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Sakharov speaks out

Andrei Sakharov and his wife, Elena Bonner, appear in their Moscow apartment during an unusual interview with American TV reporters. Sakharov, who returned from internal exile this week, said he wants greater freedom of movement so he can travel abroad. Story on page 3.

IRAQ CLAIMS 10,000 DEAD IN ASSAULT

NICOSIA, Cyprus (AP) — Iran claimed Friday its troops killed 3,000 Iraqi soldiers in an assault on the southern front, but Iraq said it smashed the offensive and killed 10,000 Iranians, turning the Shatt al-Arab waterway "red with blood."

The fighting appeared to have eased Friday. But Iran accused Iraq of using poison gas shells against Iranian forces and said artillery duels continued in the central and southern sectors of the 730-mile border-frontline. Iran's Islamic Republic News Agency said Iraqi shells hit the war-ravaged city of Abadan.

The two sides rarely allow Western correspondents at the front, and there was no way to independently verify the conflicting claims.

In Baghdad, witnesses said soldiers fired automatic weapons into the air in victory celebrations and Iraqi artillery fired 21 ceremonial rounds over the capital.

Abdal Jabar Muhsin, director of the Iraqi army's Political Guidance Office, told The Associated Press in Basra that 10,000 Iranians were killed in the 36-hour battle and thousands were captured.

"The Shatt al-Arab ran red with the blood of the dead Iranians," he said. The waterway separates Iran and Iraq and is Iraq's only outlet to the Persian Gulf.

The commander of Iraq's 3rd Army Corps, Lt. Gen. Mahir Abdul al-Rashid, told the AP at his headquarters near Basra: "It was one of the bloodiest battles we've fought. It's clear they were trying to make a decisive breakthrough."

He added: "It was not a minor offensive. It was fought on a 20-mile front opposite the Iranian town of Muhamara."

But Iranian President Ali Khameni

said in Tehran that the assault, codenamed Kerbala-4, was a "limited offensive" intended to punish Iraq for its air attacks on Iranian cities. He said the long-promised "final offensive" to end the 6-year-old war would be unleashed "at the appropriate time."

The Iranians claimed they stormed four islands on the Iraqi bank of the Shatt al-Arab, destroying most of six infantry brigades of the 3rd Army Corps.

The wording of the Iranian statements indicated their forces withdrew from the islands Thursday, apparently because the positions were too exposed to hold.

Baghdad radio, monitored in Nicosia, said Iraqi forces regained control of Umm Rasas, one of the islands.

It said Iranian forces also landed on the Iraqi side of the waterway but were "annihilated." A military spokesman in Tehran said the Iraqi version was "pure fabrication."

The Iranian news agency, also monitored in Nicosia, claimed Iraqi artillery fired shells containing toxic gas at Iranian positions on the east bank of the Shatt al-Arab, causing some casualties.

The United Nations has accused Iraq of using chemical weapons in the war and Iran has reported hundreds of men killed and wounded by these weapons.

Iran said 6,500 Iraqis were wounded in the offensive but did not mention Iranian casualties.

Iran's forces outnumber the Iraqis 3-1 and they often use "human wave" tactics against Iraq's superior firepower.

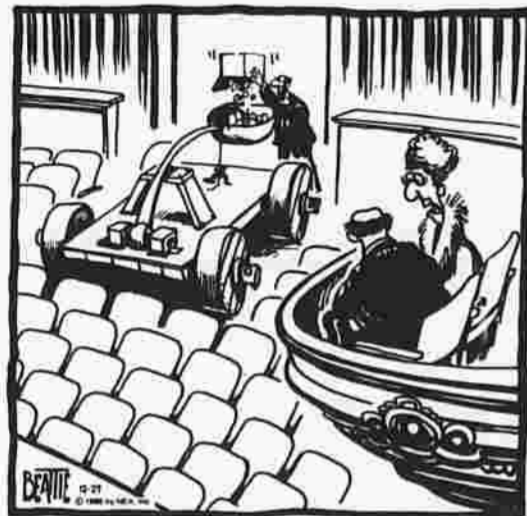
In Tehran, meanwhile, Khameni sought to dampen speculation that Iran had launched a major push and been repulsed.

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MAGAZINE PULLOUT SECTION

Whalers, Montreal in 1-1 tie

— story on page 55

SNAPU by Bruce Seattle



"Can't the critics just write a bad review and leave it at that?"

Connecticut Weather

Central, Eastern Interior and Southwest Interior: Sunny today with highs in the 30s. Wind north 10 mph or less. Clear tonight with lows around 15. Mostly sunny Sunday with highs in the middle 30s.

West Coastal and East Coastal: Sunny today with highs 35 to 40. Wind north 10 mph or less. Clear tonight with lows in the lower 20s. Mostly sunny Sunday with highs in the lower 40s.

Northwest Hills: Sunny today with highs in the 30s. Wind north 10 mph or less. Clear tonight with lows around 10. Mostly sunny Sunday with highs in the middle 30s.

Lottery Numbers

Connecticut daily Friday: 296. Play Four: 6045. Connecticut Lotto Friday: 1-3-13-15-29-37.

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Casey gains 'few' functions

Source says CIA chief can't resume helm

WASHINGTON (AP) — Georgetown University Hospital officials Friday issued their most optimistic report yet on the condition of CIA Director William J. Casey, but a source in the intelligence community said he remains "in very bad shape" and is recovering very slowly from brain cancer surgery. Hospital spokeswoman Robin Payes said Casey was "fully conscious and able to sit up in a bedside chair" as he recovers from 5½ hours of surgery on Dec. 18.

It was the most optimistic statement thus far on Casey's recovery. Asked to provide details, she said, "this is all we have so far."

Previously, the hospital said only that Casey, 73, was in stable condition, and officials had refused to provide details amid reports that Casey's recovery has been slower than expected.

However, the source, who declined to be identified, said Friday that "I understand that Mr. Casey is in very bad shape and is recovering very slowly."

"It appears that he is regaining only a few motor functions," said the source. "You have to remember when considering this that he is a 73-year-old man who has just had an extremely serious cancer operation."

The source raised the possibility that Casey may never resume active direction of the agency he



WILLIAM CASEY
... "in very bad shape"

has led since 1981. "Any trips Mr. Casey makes back to the CIA are likely to be only for ceremonial purposes," the source said.

The source said that Casey's condition was so poor before his surgery that CIA officials had privately voiced fears that he might not survive the operation.

President Reagan has not commented publicly on Casey's condi-

tion, but the source said, "I understand it's really shaken up the president" because the two were longtime friends and because Reagan himself had cancer surgery in 1985. However, the president's surgery was for colon cancer.

Publicly, White House officials have said no search is under way for a replacement for Casey and the source said no replacement is likely "anytime soon." That is because it might seem unfair to replace Casey while he is recovering from serious surgery, the source said.

In addition, any replacement for Casey would have to undergo confirmation by the Senate, a process which could be controversial and lengthy and during which questions could be raised about the spy agency's involvement in the current controversy over the diversion of Iranian arms sales profits to the anti-Nicaraguan rebels.

Casey was hospitalized Dec. 15, one day before he was scheduled to testify before a closed-door meeting of the Senate Intelligence Committee as part of the panel's investigation of the Iran-Contra affair. Members of the panel had wanted to question Casey about how much, if anything, he knew about the diversion of funds.

Casey's deputy, Robert Gates, 43, a Soviet affairs specialist, is in charge of the CIA in Casey's absence.

Mercenaries hack way to freedom

WASHINGTON (AP) — Three American mercenaries who used hacksaw blades to escape from Brazilian prison where they had been held on gun-smuggling charges were home Friday after a harrowing flight across South America.

"If we hadn't had hope, we never would have made it," said Timothy Carmody, who is now turning his attention to freeing four colleagues still jailed in Brasilia, Brazil.

Carmody, 39, who was interviewed by telephone from his home in San Francisco, joined Sheldon Ainsworth of Virginia Beach, Va., and Steven Hedrick of St. Petersburg, Fla., on a flight from La Paz, Bolivia, to Miami on Thursday.

A fourth man, Fred Verduin of Sonoma, Calif., escaped with the others on Dec. 15 and is safe, although he did not return to the United States immediately, Carmody said.

Betty Sosa of Fayetteville, N.C., wife of Steven Sosa, 57, one of the men still in prison, said she was

worried sick about her husband, a retired Army major.

"He is very depressed," said Mrs. Sosa, adding that since the escape, the men left behind have been denied any privileges and have had their mail and telephone calls monitored closely.

The men, all Vietnam veterans, were arrested March 14 aboard a Panamanian-registered tug loaded with machine guns, grenades, inflatable rafts and other military hardware.

The seagoing vessel was loaded with weapons in Argentina and was headed across the Atlantic Ocean to the West African nation of Ghana where the men were told they were to help in a mission to overthrow the government of Jerry Rawlings.

One of the three says he is convinced the project had U.S. government backing — either from the CIA or the National Security Council.

But the plan when awry when the ship's captain refused to go through with the trip and returned to Brazil

where the men were arrested at a port town 20 miles east of Rio de Janeiro.

They were charged and convicted of smuggling arms into Brazil, but the convictions were overturned by an appeals court last October. The men remained in jail facing extradition to Argentina on charges of violating export laws.

The mercenaries said they are convinced they were recruited for an official U.S. government operation to overthrow the government of Ghana, which has strained ties with Washington.

Carmody said he is convinced the operation, for which he was paid \$5,000, had the backing of the CIA or the National Security Council. He said the man who recruited him lives in Texas.

The plan, Carmody said, was for the Americans to train a force of 100 Ghanaian rebels, apparently on board a freighter after picking them up in the Ivory Coast, Ghana's neighbor. The invasion then would be launched in rubber boats.

Lottery fever comes to Seattle

SEATTLE (AP) — The Christmas rush was still on in the Pacific Northwest as people looking for a shot at \$10 million lined up at convenience stores Friday for tickets to the biggest lottery jackpot in Washington history.

"I had to get in a big line of traffic to get over here," Mac Hoffmeister of Portland, Ore., said in Vancouver, just across the Columbia River. "When it gets to \$10 million, it really draws the people out."

More than \$417,000 of the \$1 tickets, which allow players two chances at the lucky combination, were sold Friday by late morning, said lottery spokesman Dick Paulson. The drawing is scheduled for Saturday evening.

The biggest previous jackpot, given away in a March 1 drawing, was \$8.5 million. No one has won a jackpot in the weekly Lotto drawing since Nov. 22, allowing the total to snowball.

Jack Meenahan, a retired foundry worker from Oregon, said he would throw a party of sorts if he won the top prize. "I'd invite all my friends over to the house and have 'em count my money,'" he said.

This week's ticket sales already had exceeded \$8.5 million heading into the weekend and were second only to the \$8.6 million record set before the drawing in March, Paulson said.



Andrei Sakharov and his wife, Yelena Bonner, talk to reporters in their Moscow apartment Thursday night. Sakharov was allowed to return to Moscow last week after seven years of internal exile.

Sakharov issues call for an 'open society'

NEW YORK (AP) — Andrei Sakharov, in unusual interviews on American television, said Friday that he wanted to travel abroad, something he said would help generate "good feelings and trust" for the Soviet Union.

"I am mainly concerned with the problem of human rights and with obtaining freedom for those who are prisoners of conscience, political prisoners," Sakharov said in an interview broadcast on "CBS Evening News."

"I am also concerned with obtaining more freedom of movement, including the right to travel abroad as well as to emigrate from the country. In other words, I want all that is connected with an open society."

Sakharov and his wife, Elena Bonner, returned to Moscow on Tuesday after the Kremlin lifted Sakharov's internal exile and pardoned Bonner, who was convicted in 1984 of slandering the Soviet state.

He said his fondest desire was to travel abroad, "to see my family and to be able to see the world."

"If I am allowed to travel, this would help generate good feelings and more trust in my country," Sakharov said.

In an interview with NBC, the Soviet dissident said changes taking place in Soviet society would lead to the release of others jailed there for political beliefs.

Details of the NBC interview in Moscow were reported by the translator in New York, Alexander Goldfarb, and portions were broadcast Friday evening on "NBC Nightly News." The interview was for airing in the United States and not seen on Soviet television.

Goldfarb said Sakharov told his interviewer that he hoped his return to Moscow from internal exile in Gorky would not be viewed as a public relations or propaganda move by Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev.

The Nobel Prize-winning dissident repeated his condemnation of the Soviet invasion of Afghanistan and his opinion that President Reagan's "Star Wars" proposal was not a major obstacle to disarmament.

While some of Sakharov's statements were not new, Goldfarb said it was "unprecedented for him to be allowed to speak freely on a Soviet television facility."

Goldfarb, now a professor of microbiology at Columbia University, knew Sakharov in Moscow before leaving the Soviet Union. Goldfarb's dissident father, David, also a scientist, was permitted to leave the Soviet Union in October.

Goldfarb said that if Gorbachev were sincere in saying he needed critics, Sakharov was ideal as "a critic without a claim on political power."

"If all Gorbachev wanted was a public relations gesture, to get rid of an embarrassing situation, he could have put him on a plane, like (Aleksandr) Solzhenitsyn," referring to the Russian author in exile in the United States.

Sakharov said in the interview that Gorbachev put no conditions on the decision to let him return to Moscow.

"He pronounced a phrase which I think is meaningful, and that is, that I should return to my patriotic work," said Sakharov.

Sandinista leader proposes contra amnesty

MANAGUA, Nicaragua (AP) — President Daniel Ortega proposed that Nicaraguan rebels in Honduras be returned under an amnesty program or sent to other countries, the official Barricada newspaper reported Friday.

The newspaper, voice of the ruling Sandinista National Liberation Front, said the plan presented to Honduran President Jose Azcona Hoyo also provided for the repatriation of Nicaraguan refugees living in neighboring

Honduras. Barricada reported that Ortega's message said Nicaragua was ready to cooperate with the Honduran government "to receive, with all legal guarantees, the Nicaraguan citizens involved in counter-revolutionary activities who voluntarily wish to return under the amnesty law."

Amnesty for the U.S.-supported rebels, called Contras, has been offered for the past three years, and there was little

Man sets himself afire in Manchester hospital

An Andover man was flown from Manchester to a Boston hospital Friday evening after he burned himself in the emergency room at Manchester Memorial Hospital while under restraint, authorities said.

Thomas Bartlett, 29, of 416 Lake Road, was reported in stable condition with second- and third-degree burns over 20 to 30 percent of his body when he was flown to Brigham and Women's Hospital in Boston at about 10:30 p.m. aboard the LifeStar helicopter, a nursing supervisor at MMH said.

Bartlett was suffering from burns on his hands, arms and chest, the supervisor said.

According to the supervisor, who asked not to be identified, Bartlett was brought to MMH for observation by police at 7:14 p.m. and was placed in a five-point restraint on a stretcher, which involves straps across the chest and both wrists and ankles.

The supervisor said that the restraint was imposed after he became disruptive in the hospital's emergency room.

Bartlett was examined by a doctor

and a crisis intervention worker before the incident took place, according to a news release issued by the hospital. At 8:44 p.m., it was that discovered Bartlett had set himself on fire, according to the release.

The supervisor said the blaze was put out with an extinguisher by a security guard a minute later, and the Town Fire Department was called. Bartlett was then treated and taken by ambulance to Manchester High School, where he was picked up by the LifeStar helicopter.

The supervisor said Bartlett was in view of nurses the entire time he was in restraint. However, she said she did not know how he lit himself on fire.

Deputy Town Fire Chief William Griffin said the man had apparently been trying to burn himself out of the restraints when he set himself on fire. Griffin said he had been put in a room after being placed in restraints, and the crisis intervention worker went to check up on him after hearing him yell.

"When she opened the door, she saw him on fire and she screamed and hollered," Griffin said.

Residents of Manchester pay half for government

By George Layno
Herald Reporter

Manchester residents are being taxed for just under 52 percent of all the money their town government needs to operate this fiscal year, while those in Andover, Bolton and Coventry have to provide over 80 percent, according to a study done by the Connecticut Public Expenditure Council.

The study, which evaluated the grand lists and tax levies of Connecticut's 169 municipalities, found the average levy on residents was for 57.6 percent of their town's revenue. Manchester ranked 142nd with 51.6 percent. Andover was 15th with 83.2 percent. Coventry was 19th with 82.4 percent and Bolton was 27th with 80.7 percent.

Conversely, businesses accounted for 35.7 percent of the taxes collected by Manchester, while in Bolton the figure was 7.5 percent. In Andover, businesses provided 6.9 percent of the local revenue, while in Coventry it was 5.9 percent, according to CPEC's figures. The state average was 33.8 percent.

The remaining tax money was collected from other sources, mainly motor vehicle taxes, the study said.

As for the value of total taxable property in each town, or grand list, Manchester ranked 37th with \$712,627,288. Coventry ranked 105th with

\$158,924,243. Bolton was 133rd with \$83,523,399 and Andover was 153rd at \$51,606,002, according to CPEC.

That means Manchester's grand list — which is scheduled to be reevaluated next year — ranks 13th out of the 29 towns in Hartford County, CPEC said. Of the 13 towns in Tolland County, Coventry ranks 7th, Bolton 10th and Andover 12th.

Businesses accounted for 35.7 percent of Manchester's grand list, the 33rd largest percentage in the state. Bolton ranked 146th at 7.6 percent. Andover 149th at 7 percent and Coventry was 155th at 6 percent, according to the study.

On the average across Connecticut, businesses represented 31.9 percent of grand list values, whereas residential property accounted for 60.2 percent.

The largest grand list was in Stamford, totaling \$5.1 billion, CPEC said. The smallest was Union at \$11.6 million, while the total grand list for the entire state was \$77.7 billion, the watchdog group reported.

Fairfield County had the largest grand list of Connecticut's eight counties. It accounted for 37 percent of the total, while Windham County was last at 1.8 percent. Hartford County ranked second at 23.4 percent, and Tolland County seventh at 2.7 percent, CPEC said.

Coventry Journal: 'A shopper, not an insult'

By John Mitchell
Herald Reporter

ANDOVER — A note taped to the keyboard of Bill Cisowski's personal computer reads, "If it was easy, everyone would do it."

It is a message that Cisowski, 39, the publisher of The Coventry Journal, looks at and learns from each day. Starting in February from scratch and combining a touch of desire and one of need, Cisowski managed to cut through the competitive publishing market to create the monthly shopper, which initially ran four pages. It has since evolved into a 12-page, feature-oriented "magazine" he hopes will continue to grow.

"It's a grand experiment," Cisowski said.

The test may have begun this year but for Cisowski, a gentle, balding man who works full-time at the Mansfield Training School as an aide, "it was something that had been brewing for a long time."

Aside from some basic newspaper experience in college, Cisowski had virtually no background in the business. However, he always had an idea of what he wanted.

"EVERYONE'S BUSY — they don't have time to read the paper," Cisowski said. "You've got to be short, to the point."

Working with the notion of a freebie containing local store advertising, Cisowski set out to publish "a shopper that doesn't insult your intelligence."

The inclusion of feature stories, fiction and local news was what distinguished his passionate hobby from shoppers in the area.

"You know those people are chucking those things in the garbage," he said. "You have to twist them a little bit."

Contacts from a Windham advertising agency taught Cisowski enough to run his first few issues with Lion's Club and Jaycees news, all the better to increase advertising.

"There were times when we had nothing to go on page one," he said. "Most of the first year my office was my car."

How does he determine what goes into the Journal? "What you think people are



BILL CISOWSKI
"a grand experiment"

going to want to buy," he said.

UTILIZING "CRUDE" equipment and friends who worked in different aspects of publishing, Cisowski has kept the paper printing.

Those who do work for the Journal tend to double up their workload. For example, Cisowski said "anybody that distributes it (the Journal) is a representative."

The office has been moved to the basement of his Wales Road home, where a guitar and other items clutter the area where he gets each issue ready to deliver to the printer. Although the Journal's circulation has grown to about 12,000, life hasn't gotten any easier.

"I'm just kind of going from month to month," he said. "It gets down to 'How

bad do you want it?'"

Cisowski said the community response to the Journal has been good. "I know people are sucking it up," he said. "We didn't expect such a warm reception in this field."

But nearly a year after publication of the first issue, Cisowski said he still has trouble pinpointing its purpose.

"It's hard to describe what we are," he said. "To say that we're a newspaper is not the truth."

He has instead chosen to call his creation a "vehicle for expression and things you can't get on the TV set."

THE LOOSENESS of the Journal is best represented by the list of contributors it runs every issue, described as "a variety of persons who have worked, are now working, or will work in the future for us."

Cisowski's wife, Sue, 30, who helps out by doing "whatever anybody else can't do," said she has been surprised by the Journal's success. "I'm not used to his projects working out so well," she said.

Mrs. Cisowski, who works at the Andover Library, conceded that the paper was her husband's project, despite the fact that she is listed as editor.

"I generally let him go with it," she said. "He's interested and that makes a difference."

"It's a nice little paper," said Bob Kanehl, who wrote some of the first fiction and news stories for the Journal before landing a reporting position at the Glastonbury Citizen. "It's come a long way."

Kanehl attributed its success to Cisowski's determination to keep the paper afloat. "It'll last for awhile," Kanehl said.

If there is any criticism about the Journal, Cisowski said it's that a few people are disappointed with its role and want more newsy information. Partly to rectify that and partly for his own pleasure, Cisowski said the paper will start running a police blotter.

Cisowski talks passionately about advertising and the business end of the operation, only because it is the most important.

"When you get smug, you're going into decline," he said.

MICHAEL MATHIEU, owner of Life-

water Systems of Connecticut in Manchester, said he has gotten more response from his ad in the Journal than in any other local paper.

"We find that, being a small personal-type paper, it's read more, and we get responses to it," he said. "We just seem to stand out more."

Mathieu said Cisowski comes around once a month and asks him how business is going. "He gives you the impression he believes in your business," Mathieu said.

This one-to-one contact has produced about 70 advertising clients, and the growing number presents its troubles.

"The problem is being able to additionally service the people we have," Cisowski said.

"You have to service those customers," he said. "You could be on the skids tomorrow."

Cisowski said circulation was built up because of advertisers who stuck with the Journal and the increasing amount of home delivery. "The mail built us quick," he said. "It's given me a vote of confidence."

THE JOURNAL currently is distributed to 250 different locations in Manchester. It is also sent to houses and businesses in Columbia, Hebron, Andover, Coventry, Bolton, Storrs and Willimantic. "We're hitting a wide spectrum," Cisowski said. "By next year we should look better."

Cisowski just bought a new 35-millimeter camera, proof that the paper is coming along, although the small amount of money it's made "is into expansion right now."

Plans for the future call for doubling the circulation. If that goal is reached, Cisowski said he will think about getting a slick, color cover.

While the future of the Journal looks promising, Cisowski is hesitant to admit that the paper is a success. The nature of the publishing business, he said, is to accept success too quickly. If it has come too easily, Cisowski only needs to look down at the message on his computer.

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said Town Manager Robert Weiss has written to him saying that the town is considering hiring a part-time traffic engineer for the next fiscal year.

Lutz said that TRAFFIC plans to run an advertisement in local newspapers encouraging residents to tell it about traffic problems around town. The group hopes the response will convince town administrators that a full-time traffic department is needed.

Oakland Street is the road most in need of improvement, Lutz said. He said the volume of traffic already exceeds capacity, making it unsafe. Similarly, Spencer Street also is congested, but the town has allowed new development to occur along both roads, he said.

Lutz said another trouble area is the Stop and Shop supermarket's entrance on Broad Street. He suggested that the current outlet be used for entering traffic only, with another ramp used for exiting traffic.

TRAFFIC first met last week and has a "handful" of members," Lutz said.



Herald photo by Pinto

Passing through

The second fairway at the Manchester Country Club golf course may not be comfortable for golfers these days, but these migrating geese recently found it a good place for a brief

stopover. The geese should have an incentive to go on their way this weekend, when temperatures are expected to turn colder.

Local News in Brief

Seasonal factors boost claims

Nearly 2,200 temporary seasonal claims for unemployment benefits boosted the statewide weekly average by 12.7 percent to 24,068 claims for the first two weeks in December, the state Department of Labor reported Monday.

Included in the total were a weekly average filings of 3,350 new filings, 20,718 continued claims and 2,181 temporary claims. For the previous two week period, the department said, initial filings stood at 3,431, while there were 17,924 continued filings.

Benefits expired for 329 claimants. In Manchester, a weekly average of 674 claims for unemployment benefits were filed during the two week period, including 104 initial and 570 continued. The figure represents a 12.7 percent increase over the previous two-week period, labor officials reported.

Area health clinics planned

Health checkups for Coventry and Andover residents are being offered in January by Community Health Care Services Inc. of Columbia.

On Jan. 6 from 8:30 to 10 a.m. at Community Health Care Services' office on Route 6 in Columbia, and on Jan. 7 from 2 to 3 p.m. at the Coventry Town Office Building, residents can receive blood pressure checks, tuberculosis tests, throat cultures and general health guidance.

On Jan. 8 at Coventry Pharmacy on Route 44, Community Health Care Services will conduct a blood pressure clinic from 1 to 2 p.m. Another clinic will be held Jan. 22 at Village Pharmacy in Coventry on Route 31 from 1 to 2 p.m.

For more information, call 228-9428.

Calendars

Manchester

Monday
Pension Board, Lincoln Center Gold Room, 3 p.m.

Andover

No meetings scheduled.

Bolton

Monday
Board of Selectmen, Community Hall, 7 p.m.

Coventry

Monday
Steering-Liaison Committee, Town Office Building, 7 p.m.
Tuesday
Electronic Advisory Committee, Town Office Building, 7 p.m.

Crash nets several charges

A Manchester woman was charged with driving while intoxicated and evading responsibility after leaving the scene of a two-car accident Tuesday evening on Russell Street, police said Friday.

Police said Julie D. Griswold, 39, of 48 Russell St., was turning right from the southbound lane of Main Street onto Russell Street when her car hit another car stopped in the eastbound lane. Neither Griswold nor the operator of the other car, Harrison H. Barrows, 23, of Coventry, was injured, according to an accident report.

Griswold was also charged with misuse of a registration plate, operating without insurance and reckless operation without a license. She was released on a promise to appear Jan. 12 in Manchester Superior Court.

A South Windsor woman was injured after a two-car accident Tuesday at the intersection of Broad and Woodland streets, police said.

A hospital spokeswoman said the woman, Nancy Sangiovanni, 59, a passenger in a car operated by Craig J. Sangiovanni, 32, of Tolland, was treated for a leg injury at Manchester Memorial Hospital and

released. Police said Sangiovanni's car, which was traveling north on Broad Street, was struck at the intersection of Woodland Street by a westbound car operated by Debra D. Dussault, 16, of 112 Woodland St. Dussault, who was not injured, was fined for failure to obey a stop sign.

