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Manchester Herald

Manchester — A City of Village Charm

Friday, Oct. 31, 1986

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Town gets dressy

By John Mitchell
Herald Reporter

At the Municipal Building this morning, a hillbilly with a long, curved nose fixed a broken copy machine while a white-faced mime talked on the phone. Chefs shuffled papers across metal desks and hooded monks were more than happy to answer questions about taxes.

Town employees donned the makeup and outfits for Halloween after Town Manager Robert Weiss gave his approval. Assistant Town Manager Steven Werbner said Weiss thought the dress-up would be "good for morale," and noted he had heard plenty of positive comments from the employees.

"We are very busy today," said Brian Smith, an assistant tax assessor clad in backwoods garb. Smith said he enjoyed getting dressed up because it takes the pressure off for at least one day.

"Today, you get more smiles than usual," he said. "Not everybody likes to talk to the assessor but they got to smile."

Assessment clerk Iris Ostrom agreed. Ostrom, who wore a khaki jacket and yellow safari hat, said she was Frank "Bring 'em Back Alive" Buck. She said patrons at the offices "kind of look at you a little strangely but I think they enjoy it."

Over at Lincoln Center, Health Director Ronald Kraatz, attired in a sheer, black dress with a fur around his neck, said it had been a fun morning.

"People say I look good," he said. "I got propositioned in the hall."

Shakti Harrington, a bright white angel collecting revenue, said she chose the costume because it was available from her daughter. "I thought it might make it easier for people handing over money," she said.

Lisa Gagnon, an account clerk in the Finance Department, said people seemed to respond well to her Minnie Mouse costume.

"I think everybody's happier today," she said.

Employees said the dress-up was the idea of assessment clerk Betty Hill, who became sick and was unable to see the results of her labor.

Whether the event will become a tradition or not, Werbner wouldn't say. "That's up to the employees," he said.



Herald photo by Tucker

Naomi Zima, who works in the town Health Department, suggests to her boss, Ron Kraatz, that he crack the whip at work this morning. The two

joined other town employees who dressed up to get in the spirit of Halloween.

Dems' deal offers fire guarantees

By George Layno
Herald Reporter

The Democratic majority on the town Board of Directors has offered its own plan to consolidate the Eighth Utilities District with the town in hopes of persuading voters to approve a Tuesday referendum question that would take away the district's power to veto a merger.

Mayor Barbara B. Weinberg, one of six Democrats on the nine-member board, said the plan would give the town control of the Eighth District's sewer lines, but would allow the district's volunteer fire department to continue operations.

The only stipulation on the district firefighters would be that they would not have jurisdiction over the Buckland section in northwestern Manchester, Weinberg said.

She said the Democrats feel it is important that the town have control of Buckland so that it can collect fire taxes from new development planned for the area. Weinberg said the district would provide fire protection to its "historic" boundaries in north-central Manchester.

Weinberg said that the Democratic plan does not specify whether the Eighth District firefighters would be under the authority of the Town Fire Department or the town Board of Directors. She said that would have to be worked out by a consolidation commission.

The Democrats' plan is nearly identical to one offered by the Committee for Charter Revision, one of whose leaders is Democratic Majority Leader Stephen Penny. The only difference is that the Committee for Charter Revision this week said it would have the district firefighters report only to the town Board of Directors, just as they now report to the district Board of Directors.

District Director Thomas Landers said this morning he was not surprised by the Democrats' plan. However, he said it was important to make clear that the six Democrats were not acting as a town board.

"There is a distinction," he said, adding that he thinks the position was a last-minute attempt to win support.

Republican town Director Thomas Ferguson agreed. "I think they're scrambling to get people to vote their way," he said this morning.

Ferguson said that the Democratic plan would never work because if a merger occurred, the district fire department would not cooperate with the town. The firefighters have publicly vowed they would disband if a merger occurs.

Weinberg said the Democratic town directors did not consult the board's three Republican members about their plan because the three have already come out

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Signs fail to tell vote's true story

By George Layno
Herald Reporter

From advertisements in newspapers and the hundreds of signs placed throughout Manchester, residents might think Question 4 on Tuesday's ballot will ask them whether the Eighth Utilities District should continue to exist.

It doesn't. Any decision to consolidate the town and district, which has provided volunteer fire protection and sewer service to most of northern Manchester for almost 100 years, would be made after the election. At stake Tuesday is the method that would be used if and when consolidation is attempted.

If electors vote "yes," the state's Home Rule Act will be used. If voters say "no," the existing provisions in the Town Charter will have to be employed.

Both methods allow for the

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complete elimination of the district, but also for a compromise plan under which the district could maintain some of its powers.

The current debate centers around the fairness of each method, how difficult it would be under each to achieve a merger. Whether there should be a merger at all is key to the controversy.

The Town Charter is viewed as the more difficult means of achieving consolidation because any merger would have to be approved in a separate vote by district residents. If they vote against a merger, the entire consolidation effort is killed.

The Home Rule Act would

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Feds cut rate after bond scramble

By Martin Crutinger
The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The government announced today it will reduce the minimum guaranteed interest rate for new U.S. savings bonds from 7.5 percent to 6 percent on Saturday.

Reports that a change was imminent had sent consumers around the country scrambling to buy the bonds before the lowered guaranteed rate was put into effect.

The reduction in the guaranteed minimum was the first ever made under the bond program put into operation in November 1982.

Since then, consumers who held their bonds for five years or longer were guaranteed that they would receive an interest rate of at least 7.5 percent when they cashed them in. With the change, bonds purchased beginning Saturday will carry a guaranteed rate of only 6

percent. The government first hinted at a rate cut last April. But it delayed making a decision.

In August, \$1.14 billion in bonds were sold. September sales totaled \$1.10 billion. The sales were the highest since the end of World War II.

The venerable savings bond program, which the country has traditionally turned to in financing its wars, was redesigned in 1982 in an effort to lure back investors who had been winnied away by much higher yields from other investments.

The bonds now pay a floating interest rate designed to reflect market rates. This rate is adjusted twice a year, on May 1 and Nov. 1.

Savers who buy a bond and hold it for five years get the average of all of those six-month rates. They have further protection in that they are guaranteed that the interest they receive will not fall below a

certain point. That is the provision that is being changed by today's decision. Instead of guaranteeing a minimum rate of 7.5 percent, the new guaranteed rate will be 6 percent.

The decision will not affect bonds purchased before Saturday, meaning that sales points for the bonds will probably have long lines again today. Many financial institutions reported heavy demand since rumors of an imminent rate cut began to circulate Wednesday.

The Treasury Department said it was cutting the guaranteed rate to reflect "the decline in market interest rates during the past year."

Officials had argued that the bonds with a 7.5 percent guaranteed minimum posed unfair competition for investors' dollars and were also not the most economical way for the government to borrow the money needed to support its \$2

trillion national debt. The government abandoned the old method of selling bonds with a fixed-rate of interest in 1982 and replaced it with the current market-based rates.

The rate for each six-month period is based on 85 percent of the yield of marketable five-year Treasury securities. The rate has been 7.02 percent since May 1 and it will be changed on Monday with officials expecting it to fall to around 6.5 percent.

For the first four years of the program, the interest rates have averaged 9.36 percent. But people who bought the bonds in November 1982 when they were first offered will have to hold them until November 1987 to qualify for the market-based rates.

People who cash bonds in early receive significantly lower interest rates. For example, bonds held for only six months pay just 4.16 percent interest.

Guard unit shoots straight — onto road

HYANNIS, Mass. (AP) — A 105mm howitzer round landed on Cape Cod's main highway instead of a target at Camp Edwards because the Connecticut National Guard unit that fired it used more than twice the proper charge, an investigation of the incident found.

A report by Col. Howard W. Edmiston Jr., inspector general for the Massachusetts National Guard, said the officers, from the 2nd Battalion of the 182nd Field Artillery Unit from Norwalk, Conn., were supposed to use three

bags of propellant in firing the round, but used a full seven bags.

The shell flew more than a mile past target last month and onto Route 6, the major highway on Cape Cod, where it blew a hole two feet in diameter and three inches deep, but caused no injuries.

The projectile did not carry a light intensity training round because such rounds, which are quieter and less explosive than a normal round, are available only for 155mm howitzers, said Massachusetts National Guard spokes-

man Lt. Col. Donald L. Consolmagno.

Consolmagno said the 105mm shell comes loaded with seven bags of propellant. When the proper training charge is determined by the unit involved, the Guardsmen firing the guns are supposed to unscrew the projectile and remove unneeded bags.

Consolmagno said safety procedures governing such practice artillery "are more than adequate if they are followed."

Edmiston's report was made

public Thursday during a news conference at Camp Edwards, the training base for the Massachusetts Army National Guard and Guard units from other Northeastern states.

A copy of the report was given to Maj. Gen. John T. Gereski, adjutant general of the Connecticut National Guard, who said he will issue a statement on possible disciplinary action against the soldiers involved in seven to 10 days.

Indicators show gain

The government's main gauge of future economic activity rose 0.4 percent in September as various business barometers continued to signal steady, if unimpressive, economic growth. The rise in the Commerce Department's Index of Leading Indicators followed a 0.1 percent August decline and a 1 percent July increase. Story on page 19.

Sunny but chilly

Sunny but chilly today with a high near 50. Clear and cold tonight with a low in the upper 20s to low 30s. Mostly sunny and milder Saturday with a high of 60 to 65. Details on page 2.

O'Neill still ahead

Gov. William A. O'Neill says he was encouraged and Republican challenger Julie D. Belaga says she was undaunted after the latest Hartford Courant-Institute for Social Inquiry Connecticut Poll showed the Democratic incumbent with 16-point lead over Belaga. Story on page 5.

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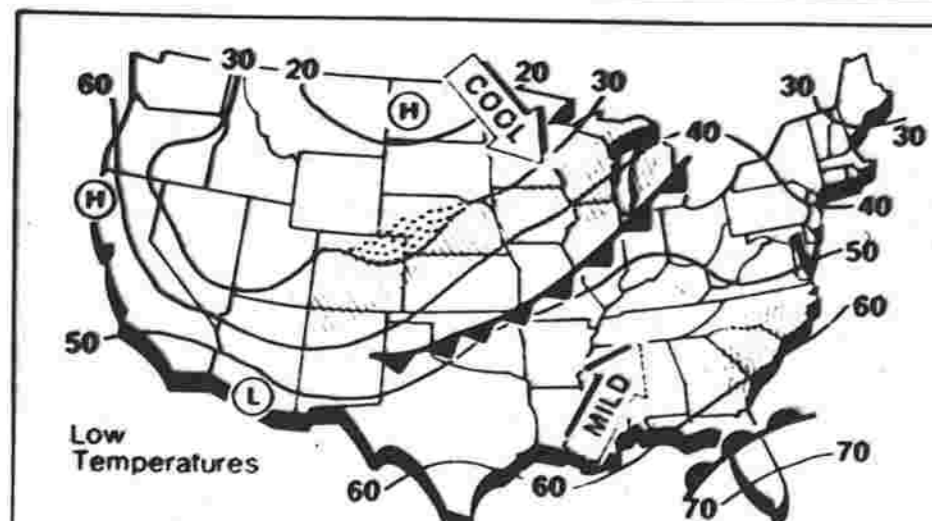
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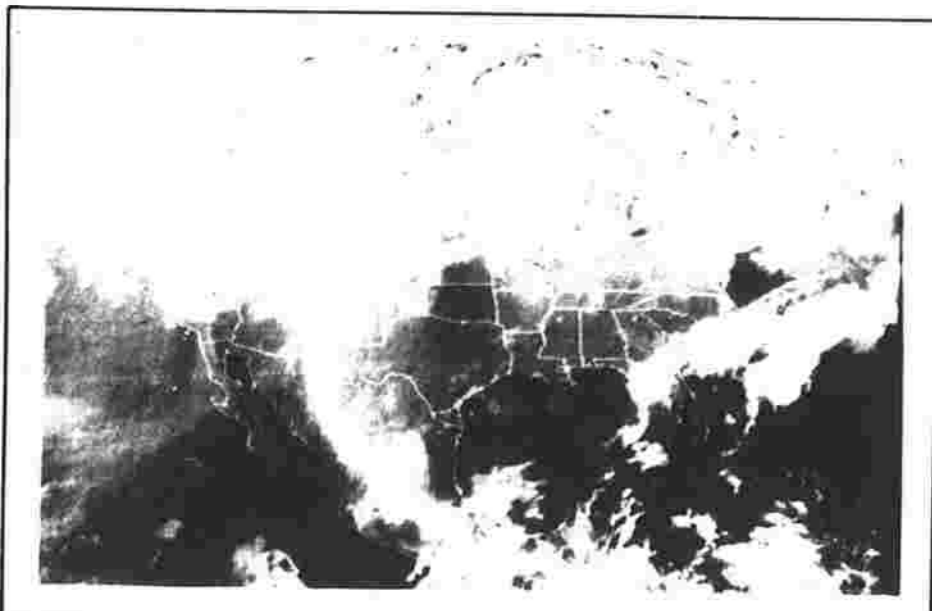
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CONNECTICUT FORECAST
 Central, East Interior and Southwest Interior: Sunny but chilly today with highs near 50. Wind light and variable. Clear and cold tonight with lows in the upper 30s to low 40s. Wind becoming light southwest. Mostly sunny and milder Saturday with highs 60 to 65.
 West Coastal and East Coastal: Sunny but chilly today with high temperatures in the low 50s. Wind becoming east 5 to 10 mph. Clear skies tonight with lows in the middle 30s to low 40s. A light south wind. Mostly sunny and milder Saturday with highs in the middle 60s.
 Northwest Hills: Sunny but chilly today with highs in the middle 40s. Wind light and variable. Mostly clear and not as cold tonight with lows 25 to 30. A light southeast wind. Milder Saturday with morning sunshine giving way to partly sunny skies. Highs around 60.
 Coastal forecast
 Long Island Sound to Watch Hill, R.I., and Mendon Point: 15 to 20 knots becoming east 10 to 15 knots this afternoon and southeast decreasing to around 10 knots tonight through Saturday. Seas on the ocean 2 to 3 feet today and 1 foot or less over Long Island Sound decreasing tonight.

NATIONAL FORECAST — Cool weather is forecast for most of the nation on Saturday. Mild weather is expected in the southern tier. Rain is forecast from Colorado to the upper Great Lakes. Snow is forecast from northern Colorado to Nebraska. Showers are expected in the Carolinas.



Across the nation
 Rain and snow fell in the West today as winds gusting up to 68 mph howled over parts of the region and the Great Lakes and cold air pushed temperatures below freezing in Montana and the Northeast.
 Light snow dusted the northern Rockies and parts of eastern Montana, while scattered rain fell in Washington and Oregon.
 A travelers' advisory was posted for the northwest Montana mountains, where snow, wind and low temperatures made roads slippery and visibility poor. A travelers' advisory for snow remained in effect in the Oregon Cascades.
 A band of rain and snow extended from northeast Utah to southern Wyoming and northwest Colorado, and from northwest Nebraska into central South Dakota. Widely scattered rain showers fell over north Florida.
 Strong winds blew along Colorado's Front Range, including a gust of 68 mph near Fort Collins. A travelers' advisory warning of gusty winds and blowing sand remained in effect for Southern California's northern desert. Strong winds also stirred lakes Superior and Michigan, and gale warnings were posted.
 Colder air pushed into Montana from Canada, dropping temperatures into the 30s across most of the state with some readings in the 20s. Cold air also blanketed the Northeast, with subfreezing temperatures over much of New York and northern New England.
 Temperatures around the nation at 2 a.m. EST ranged from 22 degrees at Massena, N.Y., to 80 degrees at Homestead, Fla.

