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## Toast in Bali

U.S. President Ronald Reagan and Indonesian President Suharto, dressed in Indonesian Batik

shirts, toast each other during a state dinner at the Putri Bali Hotel today. Story on page 4.

## Murder suspect has criminal record

By Susan Vaughn  
Herald Reporter

David L. Copas, the man accused of murdering Manchester High School student Laura A. Bieu in Coventry last weekend, has a record of criminal arrests dating back to 1977. Superior Court records show.

Copas, now 25, was arrested at age 16 in June 1977 on a third-degree burglary charge for which he received a suspended sentence at Cheshire Reformatory in May 1978 and was placed on probation for two years, according to records in Rockville Superior Court.

He was arrested again in December 1978 and was sentenced in April 1979 on two counts of

Friends recall  
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first-degree reckless endangerment and first-degree criminal mischief. He was again sentenced to serve one year in Cheshire Reformatory with the same probationary period, both to run concurrently with the previous sentence. After the second arrest, Copas was also assigned to treatment at the Parent-Child Resource Center in Mansfield.

Copas was also arrested in

Marlborough on May 31, 1982, and convicted of first-degree larceny. For that charge, he received a seven-year sentence from a Manchester Superior Court judge which was to be suspended after four years, with a probationary period of five years.

It was unclear how much time Copas served in connection with those charges.

Copas, who lives in Mansfield, was arrested Wednesday and charged with the death of Bieu, 16, whose body was found Sunday afternoon off Hop River Road in Coventry. He entered no plea in court Wednesday and is being held at the Brooklyn Correctional Center on a \$200,000 bond. He is scheduled for another appearance

in Tolland County Superior Court May 14.

The death of the Manchester High School sophomore was caused by a blow to her head with a blunt instrument and a stab wound in the chest, according to an autopsy by the state medical examiner.

Sgt. Edward Dailey, spokesman for the state police, said today that another young girl was killed in a similar instance about four years ago after leaving the same bowling alley. Lucky Strike Bowling in Mansfield, where Bieu apparently met Copas and accepted a ride from him last Friday evening. Dailey said the other girl's body was also found in Coventry and an arrest was made for that murder and that Copas is not a suspect in the crime.

State police, who have been handling the investigation, have a few more witnesses to interview, but otherwise consider the investigation closed, Dailey said.

Assistant State's Attorney Donald Caldwell, who will prosecute Copas, said Wednesday he had not received the file on the case, but expected that on May 14 a date would be set for a probable cause hearing on the murder charge.

Police have not released any motive in connection with Copas' arrest, but Caldwell said that motive does not have to be established on a murder charge.

What must be shown is that the killing was intentional, he said.

## After many draft proposals, Heritage merger on the way

By John F. Kirch  
Herald Reporter

Suffield Savings Bank should have an announcement regarding its acquisition of the Manchester-based Heritage Savings and Loan Association within the next two weeks, Suffield officials said today.

The deal has been in the works since October, when both sides signed a non-binding letter of intent and announced that the buyout would take place before February, with some bankers predicting it would come even earlier.

However, numerous issues have delayed a contract agreement between the two banks. In the past few months, bankers have repeatedly told reporters an announcement was coming "any day," only to say later that further delays had been encountered.

This time, Suffield officials vowed, an agreement is near.

"We have a document they are reviewing that should be agreed upon by both sides," Judy Geery, assistant vice president of Suffield, said today. She said that Robert C. DiGennaro, chairman of the board and chief executive officer of the Suffield-based bank, wants to report the acquisition to the company's stockholders May 13,

when the bank holds its annual meeting.

"The format the deal is taking is agreeable to both sides verbally," Geery said, adding that negotiations have been scheduled for Monday and Tuesday.

"We're on the 10th draft of the document and each is 90 pages," Heritage President William H. Hale said today. "There's like a zillion different things you have to go through. We'll meet next week and look at draft number 11."

Although Geery and Suffield Vice President James H. Whitaker said they could not disclose the specifics of the contract until after it is approved, they said at least two issues have clouded the bargaining.

The first is falling interest rates. As rates have come down from highs of 12 and 13 percent last year, the value of Heritage's assets and liabilities has changed. This affects the price Suffield will pay, should the bank acquire Heritage in a cash purchase.

The alternative to a cash purchase is to close the deal with an exchange of stock, in which case the interest rates would not have as great an effect. However, Whitaker said he was not sure what shape the final deal will take until after Suffield examines all of Heritage's assets and liabilities.

"(The fall of interest rates) has

caused part of the delay," Whitaker said. "But we anticipated lower interest rates when we started. We have to reprice (Heritage's) assets and liabilities on a market basis."

Along with the interest rates, delays have been caused by what structure the new financial organization will take, Geery said.

The two banks have different structures, each with a separate federal agency overseeing it. Suffield is a savings bank insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp., while Heritage is a savings and loan association insured by Federal Savings and Loan Inc.

"Depending on what form the resulting organization takes (after the acquisition), we (Suffield) would have different investment powers, we would report to different regulators," Geery said.

"It's very complicated," she said. "Our attorneys have been looking at the 'what ifs' for some time."

Any final agreement must be approved by the state Department of Banking and the FDIC before it can take effect.

Heritage, which acquired Fidelity Federal Savings of New Haven in 1984, has posted losses this year and in past years. It has been setting aside funds to cover potentially bad loans it acquired with the Fidelity purchase.

## Soviets say U.S. assist isn't needed

By Andrew Rosenthal  
The Associated Press

MOSCOW — The Soviet Union turned down an offer of U.S. aid to help deal with the Chernobyl nuclear disaster, and today said radiation at the devastated Ukrainian power plant had dropped.

A Soviet government statement today said 18 people injured in the nuclear plant accident were in serious condition. It said no foreigners were injured.

Secretary of State George Shultz said, however, that casualties were "a good measure" higher than the two dead and 197 injured acknowledged by the Kremlin. He said, "The scope of the accident is certainly a major one."

In Stockholm, Gunnar Bengtsson of Sweden's National Radiation Protection Institute said he was told by the International Atomic Energy Agency in Vienna, Austria, that the Soviets had reported to the agency that the reactor fire was out.

But in Vienna, the agency's chief spokesman, Hans-Friedrich Meyer, said he could not confirm the fire was out. "We have never been informed officially that there was a fire," he said.

The statement that Meyer said the Soviets gave the agency today echoed previous Soviet statements released in Moscow, and said merely that radiation levels around the plant had decreased and a cleanup was under way. The statements have made no mention of a fire.

U.S. intelligence sources in Washington said Wednesday that a fire still was raging at the plant and could burn for weeks.

Also today, the Soviets turned down an offer from Sweden to accept radiation sickness patients at the Karolinska hospital, officials in Stockholm said.

In Tel Aviv, an Israeli amateur radio operator said a Soviet ham operator told him there were 300 casualties, but that it wasn't clear how many of those were dead.

Hundreds of foreign students, tourists and workers were trying to get out of the Soviet Union today.

A British diplomat said American and British students who arrived in Moscow from Kiev, about 80 miles south of the plant, were tested by Soviet doctors who found they were not exposed to harmful levels of radiation.

The Soviets projected an official air of calm, observing the May Day workers' holiday with the traditional parade through Red Square. Major newspapers relegated a day-old government statement on the nuclear accident to the inside pages.

The official Tass news agency said a May Day parade was held as scheduled in Kiev.

Today's report from the Council of Ministers, distributed by Tass, said radioactivity "on the territory

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of the NPS (nuclear power station) ... dropped 1.5-2 times," and said work was under way to deactivate contaminated areas.

The five-sentence statement did not specify the current or previous radiation levels. The government statement issued Wednesday night also said radiation had declined at the Chernobyl plant, but did not provide any data.

Wednesday's statement said a reactor was ripped apart in the accident, but gave no cause. The U.S. intelligence sources, speaking on condition of anonymity, said they believe problems began Friday at the reactor leading to a meltdown, and that a non-nuclear explosion occurred Sunday.

Radiation from the Ukrainian plant spread over Scandinavia and Eastern Europe, prompting anger over the Soviets' failure to provide full information about the accident.

Shultz, who was accompanying President Reagan on an Asian tour, said in Bali, Indonesia, that the Soviets rejected a U.S. offer of humanitarian and technical aid because they "felt they had what they needed to deal with the problem."

Shultz said he did not know when officials in Washington received the Soviet response, but that he learned of it today.

"The casualty rates are higher than those announced by the Soviet Union by a good measure," he

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## Cassano running in the 4th

By Alex Girelli  
Associate Editor

Stephen T. Cassano, a member of the Manchester Board of Directors, has decided to seek the Democratic nomination in Connecticut's Fourth Senatorial District.

Cassano said today that he will formally announce his candidacy soon.

He will be battling William E. Ferris, the Democratic town chairman in Glastonbury, for the nomination. The district nominating convention is scheduled July 23.

Whoever wins the nomination will presumably be opposing incumbent Sen. Carl Zinsser, R-Manchester. Zinsser has not said he will run, but has done nothing to discourage the assumption that he will.

Cassano said he hopes there will be no primary election after the convention. He will probably not conduct a primary if Ferris wins the nomination at the convention, he said.

Ferris declined today to rule out the possibility of a primary, saying he feels he has an obligation to his supporters to go as far as necessary to win the nomination.

Ferris plans a formal announcement of his candidacy May 9. Cassano, who lost to Zinsser in 1984, has been mulling another run for the Senate or a campaign for the House in the 13th Assembly District.

Cassano originally wanted the

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## TODAY'S HERALD

### Plan threatened

Although the Rockville Railroad is not yet a reality, the idea of expanding it along tracks that extend from northern to southern Manchester could be killed by other plans to abandon the tracks and use the land for development. Story on page 3.

### May showers?

Variable cloudiness today with a 40 percent chance of afternoon showers or thunderstorms. High near 70. A few early showers tonight, then clearing with patchy fog forming. Early sunshine on Friday. Details on page 2.

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# WEATHER



## Good chance

Today: Variable cloudiness with a 40 percent chance of afternoon showers or thunderstorms. High near 70. Southwest wind 10 to 20 mph. Tonight: A few early showers, then clearing with patchy fog forming. Low 45 to 50. Wind becoming west 10 to 15 mph. Chance of rain less than 20 percent after midnight. Friday: Early sunshine then variable cloudiness and breezy. High near 60, but turning cooler during the day. Today's weather picture was drawn by Paul Schultz of 82 Chestnut St., a fourth-grader at Washington School.



## National forecast

During early Friday morning showers are forecast for parts of the Gulf Coast States. Rain/showers are possible in parts of the Pacific Northwest and scattered showers are possible in parts of the Lower Great Lakes, the South Atlantic Coast and the North Atlantic Coast States. Elsewhere, the weather will be fair.

# PEOPLE

## Star-studded honors

Vicente Minnelli was awarded France's highest honor at the hospital where the 83-year-old director is being treated for pneumonia as his daughter, Liza Minnelli, and others looked on. In a ceremony at Cedars-Sinai Hospital, Minnelli received the Legion of Honor for his contributions to French culture, hospital spokesman Ron Wise said Saturday. Consul General Francois Mouton placed the medal around Minnelli's neck after a speech in French. Among Minnelli's films are "Gigi" and "An American in Paris." Also attending the ceremony last Thursday were Minnelli's wife, Lee, singer Tony Martin and his wife, Cyd Charisse, composer Henry Mancini and producer Jack Haley Jr. Wise said, Minnelli also received messages of congratulations from President and Nancy Reagan, Frank Sinatra and Barbra Streisand. The director was admitted to the hospital April 18 for symptoms of pneumonia. His condition is stable and fair, Wise said.

## Hammer will after all

Armand Hammer will remain executor of his brother's will, a judge has ruled in rejecting a challenge alleging that the multi-millionaire mishandled the \$1.5 million estate. Circuit Judge Edward Rodgers issued the decision Wednesday against a petition filed in November by Hammer's niece, Nancy Eilan. Her father, Victor Hammer, died in July 1985. She claimed that her 87-year-old uncle had a conflict of interest as executor because he filed a lawsuit against the estate to recoup a debt from her father. Hammer, chairman and chief executive officer of Occidental Petroleum, said in a statement that the ruling will enable him to make sure his brother's widow, Irene Wicker Hammer, "remains happy and comfortable the remainder of her life." Mrs. Hammer has been declared mentally incompetent and lives in a West Palm Beach nursing home.

## Bernsteinfest

Composer Leonard Bernstein says the 10-day London festival dedicated to his music "was a puzzle and very humbled." "I haven't been able to explain it to myself," he told music critics. "It's not even birthday time." Bernstein, chain-smoking and dressed in his grey mackintosh and dark glasses, shrugged off any concern about terrorism being directed against Americans in Europe. "I would like to dream of continuing out or interrupting this visit," he said. Bernstein said music is a universal method of communication that transcends language barriers. "We're all kin, not enemies," he said, "and we've got to learn slowly to live without hatred."

## Basie beat

Trumpeter Thad Jones will rejoin the Count Basie Orchestra as bandleader for its concert tour through Austria and Germany but he plans to leave again on May 9 when the tour is finished. Jones says his contract ran out on Feb. 9 but he had promised to do the tour. He denied reports that he has been ill. "For some reason, the Basie organization has been explaining my absence at all of their concerts these last two months or so by explaining I am ill," Jones says. "There is no truth to this, none whatsoever." Jones, who lives in Copenhagen, said efforts to negotiate a new contract that would keep him fronting the band were unsuccessful.

## ASCAP king

Composer-conductor Morton Gould is the new president of the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers. He replaces Hal David, who had the ASCAP job for six years and will continue as coordinator of the organization's legislative program in Washington, D.C. Gould, 73, is a composer of popular music, including scores for Broadway, ballet, films and television and won a Grammy in 1966 for the best classical recording.

## Quote of the day

"A Soviet ham radio operator living near the scene of the Chernobyl nuclear accident, as quoted by a Dutch ham radio enthusiast who overheard the Soviet's conversation with a radio operator in Japan: 'You can't imagine what's happening here. All the death and the fire. Please tell the world to help us.'"



**WILD RIDE** — Kathleen Kennedy Townsend, arms raised, starts out on the maiden ride of the "Wild One," a historic wooden roller coaster which at 100 feet high is the tallest wooden coaster on the East Coast. Now at Wild World Amusement Park in Largo, Md., it was formerly known as The Giant when it stood at Paragon Park near Boston.

## Today's forecast

Connecticut, Massachusetts and Rhode Island: Mostly cloudy with scattered showers developing from the west. High in the 50s along the south coast and 60s to lower 70s elsewhere. This evening scattered showers ending from the west then clearing overnight. Patchy fog forming. Low in the 40s to lower 50s. Friday, a sunny start then variable cloudiness. Breezy and turning cooler with a high 55 to 60. Maine: Clouding up statewide today. Scattered showers north and showers and a few thunderstorms likely elsewhere. High in the 60s. Tonight rain and showers likely early at night followed by clearing elsewhere. Lows in the 40s. Showers or flurries likely north and partly sunny with a chance of showers south Friday. Windy and cooler with highs in the mid 40s to mid 50s north and 50s to lower 60s south. New Hampshire: Becoming cloudy statewide with showers and a few thunderstorms likely in the afternoon. High 60 to 70. Showers likely north and chance of evening showers then remaining mostly cloudy south tonight. Lows 40 to 50. Partly sunny windy and cooler with scattered showers or flurries north and chance of showers south Friday. High in the mid 40s to lower 50s north and 55 to 60 south. Vermont: Clouding up today with showers and thunderstorms likely. Mild with highs 70 to 75. Breezy and cool tonight with scattered showers. Lows in the 40s and lower 50s. Friday windy and much cooler than today with a chance of rain showers and possibly some snow north. Temperatures remaining in the 40s and lower 50s.

## Extended outlook

Extended outlook for New England Saturday through Monday: Connecticut, Massachusetts and Rhode Island: Fair weather. Highs mostly 55 to 65 and lows 35 to 45. Vermont: Very cool weather with little or no rain Saturday through Monday. Highs ranging from 45 to 55. Lows from 25 to 35. New Hampshire: Fair and cool. Lows in the 30s to lower 40s Saturday morning dropping to the upper 20s and 30s Sunday and Monday mornings. Highs in the 50s to lower 60s Saturday cooling to the 40s and lower 50s Sunday and Monday.

## Across the nation

Showers and thunderstorms will extend from eastern portions of Texas and Oklahoma across the lower Mississippi Valley. Showers will also occur over upper Michigan and across upstate New York and northern New England. Showers and thunderstorms will be scattered from Alabama and northwest Georgia across the Tennessee and Ohio valleys into southern New England. Rain will be likely along the northern half of the Pacific Coast. Much of the nation will have high temperatures in the 60s and 70s. Highs will be in the upper 40s and 50s from northern Minnesota into upper Michigan. Temperatures will climb into the 80s over the Gulf Coast states, southern Atlantic Coast states, Middle Atlantic Coast region, across New Mexico and over interior portions of Southern California, with the 90s over most of the desert southwest.



## Today in history

On this date in 1984, civil rights leader Jesse Jackson swept the Washington, D.C., Democratic presidential primary. He is shown here at a rally in Raleigh, N.C., that same year.

## Almanac

Today is Thursday, May 1, the 121st day of 1986 with 244 to follow. This is May Day. The moon is in its fourth quarter. 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 Arthur Wellesley, the duke of Wellington, in 1769; singer Kate Smith in 1909 (age 77); actor Glenn Ford in 1916 (age 70); television personality Jack Parr in 1918 (age 68); singer Joseph Heller in 1923 (age 62) and Terry Southern in 1924 (age 62); and Mercury astronaut Scott Carpenter in 1925 (age 61). On this date in history: In 1885, President Grover Cleveland opened the World's Columbian Exposition in Chicago. In 1889, during the Spanish-American war, Adm. George Dewey routed the Spanish fleet at Manila. In 1931, the Empire State Building was dedicated in New York City. It remained the world's tallest building for 40 years. In 1960, the Soviet Union shot down a U-2 spy plane flown by Francis Gary Powers, who was captured. In 1964, Civil rights leader Jesse Jackson swept the Washington, D.C., Democratic presidential primary. A thought for the day: Artemus Ward, the journalist and humorist born this month in 1834, said, "Let us all be happy and live within our means — even if we have to borrow money to do it."

## Lottery

Connecticut daily: Wednesday: 538 Play Four: 5776 Other lottery numbers drawn in New England Wednesday: Tri-state daily: 333 and 0678. Rhode Island daily: 6610. Weekly: 653, 3650, 21051 and 762521. Massachusetts daily: 2457. Megabucks: 4-5-6-11-21-24. Wednesday Jersey: 63-49-66-3-77-45-73-29-4-90.