COVENTRY — Police are investigating a Wednesday morning accident on Route 44 involving a police cruiser and another vehicle, police said Friday. Police said a patrol car operated by Coventry police Lt. Ronald

Doughty, no age available, was traveling north on Route 44 when it struck another car, operated by Keru Kersen, 59, of Coventry, near the intersection of Northfield Road. No one was injured in the accident, police said.

Police said Doughty was answering a report of an automobile accident when the mishap occurred.

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In Manchester

Group launches push for traffic engineer

By George Layno
Herald Reporter

In order to make travel about Manchester safer and more convenient, a newly organized group of residents concerned about automobile traffic has urged the town to create a traffic department and hire an engineer to monitor traffic patterns.

The group — TRAFFIC, or Town Residents and Friends for Infrastructure Control — plans to help in the effort, said one member, Allen Lutz of Stephen Street. It was formed "principally to identify unsafe (traffic) configurations throughout the town," Lutz said.

"There's a lot of things that I guess are just falling between the cracks because it's not a centralized function," he said of current efforts by the town to deal with traffic. Lutz said traffic-monitoring duties are divided among the police, public works and planning

Lutz said that TRAFFIC plans to run an advertisement in local newspapers encouraging residents to tell it about traffic problems around town.

departments.

When a developer comes before the Planning and Zoning Commission with plans for either new housing, businesses or industry, the town has to rely on traffic studies done by the developer, Lutz said. With a traffic department, the town could provide its own information on which to make permit decisions, he said.

In addition, Lutz complained that a townwide traffic study of Manchester has never been done. He noted that an analysis was done of traffic in the North End in connection with plans for a shopping mall, but said information for

the rest of Manchester is lacking.

The town traffic engineer could review development plans and the condition of current roads and decide what streets should be improved, he said. He said the only cost to the town would be the salary of another engineer, which he put at less than \$50,000.

Lutz added that the engineer could then draw on information from the police, planning and public works departments to come up with recommendations.

Town officials could not be reached for comment Friday. However, Lutz

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Move and marriage cost woman job in New Haven

NEW HAVEN (AP) — Love doesn't conquer all. At least that's what Mary McNeerney has learned since she got married in April.

McNeerney, 32, was a financial administrative assistant for New Haven police for two years until she was fired in October. Her dismissal resulted after she married Lt. Kevin McNeerney, a New Haven city firefighter, and moved to his home in North Haven.

As a city firefighter for 16 years, Kevin McNeerney is entitled to live in any city or town contiguous to New Haven.

But because she was hired after 1978, Mary McNeerney must live in New Haven in order to collect a city paycheck, according to a residency requirement adopted by the Board of Aldermen.

"I figured it was no big deal," Mary McNeerney said. "I thought, 'I can live here'... I thought I could be found in compliance with him... this is a household in compliance. We aren't two individual units anymore."

Mary McNeerney consulted her supervisor in the police department, then the department's personnel officer and, finally, Police Chief William Farrell. She felt confident she was protected by marriage.

In October, she was notified that she would have to apply for a residency waiver and request a hearing. She did so, still certain her marriage would permit her to be found in compliance.

"After that hearing, I got a telephone call at 6:30 at night, at home, telling me my waiver was denied — and that my employment was terminated. Over the phone, they tell me this," she said. "I was completely hysterical. It's bad enough to find the waiver was denied. I didn't even get six months to make a decision about moving back. Not even a chance."

William Jones, city director of organization and development, who also is on the residency review board, voted to allow McNeerney to keep her job.

"It was a rare case," he said. "The first like it we've ever had. There just aren't too many situations like this. Personally, I think there has to be some leniency in the law, some give-and-take with people's lives."

City Controller Michael Milone, one of two board members voting to deny the waiver, said making such decisions "is not a very pleasant thing. People are not being dismissed because of performance."

"Our feeling, under the terms of the ordinance, was (McNeerney) did not meet the 'hardship' test that has been applied consistently to all others. The fact that her husband is a firefighter, and is in compliance, is another issue."

Milone said the board felt it would be unfair to make an exception for McNeerney when others, who also failed the hardship test, had been dismissed.



AP photo

Not a car, but ...

Dick Alegre, 57, shows off the vehicle he keeps in his driveway in Saticoy, Calif., as his children, Deborah and Ritchie, appear to be waiting for a ride. The 70,000-pound Sherman tank was used in World War II.

Fatal crash spurs copter suits

Iceland blames Sikorsky for malfunction

HARTFORD (AP) — Five federal lawsuits have been filed against Sikorsky Aircraft contending that a faulty cargo door on a helicopter it manufactured caused a 1983 crash that killed four Icelandic coast guard crew members.

The S-76 helicopter has been involved in at least 11 other accidents — and nine fatalities — in the past three years, according to the National Transportation Safety Board, the U.S. agency responsible for investigating air crashes.

The Icelandic coast guard contends that the cargo door hit the helicopter's main rotor blades just before the craft plummeted into a fjord in Iceland on Nov. 8, 1983. Stratford-based Sikorsky disputes the allegation.

"Based on our own detailed investigation, we disagree with the conclusions of the Icelandic government," said Sikorsky spokesman Robert Stangarone.

Lawsuits were filed against Sikorsky during the past year on behalf of the Icelandic coast guard and the four dead crew members. The Hartford Courant reported in Friday's editions. The suits were filed in U.S. District Court in Hartford and transferred to New Haven.

The lawsuits contend that the helicopter's sliding cargo door assembly contained "nonstandard components and was missing components, thereby creating a high probability of malfunction in ordinary use."

A report by Iceland's government also notes that the accident occurred at night in a fjord at the end of a long working day for the helicopter crew. The report concluded "there is insufficient evidence to enable the cause of the accident to be fully determined."

The Iceland accident marks the first time that a sliding cargo door has been cited as a problem on S-76 helicopters, according to Stangarone and officials with the Federal Aviation Administration.

Sikorsky, a division of United Technologies Corp. of Hartford, has sold about 300 S-76 helicopters since 1978, when the company began production of the aircraft — the first helicopter designed specifically for private rather than military use.

S-76 helicopters can be outfitted with five to 12 seats and can cost up to \$4 million each, Stangarone said. About half the S-76 helicopters sold to day have been equipped with sliding cargo doors, he said.

Statistics compiled by the National Transportation Safety Board show that nine people have been killed in the four fatal S-76 accidents since 1984. The board's figures relate only to U.S.-registered aircraft and do not include the accident in Iceland.

Four Sikorsky employees were killed when an S-76 crashed in Sutton, Mass., in June. The helicopter was one of four that was to have carried Jordanian King Hussein's entourage to Connecticut.

Clothes claim leads to stabbing

WATERBURY (AP) — A city youth was arraigned Friday on a murder charge in the stabbing of a man who apparently became offended when the youth bragged that he looked better in women's clothes than the man's girlfriend, Waterbury police said.

Jomahl Hurdle, 17, has been charged in the Christmas morning death of Elgin R. Yates, 22, who was fatally stabbed once in the chest.

According to police, the two men were at the home of a friend when Yates got into an argument with Hurdle, who was reportedly

wearing a black wig, purple dress, black panty hose and women's shoes.

The argument spilled out into the street where Hurdle allegedly pulled a knife from his purse and stabbed Yates, according to the police report.

Hurdle fled the scene, but surrendered to authorities later, police said.

At his arraignment Hurdle did not enter a plea. His bond was reduced to \$150,000 and his next appearance in Waterbury Superior Court was scheduled for Jan. 12.

Suicidal gunman dies from bullet

NEW LONDON (AP) — An 18-year-old man who led police on a five-hour chase before shooting himself in the head last week died Friday.

Terrance F. Hogan, of Montville, died at Lawrence and Memorial Hospital in New London at around 8 a.m., a hospital spokeswoman said.

Hogan had shot himself once in the head with a .22-caliber rifle on Dec. 17 as Groton city Police Chief Robert D. Laurie edged toward him, urging him to surrender.

Police were notified earlier that Hogan was armed and acting erratically as he meandered in a car and on foot through Montville and New London.

Police said Hogan had stolen a rifle and some ammunition from the home of a friend in Montville. Later, he threatened to shoot a security guard at Ocean Beach Park in New London, and then forced his way into a parked car at the beach, police said.

Hogan ordered the driver to drive him to a convenience store. After releasing the driver, Hogan led Montville and then Groton police on a chase before he crashed the car into a guardrail on an exit ramp on Interstate 95.

Hogan fled on foot from pursuing police and was cornered on an embankment. Police Chief Laurie tried for 45 minutes to talk Hogan into surrendering and had just handed him a pack of cigarettes when Hogan pulled the trigger, police said.

Police said Hogan had been drinking whiskey and "dropping thiazine like candy."

Connecticut in Brief

Construction to close ramp

HARTFORD — Beginning Monday, Dec. 29, the Capitol Avenue off ramp, or Exit 47, from Interstate 84 eastbound will be closed at certain times for construction, the state Department of Transportation said Friday.

The exit ramp will be closed Mondays through Fridays from 10 p.m. to 6 a.m. for approximately six weeks.

The agency said the ramp will be open to one lane of traffic at all other times, and the restriction will remain in effect for about 18 months to allow for the construction of a new ramp to Asylum Street.

Stamford man wins Lotto twice

NEWINGTON — A Stamford man is splitting Tuesday night's first prize Lotto jackpot of \$1 million with himself.

John Divito, 72, played the same Lotto numbers twice and won once for himself and his wife and the second time for his three sons, lottery officials said Friday.

Divito and his wife Catherine, 69, picked up their first annual check for \$25,437.50, before taxes, and their three sons each got their first annual checks for \$8,479.17.

The prizes were claimed Friday at the state lottery headquarters.

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HARTFORD — At least ten people were injured but no deaths had resulted from highway holiday traffic in Connecticut as of Friday, state police said.

A Connecticut woman, however, and a Virginia man were killed Christmas Day when their cars collided head-on in Exeter, R.I. The woman was identified as Charleen J. Barr-Bump, 26, of Griswold.

Rhode Island police said the car driven by Barr-Bump apparently crossed the center line of Route 185 and collided with a car containing a Virginia couple. Barr-Bump and Joseph P. Bodzioch, 27, of Roanoke, Va., were pronounced dead at the scene of the collision, state police said.

Barr-Bump had an invalid driver's license, police said.

The number of accidents in Connecticut was 76, and 220 motor vehicle arrests had been made, according to police. Of those arrests, 133 were for speeding and eight people had been taken in for drunken driving.

Housing starts fall, but beat '85

HARTFORD (AP) — The numbers of housing start permits issued in November fell 37.4 percent compared to October, a drop that Housing Commissioner Joseph E. Canale said was a normal season decline.

Local building officials issued 1,647 permits for new housing in

November, down 986 units from October, Canale said in a state released Friday.

"Despite this drop, the number of new units authorized through November of this year have surpassed the number of new units permitted in all of 1985," Canale said.

Waterbury led the state with 96 new units authorized. Monroe fol-

lowed with 81, New Haven with 65 and Glastonbury with 58.

New Haven County led the state with 696 new units, followed by Hartford County with 644 and Fairfield County with 496 permits.

Canale said permits issued in 261 cases were for structures of three or more units, while 922 were for single family homes.

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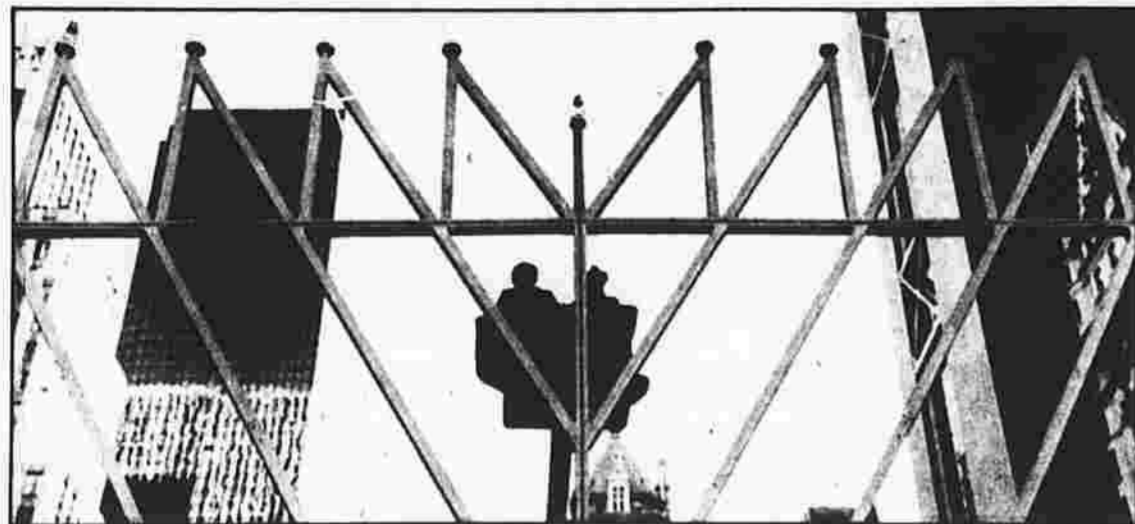
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Another holiday starts

New York Rabbi Shmuel M. Butman (left) views the world's largest Hanukkah menorah with an unidentified assistant. As the Jewish holiday began at sundown

Friday, Butman lit the first candle of the menorah, which is located at 59th Street and 5th Avenue in New York City.

Peking restricts protesters

PEKING (AP) — The city of Peking on Friday issued tough restrictions on demonstrations in an effort to head off further protests by students demanding democratic reforms.

In the central China city of Nanking, up to 4,000 students rallied Friday for the fifth straight day and listened to speeches calling for freedom, less bureaucracy and an end to what was termed dictatorship.

Students have taken to the streets in at least nine Chinese cities this month.

The Peking municipal People's

Congress ruled that demonstrations are illegal without prior police approval and said applications for marches must be submitted to police at least five days in advance.

The ruling, announced on the national evening news, was similar to a clampdown by Shanghai authorities on Monday following demonstrations there by tens of thousands of students demanding respect for human rights and press freedom.

The national government, through the state-run press, has unleashed a media blitz against student activists, with four consec-

utive days of front-page editorials describing the protests as a threat to stability and economic development.

The Shanghai protests, which ran for five days through Tuesday, have subsided. But demonstrations have continued this week in Peking, the eastern port city of Tianjin and Nanking.

Sources in Nanking, about 120 miles west of Shanghai, said students from at least four universities rallied at the Drum Tower, a local landmark near Nanking University.

Claims still conflict in 737 hijacking

DHAHRAN, Saudi Arabia (AP) — Five groups claimed responsibility Friday for the attempted hijacking of an Iraqi airliner that crashed, killing at least 62 people, after grenades exploded during a shootout with sky marshals.

There remained conflicting accounts of what happened, how many people were on the plane, the number of hijackers and the number of people killed.

One claim made in Beirut, which was at odds with passengers' accounts and other claims of responsibility, said the plane was forced down by the Saudi air force after hijackers took control of it, and that many people died when Saudi forces stormed the plane.

A Saudi official said either the pilot or the co-pilot died shortly before the crash, but said he did not know the circumstances.

The Iraqi Airways Boeing 737 reportedly split in two and burst into flames a half-mile from the desert airstrip at Arar, northern Saudi Arabia, on Christmas Day.

The Jordanian government said 95 people were on the plane, 30 of whom survived. But the Saudi Defense Ministry said there were 107 aboard — 91 passengers, 15 crew members and a security man — and that 62 people died.

The death toll was thought to be the highest in a hijacking or attempted hijacking in the history of air piracy.

"There were nine people shooting pistols, two bombs and fire," Salim Abdel Dado, a Jordanian passenger who survived the gunfight and the crash, told The Associated Press in Amman.

Airline security men took part in the battle, survivors said.

"There were more than 100 shots over four or five minutes and two explosions," Abdel Dado said.

The plane was Iraqi Airways Flight 163 from Baghdad, Iraq's capital, to Amman, capital of Jordan. It crashed 250 miles southwest of Baghdad and about 60 miles from the Jordanian border.

Iran coordinator to bypass White House chief

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan, turning outside the White House for help in a time of political turmoil, named NATO Ambassador David Abshire on Friday to coordinate responses to probes of the Iran-Contra affair.

In giving a Cabinet-level post to Abshire, Reagan bypassed White House Chief of Staff Donald T. Regan, who has been interviewed by congressional committees exploring arms sales to Iran and the transfer of proceeds to Nicaraguan rebels.

And on the eve of Reagan's departure for a weeklong vacation in California, a spokeswoman at Georgetown University Hospital said CIA Director William J. Casey "is fully conscious and able to sit up in a bedside chair" following surgery to remove a cancerous brain tumor.

At the White House, spokesman Mark Weinberg said Abshire, 60, will report directly to the president, not to Regan. The spokesman said the new counselor would "coordinate with senior members of the White House staff," including the chief of staff.

Abshire, interviewed on ABC-TV, said he "had good conversations with Don Regan and he told me when we first talked how anxious he was to see this separation..."

Speaking to CBS-TV, Abshire called creation of the new post "a common-sense solution to the management of a

very difficult situation, so that there is no distraction at the White House from its major business, whether it is foreign policy, defense policy or domestic policy, at a very important time."

Some members of Congress have suggested that Regan should step down or be dismissed in the wake of disclosures of the clandestine arms sales and diversion of money to the Contra rebels.

In fact, Senate Republican leader Bob Dole of Kansas reacted quickly to Friday's announcement of Abshire's appointment, hailing it as "yet another signal to Congress and to the American people that President Reagan is determined to stay on top of this controversy until it has been fully resolved."

Sen. Patrick Leahy, D-Vt., vice chairman of the Intelligence Committee, said, "It's good that they're going to have one person coordinating things because virtually everything they need to know can be found out now at the White House. This appointment will save them from asking committees in Congress for a report which will tell them what they have in the White House."

"I hope they will use Mr. Abshire's appointment to make as complete and as public a report as soon as possible," Leahy said in a telephone interview from his home in Middlesex, Vt.

Dole and others had suggested the appointment of a special counselor to

deal with the Iran matter, leaving Regan to oversee other White House activities.

Regan, who knew about the arms sales but says he was not aware of the diversion of funds to Nicaragua, has vowed to remain on the job. The president has not indicated any plans to replace him.

The Georgetown University Hospital statement of Friday was the first significant departure from a series of statements which merely described Casey's condition as stable following the Dec. 18 operation.

In announcing Abshire's appointment, the White House said the ambassador "will head a team that will coordinate White House activities in all aspects of the Iran matter." Weinberg said Abshire's appointment will take effect Jan. 5, and that other members of the team had not yet been named.

Both the House and Senate have named select committees to focus on the Iran-Contra affair when the 100th Congress convenes in the week starting Jan. 4.

In a statement issued through the public affairs office of the U.S. mission to the North Atlantic Treaty Organization in Brussels, Belgium, Abshire said: "This is an unexpected call to duty that I could not do other than accept. I appreciate the president's confidence. I've had a good conversation with him."



DAVID ABSHIRE will hold Cabinet rank

Deadly Atlantic tanker crash second in 2 days

REYKJAVIK, Iceland (AP) — A British tanker ran onto a rock off the east coast of Iceland early Friday and sank, killing all 12 crewmen, Iceland's National Rescue Organization said.

It was the second fatal sinking of a ship in the North Atlantic in as many days.

An Icelandic freighter, the Sudurland, sank midway between Iceland and Norway on Thursday. Five crewmen were rescued by a Danish helicopter, three were killed and three more were missing and presumed dead.

In the second disaster, the 1,260-ton British-owned Syneta sent a mayday distress call saying it had run aground and couldn't launch any of its life rafts because the tanker was too close to a steep, rocky outcrop.

The crew of 12 — six Britons and six Cape Verde Islanders — apparently jumped into the sea when the ship began to sink, said Rescue Organization spokesman Johannes Briem.

Rescuers later found a life raft torn to shreds, a spokesman said. The rescuers recovered six bodies, all

in life jackets. Two other bodies slipped out of their life jackets and sank as the searchers tried to pull aboard trawlers.

One crewman was found alive but he died shortly afterwards, Briem said.

The other three crewmen were missing and presumed dead though the search continued. Hundreds of volunteers combed the beaches.

The Syneta was smashed to pieces. The 284-foot ship was purchased by Syndicate Tankships Ltd. of Gibraltar in October 1985 and is managed by Haggerstone Marine Ltd. of Horn-

church outside London, said managing agent Gordon Haggerstone. It carried vegetable oils and was registered as a motor vessel, he said.

The Syneta was empty when it left the English port of Liverpool on Dec. 20 for Eskifjordur on the east coast of Iceland to pick up 1,100 tons of fish liver oil. "She had been due to... return via Rotterdam and Dunkirk," Haggerstone said.

The Syneta ran aground in relatively good weather on Skrudur rock, a 531-foot high outcrop at the mouth of the Faskrudsfjordur fjord, he said.

U.S./World in Brief

Man kills man over cats

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. — A man living under a highway bridge has turned himself in for killing a fellow drifter who tried to drown four stray cats that shared their shelter, police said Friday.

John Patrick O'Neill, 50, went to authorities on Christmas Eve out of remorse for the Dec. 19 slaying, said police spokesman Howard Zeitman.

He said he beat Daniel Francis Kelly to death after Kelly threatened him with a knife, and then buried him in a shallow grave under the bridge, where police found the body.

"I kind of feel sad for the guy," said Detective Robert Hanlon. "If he didn't come in and tell us about it, there's a very good chance that we never would have found it. I guess it was bothering him."

Reagans keep holiday tradition

WASHINGTON — President Reagan leaves for a one-week California vacation Saturday, planning to see in the new year as usual at the palatial Palm Springs home of publisher Walter Annenberg.

The president and first lady Nancy Reagan will return to the White House Jan. 2.

They will spend Saturday night and Sunday in Los Angeles, flying to Palm Springs on Monday after Reagan presents the Presidential Citizens Medal to Jeana Yeager and Dick Rutan, co-pilots of the globe-girdling aircraft Voyager, and Burt Rutan, designer of the craft.

Fire destroys relic, paintings

NICE, France — A Christmas night fire in a Roman Catholic cathedral destroyed the relic of a saint and three 17th-century paintings, all classified as historic objects, parish officials said Friday.

The fire Thursday night apparently originated in a Christmas creche set up in a chapel of Sainte Repare Cathedral, a 17th-century building in this Mediterranean city's old quarter, according to the rectory. It said the fire probably was sparked by a candle or electrical short circuit.

The blaze destroyed a wooden reliquary containing the skeleton of Saint Alexander, an early Christian martyr. Flames ruined a painting by Jean-Baptiste Van Loo (1684-1745), showing the martyrdom of Saint Bartholomew, and two unsigned paintings from that period.

Communists ask 'people's war'

MANILA, Philippines — Rebels on Friday accused President Corason Aquino of being subservient to foreign interests and called for a "people's war" as they celebrated the 18th anniversary of the Communist Party of the Philippines.

The party's Central Committee said the government's plan for ending Marxist insurgency "leaves unchallenged the continued role of U.S. imperialism" in the Philippines, a former American colony.


A cease-fire in the nearly 18-year-old rebellion has been in effect since Dec. 10. Government and rebel negotiators who worked out the truce are to meet Jan. 6 to begin substantive talks on ending the fighting. Asia's last major communist insurgency.

The Communist Party controls the rebel New People's Army, estimated to have 23,500 combatants. Gen. Fidel V. Ramos, armed forces chief of staff, placed the Philippine military on full alert for Friday's anniversary celebrations.

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Fran Chernyshev of Oak Park, Ill., carries away her holiday supplies for next year at the Marshall Field's store in Chicago's Loop Friday as the store was filled early with post-holiday bargain hunters. Retailers call the day after Christmas one of the biggest shopping days of the year.

Stores face invasion as buyers hunt deals

By The Associated Press

Shoppers crowded into stores across the country Friday looking for bargains on everything from furs to wrapping paper in the annual rite of post-Christmas sales.

They lined up outside before the stores opened, ready to make a beeline for marked-down items. Some retailers opened earlier than usual to accommodate the rush.

Stores reported that most customers were buying merchandise, not returning it.

Among the departments most mobbed by bargain-hunters were those selling heavily discounted Christmas cards, wrapping paper and tree decorations.

At the crowded Christmas shop at Macy's flagship store in midtown Manhattan, customers pulled down the store's own decorations and bought them.

"We opened at 9 (an hour early), and

they were lined up around the block," said Sally Sargent, a spokeswoman for Bloomingdale's in New York. "Trim a Tree" is mobbed.

The temperature in Chicago was around 30 degrees, but shoppers apparently had the arctic temperatures of January and February in mind as they lined up for Marshall Field's fur sale. The store discounted furs up to 70 percent, said a Marshall Field spokesman, Doug Dome.

"Traffic is incredibly high" throughout the 27 Marshall Field stores in Illinois, Wisconsin and Texas, Dome said.

Saks Fifth Avenue's Manhattan store was "close to a mob scene," said general manager Joseph Gromek.

But some retail chains found their downtown stores relatively quiet while business boomed in the suburbs, as many offices were closed and customers shopped at store branches near their homes.

Macy's no pretty sight

NEW YORK (AP) — It was not a pretty sight at Macy's 34th Street department store on the day after Christmas.

Cabbage Patch dolls reduced to \$49.95 and \$5 GoBots lay in shambles on the floor of the Parade of Toys department, reminders of shopping havoc wreaked on Christmas Eve past.

Frantic bargain hunters already planning for next year's holiday ripped glittering yards of white and gold beaded garland off the wall displays of Santa's Workshop where marked down Christmas ornaments were going fast at 50 percent off.

Post-Christmas buyers turned Macy's into a big shop of horrors with long lines for returns, ragged rows of off-handed gifts still waiting to be purchased and sale signs everywhere.

"I should have called in sick today," said John Hankerson, a part-time worker in the ninth-floor Christmas

department, where hundreds of shoppers filled arms and baskets with rolls of snowflake-decorated wrapping paper, colorful ribbons and cardboard angels.

"I never expected to have to undecorate the place," he said as he climbed on a counter to help a customer pull a garland off a decorated window on a once festive display.

Zinnia Martinez was not happy to be back at Macy's to return her children's Christmas presents.

The \$69.99 Smarty Bear was supposed to move his eyes and mouth while he talked, but he didn't, she said. The \$50 Whiz Kid was supposed to work like a computer when you pressed the buttons, but it didn't.

"My kids were upset when they opened their presents on Christmas morning and nothing worked," said the counselor at Metropolitan Life.

Greyhound dumps cities as UAL buys into hotels

By Rick Gladstone
The Associated Press

NEW YORK — The U.S. travel industry witnessed a vivid reminder of the public's preference for the airplane over the bus this past week.

Greyhound Corp. announced the sale of the intercity bus business it helped pioneer 73 years ago, while United Airlines' parent company undertook a billion-dollar expansion in the hotel business.