PEOPLE

O'Neal testifies

Actor Ryan O'Neal, defending himself against a \$3 million lawsuit, denied he threw a soft-drink bottle that a former police officer says injured his eye after it shattered.
 "I dropped it," O'Neal testified Thursday.
 His testimony was supported by actress Farrah Fawcett, his longtime companion. O'Neal, Fawcett and a friend were trying to escape a mob of photographers outside the Pierre Hotel in New York City on Aug. 23, 1980, when the incident occurred.
 The lawsuit was filed by former police officer Brendan Campbell, who was working off-duty as a security guard at the hotel. Campbell charges O'Neal threw the bottle and that it smashed against a camera, causing a glass splinter to scratch his eye.



Koch savors win
 New York Mayor Edward I. Koch, still reeling from the New York Mets' World Series victory, chided White House spokesman Larry Speakes and Boston Mayor Raymond Flynn for baseball-related slights.
 Koch sent a telegram Thursday to President Reagan complaining that Speakes' "apophthegm with a forked tongue" when he expressed fear the Mets might roughhouse a bit while visiting the president.
 Speakes later said he was just kidding.
 Koch also said he was "distressed" to learn that Flynn was returning a specially designed New York victory flag instead of flying it outside Boston's City Hall to pay off his bet with Koch.
 Flynn said the bet called for a city flag, not a special baseball banner. Koch responded that he would send the city's biggest flag, 5 by 8 feet, to Beantown.

Soul searching
 The Rev. Billy Graham exhorted nearly 1,000 Florida political leaders, including Gov. Bob Graham, to develop their souls.
 At Thursday's Florida Leadership Prayer Breakfast in Tallahassee, the Rev. Graham told the politicians that all the achievement in the world was worthless if not founded in spirituality.
 The evangelist, whose eight-day crusade opens here Sunday, took note of the political campaign season.
 "I came into town the night before last and I saw the signs all over town that said Graham, Graham, Graham, and I thought 'My, they've done a good job,'" he began the minister. "Then I looked at the small letters and they all said 'Bob.'"

Star gets a star
 Actor George Takei, who took the starship Enterprise into warp drive as helmsman Mr. Sulu in the "Star Trek" television series and movies, got a star of his own on the Hollywood Walk of Fame.
 Among the "Trekies" on hand Thursday to congratulate Takei were series creator Gene Roddenberry and actor-director Leonard Nimoy, who played the half-human, half-alien Mr. Spock.
 Takei's star on Hollywood Boulevard is just one away from Nimoy's.
 Bobby Pickett, the Boris Karloff sound-alike on the classic Halloween tune "Monster Mash," says his plans for the holiday this year are only slightly bloody-minded.
 "No appearances, no pumpkins," he said in a telephone interview from West Peabody, Mass., where he was visiting relatives. "I'll just have a Bloody Mary and that's it."
 Pickett and friend Lenzy Capizzi wrote the 1962 spoof and recorded it with the help of then-unknown pianist Lenzy Russell. They dubbed themselves Bobby Burbs Pickett and the Crip-Kickers.
 Crip-Kickers didn't have any special significance for me before," said Pickett, 48. "But since '62, my father says 'I'm the G.I. Lombardo of Halloween.'"

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Almanac
 Today is Friday, Oct. 31, the 304th day of 1986. There are 61 days left in the year. This is Halloween.
 Today's highlight in history: Magician Harry Houdini died at Grace Hospital in Detroit of gangrene and peritonitis that resulted from a ruptured appendix. He was 52.
 On this date: In 1517, Martin Luther posted the 95 Theses on the door of the Wittenberg Palace church, marking the start of the Protestant Reformation in Germany. In 1864, Nevada became the 36th state. In 1956, Rear Adm. G.J. Dufek became the first person to land an airplane at the South Pole.
 In 1959, a former U.S. Marine from Fort Worth, Texas, announced in Moscow that he would never return to the United States. His name: Lee Harvey Oswald.
 In 1968, President Johnson ordered a halt to all U.S. bombing of North Vietnam, saying he hoped his action would lead to fruitful peace negotiations.
 In 1984, Indian Prime Minister Indira Gandhi was assassinated near her residence by two Sikh security guards.
 Today's birthdays: Actress-singer Dale Evans is 74. Actress Barbara Bell Geddes is 64. Actor-director Michael Landon is 49. Actor David Ogden Stiers is 44.

On the Light Side
Grass-roots protest brings back milk
 BOZEMAN, Mont. (AP) — Grass-roots democracy is alive and well at Irving Elementary School, where a playground petition drive led to a vote to return chocolate milk to school lunch menus.
 The student advisory council crammed into Principal Jim Brown's office Wednesday and voted 9-0 for chocolate milk starting next week.
 Brown said he started the student advisory council last year, because "the concept seemed good to me" and because parents and students need to be involved in making decisions.
 Third-grader Jesse Coll, 8, took that to heart and began his chocolate milk petition drive at the start of the school year.
 "I guess the inevitable happened. The kids recommended having chocolate milk on the menu every day," says Brown.
 Brown had banned chocolate milk two years ago for health reasons on the advice of the school's menu planner. But medical experts called in for a discussion of the issue last week offered no arguments why chocolate milk is any less healthy than plain milk.
54-foot chill dog gets charitable reception
 CHICAGO (AP) — At 54 feet, it was billed as "The World's Longest Chili Dog," and patrons of Choice's Bar & Grill pledged up to \$60 a foot to charity for a chance to sample the lengthy link.
 "This is a real Chicago event," said proprietor Rick Asta. "Chicago is the chili dog capital."
 The hot dog was cooked up for the occasion by Vienna Sausage Manufacturing Co.
Lottery
 Connecticut daily: Thursday: 531 Play Four: 4446

Lawyer may join Tolland battle
 By Alex Girelli, Associate Editor
 The newly organized North Manchester Property Owners Association decided Thursday night to engage attorney Bruce Beck to help it fight plans for the widening of several North End streets, the secretary of the group said today.
 Secretary Joyce Senkbell said the group's concern is not only with the plans for the reconstruction of Tolland Turnpike — a project that met heavy opposition at a public hearing Sept. 17 — but also over plans for widening North Main, Union and Slater streets.
 Senkbell said Beck told about 100 residents of the area who attended a meeting Thursday at Jeters Court on Tolland Turnpike that he will have to research the problem further.
 Beck said this morning that he has not been hired by the group, but if he is, a lawsuit might be one way to help the group achieve its goals.
 The group is mainly concerned with lessening the traffic that would use Tolland Turnpike if the proposed Buckland Hills Mall is built, he said.
 Beck, who is opposed to the mall plan, also said the town's plan for spending \$13 million for roads and sewers needed in the mall area should be investigated. He said the roads should probably be paid by the mall developers and noted that some of those developers, who had hoped to build a rival mall near the Buckland Hills site, were going to pay \$2 million in improvements themselves.
 Manchester officials have said the Buckland Hills site needs greater work because, unlike the rival mall location, it has no road and sewers.
 Senkbell said the group does not oppose planned commercial development in Buckland but wants to be sure it is carried out in an economical and environmentally sound way.

HOW THE CHARTER QUESTION APPEARS

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What the charter question really means

- Contempt for your Right to Self Determination
- An end to the Volunteer FD. of the 8th
- Higher taxes townwide from a fully paid FD.

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SUPPORT THE EIGHTH DISTRICT VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPT. (sample)

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Nativity scene may reappear in town for Christmas

By Alex Girelli, Associate Editor
 Manchester may have a nativity scene on display for the holiday season after all.
 "This afternoon, officials will meet to consider selection of a scene for the center of town to replace one destroyed by fire Oct. 27," Mayor Barbara Weinberg said today.

Weinberg said two different sets of figures are under consideration and she hopes a decision can be made today that would allow one to be bought in time for the Christmas season.
 Meanwhile, John Sullivan, one of the leaders of a 1969 public fund drive to buy the display that was destroyed, said he and some other members of the original fund drive committee have considered a set of figures with a total price tag of \$10,000. The dealer is Melnick's Display and Decoration in East Hartford.
 Sullivan said he and Ernest Turck, former park superintendent and another leader of the 1969 fund drive, studied the display. It would be life-sized and made of fiberglass. A picture of the scene Sullivan has in mind shows 17 figures.
 WEINBERG SAID that she has invited to today's meeting representatives of the Manchester Area Conference of Churches, the Chamber of Commerce, the Manchester Bar Association, the Board of Realtors and the Independent Insurance Agents' Association.
 She said she was trying to contact Sullivan about the meeting.
 A decision must be made quickly because delivery time varies from three to six weeks, Weinberg said. Two nativity scenes were destroyed in the fire in the lodge at Center Springs Park, which officials said was probably arson. One had been displayed in center of town and the other at Robertson Park in the North End.



Statusque swing
 Betty Dzialus of Manchester looks toward the green while playing golf disguised as the Statue of Liberty at the Tallwood Country Club earlier this week. Dzialus was playing in the Tallwood Country Club's Third Annual Halloween Costume Tournament, which officially ends the ladies' season.

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86 Lincoln 'T' Car	\$15,800
81 Mazda RX-7	\$6595
83 Escort	\$4900
85 Dodge Van	\$7295
84 Buick Regal	\$7295
85 Jeep CJ-7	\$8795
82 Toyota Starlet	\$3895
83 B-2000	\$3990
81 Mazda 626	\$3695
83 Buick Regal	\$6395
82 Linc. Town Car	\$9995
84 Topaz	\$4995
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84 Mazda SE-SI	\$3995
83 Mazda B-2000	\$3695
84 Mercury	\$5995
84 Mercury	\$5995
84 Mercury	\$5995
85 Mazda RX-7	\$9990
82 Toyota Supra	\$8995

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Handicapped cyclist wins right to 2nd license plate

By George Lovvo, Herald Reporter
 The Rev. Robert W. "Kaiser" Hershberger, a Manchester motorcycle advocate, won another victory Thursday for motorcyclists.

The state attorney general's office sided with Hershberger and ruled that the state Motor Vehicle Department must issue a handicapped license plate for each motorcycle owned by a handicapped person.
 "This is more or less a milestone for handicapped people in Connecticut and the nation because all other states were looking to see how I did," Hershberger said this morning.
 Hershberger, who lost a leg in a motorcycle accident in 1973 in Manchester, fought the MVD after a new law went into effect Oct. 1 that provided handicapped license plates for motorcyclists for the first time. Hershberger said the law allowed him to obtain a license plate for both of his motorcycles, but the MVD disagreed.

After Hershberger threatened to take the matter to court, the MVD sought a ruling from the attorney general's office.
 Assistant state attorney Neil Tuohy said this morning that although the law did not specifically say the MVD must issue handicapped plates for each motorcycle, a handicapped person owns that was the underlying purpose of the act.
 "The reason was to obviously benefit this class of people," Tuohy said, adding that the decision was "a straightforward" one to make.
 Hershberger, 36, agreed. "What I did is something the MVD doesn't do — I used common sense," he said.
 MVD spokesman Donald Byers would not comment this morning on the ruling because he said the department had not received a copy of the decision from the attorney general's office.
 Hershberger has been a leader in defending the rights of motorcyclists. He is the head of the Manchester Mission Church of Bikers, a group that advocates motorcycling as a religion.
 While he said he was pleased with his victory, Hershberger said another challenge looms with the MVD over the cost of obtaining handicapped plates. He said the law requires that only \$5 be charged, but the MVD charges \$27.
 Hershberger said the MVD told him the classification of a vehicle changes once a handicapped plate is issued, prompting the higher charge. Hershberger disputed that reasoning.
 "Which classification it is doesn't make any difference to me because it still looks like a motorcycle," he said, adding that many handicapped people would find it difficult to pay \$27 because they are usually on fixed incomes.

REV. HERSHBERGER
 ... DMV found the 's'

United States Senator Chris Dodd meeting with State Representative James McCavanagh

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Not everything in 13th is a repeat

By Alex Givelli
Associate Editor

Voters in Manchester's 13th Assembly District have come to a decision on the merits of the contest between Republican Rep. Elsie Swenson and her Democratic opponent, John Thompson, tend to be vigorous but polite.

The two political adversaries faced each other in 1982 and in 1984, and the election Tuesday will mark Thompson's third attempt to unseat Swenson.



ELSIE SWENSON... defends her record



JOHN THOMPSON... pushing harder

The three campaigns have had much in common. Both candidates are again making a direct appeal to the voters, walking from house to house in the district. Thompson, 54, is subdued and serious; Swenson, 64, is often ebullient.

In another repeat of previous campaigns, Thompson has challenged Swenson to debate and Swenson has declined.

Thompson is issuing position papers as he has in the past, and saying again that Swenson has not made a significant contribution to legislation. Swenson has responded again with a defense of her voting record.

But this year Thompson, the challenger, has pushed his attack harder as election nears and Swenson has been firmer in her counterattack.

petitioning candidate, launched his campaign with an attack on Swenson without referring to all to Thompson. Since then his salvoes have been aimed at her.

He has criticized her support for Richard Borzuto, an unsuccessful candidate for the Republican gubernatorial nomination, charging that as a state senator Borzuto voted for homosexual rights and establishment of state abortion clinics, and that he voted against capital punishment.

Swenson said at the outset that Wilson's entry into the race would probably erode some of her support. "But I'm not going to worry about it," she said.

More recently, she said, "Eddie has helped me, so many people are turned off by his attack."

ALTHOUGH SWENSON and Thompson have not debated, they have taken exactly opposing stands. Swenson has agreed with the Republican Party stand against calling a constitutional convention because it would be

costly and because there would be better ways to correct constitutional problems if they arise. "This year our constitution does not need fixing," Swenson argued.

Thompson said in a recent interview that many organizations, including civil liberties groups, oppose a constitutional convention and that a convention could be used by some pressure group to push for some narrow objective.

He has pushed his attack against Swenson with a thought he expressed in a position paper at the start of the campaign — that it is time for the state to take a good look at itself.

In his position paper, Thompson pushed the theme of citizen input, citing the constitutional convention of 1965 as one example of beneficial citizen participation. He said people involved "offered ideas in a different direction."

THE MAIN THRUST of Thompson's position was that citizens should take a hand in citizenship

planning and that the state should provide money and assistance to towns in developing short- and long-range plans.

Swenson has favored increasing the budget of the new state Veterans Affairs Division and authorizing a full-time administrator for it; making it easier for towns to get abandoned cars off private land; getting more funds for the Department of Children and Youth Services to combat truancy; increasing the time police can hold a juvenile when parents cannot be contacted from 8 to 12 hours; and getting some judges who are especially qualified to deal with children.

Two weeks ago, Thompson held a news conference in which he advocated alternatives to long-term stays for the elderly in nursing homes after pre-admission screening.

Swenson countered recently with a news release saying that she would not get a waiver of the federal Medicaid program requirements to finance it.