**Merry May**  
American celebrations of May Day pale in comparison to those held in Europe, where spring merry-making parties are centuries old. Some experts say celebrations on May 1 began with the tree worship of the Druids. Others say the spring festival dates back to ancient Egypt and India. In 1889, European socialists began demonstrating for workers rights on May Day. Because American Puritans frowned on the celebration, May Day gets only slight attention in the United States. **DO YOU KNOW** — What object do the British dance around on May Day? **WEDNESDAY'S ANSWER** — Meriwether Lewis and William Clark explored the Louisiana Territory in 1803. © Knowledge Unlimited, Inc. 1986

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# Friends recall Bieu as friendly, funny and a 'great person'

By Susan Vaughn Herald Reporter

Laura Bieu was described Wednesday as a warm and "funny" girl whose friends were important to her. "She was just a really great person," said Rachel Meikle of Mansfield Center, who had been good friends with Bieu since they were in third grade together. A number of young people recalled their 16-year-old friend as a wake was being held for her at a Manchester funeral home during the afternoon. The room where the casket was displayed was filled with huge sprays of flowers and mourning family members and friends.

Bieu was murdered sometime late Friday night after she left a group of friends who had gone to a bowling alley together in Mansfield, police have determined. Meikle, reached at home before she attended the wake later in the evening, said the girls' friendship continued even after Bieu transferred in December from E.O. Smith High School in Storrs to Manchester High School. Meikle said Bieu's move to her aunt's home in Manchester was unexpected and was probably prompted by family problems. Bieu liked attending Manchester High at first, Meikle said. But she said she thought Bieu later came to miss her friends in Mansfield, where she had lived all of her life. The last time Meikle saw Bieu was Friday afternoon at E.O. Smith, where Bieu went to visit her friends. She was on her spring break from MHS.

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Newsman from area television stations jockey for position as a state police officer escorts David Copas into the Tolland County Courthouse in Rockville Wednesday. Police charged Copas with the murder of 16-year-old Manchester High School student Laura Bieu.

# Suspect quiet, grim in court

By John Kirch Herald Reporter

VERNON — A group of reporters and photographers standing outside the Tolland County Courthouse Wednesday stopped talking as a state police car pulled into the driveway with David L. Copas sitting in the back seat. Two plainclothes police officers emerged from the car and escorted Copas, who has been charged with the murder of a 16-year-old Manchester High School student, toward the courthouse.

Copas bore a grim countenance as he glanced up from the car at the band of photographers, print reporters and television crews who had been informed of his arrest on the charge of murdering Laura Ann Bieu, 16, a sophomore at MHS. As the cameras began clicking, he quickly lowered his head to shield his face from the lenses. His short, blond hair was uncombed and a beard wrapped around his face. Once inside the courtroom, Copas was silent. A chain was fastened from ankle to ankle and handcuffs connected his wrists. As Judge Thomas Sullivan spoke, Copas stood silently with public defender Vincent Giedraitis, answering quietly when the judge asked him if he understood his rights.

The case was handled like the many traffic offenses that Sullivan had heard earlier in the morning. Copas came in at 11:56 a.m. and by noon he had been taken away by police. Copas is being held at the Brooklyn Correctional Center on \$200,000 bond. He entered no plea when he appeared in court, and his case has been continued until May 14. Copas was arrested Wednesday.

A friend of Bieu who waited in the courthouse before Copas arrived expressed anger and frustration at her death. At times, he looked as if he was ready to cry. He described Bieu as a quiet girl who was able to fit in anywhere.

"I know he's an attorney and I'm sure we'll have his legal experience on the board," Bedford said. Although Naab will not officially become a director until the Board of Directors approves the Republican choice, the directors traditionally approve the recommendation of the party filling a vacant seat. Mercier resigned in the midst of her second term, citing a lack of cooperation between the three Republican directors on the nine-member board as the main reason. The other two GOP directors are Thomas Ferguson and William Diana.

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# Directors hail GOP selection

By John F. Kirch and George Lyng

Manchester attorney Geoffrey Naab, who was selected by the Republican Town Committee Tuesday to replace Donna Mercier on the Manchester Board of Directors, is a good choice for the position and will fit in nicely, several Democratic directors said this week.

"I regard him as a very hard-working person," Mayor Barbara Weinberg said Wednesday. Weinberg, who has known Naab for five or six years, said he will fit in once he "learns the ropes." Deputy Mayor Peter DiRosa said Wednesday that he has known Naab for some time and believes he will "present some good insight."

"We were candidates together (in 1983)," DiRosa said. That year, both ran in a GOP ticket. Naab for the Board of Education and DiRosa for the Board of Directors. DiRosa, who once led the board's GOP minority, resigned his seat in April 1985, switched his party affiliation and was elected to the board as a Democrat later that year.

Naab won the backing of the Republican Town Committee Tuesday evening over Harry Reinhorn by a vote of 36-28. The party's executive board decided to leave the selection up to the full committee because it said Reinhorn and Naab were good candidates to succeed Mercier, who resigned from the board April 14.

The four Democratic directors interviewed said either Naab or Reinhorn would have made a good director, and that they look forward to working with Naab. "I've seen him take an interest in education. But we are a multifaceted board, probably because of a learning experience for him," Bedford said. Bedford said he does not know what Naab's philosophical viewpoints are and added, "I'd be a while to see how things work out."

"I know he's an attorney and I'm sure we'll have his legal experience on the board," Bedford said. Although Naab will not officially become a director until the Board of Directors approves the Republican choice, the directors traditionally approve the recommendation of the party filling a vacant seat. Mercier resigned in the midst of her second term, citing a lack of cooperation between the three Republican directors on the nine-member board as the main reason. The other two GOP directors are Thomas Ferguson and William Diana.

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## U.S./World In Brief

### Inmates riot at British prisons

LONDON — Enraged inmates rioted at seven prisons and destroyed one of them with fire to protest restrictions imposed after most of Britain's 18,500 prisoners refused to work overtime.

At least nine people, five prisoners and four guards were reported hurt in the violence. Forty-two prisoners who escaped in the confusion Wednesday remained at large today.

The violence was largely under control, but the situation in the prisons remained tense.

### Senate TV coverage begins today

WASHINGTON — The Senate opens its august chamber to gavel-to-gavel live television coverage today, but the audience will be limited to the Capitol for the first month.

With the bang of the presiding officer's gavel, the Senate inaugurates a new era — more than seven years after the House started televising its proceedings — with cameras and lights ready for action.

Viewing of the Senate proceedings will be limited to in-house sets until June 1, when television coverage will be beamed to the public. Six weeks later, the Senate will make a final decision on making television coverage permanent.

The proceedings, controlled by the Senate, will be carried live by C-Span, a cable operation which now televises the House sessions.

### Jury ruling hailed as end to bias

WASHINGTON — A Supreme Court ruling prohibiting prosecutors from removing potential jurors just because they are black was hailed as bringing an end to racial discrimination in jury selection.

American Civil Liberties Union lawyer Steven Shapiro called the decision "extremely important" and "a long overdue correction of one of the lingering inequalities in the criminal justice system."

Brooklyn District Attorney Elizabeth Holtzman called the decision a "triumph and a landmark."

"The court struck down the last vestiges of discrimination in jury selection," she said. "Racial discrimination in jury selection, as the court agreed, harms prospective jurors and undermines public confidence in the system of justice."

The justices, voting 7-2, ruled Wednesday that the Constitution bars attorneys from discriminating during the jury selection process.

### Democrats delay nuclear liability bill

WASHINGTON — Democrats on a House committee, saying the nuclear power industry "doesn't realize it's living in a different world," have postponed a vote that would limit liability for nuclear accidents to \$2 billion.

Last week, the House Interior Committee voted 21-20 to raise the existing \$500 million limit to \$2 billion, but Democrats — facing defeat Wednesday — adjourned the panel, delaying a vote on an industry-backed alternative for a \$2 billion limit.

The issue will not be put to a vote for two weeks.

The Price-Anderson Act, setting the \$500 million limit, was enacted years ago when the U.S. nuclear industry was developing. Efforts to raise it have been under way for some time, but the issue took on a new impetus with the accident at the Soviet plant in Chernobyl.

### Report: Safety problems increasing

WASHINGTON — Sen. John Glenn has released a secret U.S. report saying the number of safety problems at nuclear plants around the world is increasing and predicting the situation could become much worse.

Glenn, D-Ohio, said Wednesday he decided to make public most of the General Accounting Office report — called "International Response to Nuclear Power Reactor Safety Concerns" — because of its relevance to the accident at a Soviet nuclear reactor near Kiev.

The GAO, the investigative arm of Congress, completed the report last September, but did not release it because it contained "foreign proprietary information" — that is, business secrets. Some parts of the report remain classified, but Glenn said the version he released includes all of the major findings.

The problem of nuclear safety in other nations is becoming more serious, the report said, noting that there were 151 "significant nuclear safety incidents" in 14 different countries between 1971 and 1984.

### Blacks strike in South Africa

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa — Millions of blacks stayed away from jobs and schools today in what appeared to be the largest anti-apartheid protest in South Africa's history.

The Association of Chambers of Commerce of South Africa, the nation's largest business federation, reported a "massive absence from work" across the country, varying between 70 and 100 percent in almost all urban centers.

Usually crowded commuter trains and buses arriving in Johannesburg, Cape Town, Pretoria and other cities from outlying black townships were virtually empty.

The campaign was organized by labor unions and political groups to demand that May Day be made a public holiday and to call for an end to apartheid, the government's policy of racial segregation that empowers 5 million whites to rule 24 million voteless blacks.

### Military plane crashes; 37 killed

SAN SALVADOR, El Salvador — A military transport plane crashed shortly after takeoff today, killing all 37 aboard, the army press office said.

The crash occurred at 5:30 a.m. (7:30 a.m. EDT), about 10 miles northeast of the Ilopango military airport on the outskirts of the capital.

According to unconfirmed reports, all those aboard were members of the military and were headed for Panama for mechanical training.

### FBI: Libyan students pose threat

WASHINGTON — Most of the Libyan students in the United States are financed by Moammar Khadafy, and could carry out attacks against Americans their leader has vowed to carry out, FBI Director William Webster says.

"They might be incorporated into terrorist plots," Webster told a Senate subcommittee on security and terrorism Wednesday.

He said Khadafy finances three-quarters of the 2,000 Libyan students in this country.

The question of the danger posed by Libyan students was raised only briefly during the hearing, and Webster said 75 percent of the Libyan students might become involved in the sort of attacks that Khadafy vowed to carry out against American targets after U.S. jets bombed Tripoli and Benghazi.

### Government falling in Thailand

BANGKOK, Thailand — Members of Thailand's four-party coalition government defeated a government finance bill today, triggering the virtual end of Prime Minister Prem Tinsulanonda's six-year rule.

Forty-one members of the Social Action Party, the largest pro-government group, teamed with opposition forces in a parliamentary revolt to vote down the government finance bill 147-143 on the opening day of Parliament.

Under the Thai political system, a defeat of a bill is considered a virtual no-confidence vote.

## Reagan, Suharto talk human rights

By Ira R. Allen  
United Press International

BALI, Indonesia — President Reagan discussed human rights in Indonesia with President Suharto and conferred with Philippines Vice President Salvador Laurel about aid for Corason Aquino's new government.

"We made plain our view of freedom of the press," Secretary of State George Shultz said of the rights discussions about Indonesia. "We continued a quiet dialogue on problems in human rights."

Reagan met with the foreign ministers of six Southeast Asian nations but the first real business of his trip to the Far East was initially overshadowed by the nuclear disaster in the Soviet Union.

Reagan said a U.S. offer to help the Soviets combat the massive fire at the Chernobyl nuclear power plant near Kiev included "expertise to them in every facet of this kind of accident if they can use it."

Shultz indicated Soviet leaders Mikhael Gorbachev turned down the aid offer but Reagan still held out the aid. "I'm not going to suggest a timetable for someone faced with this kind of accident," Reagan told reporters.

Shultz would not reveal the content of the conversation with Suharto or say whether Reagan and the Indonesian leader talked about the rights controversy or whether the foreign ministers of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations discussed it.

Shultz said the Indonesians raised the charges about violations of human rights and that they said there has been progress, particularly in the rebellious state of East Timor.

Indonesia annexed the former Portuguese colony of Timor in 1976 after first intervening in a civil war that erupted a year earlier. Guerrilla fighting has continued, and Indonesia's efforts to subdue the insurgency are the focus of allegations of rights violations against the Suharto government.

Indonesia Tuesday took two Australian journalists off the Reagan press plane and ordered them out of the country, and also refused entry to New York Times correspondent Barbara Crossette, putting her on a plane out of the country.

Shultz indicated there was tension between Reagan and Laurel, one of the key leaders in the popular revolt that drove Ferdinand Marcos into exile Feb. 25 and elevated Corason Aquino to the presidency.

Laurel said Wednesday he would ask Reagan — in the president's first meeting with a leader of the Aquino government — for even more aid than the \$150 million promised last week. But Shultz said today that Laurel "gave the impression his needs were infinite."

On ABC television, Laurel reiterated, "We need a lot of money — all the money that our friends can give us at this point. Mr. Marcos left the Philippines dead broke."

Although Shultz called the Reagan-Laurel meeting "a very good and friendly exchange," his press conference remarks were tinged with sarcasm about Laurel.

Pressed by reporters as to whether Laurel was satisfied at Reagan's support of the new Philippine government, Shultz said, "You'll have to ask Mr. Laurel if he is satisfied."



First Lady Nancy Reagan tries her luck with a Balinese dance alongside costumed dancers who performed for her today in Bali, Indonesia.

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If you live in Manchester then the Herald's the newspaper for you because it's the only one that's geared expressly to the needs of the community. A recent survey conducted by First Market Research of Boston pointed out that the Herald's major strength is in its local news coverage and its intimate focus on the Manchester area. According to the study, nearly nine in ten readers say they read the Herald for the local news and nearly seven in ten say that local news is the most important strength of the paper.



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## Shultz says casualties higher than Kremlin admits

By Guy Dorst  
The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The Soviet Union has rejected the U.S. offer of assistance in dealing with the nuclear disaster in Chernobyl, and the Kremlin has acknowledged, Secretary of State George Shultz said today.

"They did reply that they appreciated the offer (of assistance) and they don't sense any need for it at this point," said Shultz in Bali, Indonesia, where he is accompanying President Reagan on his 13-day Far East trip.

He said the Soviets "felt they had what they needed to deal with the problem."

The Soviet decision was relayed to officials in Washington, Shultz

said. He said he did not know when it was received, but that he learned of it this morning.

The Soviet Union has said that two people were killed in the accident and that 197 were injured. Shultz said "the scope of the accident is certainly a major one" and that "the casualty rates are higher than those that have been announced by the Soviet Union by a good measure."

He did not provide any figures, but said the United States has "a fuller picture" of the accident's dimension that has been presented by Moscow.

On Wednesday, a prominent senator, citing Kremlin efforts to "conceal the magnitude" of the nuclear disaster in Chernobyl, is calling on the State Department to provide aircraft for American tourists who wish to be evacuated

from the Soviet Union.

U.S. officials say stonewalling from Moscow is making it difficult to advise American travelers about radiation hazards in the Soviet Union.

Noting that other countries such as France and Finland had taken steps to evacuate citizens from 30 to 40 miles from the Chernobyl reactors, one U.S. official said the United States would take every step to protect its citizens.

"We want some indication of the radiation intensity," the official said. "They are not being helpful."

The official, who would discuss the new strain in relations only on grounds he not be identified, said this country had been deliberately soft-pedaling its criticism of Soviet responsiveness, partly out of concern the Kremlin might be even less inclined to cooperate in the

face of harsh statements from Washington.

He said there is a perception in the U.S. government that the magnitude of the tragedy has "overwhelmed" the Kremlin and "paralyzed the decision-making process, as it could ours."

In Bali, Indonesia, President Reagan told reporters that Soviet leader Mikhael Gorbachev had contacted U.S. officials about the Chernobyl nuclear plant disaster but that there was no response to an American offer of humanitarian and technical aid.

Word of contact with Gorbachev came as U.S. officials in Washington were complaining that the Soviet Union was not providing enough detail on the power plant accident to allow experts to gauge the health hazard.

"Among the many concerns

arising from the disaster in Chernobyl is the safety of U.S. travelers in the Soviet Union, particularly children and pregnant women," Sen. Daniel Moynihan said in a letter Wednesday to the Undersecretary of State John C. Whitehead.

Though the nation's intelligence agencies have been able to glean much information from satellite photos, analysts cannot detect or measure radiation on the ground. That helped explain how a dispute arose among U.S. intelligence analysts over whether a second of the four Chernobyl reactors had suffered a meltdown.

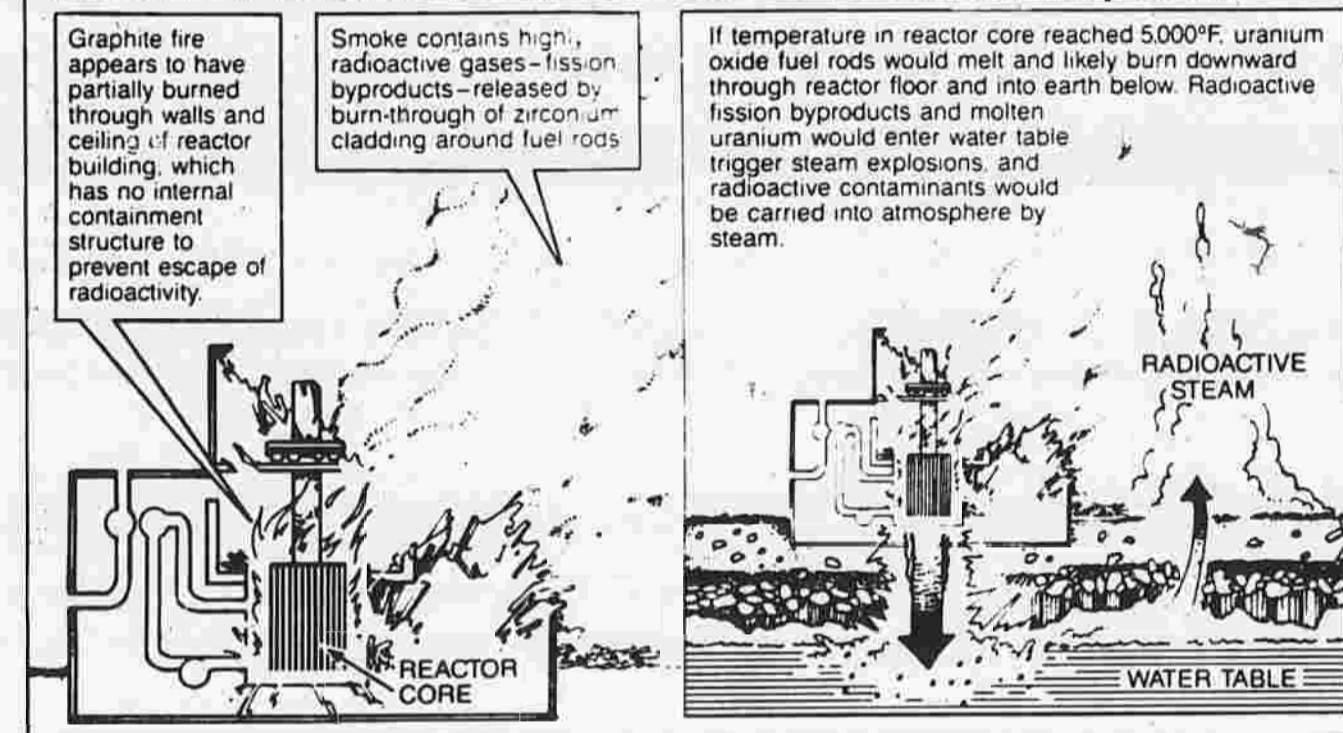
One official said a second meltdown was under way, but another emerged from an intelligence briefing to say, on the basis of what he had been told, that such a hypothesis was "dead wrong."