Greyhound, which is based in Phoenix, Ariz., said it agreed to sell the nation's largest intercity bus operation for \$350 million to an investor group headed by Fred G. Currey, chairman of Buslease Inc. of Dallas.

Chicago-based UAL Inc., parent of United, Westin Hotels and Hertz Corp., said it would buy the Hilton International Co. hotel chain for about \$980 million from Transworld Corp. of New York.

Financial analysts and travel agents generally saw the bus-line sale as a shrewd move by Greyhound, primarily because intercity bus travel has been declining for two decades.

The drop has been particularly acute in the last few years, as millions of former bus riders have opted to take advantage of low air fares spawned by intense competition between airlines.

John W. Teets, Greyhound's chairman and chief executive, attempted earlier this year to trim the bus operations, first by selling or leasing terminals and later by reorganizing the network into regional subsidiaries.

At the same time, he had been threatening to sell the entire bus business unless the company won major concessions from the Amalgamated Transit Union, which represents most of the carrier's 7,500 employees. Earlier this month the union rejected a

contract that would have reduced labor costs by 15 percent.

Divesting the bus operations leaves Greyhound devoted almost exclusively to financial services and a variety of consumer products ranging from Dial soap to Purex bleach. Transportation accounted for about a quarter of the parent company's total 1985 revenue of \$3.28 billion.

Currey's group has said it will retain the Greyhound name and logo, which have become a familiar sight on roads nationwide since the company's first bus rolled out of a driveway in 1913. But it remains unclear whether Currey will hire Greyhound drivers or even negotiate with them.

"It's pretty much up in the air right now, we don't really know what's going on," said Wesley Ponsford, financial secretary-treasurer of the Los Angeles-based union's Local 1508.

"Our people are happy that somebody who wants to be in the bus business has bought the company," he said. But a predominant feeling in the union is that if Currey asks for concessions, "people would rather go out and find another job," he added.

In interviews following the announcement, Currey said he expected intercity bus travel to rebound, partly because consolidation among airlines inevitably will drive up air fares and enable bus carriers to raise fares as well. That would signal a potential boom for Greyhound's bus operation, which historically has dominated the business and still accounts for about 60 percent of overall routes.

News of Greyhound's decision helped boost the parent company's stock price by \$1.75 a share to \$31.87 1/2, investors had a different opinion of UAL's Hilton International purchase. UAL stock dropped more than \$3 a share to the \$54 level, reflecting doubt that the company could digest the hotel chain.

Wall Street gets a monster

NEW YORK (AP) — If you've been watching the stock market lately, you may feel you're seeing a horror film: The Machine That Ate Wall Street.

The creature in question is the computer, which allows professional traders to bombard the market instantaneously with huge amounts of buy and sell orders in a practice known as program trading, sometimes causing big swings in prices.

This beast is so powerful it can monitor every fluctuation in the markets for individual stocks and stock-index options and futures. Before it sends its electronic shivers through the markets, it actually tells its masters when the time is ripe to do so.

Its roar is heard most clearly on occasions like last Friday, when a record 244.68 million shares were traded on the New York Stock Exchange at what has been dubbed the "triple witching hour."

Whenever it is thought to be loose in the land, individual investors scurry into hiding, like the frightened peasants in some Boris Karloff movie. If this story follows the standard Hollywood script, onlookers fear, it could end with the villains and the village together being consumed in flames.

Of course, as any sophisticated audience knows, melodramatic tales of this type are rarely based on fact, but rather on superstition and the fear of the unknown.

The many advocates of program trading and other modern Wall Street practices say the new techniques and technology in use today have in fact made the markets a better, more efficient mechanism than ever before.

They cite statistical studies that show that the volatility of the stock prices is no greater than it was 10 or 15 years ago.

Yet the question persists: Have today's financial scientists created a monster? At the

moment, only some partial answers to that question are readily apparent.

Point No. 1: Not only is the computer itself a passive entity, but so are the program traders who use it. They react automatically to fluctuations in various markets, rather than acting to create them.

Point No. 2: Because it is predictable to some extent, program trading creates opportunities for exploitation by sophisticated opportunists who monitor the spread between prices of stock-index futures and the indexes themselves.

John Mendelson, an analyst at Dean Witter Reynolds Inc. who has made this point in published accounts of conversations with a fellow he calls "Bennie the trader," notes that it tends to diminish links between stock prices and such economic fundamentals as corporate earnings and dividends.

Point No. 3: Program trading is part of a process that ties the stock market to the futures markets, which have different rules and different regulators. Whether this is good or bad remains a matter for debate.

"Complaints that futures trading destabilizes markets have been heard over many decades in the case of futures on individual commodities," say economists at New York's Morgan Guaranty Trust.

"But in fact, studies of futures trading generally have found that the volatility of cash-market prices for individual commodities did not increase after futures trading began, and in some cases have found that volatility declined."

Mendelson's friend Bennie, now playing the game on the futures side in Chicago, sees things from another perspective.

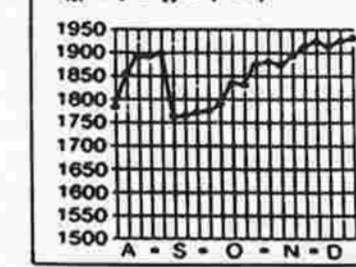
"I told you last winter that the NYSE was rapidly becoming a derivative of the Chicago markets," Bennie says.

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Film star dies of pneumonia

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Actress Elsa Lanchester, a two-time Academy Award nominee famous for eccentric and comic roles such as the monster's wife in "The Bride of Frankenstein," died Friday. She was 84.

Lanchester, whose film credits included co-starring roles with her husband Charles Laughton, died of bronchiopneumonia at the Motion Picture and Television Country House and Hospital in Woodland Hills, said hospital spokeswoman Jean Ferris.

Incapacitated by heart problems since suffering a stroke in 1984, Lanchester was admitted to the hospital Dec. 17, Ferris said.

She had no living close relatives and lived in the Los Angeles area, Ferris said. The actress had asked that no funeral service be held and that no information be released about the disposition of her remains, according to the spokeswoman.

Among Lanchester's film credits were "The Bride of Frankenstein,"



ELSA LANCHESTER
... comic roles

a 1935 horror classic that gently mocked the genre. Among the others were "David Copperfield" (1935), "The Spiral Staircase" (1945), "Witness for the Prosecution" (1957), "Mary... Poppins"

(1964); "Murder By Death" (1976); and many others.

Born Elizabeth Sullivan in Lewisham, England, Lanchester began her life in show business at age 16 in children's theater in London's Soho district, and danced with Isadora Duncan's troupe in Paris. Her first film appearance was in 1927, in the British movie "One of the Best."

She married Laughton in 1929 and went with him to Hollywood in 1934, where they worked together in "The Private Life of Henry VIII" and "Rembrandt." Laughton died in 1962.

Lanchester played a wide range of character roles, and critics said she was at her best in eccentric or comic parts, such as the monster's bride in "Bride of Frankenstein." She played Anne of Cleves opposite Laughton in "Henry VIII," a film for which her husband won an Academy Award.

Lanchester was nominated for Oscars for her roles in the 1949 film "Come to the Stable" and in the 1958 movie "Witness for the Prosecution."

Maine cops get more than Santa

ALFRED, Maine (AP) — A man dressed as Santa Claus was arrested after a policeman stopped his car for a traffic violation and found out that the man in the bright red suit was a probation violator.

Kevin Fletcher remained in the York County Jail Friday, unable to post \$10,000 bail.

Fletcher, 33, was stopped Wednesday evening as he was driving to the home of a customer who had hired him to appear as Santa at a holiday gathering.

An officer on patrol spotted a car without a rear registration plate. When he pulled the car over, the officer found a Santa-suited driver at the wheel.

A check of the license and registration turned up an outstanding Superior Court warrant in which Fletcher was named as a probation violator. He was charged with having failed to make restitution in connection with a forgery conviction and for not reporting to his probation officer as required.

Fletcher was booked at the York County Jail, where he spent Christmas Day, unable to post the \$10,000 double surety bail set by the court.

OPINION

Lack of rides isn't so safe for teenagers

When a group of Manchester High School students began organizing a chapter of Safe Rides a couple of years ago, their effort was well received.

One prominent businessman donated space at his auto dealership for the group to use as its headquarters, and a number of students volunteered to give up some of their weekend nights to help make sure peers who had been drinking made it home safely.

In fact, the Manchester group now has a glut of student volunteers, with about 50 waiting to be trained, according to Safe Rides President Cathy Topping.

The service, which operates mostly on weekend evenings, offers a free and confidential ride to anyone under 20 who has had too much to drink and doesn't want to drive or to teens who don't want to ride with someone who has been drinking. Since its inception, the Manchester Safe Rides program has provided hundreds of rides for young people who might otherwise have risked their lives and those of others by trying to drive under the influence of alcohol or drugs.

Unfortunately, Safe Rides programs in other towns have not been as successful.

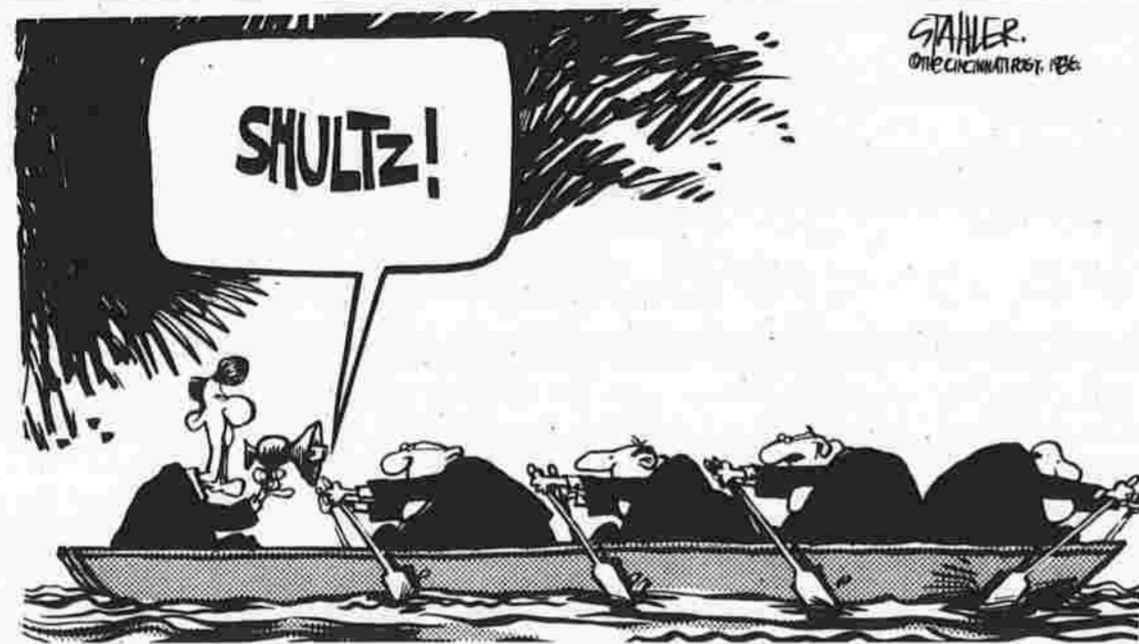
Programs in some towns have been shut down for months because of a lack of student drivers, while in others organizational troubles have kept them from getting off the ground.

In Wethersfield, a lack of student interest has stalled the program for two months, while in Enfield, only one of the 35 students who volunteered was given parental permission to drive. The program adviser in that town said many students tell her their parents won't let them drive for fear of a lawsuit should an accident occur.

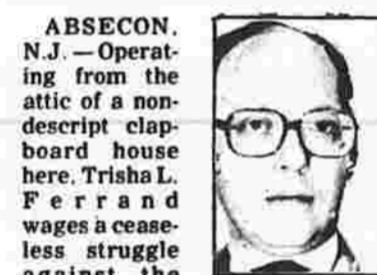
Helping strangers has always been a somewhat risky proposition.

But Safe Rides programs in towns like Manchester have demonstrated their safety and worth time and again. Besides saving the lives of potential victims, Safe Rides teaches student volunteers about safety, responsibility and caring — something that students who are reluctant to give up a few of their weekends should keep in mind.

Parents who keep their children from participating in Safe Rides are sending them the wrong message, one of "don't get involved." They should remember that without the option offered by Safe Rides, it just might be their child who winds up in the morgue.



Jersey activist wins trash war



Robert Walters

ABSECON, N.J. — Operating from the attic of a nondescript clapboard house here, Trisha L. Ferrand wages a ceaseless struggle against the federal government, the plastics industry and assorted other powerful institutions.

So far, she's winning. The determined 35-year-old resident of this southern New Jersey seaside community gets a lot of help from her friends. Indeed, the key to her success is her ability to mobilize networks of like-minded people throughout the country.

A dedicated proponent of recycling, Ferrand is especially troubled by the use of plastic packaging materials that are difficult to recycle, are not biodegradable when dumped into landfills and produce toxic byproducts when incinerated.

FARRAND SHARES her concerns with 30 activist leaders in Oregon, Minnesota, Michigan, Massachusetts, Nebraska, Pennsylvania, New York, New Jersey, New Hampshire and other states who regularly receive the "National Recyclers Multi-logue" she edits.

That unique publication, characterized by Ferrand as a "paper-based conference," combines the characteristics of a round-robin letter, newspaper clipping service, bulletin board and scrapbook.

Ferrand also operates a computer-based bulletin board called RecycleNet that allows instant exchange of data among concerned citizens in states

stretching from California to Connecticut.

"We've mobilized hundreds of people," boasts Ferrand, who heads the nationwide Coalition for Recyclable Waste, is executive director of the Association of New Jersey Recyclers and is a partner in a consulting firm specializing in recycling.

ONE TEST of her organizing ability occurred in autumn of 1985, when the Coca-Cola Co. began test marketing a three-piece plastic and aluminum soft drink can in 14 stores in Columbus, Ga.

The cylindrical body of the can was made of polyethylene terephthalate, commonly known as PET, while the lids on both ends were aluminum and the label was made of polyvinyl chloride, commonly known as PVC.

With the assistance of the Environmental Task Force, a public interest group based in Washington, D.C., Ferrand mounted a nationwide campaign against the three-piece can on the grounds that it could neither be disposed of efficiently nor recycled economically.

The labels posed a particular problem because when PVC is burned the chlorine in the compound combines with water vapor to form hydrochloric acid, an air pollutant that is a leading component of acid rain. Incineration of PVC also produces toxic dioxins

and furans.

In March of this year, Coca-Cola concluded its test, proclaimed the three-piece can to be "a technical and marketing success" — but indefinitely withheld mass distribution pending development of "viable recycling systems."

HAVING FORCED COCA-COLA to back down, Ferrand now has launched an even more ambitious effort to force the Food and Drug Administration to abandon proposed regulations that would allow expanded use of PVC as a food and beverage packaging material.

Most plastic food packaging now is made of PET, but PVC is less permeable and thus more effective in preventing oxygen from entering the packages. PVC also is lighter, less expensive and less susceptible to breakage than PET.

Until now, however, the FDA has prohibited wider PVC use because the compound migrates to the food and contaminates the package contents. PVC's vinyl chloride monomer is of special concern because it is carcinogenic to humans.

The FDA argues that the problem now can be controlled. If its proposed rules are adopted, the level of PVC use as a food packaging material, which now stands at about 250 million pounds annually, would triple as it became a popular container for liquor, milk, frozen vegetables and other products.

But Ferrand points to evidence that the health and disposal issues have not been resolved — and in recent weeks she has inspired more than 150 letters of protest to the FDA.

Robert Walters is a syndicated columnist.

Finally, Pentagon will attract fruitcakes

WASHINGTON — Add this to the American taxpayers' seasonal blessings: The Pentagon has sliced its detailed specifications for the armed services' traditional holiday fruitcakes from 16 pages to four.

It's too early to predict how this will save in actual dollars. But the simplification should sharpen the competition for fruitcake contracts by bringing in experienced commercial bakers who don't feel like adjusting their proven, successful recipes to meet the picky requirements of the 16-page specs.

In fact, the new fruitcake specs have been aimed deliberately at suppliers who have been selling their product on the civilian market. The new four-page "commercial item description" simply lists the essential ingredients without the niggling detail that old specs included.

The new requirements still name the various types of fruit to be used, but do not, for example, insist that the cherries be tinted with colorfast dye that won't run in the batter, or demand



Jack Anderson

that the candied orange peels and pineapples have a "75 percent soluble solids content." Nor do the new specs give the temperature at which the eggs for the batter must be stored.

THE LOOSER SPECIFICATIONS may also improve the quality of the fruitcake by weeding out incompetent suppliers who used the more detailed specs as a recipe to be followed slavishly. As any amateur cook knows from watching Julia Child, literal devotion to measurements is no substitute for experience.

An amendment to the Pentagon budget now permits military procurement officers to consider a supplier's commercial success when buying any of the thousands of different items

used by the armed forces every year. The streamlining of old, unwieldy specifications is being supervised by Peter Yurcisin, head of the Office of Standardization and Data Management.

Yurcisin knows the job won't be easy: There are specs for 55,000 different items the Pentagon buys. But 4,000 industry standards have already replaced the old, by-the-numbers specs, and Yurcisin predicts that about 2,000 more commercial item descriptions will be adopted in 1987.

"THAT DOES NOT MEAN we are adopting every one (that industry) makes," Yurcisin told our associate Stewart Harris. But if, for example, the Society of Automotive Engineers (SAE) has already done the detail work and come up with an acceptable standard, Yurcisin figures there's often no real need for the military to do it all over again just have its own requirements.

Except for obvious items that have a uniquely military application, collaboration between the Pentagon and its civilian contractors should enable specs to be drafted that will be useful to all concerned, according to Yurcisin.

Procurement officers and suppliers alike will have fewer headaches if the contractors' commercial expertise can be taken into account.

Among the items that have not suffered from adoption of industry standards are hot-chocolate dispensers and dishracks. The streamliners may eventually zero in on chewing gum (17 pages of specs) and athletic supporters (22 pages).

Much of the concern over military specs was triggered by the Defense Science Board, headed by Dr. Joseph Shea of Raytheon.

Footnote: Yurcisin's office has begun eliminating specs that are not reviewed every five years.

Patent of the week

Lazy fishermen are the intended beneficiaries of this week's prize patent application:

• **Automatic Fishing Machine** (Pat. No. 4,627,186). This gadget, eagerly awaited by the Izaak Walton of the world, automatically jerks up the rod when the bait is taken, thereby hooking the poor fish. At the same time, it sets off an alarm to awaken the snoozing fisherman so he can reel in his catch.

My \$1,000 plan still a good idea



George McGovern

President Reagan has achieved my \$1,000 proposal in reverse. In 1972, as the Democratic nominee for president, I proposed that we terminate existing welfare programs, including the personal income tax exemption of \$1,000.

I suggested that the Internal Revenue Service simply grant every American a \$1,000 tax credit, or "Demogrant."

Those with enough income to pay taxes would apply their \$1,000 credit toward their tax obligation. Those with less income would use whatever part of the tax credit was necessary to pay their taxes, and the balance would come to them as a cash income supplement. Those with income below taxing levels would receive the tax credit in the form of cash grants — the so-called negative income tax.

THERE ARE SEVERAL advantages to such a plan:

1. All of this would be processed through the IRS with no need for a huge welfare bureaucracy.
2. It is more equitable because it benefits the working poor, those with dependent children as well as those without income who now are welfare recipients.
3. It does not require a demeaning division of the populace into welfare recipients who receive and the rest of us who pay. Under my proposal the IRS

computers quietly add \$1,000 to everyone's account. They do that now under the personal income tax exemption, but the present system is of primary benefit to high-income families.

In 1972 I was widely ridiculed for this \$1,000 proposal. The lavishly funded Nixon-campaign TV ads contended that I would put most of the nation on a new welfare dole that would be added to the taxes of working people. These charges were made despite the fact that the Nixon administration had made a similar proposal a few years earlier only to back away from it at the first sign of controversy. A similar idea, the negative income tax, has long been advanced by the conservative University of Chicago economist Milton Friedman.

I STILL BELIEVE that the principle of my proposal, or the similar idea of Professor Friedman, is sound and should be carefully considered.

It is difficult to estimate the cost of such a program without extensive computer analysis, but it could hardly be more costly than the existing welfare network and the personal income tax

exemption it would replace.

Of course, the \$1,000 tax credit would have to be adjusted to today's comparable dollar value and cost of living. I proposed in 1972 that, whatever the cost of the program, it should be financed by a reformed income tax structure that would close unjustified loopholes and adjusted tax rates to avoid federal deficits. I further proposed a carefully planned defense structure based on the nation's real needs that would save many billions of dollars to help reduce or eliminate the federal deficit, which was then comparatively small.

CURIOSLY ENOUGH, President Reagan has now achieved a different kind of \$1,000-per-person allocation — the federal deficit.

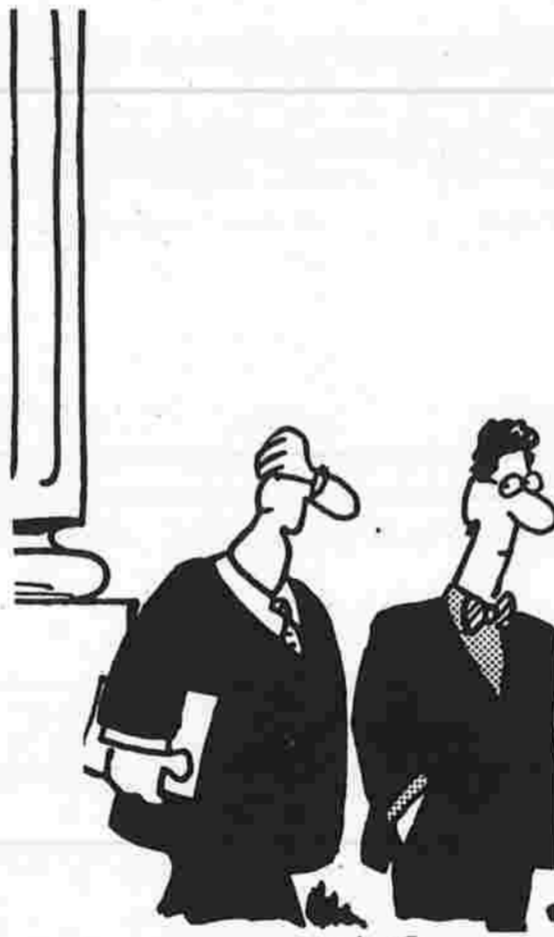
The budget deficit for the fiscal year ending Sept. 30, 1986, exceeded \$220 billion. That means the Reagan administration is now borrowing about \$1,000 annually for every man, woman and child in the United States.

Instead of tax adjustments to cover the costs of government, we have had a tax cut since 1981.

Instead of welfare reform, we have the same old welfare network. Instead of reductions in military spending through long overdue reform, we have fed an accelerating arms race complete with the MX missile, the B-1 bomber and now Star Wars.

I still prefer the much maligned McGovern plan of 1972.

Former Sen. George McGovern, the Democratic presidential candidate in 1972, writes a syndicated column.



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Film Capsules

Little Shop of Horrors (PG-13) First a 1960 Roger Corman grade-Z horror flick, then an early-'80s Howard Ashman-Alan Menken off-Broadway musical, this quirky tale of a nerd florist whose man-eating plant brings him fame and customers return to the scene in musical form. The result is the funniest and liveliest movie musical in a long time. (not that there's been much competition.) Surprisingly well-directed by Frank Oz (Yoda in "The Empire Strikes Back"), this "Little Shop" is a blend of shock, kitsch, camp and — the fusing element — early rock 'n' roll romanticism.

The essence of the production is Ellen Greene's delicious performance as the ditzy blonde salesgirl who falls for the nerd florist. Re-creating her off-Broadway triumph, Greene is a bruised, Betty Boop-voiced sex kitten. Her performance is a miraculous union of parody and pathos, beauty and buffoonery. As the nerd, Rick Moranis might be extending the character he played in "Ghostbusters." The ever-growing, carnivorous plant is a special-effects delight created by "animatronics" expert Lyle Conway, and bearing the drop-dead soulful vocal cords of Four Tops singer Levi Stubbs.

When Steve Martin appears as Greene's sadistic dentist/biker boyfriend, the already energetic movie gets a jolt of comic electricity. Martin's scene with Bill Murray (playing a masochist who loves to have his teeth drilled) is the high point of the film — hysterically funny looniness with, shall we say, a real bit to it. **Grade: "A"**

No Mercy (R) One of those nasty, spiky contemporary thrillers (like "Manhunter" and "8 Million Ways to Die") that are showcases for directorial style and dark, fashionable cinematography. The surprise here is that the director showing his flair for erotic-tinged violence is none other than Richard Pearce, maker of the earnest, homiletic "Country."

Richard Gere, in his best performance since "An Officer and a Gentleman," plays a tough Chicago cop avenging the death of his partner. The trail leads to Louisiana bayou country — and into the arms of the killer's Cajun moll (Kim Basinger, that purveyor of sweaty, pouty sexiness). Jeroen Krabbé makes a scary and kinky nemesis, and the camera work is full of sensuous shadows and seamy surfaces. But the mannered brutality and meanness grow irritating. **Grade: "A"**

New home videos

Desert Bloom (PG) RCA/Columbia Pictures Home Video, \$79.95. This 1988 first feature-film by Eugene Corr is heavy on structure and symbolism, with perhaps too-clear ties to the theater and the literary memoir form. But the structure pays off, and the movie — a portrait of a 13-year-old girl and her family in Las Vegas, on the eve of an A-bomb test in the early '50s — has both poetry and power.

Corr sees post-World War II American society and its traumas — the aftereffects of war, anxiety about the bomb, the rising divorce rate and the breakdown of the traditional family — through the eyes of sensitive and resilient teenager (Annabeth Gish). There are expert performances by Jon Voight, LeBeth Williams and Ellen Barkin, and the period details are apt and witty. **Grade: "A"**

The Trip to Bountiful (PG) Embassy cassette, \$78.95. One of playwright/screenwriter Horton Foote's Southern sermons (others include "Tender Mercies" and "Tomorrow") this late-1985 release earned Geraldine Page a Best Actress Oscar. Page has a field day with the role of Carrie Watts, a hymn-singing old woman with a bad heart who yearns to return to her hometown before she dies. **Grade: "A"**

(Film grading: "A" — excellent, "A" — good, "A" — fair, "A" — poor)

Musical high notes of '86

By Mary Campbell
The Associated Press

Gian Carlo Menotti was 75 in 1986 and composed an opera, "Goya," for tenor Placido Domingo. Vladimir Horowitz was 81 and went to Russia, performing in his native land for the first time in 61 years, on his own piano which he took along. One of his recitals there was telecast via satellite to North America, Europe and Russia. Virgil Thomson was 90 and attended birthday parties and lots of performances of his compositions, in his native Kansas City and adopted New York.