THOMPSON, IN TURN, said that the legislation Swenson referred to was bipartisan and was no opposition in either the House or Senate. He said screening would not get under way automatically Jan. 1 without a waiver, and will need further approvals by legislative committees.

Thompson said his point in the position paper was that Swenson had not engaged in open discussion with her constituents over issues involving the elderly or other issues between elections.

In the three-way race, Wilson is considered by most political observers to be a long shot without party support. Thompson said he is cautiously optimistic, and Swenson said she is encouraging by the reception she is getting.

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Kennelly entertains her way to re-election

By Leo Rederick
Scrivener League Newspapers

WASHINGTON — What do you do if you're running for re-election to Congress and you have 100 times more money than your opponents?

If you're Connecticut Rep. Barbara Kennelly, you eat out a lot. Campaign finance reports show that Democrat Kennelly and/or her aides have spent more than \$50,000 on food and drink for "political related entertainments" during the current campaign.

Kennelly, running for the third time Tuesday against GOP challenger Joseph Blasi, has raised over \$400,000 for her campaign war chest. Klein, as of Oct. 15, had raised just over \$4,000.

On Sept. 30, according to Federal Election Commission (FEC) records, Kennelly had \$1,259 on hand for the home stretch of his campaign. Kennelly had \$192,400 — 140 times as much.

Klein has used his scant resources for such things as photographs, purchased for \$20.60 at Camdella by Carol in Manchester; lawn signs, which cost him \$208.25 at Franklin Signs in Wetherfield; and brochures, for which he paid \$516 at Colonial Printers in Windsor Locks.

Kennelly, on the other hand, has had the resources to go for the jugular with such things as \$122,000 worth of TV spots.

A lot of Kennelly's political contributions have been used for various other media and consulting services and to pay for campaign fund-raisers. But some categories of spending suggest a campaign organiza-

tion having trouble finding things to do with all the lucre. Kennelly's campaign, for example, has had a penchant for flowers. Since January of last year, she or her staff have placed 36 orders for "flower arrangements," costing a total of \$2,520.

Perhaps the most intriguing expenditure, however, have been those for food and drink. FEC records show that, as of Oct. 15, Kennelly's campaign had made 115 separate purchases totaling \$16,296 that were charged up to political entertainments.

While the Steak House was the only restaurant or liquor store in Manchester favored with Kennelly's campaign dollars. On the other hand, her staff there on Sept. 10 cost \$200.75 — one of the more expensive meals of her campaign.

The most expensive outing was last November at Carbone's in Hartford, costing \$224.55. Carbone's also got the gold star for being the favorite entry of the Kennelly team: they entertained at Carbone's no less than 16 times during the campaign.

Other favorites: Raffia's, in Glastonbury, with nine visits by Kennelly or her people; Scorer's, in West Hartford, and Shenanigans, in Hartford, which were visited six times each; and Spencer's, in Hartford, where entertainments occurred five times.

Some political meals were taken well away from the 1st District, including a number in Washington — Human Dynamity being a particular favorite.

Buchingham Restaurant in Hartford hosted the cheapest "political related" event, costing just \$8.95 on Jan. 2, 1985.

Connecticut In Brief

Holdout in Granby returns to school — One of seven children kept out of school by parents because of the presence of a student suffering from AIDS has returned to classes while another has transferred to a parochial school, the school superintendent says.

Superintendent Paquale Starbuck has turned down requests by parents to transfer their children out of Kelly Lane School to other public schools.

Parents are required by state law to educate their children. Parents who keep their children out of school may face fines. The Board of Education has agreed to review next Wednesday the decision to allow the AIDS-infected student to attend classes.

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"The fact is Mrs. Dole has no intention of granting our request to limit the hours of tandem-trailer trucks," Burns said Thursday. "But we have to go through this administrative business before we can go back to Congress and tell them they blew it" on the tandem-truck issue.

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Poll puts O'Neill 16 points ahead

HARTFORD (AP) — Gov. William A. O'Neill says he was encouraged and Republican challenger Julie D. Bolaga says she was undaunted after the latest Hartford Courant-Institute for Social Inquiry Connecticut Poll showed the Democratic incumbent with a 16-point lead over Bolaga.

Of the 567 adults polled, 47 percent said they were going to vote for O'Neill, 31 percent said they were going to vote for Bolaga, 22 percent said they would vote for a write-in candidate, and 10 percent said they would not vote.

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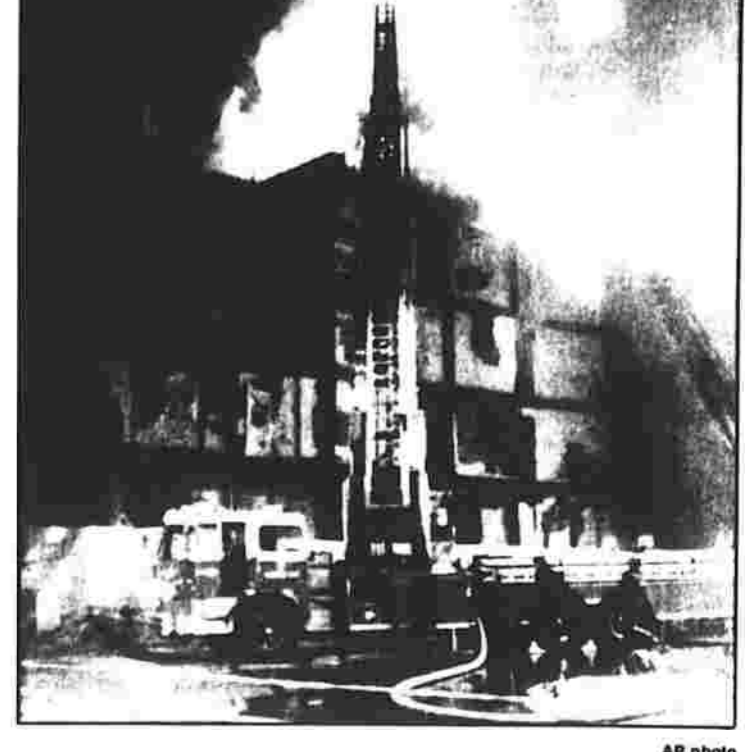
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O'Neill called the poll results "very, very encouraging." "It is indicative of what I am feeling as I go about the state of Connecticut, and the response that I am getting from the electorate as I meet them on the street corners and in factories and in stores and shops and at rallies and parties," he said.

To Bolaga, the results were "bizarre." "It doesn't jibe with anything we have seen, any of the tracking we have done, and it doesn't jibe with what the Democrats have seen either," she said.

"This race is too close to call," said Poll Director G. Donald Ferree as he name recognition increases in the stretch before the election next Tuesday.



Firefighters combat a fire that hit the top stories of the Hartford Hotel in downtown Hartford Thursday. Two people were reported injured by the blaze. The building had been partially demolished prior to the fire.

Hartford Hotel burns

HARTFORD (AP) — Authorities said they were looking for clues to the cause of a fire in the abandoned Hartford Hotel that led to the injuries of a firefighter and a man found sleeping in the building.

It took firefighters more than two hours to bring the blaze under control Thursday night. Deputy Fire Chief James Callahan said inspectors were searching through

the rubble, but he declined to comment when asked if arson was suspected.

A Hartford Hospital spokesman said the firefighter, 36-year-old John McCarthy, was treated and released while the other man, Pedro Gonzalez, was listed in stable condition. Gonzalez suffered smoke inhalation, the spokesman said.

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Candidates split on charter

The three candidates running in Manchester's 13th Assembly District have differing views on the question of whether the Town Charter should be changed to make consolidation of the town and the Eighth Utilities District possible without a separate vote within the district.

Little of the 13th Assembly District lies within the Eighth Utilities District, where opposition to the change has been strong.

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change, and the Republican Party in Manchester has taken a stand against charter revision. But Elsie Swenson, the three-term incumbent Republican running for a new term in the 13th District, said she abstained when the Republican Town Committee took its stand by voice vote at a meeting Oct. 24.

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should have been more discussion of the issues beforehand. On Wednesday night, the Democratic Town Committee, after an hour of debate, called for the removal of the Town Charter provisions giving utilities district voters the ability to veto consolidation.

While the charter changes are being pushed by the Democratic Party leadership in town, not all active party members agree with it.

John W. Thompson, the Democratic candidate in the 13th Assembly District, is one who does. He favors the charter changes but favors eliminating the district's authority over sewers. But he opposes eliminating the district's volunteer fire department.

with pro-defense forces on the Trident, the congressman has adamantly refused to vote in favor of funding for the missiles that would be carried in these submarines.

Joining Gajdenson on the dozen list were Democratic Sens. Alan Cranston of California and Patrick Leahy of Vermont; Democratic Reps. Bob Carr, Michigan; Howard Wolpe, Michigan; Tom Daschle, South Dakota; Barbara Mikulski, Maryland; Tim Wirth, Colorado; and Republican Reps. Jim Leach of Iowa and Claude Schneider of Rhode Island.

"Congressman Gajdenson deserves to be in a category by himself," said the group's president, John Fisher. "The Connecticut Democrat has been a leading anti-defense activist on the House Foreign Affairs Committee, and the only weapons system he has ever voted in favor of is the Trident submarine."

The Trident is built in Gajdenson's Congressional District, and the Electric Boat facility is the largest employer in eastern Connecticut. Ironically, while he voted

for the Trident, he also voted against it. He voted against the Trident in 1974, 1975, 1976, 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1981, 1982, 1983, 1984, 1985, and 1986.

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OPINION

Yes, reluctantly, on charter vote

Question 4 on the Manchester ballot Tuesday presents every voter with an extremely difficult choice, partly because its ultimate impact is far from clear.

Specifically, the referendum question asks whether Town Charter provisions guaranteeing the Eighth Utilities District the ability to defend a merger of its fire and sewer services with those provided by the town government should be removed. If that proposal wins the approval of voters, consolidation of one sort will be achieved. It is not certain that will be the end result.

With considerable reluctance, the Manchester Herald favors a "yes" vote on Question 4.

For decades, the Herald has supported consolidation, because only if it comes to pass will the destructive rivalry that preoccupies residents of the northern and southern sections of town draw to a close. And while the leadership in the current campaign has been anything but exemplary, key concessions have been offered by those who support the charter change.

The most important of these is the one that would preserve a volunteer fire department in the North End. If that is not adhered to and expanded upon, any final proposal for consolidation will be unacceptable.

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As things stand, one-quarter of the voters in the community hold the power to veto consolidation, no matter what the wishes of the majority. Advocates of the district cause say continuation of that power is needed to protect the right of self-determination from vendetta being conducted by the leading Democrats shaping the consolidation cause. They also say that all they really want to do is keep alive the volunteer spirit that has made their fire department one of the best in the state.

Such arguments, however, tell only half the story.

If they told the whole thing, a consolidation movement would have begun within the district itself, consisting of people seeking to keep the volunteers in the fire-protection business while shedding the district's responsibility for sewer service. The lack of such a movement can only mean that the continued existence of the Town Charter revisionists will mean the continued existence of the Eighth District as a political subdivision, admirable in many ways and despicable in a few, but divisive in all.

At the same time, consolidation proponents like those who run the Committee for Charter Revision have opted for a hostile takeover without offering a friendly merger plan. That failure has made things worse than necessary and is the prime cause for the Herald's reluctance in supporting a "yes" vote on Question 4.

But during the 1986 campaign, these same leaders have indicated for the first time that they'll be on the side of the people and stop seeking the abolition of the district volunteer organization.

That is no small matter, and it represents a welcome opening in the dark veil that has enveloped Manchester for so long.

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Because the vote Tuesday concerns only the removal of a veto power that would be used to preserve an unfortunate separation among residents of our community, it is possible to know whether the revisionists will prove as good as their word when they move on to the next step. But for that very reason, they can be held to it at the polls. If things turn badly whatever consolidation proposal they offer can be rejected, and the purveyors of untruth can be removed from positions of power.



Jack Anderson

France may be holding terror boss

WASHINGTON — France's appeasement of terrorists has taken another ugly turn. The French refuse to let Turkish counterterrorist investigators see secret French photographs of the man who has directed the slaughter of Turkish diplomats and their families.

For more than three years, Turkish intelligence officials have been pleading with the French to give them just one picture of the No. 1 Armenian terrorist, who uses the nom de guerre "Hagop Hagopian."

Since 1975, Armenian terrorists have assassinated 70 Turkish diplomats, members of their families and others who got in the line of fire: more than 300 were wounded in these attacks. Of all the world's terrorist groups, the Armenians are "probably the most impressive in terms of effectiveness," according to a former chief of the CIA's counterterrorism unit.

The deadliest of the Armenian organizations is ASALA, the Armenian Secret Army for the Liberation of Armenia. Its goal is to force the Turkish government to acknowledge what they claim was the 1915 genocide of 1.5 million Armenians by the Ottoman Turks, and to establish an independent Armenian state in eastern Turkey.

Open Forum

Eight firefighters are source of pride

This proclamation was issued in 1978. It is no less true today.

State of Connecticut
By Her Excellency Ella Grasso, Governor.
An Official Statement

The Manchester Fire Department, Eighth Utilities District, was established in 1888. Since that time, members of this outstanding organization have devoted their valuable skills and energy to protecting lives, homes and property.

The members of this excellent department deserve the highest praise for their great contributions and time-honored tradition of distinguished service to the health and welfare of our citizens.

There are currently 88 active volunteer members in the department, and 38 members are emergency medical technicians. In addition, this organization has instituted a marvelous fire prevention education program in the Manchester school system.

The people of Manchester and all the citizens of our state take great pride in these accomplishments, achievements that reflect a deep and abiding concern for humanity and community service.

In recognition of this tremendous commitment, and in tribute to the department on its 90th anniversary, I am proud to designate June 17, 1978, as Manchester Fire Department, Eighth Utilities District Day in Connecticut.

Ella Grasso, Governor

Stop Tampering with the Eighth! American Liberties

James Adams
133 N. Elm St.

The answer probably lies in the retention of a special taxing district with perpetually fixed boundaries to support the Eighth District Fire Department, and an ordinance requiring that the Buckland firehouse be shared equally. An alternative would be the creation of one tax rate and one fire commission to oversee the two departments, but how that could be equitably achieved is hard to envision.

Claim of 'Glamour' is a real put-down

It would be doing a great injustice to the emergency personnel in Manchester if someone did not write and clarify Mr. Roy Conyers' letter in the Oct. 25 edition of the Herald.

Mr. Conyers' letter stated that "The reason the Eighth District exists is for the selfish benefit of a small, specific group for the glamour and fun of riding fire trucks..." I felt that Mr. Conyers did not expound on the glamour and fun of riding fire trucks, so in all fairness I'll help him out with this letter.

Although I am not a firefighter, I am married to one so I feel qualified to explain the glamour and fun. He is right, it is pretty glamorous work. Not many people get the thrill of running into a burning building when everyone else is running out.

On top of that, think how exciting it is to work your way through a smoke- and fire-filled building looking for victims knowing that your next step could put you through the floor and in the midst of the fire. The most glamorous part of this is the thrill of getting soaked to the bone in 15 degree weather and getting the stench of smoke all over your body, not to mention the soot that the smoke brings being that you know that after fighting the fire for several hours or maybe all night, that you still get the fun of cleaning hoses and firetrucks before you go home to some warm clothes and food.