No one, though, disputed this description of the scene as of Wednesday by an official who spoke under ground rules that prevent his identification.

The condition of that reactor building is that the top was blown off. There is considerable blast damage and rubble around it. Vapors and smoke are escaping from a large hole in the roof of the reactor building. In addition, there is a large generator hall next to the reactor building. Parts of that roof are also missing. There is significant damage there.

Harold Denton of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission told reporters a still-unexplained loss of coolant flow caused reactor fuel tubes to overheat and zirconium fuel cladding to react with remaining water.

## SOVIET REACTOR DISASTER: Two possible scenarios of the Chernobyl accident



## Diplomatic fallout will last years

By Bryan Brumley  
The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The Kremlin's failure to answer questions about the Chernobyl reactor calamity is not in line with Soviet leader Mikhael Gorbachev's reputation for a campaign and could thrust Soviet ties with the outside world into a nuclear winter of many years, experts predict.

"The longer they stonewall, the longer the rest of the world is going to be hostile," said Marshall Goldman, a professor at Harvard University's Russian Research Institute.

"We forget things after a while. But I don't

think we'll forget this so easily," said Goldman, predicting that the Chernobyl disaster would damage Soviet ties with the outside world far more than the downing of a Korean Air Lines jet in 1983 or the invasion of Afghanistan in 1979.

"If the Soviet Union does not open up and make a lot of information available, it could lead Western nations to be much more skeptical about cooperation in other areas," said Loren Graham, a specialist on Soviet science at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

"It's not going to go away," said Goldman. "They cannot take the traditional

Soviet response: 'hunker down. It will go away' it is something more than the KAL incident. There is no way they can blame this on anybody else."

State Department officials said it was too soon to predict whether the accident would range from plans for a summit to arms control talks in Geneva or U.S. plans to open a consulate in the Ukrainian capital of Kiev.

One State Department official said it appeared "the Soviets are involved in a cover-up... It may be like Afghanistan. We know there are atrocities going on but there is nothing we can do."

## Government measures no increase in radiation over U.S.

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Government monitors report no increased radiation in the air over the United States since the Soviet nuclear disaster, and officials say its first traces may appear in another week, probably over the West Coast.

The Environmental Protection Agency's nationwide air monitoring network has stepped up routine sampling of air for radiation, and the government also is examining surface water, drinking water and milk samples, EPA Administrator Lee Thomas said Wednesday.

Those samples have revealed nothing unusual since the accident at the Chernobyl reactor near Kiev, which many experts say was the worst nuclear disaster in history, he said.

The United States is not likely to encounter health or environmental consequences from the accident, Thomas said, noting that by the

time the mass of contaminated air crosses the Pacific Ocean, the radiation will have dispersed considerably.

Official Soviet statements say two people died in the accident, but Western experts claim the figure is impossibly low.

Thomas, who heads a task force named by President Reagan to assess the Soviet accident, told reporters after the panel's first meeting Wednesday that "data gaps" have made it difficult to determine exactly what happened in the explosion and fire at Unit 4 of the Chernobyl plant.

The path across the Pacific toward the West Coast would be the most likely route for the fallout, said Lester Machta, director of the air resources laboratory at the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration. Weather patterns indicate arrival of the contaminated air is "a week off."

of further problems at the adjacent Unit 3, even though other administration officials said intelligence agencies believed a second meltdown had occurred.

"I have no indication anything is going on in Unit 3," Denton said, speculating that the reactor was probably running on its own while partially shut down.

It is capable of running unattended for "a long period of time," he said, but not indefinitely.

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### Obituaries

#### Paul O. Bromley dies; studied Turin shroud

Paul O. Bromley, 59, of 271 Love Lane, Coventry, died Tuesday in New London. He was a lecturer and teacher of biblical archaeology and history. He lectured at religious and scientific institutes around the world. He was president of the international Salt Christian Ministries and specialized in the shroud of Turin research project. He was a moderator of the Congregational Christian Fellowship and was a deacon of United Congregational Church.

He is survived by his mother, Alfreda Bromley of Norwich; his son, David Bromley of Framingham, Mass.; a daughter, Paula Vincent of Fisher's Island, N.Y.; a brother, Donald Bromley of Norwich; and a sister, Olive Swann of Canterbury.

The funeral will be in Saturday at the United Congregational Church, 87 Broadway, Norwich. Burial will be in Maplewood Cemetery, Norwich. Calling hours are Friday from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Church and Allen Funeral Home, 136 Sachem St., Norwich.

Memorial donations may be made to the United Congregational Church, 87 Broadway, Norwich.

#### Conrad E. Carlson

Conrad E. Carlson, 97, husband of Elsa M. (Johansson) Carlson, of West Hartford, died Tuesday at an area convalescent home. He was the father of Arnold E. Carlson of Coventry.

He also is survived by three other sons, Russell L. Carlson of North Palm Beach, Fla., Paul C. Carlson and Gordon W. Carlson, both of North Kingstown, R.I.; nine grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

The funeral will be Friday at 10:30 a.m. at the Taylor and Modern Funeral Home, 55 Main St., West Hartford. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery, West Hartford. There are no calling hours.

Memorial donations may be made to Emanuel Lutheran Church Memorial Fund, 311 Capital Ave., Hartford 6045.

#### Patrick A. Guida Sr.

Patrick A. Guida Sr., 63, of East Hartford, husband of Viola (Lippo) Guida, died Wednesday at St. Francis Hospital and Medical Center, Hartford. He was the father of Mary Jane Rivera of Manchester.

He also is survived by three other daughters and two sons-in-law, Anna Marie, Theresa, Stone of Glastonbury, Regina and Antonio Valdez of Middletown; and Patricia Meyers of Glastonbury; two sisters, Rose Bouchard and Mary Jane Bouchard, both of Hartford; nine grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by a brother, Joseph Guida.

The funeral will be Saturday at 8:15 a.m. from the D'Esopo East Hartford Funeral Chapel, 30 Carter St., East Hartford, with a mass of Christian burial at 10 a.m. at St. Mary Church, East Hartford. Burial will be in Mount St. Benedict Cemetery, Bloomfield, with full military honors. Calling hours are Friday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

#### Judith L. Thorstenson

Judith L. (Johnson) Thorstenson, 57, of Vernon, died Wednesday at an area convalescent home. She was the wife of Warren E. Thorstenson Sr. and the mother of Debra A. Banker of Coventry.

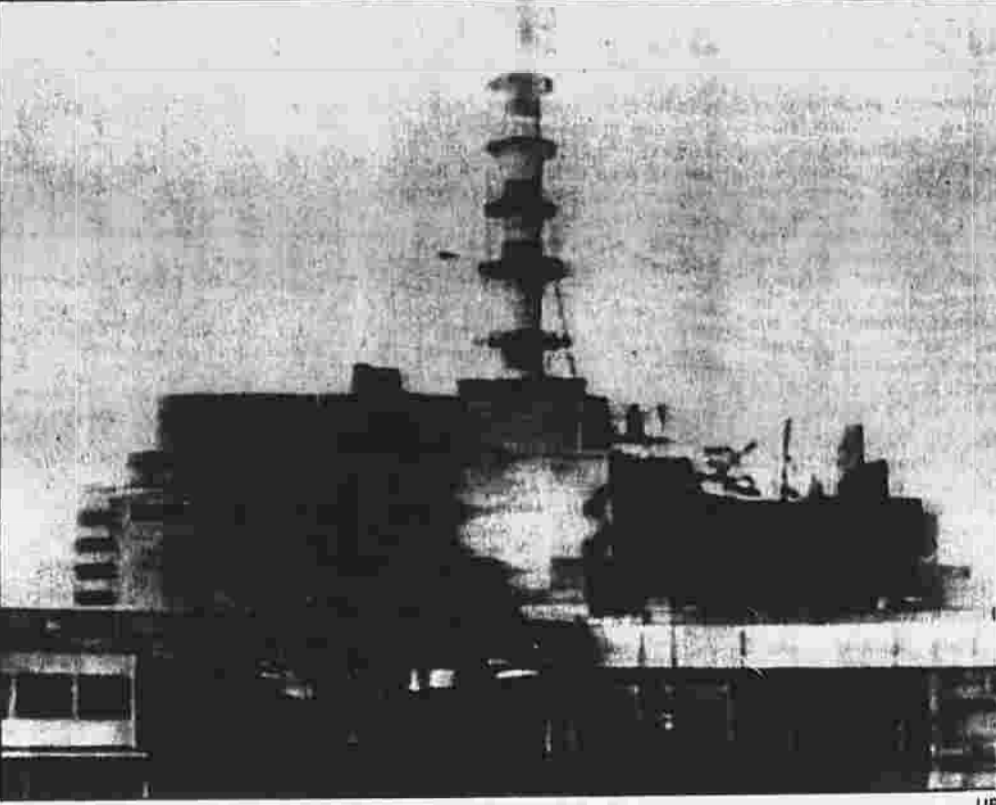
She also is survived by two sons, Warren E. Thorstenson Jr. of West Hartford and John A. Thorstenson of Hartford; her mother, Selma J. (Anderson) Johnson of East Hartford; two sisters, Ruth Barile of East Hartford and Bertha Jerome of Hartford; five grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

The funeral will be Friday at 11 a.m. at the Rose Hill Funeral Home, 580 Elm St., Rocky Hill. Burial will be in Rose Hill Memorial Park, Rocky Hill. Calling hours are tonight from 7 to 9.

#### Robert Stevenson, director for Disney

SANTA BARBARA, Calif. (AP) — Robert Stevenson, a director of feature films for Walt Disney Pictures whose credits include "Mary Poppins" and "Old Yeller," died Wednesday. He was 81.

Stevenson's first movie as director was "Nine Days a Queen" in 1934. He produced documentary films for Frank Capra during World War II. Howard Hughes bought Stevenson's contract and he directed "Walk Softly Stranger" and "The Las Vegas Story."



This picture, shown on Soviet state television Wednesday, is said to show the damaged Chernobyl nuclear reactor building. The Soviet commentator said the damage, as seen in this picture, disproves Western reports of massive destruction or fire at the facility.

### Soviets say radiation levels drop at Ukrainian nuke plant

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Soviet Foreign Ministry spokesman Ulf Haakansson quoted a senior Soviet official as saying his country had "sufficient material, scientific and technical resources to handle the consequences of the breakdown."  
An Israeli ham radio operator, David Ben-Bassat, said he talked in English for four minutes Wednesday with a Soviet ham who told him he lived 30 miles north of the reactor.  
Ben-Bassat quoted the Soviet ham as saying, "Nobody drinks the water. We are afraid." He refused to give the Soviet man his name.  
About 80 British and American students who had been in Kiev were taken today to a Soviet clinic in Moscow for radiation tests.  
A British diplomat, speaking on condition of anonymity, said the embassy in Moscow was told that different levels of radiation were detected but that the students were not exposed to harmful levels.  
Margo Light, a British coordinator for studies in the Soviet Union, said Soviet officials suggested the students be tested.  
The students were scheduled to fly to London today. Some said the situation in the Ukrainian capital was calm and that there was no sign of a nuclear disaster.  
In New York, Finnair said 31 tourists from New York, including some high school students, left the Soviet Union today for home.

### Cassano says he'll run for state Senate seat

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Senate seat, but was urged by Democratic leaders in Manchester to instead consider the House position, where the party leadership considered his chance for victory greater.  
Later, when it appeared that former Manchester Mayor John Thompson might consider running for the 12th Assembly District seat, Cassano said he would prefer to see Thompson as the House candidate and run for the Senate himself.  
"My heart was really always in the Senate as badly as I got beaten," he said today. In the 1984 election, with President Ronald Reagan leading the Republican ticket, Cassano lost to Zinsner by a vote of 24,747 to 20,731.  
Cassano acknowledged that his race against Zinsner would be an uphill battle, but said that with U.S. Sen. Christopher Dodd and a Democratic gubernatorial candidate at the top of the ticket, there is a good chance for a Democratic victory in the Fourth Senatorial District.  
Cassano had not told him of his decision to run.  
"I'm a little disappointed that he didn't mention it to me," he said. "It puts me in a difficult position because I'm his neighbor."  
Ferris said Matthew Moriarty of Manchester is his co-campaign manager. Moriarty could not be reached for comment.

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### Ferguson says source of signature unclear

By Alex Grell, Associate Editor  
Republican Town Director Thomas H. Ferguson said Wednesday he does not know how the signature of a voter appeared on a primary petition form he circulated as well as on one circulated by GOP Director William Diana.  
The signature was that of Edith D. Rogers of 37B Charter Oak St., Rogers identified one of the signatures as hers. It was the one on the petition for which Diana signed as circulator. The two signatures are in different handwriting.  
The discrepancy was one of the things which caused the Republican challenge slate to withdraw from the delegate contest for the party's state nominating convention this summer.  
Another is that Diana allowed his son, who is under the legal voting age, to circulate petitions. Diana signed as circulator, thus indicating that he knew the signers to be the people they signed as.  
Mary Willhite, Republican registrar of voters, rejected one of the Rogers' names after discovering the changes to the register's office.  
Willhite said that for each of the names on the list, she checked six different signatures on cards on file with the registrar's office.  
A penciled "R" appears on the petition besides the correct Rogers signature. Willhite said the law requires merely that one of the two duplicate signatures be rejected.  
The decision to withdraw the challenge slate from the primary was made at a meeting of Republicans Monday after the irregularities.

### Ethics group cancels meeting

The Ethics Commission has canceled its meeting scheduled for tonight because of the illness of Chairman William FitzGerald.  
The commission was set to address a letter from town Zoning Enforcement Officer Thomas O. Marra, who has asked for clarification as to whether there would be any conflict under the Town Charter if he addressed the Charter Revision Commission on proposed changes to the charter.  
The commission is considering changes that could make consolidation of the town and Eighth Utilities District easier. O'Marra is spokesman for the district's volunteer fire department and a firefighter.  
The commission will hold its next meeting May 8 at 7:30 p.m.

### Bay State lawmakers put abortion on ballot

BOSTON (UPI) — The Massachusetts Legislature has voted to place on the November ballot a proposed constitutional amendment that would give the state increased powers to regulate, or possibly ban, abortions.  
The House and Senate met Wednesday night 123-69, following an afternoon of emotional debate, to place the issue on the ballot, the last step in permanently altering the state's Constitution.  
The amendment was pushed by anti-abortion lawmakers who opposed several state Supreme Judicial Court rulings that found the state's abortion provisions unconstitutional. The Massachusetts Constitution gave the Legislature less power to regulate abortions than the U.S. Constitution.  
The proposed amendment would allow the Legislature to regulate abortions within the framework of the federal Constitution, as defined in rulings by the U.S. Supreme Court.  
However, the Massachusetts Supreme Judicial Court ruled in 1978 that excluding from coverage one medical procedure unique to women violated the state constitution. The state has continued public funding of abortions under that ruling.  
The proposed amendment was, in the short term, aimed at giving the Legislature the power to bar the use of public funds to pay for abortions for those covered by Medicaid and Medicare.  
But opponents said it would leave the door open for the imposition of extremely tight restrictions — or the outright banning — of abortions.

### For the Record

A story in Wednesday's Herald incompletely quoted Republican Town Chairman Donald Kuehl on irregularities in the way petitions for a challenge slate of delegates were circulated by town Director William Diana. Kuehl said Diana did "what many many people do" — have members of his family help circulate petitions. Kuehl said Wednesday night he did not mean to suggest that petitioners generally allow forms to be circulated by people who cannot legally verify the signatures on the petitions.

## SPORTS

### MHS gets a break, beats Glastonbury

Manchester High got the breaks and held off a late-inning charge by visiting Glastonbury High, 4-3, in Central Connecticut conference interdivision baseball action at Kelley Field on Wednesday.  
The win gave MHS a 4-5 overall record.  
The Indians are at Windham High on Friday at 3:45 p.m.  
Manchester scored twice each in the third and fourth innings and carried a 4-0 lead into the sixth. But Glastonbury got on the scoreboard with a single tally in the top of the sixth and added two more in the seventh before Indian sophomore reliever Scott Aronson worked out a man-on-bunt, no-outs jam for the save.  
"He showed quite a bit of poise under a pressure situation," said MHS coach Don Race of Aronson, who saved the victory for starter Paul Gavarrino, who went the first six.  
"I've never had a leadoff hitter that gets on so much," noted Race



Manchester High shortstop Sean McCarthy hits the baseball in his right hand and forces Glastonbury's Steve Tillinghast at second base in action Wednesday at Kelley Field. The Indians won a nail-biter, 4-3.

