxes.

The Packwood proposal also would drop the top corporate rate



from 46 percent to 33 percent and retain some of the provisions the committee adopted over the past month, such as repealing the Investment Tax Credit — a lucrative and cherished business deduction.

It would raise \$25 billion in unspecified excise taxes over five years — a hotly contested issue — and would impose a stiff minimum tax on individuals and corporate income to ensure that no one avoids paying taxes.

Together, the proposal would cut individual tax revenue by \$95 billion over five years while raising corporate taxes by \$70 billion over the same period.

Following the private meeting Thursday, Packwood said his proposal, designed to rescue his endangered tax reform plan, had produced "interesting reactions" (that) certainly were worth pursuing.

The committee plans to resume its private meetings Tuesday.

"There's a greater sense of hope and a chance to come up with something," Sen. Max Baucus, D-Mont., told reporters after the meeting. "There was a lot of sentiment ... to pursue true tax reform."

"That's a step in the right direction," added Sen. Bill Bradley, D-N.J., a leading supporter of tax reform. "The more you put on the table, the lower rates go."

The committee spent the last month drafting a tax bill, but failed to meet its goal of eliminating loopholes to offset lower tax rates for businesses and individuals. By last week, the panel had voted to keep so many tax breaks that it was about \$29 billion in the red compared to Packwood's original proposal.

At that point the chairman, fearing the committee would reject a key provision in his plan to increase and revise excise taxes on alcohol, tobacco and gasoline, called a halt to the drafting sessions.

Rejection of the excise tax proposal would cost an additional \$75 billion over five years — and probably would kill the tax reform effort.

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## Bomb threat closes MVD test stations

WETHERSFIELD (AP) — A bomb threat today forced the state Motor Vehicles Department to close all 18 auto emission testing stations, a department spokesman said.

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The MVD ordered the stations closed down until a search of the offices was completed, department spokesman Donald Byers said.

On Wednesday a pipe bomb exploded in the MVD's Hamden office. The 6-25 a.m. explosion blew out windows and damaged doors, but no one was injured. The building was not occupied at the time.

No arrest has been made in the case.

## Snake eyes

Ray Hanna of Olcott Street, right, keeps his eye on Max, an 11-foot python that he and Bill Johnoro of Forest Street bought Thursday in Hartford. The 80-pound snake, which eats once a month, does not bite its victims, the two

said. Instead, it wraps itself around its prey and crushes it to death. Johnoro said he wasn't frightened by having Max around his neck because the snake ate two weeks ago and was still full.

**TODAY'S HERALD**

Reagan embarks  
President Reagan embarked today on the longest trip of his presidency, a 22,300-mile journey to the Far East that will climax in Tokyo with a seven-nation summit meeting set up to discuss economics but likely to be dominated by the specter of terrorism. Reagan, leaving Washington, said he is going to Asia "to reaffirm and renew our economic, strategic and political ties." Story on page 19.

Drizzle and fog  
Drizzle and fog tonight with a 50 percent chance of rain. Mostly cloudy Saturday with a 30 percent chance of rain. Details on page 5.

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## Shelter called a unique success

By John Mitchell  
Herald Reporter

Proclaiming that "most of the homeless in Manchester are now employed," the director of the town's shelter for homeless people attributed the shelter's success to community support and the unique nature of the program.

But shelter director Pat Maneggia, speaking at a Manchester Community Services Council luncheon Thursday, said the shelter's supporters still have a lot of work to do.

The group needs to get involved in more fund raising and began a community drive on March 1, she said.

"We're seeing private contributions from people we've never heard of before," Maneggia said, thanking the volunteers for their effort in spreading the word.

The Manchester Area Conference of Churches, which runs the shelter at 466 Main St., is about \$75,000 short of the money needed to bring the building up to code requirements. That figure may rise further.

"The more we do on the building, the more we discover what we have to do," Maneggia said.

A new proposal, not included in the \$75,000 calls for construction of a resource room on the third floor, where clients could make phone calls regarding job interviews or housing, Maneggia said. She said she also hopes to use part of the area for offices.

"We're working right in the middle of construction," she said.

A soup kitchen, which Maneggia hopes will be finished at the end of the year, will be located in the lower level of the building. The first floor will serve as sleeping quarters for up to 40 people, and Maneggia said she has heard that it could be completed as early as June.

"When this floor gets done, we will have an open house," she promised the council.

Other projects that need to be done include repairs to the driveway and roof and work on outdoor lighting.

Maneggia, who planned to major in music before getting involved with the program, said that the idea of a shelter in Manchester wasn't popular at first because of the town's attitude toward homeless people.

"When we came here, we didn't even want to go out in public and say 'shelter' without the armor," she said.

But after working 70 to 80 hours a week while the program got off the ground last September, shelter organizers have slowly been able



PAT MANEGGIA "they're no different"

## Democrats push for Deaver probe

By Timothy Bannon  
United Press International

WASHINGTON — Five Democrats on the Senate Judiciary Committee have asked for a Justice Department inquiry to determine if a special prosecutor should be appointed to investigate former White House aide Michael Deaver. It was announced today in a letter to Attorney General Edwin Meese, the senators said there have been enough press reports of conflict of interest charges to trigger a probe of the former deputy White House chief of staff under the Ethics in Government Act.

"This letter is made necessary by the serious character of the allegations — which, if left unexamined, could only serve to undermine public confidence in the integrity of our government and its high officials," Sen. Joseph Biden, D-DeL., said in a statement.

In addition to Biden, the letter was signed by Sens. Paul Simon, D-Ill.; Howard Metzenbaum, D-

Ohio; Robert Byrd, D-W. Va.; and Patrick Leahy, D-Vt.

It was disclosed Thursday that Deaver, while serving in the White House, met in February 1985 with Fred Doucet, a top aide to Canadian Prime Minister Brian Mulrooney, to discuss appointing

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