The "Goya" premiere, a \$1.1 million production, given by the Washington Opera, was attended by Queen Sofia of Spain. More critics disapproved than lauded the opera but Domingo says he likes it and hopes other companies will present it — and him in it.

The new Music Center Opera in Los Angeles opened a five-opera, \$5 million season with "Otello," starring Domingo. In New York, Carnegie Hall reopened after six months of renovation, looking once again as it did when it opened in 1893, its vaulted acoustics intact.

Luciano Pavarotti toured China for two weeks in "La Boheme" and found the response as enthusiastic as any since his professional debut in 1961. The Municipal Opera

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Theater of Genoa, at a cost of \$4 million, sent the tenor, the opera's orchestra and chorus and 20 tons of equipment.

Duke Ellington's only opera, "Queenie Pie," was finally performed, first by the American Music Theater Festival in Philadelphia, then in Washington, receiving rave reviews.

Thomas Pasatieri's opera, "Three Sisters," based on a play by Chekhov, was given its premiere by Opera Columbus, the first premiere of a full-length opera in the state of Ohio. It was recorded, the first of Pasatieri's 17 operas to receive a complete recording.

The New York City Opera presented the premiere of Anthony Davis' remarkable first opera, "X (The Life and Times of Malcolm X)." The English National Opera premiered Harrison Birtwistle's complex, four-hour "The Mask of Orpheus."

The Santa Fe Opera did the American premiere of Aulis Sallinen's third opera, "The King Goes Forth to France," a grim allegory of the future. Ferruccio Busoni's "Turandot," from 1917, received its American premiere by the Connec-

ticut Grand Opera and Stamford State Opera in Stamford, Conn.

The Statue of Liberty centennial year, which began with the premiere of Richard Adler's "The Lady Remember" in Washington, ended with the premiere of William Schuman's "On Freedom's Ground" in New York.

Dame Joan Sutherland, at 60, celebrated the 25th anniversary of her glorious Metropolitan Opera debut by singing in "I Puritani" — gloriously. The Met opened its season with "Die Walkure," the first in its new productions of Wagner's Ring cycle operas.

The Rome section, composed by Philip Glass, of Robert Wilson's "The CIVIL WARS" was performed in Brooklyn and "The Knee Plays," composed by David Byrne as joints between scenes, toured 10 cities. The Pulitzer Prize's drama committee recommended "The CIVIL WARS" but the governing board said no because it hasn't all been performed in the same place at the same time.

George Perle, 71, won the Pulitzer Prize for music. Gyorgy Ligeti, 63, received the \$150,000 Grawemeyer Award for music composition. Composers Perle and Milton B. Babbitt, 70, received "genius grants" of \$300,000 each and Charles Wuorinen, 48, received \$236,000 from the MacArthur Foundation.

Prodigy unfazed by success

By Maggie Jackson
The Associated Press

TOKYO — It was a hot, muggy July night at Tanglewood, the summer home of the Boston Symphony Orchestra in Lenox, Mass., and 15-year-old Midori Goto was making her debut as a soloist with the orchestra.

She was playing Leonard Bernstein's Serenade for Violin and String Orchestra from memory. Bernstein himself was on the podium. Suddenly, her E string snapped.

With only a slight pause, she

turned, borrowed the Stradivarius of concertmaster Malcolm Lowe and resumed playing, only to break a second E string moments later. Turning to Lowe once again, she took the violin he in turn had borrowed from another musician and, with her third instrument of the night tucked under her chin, calmly finished the piece.

Bernstein gave the violin prodigy a bear hug. The audience gave her a standing ovation. Her E-string mishap had become an international triumph.

More perplexed than vexed by the sudden public attention and

demands for interviews, Midori said the only thing that bothered her about reaction to the E string episode was that it concentrated on her actions, not her music.

"I just changed (violins) — there was nothing more to it than that," she said with a smile that revealed a glint of lower braces. "I just think some people were out of focus; they only talked about that stupid E string and not the piece. I loved that piece — it was beautiful."

"But I didn't think it (the attention) was bad," she said. "After all, it is going to be a good memory."

Theater Schedule

HARTFORD
Cinema City — No Mercy (R) 1:45, 4:10, 7:20, 9:35. — Lady and the Tramp (G) 1, 3, 4:45, 6:45, 8:40. — Round Midnight (R) 1:15, 4, 7, 9:45. — Children of a Lesser God (R) 1:30, 4:20, 7:20, 9:35.

EAST HARTFORD
Sensuous Pub & Cinema — Stand by Me (R) 7:15, 9:10.
Peer Richard's Pub & Cinema — The Color of Money (R) Sat. 7:30, 9:30, midnight; Sun. 5, 7:30, 9:30.
Showcase Cinemas 14 — Crimes of the Heart (PG-13) 12:40, 2:45, 5:10, 7:40, 9:50. — Mosquito Coast (PG) 12:15, 2:35, 4:55, 7:10, 9:40, 11:55. — Little Shop of Horrors (PG-13) 1:05, 3:05, 5:15, 7:40, 9:55. — American Toll (G) 12:15, 2, 5:35. — "Crocodile" Dundee (PG-13) 3:45, 5:35, 7:30, 9:30, 11:30. — Star Trek IV: The Voyage Home (PG) 12:30, 2:50, 5:05, 7:25, 9:50, midnight. — Three Amigos (PG) 12:20, 2:40, 4:45, 7:25, 9:50, midnight. — The Golden Child (PG-13) 1, 3, 5, 7:15, 10, midnight. — The Morning After (R) 12:30, 2:45, 4:55, 7:15, 9:50, 12:05.

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THE GOLDEN CHILD (PG-13) 1:05-3:05-5:10 7:15-9:20-11:25	THREE AMIGOS (PG) 12:20-2:40-4:45 7:25-9:50-11:55
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Nimoy returns as 'very human character'

By Bob Thomas
The Associated Press

LOS ANGELES — Leonard Nimoy, the world's greatest authority on Mr. Spock, likes to analyze his character.

"In a way, Spock is an extraordinarily human character," he said. "He is considered the alien, but there is something about his alienness that is extremely human. He is born of a Vulcan father and an Earth mother, which gives him an internal complex of his rational side versus his emotional side. We all experience that."

"At some time in our lives, we all think, 'Gee, I wish I could control my emotions.' Spock is fighting that battle constantly. So in a way he is a very, very human character."

Nimoy and Spock are back for another go-round of the television series that would not die. When "Star Trek" faded from NBC on Sept. 2, 1969, everyone thought the series would soon be forgotten.

"When we were canceled at the end of the third season, I thought that was the end of that," recalled the 55-year-old actor. "I thought that after a year or two of reruns, 'Star Trek' would be history."

"BUT WHEN it went into syndication in the early '70s, suddenly it started coming back in a gigantic way. It was really remarkable. It is still remarkable to me."

"Star Trek IV: The Voyage Home" stars Nimoy, William Shatner, DeForest Kelley, James Doohan, George Takei, Walter Koenig and Nichelle Nichols, the seemingly ageless space travelers, along with a guest star, Catherine Hicks. For the second time in a row, Nimoy served as director, a role he admitted was not easy at the start.

"I was surprised when I came to direct 'Star Trek III' — I found out eventually in a nice kind of way — that the cast had been a little concerned about how this was going to work," he said. "I think they were nervous that somehow I wouldn't appreciate their performances or I wouldn't appreciate their contributions. They weren't sure how I would be as a director."

"We discovered that we all had mutual interests. It was to all of our best interests to enjoy the work, appreciate each other and get a good film made,

which we did. When it came time for me to direct 'Star Trek IV,' they were all welcoming the idea. They liked the script, and we all had a good time together."

NIMOY HAS been an actor most of his life. Born to Russian-Jewish immigrants in Boston, he began appearing in community theaters as a teen-ager. He left a Boston College scholarship in drama to try his luck in California, enrolling at the famed Pasadena Playhouse. His first film role was in 1951 in "Queen for a Day."

"In 1966, when I started 'Star Trek,' I had been in films 15 years," said the actor, who wears a trimmed, salt-and-pepper beard in his non-Spock life. "I had been teaching acting classes successfully for several years, and had plans to become a director. I was making a substantial, secure living."

"But I was the kind of actor who if you saw me on the street, you'd think, 'Didn't I meet him at a party somewhere?' You wouldn't necessarily associate me with any particular performance."

"I was a little nervous about going into 'Star Trek,'" Nimoy said. "I was pretty serious about the work I was doing, trying to maintain a dignified career. To put on pointed ears was a pretty dangerous thing to do." He laughed heartily.

HAS THE identity as Spock held back his career as a serious actor?
"No, I don't think so. I can only judge one side of the coin, because the negative side is something I have no way of knowing. I never got a call from a producer saying, 'We have this wonderful role but we can't give it to you because you play Mr. Spock in 'Star Trek.' You don't get those phone calls, so you don't hear the down side."

"But I can say that I have never been out of work since 1966, and there are very few actors who are lucky enough to make that statement," he said. "I've had great opportunities. I've been on Broadway in plays I was excited about. I've worked on stages throughout the United States in my play about Van Gogh. I've worked in China, Europe, Canada, Australia."

"I have great fondness for the last 20 years. I'm very grateful."



Actor Leonard Nimoy recreates his role as the half human, half Vulcan Captain Spock of the "Star Trek" television series and films in the latest of the adventure epics, "Star Trek IV: The Voyage Home."

Craftsman takes cue from pool

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J. (AP) — The real secret to a professional billiards player's tournament success may lie outside the game hall, where Leonard Bludworth repairs cues with specially baked leather tips and "secret juice."

The 46-year-old Houston resident has become as much a regular on Professional Billiards Association tours as the champions themselves. Many of the country's top billiards players tell promoters they won't attend a tournament unless Bludworth is on hand, and he traveled about 70,000 miles this year going from competition to competition.

"I've got about 40 professional players on the world tour as regular customers," Bludworth said last week at a tournament in this seaside resort. The same tournament a year earlier was filmed for some scenes in the Paul Newman-Tom Cruise movie "The Color of Money."

As a custom cue spins in his lathe, Bludworth slices off the old leather

tip. A spritz of rubbing alcohol strips the wooden shaft of old wax, dirt, grime, chalk and the residue of smoke that lingers in billiards halls.

A little spit and some steel wool removes tiny blemishes and scratches on the ivory ferrule, the ring that prevents the end of the cue from splitting.

"Next comes my secret juice," Bludworth said, squirting on a golden fluid that smells like a combination of oils and nail polish remover.

"It's got some goodies in it, that's all I'm going to say," said Bludworth, adding that he sells quarts of his homemade solution for \$25 each to cue makers.

Then he slides his fingers back and forth to feel for minor imperfections that might cost a billiards player a shot.

But the key feature is a custom leather tip, textured just enough to hold the right amount of blue chalk, that Bludworth began marketing in November.

The tiny circles of leather are "soaked in my own solution, and then cooked and cooked and cooked some more in my wife's oven."

The difference between a Bludworth tip and a commercially made tip is in the hardness.

"These are like hard-boiled eggs," Bludworth said, holding a commercial tip. "It's like they have a hard shell, but a soft-to-medium-hard center."

"The trick to a good game is to get a solid hit, not a spongy hit. If you hit the ball but you don't feel the hit or hear it as well as you should, then you're in trouble."

Bludworth started working in the shipyard industry in Houston, playing pool as a sideline, but the industry went into a decline.

He said he then took to the road as a professional billiards player, selling cues on the side, but soon realized his advice on the care and repair of cues was worth more than his game.



LEONARD BLUDWORTH uses "secret juice"

Weddings



Mr. and Mrs. Wicks

Wicks-Fields

Elizabeth Fields, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald E. Fields of Briarwood Drive, and Paul T. Wicks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Wicks of Glenwood Street, were married during a fall ceremony at St. James Church.

The Rev. Francis V. Krukowski officiated. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

Marina Minutillo was maid of honor and Beth Arnesen was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Patricia Adams, Diane Wicks, the groom's sister, and Katherine Fields, the bride's sister.

Jeffrey A. Fields, brother of the bride, was best man. David Wicks and James Wicks, the groom's brothers, Christopher Fields, the bride's brother, and James Cleary were ushers.

After a reception at Manchester Country Club, the couple left on a wedding trip to Vermont and Canada. They live in Bolton.

The bride is a 1980 graduate of Manchester High School and a 1984 graduate of the University of Connecticut.

The groom also graduated from Manchester High School, earned a bachelor's degree in business administration from the University of Connecticut in 1981 and a master's degree in economics from UConn in 1986. He is employed by Aetna Life & Casualty in Hartford.



Mr. and Mrs. Einsiedel

Einsiedel-Britney

Stephanie Way Britney, daughter of Mrs. Inez Britney of Lenox Street and Michael Edward Einsiedel Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Armando Casals of Woodside Street, were married Oct. 4 at Assumption Church.

The Rev. Edward Papin officiated at the ceremony. The bride was given in marriage by her brother, J. Bradford Britney.

Dana Eib, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Donna Woods, sister of the bride, and Kristin Hennequin. Amanda Woods was flower girl.

Dean Roy was best man. Ushers were David and Peter Einsiedel, brothers of the groom. Jason Woods was ringbearer.

After a reception at the Glastonbury Elks Club, the couple went on a wedding trip to Vermont and New Hampshire. They are making their home in Manchester.

The bride is a graduate of Manchester High School and is employed by Casey-Folsom Co. of Hartford. The groom is a graduate of Howell Cheney Regional Vocational Technical School and is employed by Right Angle Associates of Manchester.

Engagements



Sylvia Yeaton and Carl Kjellson

Mr. and Mrs. Donald A. Yeaton of Winthrop, Maine, announce the engagement of their daughter, Sylvia Mae Yeaton, to Carl John Kjellson, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kjellson of 36 Flag Drive.

The bride-elect is a 1979 graduate of Winthrop High School, a 1983 graduate of the University of New Hampshire and a 1985 graduate of the University of Connecticut. She is employed as an audiologist at the Hampden Hearing Center in West Springfield, Mass., and the Wethersfield Hearing Center.

The prospective bridegroom is a 1978 graduate of Manchester High School, a 1982 graduate of the University of Rochester and a 1985 graduate of the University of Connecticut. He is employed as a chemical engineer by Union Carbide in Tarrytown, N.Y.

A May 23 wedding is planned at Emanuel Lutheran Church.

About Town

Focus on creativity

A workshop titled "Creativity — The Birthing of Ourselves" will be held Saturday, Jan. 10 from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. at St. James School, 73 Park St. The program will include exploration of the creativity within each person.

Connections — a Center for Learning Inc. of South Windsor is the sponsor. Sheila Durante will lead the program. Cost is \$25. Registration and fee must be in by Jan. 5. For more information, call Diana Smart at the center, 644-9888.

Photos on exhibit

More than 300 photographs from the Scholastic/Kodak Photography Awards Exhibition for 1986 will be exhibited at the University of Hartford's Joseloff Gallery, Jan. 5 to Feb. 5. The photos represent the best work of student photographers from throughout the nation.

The exhibit is free. Weekday gallery hours are from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and Sundays from noon to 5 p.m. A reception will be held Jan. 14 from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. in the gallery. Student winners received cash awards and scholarships.

Pageant seeks girls

Representatives of the Miss Teen-Ager of Connecticut Pageant are searching for girls to represent the Manchester area in the state pageant March 13 to 15 in the Holiday Inn, New Britain.

The winner will qualify for the national pageant to be held in Florida. Any interested girl may obtain information by writing to Miss Connecticut Teenager, P.O. Box 791, Norwich, N.Y. 13815, or by calling (607) 334-6603.

Buy some seedlings

Brochures are now available for the annual spring seedling sale of the Hartford County Soil and Water Conservation District. The district offers a variety of tree, shrub and ground cover seedlings that are suitable for conservation plantings.

The smallest order possible for any one species is 25. Pickup will be in mid-April.

Seedling brochures may be obtained by either writing the conservation district, 1101 Kennedy Road, Room 105B, Windsor 06095, or by calling 688-7725.

good wishes, enjoying a fabulous buffet dinner, taking part in a grab bag, good conversations and laughter. The evening is complete by attending midnight mass.

Christmas Day is another day of love and sharing, opening gifts, dinner with my children and parents, relaxation and fun. I thoroughly enjoy the holiday season.

On behalf of the senior center staff, we wish all of you a joyous and happy holiday.

Scores:
Dec. 19 setback: Ada Rojas 129; Bob Schubert 129; John Klein 119; Helena Gavello 118.

Dec. 22 pinochle: Carl Popple 798; Amelia Anastasio 771; Bob Ahern 768; Betty Turner 748; Mabel Loomis 745; Sam Schors 743.

Dec. 23 bowling: Sam Maltempo 500; Ed Yourkas 225, 553; John Kravontka 502; Joe Blazinski 211, 534; Ed Lithwin

202, 572; Ed Adams 507; Harold Hinkel 209, 511; Mike Pjero 514; Norman Lasher 205, 507; Stan Kalinowski 521; Stan Wlochowski 546; Margaret Patrick 460; Jan Singleton 178; Edna Christensen 489; Lorna Kmiec 205, 180, 597; Pat Olcavage 191, 480; Cathy Ringrose 177, 179, 505.

Last week's scores (12/16): Leo Leggett 524, Ed Lithwin 541; Harold Hinkel 500; Addison Pick 207, 520; Carl Lepak 502; Paul Desjeunes 503; Max Smole 514; John Kravontka 200, 555; Mike Pjero 211, 549.

Ginger Yourkas 175, 452; Eleanor Berggren 193, 517; Jean Lukacs 455; Florence Doust 477; Jan Singleton 454; Jennie Victoria 468; Pat Olcavage 176, 182, 512.
Dec. 24 pinochle: to be published next week.
Dec. 24 bridge: to be published next week.

Smokers leave legacy of pain behind them

DEAR ABBY: About a year and a half ago, a Gulfport, Miss., woman wrote a very moving letter about her sister who had died of lung cancer. Then a Denver woman wrote to say that letter had caused her to quit smoking. Please run them again. Someone I love very much needs to see those letters in print.



Dear Abby
Abigail Van Buren

WM. McD.,
TORONTO, CANADA

DEAR WILLIAM: Here they are: **DEAR ABBY:** I am hurting more right now than I ever have in my whole life. My beloved younger sister died nine months ago. I still can't believe I will never be able to call her on the phone again to gossip and giggle as only sisters do. God, how I miss her!

I asked her doctor what actually killed her, and without batting an eye he said, "Cigarettes." Now I feel so guilty because I, her older sister, smoked. Thank God, I was able to quit in time. She tried to quit, but it was too late for her.

Her husband and children are inconsolable. I have learned a lot from this terrible experience. A smoker has a lot more to worry about than dying. My sister's stay in the hospital with lung cancer wiped out her family financially. Abby, why do advertisers make cigarette ads so attractive? Instead, they should run a before-and-after picture of a once-beautiful woman vomiting and bald from radiation therapy.

I know this letter is too long for your column, but if it will help just one person to reach into her purse (or his pocket) and throw that pack of cigarettes in the trash, it will be worth it.

GRIEVING IN
GULFPORT, MISS.

DEAR ABBY: On April 5, I read a letter in your column in the Rocky Mountain News that did something for me that nothing else was able to do. It made me decide to quit smoking.

It was written by a woman signed "Grieving in Gulfport," whose beloved younger sister had died from lung cancer. Her doctor bluntly stated, "Cigarettes killed her."

"Grieving's" final paragraphs hit me like a thunderbolt. Abby, please tell "Grieving" that her letter made this 42-year-old, four-pack-a-day woman reach into her purse and throw her cigarettes in the trash! I've taken an oath to never smoke again.

Too bad she didn't sign her name. She deserves to be thanked publicly.
FREED IN DENVER

identity. She said, "If you think it will help just one person, go ahead."
So, orchids to you, Dorothy Sosebee in Gulfport, Miss.!

DEAR ABBY: Thank you for your continuing efforts to get people to quit smoking.

My beloved brother died last week. He was a special person, loved by many. He was a good Christian and we find some comfort in knowing that he is with our Lord, but selfishly, we want him here with us now. He knew that cigarettes could kill, but he never thought it would happen to him. He loved us and did not want to cause us all this pain and sorrow.

Abby, please give this message to your readers: If you can't quit smoking for yourselves, please do it for those who love you.

HEARTBROKEN IN CANADA

DEAR FREE: She did sign her name, but requested that her letter be signed "Grieving in Gulfport" if published.

However, I telephoned her to tell her what a terrific impact her letter had made, and asked if I could reveal her

DEAR READER: I have a new box number. For a personal, unpublished reply, now write to me at P.O. Box 68440, Los Angeles, Calif. 90069. Please include a self-addressed, stamped envelope.

Don't worry about pushups

DEAR DR. GOTT: My grandson, 11, has been doing 72 pushups every other day for a year now. I think he's overdoing it. What do you think?



Dr. Gott
Peter Gott, M.D.

DEAR READER: Pushups are not harmful for a healthy 11-year-old child. When his muscles tire, he will rest.

DEAR DR. GOTT: Nine years ago I had pneumonia and was left with no pep or ambition and with a tiredness that wouldn't quit. Last year I had it again. I feel like a wet rag. I was an active, progressive person, but I've become a dud. What can I do?

DEAR READER: Like any illness, pneumonia can leave a patient weakened and fatigued. However, this normal reaction usually lasts for only a few weeks. Because you have had two bouts of pneumonia, your resistance might not be up to par. You should find out if some underlying disease or ailment has predisposed you to lung infections — and is the cause of your ongoing fatigue. For instance, diabetes and certain blood disorders can reduce a person's immunity to infection. Ask your

as two side effects of the drug, diarrhea is not a usual complication. See your doctor to find out the cause of your bowel problem.

DEAR DR. GOTT: A friend of mine takes medication for high blood pressure and high cholesterol. He's careful with his solid diet, but his liquid diet consists of five Brandy Manhattans and wine with dinner six night a week. On Sunday, he has about a quart of wine. Should I be concerned?

DEAR READER: Yes, and your friend should be, too. Alcohol often increases high blood pressure and blood fats, so your friend may be sabotaging his medicine by drinking too much. Of more urgent importance is the fact that your friend's daily intake of alcohol is clearly more than enough to cause liver damage and cirrhosis. Therefore he has four good reasons to cut down or stop drinking: his high blood pressure, his high cholesterol, his liver — and his very realistic concerns.

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New monster
Chris Snyder stands next to the latest addition to his monster menagerie. Snyder, who runs an auto junkyard near Sand Lake, Mich., builds dinosaurs and other creatures from old car parts.

Center is a good place to make friends

This column is prepared by the staff of the Manchester Senior Citizens' Center.

Jeannette Cave,
Senior Center Director

Now that Christmas has passed, it's time to start thinking of New Year's resolutions. Why not make a resolution to take part in senior center activities more regularly?

The center is a good place to make friends, have a good nutritious meal, learn a craft or skill, and take part in a wide variety of other activities. Bus transportation is available to and from the center as well as for weekly shopping. Monthly calendars outlining programs, upcoming events and trips are available at the center. And on Saturdays, the Manchester Herald publishes much of the same information in this column.

Our winter programs will start in late

Senior Citizens

January. Classes in exercise, ceramics, line dancing, driver's education, basket-weaving and more will be offered. Call the center to register for the class of your choice.

The center will be open for programs and service during the holiday break. No meals will be served, but coffee will be available if you want to bring your lunch.

Christmas according to Terry Kotsch: Christmas comes with great enthusiasm in my house. Buying gifts for family and friends, holiday get-togethers, Christmas Eve and Christmas Day.

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Jaclyn Smith

Children have changed this busy actress's life

Manchester Herald
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The story behind the story

By Josie



Michael Blehn

Q. I saw Michael Blehn in the movie "Aliens" and was very impressed with him. Is that his first film? Also, where is he from and what will he be doing next? Rebecca Diane, Las Vegas, Nev.

A. No, it wasn't his first film. His first acting roles were in TV, in series such as "James at 15" and "Family" and his first film role was a tiny part in "Grease." His first starring role was in something called "The Coach," followed by a Canadian film "Hogwild" and "The Fan" with Lauren Bacall. Next up was "The Terminator" starring Arnold Schwarzenegger.

"Aliens" seems to be his breakthrough, though. It brought him a lot of offers, including one project in which he would team with Jeff Bridges, and another that is currently filming, "Rampage," in which he stars as a D.A. prosecuting a serial killer. He's from Anniston, Ala., but was raised in Lincoln, Neb., and Lake Havasu, Ariz.

Q. What has happened to Teresa Brewer, the great singer of the '50s? Is she still singing? Sam Harman, Niles, Mich.; D.E.M., Gordon, Ala.

A. According to an associate, "She's still singing; in fact, she sounds better than ever. She's only performing, though, when and where she wants, which could be a private show for IBM for which they'll pay her \$30,000 for one night or a concert in a theater in Chicago, both of which she's just done."

"She also has a new jazz album, 'Midnight Cafe,' and she'll keep recording. She and her husband have four daughters and she devotes a lot of time to them. She has never, though, even considered giving up her career. She loves it."



Teresa Brewer

Anything you'd like to know about prominent personalities? Write to Josie, Between the Lines, King Features Syndicate, 239 E. 45th St., New York, N.Y. 10017.

Q. I have just seen Aidan Quinn in "Reckless" on TV and I think he's the James Dean of this generation. What will he be in next? M.R., Baton Rouge, La.

A. He's in the current film "The Mission," in an all-too-brief appearance as Robert De Niro's

Q. Please tell me about that gorgeous Judy Landers, like where she's from, how she got started and what she'll be doing next. A.D., LaVerne, Calif.

A. She's from the suburbs of New York where she was a champion gymnast (she won the New York State Tumbling Championships) long before she thought about becoming an actress. Older sister Audrey started acting, though, and Judy, who has always been shy but now due to her gymnastics achievements, felt more self-confident, decided to follow suit.

She got a part in the series "Whatever Happened to the Class of '65?" and after moving to Los Angeles, got parts in a number of series: "Vegas," "B.J. and the Bear" and "Madam's Place."

Recently, she co-starred in two movies: "Armed and Dangerous" and "Stewardess School." Currently, she and Audrey are putting together a pilot for a show called "Rock Candy," about two sisters in a rock band, and are making plans to record an album here. They've had successful music careers in Europe for years and are eager now to repeat that success here.

Q. I recently saw Patrick Duffy on "The Phil Donahue Show." He was talking about a religion that had changed his life but since I turned the show on late, I didn't hear what it was. Do you know? Isabelle M. Weideman, Chino, Calif.