### Mangiafico's pitching, DiLoreto's bat, pace East

By Jim Tierney, Herald Correspondent  
Solid pitching and timely hitting usually yield positive results in a baseball game. These ingredients were applicable for East Catholic High Wednesday afternoon as freshman Mark Mangiafico was responsible for the former attribute while senior Marc DiLoreto took care of the latter.  
In a very exciting contest, DiLoreto singled home Kevin Lawrence in the bottom of the second inning to cap a 6-5 come-from-behind victory for the East over visiting Windham High in non-conference action at Eagle Field.  
The win snaps East's two-game losing streak and raises its record to 2-1. Windham suffered its third consecutive loss and also stands 5-3 overall.  
"This is a good win for us," said East coach Jim Penders. "We lost the last two in the last inning and we won this one in the last inning. This has got to help our kids."  
Mangiafico, the precocious ninth grade southpaw, settled down after a shaky start and turned in a sparkling performance going the distance and registering his second win of the season. Mangiafico, hardly the prototypical freshman athlete, exhibited fine control over his final four innings and uncanny poise for a youngster. Penders, who never started a

### Red Sox raise strikeout total

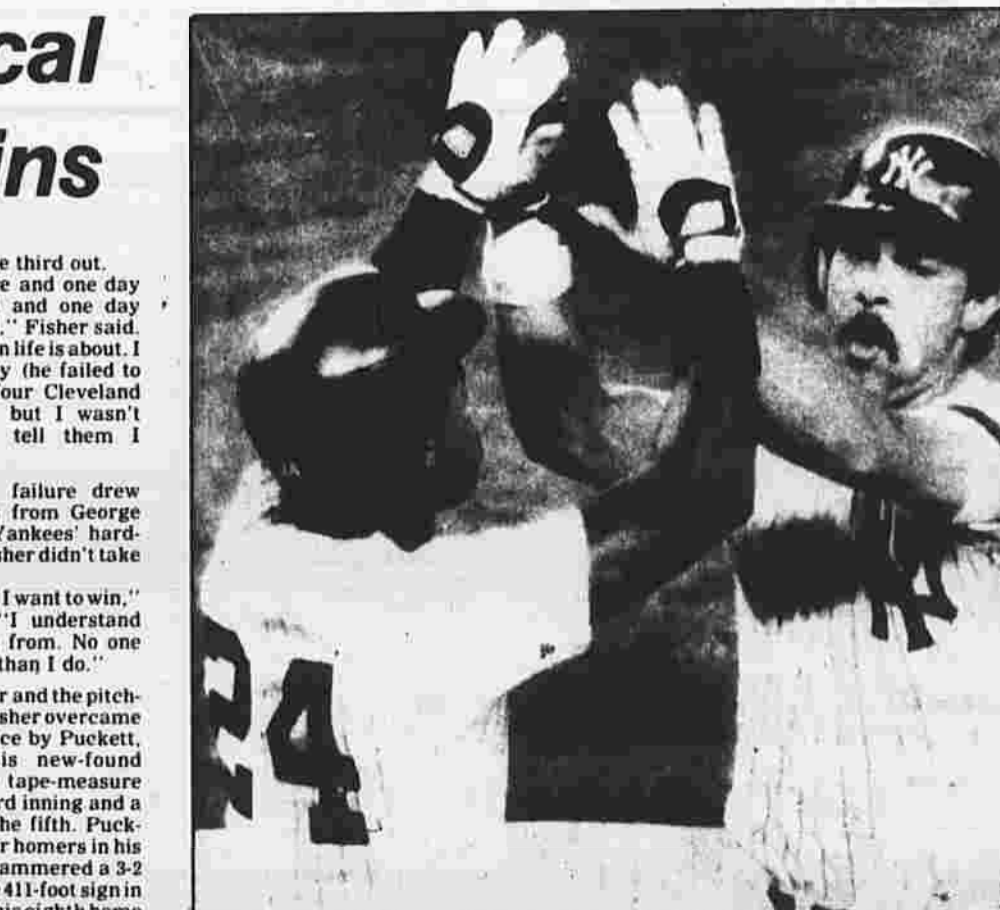
By Dove O'Hara, The Associated Press  
BOSTON — While the Red Sox's pitching staff feeds its strikeout binge with the unwilling cooperation of the Seattle Mariners, Boston's favorite charity is reaping some bonuses.  
"It's costing that camera company (Polaroid Corp.) a lot money these days, but it's for a good cause," Boston relief ace Bob Stanley said Wednesday night after the Red Sox 16-strikeout, 9-4 victory over the Mariners.  
The Jimmy Fund, the fundraising arm of the Dana Farber Cancer Foundation, receives \$50 for each strikeout by a Red Sox pitcher, with a \$1,000 bonus for 10 or more in a game.  
Roger Clemens set a major league record of 30 strikeouts in a three-hit, 3-1 victory over the Mariners Tuesday night. That meant \$1,000 for the total strikeout, \$1,000 for going over 10, plus an extra \$10,000 bonus for Polaroid.  
"Those are the two pitchers I always wanted to be like," he said. "I tried to combine the makeup of both."  
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### Clemens showing potential that everyone expected

By Frederick Waterman, United Press International  
BOSTON — With his record 20 strikeouts, Boston Red Sox pitcher Roger Clemens has lightened the burden of his great potential.  
The right-hander with the 96-mph fastball struck out 20 Seattle Mariners in Tuesday night's 3-1 triumph to set a major-league mark for a nine-inning game.  
The record supports the Red Sox' predictions of brilliance when the University of Texas hurler was signed in June 1983. Clemens showed a flash of his strikeout ability when 15 Kansas City Royals went down swinging Aug. 21, 1984, but in the Red Sox media guide, Clemens' list of injuries is nearly as long as his pro statistics.  
He injured his right forearm

### Two big pitches critical as Yankees edge Twins

By Herschel Nissenon, The Associated Press  
NEW YORK — Brian Fisher made a big pitch to Kent Hrbek and Bert Blyleven hung one to Don Mattingly.  
As a result, the New York Yankees edged the Minnesota Twins 3-2 Wednesday night for their 14th triumph in 20 games, more than any Yankee team has ever won in the month of April.  
"I've got to be very happy because of where we're at (first in the American League East) with a 2-4 game lead," said rookie Manager Lou Piniella. "We've played really, and we're showing signs now of hitting the home run ball."  
Mattingly's fifth-inning homer was his first of the season, a three-run shot off Blyleven, 2-1, that erased a 1-0 Minnesota lead. Bobby Meacham opened the inning with a double and remained at second as Ricky Henderson beat out a grounder to deep short and Ken Griffey flied out.  
Mattingly then hit a 1-pitch into the lower right field seats, giving him 19 RBIs in 20 games. Last year, the American League's Most Valuable Player hit 35 homers and drove in 145 runs but did not homer until the Yankees' 22nd game on May 5.  
"You might say it was a one-and-pitch game," Blyleven said. "But getting behind to Meacham (3-1) hurt. It wasn't smart enough to tell them I couldn't pitch."  
Fisher's Sunday failure drew some angry words from George Steinbrenner, the Yankees' hard-to-please owner. Fisher didn't take it personally.  
"It was just trying to win," the pitcher said. "I understand where he's coming from. No one wants to win more than I do."  
Mattingly's homer and the pitching of Niekro and Fisher overcame a 4-for-5 performance by Puckett, who continued his new-found power surge with a tape-measure home run in the third inning and a 400-foot double in the fifth. Puckett, who hit only four homers in his first two seasons, hammered a 2-2 pitch far beyond the 411-foot sign in left-center field for his eighth home run of the season.  
Puckett has a 13-game hitting streak during which he is 27-for-60 for a .450 average with seven homers, four doubles, a triple and 14 RBIs.



New York's Don Mattingly (center) is welcomed at home plate by Rickey Henderson (left) and Bob Meacham after hitting a three-run homer in the fifth inning Wednesday at Yankee Stadium. Homer gave the Yanks a 3-2 win over the Minnesota Twins.

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 Medical Supply vs. Allied, 7:30 —  
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 Peaton vs. Tierney's, 6 — Fitzgerald  
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 Jim's vs. Acacia, 6 — Nike  
 Social Club vs. Aledo, 7:30 — Nike  
 Sunlighter Refuse vs. Elks, 6 — Pagan  
 Audville vs. Keith, 7:30 — Pagan  
 Holmes vs. Sporn, 6 —  
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 D.W. Fish vs. Carters, 6 —  
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## Scholastic roundup

# Manchester girls' softball wins a wild affair

**WETHERSFIELD** — In a wild, poorly played softball contest Wednesday, visiting Manchester High emerged with a 14-1 victory over host Wetherfield High.

The 3-4 Indians overcame a 7-1 first inning deficit by batting around in a seven-run third of their own. MHS finally took the lead for good with a four-run third.

Cathy Templeton tapped out three hits and one RBI to pace the Indians, who went winward High Friday at 3:30 p.m.

Kris Husbands, Erin Prescott, Paige Lepak and Chantal Larose all had two hits apiece for the victors.

Prescott registered the triumph on the hill, allowing just five hits but walking 10 and receiving speedy defensive support.

Key hits by Husbands, Larose and Lepak highlighted Manchester's big second frame. Templeton and Prescott delivered the telling blows in the decisive third.

## Baseball

**Bolton humbled**

**HEBRON** — RHAM defeated visiting Bolton High 2-1 in 4 1/2 innings of Charter Oak Conference baseball on Wednesday.

The game was called off by mutual agreement of both opposing coaches after RHAM batted just four times.

The winners collected 18 hits in four frames as all 15 RHAM players scored at least one run. Steve Pierrabli had three singles, a triple and four RBIs and Dave Ellison had two singles and a home run. Pete McDonald rapped two singles and two RBIs and Bill Spragg added a four-bagger.

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East Catholic snapped its four-game losing streak with a 14-0 shutout over visiting St. Thomas Aquinas in All Connecticut Conference softball Wednesday at Nike Field.

Katie Fisher went 3-for-3 with three runs scored to pace the Eagles, who 3-4 in the ACC and 3-5 overall. Maureen Brennan, Janet Bjenkowski and Chris Raffin added two hits apiece for the winners.

Aquinas, now 2-4 and 2-5, managed just one hit off winning pitcher Sue Cannaciano, who replaced starter Tyrrel White in the second inning.

"They just weren't hitting Sue at all, and we weren't giving them any extra chances for a change," said EC coach Jay McConville, whose squad plays St. Bernard in Uncasville at 5 p.m. on Friday.

The Eagles scored three in the first and one in the second before exploding for eight in the third.

Cannaciano relieved after White had walked the bases loaded with one out in the second. She then struck out the Nos. 8 batters to work out of the threat.

Cannaciano finished with five strikeouts and two bases on balls. Ellison played errorless ball behind her.

Deb Pastych was the losing pitcher, allowing nine hits and eight walks.

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## AL roundup

**Bamberger retolving Milwaukee**

By Kevin Kenney  
 United Press International

George Bamberger molded several of the best pitching staffs in baseball over the past 20 years. Now he's retolving the Milwaukee Brewers' corps, using Teddy Higuera as the main component.

Higuera scattered five hits, and Mike Feider drove in three runs with a single and a triple Wednesday night to lift the Brewers to a 5-1 victory over the Oakland A's.

The left-handed Higuera, 28, improved to 3-1 with his second straight complete game. Jose Rijo, Bamberger, the pitching coach on the great Baltimore Oriole staffs of the 1970s. "I've lost three games, but he's just been outstanding. As the game goes on you get more relaxed because he gets better as the game goes on."

Higuera, who went 15-8 as a rookie last season, is one of several relatively inexperienced pitchers Bamberger is putting to work in his revamped staff. Juan Nieves, Bill Wengam and Tim Lary are the others.

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### Stanley Cup playoffs

# Fluke goal knocks out defending champs

By Ed Burns  
United Press International

Edmonton Oilers rookie defenseman Steve Smith celebrated his 23rd birthday Wednesday night. The Calgary Flames, however, received the gift.

Smith's attempt to clear the puck from behind his own goal late in the third period ended up in the Oilers' net, giving the Flames a 3-2 victory in the deciding game of their grueling Smythe Division final series.

Smith's attempted pass hit Edmonton goaltender Grant Fuhr behind the left ankle and caromed into the net at 3:14 of the third period in the series' seventh game.

The fluke goal, destined to go down as one of the biggest blunders in Stanley Cup playoff history, was credited to Perry Berezan, who had dumped the puck, and was leaving the ice when it went in. Ironically, Berezan is an Edmonton native.

Calgary ended Edmonton's quest for a third straight NHL title, and earned a spot in the Stanley Cup semifinals against the St. Louis Blues, 2-1 victors over the Toronto Maple Leafs.

"Sooner or later I've got to face it," said a subdued Smith, who had tears in his eyes. "I just tried to make a quick play with a guy bearing down on me. It's not the end of the world, the sun is going to come up tomorrow and I've got to live."

Calgary's third goal wasn't the only unusual score of the game. In the second period, Flames center Jim Peplinski drove a

seemingly harmless 40-footer that Fuhr mishandled. The puck popped into the air and Peplinski followed his shot and whacked the rebound in mid-air, at about knee height, to score at 2:08 and give Calgary a 2-0 lead.

"They shut us down. They played well and deserved to win the series, but it was unfortunate the winning goal was scored the way it was," said Edmonton's Wayne Gretzky, also fighting back tears. "That one goal didn't lose the series, but it was an awful big goal."

At St. Louis, the Blues reached the NHL semifinals for the first time since 1972 by edging the upstart Maple Leafs, who entered the playoffs with the worst record of the 16 playoff teams.

Kevin LaVallee, who had been benched in the last two games, scored at 7:34 of the third period to lift the Blues in the seventh and deciding game of their Norris Division series.

"I told Kevin this morning he should score the winning goal," St. Louis coach Jacques Demers said. "He was mad at the coach, and I'm glad. He should be. He can take it out on me more often."

Bernie Federko took a feed from Mark Hunter behind the net and passed to LaVallee, who was skating in from the right side. LaVallee wristed the puck past rookie goalie Ken Wregget, who was starting his 10th consecutive playoff game.

LaVallee credited Federko for setting him up for the game-winner. "Bernie is a magician," LaVal-



St. Louis goalie Greg Millen (right) stops Toronto's Brad Smith from getting to a high-flying puck in action Wednesday night in St. Louis. The Blues won 2-1 to win their best-of-seven series.

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### From Tuesday's NFL draft

## Running backs to be under scrutiny

By Dave Ruffo  
United Press International

NEW YORK — The six quarterbacks who were drafted in the first round of the 1985 NFL draft have been compared constantly since. The six running backs who went in the first round of Tuesday's draft can expect the same scrutiny.

Although he was the last of the six to be taken, Dan Marino had gone to the head of the 1983 class of quarterbacks. Marino went to the Pro Bowl as a rookie and shattered nearly every NFL, single-season passing record in his second season at Miami.

However, there are his second. The Jets' Ken O'Brien led the NFL in passing last year and New England's Tony Eason started in the Super Bowl. John Elway, the first pick in 1983, can still turn into one of the league's top passers and Kansas City's Todd Blackledge finally seems established as a starter.

Jim Kelly, who was drafted by Buffalo, is signed with Houston of the USFL and is now with the New Jersey Generals, might be the best of the backs to watch to play in the NFL to prove that.

So the jury is still out on the quarterback class of '85, and it might take three years to judge this running back crop. Running

backs generally develop quicker than passers, but only two of Tuesday's first-round backs can be expected to start as rookies.

Bo Jackson, the first pick in the draft, will start alongside James Wilder if he stays healthy and signs with Tampa Bay instead of a baseball team. John Williams should win the Seattle fullback spot, alongside Curt Warner.

The others probably have to wait. Keith Byars of Ohio State should eventually start and star for Philadelphia, but the Eagles team doctor says he might not be ready until October or November because of a broken right foot that cost him most of his senior season.

Ronnie Harmon finds himself in a Buffalo backfield some consider already overcrowded with Greg Bell and Joe Gibbs. The same goes for Reggie Dupard with the Patriots, who already have Craig James and Tony Collins.

Neal Anderson is expected to eventually replace Walter Payton, who gained 1,351 yards last season and isn't quite ready to step down. The five second-round running backs will also get their chance.

Garry James in Detroit, Dalton Hilliard in New Orleans, Darryl Clark in Dallas, Anthony Toney in Philadelphia and Kenneth Davis in Green Bay.

"You don't get anywhere in life if you don't roll the dice," Eagles coach Buddy Ryan said after drafting Byars. "If he was there, I wanted him. He can catch the football, he can run it, he can block, he can do it all. All he's got to do is get well."

Byars disagrees with team doctor Herman Phillips timetable. "There's no doubt in my mind I'll play come September," he said. "The people who were saying that I'd have to sit out a year were hoping they'd be able to scare off the other teams."

Buffalo coach Hank Bullough said he thinks Harmon and Bell can both be starters. However, Gibbs would have to be traded to pave the way. Dupard said he is willing to sit behind former Southern Methodist teammate James for a while.

"No one can play forever, even Walter Payton," said Anderson, who played alongside Williams at Florida. "I'll be learning from the best runner around today."

Of the second-rounders, Toney and Davis could start immediately. Ryan wants a fullback to replace Michael Haddix and might have taken Toney in the first round if Byars was gone. Davis will join a team that hasn't had a dominant runner for years.

The extremely long wait in the gate for the horses on the rail can make high-strung 3-year-olds fidgety and come from behind horses run the risk of being boxed in and denied running room by speedsters who dash for the rail after the break.

Owners of 17 3-year-olds were expected to pay the \$10,000 fee required to participate in the 10:30 a.m. draw for post positions.

Even with the string of winners who came from No. 10 or beyond and the success rate of the rail, none of the trainers appeared to want the spot.

The middle of the pack said Hall of Fame trainer Charlie Whittingham, who is saddling Ferdinand for the 112th Run for the Roses. "Three to eight or nine is a little more favorable. You can win from anywhere, but any little advantage helps."

"I'd sure like to be between three and eight," said Philip Hauswald, trainer of Blue Grass Stakes winner Bachelor Beau, "but I wouldn't scratch if I got any other position."

The likely near-maximum field makes both the extreme inside and outside post position undesirable, trainers said.

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## FOCUS/Family



Marion Moore looks over the Manchester Memorial Hospital Auxiliary's annual report with Dr. David E. Prindiville. Moore is the auxiliary's new president. Prindiville is a Manchester dentist who spoke during the luncheon.

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## Auxiliary's donation: \$107,000



**Socially Speaking**  
Rhea Talley Stewart

The check was for \$107,000 and William R. Johnson, chairman of the board of directors of Manchester Memorial Hospital, smiled as he received it from Marion Peracchio, president of the hospital's auxiliary. The check represented hours of fund-raising during the year, which ended Monday with the auxiliary's luncheon at Manchester Country Club.

Moore Holmes Moore became the new auxiliary president, receiving from Peracchio the gavel that she said she never had to use. Moore is a native of Manchester, the daughter of Mark Holmes, who established the well-known funeral home, and the wife of Thomas S. Moore, a former town finance director. The Moores live in Tolland.

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## Your Neighbor's Views:

### Is the United States making the right moves in Libya?



David O'Neill: "I'm not sure I think that, because of the past acts of terrorism, I could understand where President Reagan could become outraged. But at the same time, I have a feeling that he's gotten himself into a situation where he just cannot back down. I have a feeling we may regret our decisions."