True, there is more to being a firefighter than fighting fires. Imagine how exhilarating it is to be called out to an accident where the victims are moaning and screaming and barely alive. The thrill of seeing smashes up, bleeding and frightened people is beyond comparison to any other

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Laurie Adams
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If it was an environment problem in New Fairfield or a school grant issue in Danbury, Tim was always willing to lend assistance and support. Tim is always striving for a better, more effective government.

When we re-elected Gov. Bill O'Neill and U.S. Sen. Chris Dodd, let the voters also re-elect a respected and capable Tim Moynihan to the state House.

Lawrence M. Riefberg
Danbury

Letters to the editor

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Open Forum

Insurance firms need regulation

The insurance rate rip-off artists are at it again. It is no secret that insurance rates are reaching undeserved and undesirable proportions, and are now being passed on to the consumer in a more direct manner than ever before. This is not to say that insurance companies are not providing a valuable service, but they are not doing it for the benefit of the policyholder.

Underlying this is now threatening to unravel the blanket of security covering those of us who fall into the above category. We are now witnessing retired senior citizens returning to work in large numbers in order to supplement their meager Social Security checks, which represent a drop in the bucket when health insurance is coupled with all other forms of necessary basic insurance. The enormous cost of malpractice insurance for our physicians and dentists certainly will force these healers to increase their fees to their patients without any resulting advantage or better health care to the patient.

In other words, one will get the same good care, but will receive no better care for these higher fees. This is the law of diminishing returns.

Connecticut drivers' insurance rose a whopping 10 percent in the year ending June 30, 1986, according to the state Insurance Department. This reflects a trend by insurance companies to take larger and more frequent rate increases than in past years.

Connecticut law states that personal insurance rates can not be considered excessive unless the insurance commissioner determines there is not enough competition among companies. The law also allows insurance companies to adopt new rates without prior approval from the state insurance commissioner. These laws are devised and passed by our Legislature with the help from some insurance company employees who are members of the General Assembly.

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Signs and ads fail to tell full story of charter vote

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eliminate the district's power to block consolidation because under it, only a single townwide vote would be necessary to approve a merger.
These assessments are based on the widely held assumption that it would be more difficult to persuade Eighth District residents to support a merger.

Democrats offer deal

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against eliminating the Eighth District's vote power.
Wallace Irish Jr., a leading Eighth District supporter, said the Democratic plan was a last minute attempt to confuse voters.

Consolidation methods differ

By George Lovins
Herold Reporter
Beginning the process of consolidating the Eighth District and the town of Manchester is similar under consolidation provisions in the Town Charter and the state's Home Rule Act.
Once started, though, major differences distinguish the two methods.

Obituaries

Peter Staniewicz
Calling hours for Peter Staniewicz, 67, of 22 Adams St., who died Thursday, are today from 2:00 p.m. to 9 p.m. at the John F. Tierney Funeral Home, 219 W. Center St.

In Memoriam
In loving memory of Charles E. Gill who passed away October 31st, 1985.
What would we give if we could say,
"Hello Dad," in the same old way.
To hear your voice, to see your smile.
To sit and talk with you awhile.
Though absent, you are always near.

Olivia Dione gave birth to quintuplets in 1952 at a farmhouse near Callender, Ontario.
Sady missed by,
You Loving Daugher



Edward Few, assistant director of law enforcement for the U.S. Forest Service, points to sample booty traps used by marijuana growers during a press briefing in Washington Thursday. The traps, equipped with trip wires tied to firearms, pipe bombs and hand grenades, are used by marijuana growers to protect their crops, which are being grown on national forest land.

Feds turn to high tech in war on pot growers

By Mike Robinson
The Associated Press
WASHINGTON — Agriculture Department officials, backed by tough new law enforcement powers, are vowing to wipe out thousands of tons of marijuana grown on clandestine plantations deep in the national forests.
A 500-member unit will investigate marijuana growers representing a "highly organized criminal element" and guarding their forest enclaves with snipers, attack dogs and lethal traps, officials said Thursday.

Leak hits Coventry sewer plant

By Jacqueline Bennett
Herold Correspondent

COVENTRY — About 600 gallons of water that leaked into the town sewer plant under construction along Route 31 were probably not contaminated with sewage, Town Manager Harold Hodge said Thursday.
"The leaking department has investigated the matter. We don't believe the water was contaminated with sewage," Hodge said.

Workers at the plant, part of a \$6.4 million sewer project currently under way in town, discovered odorous water pouring into the plant Oct. 23. It is uncertain where the water came from.
Officials first thought the water might have come from loosed plugs in the pipes of the holding tank at the First Congregational Church, Harold 31. However, Hodge said that possibility is unlikely. He believes it was stagnant water, accounting for the odor.

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A PRAYER TO THE HOLY SPIRIT
Holy Spirit, you who made me do everything and showed me the way to reach my ideal. You who gave me the divine gift to forgive and forget the wrong that is done to me and you, who are in full control of my life with me...

George Dunlop, the assistant secretary of agriculture for natural resources and environment, told the news conference that the growers were part of "a highly organized criminal element."
"These aren't just casual marijuana users who are back in the woods," said Dunlop, a former Marine and one-time aide to Sen. Jesus Helms, R-N.C.
Dunlop will spearhead the drive.

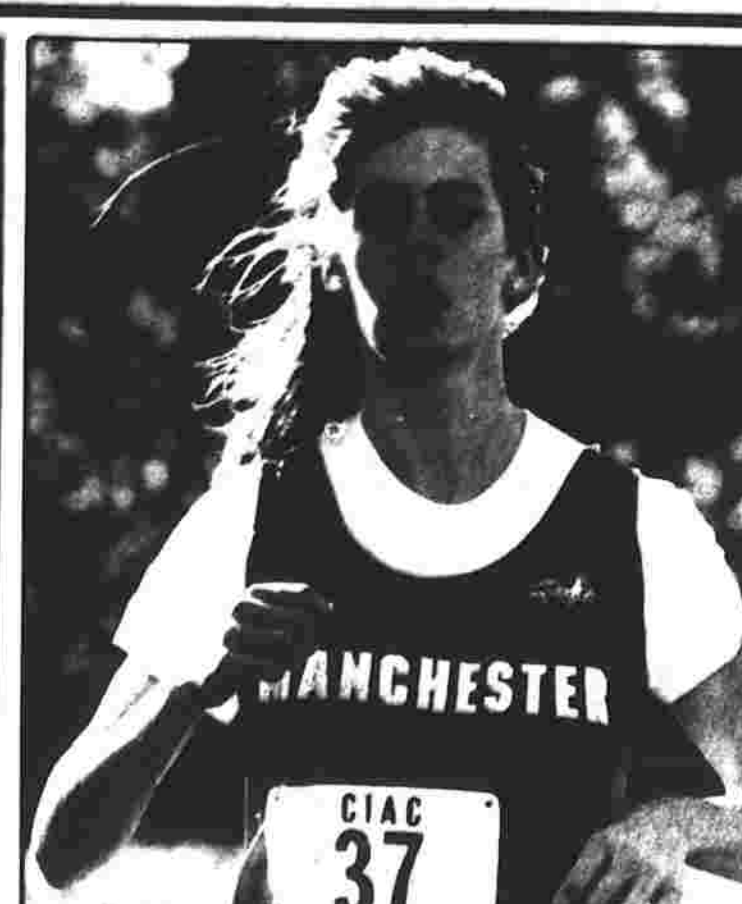
SPORTS



The girls are off and running (above) in the state Class LL championship race Thursday afternoon at Wickham Park. Kim Jarvis (right) of Manchester High took sixth place in her division and earned a trip to next Friday's State Open. The Indians, however, missed qualifying as a team.

East's reign as class champ is halted

By Jim Tierney
Herold Sports Writer
All good things must come to an end.
Unfortunately, for the East Catholic girls' cross country team, who were bidding for their seventh consecutive state class title, the Eagles' hopes were lost Thursday at Wickham Park in their main event of the state Class LL championship race.
Senior Tina Little led the Eagles contingent with a fifth-place finish in 18:08 for the 2.5 mile course. She was followed by senior Katie DeMarco in seventh position in 18:25. Senior tri-captain Jennifer Tauros came in 16th for East. Dawn McCauley and Noel Feehan both ran their best races of the year, finishing 14th and 15th, respectively. Sarah Thyer secured 22nd place and Julie Ray was 27th. Kittredge was extremely happy with the performances of her middle runners.
"Our 3-5 runners were awesome," Kittredge said. "They ran 20 seconds faster than they ever had."



Leafs' Wendel Clark combined for four goals, 10 points and a man-of-the-match award in the best of five series against the Toronto Maple Leafs to a 6-2 triumph over the Whalers Thursday night.

Leafs fall on Whale

TORONTO (AP) — As Russ Courtnall and defenseman Gary Leeman see it, the best offense is defense.
Courtnall, Leeman and left winger Wendel Clark combined for four goals, 10 points and a man-of-the-match award in the best of five series against the Toronto Maple Leafs to a 6-2 triumph over the Whalers Thursday night.

But after the victory, both Courtnall and Leeman talked about defense, which just goes to show how the two youngsters have been indoctrinated by Coach John Brophy.
"They weren't quite waving copies of Brophy's little blue and white book on dull old winning defensive hockey, but they might as well have."

NHL roundup

Broten family has a night to remember

By Barry Wilner
The Associated Press
In one night, the Broten family could rejoice and agonize.
While Aaron Broten was celebrating scoring the tying and winning goals in New Jersey's 2-0 overtime victory over the New York Islanders Thursday night, older brother Neal was suffering a dislocated shoulder in Minnesota's 3-1 loss to Detroit.
Elsewhere, it was Philadelphia 4, Quebec 3; Toronto 6, Hartford 2; and Montreal 3, Boston 3.
Aaron Broten, who scored with 74 seconds left in the third period to force the game to overtime, then won it with only 38 seconds to go in the extra period. Broten broke into the Islanders' zone on a 2-on-1 break with Pat Verbeek and just like he banked his game-winning shot off the leg of sliding Islanders defenseman Denis Potvin.

Pistons add weapons for NBA season

By Bill Bornard
The Associated Press
The Detroit Pistons, tired of chasing Milwaukee in the NBA Central Division, have some new weapons that could help them catch the Bucks this season.
"This two-year, three-year, four-year plan, this wait and see until tomorrow outlook, I'm not interested in that," Pistons guard Isiah Thomas said. "That's the way it was when I got here, and six years have gone by withing on that plan."
The Bucks, winners of six straight division titles, open the NBA season tonight at the Pontiac Silverdome against the Pistons.

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College football roundup Hurricanes look to storm to Florida state title

By Herschel Hassenon
The Associated Press

Before the No. 1-ranked Miami Hurricanes can zero in on college football's national championship, they have to win the Florida state title.

And they can do just that Saturday when they entertain No. 2 Florida State.

Miami won the national championship in 1983 after dropping its opener to Florida. But that year the Hurricanes followed what seemed to be a rule of thumb where the Associated Press poll is concerned - namely, if you're going to lose a game, lose it early. A loss probably won't cut it this time since the campaign is beginning to wind down, but barely a minute remaining in the regular season.

"Prior to the season, we thought that one of the more difficult games we would have all year long would be against Florida State, and we haven't changed our minds," Miami Coach Jimmy Johnson says.

Four other games are on tap this weekend between members of the AP's Top Twenty - sixth-ranked Washington at No. 7 Arizona State, eighth-ranked Alabama at No. 19 Mississippi State, No. 10 Ohio State at No. 11 Iowa and No. 18 Southern Cal at No. 14 Arizona in a night contest.

Meanwhile, second-ranked Penn State visits West Virginia for a night game, third-ranked Michi-

gan entertains Illinois, No. 4 Oklahoma is at Kansas, No. 5 Auburn at Florida, Kansas State at No. 9 Nebraska and No. 10 Texas A&M at Southern Methodist.

In the Second Team, Mississippi is at 12th-ranked LSU. Rice is at No. 13 Arkansas. No. 15 UCLA meets Oregon State in Portland and South Carolina is at No. 16 North Carolina State.

After a 1-21 start, which included road losses to Nebraska and Michigan, Florida State has won its last three games by lopsided scores against Tulane, Wichita State and Louisville.

"They have a tremendous amount of depth, a luxury that we don't have," says Johnson, whose Hurricanes have had weak weeks off and recover from a slew of injuries.

"Having Mark Richt (a former Miami quarterback) as their quarterback coach, they know our team and are able to play our offense as well as anybody we play."

"Also, they are passing offense," he says. "They are passing offense. They are passing offense. They are passing offense."

after the Alabama victory that "I thought our team played well in just about every facet of the game. We threw the ball really well ... our backs ran awfully tough ... our offensive line did a super job, probably the best game they've played in a couple of years ... the defense played a great game," he later decided that "there were a lot of things that we did not do as well as I think we can."

"I think the old saying 'You're never as good as you think you are when you win' probably holds true for this particular game."

UConn shoots for winning season

STORRS - Looking to assure its first winning season since 1986, the University of Connecticut hosts Boston University in Yankee Conference gridiron action Saturday at 1 p.m. at Memorial Stadium.

Freshman tailback George Boothe returned a kickoff a school record 92 yards against Maine. Boothe, however, is still only listed as the No. 3 tailback behind sophomore Jeff Gallaher and senior Marc Mofswortz. Gallaher has rushed for 482 yards on 114 carries, a 4.2 average, to lead UConn's ground game. Mofswortz has rushed for 911 yards this year, more than it did in all of '85 during a nine-game schedule.

Freshman quarterback Peter Lane, who has been sharp the last two outings, has completed 53.3 percent of his passes with 15 touchdowns in 10 games. Lane has a 6.2 average, to lead UConn's aerial game. He is also fourth all-time in pass attempts (491) and

touchdowns (10). Lane is also No. 4 in career total offense with 2,088 yards.

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SCOREBOARD

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Wales Conference

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Philadelphia	4	1	1	22	20
Pittsburgh	3	2	1	16	24
New Jersey	2	2	1	11	17
Washington	1	1	1	11	25
NY Islanders	2	2	1	11	25
NY Rangers	2	2	1	9	27

NHL standings

Team	W	L	T	GF	GA
Philadelphia	8	3	1	40	37
Pittsburgh	6	3	1	35	44
New Jersey	6	3	1	32	41
Washington	4	3	1	24	47
NY Islanders	4	4	1	28	47
NY Rangers	3	4	1	27	47

SPORTSCARD

Ben Crenshaw, 66, def. Fred Couples, 6-1 (1-5).
Hubert Green, 66, def. Mike Hulbert, 6-1 (1-5).
Sergei Belousov, 66, def. John Holman, 6-1 (1-5).

Tommy Lasorda, 70, def. Alvin Sullivan, 7-0 (1-6).
Marty Matsuda, 64, def. Tom Sisk, 7-0 (1-6).

Debra Davis, 66, def. Mike Sullivan, 7-0 (1-6).
Tom Simpson, 67, def. Tony Sisk, 7-0 (1-6).

Phil Blackman, 66, def. Willie Wood, 6-1 (1-5).
David Bruns, 66, def. David Frost, 6-1 (1-5).
Steve Fretts, 66, def. Greg Stedler, 6-1 (1-5).