A. Buddhism, which his wife, Carlyn, introduced him to about 15 years ago. Now, he chants for an hour before going to the studio to shoot "Dallas" and he, Carlyn and their two kids chant for another hour when he gets home. He's also active in the Los Angeles chapter of the Buddhist organization Nichiren Shoshu Sokagakkai.

brother. He also recently finished filming a production of Arthur Miller's play "All My Sons" for PBS's "American Playhouse" series that should air later this season or early next. In January, he starts another movie, "Robinson Crusoe," in the Seychelles Islands.



Peter Jennings

Q. Please give me some information about ABC anchorman Peter Jennings. I think he's awfully good. Dena Davis, Fresno, Calif.

A. He's 48, from Toronto, the older of two children of a journalist (later vice president of programming) with the Canadian Broadcasting Company. When he was 9, Peter also went to work for the CBC, hosting "Peter's People," a weekly half-hour radio show for children. At prep school, he was an accomplished athlete but an indifferent student who dropped out before graduating.

His lack of formal education didn't seem to hold him back, however. He immediately landed a job as an interviewer for an Ontario radio station.

He held that job for three years before switching to TV as the host of various news shows for the CBC. In 1962, he again switched to the network CTV as co-anchor of their evening newscast and as part of that job, was sent to cover major news stories around the world. In 1964, while in Atlantic City covering the Democratic National Convention, he was spotted by an ABC News executive and offered a job as a correspondent, which he took.

He moved to New York later that year and after just a few months he was offered the position of anchor of the network's then-15-minute newscast. He was 26 and, as he knew, not sufficiently experienced, but he accepted and stayed for three difficult years during which audiences and affiliates objected to his Canadian accent and apparent lack of familiarity with American culture. He decided to return to his job as a correspondent.

Over the next 10 years, which he spent overseas (with the exception of a brief return to Washington in 1974), he distinguished himself as a skilled foreign correspondent, especially in stories dealing with the Middle East. He became foreign anchor for ABC's nightly newscast "World News Tonight" in 1978; following the death of the principal anchor Frank Reynolds in 1983, he became sole anchor in September of that year, where he's been, locked in a ratings race with his fellow handsome anchors Brokaw and Rather, ever since.

He's married to author and former ABC Bonn bureau chief Kati Marton (two earlier marriages ended in divorce); they have two children, Elizabeth, 6, and Christopher, 3.

Mary Jackson

- Age** 42
- Born** Charles Town, W.V.
- Occupation** Lowe Program Center director at MCC
- Favorite restaurant** Feast
- Favorite food** Italian
- Favorite sport** Golf
- Idea of a good vacation** Sitting on the beach
- What you do to relax** Go to antique shows
- Favorite entertainer** Judy Polan, a folk singer
- Favorite actress** Meryl Streep
- Favorite magazine** Vogue
- Favorite author** Larry McMurtry
- Favorite spot in Manchester** Cavey's Restaurants' bar for jazz
- Car** Toyota Corolla
- Favorite color** White
- Favorite book** "An Unknown Woman" by Alice Koller
- Pet peeve** people who whine
- Favorite TV show** "Masterpiece Theater"
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A 300-pound gentleman who asked me to dance told me I was as light as a feather on my feet. I felt really good again.

Life begins at 80

It's amazing what old people can get away with

By Sarah Abraham

Sometimes I wonder if we senior citizens know how good we have it. Our leisure time should make this a joyous period of life. We don't have to make our old age a drag. It should be a time of peace, a time of doing just once what we really want to do, with nobody pushing us. We can be ourselves and do our own thing.

When you're old, no one expects you to be anything, anyway. Do something unusual or silly and the younger generation says, "Oh, well, she's old, we forgive her, she's in her second childhood." It's amazing what you get by with being old. So you see, we have the edge on everyone because they expect us to be a little nutty at times. Young people think they have the edge on love, sharing and caring. We oldesters forgive them, though. We have lived and loved a long, long time and know what life is all about.

One day I looked at a rack of pamphlets. There was information on Golden Care at the hospital, People Care, Inc., Home Health Care, Nurses Unlimited, telephone tips, legal and tax assistance, health assistance, counseling, meal delivery, shopping assistance, transportation for the handicapped and senior citizens and noon meals served at centers for the aged.

"When I was young, I was accustomed to seeing my grandmother, 65 years old, in her rocking chair on our porch, watching the rest of the world go by."

There are also free dances put on at several locations, and one day I decided to visit one. When I got there, the volunteer band was all set up to play. I looked at these older people, their shining eyes and laughing faces, all ready for an afternoon of fun. Relaxed and happy, they were enjoying their golden years. Their days of toiling to make a living were over. It made me want to say "thanks" to our government, to Social Security, for making life so much easier for senior citizens. How good we have it in America!

I looked the crowd over and I couldn't believe my eyes. These 70-, 80- and 90-year-olds were dancing, their feet expressing the desires and joy in their hearts. I just felt it all that first day. I wondered, does anyone ever grow old in spirit? Are we always young in heart, even though the years roll over us and we become encased in old, wrinkled bodies? Do we still at 80 think and feel eternally young? I looked at them, I knew the answer was yes, we do. When I was young, I was

accustomed to seeing my grandmother, 65 years old, in her rocking chair on our porch watching the rest of the world go by. Old and decrepit, she was content with her lot in life — definitely old. I didn't want to be like Grandmother. She was so dull. But here at these dances was a new breed, and I realized I wanted to be like them — happy and enjoying a full and beautiful life.

So I joined the group, hoping the happiness and wisdom of these older people would rub off on me. They knew life and lived one day at a time to its fullest, and I liked that. An old man parked his cane in the corner and asked me to dance. We danced. He told me he was 92 and lived in a retirement home. He danced me around and around, went huffing and puffing back to his chair, then said gallantly, "You must be an angel. You have wings for feet." I felt so good.

A 300-pound gentleman asked me to dance. We danced. Delightedly he said, "You are as light as a feather on your

feet. You are real classy." I felt really good again. They called him "Fats" at the dance, but I saw him as a beautiful person.

Then a conductor of an orchestra asked me to dance. We danced. He told me he was all music, he could play any instrument and he didn't think much of anyone who couldn't. He asked what instrument I played.

"None," I said.

He looked at me in utter amazement. "You don't play any instrument? You have no talent?"

"Yes, dear," I said, "I have talents, but they are all hidden. I don't want to brag like you."

We didn't hit it off too well. I did note that some people, even though they were in a crowd, were lonely from lack of attention from other people. We as senior citizens should be mindful of them and try to draw them in and make them feel warm inside so that they, too, will feel that life is good and beautiful.

Look around you and do your good deed for the day. It won't hurt you and you don't know what joy you may give and make life worthwhile for them.

Then came the grand finale — an 80-year-old tap dancer doing his act. Everyone applauded him while the band played softly, "Til We Meet Again."

I think it's fun to be 80, because when you're 65, they expect you to retire to Florida and become a discontented

has-been. But if you survive until you're 80, everyone is surprised you're still alive, that you can still walk and talk and have lucid moments, and people forgive you for everything.

You don't even have to diet anymore. You're 80. So who will look at you anyway? Eat and be happy. Who cares? After you have said "The Dieter's Prayer" for years, you're glad to chuck it. Here it is, if anyone out there still feels they need it.

Give me strength, Oh, Lord, I pray. Help me make it through the day.

Deliver me from snacks and sweets, Keep my mind off high-cal treats.

Tempt me not with French cuisines, Bid me flee soft-drink machines.

Turn my eyes from ice-cream bars, Stay my hand from cookie jars.

'Til I'm back in shape again, Hang in there, Lord, with me, Amen. Again I say, life begins at 80!

WEEKEND TELEVISION

Saturday, Dec. 27

- 5:00AM** (3) CNN News
 (1) U.S. Farm Report
 [CNN] Crossfire
 [DIS] Walt Disney Presents (60 min.)
 [ESPN] AWA Wrestling (60 min.) (R)
- 5:05AM** [MAX] The Movie Show
- 5:30AM** (1) INN News
 [18] Agricultural News
 [CNN] Showbiz Today
- 6:00AM** (3) Up Front (R)
 (5) Young Edition
 (9) David Toma Show
 (1) Tom & Jerry
 [18] CNN News
 [18] Superfriends
 [CNN] Daybreak
 [DIS] Donald Duck Presents
 [ESPN] Action Outdoors with Julius Boros
 [MAX] Album Flash: Phil Collins See and hear the hitmaker who sent "Against All Odds" and "Sussudio" to the top of the charts, performing videos from his "No Jacket Required" album.
- 6:15AM** (8) Davey & Goliath
- 6:30AM** (3) Young Universe (R)
 (5) The World Tomorrow
 (8) Bugs Bunny and Tweety Show
 (9) Face Off
 (1) Josie and the Pussycats
 [18] Lorne Greene's New Wilderness
 [20] Insight / Out
 [30] Laser Tag Academy
 (3) El Club 700
 (3) Photon
 [CNN] CNN Investigative Report
 [DIS] Contraption
 [ESPN] Action Outdoors with Julius Boros
 [MAX] MOVIE: "The Night the Lights Went Out in Georgia" A talented country singer and his sister stay one step ahead of trouble. Kristy McChol, Dennis Quaid, Mark Hamill. 1981. Rated PG.
- 6:35AM** [HBO] MOVIE: "1. Desire" A Hollywood law student moonlighting as a coroner's aide becomes obsessed with solving a series of bizarre murders in which the victim's blood was drained from the bodies. David Naughton, Marilyn Jones, Dorian Harewood. 1982.
- 7:00AM** (3) Captain Bob
 (5) Popeye
 (8) All-New Ewoks
 (9) New Jersey People
 (1) M.A.S.K.
 [18] MOVIE: "To Be Announced"
 [20] [USA] Jimmy Swaggart
 [22] Laser Tag Academy
 [26] Macron 1
 [30] Ring Around the World
 [30] Newsmakers
 (8) Abbott and Costello
 (8) Follow Me
 (3) Kideo TV
 [CNN] Daybreak
 [DIS] Mousercise
- 7:30AM** (3) Richie Rich
 (3) Wonderama
 (8) ABC Weekend Special: Adventures of Con Sawyer and Huckleberry Finn (CC) A pair of girls get into all kinds of mischief in this story based on Mark Twain's classic books. Part 1 of 2. (R).
 (3) In Depth
 (1) Photon
 [22] Kidd Video
 [26] Macron 1
 [30] It's Your Business
 [40] Abbott and Costello
 [41] Nuestra Familia
 [CNN] Sports Close-up
 [DIS] You and Me, Kid
 [ESPN] SportsCenter
- 8:00AM** (3) Berenstein Bears (CC)
 (5) Woody Woodpecker
 (8) The Wuzzles (CC)
 (9) Straight Talk
 (1) Photon
 [20] Tom & Jerry
 [22] Kissyfur
 [24] Sesame Street (CC)
 [26] Phil Silvers
 [30] Wall Street Journal Report
 (3) El Tesoro del Saber
 [37] GED Course
 [CNN] Daybreak
 [DIS] Dumbo's Circus
 [ESPN] This Year in Sports (60 min.) (R)
 [USA] Go For Your Dreams: Cash Flow Expo
- 8:30AM** (3) Wildfire
 (5) Rainbow Brite
 (8) Cara Bears Family (CC)
 (1) MOVIE: "Mr. Moto Takes a Vacation" An ace detective attempts to solve two murders and the theft of a queen's jewels. Peter Lorre, Virginia Field. 1939.
 [18] How to Make a Million in the Stock Market
 [20] Woody Woodpecker
 [22] Gummy Bears
 [26] MOVIE: "Alvarez Kelly" A renegade adventurer, bringing a herd of cattle from Mexico, is kidnapped by Confederate guerrillas. William Holden, Richard Widmark, Janice Rule. 1966.
 [30] Business World
 [41] Agencia S.O.S.S.A.
 [41] Inhumanoids
 [CNN] Big Story
 [DIS] Good Morning Mickey!
 [HBO] MOVIE: "Rainbow Brite and the Star Stealer" (CC) A greedy princess threatens Rainbow's mission to bring color, hope and happiness to the world. 1985. Rated G. In Stereo.
 [MAX] MOVIE: "A Piece of the Action" Two crooks are blackmailed into aiding a community center while trying to fend off mobsters they once ripped off. Sidney Poitier, Bill Cosby. 1977. Rated PG.
 [TMC] MOVIE: "Winter Flight" A shy RAF recruit agrees to marry his sergeant's daughter when people believe the child she is carrying is his, but the girl puts the baby up for adoption. Raee Dinsdale, Nicola Cowper. 1984. Rated NR.
- 9:00AM** (3) Muppet Babies
 (5) Popples
 (8) Flintstone Kids
 (9) Voyagers
 (18) CNN News
 [20] Bugs Bunny
 [22] Smurfs
 [24] Sesame Street (CC)
 [30] Ask the Manager
 [41] El Chevo
 [47] La Plaza
 [81] Wrestling (80 min.)
 [DIS] Welcome to Pooh Corner
 [ESPN] Beat of Bill Dance
 [USA] Profile
- 9:10AM** [CNN] Health Year
- 9:30AM** (5) The Get Along Gang
 [18] America's Top Ten
 [20] Kids Are People Too
 [28] Journey to Discovery
 [41] El Chapulin Colorado
 [57] Say Brother
 [CNN] Economy '86
 [DIS] Donald Duck Presents
 [ESPN] Mark Susin's Salt Water Journal (R)
 [USA] Make a Million
 [10:00AM] (3) Pee Wee's Playhouse
 (5) Jerusalem a Musical Celebration This holiday special features three artists performing at various sites throughout the holy city. (60 min.)
 (8) Real Ghostbusters (CC)
 (9) Street Hawk
 (1) Forgotten Children of the 80's
 [18] Wall Street Journal Report
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 [30] Maverick
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 [47] Tony Brown's Journal
 [81] Championship Wrestling (60 min.)
 [DIS] Wind in the Willows
 [ESPN] Running and Racing (R)
 [HBO] Inside the NFL Highlights of the NFL games, including commentary by Len Dawson and Nick Buoniconti. (60 min.) In Stereo.
 [USA] Synchronal Showbiz
10:10AM [CNN] Showbiz This Year A review of the year's top moneymaking movies, television hits and television failures.
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 (5) Best of the National Geographic Specials (60 min.)
 (8) Telephone Auction
 (9) WWF Wrestling Challenge (60 min.)
 (1) Soul Train
 [20] WWF Wrestling (60 min.)
 [22] Foofur
 [24] Bill Moyers Journal: A Conversation with Huw Wheldon Moyers talks with Sir Huw Wheldon who created a golden age of British television during the seven years he was managing director of the BBC. (60 min.)
 [28] Three Stooges
 [40] Bugs Bunny and Tweety Show
 [41] Lucha Libre (60 min.)
 [47] Washington Week in Review
 [57] Fame Nicole and Jesse break up;
- 11:30AM** (3) Young Universe
 [18] International Championship Wrestling (60 min.)
 [22] Punky Brewster
 [40] All-New Ewoks
 [47] Wall Street With Louis Rukeyser
 [CNN] College Football Preview
 [USA] Keys to Success
12:00PM (3) Puttin' on the Hits
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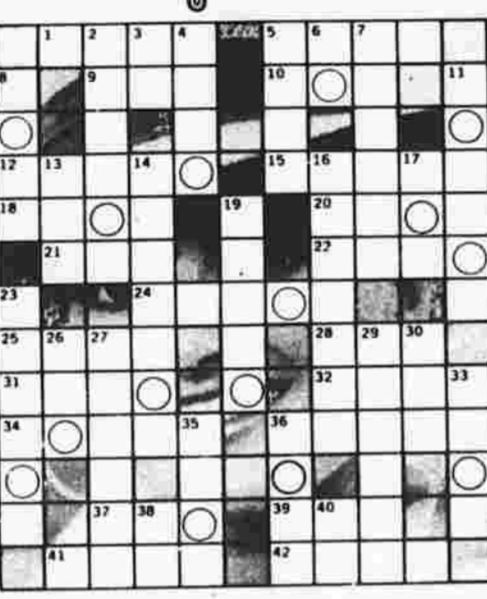
Chris makes plans for his cousin's bachelor party. (60 min.)
 [ESPN] Penn State Football (60 min.)
 [HBO] MOVIE: "Ghostbusters" (CC) A trio of misfits goes into business to rid homes of evil spirits. Bill Murray, Dan Aykroyd, Harold Ramis. 1984. Rated PG-13. In Stereo.
 [MAX] MOVIE: "The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn" In the pre-Civil War South, a runaway slave and a boy fleeing his drunken father travel down the Mississippi River on a home-made raft. Patrick Day, Sam-Art Williams, Jim Dale. 1985. Rated NR.
 [USA] Beat the Pros
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(8) 1986 Championships of the United States Golf Association. 1986. U.S. Open, U.S. Women's Open and the U.S. Amateur Golf Championships are recounted. Tape Delayed. (9) MOVIE: 'P.J.' A down-and-out private investigator accepts an assignment to serve as bodyguard for the mistress of a business tycoon. George Peppard, Raymond Burr, Gayle Hunnicutt. 1968. (2) Microwave Are for Cooking [HBO] Cinema a Break (CC) Nell faces the loss of her three girls when Katie departs to San Francisco, Julie and Jonathan move out on their own and Samantha leaves for college in New Jersey. (60 min.) (R) In Stereo. (5) HomeTime [CNN] Your Money [ESPN] 1986 Gymnastics Challenge: USA vs. China Coverage from Honolulu, Hawaii. (2 hrs.) [MAX] MOVIE: 'High Anxiety' The new head of a San Francisco sanitarium places his life in danger when he uncovers a sinister scheme involving several staff members. Mel Brooks, Madeline Kahn, Cloris Leachman. 1977. Rated PG. 3:30PM (3) (4) Aloha Bowl: Arizona vs. North Carolina Live from Honolulu, HI. (3 hrs., 30 min.) Live. (1) Puddin' on the Kids (2) We're Cooking Now (2) Newton's Apple (CC) [CNN] Foreign Correspondents [HBO] MOVIE: 'Starman' (CC) An alien and a young widow are pursued cross-country by government agents. Jeff Bridges, Karen Allen, Charles Martin Smith. 1984. Rated PG. In Stereo. 4:00PM (3) College Basketball: Kentucky at Louisville (2 hrs.) Live. (1) Puddin' on the Hits (1) MOVIE: 'To Be Announced' (2) MOVIE: 'Mystery on Monster Island' A shipwrecked sailor battles monsters and cannibals as he searches for a fortune in gold. Peter Cushing, Terence Stamp. 1981. (2) MOVIE: 'Hot Millions' A crook pulls off a terrific heist by using a computer. Karl Malden, Bob Newhart. 1968. (2) French Chef (2) MOVIE: 'The Catcher' An ex-cop and a Harvard graduate team up to track down a runaway cop. Michael Witney, Jan-Michael Vincent, Tony Franciosa. 1971. (3) St. Elsewhere (CC) A Santa Claus offers a heart attack and Craig gets drunk at an old-fashioned wassail party. (60 min.) (R) In Stereo. (3) MOVIE: 'Home for the Holidays' Convinced that his second wife is trying to poison him, an aging father summons his four daughters to ask for their protection. Eleanor Parker, Julie Harris, Sally Field. 1972. (1) Resumes Deporative '86 (2 hrs.) (5) Joy of Painting (6) MOVIE: 'Paper Man' A computer engineer is issuing a credit card plunges a group of college students into an intricate scheme. Dean Stockwell, Stefanie Powers, Tina Chen. 1971. [DIS] MOVIE: 'Scott of the Antarctic' This film depicts the true story of the heroic exploits of Britisher Scott. John Mills, Derek Bond. 1948. (TMC) MOVIE: 'Winter Flight' A shy RAF recruit agrees to marry his sergeant's daughter when people believe the child she is carrying is his, but the girl puts the baby up for adoption. Raeanne Dinsdale, Nicola Cowper. 1984. Rated NR. [USA] Hollywood Insider 4:10PM [CNN] Sports Close-up 4:30PM (5) Ted Knight Show Henry's peaceful day in bed is ruined when everyone expresses concern over his health. (1) Dance Fever (2) Frugal Gourmet [CNN] Big Story [MAX] MOVIE: 'Girls Just Want to Have Fun' (CC) The winners of a dance contest will become the hosts of the nation's hottest dance show. Sarah Jessica Parker, Lee Montgomery. 1985. Rated PG. [USA] Cover Story 5:00PM (5) Mission: Impossible (9) WWF Superstars of Wrestling (60 min.) (1) Fame Nicole and Jesse break up; Chris makes plans for his cousin's bachelor party. (60 min.) (1) Greatest American Hero (2) Good Health from Jane Brody's Kitchen (3) Black Perspective (5) Julia Child and More Company [CNN] Newswatch [ESPN] NFL's Greatest Moments: 1977 Denver Broncos-AFC Champions [USA] Saturday Cartoon Express 5:30PM (2) (5) Victory Garden (2) What's Happening Now! (3) Connecticut Newsmakers (3) Twilight Zone [CNN] Newsmaker Saturday [ESPN] College Football '86: A Look Back [HBO] He Makes Me Feel Like Dancing This documentary features ballet star Jacques d'Amboise and 1000 New York City school children as they prepare for a performance. (60 min.) 6:00PM (3) (2) (5) News (5) What's Happening Now! (3) New Gadget (1) What a Country! Victor's hot date with Maria goes awry. (18) Grand Ole Christmas (60 min.) (2) Laverna & Shirley (2) Hometown: Drywall (2) Dancin' to the Hits (3) It's a Living Jan accidentally sells one of Richie's priceless sculptures for \$250. (8) Embajadores de la Musica Colombiana (5) Doctor Who (5) What's Happening Now! Nadine plans a surprise dinner for Ray's long-lost father. [CNN] Newswatch [DIS] Best of Ozie and Harriet [ESPN] 1986 College Football All-American Team [MAX] MOVIE: 'The Night the Lights Went Out in Georgia' A talented country singer and his sister stay one step ahead of trouble. Kristy McNichol, Dennis Quaid, Mark Hamill. 1981. Rated PG. [TMC] Short Film Showcase [USA] Airwolf 6:30PM (3) CBS News (5) Small Wonder (5) Bosom Buddies (1) One Big Family Uncle Jake misses all the fun at his birthday party. (2) Let's Go to the Races (2) NBC News (2) Motorweek (2) Record Guide (3) Mama's Family Mama's not in the merriest of moods when she's forced to play Santa at the mall. (1) La Nueva Carabina de Ambrasio (1) It's a Living Jan's old boyfriend returns for their high-school reunion. [CNN] Pinnacle [DIS] Enchanted Musical Playhouse [ESPN] Scholastic Sports America [HBO] Nutcracker: Fantasy on Ice Olympic medalists Dorothy Hamill and Robin Cousins star in an ice skating version of the traditional Christmas fantasy. (90 min.) [TMC] MOVIE: 'Little Drummer Girl' (CC) An American actress in England, with pro-Palestinian sympathies, is recruited by a team of Israeli operatives to become a double agent. Diane Keaton, Klaus Kinski, Yorgo Voyagis. 1984. Rated R. 7:00PM (3) Agronsky & Company (3) (3) 9 to 5 (3) Teletthon: United Negro College Fund Host: Lou Rawls. (4 hrs., 30 min.) (3) It's a Living (1) Tales from the Darkside With an un-