Mary Hanley: "Yes, I think it was the right thing to do. I think people have taken advantage of Americans for long enough. We've appeared weak, and it was time that this should stop."



Sherry Grant: "Yes, because that guy doesn't deserve to live. It's just a shame we didn't get Khadafi."



Stuart Jones: "Probably. If I'm going to believe what our government tells us, then I would assume that we have to do something to curb this terrorism, which is really a form of war. Of course, it's a small war, only it's the beginning. It's a cheap way of conducting international hostility without being punished for it."



Helen Malchow: "One hundred percent America should stand up for itself, even if the allies don't believe in what we're doing. We have to prove ourselves. I don't want my daughter to grow up in a world where we are all afraid of some crazy guy overseas."



Roberta Bynes: "I'd have to say, 'probably not.' I think violence begets violence. Our alternatives were to get the allies to go along with us in imposing economic sanctions."

### Sports In Brief

#### Merchants hold tryouts this weekend

The Manchester Merchants Post 102 ponies baseball team will hold tryouts Saturday and Sunday at East Catholic High School at 1 p.m.

Boys age 13 and 14 are eligible to try out for the team. Anyone who hasn't registered but wishes to play may do so at the field prior to the tryouts. For further information, call Steve Kitsock at 646-8887 or Sean Leonard at 643-5283.

#### Pony League baseball tryouts

The Manchester Rec Department will hold Pony League baseball tryouts on May 5, 6 and 8 from 6 to 8 p.m. at Moriarty Field.

Pony League is for 13-14 year olds who have not reached their 15th birthday by August 1, 1986.

Anyone who has not registered may do so at the tryouts. Everyone must sign up, whether you played last year or not.

Separate tryouts for infielders and outfielders are on May 5 and 6. Tryouts for infielders only is from 6 to 7 p.m. and for outfielders from 7:30 p.m. A combined tryout from 6 to 8 p.m. is scheduled for May 8. Those selected will be required to pay \$5 registration fee and purchase a \$3 recreation membership card.

#### MCC's Grimaldi second in batting

Gerri Grimaldi of Manchester Community College's softball team narrowly missed the junior college batting title for the regular season in New England this spring. Grimaldi hit .556 in 15 games to finish runner-up to Northern Essex' Deb Bannion, who hit an even .600.

Grimaldi was 25-for-45, with three homers, 24 runs scored and 28 RBIs.

The MCC baseball team placed two players in the top 20 in hitting and pitching statistics. Infielder Jeff Brennan hit .420 to finish 14th, while hard-luck hurler Dave Swain was seventh in earned run average with a 2.73. Despite losing four of five decisions.

#### Azinger, Grygiel share Vegas lead

LAS VEGAS, Nev. — Paul Azinger began his assault on the Desert Inn course just after dawn. Shortly before dusk, Jeff Grygiel was ending an attack on Spanish Trail.

Both players, seeking their first victory on the PGA Tour, shot 6-under-par 64s to enter today's second round of the \$1.2 million Panasonic Las Vegas Invitational with a one-shot lead over Gary Koch.

Azinger, who collected six birdies and an eagle despite a sore throat, was probably in bed resting for today's round at Spanish Trail when Grygiel was making a birdie on his final hole for a resounding back nine of 30 that featured five birdies.

Koch shot a 65 at the host Las Vegas Country Club, the third course used in the tournament, to stay one shot off the lead. Dave Rummells, John Cook, Jack Renner, Dan Hallardson, Antonio Cerda and Roger Maltbie, who had a hole-in-one, were two strokes back.

#### Cleveland State reserve, Stewart, dies

CLEVELAND — Paul Stewart, a 19-year-old reserve forward who helped Cleveland State achieve its first NCAA basketball tournament invitation, died Wednesday of a massive heart attack following a pickup game.

Stewart, a 6-foot-8, 215-pound sophomore from Boston who averaged 4.7 points and 3.5 rebounds in 24 games last year, was playing in the school's Woodling Gym when he collapsed about 4:15 p.m., said Merle Levin, the Vikings' sports information director.

Stewart, accompanied by distraught teammates Clinton Smith, Clinton Flannery and Shawn Hood, was rushed to St. Vincent's Charity Hospital with what a hospital spokesman described as a "full cardiac arrest."

Efforts to revive Stewart were unsuccessful, and he was pronounced dead at 5:20 p.m.

Team physician Dr. John Lombardo said Stewart was in good health and had no history of heart trouble.

#### John Henry to return to the track

LOS ANGELES — Two-time Horse of the Year John Henry, 11 years old and inactive since late 1984, will be put back into training for another run in the Budweiser Arlington Million, owner Sam Rubin said Wednesday.

Rubin bought John Henry for \$25,000 and saw him win 39-of-83 races and a record \$6,597,947. He retired the horse last July after John Henry injured a tendon.

The owner decided to bring back John Henry after the horse walked between races at Keeneland Race Course earlier this month. The owner apparently thought John Henry was to race because the horse kicked and bucked.

## MCC awards banquet honors its top athletes

Manchester Community College held its annual Athletic Awards Banquet at the Campus Dining Room on the MCC campus Wednesday evening.

Top award winners were Gerri Grimaldi of the softball team and Peter Palmer of the baseball team. Grimaldi, of Bolton, was presented the Christie McCormick Award for the outstanding contribution by a female student to the MCC athletic program in 1985-86.

Palmer, of Coventry, received the Matt Moriarty Award for outstanding contribution by a male student.

Guest speaker for the evening was Jack Pheasant, head basketball coach at the University of Hartford.

Athletes also recognized with MVP awards in each of the five intercollegiate sports which MCC participates in were George Rebeio in soccer, Colleen Carroll in women's basketball, Tyrell Hartfield in men's basketball, Rob Hill in baseball, and Grimaldi in softball.

Coach's Awards were presented to Steve Slade in soccer, Kathy Prevost in women's basketball,

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In his free time Ron enjoys baseball, bowling, and swimming. He also enjoys old cars; he is a member of the Connecticut Street Cruisers car club.

Ron attends St. Bridget's Church and has been associated with the Bolton Lions Club 7 years.

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# Employees' poor writing skills costly to businesses

Do you spend up to 40 percent of your time writing reports, memos, correspondence and instructions? Do any of your employees? Then you have on your staff what amount to professional writers who, to be successful, must communicate effectively with many different audiences.

Yet sloppy, incoherent, vague or simply dull writing clogs word processors across the land.

I know. As a recipient of hundreds of press releases, memos and letters each week, I can testify that a startling many from prestigious companies — are incomprehensible. The result: Many

**Sylvia Porter**

wind up in my wastebasket unread. Surely they represent a waste of highly paid employees' time. These letters and press releases are not what employers want to pay for.

No one really knows how much poor writing costs businesses. Clearly, the obvious answer is "a lot."

One observer has estimated that more than one-third of business

letters do nothing more than seek clarification of earlier correspondence. So why don't people say what they mean the first time around?

Middle managers get most of the writing assignments in American business and, consequently, commit many of the errors. Ellen Hermann, author of "Re: Writing," a monthly newsletter, says "Most writing by top management is short and to the point," she told my research associate, Ellen Hermann. "These people don't have to impress anyone."

But at lower levels, employees want to wow their bosses, look good and advance. All too often, however, they stumble and muddle their basic task: to communicate.

It is astonishing that few in business ever receive the kind of

instruction necessary to help cure the plague of bad writing. Many business schools have instituted writing programs, but these reach only a tiny minority of those who need them.

Plenty of resources are now available to companies and individual employees. Newsletters such as Piotrowski's have proliferated. Your company can also retain a consultant to teach writing skills or to review projects, such as instruction manuals, reports and the like.

Moreover, many colleges and universities offer continuing education programs in business writing.

Managers certainly don't have to learn to write from the file cabinet by copying old letters and memos and amalgamating clashing styles of writing.

The hours spent on teaching employees to write well will be

repaid," Piotrowski emphasizes. Time wasted on poor writing is time lost to the company. Effective communication is, indeed, ultimately a question of cost.

And since so many managers spend so much time writing it becomes a time management issue, as well.

One major fault that underlies many of these problems can best be called error of tone.

Suppose you have to write a memo to your boss to issue this command: "You must attend this meeting; it will be very important."

People in top management don't want to be ordered around. Better to suggest how the meeting will benefit your boss.

Another error can be just as damaging — talking down to employees and, by so doing, conveying a lack of respect.

Too often, as well, writers fail to

organize. But a lack of focus can backfire, tarnish your image and damage your project or proposals. Focus on what your reader needs.

Many executives claim they have too much work to do to revise a mere letter or report.

How silly. Do you want to risk giving the impression that you can't think straight? Spending the extra time to clarify your thinking — and writing — pays off.

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# Disability payments possible

**QUESTION:** My daughter has been getting SSI disability payments since she was 15. Now she's 23, and I understand she might also be able to qualify for disability benefits under Social Security. How is this?

**ANSWER:** She could if either parent is receiving benefits as a retired or disabled worker, or is deceased. However, the SSI benefit she receives will be reduced because of the Social Security benefit.

**QUESTION:** I receive SSI payments and I have a joint bank account with my brother. The money is really his. Do I have to report the account to Social Security?

**ANSWER:** The money in any bank account with your name on it is assumed to be yours, and it should be reported to Social Security.

**QUESTION:** I understand that Social Security will also pay survivors benefits to children whose parents were not married. Is this true?

**ANSWER:** Yes. However, you must be able to prove the relationship of the child to the deceased worker. The Social Security office will help you with the necessary proof.

**QUESTION:** So far I've been lucky enough not to have to use my Medicare, but now I've got to have a major operation. Exactly what services will Medicare cover while I'm in the hospital?

**ANSWER:** Medicare hospital insurance can help pay for the following services while a person is a hospital inpatient: a semiprivate room, all meals, including special diets, regular nursing services, operating and recovery room costs, the cost of special care units, such as an intensive care or coronary care unit, drugs furnished by the hospital, lab test included in hospital charges and other radiology services billed by the hospital, medical supplies, use of appliances, such as a wheelchair, rehabilitation services, and blood transfusions furnished by the hospital during your stay, except for any nonreplacement fees charged for the first three pints of whole blood or units of packed red cells.

This column is prepared by the Social Security Administration office in East Hartford. Do you have a question you'd like to see answered here? Write to Social Security in care of the Manchester Herald, P.O. Box 591, Manchester, 06040.



# Tylenol must never be given to either your cat or dog

**QUESTION:** Is it all right to give my cat a Tylenol tablet when she is acting listless?

**ANSWER:** No. Tylenol (acetaminophen) is poisonous to cats. Do not under any circumstances give your cat Tylenol or any product which contains acetaminophen.

Acetaminophen toxicity in cats has been the subject of many studies. The problem seems to be that cats are very slow to metabolize the drug and it therefore builds up to highly toxic levels even when a small dose is given.

Dogs are also subject to acetaminophen toxicity. However, dogs can tolerate amounts of the drug which can be fatal to cats.

One of the "flea" types and the other is the "rodent" type. These parasites have an interesting life cycle which requires an intermediate host in order to develop into an adult parasite in the cat or dog.

The tapeworm which is referred to as the "flea" type actually goes through a development stage inside a flea. The flea is then ingested by a cat or dog, and an adult tapeworm develops. Without this stage of development in a flea, the adult tapeworm cannot develop.

The so-called "rodent" type of tapeworm goes through a neces-

sary stage of development inside a rodent. The rodent is eaten by a cat or dog and the adult tapeworm develops. Again, unless the parasite develops inside the intermediate host, in this case a rodent, the adult tapeworm cannot develop.

The best way to control the flea-type tapeworm is to use some means of flea control on your cat or dog. If your pet does become infested with these parasites, he or she can be treated by your veterinarian. There are several relatively new drugs that are safe and effective against tapeworms. These are given by injection or in tablets, depending on the circumstances of the animal being treated.

Edward A. Williams is a Manchester veterinarian. Do you have a question you'd like to see answered here? Write to Pet Forum, Manchester Herald, P.O. Box 591, Manchester, 06040.

**Pet Forum**  
Edward A. Williams, D.V.M.

discuss it further. Then, if you still have some question in your mind, by all means have your dog examined by another veterinarian and get a second opinion.

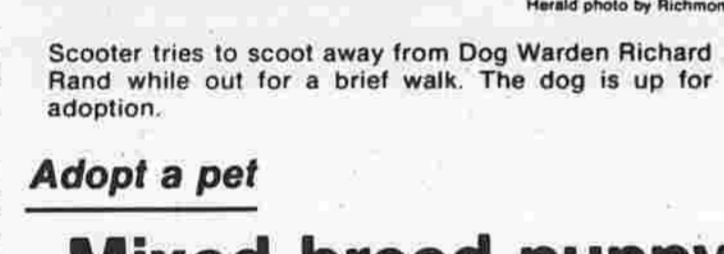
**QUESTION:** Our cat has had tapeworms several times. Is it true that she gets these because she's an outdoor cat that hunts? What is the best treatment for tapeworms?

**ANSWER:** There are two basic types of tapeworms common to our area. One is the "flea" type and the other is the "rodent" type. These parasites have an interesting life cycle which requires an intermediate host in order to develop into an adult parasite in the cat or dog.

The tapeworm which is referred to as the "flea" type actually goes through a development stage inside a flea. The flea is then ingested by a cat or dog, and an adult tapeworm develops. Without this stage of development in a flea, the adult tapeworm cannot develop.

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Scooter tries to scoot away from Dog Warden Richard Rand while out for a brief walk. The dog is up for adoption.



# Adopt a pet

**Mixed-breed puppy looking for a home**

By Barbara Richmond  
Special to the Herald

This week's featured pet is only about 9 months old, even though he looks like he might be a little older. He's been named Scooter by Dog Warden Richard Rand.

Scooter is a mixed breed with some yellow Labrador retriever. He was found at Broad and Center streets on April 17 and is ready to be adopted.

A female blonde cocker spaniel is among the new tenants at the pound this week. She is about 1 year old and is a full grown, even though she's quite small. She was found roaming on Vernon Street on April 26.

Another new one this week is a male tan-and-white mixed breed. He's about 1 year old and was found roaming on Center Street on April 27.

Daisy, last week's featured pet, a sweet 16-week-old golden retriever cross, is still waiting to be adopted. But she probably isn't waiting for long. Rand said there are two people who are interested in adopting her.

The nice little beagle found on Villa Louisa Road is still waiting to

be adopted. Also still waiting is the young Doberman pinscher. He's about 10 months old and has one brown eye and one pale blue eye. He seems to be quite docile. He was found on Cushman Drive.

A little female Doberman pinscher cross is also waiting, although a couple of people have expressed interest in adopting her. She's about 3 months old and is very sweet.

Several dogs were claimed by their owners, including Monsieur, the poodle cross, who came from Vernon. The black Labrador retriever, mentioned in last week's column was also claimed. So was the male shepherd cross found on Spruce and Charter Oak streets.

The dog pound is located on town property off Oleost Street. Dog Warden Richard Rand is available at the pound from noon to 1 p.m. He can be reached by calling the pound, 643-6642 or by calling the police department, 646-4555.

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 the dog licensed.

# Cornerstone lists honors

The Cornerstone Christian School has named the following students to its honor roll and high honor roll for the third-quarter marking period.

**GRADE 4**  
High Honors: Joe Beck, Wicky Frederickson, Matthew Pedemont, Amy Souer, Christine Schlosser, Dora VanHorn, Henry Nelson, Condi, Andy Erickson, Katie Fields, Jeremy Kirch, Jennifer Nelson.

**GRADE 5**  
High Honors: Peter Evans, Emily Gray.

**GRADE 6**  
High Honors: Nicole Cyr, Tara Hoff, Angela Sinclair, Scott Smith.

**GRADE 7**  
High Honors: D'Apollonio, Kim Hanin, Kenny Snellenberger, Karen Stein.

**GRADE 8**  
High Honors: Laura Gosselin, Bryana Posternok.

**GRADE 9**  
High Honors: Leah Holton, Mara Stein.

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# College Notes

**Nichols honors Rowett**

Derinda M. Rowett received the Marketing Club Award and her certificate for inclusion in Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges recently at a spring honors weekend at Nichols College in Dudley, Mass. She is a senior majoring in marketing and is the secretary of the Marketing Club. She is a high honor student and a graduate of Manchester High School. She is the daughter of Roy Rowett of 352 E. Middle Turnpike and Sue Rowett of 280 Love Lane, Coventry.

**Michaud directed musical**

Lynn Michaud of 125 West St., a junior at Bryant College in Smithfield, R.I., was co-director of the drama club's production of "Godspell" on April 18, 19 and 20.

**Berry lists Smith**

Melanie Erin Smith, daughter of Nancy L. Smith of 233 Grisson Road, has been named to the Berry College winter quarter dean's list for academic achievement. The college is in Mount Berry, Ga.

**Caouette named to list**

Susan J. Caouette, daughter of George and Pearl Caouette of Mountain Road, has been named to the dean's list at New Hampshire College, Manchester, N.H. She is an accounting major.

**Perkowski performs May 7**

Lisa Ann Perkowski, daughter of Bernadette Perkowski of White Street, will perform Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. in a Cabaret Concert at Bay Path Junior College, Blake Center, 588 Longmeadow St., Longmeadow, Mass. She is a senior enrolled in the executive assistant program. The concert is free and open to the public.

**Ranney wins speaking contest**

Debra Ann Ranney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ranney of Bigelow Street, recently won first place in an impromptu speaking contest held at the Barnada Inn in East Hartford. The contest was sponsored by the Phi Beta Lambda Honors Society. She is majoring in computer programming at the Morse School of Business in Hartford.

**Lundberg plays on tennis team**

Kate Lundberg, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. George A. F. Lundberg Jr. of Manchester, is a member of the tennis team at Colby-Sawyer College, New London, N.H. She is a sophomore majoring in liberal arts.

**Flanagan, Goodwin listed**

Lynn Flanagan of Manchester and Dennis Goodwin of Coventry have been named to the dean's list of the Barney School of Business and Public Administration, University of Hartford.

**Drinking water is a bargain**

DENVER (AP) — Most Americans consider their drinking water a bargain.

This was noted in a recent survey sponsored by the American Water Works Association Research Foundation. It said results showed more than 66 percent considered the cost about right to very inexpensive. Fewer than 13 percent considered the cost somewhat expensive to very expensive. All others — 21 percent — had no definite opinion.

# Black & Decker recalls trimmers

TOWSON, Md. (AP) — Black & Decker Inc. says it is recalling about 647,000 weed and grass trimmers because the fan and cap assembly may break up swiping pieces that could hurt users or bystanders.