Mac O'Grady, 66, def. Ernie Gonzalez, 6-1 (1-5).

Tom Purser, 66, def. Bob Clomph, 6-1 (1-5).
Howard Twitty, 66, def. Bob Murphy, 6-1 (1-5).
David Love III, 66, def. John Cook, 6-1 (1-5).

Baseball

Eastern Conference

Team	W	L	T	GF	GA
Baltimore	12	7	1	72	62
Boston	11	8	1	68	65
New York	10	9	1	65	68
Philadelphia	9	10	1	60	70
Washington	8	11	1	58	72

Baseball

Western Conference

Team	W	L	T	GF	GA
Los Angeles	12	6	2	70	58
Oakland	11	7	2	65	60
San Diego	10	8	2	62	63
Seattle	9	9	2	58	65
San Francisco	8	10	2	55	68

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Scholastic roundup

Scoreless tie gives East soccer tourney berth

Needing either a victory or tie to qualify for post-season play, East Catholic's soccer team got the latter with a 0-0 stalemate with West Catholic at the Connecticut Conference action Thursday at Eagle Field.

The deadlock leaves East with a final 7-3 mark and a berth in the state Class L Tournament next week. Tournament rankings and pairings will be announced Saturday morning at CIAA headquarters in Housatonic. This is the eighth straight year Coach Tom Malin has guided the Eagles into post-season play.

The results also will appear in post-season play, finishing at 8-3. "Both teams had several scoring chances but no one could come up with a goal," Malin said. He noted that a goal by Sean Powers was waived off by an offside call.

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Girls Soccer

COVENTRY - Forced to shake up his lineup due to an injury to starting goalie Anna Werfel, Coventry coach Paul Lombardo was worried about how his Patriots would react if he found out Thursday as they beat Woodstock Academy, 5-2, in their regular season finale.

Werfel suffered a broken nose two games ago. "She's out for the week," said Lombardo, noting Werfel was to undergo an operation today for the broken nose. "I forced him to make a wholesale lineup change. "We had to try to win the game with a try," he said. Monica Hodina, who has scored 10 goals, won the goalie slot. "She's

Each game critical to MHS gridders

With three conference games remaining for the Manchester High football team, every game is almost a must win if the Indians are to contend for the Central Connecticut Conference East Division championship. Manchester is currently tied with South Windford with a 3-1 CCC East record and 4-3 overall. The Indians finished last Saturday at 1:30 p.m. in Enfield. Fermi is 2-2 in the CCC East and 3-1 overall.

Manchester will again be without the services of senior co-captain Dwayne Albert at running back, still recuperating from a mild case of mononucleosis. Albert is expected to return for the Indians' game next week at home against East Hartford.



Manchester's Ron Smith (48) returns an interception in last weekend's action against Windham at Memorial Field. The Indians won, 14-8, to move back atop the CCC East standings. Manchester visits Fermi High Saturday at 1:30 p.m. in Enfield.

Manly takes IBF boxing crown

HARTFORD (AP) - Joe Louis Manly knocked out defending champion Gary Hinton at 2:14 of the 10th round Thursday night to win the International Boxing Federation Junior welterweight title. The knockdown was the second of the fight for Manly, who also dropped Hinton at 1:15 of the second round. Manly, 139-1, from Atlantic City, N.J., is now 28-1. Manly's one draw came on Aug. 23, 1985, against Hinton when he was the United States Boxing Association champion. Hinton, 195, of Philadelphia, is now 25-1-1.

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NFL has mouth-watering matchups on Sunday

By Barry Wilner
The Associated Press

The NFL heads into the second half of the season with a delicious treat — six games featuring confrontations between the league's elite.

Only four of the NFL's 16 teams will win records face losers this weekend. The three clubs with 7-1 records, best in the league, play tough opposition, and there are two critical divisional meetings. Denver, the New York Jets and the defending champion Chicago Bears are the 7-1 outfit. The Broncos in Los Angeles Sunday play the Raiders, who have won five straight. The Jets travel to Seattle, where they have never won, and the Bears are at home Monday night against the Rams, 6-2, in a battle of divisional leaders. While Denver and the Raiders dual in the AFC West, the Bears and the Redskins meet in the NFC East. Both the Cowboys and Giants are 6-2, tied with Washington, which

also has a difficult chore against Minnesota, 5-3.

Atlanta, tied for second with San Francisco in the NFC West, is at AFC East runner-up New England in another matchup of winning teams. The Oilers are at New Orleans, 5-3.

Like San Francisco, successful NFL teams who oppose losers this Sunday are Cleveland, 5-3, which hosts wireless Indianapolis; Cincinnati — also 5-3 and tied with the Browns for first place in the AFC Central — which travels to Detroit; and Kansas City, 5-3, which is at San Diego, where Al Saunders debuts as head coach of the Chargers. In games involving teams with losing records, Buffalo is at Tampa Bay; Philadelphia visits St. Louis; Houston goes to Miami; and Green Bay is at Pittsburgh. The Raiders and Jets are the league's hottest teams, with five-and-six-game winning streaks, respectively. For Los Angeles, a victory would tighten the AFC

West considerably, but a Denver victory, combined with a Jets' victory in Seattle, could blow apart the divisional race.

"To say this is a big ballgame is an understatement," Denver Coach Dan Reeves said. "The Raiders can't afford to drop three games behind at this stage."

The Broncos beat the Raiders 38-30 in the season opener and the series between the bitter rivals has not resulted in a split in six years.

After a 6-0 start, the Broncos were beaten soundly by the Jets and played sporadically in losing Seattle last week. The Raiders, meanwhile, dropped their first three to Washington and the Giants after losing in Denver before receding off the five straight victories.

The Jets haven't been beaten since Week 2, but they are a lobbied bunch heading into the Monday night game — this time, a rematch of the 1985 NFC championship.

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Steve Grogan has been a valuable asset to the New England Patriots this year, either on the field or along the sidelines calling the plays for No. 1 QB Tony Eason.

FOCUS/Weekend



Richard Harris commands a powerful stage presence as King Arthur in "Camelot," now playing at Bushnell Memorial Hall in Hartford.

'Camelot' loses magic in this speedy version



Center Stage
Susan Vaughn

In Scene 1 of "Camelot," the legendary King Arthur is anxiously awaiting the arrival of his bride-to-be, Guenevere. One expects a slow buildup of the tension both Arthur and Guenevere are feeling in anticipation of this marriage of convenience.

But in the "Camelot" presented at Bushnell Memorial Hall Wednesday night, the mood of anticipation was lost, as Richard Harris, a veteran in the role of King Arthur, presented his opening lines too quickly.

As soon as Guenevere, played by Martha Travers, appeared on stage, the pace picked up even more and the orchestra seemed to be racing to keep up with her. Before the audience could blink, three of the best songs of the 1960s Broadway hit were over. Those were the title duet between Arthur and Guenevere, "The Simple Joys of Maidenhood," Guenevere's solo and Arthur's "I Wonder What the King is Doing Tonight."

This breakneck opening was a major disappointment to a longtime Camelot devotee who came to see or each lingering moment of this mystical musical, and particularly Richard Harris in the lead role for which he is so well suited.

Harris was not a disappointment, except for the evidence that he is aging like the rest of us who have stuck with Camelot since the early '60s. His thinning, unkempt hair looked like an ill-fitted wig. But Harris still commanded a stage presence befitting a king, particularly in his solo moments as he pondered his failing dream of the Round Table and failing marriage resulting from the unfaithfulness of his wife and favorite knight, Lancelot.

powerful bass-baritone voice, although a mannerism of moving his fingers continually through a song was distracting.

The real delight of the show was James Valentine, who doubled as the magical Merlin and as the old, confused King Pellinore. His movements and lines provided much more comic relief than can be remembered of other versions of "Camelot." The audience clearly loved him — he drew almost as much applause as Harris at the show's conclusion.

Close up, the sets probably looked like the papier mache steps and gauze trees that they were, but the effect from the mezzanine was, at times, very beautiful, depending on the lighting. The sets worked especially well for the mystical scenes in Arthur's magical forest with Merlin and the nymphs.

Harris' staging of this "Camelot" achieved a streamlining of what could be a ponderous production, but sometimes to a fault, as there was no time between scenes to savor the moment of one before the next rolled in.

The medieval costumes were adequate, but not spectacular. There were no standouts in the chorus, but the men were powerful in their knightly numbers, like the rousing "Fie On Goodness."

Scary movies continue to haunt Hollywood

By Bob Thomas
The Associated Press

HOLLYWOOD — A pale, wraith-like figure slithers from a mausoleum, blood dribbling from his rancid mouth. He swings a musty cape around his body, slowly turns to the camera and hisses.

Dracula's fangs are un-sheathed and audiences love it to the very depths of their screaming souls.

While other movies may bomb at the box office, the horror film has been grossing its way to success ever since Frankenstein's monster was first jolted to life by Thomas A. Edison in 1903.

This season is no exception, with such Halloween treats as "Deadly Friend," "Chopping Mail" and "Dead of Winter."

ready to scare the popcorn out of audiences from Amityville to Elm Street.

Warner Bros. got a jump on the Halloween market with the Oct. 10 release of "Deadly Friend," directed by Wes Craven ("Nightmare on Elm Street"). In its first weekend, the thriller sold an impressive \$3.8 million worth of tickets.

What is the horror film's deep, dark secret? They're cheap to make and require no stars or lavish production, only clever direction and photography to create the illusion of menace.

BUT MOST OF ALL, they have to be scary, said Steve White, president of production for New World Pictures, a major producer of terror. "Sometimes you can add a little humor, but the important thing is the chill factor. The audience must see something on the screen they would never want to meet in real life."

Among New World's current offerings are: "Hell Raiser," about a science fiction writer who encounters an evil presence in a London house; "Creepshow II," more chilling tales from George Romero and Stephen King; "Return to Horror High," some nasty happenings at a high school; and "Flowers in the Attic," about three children locked in an attic by their widowed mother.

"There is a universal quality in the appeal of these movies," White said. "They touch upon parts of our nightmares, which are elements of our collective unconscious. The main thing the films need is a terrific villain, whether it's Jason in the "Friday the 13th" series or Arnold Schwarzenegger in "The Terminator." He must be relentless and unstoppable."

Craven says the largest audience for fright fare is "young, especially around colleges and with the dating crowd. When the movie gets scary, the girls grab the guys, and the guys like that."

CHARLES MARTIN SMITH, the nerd of "American



Actor Bela Lugosi poses in character for the 1931 movie "Dracula." With the hits "Dracula" and "Frankenstein" in 1932, Universal Studios

Graffiti," makes his directorial debut in "Trick or Treat," this season's screamer from the De Laurentiis Entertainment Group. The film concerns a dead rock star who returns to terrorize a high school and town.

"The House of Wax." From the earliest years of flickers, producers realized the movie's unique capacity for scaring people. People screamed when a desperado fired a gun directly at the audience in the first important story film, "The Great Train Robbery," in 1903.

THE DRACULA LEGEND was first explored in the German-made "Nosferatu" in

Man" (1933), "Werewolf of London" (1935) and "The Wolf Man" (1941).

Other studios made occasional horror films: from RKO, "King Kong," "She," "The Cat People," "I Walked With a Zombie"; from Paramount, "Island of Lost Souls," "Dr. Cyclops," plus scary comedies with Bob Hope, and from Warner Bros., "Dr. X" and "Mystery at the Wax Museum."

The S-D create of the 1950s was ideal for frightening audiences, resulting in such movies as "The House of Wax."

Even Alfred Hitchcock deserted his suspense genre for an excursion into horror with "Psycho," which left hearts in mouths with its surprise shocks. The film demonstrated that horror could mean big box office, as did William Friedkin's "The Exorcist," which became the biggest all-time grosser in 1973.

IT IS PRIMARILY the young who flock to fright films.

"They enjoy the reassurance of watching something horrible happen to someone else and not themselves," said child psychiatrist Laura Terr of the University of California, San Francisco.

Some young moviegoers suffer ill effects, though. "I've had a number of patients who have had three, four or five nightmares after seeing scary movies," she said. "Others have real fears and become paranoid, thinking that they are being followed. And there are the crazy, neurotic, mixed-up kids."

Meanwhile, Hollywood plans to keep those nightmares coming: MGM-UA is releasing "Dead of Winter," about an actress who takes a role with deadly consequences; Samuel Goldwyn plans "Witchboard," which has the ominous ad line, "Seduction. Entrapment. Possession. Don't play it alone." Roger Corman's New Horizons also has a scary slate: "Monks of Blood," and "The Demon of Paradise."



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Pick a craft fair

Make the rounds this weekend of several area fairs for handmade treasures for Christmas presents or for yourself. There will be plenty of variety and admission to most fairs will be free.

Manchester Senior Citizens' Center Holiday Fair will have woodcrafts, knits, ceramics, flower arrangements and baked goods Saturday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the center, 649 E. Middle Turnpike.

Also on Saturday the Village of Charn Craft Show will have professional craftsmen and a raffia of a hand-made stenciled quilt from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Second Congregational Church, 383 N. Main St. Admission is \$1. Lunch will be sold.

The Second Annual Teddy Bear Celebration and Country Potpourri Craft Fair will be Saturday from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at St. James School, 73 Park St. Registration for the teddy bear contest will be from 10 a.m. to noon. There will be raffles, movies, children's games, food and 30 professional craftsmen. Those who bring their article may receive a 50-cent discount on food purchases.

Teddies are popular all year. The Bolton Congregational Church will have its Christmas Bear Fair Saturday from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the church, 228 Bolton Center Road. There will be crafts, baked goods, candy, toys, games and teddies for sale. For lunch have chicken yumyum and apple brown teddy for 30 p.m. to 3 p.m. Lunch tickets will be \$5.50, general admission; \$4.50, senior citizens; and \$3.50, children.

Frat & Whitney Aircraft Club will have its 8th annual Handcraft Show and Sale Saturday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the club auditorium, 200 Clement Road, East Hartford. The 50 exhibitors will have a variety of craft items such as stuffed animals, jewelry, carvings and Christmas decorations.

The Teak with Ladies Guild of St. Isaac Jogues Church, East Hartford, will have its annual Craft Fair Sunday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at East Catholic High School. Besides professional craftsmen, there will be a tea-cup auction, a baked goods tables and a raffie. Refreshments will be sold.

Run for Lutz

Run the three-mile course starting and beginning at the end of the parking lot of Globe Hollow Pool Sunday at 10 a.m. Participants may register from 8:30 to 9:30 a.m. at the lot. A \$5 entry fee will be charged.

Haunts out tonight

Let the children get a little scared by Halloween ghosts and other spooky creatures at the Mahoney Recreation Center, 110 Cedar St., or at 105 Notch Road, Bolton.

The town Recreation Department's party is tonight from 6:30 to 8. There will be a 50-cent charge for the haunted house. The children will enjoy the games, a parade and contest prizes.

Members of the Manchester Jaycees and the Bolton Volunteer Fire Department will be in costume for a haunted house tonight from 7 to 10 in a former firehouse in Bolton. The fee will be 99 cents for adults, 50 cents for children 5 to 12 and free for children 5 and under.

About Town

SAT tests Saturday morning

Students who plan to take the Scholastic Aptitude Test or Achievement Test on Saturday at Manchester High school must present positive identification such as a photo identification, driver's license or recent passport.