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usual audiences in mind, a mysterious investor revives a television series that was axed 20 years ago. Guest star: Darren McGavin. (18) Odd Couple (2) Wheel of Fortune (2) Connecticut Sports Talk (2) Hee Haw (3) You Write the Songs (3) One Big Family Don blames Jan when his police precinct's softball team loses a championship game. (4) News (4) Novela: Maria de Nadie [CNN] Sports Saturday [ESPN] SportsCenter [USA] Ripride 7:30PM (3) Benjamin and the Miracle of Hanukkah (5) World Music Video Awards Preview Show (1) Mama's Family (1) INN News (2) Check It Out! (2) As Schools Match Wits (3) What a Country! (3) Maude (4) What a Country! Victor's hot date with Maria goes awry. (5) Musical Kids (5) Time Man of the Year The person(s), event or thing that most influenced, for better or worse, global developments during 1986, as chosen by Time magazine, is announced in a special that reviews the year from the perspective of the five finalists considered for selection. Host: Edwin Newman. [CNN] Monarchs to Microchips: Science '86 A review of the latest engineering innovations, such as simplified, more efficient motor designs and stronger ceramics used for engine parts and computer chips. [DIS] MOVIE: 'Trump at the Door' A family of three are enchanted by a strange old man who drifts into their lives. Eric Peterson, Ed McNamara. [ESPN] Fly Fishing for Bass (3) National Geographic Special An exploration of the human fascination with gold through the history of mankind. (60 min.) (5) MOVIE: 'Mr. Peabody and the Mermaid' A Bostonian, while fishing, hooks a mermaid and brings her home. William Powell, Ann Blyth, Irene Harvey. 1948. In Stereo. (3) News (1) Teletthon: United Negro College Fund Host: Lou Rawls. (5 hrs.) (2) MOVIE: 'Villa Rides' An American gunrunner, with the use of his plane, aids Villa in his fight against Mexico's revolutionary forces. Yol Brynner, Robert Mitchum, Charles Bronson. 1968. (2) Facts of Life (CC) Tootie must decide whether or not to consummate her relationship with her new boyfriend. (R) In Stereo. (2) Hanukkah (2) MOVIE: 'Super Power' Near the end of the Ching Dynasty, when the Manchu boxers are defeated by Kung Fu experts, the Imperial Minister's son vows to seek revenge. Billy Chong, Hau Chiu Sing. 1981. (3) MOVIE: 'The Producers' A has-been theatrical producer and his accountant partner scheme to make more profit from a flop than a hit. Zero Mostel, Gene Wilder, Kenneth Mars. 1967. (4) Sidekicks (CC) Young Ernie runs away from home when his relationship with Jake hits some rough spots. (R). (5) Living Planet (60 min.) (5) MOVIE: 'The Trouble with Harry' A group of local citizens attempt to dispose of a dead body found in the nearby woods. Edmund Gwenn, Shirley Maclaine, John Forsythe. 1955. [CNN] Prima News [HBO] MOVIE: 'Ghostbusters' (CC) A trio of misfits goes into business to rid homes of evil spirits. Bill Murray, Dan Aykroyd, Harold Ramis. 1984. Rated PG-13. In Stereo. [MAX] MOVIE: 'Altered States' A research scientist searches for the beginning of life through strange self-experimentation. William Hurt, Blair Brown, Charles Hall. 1980. Rated R. [USA] MOVIE: 'Exorcism at Midnight' A strange voodoo spell claims victims from New York City to London. Lawrence Tierney. 1979. 8:30PM (3) Aloha Bowl: Arizona vs. North Carolina Live from Honolulu, HI. (2 hrs., 30 min.) (2) (2) (2) 27 Mary and Sandra find themselves competing against each other when they appear on 'Wheel of Fortune.' In Stereo. (R) (2) This Old House (CC). (8) Sledge Hammer! (CC) Tough-as-naits cop Sledge Hammer is reluctantly teamed with a female partner to smash a kidnapping case. (R) [DIS] Raccoons [ESPN] AWA Wrestling (90 min.) 9:00PM (3) MOVIE: 'Wild Horses' A former rodeo rider escapes from his husband's farm to join a wild horse band. Kenny Rogers, Pam Dawber, Ben Johnson. 1985. (R) (2) Golden Girls (CC) After Dorothy begs Blanche to go out with her ex-husband Stan, she becomes jealous when Blanche and Stan enjoy one another's company a bit too much. (R) In Stereo. (2) Wolf Trap Presents the Kirov: Swan Lake Leningrad's Kirov Ballet performs 'Swan Lake' at Wolf Trap's Filene Center. (2 hrs.) (4) Spenser: For Hire (CC) In an effort to recover from Susan's departure, Spenser investigates a fisherman's death in Gloucester. (60 min.) (R) (4) PELICULA: 'Mi Ultimo Tango' Sarita Montiel. (5) MOVIE: 'I Remember Mama' A Norwegian family with a wise, indomitable mother establishes a home in San Francisco. Irene Dunne, Barbara Bel Geddes, Oscar Homolka. 1948. [DIS] MOVIE: 'Almost Angels' The famed Vienna Boys' Choir provides a friendship for two of its members. Peter Wood, Vincent Winter. 1962. [TMC] MOVIE: 'Vision Quest' (CC) An awkward teenager's training for an important wrestling match is disrupted

when he falls in love with an older woman temporarily boarding at his house. Matthew Modine, Linda Fiorentino, Ronny Cox. 1985. Rated R. In Stereo. 9:10PM [CNN] Showbiz This Year A review of the year's top moneymaking movies. Television hits and television failures. 9:30PM (2) (3) Amen A headstrong deacon is shocked when the trustees hire an idealistic new minister to head a Philadelphia community church. (R) In Stereo. [CNN] This Week in Japan 10:00PM (3) News (1) [CNN] CNN News (2) (2) Hunter (60 min.) In Stereo. (2) Police Story (2) Honeymooners... The Lost Episodes (2) ABC News Closeup: Diagnostic: Malpractice (CC). (1) Sports Talk [ESPN] Kickboxing (90 min.) Live. [HBO] Barbara Streisand: One Voice HBO presents Barbara Streisand as she bids out hits and shows her glitz from her own backyard in her first live performance in twenty years. (75 min.) In Stereo. [MAX] MOVIE: 'Streetwalkin'' A young runaway falls victim to the ugly, violent world of prostitution. Melissa Leo, Dale Dickey, Barbara Harris. 1985. Rated R. [USA] Alfred Hitchcock Presents 10:30PM (5) Black News (1) Odd Couple (2) Honeymooners (3) NHL Hockey: Boston Bruins at Los Angeles Kings (2 hrs., 30 min.) (1) NBA Basketball: Boston Celtics at Los Angeles Clippers (2 hrs.) [USA] Alfred Hitchcock Presents 10:35PM [DIS] Mickey's Christmas Carol Disney characters bring a new twist to Charles Dickens' Christmas story. 11:00PM (3) (2) (2) (4) News (5) MOVIE: 'Thoroughly Modern Millie' Two young girls come to New York to realize their ambitions: one to be an actress, the other to be a stenographer and marry the boss. Julie Andrews, Mary Tyler Moore, Carol Channing. 1967. (5) WWF Wrestling Spotlight (60 min.) (1) The Untouchables (2) Secret Agent (2) MOVIE: 'Fragment of Fear' Uneasiness turns to fear, then terror, as a crime writer investigates the death of an elderly spinster. David Hemmings, Gayle Hunnicutt. 1971. (1) Boxeo desde Mexico (2 hrs.) [CNN] Pinnacle [DIS] The Blue and the Gray (60 min.) [TMC] MOVIE: 'The Music Lovers' An interpretation of the turbulent life of composer Peter Tchaikovsky is presented. Richard Chamberlain, Glenda Jackson, Max Adrian. 1971. Rated R. [USA] Night Flight 11:15PM [HBO] MOVIE: 'Rocky IV' (CC) Driven by revenge, boxing champion Rocky Balboa heads for the Soviet Union to face a gargantuan Russian opponent. Sylvester Stallone, Talia Shire, Dolph Lundgren. 1985. Rated PG. 11:30PM (3) Solid Gold In Stereo. (4) Teletthon Continued. (2) Playback '86 Music videos of the

past year's hits featuring Madonna, Tina Turner, Whitney Houston, Janet Jackson, Don Johnson, the Fabulous Thunderbirds, Steve Winwood, Selinda Carlisle and Peter Gabriel. (2 hrs.) (2) (2) Saturday Night Live (60 min.) In Stereo. (4) MOVIE: 'Where the Ladies Go' The story about the wildest little bar in town where a lady can go to meet men, dance, dream and live out her fantasies. Earl Holliman, Karen Black, Candy Clark. 1980. (5) Sneak Previews In Stereo. [CNN] Sports Tonight [ESPN] SportsCenter [MAX] MOVIE: 'Foreplay' Melvin is 18-years old and totally irresistible to women but before he can find true love he experiences a few interesting encounters. Rated R. 12:00AM (8) MOVIE: 'Laural and Hardy' (9) MOVIE: 'The Fall of the House of Usher' The Usher mansion suddenly deteriorates causing strange effects on the family. Martin Landau, Ray Walston, Robert Hays. 1962. [CNN] Newsnight [DIS] MOVIE: 'North Avenue Irregulars' A suburban minister unleashes an unlikely band of women against the mob. Barbara Harris, Barbara Morris, Cloris Leachman. 1979. Rated G. [ESPN] College Basketball: Old Dominion at Nevada-Las Vegas (2 hrs.) Live. 12:30AM (3) Dancin' to the Hits

Astrograph



Involvements in creative endeavors could turn out exceptionally well for you in the year ahead. Put your imagination to work for you starting today. CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Things will work out well for you today if you keep a low profile. Stay in touch with events, but don't try to control them. Major changes are ahead for Capricorn in the coming year. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions today. Mail \$1 to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign. AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Your greatest benefits will develop for you today through some form of group involvement. Being around lots of people will prove lucky for you. PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) You're likely to fare better than most people today in situations that have competitive elements. Victory is assured if you think of yourself as a winner. ARIES (March 21-April 19) You're extremely receptive to positive input today. Try to expose yourself to sources that could help strengthen your basic beliefs. TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Going out

of your way to be helpful to one who needs your assistance may not result in any immediate benefits, but you'll be rewarded somewhere down the line. GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You're not apt to have too much fun today if you're a loner. Find yourself a perky partner and do something fun to escape dull routines. CANCER (June 21-July 22) Inactivity will weigh heavily on you today, so try to find productive ways to spend your time by doing something creative. Being active helps. LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) If you feel you've been in a bit of a rut lately, make plans to do something new and different with new acquaintances today. VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Instead of going out looking for excitement today, bring the world to your doorstep. Have an impromptu happening at your place and invite some fun pals. LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Tear yourself away from your TV set today and get out and move around. Brief visits to nearby friends might fill the bill. SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) You're still under favorable aspects where your material wishes are concerned. In fact, there's a possibility you might get a late Christmas gift today. SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) It looks like you'll be able to operate more independently today than tomorrow. If there's something important you want to accomplish, do it now.



27 DAYS... It's a chance of a lifetime when Mary (Maria Gibbs, l.) and Sandra (Jackie Harry, r.) are flown to Hollywood as competitors on a popular game show, in the 'Wheel of Misfortune' episode of NBC's '27', airing SATURDAY, DEC. 27. Pat Sajak (seated) and Vanna White of 'Wheel of Fortune' guest-star. CHECK LISTINGS FOR EXACT TIME

Jaclyn Smith:

Children have made this actress budget her time

By Jane Ardmore

Picture a country road just outside Houston. It is at summer's end, a warm soft evening with the wind blowing and still a streak of vivid color from the vanished sun. The dark-haired, glowing young woman in sheer white pushing the baby stroller looks not like someone from today's Hollywood but like a storybook figure from long ago.

She is Jaclyn Smith, who has just given a vibrant performance in "Rage of Angels II" and now was on vacation with her folks down South. The baby in the stroller is Spencer. The 5-year-old black-eyed boy skipping along holding hands with his Grandma and Grandpa Smith is Gaston, named for Jackie's adored grandfather. The dogs are Albert and Vivian, offspring of Jackie's beloved Albert who was with her for 12 years.

Every evening they walked like this, "our family event after dinner" when Smith was a child. The little boy then was her brother Tommy. And when she'd go home, the young ballerina from New York, she'd wheel her grandfather in his wheelchair. "He didn't want to hurt my feelings, but he had been such an active man, he hated that wheelchair."

"It is such a lovely thing, to go home," she tells me when they've returned to their own home in Bel Air. "Tony (her husband, Tony Richmond) kids me. He's never seen a family like the Smiths. We're so close and happy together. I knew we'd be going down before Gaston started kindergarten, and with Tony working as cinematographer for six weeks on 'Philadelphia Bandstand,' this was the right time. I can't tell you, with my hectic schedule, how great it is to just slide back and enjoy unstructured time. I don't have to do anything. That's what's so wonderful about parents. I know if I fall asleep, the children are being taken care of. Every care falls away from you. I'm at ease."

"And it's so meaningful to be down here with my children, the children I always dreamed of having, longed for, and for whom I would love to emulate my own childhood. With children, you become a child again — experience innocence, rediscover Santa Claus and the Easter Bunny. Down home, I'm surrounded with memories."

Tommy, my brother, was six years older. He always looked out after me. I hope it will be like that for Gaston and Spencer. He adores her. He hugs her — sometimes too tightly.

"We spent Labor Day weekend at Tommy's summer house at Livingstone Lake. The boys fished all day long. Gaston was right with them in the boat. You remember by nephews? Tommy, Mike and Larry? They used to visit 'Aunt Ellen' when she was a newcomer to film business on 'Charlie's Angels.' They'd come for summer vacation. 'Seeing them, you realize how time flies,' she says. 'Tommy is married now. Mike is engaged. Larry's in high school. Yesterday, it seems, I was buying the older boys skateboards.'"

It has been 10 years since her grandfather, "PawPaw," died at the age of 101. "Almost 102," she reminds you. Until then, Smith went home every month. She had dropped out of Trinity College after one year to go to New York and study dancing, and study she did, with Patrick Swayze's mother, Ruth Denny. She, Tommy Tune, Lisa Hartman and others who studied at the same time just recently held a reunion.

"Ruth was a wonderful teacher," Smith remembers. "Very encouraging to my career, which didn't keep my family from worrying. They were very much against New York and the idea of my being there alone, but they did understand that I was serious and was following the rules."

"I was, by upbringing, a careful, cautious person, and as I began getting some wonderful modeling assignments (Breck, Max Factor, Woolite, Wella Balsam) and jobs in musical comedy, they relaxed more. Parents do worry. I understand that now. I can see that rules are needed. Discipline is needed."

"I've always loved working with children. They're so honest, so basic. I used to teach ballet for a group of youngsters at Head Start when I was in New York. And every month, Paw Paw and I talked about horse-and-buggy days and how now we were putting men on the moon. We talked about everything. He was such a major influence on my life. From the time I was 11, I traveled with him from Houston, across the Brazos River and the Colorado River and the Guadalupe River toward San Antonio, stopping at little churches so Paw Paw could



Jaclyn Smith's latest movie is "Rage of Angels II."

preach. "I've never gone back to any of those places. I haven't even gone back to our old house because the memories were so acute. I just couldn't. But now I'm ready. I wanted to show it all to Gaston, who was named for my grandfather, a picture of whom hangs in his room."

"We drove all around Houston, which is far more progressive than L.A. architecturally. It is fascinating to see the new houses built to look old with detailed columns and moldings. We went to the shopping center and bought a new bonnet for Spencer and Superman pajamas for Gaston. A lot of people knew me. Nothing like New York where people's enthusiasm tends to be noisy. After all, this is my hometown. People were very quiet, very friendly. Salespeople called me Jackie. I was craving a hamburger. There's nothing

like a Southern hamburger, lean meat, seasoning. Cliff's old-fashioned hamburgers are 100 percent better than anywhere else."

"My family always did things together. I want our family to be the same. Gaston and his daddy are like two peas in a pod. Gaston adores his daddy. He also has learned from him the importance of work. I myself am not casual about anything in my life. When I work, I give it everything I've got, but then I have to have time for daily living. I want to come home and devote myself to my children and my life as a woman. Tony gets consumed by his work as director and cinematographer. He has to go away occasionally on location, but when that's over, he's not just a 9-to-5 working dad. He has time to swim with his son. They have remote-control cars. They build planes. We have explained to

our son that work is important, just as his school is important — he's so proud to be in kindergarten — and love is important, and family."

"My greatest problem is managing time. I like it when I can get off to bed early like the children, but I seldom do. There are scripts to read, K-Mart clothes to design, lists to be made for both home and the studio, a telephone that never seems to stop ringing. Never a dull moment. I've never been busier in my life. You keep thinking you'll have time to rest, but you don't. It's hard for me to delegate chores, and I'm inclined to spread myself too thin."

She hates to leave the children and takes them with her whenever possible — for "Rage of Angels II" to New York. Originally the picture had been scheduled to shoot in Italy, but because of terrorism, they stayed in Manhattan, Smith's favorite city. "I did my first 'Rage' right after Gaston; this one, after Spencer. Jennifer is my favorite part. There are so many facets of her to play." She is such a survivor.

As is Jaclyn Smith. She was the girl who wanted marriage and family above even career, and married twice "and was wrong both times. Mistaken. Old-fashioned. I wouldn't live with a man without marriage. And I thought that being in love was it. Love is great, but it isn't enough. It has to be two individual people working together at marriage. You can love someone, but that doesn't mean everything works smoothly. Tony and I are working hard, and we have a lot to work for."

"These children have changed my life. I'm more appreciative. I have no time for superficial junk. I am aware of time, and this is the best time of all for me — with Gaston at 5, and Spencer 10 months and standing up, I am seeing the world with their eyes, experiencing innocence again."

Trends

Famous phrases live on in edited form

History's pearls of wisdom have undergone curious changes

By William Walden

"By necessity, by proclivity and by delight, we all quote," wrote Ralph Waldo Emerson. He might have added "...but not always accurately," for many famous quotations have fallen victim to a fair amount of editing. Some were originally uttered in different forms; others have been popularly attributed to the wrong people. Still others have been misconstrued.

Take, for instance, these courageous (or reckless) words spoken aboard the "Hartford" on August 5, 1864, during the Battle of Mobile Bay: "Damn the torpedoes — full speed ahead!" During the battle, the legend goes, a commanding officer told an underling this. They evoke the name of Admiral David Farragut. But some authorities claim that what he actually said was, "Damn the torpedoes! Captain Drayton, go ahead! Jouett, full speed!"

If so, somewhere between his utterance of those words and their appearance in history books, somebody worked busily with an editor's pencil. In the process Captain Drayton and Jouett got thrown overboard to the sharks.

Sixty-three years later, in peacetime, an unmilitary man created a stir with these words: "I do not choose to run." Like Farragut's utterance, this one originally included other words ("...for president in nineteen twenty-eight"), which have fallen by the wayside. Calvin Coolidge made this surprise announcement to reporters in Rapid City, S.D., on August 2, 1927. They made headlines and

have endured as much for their primness as for their inflexibility.

Coolidge's statement has become one of history's most debated. Was this a coy maneuver by Coolidge to get the Republican party to draft him? Was he hinting that the decision was the party's and not his? Or did he mean, plain and simple, that he would not run for president?

Silent Cal remained fairly silent as newspapers dissected his remarks and politicians tried to guess his intentions. But the consensus is that Coolidge was not trying to be cagey. He meant what he said.

Coolidge had already served one term as president and filled out another after Warren G. Harding died. A second full

term (a likely possibility given Coolidge's popularity) would have been too much. Historians also note that he died in January 1933, during what would have been his second term.

Herbert Hoover became president, but that wasn't the last the public heard of "I do not choose to run." The phrase was often found plastered to the rear bumpers of jalopies in the '20s and '30s.

Few children have delivered famous remarks, but one went on to bigger and better things after announcing, "I cannot tell a lie" or, as it appears in Mason Weems' "The Life of George Washington," "I can't tell a lie. I did it with my hatchet." Most historians scoff at the cherry-tree story, but it has become indissolubly associated with the father of our country.

A naval engagement offered another military figure an opportunity to deliver a memorable sentence: "Don't give up the ship." Commander James Lawrence, commander of the "Chesapeake," thus exhorted his men on June 1, 1813, during a battle with the British frigate "Shannon."

According to some experts, he actually said, "Tell the men to fire faster and not to give up the ship; fight her till she sinks." This verbose command needed improvement if it was to survive, and an anonymous benefactor helped out.

Another person uttered the shorter version 37 years earlier in analogous circumstances. During a British attack in Boston Harbor on May 19, 1776, Captain James Muggford, of the schooner "Franklin," exclaimed, "Don't give up the ship! You will beat them off!" Despite his superior phrasing, few people associate him with that immortal order; Lawrence gets the glory.

The plaint "I want to be alone" made a great actress even more famous, but once again the speaker was misquoted. Greta Garbo claimed that what she said was, "I want to be let alone!" Her version asked for relief from intrusive pests; its altered form made her wish for privacy seem like an affectation, especially when it was mimicked with a heavy Swedish accent.

Practically everyone knows that the advice "Go west, young man" was offered by Horace Greeley, editor of the New York Post. But although he frequently spoke and wrote those words, they were not his own.

He was quoting from an article in the Terre Haute, Ind.,

Express, written by John Babsone Lane Soule — a man long forgotten except by scholars, despite Greeley's having credited him as the source.

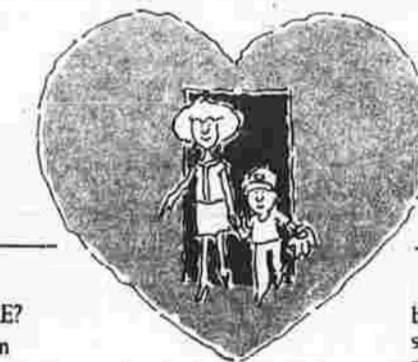
If a commoner had said

"Apres nous le deluge." (After us the deluge) it would have been forgotten, but because the Marquise de Pompadour uttered it to Louis XV in November, 1757, after a resounding defeat of the French and Austrian

armies, it has endured for centuries.

Royalty produced another memorable remark: "Let them eat cake." But who that royalty was remains a mystery — or a matter of propaganda. ■

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 - [USA] Varied Programs
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 - (1) INN News
 - (1) Agricultural News
 - (1) Morning Stretch
 - [CNN] Showbiz Today
 - [USA] Room 222
- 6:00AM** (3) Today's Business
 - (5) Joyce and the Wheeled Warriors
 - (5) ABC News This Morning
 - (2) Jimmy Swagart
 - (1) Varied Programs
 - (1) CNN News
 - (2) Bugs Bunny
 - (2) NBC News at Sunrise
 - (2) Richard Roberts Show
 - (2) 20 Minute Workout
 - (1) El Club 700
 - (1) Macron 1
 - [CNN] Daybreak
 - [DIS] Mickey Mouse Club
 - [ESPN] Aerobics: Bodies in Motion
 - [USA] Room 222
- 6:30AM** (3) News
 - (5) Centurions
 - (1) 700 Club
 - (1) Robotech
 - (2) 20 Minute Workout
 - (2) He-Man
 - (2) Voltron, Defender of the Universe
 - (1) El Ministerio de Jimmy Swagart
 - [CNN] Business Morning
 - [DIS] Mousercise
 - [ESPN] Nation's Business Today
 - [USA] That Girl
- 6:45AM** (6) News
 - (2) Weather
- 7:00AM** (3) CBS Morning News
 - (5) Rambo
 - (1) Good Morning America (CC)
 - (1) Heathcliff
 - (1) Kidsworld
 - (2) She Ra Princess of Power
 - (2) Today in Stereo
 - (2) Mr. Rogers' Neighborhood
 - (2) Dudley Do-Right
 - (2) Ghostbusters
 - (1) Rimo Vital
 - (1) M.A.S.K.
 - [CNN] Daybreak
 - [DIS] Good Morning Mickey!
 - [USA] USA Cartoon Express
- 7:30AM** (5) Defenders of the Earth
 - (1) Straight Talk
 - (1) Challenge of the Gobots
 - (1) Polka Dot Door
 - (2) Transformers
 - (2) Captain Kangaroo

- (2) Uncle Waldo
- (2) Adventures of the Galaxy Rangers
- (1) Mundo Latino
- (1) Heathcliff
- [CNN] Business Day
- [DIS] Welcome to Pooh Corner
- [ESPN] Nation's Business Today
- 8:00AM** (5) The Flintstones
 - (1) Adventures of the Galaxy Rangers
 - (1) Zoobilee Zoo
 - (1) Dennis the Menace
 - (2) Sesame Street (CC)
 - (2) King Leonardo
 - (2) Superfriends
 - (2) 3-2-1, Contact (CC)
 - (1) My Little Pony
 - [CNN] Daybreak
 - [DIS] Donald Duck Presents
- 8:05AM** (2) Varied Programs
 - (2) NBC News at Sunrise
- 8:30AM** (5) My Little Pony
 - (1) Romper Room
 - (1) Scooby Doo
 - (1) Que Pasa, USA?
 - (2) Zoobilee Zoo
 - (2) Sesame Street (CC)
 - (1) The Jetsons
 - (1) Dumbo's Circus
- 9:00AM** (3) Hour Magazine (R)
 - (1) Brady Bunch
 - (1) Donahue
 - (1) Munsters
 - (1) Celebration of the Eucharist
 - (2) Hackle and Jeckle
 - (2) Sesame Street (CC)
 - (2) Big Valley
 - (2) Strike It Rich
 - (2) Fat Albert
 - (2) Superior Court
 - (1) Dick Van Dyke
 - [CNN] Daywatch
 - [DIS] You and Me, Kid
 - [USA] Calliope
- 9:05AM** (2) Varied Programs
 - (2) Leave It to Beaver
- 9:30AM** (5) Leave It to Beaver
 - (1) Zoobilee Zoo
 - (1) Rhoda
 - (1) Ask Washington
 - (2) Jimmy Swagart
 - (2) New Crosswits
 - (2) Journal
 - (2) Judge
 - (2) Mr. Rogers' Neighborhood
 - (1) Green Acres
 - [DIS] Movie
- 10:00AM** (3) Oprah Winfrey
 - (1) Love Lucy
 - (2) Sally Jessy Raphael
 - (1) My Favorite Martian
 - (1) Falcon Crest
 - (1) Varied Programs
 - (2) 700 Club Live
 - (2) Jim & Tammy
 - (2) Family Ties
 - (2) Movie
 - (2) Benson
 - (1) Hoy Mismo
 - (2) Secret City
 - (1) \$25,000 Pyramid
 - [USA] Gong Show
- 10:30AM** (5) Bewitched
 - (1) Superior Court
 - (1) Abbott and Costello
 - (1) Varied Programs
 - (1) CNN News
 - (2) Sale of the Century
 - (2) Hollywood Squares
 - (2) Oni/TV (CC)
 - (1) The New Card Sharks
 - [USA] Anything 4 Money
 - (1) Price Is Right
 - (1) One Day at a Time
 - (1) Fame, Fortune and Romance
 - (1) Partridge Family
 - (1) Best Talk in Town
 - (1) Jim & Tammy
 - (2) I Dream of Jeannie
 - (2) Wheel of Fortune
 - (2) Jimmy Swagart
 - [DIS] Varied Programs
 - (1) Real McCoy

TV I.Q.

By Denise Gorga

- Which member of the "I Spy" team was a Rhodes scholar?
- What actor portrayed him?
- True or false: He was the first black performer to have a starring role on a dramatic American TV series.
- On what hit show does he now appear?
- What was his fellow spy's name?
- Who played him?
- What was his cover?
- What team award had he won twice?

- ANSWERS**
- Alexander Scott
 - Bill Cosby
 - Robert Cup
 - The Cosby Show
 - Kelly Robinson
 - Don't Tell Mom the Babysitter's Dead
 - Playboy
 - The Davis Cup

- [USA] The Detectives
- 11:30AM** (5) All in the Family
 - (1) True Confessions
 - (1) Dream of Jeannie
 - (1) Good Times
 - (2) Bewitched
 - (2) Scrabble
 - (2) Three Stooges
 - (2) Webster
 - (1) My Three Sons
 - [DIS] Walt Disney Presents
 - [USA] Varied Programs
- 12:00PM** (3) News
 - (5) Made in New York
 - (1) Sanford and Son
 - (1) [USA] Movie
 - (2) Police Woman
 - (2) Super Password
 - (2) \$1,000,000 Chance of a Lifetime
 - (2) Ryan's Hope
 - (1) Novels: Yolande Lujan
 - (2) Sesame Street (CC)
 - [CNN] Take 2
 - [ESPN] Aerobics: Bodies in Motion (R)
- 12:30PM** (3) Young and the Restless
 - (1) Loving
 - (1) Movie
 - (2) Wordplay PREMIERE
 - (2) Dick Van Dyke
 - (1) Perry Mason
 - [DIS] Adventures of Ozzie and Harriet
 - [USA] Varied Programs

Pickles says hospital 'St. Elsewhere' star

By Jerry Buck
The Associated Press

LOS ANGELES — Christina Pickles knows who is the real draw on NBC's "St. Elsewhere," and she is not reluctant to tell you.

"The hospital is the star of this show," she said. "It has a very definite presence. The show isn't as successful when we leave the hospital. We used to do scenes at my house, but they were never as good."

"Now people meet me at the hospital. It has a certain magic. I don't know why. But I've always thought a large, metropolitan hospital was a very vibrant thing. It's a worthwhile endeavor."

Pickles plays head nurse Helen Rosenthal on the series, set in fictional St. Eligius Hospital in Boston.

Rosenthal is a middle-aged woman who has been married four times, has five children and currently is having an affair. In the past, she's had breast cancer, a mastectomy and reconstructive surgery, led a nurses' strike and faced the possibility of a midlife pregnancy.

In real life, Pickles is separated and has two children. Rosenthal is passionate and unpredictable. So, too, is the series, which also offers fascinating drama, black humor and an astringent view of some of the most cynical, uncompassionate and realistic healers ever portrayed on television.

Pickles is only one member of a large ensemble cast, but the numerous overlapping storylines give all of them opportunities to explore their characters.

A lot of the action takes place in the emergency room, which is a crucible for the drama and the characters on "St. Elsewhere."

"You have to be strong to work there," she said. "It attracts a certain caliber of personality. It's a place of natural drama. It's never forced. I think it's lovely, too, when they do night shots and it's all quiet."