The company announced the recall of Push Button and Command Feed Weed-Grass Trimmers made in 1981 and 1984.

Black & Decker said the recall was being conducted voluntarily in cooperation with the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission. The company has received 102 reports of fan-cap breakage, and company officials said there had been some injuries, such as cuts and bruises to feet and legs.

The products were sold under the Black & Decker label, and also under the Montgomery Ward and McCulloch Corp. labels.

Consumers have been urged to immediately stop using the trimmers and to return them to a Black & Decker service center for free repairs.

Black & Decker has developed a new fan and cap assembly for the trimmers, which will be installed on all those returned, the company said.

The following trimmers are subject to the recall:  
• Black & Decker models 8243 (Types 1 & 2), 8251 (Types 1 & 2) and 8255 (Type 1)  
• Montgomery Ward models XBA 2998A, XBA 2998B and XBA 2999A  
• McCulloch Corp. models MAC 30 (Type 1) and MAC 40 (Type 1)

The trimmers can be identified by a label decal tag near the top of the trimmer between the auxiliary handle and the top handle. The trimmers, which sold for \$40 to \$75, use a nylon line to cut weeds and grass.

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# Somersaults set world record

BOSTON (UPI) — A New York health food store manager claimed a new world record for somersaulting by rolling head over heels the entire 12-mile, 390-yard route of Paul Revere's famous ride.

"It was definitely very hard. I'm quite sore and bruised," said Ashrita Furman, 31, who broke his own world somersaulting record Wednesday with the trek from suburban Lexington to Boston.

"I'm happy that it's over," said Furman, who credited his spiritual mentor, the guru Sri Chinmoy, for the strength to perform the feat.

Furman said he got nauseous at the start of the course, and began to doubt he would finish. A friend called Chinmoy and received an assurance that Furman would go the distance.

"When I heard that, I said okay it's done," Furman said. "I do lot of things to honor him (Chinmoy). He doesn't tell me to go out and do somersaults, but he inspires me to try to stretch my limits."

"There's no trick," said Furman, who trains by somersaulting up to four miles once a week. "Basically, you just have to guts it out."

Even though it's painful, I enjoy it very much," he said before sitting down to a "big Italian meal, and then a nice hot bath."

Furman, a manager of Guru Health Foods in Queens, N.Y., began his trek at 8 a.m. EDT Wednesday at the Hancock House in Lexington, finishing at 6:49 p.m. about 1,800 rolls later in Boston's historic Charlestown section.

Revere actually rode the other way from Boston to Lexington, in 1775.

Furman originally set the world record for consecutive forward rolls in 1980 when he rolled around New York Central Park for 10 miles. He is listed in the Guinness Book of World Records.

"Of all the records I've broken, this is undoubtedly the hardest," Furman said in 1980. "Forward rolls are the greatest test of strength and will power because of the nausea and dizziness."

Furman also holds world re-

ords for hand-clapping, milk-bottle balancing, pogo-stick hopping and stretcher-bearing.

Furman also holds the unofficial world record in aqua-pogo, an event Furman created. Aqua-pogo consists of pogo-sticking in 9½ feet of water wearing a snorkel and goggles.

Furman was followed by a pace car and Northeastern University women's basketball coach Joy Malchodi.



**Hot off the press**

Looking over some Manchester Bicentennial Band Shell schedules are, from left, Richard Lauzier, Gene Pietrantonio and Ralph Maccaroni. The trio are watching as the schedules come off a press at Prestige Printing Inc., where Pietrantonio works.

The schedules will be distributed at the Al Gentile concert Sunday at 3 p.m. at Manchester High School. The concert will also feature the WRCQ Big Band with Dick Sant and Bob Price. Tickets are \$6. Call 241-9053 for information. Lauzier is president of the Manchester Bicentennial Band Shell Corp., which will benefit from the fund-raiser. Maccaroni is coordinator of band shell programs.

# About Town

**Reading contest is planned**

The Manchester Library System in cooperation with the Manchester Education Department will hold a poetry and prose reading contest for area students in Grades 5 to 12 May 31 from 10 a.m. to noon at the Whitton Memorial Library, The Wit and Wisdom Writers Club is coordinating the contest. Registration can be made through classroom teachers. The deadline is May 16. Readers will be judged for enunciation, volume, inflection, pausing, feeling, gesture, eye-contact and intent of the writer.

**Post plans events**

The Dilworth-Cornell-Quey Post 162, American Legion, will hold a membership meeting May 13 at 8 p.m. at the post, 20 American Legion Drive. Several other events are planned for the post home. They include:

Fish nights, 8 to 9 p.m. Fridays, dancing to the Kathy Michaud and Frank Dorsey Duo, 8 p.m., Fireplace Room.

The post will take part in the dedication of the Korean Monument at Munro Park May 25 at 2 p.m. On May 26, the post will march in the town Memorial Day parade and the Color Guard will fire the salute.

**Weiss speaks on healthy eating**

BOLTON — The Visiting Nurse and Home Care of Manchester will sponsor a lecture and discussion, Eating for Good Health, by nutritionist Gloria Weiss Tuesday at 1 p.m. at the Community Hall. The program is part of a continuing education series sponsored by the agency for senior citizens. All will be welcome.

**Latvian church has art show**

The American Latvian Lutheran Church, 21 Garden St., will have a free art exhibit Saturday and Sunday from 1 to 4 p.m. Works of Latvia's well-known artist, Maksimilins Mitrevic, will be on exhibit. The public will be welcome.

**Horse show and fair starts**

FARMINGTON — The 36th annual Children's Services Horse Show & Country Fair will begin Tuesday and run through May 11 at the Farmington Polo Grounds. Riders with more than 1,200 horses will compete for more than \$100,000 in prize money. The event will include an amusement park and a country fair tent. General admission will be \$5 at the show with children under 12 admitted free. Advance tickets may be purchased at \$4 by sending a check and a self-addressed envelope to Dorothy Lundberg, Children's Services Horse Show, 1680 Albany Ave., Hartford, 06105, for delivery by 4:30 p.m. Tuesday.

**See Keaton movies at art show**

The End of the Year Student Art Exhibit will open Friday at 8 p.m. at Newspace Gallery, the Lowe Building at Manchester Community College, with the showing of "Buster Keaton Rides Again." Clips from his classic films are shown in the 1965 movie as Keaton reminisces about his art and career.

Student works will be shown from the studio classes of MCC faculty members Nancy Greco, Suzanne Howes-Stevens, Robert F. Manning, Linda Saucier and John E. Stevens. Awards for excellence will be distributed to the students during the reception after the film. The evening is free and the public is invited.

The exhibit will remain on view through May 14. Gallery hours are 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. weekdays and 9 a.m. to noon Saturdays.

**FWF names McCarthy queen**

The Veterans of Foreign Wars Post and Auxiliary 2046 named Mary Ann McCarthy of Vernon 1986 Loyalty Day Queen at a recent party. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James McCarthy.

Several members of the local post will attend the 34th annual Loyalty Day Parade at 1 p.m. Sunday in Norwich starting on Broadway and McKinley Avenue and ending at Post 594 on Central Ave.

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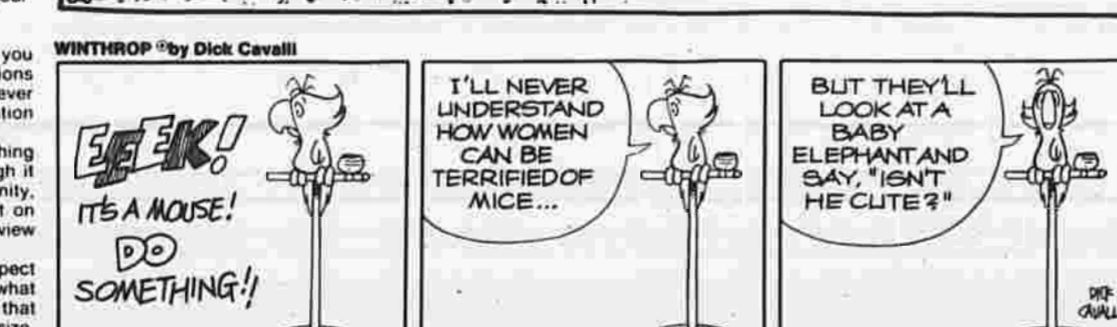
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Astrograph

Your Birthday May 2, 1986

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) For the sake of all concerned today, try to keep your friendships and business interests separated or you may experience a degree of loss in each.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) People you deal with today will view your actions with critical eyes.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Do not expect more from a joint venture than what you're entitled to today.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) It's important today to recognize that you are in a strong bargaining position.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) This can be a productive day for you, provided you do things in an orderly fashion.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) If you are too bent upon enjoying your self today, you might discard all sense of moderation.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Take it upon yourself today to do all that you can to bring peace and unity into a tawdry family situation.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Early in the day you'll be quite jovial and easy to get along with, but toward evening, when you get a bit tired, you could become rather grumpy.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) For the sake of your budget, don't get involved in something with friends today where your end of the costs are undetermined.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Be sensible regarding what you volunteer to do for others today, because they could dump some undesirable tasks on you that they've been dodging.

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# Off-season desires led to skeet

Becha thought I'd have a column on trout fishing now that the season is open. Well, there really hasn't been anything exciting going on in the fishing department. So I decided to scratch out a little something about clay target shooting, one of my other loves.

## Joe's World

Joe Garman



Received a release from the National Shooting Sports Foundation on some summer shooting ideas, and along with it some background on skeet shooting's origins.

THE GAME STARTED about 60 years ago in Massachusetts because some bird shooters wanted to develop their wing shooting during the off-season. The field consisted of a large circle, with 12 stations marked off, as on the face of a clock. A single trap threw targets from top center, 12 o'clock to 6 o'clock. And the game was called shooting around the clock.

farm in the next field, so the shooters couldn't shoot around the clock. So the shooters started up a second trap at the 6 o'clock station and cut the field in half. Hence our present-day skeet field.

shooting. A summer with some of this type shooting will really sharpen our skills.

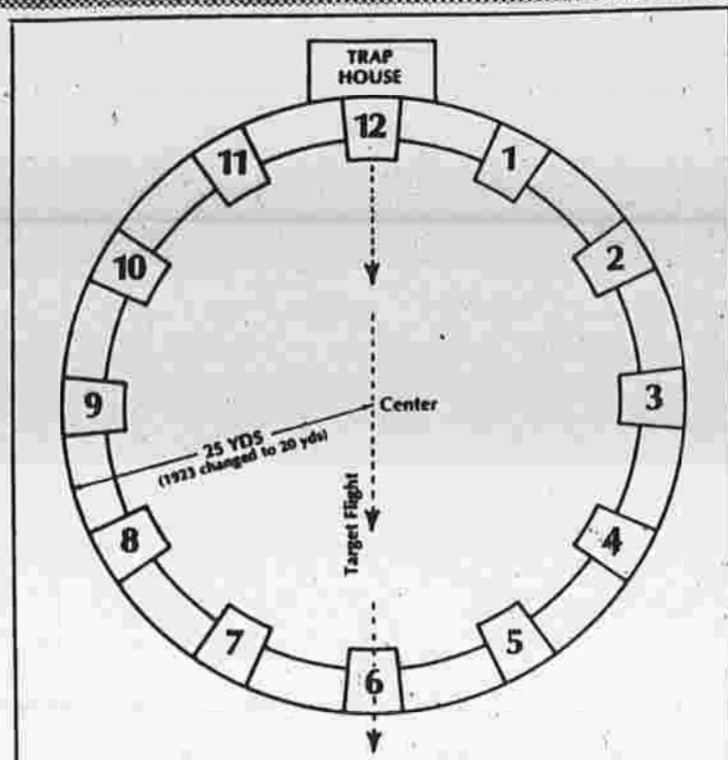
THE FIRST GAME, "Doc Adams," is a game shot on a trap field, or a combination trap and skeet field which has both trap and skeet houses in place.

The shooters start with "low gun," which means the guns stock at hip position. They fire at targets coming from the trap house, and move around the field, using skeet stations 1 through 7. If one cannot shoot at a combination field, the name came from a contest held by a magazine in 1926. The winner, "Skeet," came from a Scandinavian word for "shoot."

Never know that before. I guess I learn something every day. "Skeet," and, of course, trap, are formal games, and must be worked according to the rules. Well, the Sports Foundation release came up with some neat ideas for us that when formalized skeet or trap become too much of the same thing. The two games we called shooting around the clock. Then a chicken farmer started a

ANOTHER FUN THING to try on the trap field is to stand directly behind the trap house, not back 16 yards, and get on the birds in a hurry. Trap is hard enough as it is so this should really sharpen us up. Or, to make life difficult on a skeet, try shooting some yards back of stations, 3, 4, and 5. This is a whole lot different from standing on the regular station.

Joe Garman, a Manchester resident for many years, is a recognized authority on the subject of bamboo fly rods, and the sport of fly fishing.



This is the original "Around the Clock" skeet shooting game, before the clock was halved and its radius reduced to 20 yards.

## PLANT SALE

**Garden club sells plants**

Julie Peila and her 10-year-old granddaughter, Sarah Peila, have plants ready to sell at the Manchester Garden Club plant sale May 10 from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Center Park. The event will go on rain or shine.

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## PLANT SALE

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# Profane perfume ad prompts controversy

NEW YORK (AP) — A Perry Ellis perfume ad that hints strongly at a four-letter word has stirred controversy in the publishing community with some saying it is provocative while others call it obvious obscenity.

The reference may have been to Calvin Klein, who is generally considered king of the provocative ad.

## Thursday TV

- 6:00PM (3) Eyewitness News
- (8) Different Strokes
- (3) Action News
- (3) Hart to Hart
- (1) 26 Guns a Break
- (2) Knight's Landing
- (2) NewsCenter
- (2) Doctor Who
- (4) 48 Hours
- (2) Reporter '81
- (3) MacNeil-Lehrer Newshour
- (ESPN) Mazda Sportsbook
- (HBO) Survival Series: Gorilla The African gorilla has become an endangered species as its native rain forests are cleared away. (60 min.)
- (TM) MOVIE: "Electric Dreams" A young man and his personal assistant fall in love with the same girl. Lynn Van Dohlen, Virginia Madson, Bud Cort. 1984. Rated PG. In Stereo.
- (USA) USA Cartoon Express
- 6:35PM (MAX) MOVIE: "Charlie Chaplin: The Little Tramp" A documentary examining excerpts from some of Charlie Chaplin's best work. "The Tramp," "The Rick," and "Shoghead." (30 min.)
- 7:00PM (3) CBS News
- (3) Three's Company
- (3) ABC News
- (3) \$100,000 Pyramid
- (1) Jeffersons
- (3) Carson's Comedy Classics
- (2) M\*A\*S\*H
- (2) Wheel of Fortune
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- (4) Newsweek Game
- (1) Novelty Great
- (7) Nightly Business Report
- (1) One Day at a Time
- (CNN) Monynline
- (DIS) Disney's Return to Treasure Island Long John Silver and Jim Hawkins are reunited after a ten-year separation. (105 min.)
- (ESPN) SportsCenter
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- (3) Barney Miller
- (2) Jeopardy!
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- (4) Price Is Right
- (8) Archie Bunker's Place
- (CNN) Crossfire
- (ESPN) NHL Hockey: NHL Playoffs: Wales Conference Championship Game
- (USA) Wild World of Animals
- 8:00PM (3) Simon & Simon Rick and A. J. recently help their cousin Elizabeth search the family tree for a clue to locate a mysterious treasure. (60 min.)
- (3) MOVIE: "Game of Death" Spectacular martial arts combat sequences highlight this film about an international crime syndicate. Bruce Lee, Goy Young, Hugh O'Brian. 1979.
- (4) Ripley's Believe It or Not! (CC) Learn what happens to lost mail and wallets, see the workings of a "honey bee" farm, and witness a new technique to treat kidney stones. (60 min.)
- (3) News
- (3) Columbo: Double Shock
- (MOVIE) "Telenovela" A Russian secret agent and beautiful CIA operative team together to stop a madman from ingesting radioactive waste. Charles Bronson, Lee Remick. 1977.
- (3) The Cosby Show (CC) Cliff and Clair begin to wonder if their children can come to them with their problems. (R) In Stereo.
- (2) All Creatures Great and Small
- (MOVIE) "The Sons of Katie Elder" Four brothers return home for their inheritance and unite to avenge the death of their father. Dean Cain, George Kennedy. 1985.
- (1) Novelty: Juana Iris
- (7) This Old House (CC)
- (3) MOVIE: "An Eye for an Eye" An octopus has a one man vendetta against drug racketeers in the labyrinth of San Francisco's underworld. Chuck Norris, Christopher Lee, Richard Roundtree. 1981.
- (CNN) PrimeTimeLive
- (TM) MOVIE: "The Little Foxes" The double dealings of a Southern family are presided over by a villain named Regina. Bette Davis, Herbert Marshall, Dana Andrews. 1941.
- (USA) MOVIE: "Ash Wednesday" After having a face-off, an aging woman looks to a German playboy for reassurance. Elizabeth Taylor, Henry Fonda, Helmut Berger. 1973.
- (3) Family Feud
- (3) Family Ties A young architect and his associate falls in love with Elsie. In Stereo.
- (3) Dating in France
- 8:45PM (DIS) Moustierpiece Theater
- 9:00PM (3) Bridges to Cross
- (3) Tani
- (3) 26 Hours
- (1) Benny Hill Show
- (1) Barney Miller
- (3) Avenegers
- (3) Wild, Wild West
- (2) NewsCenter
- (2) Doctor Who
- (3) M\*A\*S\*H
- (4) 24 Hours
- (3) SCTV
- (1) Maude
- (3) Monynline
- (ESPN) Inside the PGA Tour
- (HBO) Philip Marlowe, Private Eye: BlackMallards: Don't Shoot Marlowe goes after some black bear and he's hunting a movie queen. (60 min.)
- (3) Alfred Hitchcock
- 11:05PM (DIS) MOVIE: "The Great Caruso" The life of Enrico Caruso, an Italian child prodigy in Naples, to his reign as one of the world's greatest tenors in a documentary.

- (1) Benson
- (2) NBC Nightly News
- (2) Nightly Business Report
- (4) ABC News
- (1) Noticiero SIN
- (1) Sanford and Son
- (CNN) Showbiz Today
- (DIS) Adventures of Ozzie and Harriet
- (ESPN) Tennis Magazine
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## RADIOACTIVE ELEMENTS AND THE FOOD CHAIN

**EXAMPLE: RADIOACTIVE IODINE**

**FALLOUT IN THE BODY**

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Yttrium 90  
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Rutherfordium 106  
Cesium 137

These isotopes had been detected by Geoscan monitors early in the week.

contamination for several weeks. This graphic shows how radioactive fallout affects the food chain.