Doors will open at 7:50 a.m. No one will be admitted after 8:30. Students should bring their ticket of admission and two Number 2 pencils in addition to the proper identification. Parking will be in the student parking lot off Brookfield Street. Students should enter the building through the cafeteria lobby adjacent to the parking lot.

Sunset Club has center session

The Sunset Club will meet Tuesday at 1 p.m. downstairs at the Manchester Senior Citizens' Center to plan a Christmas dinner.

Cinema

HARTFORD
CINEMA CITY — Peggy Sue Got Married (PG-13) Fri 7:30, Sat 7:30, Sun 1:30, 4:10, 7:20 — The Lightning (PG-13) Fri 7:10, 9:10, Sat 7:10, 9:10, Sun 1:10, 3:10, 5:10, 7:10, 9:10 — Turtle Diary (PG) Fri 7:30, 9:30, Sat 7:30, 9:30, Sun 1:30, 4:30, 7:30, 9:30 — Megalice (R) Fri 7:30, 9:30, Sat 7:30, 9:30, Sun 1:30, 4:30, 7:30, 9:30

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SHOWCASE CINEMAS
E. HARTFORD — Blue Velvet (R) 1:15, 7:15, 11:15
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MANCHESTER
MA — The Untouchables (PG-13) 4:15, 8:15, 12:15
 Blue Velvet (R) 1:15, 7:15, 11:15

CROCCHIO DUNDIS
 Crocodile Dundes (PG-13) Fri 7:10, 9:10, Sat Sun 1:10, 3:10, 5:10, 7:10, 9:10
Sue Got Married (PG-13) Fri 7:30, 9:30, Sat Sun 1:15, 3:15, 5:15, 7:15, 9:15

WINDSOR
 Movie II (G) Sat and Sun 1:15, 3:15, 5:15, 7:15, 9:15

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Through icy crags

Ever considered a trip to Alaska? You can have a taste of that northern destination on Sunday at 2 p.m., as Dr. Robert Thorson, associate professor of geology at the University of Connecticut, presents a talk called "Exploring Alaska's Ice Age Past." He will appear at the Science Museum of Connecticut, 550 Trout Brook Drive, West Hartford. Thorson's talk will be informal, and afford time for questions and answers. It is free with museum admission, which is \$3.50 for adults.

Dance the night away

Longing for one last chance to show off your costume? Then go to the annual Halloween Dinner-Dance sponsored by V.F.W. Post 2645, 606 E. Center St. A buffet dinner, to be served at 7:30, is included in the cost, which is \$7.50 per person. The New Sharpshooters Band will play from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.

A ghostly affair

Ed and Lorraine Warren, self-described ghost hunters who have investigated more than 3,000 hauntings, will speak at Southern Connecticut State University on Saturday at 8 p.m. The lecture will be in the Lyman Center for the Performing Arts at 8 p.m. The Warrens will present slides and tape recordings from some of the haunted buildings they have visited recently. Tickets are \$4 each. For information and directions, call 397-4435.

Just a blow hard

A craftsman puts the finishing touches on traditional pair of bellows to be sold at the annual Fair of Traditional Crafts this weekend at Old Sturbridge Village in Sturbridge, Mass. More than 40 artisans will be making and selling silhouettes, scrimshaw, hand-dipped beeswax candles, carved decoys and many other items. The fair is in the Museum Education Building from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. Admission is \$2.50 for adults and \$1.25 for children ages 6 to 15.

Stars form an island

"This Island Universe," a planetarium presentation, will be shown each Friday and Saturday evening in November at the Copernican Planetarium and Space Science Center, Central Connecticut State University, Wells Street, New Britain. The shows begin at 8:30 p.m., and cost \$2.50 for adults and \$1.50 for children under 12.

Spare parts show

Ever seen a water pitcher with teeth? How about a jewelry box with shapely legs? Want a ceramic tissue box with a bulbous nose and protruding lips? These items, and dozens more, will be on display at Body Parts, a craft exhibit that opens Sunday at the Down on the Farm gallery in Moodus. The show features the work of 15 professional artisans who use the human form as a motif. Manchester artist Bruce Laughlin is represented, with his fused-glass bow ties. The show will hang through Jan. 4. It is open from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., Tuesday through Sunday.

Getting ready for winter

Take a walk through the Goodwin State Forest to see how Mother Nature prepares for winter. Adults may wish to bring a poem to share or a favorite quotation. The walk will leave from the Conservation Center, just off Route 6 in Hampton, 10 miles east of Willimantic, at 1 p.m. Sunday.

Heart and sole

A new multi-media work entitled "Heart Compartment and Magnetic Sole Shoes" will be presented this weekend by Works, a contemporary dance group based in Hartford. It is a funky performance which incorporates dance, music, video and sculpture, to be presented Saturday at 8 p.m., and Sunday at 7:30 p.m., at the Greater Hartford Jewish Community Center, 335 Bloomfield Ave., West Hartford. General admission is \$8, the student and senior citizen rate is \$6. There will be three other works on the program that evening.

Mary goes 'round again

Folk singer Mary Travers, who has performed for 20 years with Peter, Paul and Mary, will present a benefit concert tonight at 8 p.m. at the Roberts Theater, Kingswood-Oxford School, Trout Brook Drive, West Hartford. "An Evening with Mary Travers" will benefit the work of Peace Education Inc., and the American Friends Service Committee. Travers, a member of the advisory board of the Connecticut Freeze Campaign, is donating her time. General admission tickets are \$10.

Pointers

Polly Fisher

DEAR POLLY — I do a lot of sewing. When I use a knit material or any other stretch material, I use up leftovers by cutting strips about one and one-half inches wide. I save these strips to tie up plants in the garden. This is so much better than string or twine, because of the stretch in the material (it doesn't damage the stems of the plants). It's cheaper than buying plant ties. I roll them into a ball, to be used when needed.

Post holds dance Saturday

American Legion, Dilworth-Cornell-Quey Post 102, will hold a free Halloween dance Saturday at 9 p.m. at the post home, 20 American Legion Drive.

Health group seeks craftsmen

The Inter-Community Mental Health Group Social Club is seeking craft exhibitors of the Mental Health Craft Expo Nov. 8 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Glastonbury Community Center. Exhibitors should contact the group at Welles-Chapman Tavern, 2406 Main St., Glastonbury, 633-2832.

MCC teaches assertiveness

Marge Scholtzky, counselor with Catholic Family Services in Hartford, will give a two-session assertiveness class Wednesday and Nov. 12 from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. at the Women's Center in the Lowe Building of Manchester Community Center. She will discuss the difference between assertion and aggression and how to gain more control in day-to-day situations.

WATER meet Tuesday

Manchester WATERS will meet Tuesday at 7:15 p.m. for a business meeting at 72 E. Center St. Members may be weighed from 6:15 to 7:15 p.m. Plans for the rest of November, all to be held at the same address, include: the annual fair Nov. 8 from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.; a soup and salad supper, Nov. 11, 7:15 p.m.; and a business meeting with a program to be announced, Nov. 18, 7:15 p.m. There will be no meeting Nov. 25 because of the Thanksgiving holiday later that week.

Craft fair in Coventry

COVENTRY — The Coventry Volunteer Fire Association Auxiliary will sponsor its annual craft fair Saturday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at South Coventry Firehouse.

Man gets 27 years for capsule tampering

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) — A judge dismissed a California man's plea for mercy and sentenced him to 27 years in prison for poisoning over-the-counter drugs in hopes of profiting from a plunge in the manufacturer's stock price.

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Edwards Marks, 25, had pleaded guilty Aug. 28 to nine counts of putting the poison in Contac, Deltac and Teldrin medications produced by SmithKline Beckman Corp. of Philadelphia.

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"I couldn't realize the heugeness of what this was going to come to," he told U.S. District Judge Patricia Fawcett on Thursday. "I am very, very sorry for what I did."

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"I'm a good person. I can still produce in society. OK, I need more incarceration, but I need you to see me as a real person with a real life standing here in front of you," Marks said.

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"I know I've been portrayed as a son man, a smooth talker, but the time for that is past."

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"Through your utter disregard you have had a tremendous impact on consumer confidence in medications," she said. "You and you alone are responsible for your actions."

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Marks, the first person charged in a national tampering case, was arrested May 30 in Los Angeles. He admitted he bought the capsules last March in California, opened them in his Temple City, Calif., home and laced them with rat poison, then brought them to Orlando and planted them in four stores.

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He admitted to anonymously calling police and news organiza-

Advice

Woman who lends an ear gets burned

DEAR ABBY: I felt sorry for my neighbor, so I lent her my telephone when hers was "out of order." She would come over here as early as 7 a.m. and stay here until 10:30 p.m. and talk sometimes for an hour or more.

She had no consideration for my rest and privacy. I have a 3-year-old child and an expecting again in two months.

I finally got fed up with her coming over here at all hours to talk on my phone so I made excuses, lied and finally refused to let her in my house. I thought my excuses were over. I was wrong.

I just got my phone bill and found out that the telephone calls she made on my phone were all long distance. Her phone wasn't out of order; the telephone company disconnected it because she failed to pay her bill.

Now I am stuck for over 200 — an expensive lesson for a woman in my circumstances. Although I could take legal action against her, she's living on welfare and has nothing.

Please warn your readers, Abby. I wish somebody had warned me. SOFT TOUCH

DEAR SOFT: Thanks for the message. Readers, if your neighbor wants to reach out and touch someone, make sure it isn't you.

DEAR ABBY: I have a suggestion for people who loan money to others and never get it back. Send them this poem:

I think that I shall never see
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Dear Abby

Abigail Van Buren

DEAR HAROLD: Thanks for the witty ditty. I'll bet a lot of folks who have been clipped will be clipping this one.

DEAR ABBY: A number of years ago Life Magazine had a story about a decapitated rooster (chicken) that lived a number of days after being decapitated, delaying a Sunday dinner that had been planned by the person who decapitated it. To everyone's amazement, the rooster lived for two days with its head chopped off.

I read this in a doctor's waiting room in the early '80s. I have repeated this story to several people, and the way they looked at each other, I am sure they thought I was nuts or the world's biggest storyteller.

How can I get a copy of this

to get Abby's booklet, "How to Write Letters for All Occasions," send a check or money order for \$2.50 and a long, stamped (39 cents), self-addressed envelope to: Dear Abby, Letter Booklet, P.O. Box 28923, Hollywood, Calif. 90238.

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First family 'lucky'

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Nancy Reagan told talk show host Joan Rivers that while she is sure her children tried marijuana, she considers the first family lucky compared with those who suffer the effects of drug abuse.

Mrs. Reagan, appearing on "The Late Show" Thursday night, also said that when she proposed anti-drug efforts to help young people during the 1980s, "nobody wanted me to do it."

Rivers asked Mrs. Reagan about her own children and drugs. "I'm sure they tried marijuana. But we were lucky," Mrs. Reagan said. She has said previously that her children tried marijuana when they were in college.

President and Mrs. Reagan have two children, Patti and Ron. Reagan also has two children, Michael and Mitchel, from his first marriage to actress Jane Wyman.

DEAR NEEDS: Life Magazine ceased publication in 1972, but if anyone out there can provide me with any information on the decapitated rooster, it will be something to crow about.

CONFIDENTIAL TO D.E.K.: When a man says he doesn't want to get married, believe him. If you should finally "win" him in the end, what will you have? A man who didn't want to get married the first place. So don't be surprised if he's slightly selfish, headstrong, and not as committed to marriage as you are.

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DEAR READER: I think that one or more of your medicines may be the cause of your rash. Ask for a dermatologist's opinion.

DEAR POLLY — When I receive packages from out of town, they often are cushioned inside with plastic foam "peanuts." Did you ever think of dying them different colors and stringing them like popcorn for your Christmas tree? They make a pretty decoration, besides being cheap. The kids can help make these ropes for their next tree.

Polly will send you a Polly Dollar (\$) if she uses your favorite Pointer. Favee or Problem in her column Write Polly's Pointers in care of the Manchester Herald.

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ALLEY OOP by Dave Graue



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Bridge

Bridge section with a table of numbers and text.

It's the bottom line that counts

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Cottage crafts for sale. Bernice Miller of 54 Leland Drive gets ready for the Great Smoky Mountains Craft Sale Saturday from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Edward Weiss, 323 Spring St.

VOTE YES! Question #6. Renew Renovate Repair. Slogan for a political campaign.

Puzzles

ACROSS 4 Lack of clothes... 1 Charlie... 5 Tropical product... 2 Actor Brynner... 3 On the contrary... 12 Hawaiian island... 13 Cry of pain... 14 Go astray... 15 Wearing on clothes... 16 Hint... 17 Self... 18 Colorless... 20 Partial... 22 Soft metal... 23 Canine cry... 24 Egyptian paper... 25 Plant part... 32 Flightless bird... 33 Ear lobe... 34 Consume... 35 Organ for hearing... 37 Ideal... 38 Tramp... 39 Illuminated... 40 District... 42 Pig... 44 Center (pref.)... 47 French yew... 48 Sealed product... 51 Jelly base... 52 Proposal... 56 Arabian judge... 58 Not functioning properly (comp. wd. 4)... 59 Actress Balin... 60 Inter... 61 Household appliance... 62 Cloud region... 63 Comedian... 64 Wax... DOWN 1 Actress... 2 Large room... 3 British king... Answer to Previous Puzzle: PVAL JOLITE CRANE TRADER OAST ASININE PATIENT ALEO TIE R ALIEN F W O TIR CLON M I S NOV GRACES IODINE OUT CHEF THIN EMU F E B SEEN BROS P E M I D A G E S S Y O T T E R N I M O V A S S E R T C R E W 43 Outdoor feast... 44 South American... 45 Distributed... 46 Distributed... 47 Winding bird... 48 Beryllium sound... 50 Normandy invasion day... 51 Comp. wd... 52 Ripped... 53 Compass... 54 Not any... 55 Across (pref.)... CAPRICORN (Oct. 22-Jan. 19) If you've been feeling that your friends have been taking you for granted lately, this is all about to change... AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Challenges that you thought were too tough to tackle will no longer appear so intimidating... PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Today marks the beginning of a very hopeful period for you... ARIES (March 21-April 19) Something advantageous is developing today... GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You may soon become involved in a sideline that has profitable possibilities... CANCER (June 21-July 22) There is a strong chance that you might begin to do some of the basic spade work today... LEBU (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) As of today, you are entering a new, favorable financial cycle... TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Someone whose cooperation you need still hasn't decided whether to step into the breach... VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Plans that you formulate today have excellent possibilities of coming out the way you envision them... LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) As of today, you are entering a new, favorable financial cycle... CELEBRITY CIPHER: VVDWM ECMN PWBGMW PMWQNSGVJ... BS KCL RGDW JC ECMN PWBGMW PMWQNSGVJ, HWJ KCLM PMWQNSGVJ... BBNVJY - UCVR PBTVBHY...

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Leading indicators show steady economic growth

By Martin Crutinger
The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The government's main gauge of future economic activity rose 0.4 percent in September as various business barometers continued to signal steady, if unspectacular, economic growth.

The rise in the Commerce Department's Index of Leading Indicators followed a 0.1 percent August decline and a 1 percent July increase.