- [DIS] Welcome to Pooh Corner
- 4:00PM** (3) Magnum, P.I.
 - (5) He-Man & Masters of the Universe
 - (2) Divorce Court
 - (1) Police Woman
 - (1) G.I. Joe
 - (1) Brady Bunch
 - (2) Thundercats
 - (2) Sesame Street (CC)
 - (2) Macron 1
 - (2) Hollywood Squares
 - (2) Rambo
 - (2) Quincy
 - (1) Novels: El Ave Fanix
 - [DIS] Mickey Mouse Club
 - [USA] Jackpot
- 4:30PM** (3) Thundercats
 - (1) People's Court
 - (1) Movie
 - (1) Transformers
 - (1) Rocky and Friends
 - (2) G.I. Joe
 - (2) True Confessions
 - (2) All New Dating Game
 - (2) Ghostbusters
 - (1) Rambo
 - [DIS] Donald Duck Presents
 - [USA] Chain Reaction
- 5:00PM** (3) News
 - (5) Different Strokes
 - (1) Live at Five
 - (1) Hart to Hart
 - (1) Love Boat
 - (1) Falcon Crest
 - (2) Gimme a Break
 - (2) M*A*S*H
 - (2) Mr. Rogers' Neighborhood
 - (2) Little House
 - (2) Benson
 - (2) White Shadow
 - (2) People's Court
- 5:30PM** (3) News
 - (1) Novels: Seduction
 - (1) Knight Rider
 - [CNN] Newswatch
 - [DIS] Kidscane
 - [USA] Let's Make a Deal
 - (1) Top Cat
 - (2) Profiles of Nature
 - (2) Defenders of the Earth
 - (2) He-Man & Masters of the Universe
 - (2) XETV
 - (2) WKRP in Cincinnati
 - [USA] Dance Party USA

Sexuality

Values affect feelings about masturbation

There is no evidence the practice causes physical harm

By Dr. June Reinisch



DEAR DR. REINISCH: I am a teenage male with a serious problem. I have been masturbating for over a year and can't bring myself to stop, no matter what I do.

I come from a Christian family and have a girlfriend; no one knows about my problem. My girlfriend and I don't even have sex, and neither of us want it until we are married. We both consider sex before marriage as morally wrong.

Because I can't stop masturbating, I feel guilty whenever I see my family or girlfriend. How can I stop this once and for all?

And if I ever decide to have kids, will all this masturbating have an effect on my sperm and my ability to have healthy kids? I read that masturbating can affect your personality. Is this true?

This is no joke. I am desperate.

Homosexual desire

DEAR DR. REINISCH: Is it true that all men have some homosexual desires? At age 58, I started to get homosexual tendencies. Four years later the desire continues to get stronger, even though I have never had a relationship with a man. Is this something that happens to older men?

I still have sex with my wife, so why am I having these homosexual desires?

DEAR READER: I'm not sure what you mean by "tendencies," but a research project investigating fantasies reported that fantasies about homosexual activities are one of the most common fantasies among heterosexual males. In addition, most people use fantasies to induce or increase sexual arousal, regardless of which sexual activities are actually performed. Perhaps this is what you are experiencing.

Fantasies also enable a person to imagine activities that he or she never has tried and also has no intention of actually carrying out. This is another possible explanation for your feelings.

Much of the research on homosexuality reports that most homosexual men recognize their preference for partners of the

same sex before or during adolescence. However, recent data say that for some men, homosexual awareness does not emerge until adulthood. This awareness at older ages is common among lesbians (female homosexuals).

If you think that the feelings you wrote about are causing guilt or anxiety that are intruding on your ability to have a happy life, talk with a counselor or a psychotherapist. These professionals are trained to help clients sort out feelings and to determine whether their thoughts are related to fantasies or to sexual orientation.

Why visit prostitute

DEAR DR. REINISCH: Why do men go to prostitutes? Is it just for coitus or because they can get other types of sex, such as oral sex?

DEAR READER: There are many different reasons that men seek out prostitutes. According to Masters and Johnson, these reasons do include wanting certain sexual activities that the man's usual partner will not perform.

Other reasons cited are being without a sexual partner, due to travel or military service, and wanting to avoid emotional involvement. In addition, some men with physical handicaps find it difficult to attract partners. In some cultures, sex with women who are not prostitutes is difficult to arrange without detection or grave consequences to the women.

Research on female prostitutes indicates that oral sex is requested more frequently than intercourse. The prostitutes studied also preferred performing oral sex to having intercourse with their clients.

Needs specialist

DEAR DR. REINISCH: My wife and I have been married for 10 years and she has been trying to get pregnant for the last five years.

I went to my physician and had five sperm tests. They all showed zero sperm. I asked him what could be done about this, and he said there is nothing he can do—that I'll just have to learn to live with it.

My wife was shown to be fertile, so we know it's me. What can I do now? My wife and I are almost at the end.

DEAR READER: Find a fertility specialist or fertility clinic by calling the nearest medical school, or write to the

"Because I can't stop masturbating, I feel guilty whenever I see my family or girlfriend. How can I stop this once and for all?"

American Fertility Society (2131 Magnolia Ave., Suite 201, Birmingham, Ala. 35256).

You may have to go to the nearest medical school, large hospital or big city, but now you need highly specialized testing, and perhaps treatment, to determine the best means of having a family.

A total lack of sperm in the ejaculate (called azoospermia) can mean a number of different things. For example, you might be making sperm in your testicles, but have a blockage in some of the many tubes or ducts through which sperm must travel to the penis. Many of these blockages can be surgically corrected.

One of the key things to be determined is whether you are making sperm; this often requires a testicular biopsy (in which a small sample of tissue from the testicles is removed and examined). The full and accurate interpretation of this tissue requires a great deal of expertise.

You also may need tests to determine various hormonal levels, or to see if some correctable disease is involved. In any event, ask your physician for copies of your past sperm-analysis reports. There are other pieces of information (such as the level of a sugar called fructose in the ejaculate) that may be useful to the specialist.

One important option you do not mention is the use of insemination. For example, a man may make sperm, but they end up in his urine instead of in his semen. In cases like this, some specialists have recovered the sperm and used them to successfully impregnate the wife.

If a husband does not make any sperm at all, using sperm from an anonymous donor to impregnate the wife is also highly successful. This procedure reportedly is responsible for more than 10,000 births each year.

By working with medical personnel whose primary goal is to facilitate pregnancy, you and your wife should be able to explore all of the available options more thoroughly and speedily. There are many new

Send questions to Dr. Reinisch in care of The Kinsey Report, P.O. Box 48, Bloomington, Ind. 47402. Volume of mail prohibits personal replies, but questions of general interest may be discussed in future columns.

Solution



KIM MORGAN GREENE

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Insights into Childhood

Ability to forgive takes root early

By Fred Rogers
with Barry Head

I can sometimes be easier to forgive our enemies than it is our friends. It can be hardest of all to forgive people we love.

Forgiveness is as important to our emotional well-being as being able to wait for what we want, or to cope with stress. Like all of life's important coping skills, I believe the ability to forgive, the capacity to let go of resentments, take root early in our lives.

A father told us of an experience he had with his 4-year-old son. Something the boy wanted very badly to happen didn't happen, and in a fit of angry disappointment, he ran sobbing off to his bedroom and slammed the door. His father followed to comfort him.

"It just isn't fair!" the boy complained through his tears. "It isn't fair!" Then, even before his father could begin finding words of consolation, the boy wiped away his tears with the back of his hand, took in a long, uneven breath, and said, "But then I guess life isn't fair, is it, Dad?"

"Now that's a big philosophical question," that father told us as he recalled the incident. "I was taken back to hear it from a 4-year-old, and I was somewhat at a loss for what to reply. I think I said that the things that happen to us in life don't always seem fair, that there are hard times as well as easy, fun times, and that's the way life goes for all of us."

"I remember my wife and myself worrying that our son was turning into a very young cynic. But he's growing up now with a sunny, optimistic disposition, so perhaps our fears were groundless. He might just

have been expressing a sort of forgiveness toward life, beginning to accept it the way it is, without harboring a grudge or thinking the world was out to deceive and disappoint him. I really don't know what was going on in his mind right then, and naturally he's forgotten the incident altogether."

Forgiving and forgetting are often paired together, but the one certainly doesn't necessarily follow the other. Some injuries, real or imagined, may never be able to forget, even though we say we've forgiven them. Others we may never even be able to say that we forgive. Those are the ones, it seems to me, most likely to involve people we've loved, and so I'm inclined to look at what our experiences of forgiveness may have been like from the first people who loved us.

The first time we required forgiveness, we probably did something we shouldn't have when our closest grownups thought we should have known better and we made someone angry. We were to blame. What did that first brush with blame begin to teach us?

If we were fortunate, we began to learn that "to err is human"; even good people sometimes do bad things. Errors might mean corrections, apologies, repairs, but they didn't mean that we, as a person, were a bad person in the sight of those who loved us.

The second thing we learned (if we were fortunate) was that having someone we loved get mad at us did not mean that person had stopped loving us; we had their unconditional love, and having that meant we would have their forgiveness, too.

Not all children are so fortunate. Some hear, again and again, that it's they who are bad, not just what they've done.



Even a four-year-old learns that life is not always fair.

They're told they're "always breaking things," or "always spoiling things," and that's how they come to think of themselves: as spoilers and breakers. They grow with little sense of forgiveness, and they grow fearful of their parents' displeasure and unsure of their parents' love, unsure deep down that they, themselves, are even lovable to begin with.

Sad to say, there are even less fortunate children still, and statistics tell us they are many. These are children born to parents who are unable or unwilling to care for them. Already from the time they are

nursing or sucking from a bottle, they can see in their reluctant caregiver's eyes that they are one too many a mouth to feed, one too many a body to look after.

Children like that don't have to do anything "bad" to get blamed; they get no forgiveness simply for having been born. For these children, an early sense of love and forgiveness has to come from someone else, and happily it often does as it does for many children who grow through otherwise unforgiving childhoods.

When it comes to forgiveness, there are fortunate and

unfortunate parents, too. The fortunate ones are those who find they have forgiving children. There are times when all parents need their children's forgiveness. We can never meet all our children's hopes and expectations, and so we are bound to disappoint them. We will always make some hasty promises that we find we can't keep.

Dining In

Frankfurters, wienerwursts, hot dogs

Whatever the name, it's a versatile food

By Shirley E. Sump

Vienna, Austria, and Frankfurt, Germany, both claim to be the birthplace of the wienerwurst or frankfurter. A German immigrant selling his "frankfurter wurst" at Coney Island in the 1870s started it all in America. Popularity grew in the early 1900s when the "hot frankfurters" were sold at football games in the New York Polo Grounds. A sports cartoonist, Tad Dorgan, published cartoons in which the frankfurters were pictured as long buns containing a dachshund, which he called "hot dogs."

I have eaten hot dogs in this country and Europe in many different forms and combinations. The korv in Sweden, salsicce in Italy, and of course the glorious wursts of Germany. However, while I love hot dogs, there was one exotic German dish combining wurst and chocolate that never tempted me.

Following are some internationally inspired recipes.

This kind of bean soup is found all over Italy. Some make it very thick and some regions like a thinner soup, using more liquid. Serve with crusty bread, cheese and fresh fruit.

BEAN SOUP (Minestra di Fagioli)

- 2 (15-ounce) cans navy beans
- 1 large onion, chopped
- 1/2 cup chopped celery
- 2 carrots, peeled and sliced
- 1 clove garlic, minced
- 1 (16-ounce) can tomatoes, cut up
- 3 cups water
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 teaspoon pepper
- 1/2 teaspoon dried oregano leaves
- 1 pound frankfurters, cut in 1/2-inch slices
- 1 cup small elbow macaroni

Combine all ingredients in Dutch oven except macaroni and frankfurters. Bring to a boil. Reduce heat and simmer, covered, until vegetables are tender, about 30 minutes.

Add frankfurters and continue simmering 10 minutes.

Cook macaroni according to package directions; drain. Add to mixture in pot and heat thoroughly. Add more water if

necessary when cooking. Makes 4 to 6 servings.

The national soup of the Dutch is great for a winter luncheon or supper. Serve with dark bread and apple cobbler.

SPLIT PEA SOUP (Erwtensoepp)

- 2 quarts water
- 1 pound dried green split peas
- 2 medium onions, sliced
- 4 stalks celery, sliced
- 4 medium carrots, peeled and sliced
- 2 cloves garlic, minced
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 teaspoon pepper
- 4 medium potatoes, pared and diced
- 1 pound frankfurters, sliced in 1/2-inch rounds

Heat water and peas to boiling in Dutch oven; boil 2 minutes. Remove from heat; cover and let stand 1 hour. Add onions, celery, carrots, garlic, salt and pepper. Heat to boiling; reduce heat. Cover and simmer 30 minutes. Add potatoes; cover and simmer until vegetables are tender, about 45 minutes.

Stir frankfurters into soup. Cover and simmer for another 15 minutes. Add more water if necessary when cooking. Makes 6 to 8 servings.

FRANKFURTER GOULASH (Lescó)

- 2 medium onions, chopped
- 2 medium green peppers, diced
- 2 medium tomatoes, chopped
- 2 tablespoons butter or margarine
- 6 medium potatoes, peeled and diced
- 2 cups water
- 1 tablespoon Hungarian paprika
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 teaspoon pepper
- 1 pound frankfurters, sliced in 1/2-inch rounds

In a 3-quart pan, sauté the onions, green peppers and tomatoes in the butter until limp. Add the potatoes, water, paprika, salt and pepper. Cover; let simmer for 15 minutes or until the potatoes are tender. Add the frankfurters and let cook covered 10 minutes more.

Melt butter in Dutch oven; add frankfurters and sauté for several minutes. Add potatoes, onion and water. Cover and simmer 15 to 20 minutes or until



vegetables are tender. Stir in corn. Slowly stir milk into flour; add to soup and stir well to mix. Add salt, pepper and parsley. Continually stir until mixture thickens and is heated through, about 5 minutes. Makes 4 servings.

LUCKY DOG

- 1 pound frankfurters, sliced in 1/2-inch rounds
- 1 tablespoon vegetable oil
- 1 (6-ounce) can tomato paste
- 1 1/4 cups water
- 1 tablespoon instant minced onion
- 1 teaspoon dried green pepper flakes
- 1/4 teaspoon garlic powder
- 1/4 teaspoon dry mustard
- 1/4 teaspoon celery seeds
- 1/4 teaspoon chili powder
- 1/2 teaspoon sugar
- 1 (15-ounce) can kidney beans, drained and rinsed
- hot fluffy rice

Sauté frankfurters in hot oil in skillet. Stir in remaining ingredients, except rice. Bring to a boil; reduce heat, cover and simmer 10 minutes. Serve over rice. Makes 6 servings.

This is an easy version of a Mexican scrambled egg dish. It is not as well known as Huevos Rancheros, but just as tasty. Serve with warm tortillas and a

different breakfast or lunch.

EGGS WITH CORN AND FRANKS (Huevos con Elote y Salchila)

- 2 tablespoons butter or margarine
- 1/2 pound frankfurters, chopped
- 1 (17-ounce) can cream-style corn
- 1 large tomato, peeled and chopped
- 1 small green pepper, chopped
- 1 teaspoon dried parsley flakes
- 1/4 teaspoon chili powder
- 8 eggs, lightly beaten

Melt butter in large skillet; sauté frankfurters for a few minutes. Do not brown.

Add corn to skillet; heat through. Add tomato, green pepper, parsley, chili powder and eggs. Cook, stirring frequently with a spatula until set. Makes 6 to 8 servings.

A hearty and handsome main dish from the Southwest. Serve with tossed salad and chocolate cake with ice cream.

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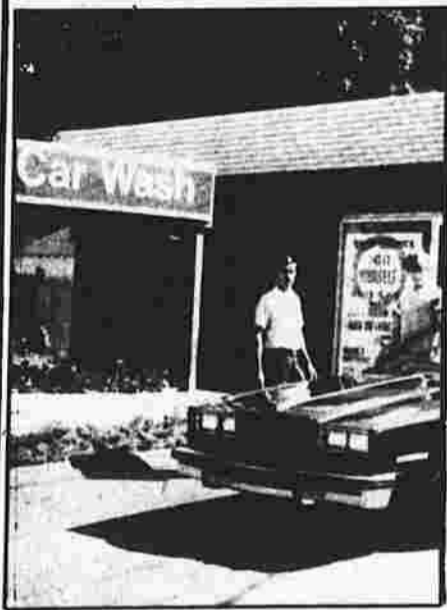
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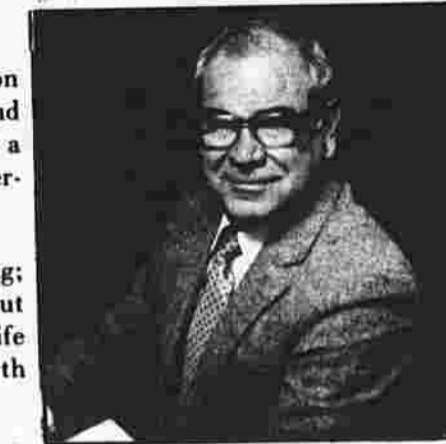
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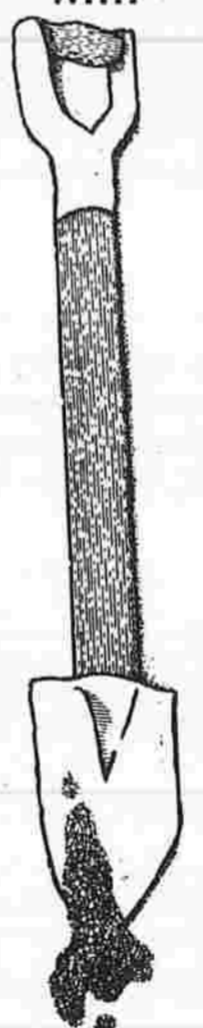
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Giant fans covet Super Bowl tix

By Michael Fleeman
The Associated Press

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. — New York Giants fans on Friday flocked to the post office to become among the first to deliver their applications for a chance at some of the 20,000 Super Bowl tickets that would be available if the team sweeps the NFC playoffs.

The coveted \$75 tickets are being distributed to applicants in the order in which the Giants receive the applications at the East Rutherford post office, team spokesman Ed Croke said.

The Giants' ticket policy dictated that the first day fans could send in their applications was Friday, and by late afternoon the team had picked up more than 5,000 applications, post office clerk Glen Benish said. "There were long lines all morning, and by afternoon they were coming in one or two at a time," Benish said. "People were also dropping applications in the box outside on Christmas Day."

He said the black wall phone behind the post office's front desk had been ringing off the hook for the past three days with people asking for directions to the office.

About 300 fans who couldn't make it the post office sent in their applications in \$10.75 overnight express mail envelopes from offices throughout the country, Benish said.

In New York City, he said, a 24-hour Manhattan post office started accepting the overnight packages at 12:01 a.m. Friday morning. All this work on the part of Giants fans could be wasted time if the team doesn't win its two playoff games.

The Giants open the playoffs Jan. 4 by hosting either the San Francisco 49ers or the Los Angeles Rams. If the Giants win, they'll play again at home for the NFC title Jan. 11. The Super Bowl, which is between the AFC and NFC champions, is scheduled for Jan. 25 in the Rose Bowl in Pasadena, Calif.

Sherrill applauds ban on Bosworth

DALLAS (AP) — Texas A&M Coach Jackie Sherrill praised the NCAA Friday for its drug testing program for bowl teams, saying that barring Oklahoma All-American linebacker Brian Bosworth from Orange Bowl play will send a message to college athletes.

"It's (the drug testing) something that needed to be done and I have to applaud them," he said. Sherrill said the fact that Bosworth had been barred from playing in the Orange Bowl on New Year's Day because traces of anabolic steroid were found in his system will be a big warning to college athletes.

"You could spend millions in advertisements and it wouldn't have the impact it (Bosworth's punishment) will," Sherrill said.

Sherrill said Oklahoma had no excuses. "That is the responsibility of the head coach and the athletic director," said Sherrill, who pointed out that Texas A&M had its own drug tests for the five years he has been head football coach and athletic director at the school. "We took a lot of steps to educate our players. And we spent \$25,000 testing them."

Texas A&M tested its players for drugs in August and the Southwest Conference tested all the schools in October. The NCAA tested the Aggies two weeks ago. The A&M players passed without any problems.

"We started the testing program because I was more concerned with street drugs than steroids," Sherrill said. "Street drugs can kill you. You can get off steroids."

The SWC champion Aggies worked out in the Cotton Bowl to prepare for their New Year's Day meeting with Big Ten Conference co-champion Ohio State.

The Buckeyes had a late evening flight into Dallas and scheduled their first practice for Texas Stadium on Saturday.



Oklahoma linebacker Brian Bosworth, shown lifting weights prior to the start of the 1986 season, said the NCAA is "all

screwed up" in a press conference Friday in Miami Beach.

Bosworth says NCAA has its priorities 'screwed up'

By Joey Holleman
The Associated Press

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. — All-American linebacker Brian Bosworth, banned from playing in the Orange Bowl because a drug test showed he took steroids, said Friday he deserves a right "to give my body the ultimate challenge and be as healthy as I can be."

The Oklahoma Sooner star said the steroids were prescribed by a doctor to help his rehabilitation.

The flamboyant Bosworth held a news conference in Miami to make his first comments since his banishment from the bowl was publicly announced Thursday.

"After the 1985 season, both of my shoulders were hurting so much that I couldn't lift weights to build my body back up," Bosworth said. "I deserve my right to give my body the ultimate challenge and be as healthy as I can be."

"I didn't have the knowledge that steroids would stay in my system that long. That's my fault," he said. Bosworth, an outspoken player with a punk haircut who has publicly crusaded against drug use, and two other Oklahoma Sooner football players were barred from playing in the New Year's Day bowl game because traces of anabolic steroids were found in their systems after an NCAA-required drug test.

Bosworth said, "I'm not condoning the abuse of a drug. I'll continue to fight against abuse of drugs, recreational drugs that are destroying society. Steroids aren't destroying society."

"The ironic thing is the NCAA has their priorities all screwed up," Bosworth said. "They worry about what's in my system from a year ago but if I tested positive for pot, they'd say that's all right."

The NCAA is not suspending athletes who test positive for

marijuana because positive test results are possible with second-hand smoke.

Bosworth, a fourth-year junior, could declare himself eligible for the NFL draft this spring but he refused to say if he would leave Oklahoma.

"I would miss the excitement of college football, but I'm starting to get fed up with the NCAA's dictatorship attitude," he said. "I do have an option."

He insisted the drug had been prescribed to him by a doctor, but he wouldn't reveal the physician's name.

"You want to do the best at your job. I experimented with what I thought would be my best chance for that," he said. "I paid for it."

Bosworth criticized the NCAA for not allowing a grace period for drugs that could stay in the system that long. The NCAA rule on testing for drug use didn't take effect until August.

Bosworth said experts have told him the steroid he took, called nandrolone, can stay in his system from 10 to 11 months. He says he took them from early January to mid-March.

Two of Bosworth's non-starting teammates, offensive guard Gary Bennett and defensive tackle David Shoemaker, also were declared ineligible by the National Collegiate Athletic Association for the same reason, a university spokesman said Thursday. The three did not accompany the team to Miami.

"I have a little bit of a strange image and people think, 'Hey, he's a football player, acting like that, he has to be on something,'" he said in an interview earlier this year. "I am here to prove you can be different and still be straight."

Bosworth finished fourth in the voting for the Heisman Trophy, was

a finalist for the Lombardi Award and won the Butkus Award for the second year in a row. He was the Big Eight Conference defensive player of the year and an All-American for the second year in a row.

But his earrings, multicolored hairdo and sometimes inflammatory remarks tended to overshadow his play.

Bosworth led the Sooners in tackles this season as Oklahoma finished 10-1 and earned another trip to the Orange Bowl where the Sooners play Arkansas.

Switzer said he learned about the players' tests two days ago.

"I'd certainly rather it be steroids than cocaine or marijuana," said Switzer, who added the loss of the players shouldn't hurt his team's performance against Arkansas Jan. 1.

The loss of Bosworth was another blow for Orange Bowl officials, whose game will not play a role in selecting a national champion.

"It seems like everything's happening to me this year," said a disheartened Orange Bowl president Stan Marks.

Should the 6-foot-2, 240 pound linebacker opt for the NFL, he will have to undergo testing for steroids and other drugs next month, along with all draft-eligible players, a league spokesman said. It will be the first time that testing for steroids will be done.

"Misuse of prescription drugs, including anabolic steroids, has been prohibited for years by NFL policy," said Joe Browne, the league's director of communications.

Browne said testing for steroids will be done on all NFL players in the preseason drug test allowed under the league's collective bargaining agreement with the players' union.



AP photo

Penn State quarterback John Shaffer goes through his first practice Friday after arriving in Phoenix for the Fiesta Bowl on Jan. 2 against Miami. Penn State coach Joe Paterno held a practice only one hour and fifteen minutes after the team charter plane landed in Arizona.

Paterno puts Nittany Lions right to work

By Ralph Bernstein
The Associated Press

PHOENIX — A 10-piece Mariachi band played, the queen and her court greeted the players, and Coach Joe Paterno shouted, "Let's go, let's go, we gotta practice."

Fiesta Bowl officials, headed by president Dan Mardian and executive director Bruce Skinner, met Paterno and his 111-man second-ranked Penn State squad upon their arrival Friday for the Jan. 2 game against top-ranked Miami. The winner will most likely win the national championship.

The players were just off the TWA 747 before Paterno had them on busses headed for Arizona State Stadium.

PATERNO HELD A 30-MINUTE news conference while the players dressed.

"We tried to get everything done at home that we had to get one so we didn't have to do a lot of learning out here," Paterno said.

"It's a little different that I ordinarily do for a bowl game, because I don't like to get a team ready too soon.

"I think they get a little bored and that's when they get in trouble. But I felt that with all of the distraction that is going to be around them this week we better know what we're doing before we get out here."

Paterno said that he brought a healthy team to the Fiesta Bowl.

"We'll be healthy unless I'm dumb enough to bang 'em up, which I've been known to do."

Paterno sent the squad through a light drill without pads.

"WE HAVEN'T PRACTICED since Dec. 22, and I'm anxious for them to break a sweat.

"We'll work on our kicking game, throw the ball a little bit and play some fun and games. We'll start serious practice tomorrow (Saturday)."

Paterno said he brought a much stronger team than the one which lost the national title last year to Oklahoma in the Orange Bowl.

"We're going to have to be."

A number of players took pictures of the few hundred people at Sky Harbor Airport there to greet them.

Quarterback John Shaffer, before being hustled away by Paterno, said, "I think a week (here) will do us real well. It will give us time to get used to the climate. We're going to have a good time."