In view of emissions detected from the Chernobyl reactor accident, European agricultural and dairy products will be monitored for evidence of radioactive

# Disaster proves satellite technology

WASHINGTON — The ability of American spy satellites to peer into other nations has been impressively demonstrated in recent days as the U.S. government released detailed information on the Soviet nuclear disaster. U.S. officials say.

# Super computer mimics the brain

CAMBRIDGE, Mass. — A super-fast computer designed to mimic the brain's structure solves complex problems beyond the reach of conventional systems at unprecedented speeds, scientists say.

# Test detects cancer early

BOSTON (UPI) — A new blood test has been developed that could be used for early and reliable detection of certain types of tumors, including a form of lung cancer, researchers reported today.

# Science/Health In Brief

## AIDS mistaken for Alzheimer's

BOSTON — A man diagnosed as suffering from Alzheimer's disease was later found to have actually died from AIDS, prompting researchers today to caution doctors they could confuse the two illnesses.

## Back surgery from the front

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — People undergoing back surgery for splinters are likely to find themselves on their backs, rather than their stomachs, during the operation, according to a surgeon at Vanderbilt University Medical Center.

## Elephants rumble to communicate

ITHACA, N.Y. — In addition to the familiar trumpeting sounds, researchers say elephants apparently can communicate by low rumbling sounds that people cannot hear.

## Sexes differ in toxin responses

AMHERST, Mass. — Men and women differ in their susceptibility to toxic substances, with neither being more resistant overall than the other, according to a researcher at the University of Massachusetts.

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# Growth changing face of Coventry

By Jacqueline Bennett  
Herald Correspondent

COVENTRY — Planning officials are faced with an explosion of growth and development that could well change the character of the town, according to Town Planner Pat Gronbeck.

"There is some progress that should go on and some that shouldn't — that is the issue confronting us now," she said in an interview Tuesday.

In recent months, the Planning and Zoning Commission has been considering proposals that could transform the nature of the small, largely rural town, and Monday night was no exception.

At a PZC hearing Monday night, Pierre Lemieux presented a request for the rezoning of 22 of the 106 acres he owns along Bread and Milk Street. Lemieux wants the land, which is currently zoned residential, rezoned for light industrial uses.

Lemieux, who owns CFL Construction of Coventry, wants to build a warehouse on the site. "It will be a base of operation, a place to repair and store equipment," he said.

Several residents challenged Lemieux's proposal. Town Council member Phillip Bouchard, who lives near the site, fought to protect his land.

"If this is approved, light industrial zoning will surround me. Will you then come back next year and say I have a pre-existing non-conforming area?" he asked.

PZC member Edward Strater said that could not be done without a hearing, but admitted the PZC could initiate such an action.

Bouchard also said he opposed the change due to the danger of ground water contamination because of a high water table on the land. Its proximity to several residences and the school on Bread and Milk Street.

Some residents said they felt the road simply could not handle any more heavy vehicle traffic.

Paul Giesecke, who owns 45 acres along Bread and Milk Street, said he fears the rezoning could have a steamroller effect.

"We have been continuously plagued with zone changes. What's next?" he asked.

In 1980, 10 acres were rezoned on Bread and Milk Street for Moser Farms. Another 26 acres were rezoned in 1981. Residents opposed both zone changes and petitions opposing the second change were filed, Gronbeck said.

Lemieux's proposed site is about 500 feet from the Moser Farms operation.

Giesecke's wife fears the growing industry will lower the value of their property. "Warehousing is the worst. I've never seen

property value go up with warehousing," she said.

Another concern focuses on the wetlands on the site proposed for rezoning.

Lemieux plans to build far back on the property, so an access road would have to be built through wetlands to the building.

The PZC asked Monday that the plan be modified to bring the building closer to the road.

Area residents also expressed concern about lubricant storage and industrial waste disposal.

CFL is currently working on the state-mandated sewer construction project in town. Lemieux anticipates it may be done in the late fall. Although he doesn't have more projects lined up in Coventry, he said the warehouse would make things easier for him. Some vehicles are now left on job sites, he said.

He also said land is not for sale in the area of South Coventry zoned for light industrial development.

Richard Barry, a land appraiser from Manchester who spoke on behalf of Lemieux, said he did not feel the rezoning would have an adverse effect on residential property values.

But Town Planner Gronbeck is skeptical of the rezoning. "I'm not sure it is in the best interest of the public's welfare and safety. Some valid reasons for opposition were presented Monday night," she said.

The PZC has 65 days to act on the rezoning proposal. Gronbeck said a decision will be reached by June 23.



The Island connection

The 65-foot boat Alert serves as the lifeline between New Bedford, Mass., and the island of Cuttyhunk. The boat serves only about 22 people in the winter, but the island's population swells to about 1,000 in the summer. The Alert, which is the official mail boat, makes the 14-mile trip twice a week in winter and runs every day in the summer months.

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# Sea lions dead at Beardsley

BRIDGEPORT (UPI) — Beardsley Zoo's two sea lions have died within days of each other, the second of a ruptured ulcer perhaps caused by the stress of giving birth to a stillborn pup, Gregg Dancho, zoo director says.

The 14-year-old female California sea lion Sassy died Friday at the state's only zoo with a ruptured gastric ulcer, which had probably developed years earlier, Dancho said Wednesday.

Beardsley's other sea lion Affie, an 18-year-old male who had been trained to perform, died five days before Sassy.

"There's nothing we could have done," Dancho said. "Everyone here is really upset about it."

The two sea lions were a mating pair, but were not paired earlier, the sea lion's second, Sassy, commonly lose a pup or two before they successfully give birth, he said.

Gastric ulcers are common among sea lions in the wild, who live to an average age of 25 years. Sassy had lived at the zoo for 10 years, while Affie had been at the zoo for eight years.

"I can't even get into how bad I feel about it," Dancho said. "It's a natural occurrence but the timing is bad."

# Baby's move confuses police

NEW YORK (UPI) — Detectives say they are uncertain whether a kidnapping actually occurred when a 2-month-old girl was taken from her Bronx home a month ago and later found unharmed in Connecticut.

Bobbi Ann Michaels was found Tuesday night in the apartment of Stamford, Conn., businesswoman Adelaide Brinn Walden Davis, 42.

But authorities in the Bronx and Stamford Wednesday released both Davis and another woman initially arrested in connection with the infant's disappearance.

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Soval, 43, a registered nurse, charged Tuesday in the Bronx with kidnapping, was freed in her own recognizance Wednesday.

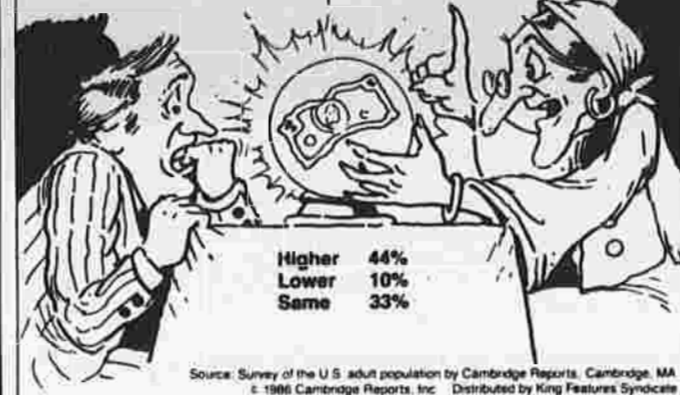
New York City police said Davis is still a subject of their continuing investigation. But Bronx District Attorney Mario Merola said his office was not filing charges against her.

Davis' attorney, Donald Sheren, claimed the woman was given the baby by the child's mother.

# BUSINESS

## CAMBRIDGE REPORTS

The Inflation Outlook  
Q — Three years from now, do you think the annual rate of inflation will be higher, lower, or about the same as today?



## Business In Brief

**Waterfield promoted at Pratt**  
Manchester resident Willard F. Waterfield has been named the chief technical writer for customer support publications at Pratt & Whitney Aircraft Group, the company announced.

The promotion takes effect June 1.

Waterfield, who has been employed by Pratt & Whitney for 16 years, will direct 61 writers in five writing groups. He works in the company's Middletown plant.

Waterfield has attended George Washington University and has lived in Manchester since 1966. He currently lives on Kennedy Road.

He is a retired commander of the U.S. Navy, where he served for 30 years.

Pratt & Whitney employs 27,000 people in Connecticut and has plants throughout the state. It is a subsidiary of United Technologies Corp., the nation's fifth-largest manufacturing company and seventh-largest defense contractor.

## Beaucage sells at Stanadyne

Peq Beaucage of Manchester will take part in the sixth annual Mother's Day Flower Sale held by the Connecticut Chapter of the Arthritis Foundation.

The sale will raise funds for patient services and research. Beaucage, a retiree, will be selling spring bouquets to her former co-workers at Stanadyne.

## O'Brien joins Allbri Realty

Patricia O'Brien recently joined the sales staff of Allbri Realty, located at 202 East Center St. in Manchester.

She has several years of experience in residential and commercial sales in the Greater Hartford area, according to a news release.

She lives in Manchester with her husband, attorney Kevin O'Brien, and their daughter, Kim.

She is a parish member of Saint Bridget Church and is active in area social and civic organizations.

## W Acquisition accepts shares

LOS ANGELES — W Acquisition Corp., which last week overcame Warnaco Inc.'s objections to its takeover bid, has accepted for payment 70 percent of the outstanding common shares of the Connecticut clothing manufacturer.

The company Wednesday also announced the resignations of Warnaco Chairman Robert Matura and President Larry Pfeiffer. Both officers have agreed to assist in the transition.

Andrew Galef, the 53-year-old head of W Acquisition, has been named chairman president of the clothing manufacturer. Linda Wachner, 40, a partner in the investment company and former Warnaco officer, has been named president.

W Acquisition, which announced the \$488 million purchase agreement last Friday, said Wednesday it has arranged financing to purchase all of Warnaco's outstanding shares.

## Navy woos Electric Boat's rival

NEW LONDON — The Navy confirms it is negotiating with the Electric Boat Shipyard's rival for maintenance work on the newest Trident as a way of developing a second East Coast source for Trident submarine construction.

The contract is expected to be awarded soon to Newport News Shipbuilding in Virginia for the post-shakedown availability on the Trident Nevada now in the final stages of construction at EB in Groton.

"The rationale is that in the interest of industrial mobilization, it is necessary to develop additional East Coast PSA (post-shakedown availability) capability and another source for Trident construction," Lt. Becky Becham, a Navy spokeswoman at the Pentagon, said.

## Stock prices drop in early trading

NEW YORK — Stock prices dropped again today in early trading, one day after the market suffered its worst single-day point loss in history because of what analysts called investor concern over the economy and the consequences of the Soviet nuclear disaster.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrial stocks, Wall Street's best-known barometer, fell 5.09 points to 1,778.89.

Broader indicators of stock values also declined. The New York Stock Exchange composite index, which measures all listed issues, fell 0.76 to 134.99. The American Exchange market value index fell 0.87 to 268.10.

Losers outran gainers by a 4-1 margin on the New York Stock Exchange, where volume exceeded 2.1 billion shares in the first hour of trading.

On Wednesday, the Dow Jones industrials plunged 41.91 to 1783.98, the indicator's biggest one-day point loss, eclipsing the previous record plunge of 39.10 points set Jan. 8.

## Dollar opens higher in London

LONDON — Europe's currency markets were closed for the May Day holiday Thursday with the exception of London, where the dollar opened higher.

The pound opened at \$1.5365 compared with \$1.55 at Wednesday's close. Dealers said the dollar's recovery was prompted by indications from West German Bundesbank officials in New York that they did not expect the dollar moving still lower against the mark.

In earlier trading in Tokyo, the dollar closed at 169.40 yen. up from 168.10. Business was moderate, dealers said.

Gold opened 50 cents lower in London at \$345.50, but silver was up just 15 cents at \$1.1500.

The market was apparently unaffected by earlier speculation in Chicago that precious metal prices could fall because of the disaster at the Soviet's Chernobyl nuclear power plant.

# If rate is right, pay off mortgage

QUESTION: I have a 15-year, 13.25 percent mortgage on my home. I feel it would be to my advantage to shop around for the lowest rate on a home equity loan and pay off my present mortgage. If I obtain a 10 percent home equity loan, wouldn't I come out ahead?

ANSWER: Certainly, if you get a home equity loan at that rate or lower and if the interest stays low over the life of the loan. That's a big "if." Most such loans have floating rates that rise and fall with interest rates in the marketplace. If rates go up in the future, you'll pay higher interest.

Also, many lenders offer home equity loans with low fixed interest rates for the initial period, three or six months. After that, the rates float — usually higher.

Get complete details of all home equity loans before you sign up. Especially, check out how the interest rate will be calculated after the initial period. Banks, savings and loan associations and

## Investors' Guide

William A. Doyle

other lenders usually set the rate on such loans a few percentage points above the prevailing prime rate or the six-month Treasury bill rate.

Besides savings interest in future years, another advantage of the plan you are considering could be a big savings right off the bat.

Many home equity loans can be obtained without any "up front" charge. And, if there is no prepayment penalty on your present mortgage, you could swing the entire home refinancing, without any costs. In most home refinancing deals, the costs run into thousands of dollars.

There's a rough rule of thumb that it pays to refinance a home when you can obtain a new mortgage with an interest rate at least two percentage points below

the rate on your present mortgage and if you plan to continue living in the home for at least two more years.

In such a refinancing, however, you have to measure your savings in mortgage interest against the refinancing costs, which can include various fees and "points" on the new mortgage.

QUESTION: In regards to buying or selling a home, what are points and what do they do? Are points based on the selling price, the mortgage amount, or what? Who pays the points, the buyer or the seller?

ANSWER: A point is 1 percent of a mortgage.

Let's say you buy a \$75,000 house and obtain a \$50,000 mortgage, on which you are charged two points. Each point in this example is \$500. So, the mortgage lender provides \$49,000. But you pay interest on the full \$50,000.

Because you pay interest on the mortgage's face amount but have the use of less money, points increase your true interest cost. In this example, if the mortgage rate is 10 percent, your interest cost is 10.2 percent.

In a nutshell, points are used by lenders to collect higher interest.

The more points charged, the higher your interest cost — the "annual percentage rate" — APR, for short. Always make sure you know the APR before doing any borrowing. When points are charged, they usually are paid by the home buyer. In some cases, they are paid by the seller. When that happens, the home's selling price might be raised to offset the cost of the points. But, if the seller is anxious to unload, he or she might swallow hard and absorb the points.

QUESTION: My wife, who is 31, sold her home prior to our marriage in 1984. She used \$6,000 from that sale to renovate the kitchen of my home. Is there any way she can avoid paying capital gains tax on the profit from the sale of her home?

ANSWER: There's no provision in the Internal Revenue Code allowing your wife to avoid that tax bite. She was supposed to report the profit and pay the capital gains tax due when she filed her 1984 federal income tax return. If she wants to stay absolutely square with the renoovers, she should file an amended 1984 return — Form 1040X.

## Income up for CNG

HARTFORD (UPI) — Connecticut Natural Gas Corp. has reported first quarter consolidated net income of more than \$8.1 million, up from about \$8.1 million for the same period in 1985.

Earnings for the first three months of 1986 were \$2.54 per share on nearly 3.4 million weighted average shares outstanding, compared with \$2.48 on more than 3.2 million shares last year, the company reported Wednesday.

Consolidated revenues for the latest period were nearly \$88.7 million, compared with about \$80.65 million for the first quarter in 1985.

The bulk of the utility's annual income is normally earned during the first quarter due to seasonal factors, CNG said in announcing the results at the company's annual meeting.

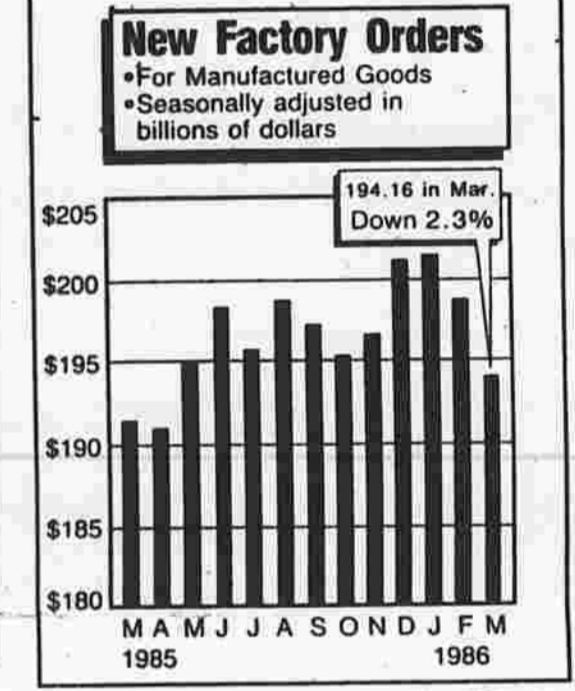
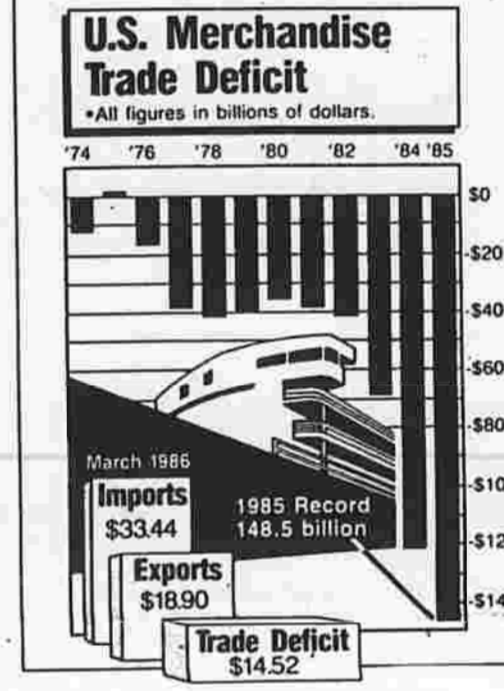
CNG shareholders approved an increase in authorized shares to be followed by a two-for-one split of common stock and 46.25 percent preferred stock. The vote must be approved by the state Department of Public Utility Control.

Authorized shares of common stock would increase from about 5.4 million to more than 10.8 million; preferred shares would rise from nearly 14,000 to nearly 228,000; and par values of \$6.25 for each class would become \$3.125.

CNG reported consolidated net income of about \$11.1 million for the 12 months ending March 31, down from more than \$11.2 million for the 12 months ending March 31, 1985.