Today's report on the leading index is the last major economic statistic to be released before the Nov. 4 congressional election, a campaign in which both Republicans and Democrats have tried to make the economy an issue.

President Reagan, campaigning to keep Republican control of the Senate, has maintained that the country is enjoying unprecedented prosperity as the recovery nears its fifth year.

But Democrats complain that not all of the country is reaping the benefits of the recovery, charging that farmers, factory workers and oil-field workers are suffering depression conditions.

"The increase in the index was in line with what many economists had been expecting, a gain but not so strong a one as to signal that the economy is about to enter a period of rapid growth."

In the last five months, the index has fallen three times. It has risen just 5.6 percent in the last year. By comparison, when the recovery was beginning in 1983, the index climbed 16.4 percent.

"The leading index has been performing pretty sluggishly and that is a good picture of what the economy has been doing," said David Wyss, chief financial economist for Data Resources Inc.

The economy, as measured by the gross national product, has grown at an annual rate of around 2.5 percent for the last two years as a huge trade deficit has weakened demand for domestic products.

On Thursday, the government reported that the trade deficit dipped to \$12.6 billion in September, its best showing in five months. The decline was cited by the Reagan administration and many private economists as evidence of a turning point for one of the nation's top economic problems.

From July through September, the economy, as measured by the GNP, grew at an annual rate of 2.4 percent, far below the 4 percent growth rate being forecast by the administration.

Many analysts believe economic growth will remain below 3 percent through 1987, even if the trade deficit, which hit a five-month low in September, improves further. They contend that this improvement would be offset by slower growth in consumer demand.

The rise in the September leading index came from strength in seven of 11 indicators.

Three of the components held the index back. The biggest negative factor was the sharp decline in stock market prices that occurred in September.

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U.S./World In Brief

Laos president resigns due to health

BANGKOK, Thailand — Souphanouvong, the "Red Prince" former guerrilla fighter who renounced his royal title and has been Laos' president since the country adopted Communism, has resigned, Laos' official radio reported.

A transcript of the broadcast, obtained today from a Western embassy that monitors Laosian radio, said the decision was based on the "requirements" of the December-1975 Communist revolution and on Souphanouvong's "proposal on his physical condition." Souphanouvong is 74.

Souphanouvong has been ailing with high blood pressure, according to a senior official at the Laotian embassy in Bangkok who spoke on condition of anonymity.

Souphanouvong was treated in Moscow for more than a month after he fell ill while attending the non-aligned movement's summit in Zimbabwe in September, the source said.

Hesentius gets chance to tell story

MANAGUA, Nicaragua — U.S. mercenary Eugene Hesentius gets a chance today to tell his side of the story to a revolutionary tribunal trying him for terrorism and conspiracy for his role in aiding Contra rebels.

The 65-year-old former Marine from Marinette, Wisconsin appears before the People's Tribunal, composed of a lawyer, truck driver and laborer, to respond to the leftist Sandinista government's charges and to examine the evidence against him.

It is his first appearance at the tribunal offices, a half mile from the U.S. Embassy, since he was arraigned on Oct. 26. He is being held in a prison outside Managua.

Honduras considers U.S. plane sale

WASHINGTON — The Honduran government, which has been edging toward a larger role in supporting the Nicaraguan rebels, is weighing an American offer to buy modern jet fighters, a U.S. official says.

The official, who spoke on condition of anonymity, said Thursday the United States has offered Honduras a chance to buy either the American-built F-5E fighter or the Israeli-built Kirf fighter for the Central American nation's aging air force.

If the deal is made, the new plane would replace the Hondurans' 12 French Super Mystere B-2 fighters, which are from the 1960s. American and Honduran leaders feel there is a need to improve Honduras' air defenses, the official said.

Pilot unaware of impending collision

WASHINGTON — The pilot of an Aeromexico jetliner apparently had no warning and no time to avoid a collision with a private plane last August over Carrizozo, Calif., according to documents released by the National Transportation Safety Board.

Co-pilot Hector Valencia was at the controls of Flight 498 at 6,500 feet, and Capt. Arturo Valdes from, who was handling the radio aboard the DC-9, had just completed a routine exchange with air traffic control when tragedy struck that Thursday morning during an approach into Los Angeles.

"(Of) (expletive deleted) this can't be!" Valdes, 46, said in Spanish. Investigators are uncertain whether he was talking about the impact or possible loss of the controls, but they are convinced by then the two aircraft had collided. Eighty-two people died when the jetliner crashed into a residential neighborhood.

South Korean police retake campus

SEOUL, South Korea — About 8,000 police today stormed a university campus and dislodged anti-government student protesters who had occupied five buildings since Tuesday. Police said they detained more than 1,200 students and that 79 people were injured.

Police helicopters dropped tear gas canisters on the campus and leaflets urging surrender as they surged onto the campus of Konkuk University in Seoul.

Witnesses said they saw police swinging clubs charge into groups of students as residents stood near the campus gates shouting, "Don't hit the kids, don't hit them!"

In some cases, witnesses said, students fought back with clubs. At times during the two-hour clash, students on the roofs of the occupied buildings hurled stones, concrete, gasoline bombs and other objects at police below. Several fires were started.

Waldheim denies new allegations

Austrian President Kurt Waldheim denied fresh allegations that he fought Yugoslav partisans during a Nazi military operation and that Soviet intelligence tried to blackmail him into becoming an agent by threatening to charge him with war crimes, according to his spokesman.

Gerold Christian, the spokesman, made the comments after The Washington Post reported Thursday that Waldheim acknowledged after months of denial that he did serve in Kozara, the site of a brutal Nazi "pacification" operation.

Thousands of Yugoslavs died there during the operation in the spring and summer of 1942. The Post said Waldheim was recommended for a German army medal for his role.

It said that, in a 13-page memo sent to the Post in April, the former U.N. secretary-general denied he was involved in the operation to remove 80,000 residents, including 3,500 armed partisans, from Kozara, in the western part of Bosnia province.

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Vatican takes aim at new tolerance

By Samuel Koo
The Associated Press

VATICAN CITY — A Vatican letter to bishops worldwide stressed that homosexual acts are sins and accused pro-homosexual groups of "deceitful propaganda" in trying to gain a foothold in the Roman Catholic Church.

The letter, approved by Pope John Paul II and made public Thursday, instructed bishops to stamp out pro-homosexual views within the 80 million-member church and oppose any attempt to condone homosexuality through legislation or other means.

"Increasing numbers of people, even within the church, are living in enormous pressure to bear on the church to accept the homosexual condition as though it were not disordered and to condone homosexual activity," it said.

The 15-page letter, dated Oct. 1, was drawn up by the Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith, the theological watchdog organization headed by West German-born Cardinal Joseph Ratzinger.

In some countries, including the United States, have struggled with government authorities over homosexual rights. Church leaders in New York City unsuccessfully opposed legislation

designed to protect homosexuals from discrimination.

In an apparent reference to the dangers of AIDS, the letter said: "Even when the practice of homosexuality may seriously threaten the lives and well-being of a large number of people, it advocates remain undeterred and refuse to consider the magnitude of the risks involved."

There is no known cure for acquired immune deficiency syndrome, spread primarily through semen and blood. In the United States, most of the victims of the fatal disease have been male homosexuals.

Ratzinger's agency reiterated the Vatican position that homosexual acts are sins. "An overly broad interpretation" has been given to the homosexual condition, which "must be seen as an objective disorder," it asserted.

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Street gang charged in terrorism plot

CHICAGO (AP) — Four men accused of offering to work as terrorists for Libya are members of a well-organized street gang that authorities say espouses Islam while dealing in narcotics and violence.

"They are what you'd call non-traditional organized crime," FBI spokesman Bob Long said Thursday night after the gang members' alleged terrorist-

hire plot was disclosed.

"You've got people who are organized and they commit crimes, but they're not what you'd consider a traditional organized crime group like La Cosa Nostra," Long said.

A Dow Jones survey of 14 economists forecasted a 0.2 percent rise in the September index, compared with a 0.2 percent fall in August.

The Bank of Japan's decision to cut its 3.5 percent discount rate to 3.0 percent, effective Saturday, did not affect the market, dealers said.

In Tokyo, where trading ends before Europe's business day begins, the dollar rose to a 161.45 Japanese yen from 159.90 yen at Thursday's close. Later, in London, it firmed to 162.95 yen.

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Business In Brief

Higgins joins bank as assistant VP

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He previously was with Equitable Bank, with headquarters in Baltimore, Md., as assistant vice president in the cash management operations department.

He is a 1975 graduate of Towson State College in Towson, Md. Higgins and his wife, Phyllis, and their new son have relocated to Manchester from Baltimore.

Dollar gains against key currencies

LONDON — The dollar rose against all key currencies except the British pound in early European trading today. Gold prices fell sharply in active European trading.

Foreign exchange dealers said the end-of-month trading was quiet ahead of the release later today of the U.S. composite index of leading indicators, which is expected to be higher than traders' earlier forecasts.

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Japan cuts discount lending rate

TOKYO — The Bank of Japan announced today that it is cutting its official discount rate by 0.5 percentage points to a postwar low of 3.0 percent, effective Saturday.

The discount rate, the interest rate the central bank charges on its loans to commercial banks, has a strong impact on other interest rates.

In announcing the reduction, Bank of Japan Governor Satoshi Sumita said in a statement that the central bank "expects that this action will contribute to sustained economic growth and strongly wishes, to this end, that the stability of foreign exchange rates will be achieved."

Japan's discount rate is now the lowest among the world's major industrial countries. The rate is 3.5 percent in West Germany, 5.5 percent in the United States and 7.0 percent in France.

It was the fourth time this year that the central bank has reduced its discount rate, each time by 0.5 percentage points. The previous cuts this year in the discount rate were in January, March and April.

Factory orders make big gain

WASHINGTON — Orders to U.S. factories rose 3.4 percent in September, the biggest one-month gain in almost two years, the government reported today.

The Commerce Department said orders for manufactured goods climbed to \$199.4 billion in September following a 0.9 percent decline in August.

The September increase was the strongest since a 4.4 percent rise in November 1984.

It came from strong gains in orders for both durable goods and non-durable goods.

Orders for durable goods, items expected to last three or more years, climbed 5 percent in September following a 2.2 percent decline in August. Orders for non-durable goods were up 1.6 percent.

Orders for defense equipment rose 2.8 percent following an 1.8 percent decline the month before.

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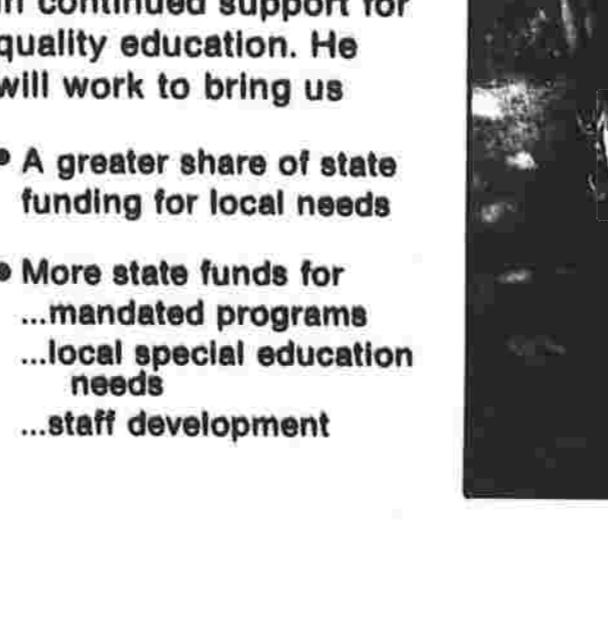
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William A. Doyle

QUESTION: I have invested in a mutual fund through a stockbroker. I now have more money to put into mutual funds and have spoken to my broker, another broker and two financial planners. The planners tell me it is advisable to invest in mutual funds at this time. The brokers tell me just the opposite. They say, because of the volatile stock market, to wait about three months.

I am confused as to when is a good time to invest. Can you tell me?

ANSWER: Neither I nor anyone else can tell you the "right" time to invest — so that you would be

certain of making money, or, at least, not losing.

The market prices of stocks, bonds and shares of mutual funds holding those securities move up and down so frequently that no one on this earth has the ability to pick the absolutely right time to buy and sell.

However, any time can be a "good" time to invest if you follow a sensible and conservative investment program called "dollar averaging."

That's the simple method of investing the same amount of money in the same security at fixed intervals, such as \$100 a month. With dollar averaging, you buy fewer shares when prices are high, more shares when prices are low and don't end up with ulcers trying to outguess the market. As long as the security in which you invest doesn't head down, down, down in price and never recover, you come out a winner.

Mutual funds are good choices for dollar averaging, because the money you invest buys full and fractional shares — usually to the third decimal place. Also, the values of investments in most mutual funds have increased over the years. While you can't be sure the per share value of any mutual fund you pick will rise in the future, dollar averaging will reduce your risk.

QUESTION: I am a widow, 70, living alone. I have \$150,000 in certificates of deposit and another \$20,000 in a money market deposit account for quick draw in case of emergencies. I receive \$800 a month from Social Security. That's it.

A financial planner has been telephoning me to invest in a government securities mutual fund, which pays more income, but I can't take any risks. What do you advise?

ANSWER: Stay with CDs at

Analysts say deficit needs further drop

By Peter Coy

The Associated Press

NEW YORK — The U.S. trade deficit has decreased three months in a row, but economists say the nation has a long way to go to reach a healthy trading relationship with the rest of the world.

The \$12.8 billion September trade deficit reported Thursday by the Commerce Department was down from \$13.3 billion in August and about \$2 billion to \$4 billion better than most analysts expected.

The shrinking gap added to evidence that the dollar's fall in value against foreign currencies was beginning to make U.S. goods more competitive against foreign products, both at home and overseas.

"I was delighted by the numbers," said Peter Handal, the head of a children's clothing company and president of the American Association of Exporters and Importers.

But the deficit decreased for some of the wrong reasons: American exports did not grow, but declined in September. But imports fell more. Economists said that might indicate that sluggish consumer demand was the main factor in the trade improvement.

Imports fell by 2.7 percent to \$20.1 billion in September, while exports dipped by 0.5 percent to \$7.3 billion, the Commerce Department said.

"I'm very disappointed in the export number. I think we need to

do a better job of selling American products to other countries," said Paul Murphy, vice president for governmental affairs at the National Foreign Trade Council in Washington.

Despite the slight improvement, the United States is virtually certain to run the biggest trade deficit in history this year. Commerce Secretary Malcolm Baldrige said he was projecting a 1986 deficit of about \$172 billion, but said the figure should drop by \$20 billion to \$40 billion next year.

Last year's deficit, still the record-holder, was \$168.5 billion. Most observers expect the United States to continue running substantial red ink for the foreseeable future.

"I don't know if it will ever be able to get back to zero," Handal said.

"We're pleased that the deficit is coming down moderately, but it's certainly not going to be enough to pay off the accumulating foreign debt," Murphy said.

The cost of repaying the loans, in the form of foreign purchases of U.S. Treasury securities, is "going to jeopardize our living standards and make it more difficult to invest in production in the United States in a way that will enhance our future competitiveness," Murphy said.

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Group calls female dropout trend myth

By **Cotter Timberlake**
The Associated Press

NEW YORK — You may have read about the large number of women who are dropping out of fast-track jobs at major corporations to start their own businesses. So that they can spend more time at home raising families.

That reported trend, however, is probably a myth, says a research group that is seeking to debunk it.

Evidence to support the notion of the female dropout is circumstantial at best and depictions of women seem to be based on selective surveys of a few of them chosen to prove the original premise, the group called Catalyst said in a recent report.

"One should be skeptical," said Ariene Johnson, a vice president of Catalyst.

"To say that they are leaving primarily for family reasons is to raise that old stereotype that

women are less committed to their careers and are more oriented toward their families," Johnson said in an interview.

"They have the same career motivations as men and are more like men in career goals than unlike men," she said.

However, Catalyst — a not-for-profit organization that fosters the career and leadership development of women — doesn't offer much evidence to support its own contention.

Reliable statistics are not yet available on the dropout rate of women, whether they do or do not go on to found new businesses, Catalyst said.

But, according to a unpublished Michigan State University study of mobility patterns at Fortune 500 companies, only a slightly higher percentage of corporate women than men bail out, the group said.

"It is misleading to overlook the fact that for every woman who

does leave the corporate sector there are many, many more who opt to remain, the group said.

It also makes sense that as women have begun to enter management in greater numbers, women also have tended to become self-employed in record numbers, Catalyst said.

And while American women are currently starting businesses at a rate nearly four times that of men, Catalyst said, that does not necessarily prove an exodus from the corporate sector.

In addition, statistics suggest that most of those who do leave, aren't doing it to raise families.

Catalyst cited a January 1986 study which reported that the "typical" woman entrepreneur doesn't start her own business until the age of 40 or later — after she has married, had children and worked outside the home for a number of years.

Catalyst interviewed 18 former

corporate managers who were self-employed and said it found that some of their reasons for leaving the corporation were similar to the classic motivations of any small-business owner, male or female.

For example, some of the women expressed frustration with what they felt was rigidity in the corporate decision-making process, it said.

However, Catalyst also said it found suggestions of particular stumbling blocks for women.

For example, changes in management are rocky for any employee but can be especially difficult for women, who have had to spend a great deal of effort gaining credibility and establishing a reputation.

Rather than start all over again within the company, some women opt to leave and start enterprises in which they call the shots, the group said.



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Dividend action reflects corporate caution

NEW YORK (AP) — If dividend behavior is a criterion of corporate confidence in the immediate future, then American corporations aren't extremely confident.

Dividends rose only 6.4 percent during the first half of the year, according to the Commerce Department, versus an annual growth rate since 1979, a period that included a deep recession, of 8.5 percent.

Additional compilations by Wright Investors' Service shows

that during the first nine months of the year, 229 companies took negative dividend actions — reductions or omissions — versus 297 in all of 1985 and 181 in 1984.

An annual average of 2,400 publicly traded companies, Wright found, with a 4.9 percent average dividend in the preceding 10 years, leading Wright to conclude that market weakness lies ahead for the remainder of the year.

The new tax bill also enters the picture in a negative way, since it continues without reformlation the

double taxation of dividends, first at the corporate level and again when the recipient's personal income taxes are paid.

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RN's/LPN's - Meadows are seeking RN for a full time supervisory position on the 11-7 shift. Excellent benefit or no benefit rate. Call: Mrs. Baier RN/ADNS or Mrs. Baier RN/ADNS at 647-9191.

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Help Wanted - People to route letters. 646-0395.

Driver-Full time, 1st shift, for printing company. Must be responsible, have good driving record and over 10 years exp. For confidential interview contact Thompson Assoc. in Windsor 648-7281. Fax for George.

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Sealed bids will be received in the General Services Office, 41 Center St., Manchester, CT until NOVEMBER 13, 1988 at 11:00 a.m. for the following:

Mary Lou Taylor, Trustee.
195 Service Drive
East Hartford, CT 06118
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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING 643-2711

21 HOMES FOR SALE

Manchester, 3 bedroom, with garage, fenced yard, enclosed front porch, large eat-in country kitchen, nicely decorated. Allow 15 days. Must See \$119,900. By owner 643-9715.

Manchester - Charming 3 bedroom Colonial, 1 1/2 baths, dining room, sun porch, all natural woodwork, new roof, aluminum siding. \$199,900. By owner. 643-7137 or 643-2822.

Manchester-New listings-3 bedroom aluminum sided ranch, great starter home only \$84,900... Also 10 room, 6 bedroom Victorian, plus in-law apartment, aluminum sided, garage, Spring Street area. \$139,900. Green House Realty. 643-4855.

Madison/Bolton 7 room Railroad Ranch, 4 miles to I-84, acreal tree lot, cul-de-sac, living room with fireplace, redwood, cathedral ceilings, cubed storage in dining room, remodeled kitchen, 3 bedrooms, family room with cabinetry, field stone fireplace, sun room finished with cathedral ceilings, wall to wall carpet throughout and much more. Must see. \$132,000. Call 643-2731. Principals only.

100 Hamlock Street- Spacious 2 bedroom, next to Center Springs Park. Completely redecorated, heated attached garage. Immediate occupancy. Owner broker Samuelson. 643-6979.

Quality 3 bedroom Ranch. 1 1/2 bath, beautiful walled rec room to private lot with ground pool. We guarantee our homes! Blanchard & Rossetto Real Estate. 643-2422.

Must be seen! 6 huge rooms, 2 full baths, spectacular kitchen. Thermopane windows, 2 car garage! We guarantee our homes! Blanchard & Rossetto Real Estate. 643-2422.

Brand new! 8 room 2 1/2 bath home, 1st floor family room, fireplace, 100's! We guarantee our homes! Blanchard & Rossetto Real Estate. 643-2422.

Starrs-Nice 2 bedroom mobile home in adult community. Appliances, central air and porch. \$32,900. McCavanagh Real Estate. 649-3800.

Jackpot! Terrific 3-family on Adelaide St. on the Southend of Hartford. Three 5 room flats, separate utilities, excellent income potential. 2 car garage, newer roof. \$169,500.00. Jackson & Jackson Real Estate. 647-8400 or 646-8646.

Nestled among the trees! Relax in the great Jacuzzi bath that comes with this rambling 9 room Ranch in Bolton. 3 bedrooms, full basement, 2 car garage, lots of glass, acre plus lot. \$148,900. Jackson & Jackson Real Estate. 647-8400 or 646-8646.

Manchester-Immaculate 4 room Ranch, completely redecorated, new wall to wall carpeting. Corner lot. A pleasure to show. 979,900. James R. McCavanagh, 649-3800.

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30 Locust Street, 2 Family 4 rooms each. \$139,900. Principals only. Call 643-2425. Weekdays 9-5.

Government Homes from \$1 (U repair). Delinquent tax properly. Repossessions. Call 665-827-8289 ext 643 9965 for current repossession list.

Manchester - Charming 1925 Victorian, beautiful 1/2 acre lot, 4 car garage, wrap around porch, 5 bedrooms and porch. Eat-in kitchen and formal dining room. Handcrafted fireplaces, hardwood floors and unique detailing add an original touch to this handsome home. Asking \$179,000. Call Fiano Realty 643-5200.

Bolton Wooded and secluded, 7 room U & R built Ranch. 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, eat-in kitchen, dining room, fireplace living room, hardwood floors through out, finished basement, 1 car garage, private deck. Call Fiano Realty 643-5200. \$159,900.

Beautiful - New Colonial Cape, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, 2 plus or minus acres. (Touches of Old Shubridge) custom built, many extras. 1/2 hour to Hartford Metro. \$138,600. 1-974-2437 after 2:00.

Manchester Duplex. Each unit: living room, 3 bedrooms, large country kitchen, 1 1/2 baths. Separate basements and driveways. \$179,900. By owner. Principals only. Call 643-7874, 643-6444, or 643-7814.

Manchester. By Owner. 4 room Dormer Cape, 1 car garage with patio. Full basement. Excellent location & condition. Call owner for appointment. 649-5309, \$100,500.

Bolton, Birch Mountain, 1-3 acre building lots with views of surrounding countryside. \$75,000. We also build custom homes. Fiano Realty. 643-5200.

Manchester-Fairway Estates, building lot on Golf course, from \$85,000. Fiano Realty 643-5200.

22 APARTMENTS FOR RENT

3 and 4 room apartments, no appliances, no pet security, call 643-2425. Weekdays 9-5.

Two bedroom apartment for rent. Dishwasher, disposal, pool, tennis courts. Near US Call 233-7888 after 7:30 pm. or (617) 864-5970 x4204 days.

4 room apartment, Marlboro Rd. preferred. No pets. No appliances. Security, references, 1 car. 643-1285.

Manchester - 2nd floor 2 bedroom, heat and appliances, no pets. \$75 plus security 643-5977.

Two bedroom townhouse - heat, hot water, carpeted. All appliances. Air conditioning. Call 643-1393.

Two room apartment route 44, North Coventry. Heat and electricity included. \$365/month. 742-7377.

New 3 room apartment in quiet neighborhood. Appliances, wall to wall carpeting. Must see to appreciate. Security and references required. \$450 a month plus utilities. 643-2803.

One bedroom apartment newly renovated. Adults preferred, no pets. \$425 per month without utilities. Available December 1st. Security required. Call Mrs. Jarvis at 647-0089.

New 850 square foot office in downtown location. Professionally tenanted building. Warren E. Howland Inc. 643-1108.

Manchester-Good space of reasonable prices. Call owner for present or future needs at 643-2414.

Woman to share condominium, child, 5-12 okay. 647-1294.

High Chair, beautifully upholstered, yellow sturdy chrom. with formica table, molded tray. \$30 649-2723 evenings.

74 FURNITURE

Maple side arm, upholstered, beaded chair. Good condition. \$85 649-9587.

Couch and Chair, contemporary style. Color gold and green. Good condition. \$130. 742-7261.

Couch and loveseat, contemporary style. Color gold. Good condition. \$225. 742-7261.

Wing Back chair, print fabric, warm tones. Excellent condition \$65. 643-2841 after 6pm.

Buffet and hutch, Elton Allen Pine collection. Mint condition. Call after 4pm. 647-7234.

Curts Matisse stereo console. Plays, sounds great. Could use some minor reworking. \$50. Call 643-7288.

"Sylvania Super Set" 19" color tv, color ready, remote control. 1 year old. No problems. \$75 firm. Apartment 134 Carver Lane. Senior Housing.

For Sale. Rowing Machine, fully assembled, 1 year old, excellent condition. \$75. Call 646-3245 after 5:30pm.

16 foot Mad River canoe, paddles included. Used four times. Excellent condition. \$800. Please call 643-4942 after 6pm or 647-9946 8:30 - 5:30. Ask for Bob.

Pianos/Organs-Savings to 40 percent. A sale so large, we have to rent an armory. Baldwin & other name brands. Low financing available. 250 units on display. Hurry to save! Thursday, October 28, 10am to 9pm. Friday, October 31, 10am to 9pm. Saturday November 1, 9am to 9pm. Sunday, November 2, Noon to 6pm at the New Britain Armory corner of Stanley & East Main Streets, New Britain (1/2 mile east of Finest Super Market). Save thousands. All must call! Look for the Baldwin Truck.

Magnavox Portable stereo, needs speaker wire. \$15. 649-1807.

Piano Upright. Rosewood. Carved front design. \$300 649-1819.

Doberman. Free to good home, all shots, 2 1/2 years old. Excellent nature. 649-3807.

Golden Retriever AKC registered 10 month old female. Excellent family dog. All shots and spayed. Dog house and supplies included \$250 649-6593.

7 APPLIANCE

Free to good home. 4 month old mangle machine with unusual markings. All shots. call 643-2711 between 9:00 to 5:00 ask for Mary.

7 MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

Small Kenmore washer \$100. Also-Free to good home only: male Parrot, 8 months old. Call anytime 643-5177.

Blakes, 2 girls 10 speed; men's 3 speed. All good condition \$25 each or best offer Call 649-9664.

Jacobs deep well pump, 1/2 horse power. In good condition. Good for lake to wash cars. \$45. 649-6173.

Queen size mattress foam rubber. Good condition. \$85. 649-7951.

Golf Clubs, Men's Matched Starter set with three woods, nice bag. Excellent condition. 649-1794 975.

Flush Carpet for sale. Like new 12 x 13 lime green. \$89 647-6183.

Air conditioner, gas grill, slate ping pong table, electric lawnmower, console stereo, electric organ, picnic tables. 649-4190.

Wanted. Leather bound books. Heritage, Howard classics, etc. Call 649-6800 and ask for Tom.

Mothers earn extra Christmas money. Wanted, children's clothing and equipment. Infants to Jr. size 14 in excellent condition. Will pay cash. Call 646-8851, 643-5229, 568-7427.

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70 TOYS

Saturday November 1st - Many baby items humidifier, etc. 149 Tanner Street 10-3.

Top Sale 22 Server Street. November 1st and 2nd. Household items and camping gear.

Top Sale, Saturday, 9-4 @ Starline Street. Rain or shine. Furniture, baby items, clothes, miscellaneous.

South Windsor, 3 families. Many household items including furniture, bedroom set, stereo, books, tupperware. Saturday and Sunday 10-4. 699 Chapel Rd.

Top Sale, Saturday November 1st, 10-4. 3 Evergreen Rd. Manchester. Toys, books, records, household miscellaneous.

At Browns Flowers, 163 Main Street. November 1st, 9-5. Extra Floral accessories. Great for crafts.

Top Sale - 9 Stephen Street. Saturday November 1st, 9am-3pm. Baby furniture, clothes, furniture, odds and ends.

71 CARS FOR SALE

1988 Subaru 2 door hatchback. Very good condition, asking \$2200. Call evenings 643-7393.

1977 T-Bird Automatic. Air conditioning, stereo. Original owner. \$1200. Call 643-6871.

1973 Buick Century, automatic, 2 door, excellent condition. \$1200. 643-3446.

Pontiac - 1980 LeMans station wagon, good dependable family car, air conditioning, 6 cylinder, power brakes and steering. Asking \$1995. 643-8222.

1966 Rambler-The Classic! From when they made 'em like they used to. Only 65,000 miles! Solid runner. 742-7665 evenings.

Aufos. 2 cars for sale. Parts Only. 1972 Olds 455 Engine \$260, 1970 Plymouth 318 Engine \$200. Call 646-6549 after 3:00pm.

Court of Probate, District of... NOTICE OF DECEASED ESTATE OF GERARD J. KELLY, A VOLUNTARY REPRESENTATION. Pursuant to an order of Hon. William E. Fitzgerald, Judge, dated October 22, 1988 a hearing will be held on an application praying for the authority to sell certain real property situated in the Town of Manchester, County of Hartford as in said application on file more fully appears, at the Court of Probate on November 25, 1988 at 11:00 A.M.

Johanna M. Bruder, Ass't. Clerk.

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DIAL 643-2711

Find the item you need or sell the item you don't use in the Manchester Herald. Call the Classified Dept. 643-2711. 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

1976 Chevy Nova, 43,000 miles, new tires, new exhaust, passed emissions. \$700 call 646-4259.

83 Mazda 52000 deluxe with caps. 5 speed, excellent condition. \$3,400 643-1814.


Dodge Charger 1973 parts car. Excellent tires, good interior. \$250. Call 646-2257 evenings and weekends.

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