Earnings for the last 12 months were equal to \$3.28 per common share, compared with \$3.34 per common share for the earlier period.

Consolidated revenues for the latest 12-month period were more than \$203.7 million, up from nearly \$183 million in the 12 months ending in March 1985.



The U.S. merchandise trade deficit rose nearly \$2 billion in March to \$14.52 billion, close to the average trade shortfall for the last six months, the government reported Wednesday. In a

separate report, the Commerce Department said factory orders declined \$4.7 billion, or 2.3 percent, in March, the largest drop since April 1984.

## Retreat may not mean slump

NEW YORK (AP) — A stunning stock price retreat on Wall Street may in fact merely be a regrouping and not a precursor of a greater slump, analysts say.

The market plummeted Wednesday with the Dow Jones average of 30 industrial stocks losing 41.91 to close at 1,783.98. It was the biggest loss in absolute terms for a single day, eclipsing the record 39.10 point drop on Jan. 8.

Analysts said the big drop was no cause for panic. The market just needs to relax after climbing so far so fast, they said, pointing out that when Wall Street started its surge last fall the average was below the 1,300 level.

But some investors rushed to sell stocks and collect profits — or limit their losses — in case the market gives up more ground. Part of the action was attributed to automatic "program selling" linked to stock futures indexes.

In other economic news Wednesday: The House gave final congressional approval to emergency legislation reviving the Federal Housing Administration's authority to insure home mortgages. The White House indicated President Reagan will sign it.

The Department said the U.S. trade deficit widened to \$14.5 billion in March as imported manufactured goods flooded the country.

The Commerce Department also reported that orders to U.S. factories for manufactured goods fell 2.3 percent in March, the second decline in a row and the biggest drop in almost two years.

At the housing agency, Silvio J. DeBarolomeis, FHA's acting administrator, said: "My guess is that we will be back in business on Monday."

The bill would allow the FHA to resume issuing mortgage insurance and revive the authority of the Government National Mortgage Association to guarantee mortgage-backed securities.

## Aid sought for bearing industry

WASHINGTON (AP) — Layoffs at the New Departure-Hyatt bearings plant in Bristol, Conn., demonstrate the need for a Pentagon "By American policy," says Rep. Nancy Johnson.

The New Departure tragedy again demonstrates that the U.S. ball and roller bearing industry is suffering serious erosion from a flood of underpriced imports, the Connecticut Republican said in a letter to Defense Secretary Caspar Weinberger.

"Clearly it is in the military's interests to prevent the demise of this basic industry," for we know from experience the price of inaction," she wrote.

General Motors Corp., New Departure's parent company, announced last week it was laying off 675 workers and phasing out its commercial bearing production at the Bristol plant. The phase-out includes defense-related work, she said.

Johnson said the decision was made, in part, because the corporation's market share and profits on bearings were being eroded by cheaper imports.

Johnson, in addition to asking the Pentagon to require major weapons makers to buy only U.S.-made roller and ball bearings, also has asked Weinberger to expedite an investigation into whether the domestic industry would be able to meet the military's requirements in time of war.

"Secretary Weinberger should be as troubled by the New Departure layoffs and cutbacks as I am, and I hope he will push forward rapidly to complete the bearing study and adopt new policy initiatives," Johnson said Wednesday.

Johnson said the New Departure decision was the latest in a series of cutbacks in the domestic bearing industry that also included shutdowns and layoffs at other plants in her congressional district.

"This is the price of inaction on behalf of the ball bearing industry," Johnson said in a statement.

"Aside from the impact on Connecticut workers and their families, New Departure's troubles represent a crack in the defense industrial base, on which our national security is built."

The Defense Department effectively threatens national security when it ignores U.S. manufacturers and allows its contractors to buy bearings overseas," she said.

# Witnesses try to save lighthouses

WASHINGTON (AP) — The ravages of nature and vandals are threatening some of the nation's stately Coast Guard lighthouses, but they can be saved without a lot of federal help, preservationists have told a congressional hearing.

White sand lighthouses can be incorporated into a park or preserved by a historical society, others can be saved by turning them into restaurants, inns, youth hostels or even vacation homes, witnesses said Wednesday.

"Inns, bed and breakfasts, restaurants, camp or picnic sites, museums, private homes and other uses will also make the lights more accessible and open up the lighthouse keepers' history and heritage to the public," Valerie Nelson, executive director of the Lighthouse Preservation Society of Rockport, Mass., told the House Coast Guard and navigation subcommittee.

While some lighthouses already are owned privately or are part of national parks, others still are owned by the Coast Guard.

Formerly, the lights were run by live-in keepers, but as technology advanced, the Coast Guard has automated most of the lighthouses since needed as navigational aids.

The process of automation, begun several decades ago, was carried out, until recently, without sufficient regard for the historic value of lighthouses and their surrounding structures," said Rep. Gerry E. Studds, D-Mass., chairman of the Coast Guard subcommittee of the House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee. "Deterioration brought on both by natural elements and by vandals caused many lighthouses to fall into serious disrepair."

Studds said the Coast Guard, because of the shortage of federal dollars, cannot be expected to maintain lighthouses on its own.

Nelson and others said there is no need for that military service to have to do the job alone.

Retired Coast Guard Rear Adm. Richard A. Bauman, testifying for the San Francisco-based U.S. Lighthouse Society, also recommended that the Coast Guard lease more lighthouses to non-profit groups such as states, municipalities or historical societies.

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## Notices

### 01 LOST AND FOUND

Lost in the Highland Gardner Street area. White with black spots, springer spaniel. About 3 years old. Wearing a choke chain. Reward 643-5948.

### 03 ANNOUNCEMENTS

Emergency? In Manchester, dial 911 for fire, police, medical help.

## Employment & Education

### 11 HELP WANTED

Part Time Inserters wanted. Call 647-9964, ask for Bob.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Part time driver wanted for Vernon area. Short hours, good pay. Call Julie 671-2986 and 8am.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Nurses Aides - Certified. \$8 on hour. Good benefits. EOE. 647-1624.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Hair stylist with following for Manchester area. Full or part time. Call 871-9406 or 643-9525.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Production worker for light manufacturing, some lifting required, flexible hours. Call 649-2900.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Bar/night and weekends. Apply in person only. Loretta Escudé, 300 West Middle Tpk, Manchester.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Receiving and warehouse position, leading to management responsibility. Growing company with profit sharing, best suited to ambitious individual. 649-4543

### 11 HELP WANTED

Wanted equipment operator with paving knowledge. Class II License required. Benefits. Call 742-6190 or 423-2993. Evenings 7:30am and 9:00am.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Easy Assembly work \$7.14 per 100 guaranteed payment. No sales. Details-Send stamped envelope. Elton 173, 3418 Enterprise, Ft. Pierce, Fl 33482.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Mechanic. Wanted - All benefits. M & M Service Station, Route 5, Bolton, 649-2871.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Clerical position available. Full time receptionist, good typing skills. Will include training for insurance technician. Call Pam 633-0261.

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### 11 HELP WANTED

Help Needed for Automotive basic service repair for tire sale. L.O.F. and Chester Country Club. Call 646-0103 for appointment. EOE.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Service station mechanic and painter. Full and part time. Apply in person. 252 Spencer St., Manchester.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Clerical/Full-time position available in pleasant environment. Health insurance/benefits program available. Typing skills helpful. \$4.25 - \$5.00 an hour, depending on experience. Apply in person-Prague Shoe Co., 200 Pitkin St., East Hartford.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Waitress-Waiter. Lunch-dinner part-time. Tuesday thru Friday. Hourly wage plus gratuities, additional banquet hours available. Apply Manchester Country Club, 646-0103, E.O.E.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Warehouse person - Full 40 hours, forklift a plus. Apply Agway, 33 Adams St., Manchester.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Secretary-Receptionist. Manchester law firm Monday thru Friday, 9-5. Legal and Word Processing. Non experience preferred. Call 646-4545.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Picture Framer full time experienced or will train. Excellent working condition. 649-2900 & 647-8776 evenings.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Painting - Experience help wanted. Call 646-4879.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Dental Hygienist experience. Tuesday & Wednesday. Call between 10am-12, 643-3509.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Mother's Helper - Preferably an adult. Part time. Flexible schedule. Call 633-4774.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Wanted driver/attendant to assist a wheelchair reliant man in the conduct of his business. \$4.50 per hour, approximately 35 hours per week, some travel involved. Please call 566-7153 ask for Thomas J. Connors. PHD Chief, BCS.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Receptionist/Sales. Are you a pleasant outgoing person who is looking to make some extra money by working one day, two nights per week and Saturdays? Flexible hours are the key to working in a friendly established business. If you like working with people this job is for you! Call Debbie at 643-2171.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Swiss Colony Gourmet shop. Part time from 11 to 2, Monday to Friday. Manchester Parkade. Apply in person.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Full time permanent delivery and installation of major appliances. Willing to train. This is excellent opportunity for someone who is mechanically inclined and is self motivated. 40 hours plus. Call Hilida at 643-2171.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Bookkeeper / Receptionist - Part time assistant to handle AP and daily reconciliations, applicants should possess good figures aptitude, typing and computer experience a plus. Call Ellie, 646-0103 Mon., Wed. and Fri., 10am-2pm.

### 11 HELP WANTED

REPS NEEDED for business accounts. Full-Time - \$60,000-\$80,000. Part-Time - \$12,000-\$18,000. No Selling - Repeat Business. See your own hours. Training provided. Call: 1-812-938-8870. We're open to you! (Central Standard Time)

### 11 HELP WANTED

Maintenance person needed for general cleaning, banquet set-up, small repair work. Full time position, hourly rate, benefits, vacation. Manchester Country Club. Call 646-0103 for appointment.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Part-time or full-time handy man with light carpentry and painting. Transportation a must. Call Boyle Management Co. 646-4800.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Help wanted-flexible hours reliable with own transportation. Call East Coast. 643-5539.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Full time positions available at automotive tube center, experience helpful but will train. Call 647-8977.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Dental receptionist wanted part time, unique opportunity for home-maker or college student to work as dental receptionist thursdays mornings this summer. No experience needed, write to Dr. Brian Bottero, 162 S. Main Street, Manchester.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Laborer for pipeline construction, must have transportation, too wages paid. 649-6887.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Secretary-Part time. Gillemeau consultant seeks secretary-good typist. 2.5 days per week, flexible schedule, word processing experience preferred. Call 633-9812.

### 11 HELP WANTED

Full and Part Time - Doctor's Assistant needed for Otolaryngology practice. Hours include 2 nights a week and Saturdays. Experience helpful but will train. Call between 10am-2pm, 649-3311.

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Part Time help. Waitress, days 11-2, Tuesday thru Friday, ideal for housewives. Apply Antonios 556 Main Street 643-4369.

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Dietary Aid. Immediate opening for full/part time person to perform a variety of kitchen tasks including cooking. Experienced or willing to train. Energetic, reliable help. Call Manchester Manor. 646-0129.

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Dishwasher, full time position, nights. Excellent benefits & working conditions. Please apply at the Ground Round 3025 Main Street Glastonbury.

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Part time days. We are looking for mature adults to assist taking retail inventories in the greater Hartford area 2-3 days per week, hours vary, but experience necessary, but a good math aptitude and reliable transportation a must. \$5.00 per hour starting rate after paid training. Please reply P.O. Box 1101, South Windsor, Ct. 06074.

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\$56,900. We have just listed a starter home in Coventry that is only one block from the lake! If you are looking for a bedroom home on a good sized lot (172 feet x 100 feet), living room with fireplace, full kitchen, and a two car garage. At this price it will not last long! Albrino Realty, 649-9917.

### 11 HOMES FOR SALE

Great Location! 1 1/2 acre contemporary situated on over 1 acre of beautifully manicured grounds. Popular Wrened, living Hill Road, 3 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, fully appointed kitchen, many fine features. Offered at \$198,900. Jackson & Jackson Real Estate 647-8400 or 646-8646.

### 11 HOMES FOR SALE

99,900-Immaculate colonial, extra insulation, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, granite and fireplace. Strano Real Estate, 647-7653.

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114,900-Spacious stone colonial with 3 bedrooms, new thermo-pane windows, large two car garage. Strano Real Estate, 647-7653.

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120,900-Move in condition colonial with 4 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, large private yard. Strano Real Estate, 647-7653.

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140,000-Extremely nice 11 room victorian. 5 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, completely remodeled. Some owner financing possible. Strano Real Estate, 647-7653.

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Manchester. Dormered Cape with fieldstone facade, 3 bedrooms, fireplace living room, 1 1/2 baths, 14 x 18 living room. Dining room and family room. Central air. Both deck overlooking private wooded backyard. Pool and tennis facilities. \$104,900. D.W. Fish Realty 643-1591 or 871-1400.

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Bolton New Home. 50' R.R. 2 full bath, fireplace, 2 car garage, built by B & H m a n n. Only \$129,900. We Guarantee Our Homes! Blanchard & Rossetto Real Estate, 646-2482.

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Highland Park Area. 10 1/2 room colonial on 3 1/2 acres of privacy. 3 fireplaces, unique family room. 2 car garage. "We Guarantee Our Homes!" Blanchard & Rossetto Real Estate, 646-2482.

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Lakeview. Just for a start. Immaculate 3 room year round cottage. View and RCW to Coventry Lake! Only \$41,900. "We Guarantee Our Homes!" Blanchard & Rossetto Real Estate, 646-2482.

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Manchester. Lovely 7 room Cape 3 bedrooms, formal dining room, separate den, good sized kitchen, 2 full baths, fireplace, enclosed breezeway, over sized garage. Only \$112,000. U & R Realty 643-2022.

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On beautiful one acre lot on Shady Hill Road, Bolton, 7 rooms, 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, pool bath, fireplace, energy efficient construction, generous allowances. \$178,900 Jackson & Jackson Real Estate, 647-8400 or 646-8646.

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Jenn-Aire electric stove and oven with accessories. Black glass front door, excellent working condition. \$300 or best offer. 647-7653, 646-3929.

For Sale - G. Fox 16 cubic foot upright freezer. Excellent condition. \$100 firm. Call 643-5745.

Freezer Chest. 4 feet lengths, 2 feet widths, 3 1/2 feet depth. Excellent working condition. \$40. Call 643-1866 after 5pm.

GE 18 Cubic Foot side by side refrigerator freezer. Frost free. \$350. Also gas range 4 burner top and bottom oven and broiler. \$100 643-9193.

RCA VKT 550 Hi-Fi stereo VCR, with remote control, all instructions and cards. Call 647-8666 after 5:30.

### 77 LAWN AND GARDEN

Top Soil - Clean, rich stone-free loam. Only amount delivered. 872-1400.

### 79 FUEL OIL/COAL/FIREWOOD

Seasoned firewood for sale. 4 foot lengths. \$50 per cord. Call 646-8590.

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Soft Crochet. Comfy Culottes. 1399. 2669.



Comfy slippers are crocheted from bright colors and trimmed with a theory butterfly. No. 2669 has crochet directions for Sizes Small, Medium and Large inclusive.

KIT 'N' CARLYLE by Larry Wright. I'M FROM BOUNDBUSTERS. WOULD YOU TELL YOUR KITTEN TO STOP CHUCKING HIS NAILS ON YOUR KITCHEN FLOOR.

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### 84 MUSICAL ITEMS

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PLAYER PIANOS are in demand. If you have one you do not use, why not exchange it for cash with a want ad.

Electric guitar. Two year old Honda II. Gibson copy. Two pickups like new. Complete with new leather strap and fully padded case. Originally \$275 asking \$125. Phone 643-1374.

### 87 MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

Reel Type Mower, self propelled. Hahn Eclipse. 19" roller bearings. Bright engine, cast iron frame. Very good condition. \$125. 649-1724.

30 inch gas stove, dining buffet, kenmore washer, and Pine hutch. 646-7809.

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65 Plymouth Satellite, 440 four speed \$2200. 63 Chevy Impala convertible \$1800. 81 Kawasaki GTV 1100 \$1700, negotiable. Call 742-9994, 742-8374.

1978 Chrysler Le Baron Station wagon, new tires, new transmission, leather interior, air, \$1199 or best offer. 649-8158.

1980 Olds Cutlas Supreme 4 door. Excellent condition. Inside and out 58,000 miles. Many options. Must sell immediately. Best offer. 649-0593.

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81 Olds Cutlas L.S. 4 door. Power steering & brakes, air, sport wheels & mirrors. Owner \$2,900 633-2925.

Four Place Trailer (For snowmobile, ATV, tractor etc.) Excellent condition. rear swing gate available. 3500 lb. capacity. \$1,000 649-4098 after 6pm.

Foot truck cap. Insulated, sliding window. Jalousie windows, roof vent. \$175. 643-1947.

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Wanted to buy 35 MM S.L.R. camera and lenses. Call 528-2964.

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### 87 MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

Reel Type Mower, self propelled. Hahn Eclipse. 19" roller bearings. Bright engine, cast iron frame. Very good condition. \$125. 649-1724.

30 inch gas stove, dining buffet, kenmore washer, and Pine hutch. 646-7809.

Tag Sale - Corner Stone & Edmund. Friday May 2 10-2. Saturday May 3rd 9-3. Rain or Shine.

Tag Sale - Union Congregational Church Annex, Elm Street, Rockville. Saturday May 3rd, 9am to 4pm. Food available.

68 Pontiac Firebird, 350 automatic, new exhaust, \$800 or best offer. Call 646-5610.

65 Plymouth Satellite, 440 four speed \$2200. 63 Chevy Impala convertible \$1800. 81 Kawasaki GTV 1100 \$1700, negotiable. Call 742-9994, 742-8374.

1978 Chrysler Le Baron Station wagon, new tires, new transmission, leather interior, air, \$1199 or best offer. 649-8158.

1980 Olds Cutlas Supreme 4 door. Excellent condition. Inside and out 58,000 miles. Many options. Must sell immediately. Best offer. 649-0593.

Pontiac Firebird - 6 cylinder, 4 speed, power steering, power brakes, sun roof. A.M.F.M cassette. \$5900. 643-8802.

81 Olds Cutlas L.S. 4 door. Power steering & brakes, air, sport wheels & mirrors. Owner \$2,900 633-2925.

Four Place Trailer (For snowmobile, ATV, tractor etc.) Excellent condition. rear swing gate available. 3500 lb. capacity. \$1,000 649-4098 after 6pm.

Foot truck cap. Insulated, sliding window. Jalousie windows, roof vent. \$175. 643-1947.

### 89 WANTED TO BUY/TRADE

Wanted to buy 35 MM S.L.R. camera and lenses. Call 528-2964.

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