Stanford starts rookie QB

By Brent Killested
The Associated Press

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. (AP) — Sophomore quarterback Greg Ennis was scheduled to make his first collegiate start Saturday as his Stanford Cardinal meets Clemson's Tigers in the 42nd annual Gator Bowl Classic.

Kickoff in the nationally televised game is set for 12:30 p.m. EST. The 80,000-seat Gator Bowl is sold out for the game featuring the first meeting between the two schools.

Stanford finished the year ranked 20th with an 8-3 mark overall and 5-3 in the Pacific-10 Conference in a three-way tie for fourth place. Clemson won the Atlantic Coast Conference but finished unranked after successive ties in the final two games of the season left the Tigers 7-2-2.

Ennis, a 6-foot-2, 205-pound sophomore, replaces the injured John Payne, who finished second behind John Elway in career passing yardage among Stanford's long list of great collegiate quarterbacks. Payne had surgery Monday to correct a shoulder injury.

"He's not had the game experience you'd like him to have," Stanford Coach Jack Elway said of Ennis at a coach's news conference

Gator Bowl

Friday. "He knows the offense, and when he's had an opportunity he's done extremely well."

In his only extended action of the season, Ennis hit on five of seven pass attempts for 75 yards and led the Cardinal to a game-winning touchdown in a 29-24 victory over Arizona in the season finale played in Tokyo.

"He's a different personality, and Payne may have a little stronger arm," Elway said. "But he can do it. Greg has worked hard, and next season he'll be our number one quarterback."

Stanford also will be without starting offensive tackle John Zentner, who tested positive for steroids during a recent NCAA drug screening. Starting defensive tackle Tony Leiker also did not make the trip.

Clemson comes to the game at full strength.

Coach Danny Ford isn't quite sure what to expect from Stanford with Ennis slated for his first start, but he is confident the game will be decided by how well Stanford can

control the Clemson running game.

"You have a little problem when strength meets strength," Ford said. "Someone is going to come out of this not as strong as they think."

Led by explosive senior tailback Terrence Flagler, Clemson averaged 273 yards a game on the ground while Stanford surrendered just 103 rushing yards a game.

"They don't make any secret about what they're going to do," Elway said. "Their big-play potential on offense comes from their quality at tailback."

Flagler, who is from neighboring Fernandina Beach, ran for 1,176 yards and averaged 6.5 yards a carry during the 1986 season.

"We worked very hard at stopping long-yardage plays this year," said Elway.

Ford said he gained a great deal of respect for the Stanford defense after studying films of their games.

"The biggest improvement from what we've seen is that they (Stanford) are playing tremendous defensive football right now," said Ford. "They are a very established offensive football team; now they lead their conference in defense."

For just the second time in the game's history, it will be televised locally.

Arizona to face air attack

By Ken Peters
The Associated Press

HONOLULU — Arizona's 16th-ranked Wildcats, featuring a good blend of pass and run on offense, face the North Carolina Tar Heels, who may have to depend heavily on their passing game, in the Aloha Bowl Saturday.

North Carolina will be without its top rusher, tailback Derrick Fenner, in the nationally televised, 4 p.m. EST game at Aloha Stadium.

Fenner, who led the Atlantic Coast Conference with 1,250 rushing yards, was left home by the University and Tar Heels coach Dick Crum because he is having academic problems.

Eric Starr, who gained 478 yards yards while serving as Fenner's backup this season, will start at tailback.

In Fenner's absence, the Tar Heels probably will rely more heavily on the passing of quarterback Mark Maye, who topped the ACC's quarterback ratings this season.

The Wildcats, looking for their first bowl victory ever, feature the running of tailback David Adams, a

Aloha Bowl

5-foot-7, 167-pounder, and the passing of Alfred Jenkins.

Arizona, of the Pacific-10 Conference, carries an 8-3 record into the contest. North Carolina had a 7-3-1 regular-season record.

Adams led the Pacific-10 in rushing this season with 1,175 yards on 238 carries, a 4.9 average, and Jenkins completed 118 of 232 passes for 1,573 yards and 10 touchdowns.

Maye, who took over in the sixth game after starter Jon Hall was injured, led his conference with a 141.3 pass rating, completing 110 of 176 throws for 1,401 yards and 10 TDs.

Arizona, which figures to have the edge on offense since Fenner is out, also appears to have a somewhat stonger defense.

The Wildcats allowed 315 total yards per game and a total of 183 points this season, while North Carolina gave up an average of 387 yards and a total of 249 points.

'Cutie Flutie' subject of new song

CHICAGO (AP) — Doug Flutie, whose popularity has soared after Chicago Bears fans saw what he could do on the football field and women saw what he looked like doing it, is the subject of a new song praising that "cutie Flutie."

Sung to the melody of "Goody, Goody," "Flutie, Flutie" puts the 5-foot-9 quarterback whose status has changed from new kid on the block to starting signal caller in just a few weeks.

And if the Chicago businessman who wrote it has his way, the song will replace "The Super Bowl Shuffle" as the song fans hum while the Bears try for a second consecutive NFL championship victory.

A number of Bears starred in last year's "Shuffle" rap song and video, which rose on the music charts as the Bears waited to a Super Bowl XX victory over the New England Patriots.

"I wrote it just for the fun of it."

But Smith said: "North Carolina is a very, very good football team. They are a big-play football team."

Crum compared Arizona to Clemson of the ACC, saying, "When you look at them (the Wildcats) on film, they're probably got more speed and quickness than anybody in our league other than maybe Clemson.

"I think that their speed and their defense is very comparable to Clemson's in the way they play and come after you."

The Tar Heels lost 38-10 to Clemson this season.

Smith, meanwhile, compared the Tar Heels to Georgia, the team the Wildcats tied 13-13 in last year's Sun Bowl.

That was the closest the Wildcats have come to winning a postseason contest. An infrequent visitor to bowl games, they have a 0-4-1 postseason record dating back to 1921.

The Tar Heels are 6-9 in postseason games and lost 28-3 to Florida State in their last bowl game, the 1983 Peach Bowl.

said Jim Haydon, creator of "Flutie, Flutie," and owner of Com-Track Inc., a Chicago-based commercial music company that has produced jingles.

Haydon said he planned to send a cassette of the song to Flutie, the 1984 Heisman Trophy winner from Boston College who Bears Coach Mike Ditka says will start in the team's first NFC playoff game Jan. 3.



AP photo

North Carolina freshman J.R. Reid (left) looks for an opening against Stetson's Andrew Woodward during recent Tar Heel outing. North Carolina, No. 4 in the latest AP poll, visits Kansas State today in Kansas City.

Tech's Cremins wants Bruce Dalrymple to find outside shot at Holiday Festival

By Dick Joyce
The Associated Press

NEW YORK — Georgia Tech basketball coach Bobby Cremins would like to see some better outside shooting from Bruce Dalrymple, whom he calls "the best rebounding guard I've ever seen," in Saturday's 35th ECAC Holiday Festival.

Dalrymple, a muscular 6-foot-4 senior, has been struggling with his outside shooting since late last season, and Cremins said, "Bruce is a winner, but it's a mental thing. He hears the pro scouts are looking at his outside shooting and he knows he'll need a good outside shot to make it in the pro ball."

It will be a homecoming for Cremins, born and bred in the Bronx, and Harlem's Dalrymple on Saturday when the No. 19 Yellow Jackets, 5-2, take on Rutgers, 2-5, in Saturday's opening game. No. 15 St. John's, 7-0, faces Virginia, 5-1, in the second game of the Madison Square Garden doubleheader.

The championship game is set for Monday night. St. John's has won the title eight times, including the past two.

Dalrymple has been averaging 14.1 points, second on the team to 6-7 junior Duane Ferrell, 19.4, but has made only 41 percent of his field goal attempts.

"I told him just remember that you're a scorer," Cremins said.

Tech recently returned from Japan, where it beat Boston College 65-62 and Southern Methodist 63-54. Earlier, it lost to Louisiana State and Richmond in overtime.

"We had expectations, but we've been a disappointment," said Cremins, who lost two key players in point guard Mark Price and 7-0 John Salley from last season. "We were lucky to beat B.C. We're far from where I want this team to be, but I can see the potential."

Cremins said he misses Price because of his playmaking and outside shooting ability. "I don't like the three-point shot, but if we had Mark Price, I'd love it," the coach said.

Craig Neal, a senior, and freshman Brian Oliver, have been sharing the point guard spot. 7-0 junior Antoine Ford is the center and 6-9 sophomore Tommy Hammonds and Ferrell at the forwards. Hammonds leads the team in rebounds with 6.6 and Dalrymple is next with 7.6.

In addition to improved outside shooting, Cremins said the Yellow Jackets will do well if they get the ball inside to Hammonds, and Ford begins to play with consistency.

Rutgers has lost five straight games and recently lost forwards Ed Zucker for the season and Anthony Duckett for four to six weeks because of injuries. Eric Riggins, 18.9 points, is the Scarlet Knights' leading scorer.

St. John's is led by Willie Glass (21.9), Shelton Jones (20.3) and Mark Jackson (15.9). The Redmen have won nine games in a row at the Garden, including a triumph over UCLA this season.

Four Virginia players are averaging in double figures, topped by 6-7 Andrew Kennedy (14.0). Tom Sheehy, 6-8, is next (13.5), followed by Mel Kennedy (13.2) and Richard Morgan (12.5). The Cavaliers have

Top college squads facing showdowns

By The Associated Press

Some of the nation's best college basketball teams, including top-ranked Nevada-Las Vegas, could be headed for showdowns this weekend as the holiday tournaments get under way.

Nevada-Las Vegas, 9-0, will host its own Holiday Classic, opening on Saturday against Old Dominion, while 12th-ranked Navy plays Idaho State in the other game.

In another big tournament, No. 15 St. John's, 7-0, meets Virginia, while 19th-ranked Georgia Tech, 5-2, plays Rutgers in the opening round of the 35th ECAC Holiday Festival at Madison Square Garden.

Both tournament finals will be played Monday night.

Two finals of two other tournaments involving ranked teams will be played Saturday. On Friday night, No. 6 Oklahoma, 6-1, played Creighton in the first round of the All-College Tournament at Oklahoma City, and No. 8 Indiana, 7-1, met Princeton as the Hoosier Classic opened at Indianapolis.

Led by Armon Gilliam, Nevada-Las Vegas won another of its own tournaments last week, beating Ohio University 105-81 and Louisiana Tech 79-75 in the Rebel Roundup. The Runnin' Rebels have been on top in the Associated Press poll for three straight weeks. Navy is led by 7-foot-1 center David Robinson.

Idaho State has high hopes, however, of derailing a UNLV-Navy matchup.

"If we're incredibly lucky enough to win, we'd probably play the No. 1 team in the country on ESPN," Idaho State Coach Jim Boutin said. "It's the dream of every college coach and team in the country."

While the Rebels were expected to be a power, St. John's was expected to have an off season after the loss to the NBA of

NCAA Hoop

center-forward Walter Berry. But the Redmen have gotten a lot of offense from Willie Glass, averaging 21.9 points, and Shelton Jones, 20.3, to win their first seven games.

St. John's first-round opponent, Virginia, is 5-1 after winning five in a row. Georgia Tech is coming off victories over Southern Methodist and Boston College in the Santory Bowl in Japan.

Tech Coach Bobby Cremins is missing guard Mark Price and 7-footer John Salley from last year's team.

"We had expectations, but we've been a disappointment," Cremins said. "We were lucky to beat B.C. We're far from where I want this team to be, but I can see the potential."

One other tournament involving a ranked team begins on Saturday in Honolulu, where No. 20 Florida, in the AP poll for the first time in its history, plays California in the Rainbow Classic. Host Hawaii meets Wisconsin in the other first-round game.

The rest of Saturday's schedule has No. 4 North Carolina vs. Kansas State at Kansas City, No. 7 Syracuse at Hawaii-Loa, No. 9 Illinois at Loyola, Ill., No. 11 North Carolina State at Tampa and No. 18 Kentucky at Louisville.

The Kentucky-Louisville rivalry is in the fourth year of its renewal. The Wildcats won 69-64 at Lexington last year and are favored to beat Denny Crum's 4-5 defending national champions again this season.

"It's a chance to prove either we can beat a good team now or we can't," Crum said. "If we can't, then we've got a lot of hard work to do ahead of us. No question Kentucky is a top 20 team."

won five in a row after losing its opener to Temple.

In Las Vegas, Nev., No. 1-ranked Nevada-Las Vegas hosts Old Dominion Saturday in the opening round of the annual Holiday Classic, and Rebel Coach Jerry Tarkanian hopes his players don't look past the Monarchs to a possible encounter with No. 11 Navy.

"They're a dangerous team," Tarkanian said Friday of Old Dominion. "They have a long-standing basketball tradition. They may be in a rebuilding year, but on a given night they can play with anybody."

The Monarchs, who improved to 3-4 with Monday's victory over Richmond, are the only team in the Las Vegas tournament with a losing record.

The Rebels are 9-0 and have held the No. 1 ranking the past three weeks. Navy, 4-1 on the season, meets Idaho State, 6-3, in Saturday night's other opening round game.

The tournament championship is scheduled Monday night.

Tarkanian admits it would be easy for his club to look past Old Dominion to Monday night's possible game with Navy.

"Navy has an outstanding team and (7-foot-1 center David) Robinson is the greatest player in America," Tarkanian said.

Robinson, an outstanding field goal shooter, shot blocker and rebounder, holds the NCAA record for the most shots blocked in a game (14), a season (207) and a career (372).

Old Dominion Coach Tom Young says the Rebels are "a very unusual team ... and very good."

Sports in Brief

Fifth Rotary Classic begins today

The fifth annual Manchester Rotary Club Basketball Classic will be staged today and Monday at East Catholic High School with a high school division and a college division. Manchester High School and East Catholic will be participating in the high school division. Manchester Community College will compete in the college division.

The schedule is as follows: today's first round at 2 p.m. — Mitchell College (9-0) vs. Middlesex (Mass.) Community College (7-2); 4 p.m. — Middletown High (9-1) vs. Windsor High (0-2); 6 p.m. — Manchester Community College (8-1) vs. Hartford UConn (2-2); 8 p.m. — Manchester High (1-1) vs. East Catholic (0-2). The same time slots will be set for the final round Monday with the college consolation at 2 p.m. followed by the high school consolation at 4 p.m. The high school championship game is at 6 p.m. and the college championship will be the finale at 8 p.m.

MCC, ranked third among New England junior colleges, beat its first round opponent Hartford UConn, 95-45, earlier in the season. MCC, if it reaches the final, could face New London-based Mitchell College which is ranked second in New England. MCC is led by Tyrrell Hartfield, who is averaging 20.7 points a game, and Manchester native and East Catholic graduate Chris Galligan at point guard.

East and Manchester will renew their crosstown rivalry tonight with an assured of reaching the final Monday. East leads the series, 16-3.

Whalers in Montreal tonight

The Hartford Whalers (18-9-5 for 41 points), who are in first place in the Adams Division, will complete a home-and-home series with defending Stanley Cup champion Montreal Canadiens at the Forum in Montreal tonight at 8 (SportsChannel, WTIC). The Whalers were 4-0-1 in their last five games going into Friday's contest with Montreal.

EC-MHS hockey, girls basketball

It will be a big day today for crosstown rivals Manchester High and East Catholic. Besides the pair squaring off in the Rotary Classic, the two will face off at 7:15 p.m. at the Bolton Ice Palace. The Indian hockey team is 0-4 while the Eagles are 2-2. Meanwhile, East and Manchester will also clash in girls' basketball at 2:30 p.m. at Clarke Arena. The Eagles (2-2) defeated the Indians (0-4), 43-34, in each squad's first game of the season.

Elsewhere, the Cheney Tech wrestling team will participate in the East Lyme Tournament today at 10 a.m. East Catholic's matmen will compete at the Lancer Invitational in Waterford beginning at 9 a.m. Also, the Coventry High girls' basketball team (2-1) will host Windham Tech today at 11 a.m. Two boys' games are on tap tonight at 7:30 with Bolton 0-2, at at Somers High and Coventry, 2-0 hosting COC foe Cromwell High.

Bulls suspend Brad Sellers

CHICAGO — The Chicago Bulls announced Friday they have suspended rookie forward Brad Sellers for four days, including the NBA team's next home date Saturday night against Indiana.

"The suspension is for disciplinary reasons regarding team rules," said Jerry Krause, the Bulls' vice president of basketball operations.

Television and Radio

TODAY

12:30 p.m. — Gator Bowl: Stanford vs. Clemson, Channel 3
3:30 p.m. — Aloha Bowl: Arizona vs. North Carolina, Chs. 8, 40
4 p.m. — College basketball: Kentucky vs. Louisville, Channel 3
8 p.m. — Whalers vs. Canadiens, SportsChannel, WTIC
10:30 p.m. — Celtics vs. Clippers, Channel 61, WKHT
10:30 p.m. — Bruins vs. Kings, Channel 38
Midnight — College basketball: Old Dominion vs. Nevada-Las Vegas, ESPN

SUNDAY

12:30 p.m. — Chiefs vs. Jets, Channel 30
4 p.m. — Rams vs. Redskins, Channel 3

Scoreboard

Basketball

NBA standings

EASTERN CONFERENCE			
Atlantic Division			
Team	W	L	Pct.
Boston	15	9	.625
Philadelphia	14	13	.519
Washington	13	13	.500
New York	7	21	.250
New Jersey	6	20	.231

WESTERN CONFERENCE			
Midwest Division			
Team	W	L	Pct.
Dallas	17	9	.654
Utah	17	9	.654
Denver	10	15	.400
Houston	10	15	.400
Sacramento	8	18	.308
San Antonio	7	20	.259

Pacific Division			
Team	W	L	Pct.
L.A. Lakers	20	6	.769
Portland	17	12	.586
Golden State	16	12	.571
Seattle	14	11	.560
Phoenix	13	14	.481
L.A. Clippers	4	21	.159

Late Games Not Included			
Friday's Games			
Detroit 121, Golden State 100			
Cleveland 121, New Jersey 112			
Dallas at Denver, (n)			
Boston at Phoenix, (n)			
Houston at L.A. Lakers, (n)			
L.A. Clippers at Seattle, (n)			

Saturday's Games			
Cleveland at New Jersey, 7:30 p.m.			
Milwaukee at New York, 7:30 p.m.			
Detroit at Washington, 7:30 p.m.			
Golden State at Atlanta, 7:30 p.m.			
Indiana at Chicago, 8:30 p.m.			
Phoenix at Dallas, 8:30 p.m.			
Denver at San Antonio, 8:30 p.m.			
Houston at Utah, 9:30 p.m.			
Boston at L.A. Clippers, 10:30 p.m.			
Philadelphia at Sacramento, 10:30 p.m.			

Pistons 121, Warriors 106

GOLDEN STATE (106)
L. Smith 6-11 0-2 12, Ballard 6-14 0-0 12, Carroll 2-2 2-18, Mullin 4-9 1-29, Floyd 7-15 4-4 4, Whitehead 2-4 5-9, Teeple 4-5 3-4 11, Higgins 4-4 1-29, Moss 3-5 1-27, C. Smith 0-11 2-1, Totals 44-92 18-31 106.

DETROIT (121)			
Danley 9-17 8-11 26, Green 8-14 4-20, Laimbeer 4-4 1-9, Dumars 10-18 0-2 20, Thomas 7-16 4-20, Salley 4-1-25, Mahorn 5-9 0-0 12, Campbell 2-4 2-4 6, Taylor 0-1 3-4 3, Nevill 0-0 0-0, Totals 48-92 25-36 121.			

Golden State			
31	28	23	106

Detroit			
28	30	27	121

Golden State 37 (L. Smith 13), Detroit 20 (Green)			
18	23	18	20

Golden State 25 (Floyd 9), Detroit 25 (Thomas 15), Total fouls—Golden State 25, Detroit 27			
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BASEBALL

SCOREBOARD

By LEWIS WITHAM

Take the number of National League MVP awards won by Mike Schmidt (2, 3 or 4); multiply by the home runs he hit in 1986 (37, 40 or 43); and subtract his Philadelphia uniform number (10, 15 or 20).

PAYOFF: The answer equals the league-leading RBI total he posted in 1981.

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Cavaliers 121, Nets 112

NEW JERSEY (112)
Turner 3-4 1-7, B. Williams 3-7 4-5 10, Genski 11-23 2-24, Brown 7-14 4-4 18, Washington 2-5 2-4 6, Woolridge 5-9 1-11, Bailey 4-7 0-0 8, Wood 5-15 2-2 13, McKenna 2-12 0-15, Coleman 0-0 0-0, Totals 47-100 16-25 112.

CLEVELAND (121)
J. Williams 4-9 5-4 13, Hubbard 4-10 0-1 8, Dougherty 7-10 1-15, West 7-13 5-5 21, Harper 9-17 7-8 25, Boat 0-5 2-2 2, McCray 2-4 0-4, Newman 2-2 4-7, Turpin 4-12 0-0, Price 4-8 5-18, Totals 45-92 26-31 121.

Three-point goals—Wood, McKenna, Bagley 2. Fouls out—None.

Rebounds—New Jersey 50 (Genski 16), Cleveland 64 (Hubbard 11), Assist—New Jersey 32 (Wood), Cleveland 25 (Harper 7).

Total fouls—New Jersey 26, Cleveland 21. A—14,080.

Friday's college hoop scores

TOURNAMENTS			
All-College Tournament			
First Round	Oklahoma 106, Creighton 89		
Hoosier Classic	First Round	Indiana 83, Princeton 54	
Lebo Invitational	First Round	Drake 62, Miami, Ohio 44	
Milwaukee Bucks	First Round	South Florida 69, Pepperdine 65	
Philadelphia Classic	First Round	Bradley 110, Northeastern 105	

Transactions

NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

ATLANTA HAWKS—Signed Mike Wilson, guard, to a 10-day contract.

CHICAGO BULLS—Suspended Brad Sellers forward, for four days for disciplinary reasons.

MILWAUKEE BUCKS—Signed Chris Engler, center, to a 10-day contract.

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

BUFFALO SABRES—Sent Paul Brydges, forward, to Rochester of the American Hockey League.

COLLEGE

MAINE—Promoted Tim Murphy, assistant football coach, to head coach.

UNIVERSITY OF THE SOUTH—Named William Samko head football coach.

Big East standings

Big East Conference				
Team	W	L	T	O'ell
St. John's	1	0	7	0
Villanova	1	0	6	3
Syracuse	0	0	8	0
Georgetown	0	0	8	0
Providence	0	0	7	1
Pittsburgh	0	0	5	2
Boston College	0	0	4	3
Connecticut	0	0	4	3
Seton Hall	0	1	7	1

Friday's Game

Howell-Loo Invitational: Syracuse vs. Wichita State

Saturday's Games

Pitt of Howell Rainbow Classic

Syracuse of Howell-Loo Invitational

ECAC Holiday Festival: St. John's vs. Virginia

Sunday's Games

Pittsburgh of Rainbow Classic

Sugar Bowl Classic: Villanova vs. Houston

Menday's Games

Connecticut Mutual Classic: Hartford at UConn (Civic Center), 9 p.m.

ECAC Holiday Festival: St. John's vs. Ge. Tech or Rutgers

Rainbow Classic: Pittsburgh vs. TBA

Super Bowl Classic: Villanova vs. S. Carolina or Vanderbilt

Hofstra at Providence

Army at Seton Hall

Tuesday's Games

Connecticut Mutual Classic: UConn vs. Texas A&M or Lehigh

Rainbow Classic: Pittsburgh vs. TBA

Lafayette of Boston College

Boston University at Syracuse

Georgetown of Long Beach State

Saturday, Jan. 3

Syracuse at UConn (New Haven Coliseum), 8 p.m.

Seton Hall of Georgetown

Providence at Pittsburgh

Football

NFL playoff schedule

Sunday, Dec. 28

Kansas City of New York Jets, 12:30 p.m.

Los Angeles Rams of Washington, 4 p.m.

Saturday, Jan. 3, 1987

New York Jets at Kansas City of Cleveland, 12:30 p.m.

Washington or San Francisco at Chicago, 4 p.m.

Sunday, Jan. 4, 1987

Los Angeles or San Francisco of New York Giants, 12:30 p.m.

New England of Denver, 4 p.m.

Sunday, Jan. 11, 1987

Sites and times to be announced

AFC and NFC Championship games

Sunday, Jan. 25, 1987

Super Bowl at Pasadena, Calif., 6 p.m.

Pro Bowl

Sunday, Feb. 1

At Honolulu

Time TBA

Midgots

Bulls 33 (Jay Carangelo 10, Luis Rivera 10, Mike Reidy 8), Bulls 25 (Peter Siris 12, Kevin Kline 8), Nuggets 22 (Jerremy Burr 6, Chris Spaccinelli 4), Knicks 24 (Billy Poppo 6, Paul Deon played well)

U.S. Mixed

Cliff Phillip 211, Bob Skoglund 214-57, Dave Fenn 551, Don Madore 211, Kevin Brennan 220-556, Regis Langtin 209, Vin Urban 202-591, Bob Cromwell 520, Fred Kasicki 247-226-453, Jim Poole 208, Fran Moseley 455, Doreen LaChapelle 192-487, Linda Burton 226-180-557, Alice Brown 456, Suzanne Feltham 176-502, Sue Hale 187-181-178-566, Marie DeLise 473, Eille Wilson 191-310, Edith Mason 180, Linda Skoglund 189-571, Dale Pecker 181, Jenny Fenn 469, Helen Moseley 458, Cathy Kenny 203, Kris McLaughlin 181-480, Sharon Madore 177, Diane Brennan 510, Ruth Urban 483.

Sports in Brief

San Francisco wanted as host

SAN FRANCISCO — The U.S. Olympic Committee is inviting San Francisco to consider hosting the Summer Games in 1996, but Mayor Dianne Feinstein questions the wisdom of such a huge undertaking.

"It was just a preliminary letter," she said, noting San Francisco was one of several cities receiving letters from the Colorado Springs, Colo.-based committee.

"We have to determine whether it would be wise to host the Games ... the cost could be enormous," she said. "I would assume there's a limited number of cities that want to compete for the games because of all the capital it involves ... If the supervisors are interested, I'd inquire further."

Chiefs' Kenney 'doubtful'

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — With just two days left before their AFC wildcard game against the New York Jets, the Kansas City Chiefs were listing quarterback Bill Kenney as "doubtful."



AP photo

Jay Schroeder (10) of the Redskins finds himself in trouble against the Giants in their game in early December. Schroeder and the Redskins host the

Los Angeles Rams in the NFC wild card game Sunday at RFK Stadium in the nation's capital.

Running games to the front in Rams-Redskins matchup

By David Ginsburg
The Associated Press

Redskins prove they can stop him. Dickerson up the middle.

WASHINGTON — The Los Angeles Rams and Washington Redskins boast two outstanding young quarterbacks in Jim Everett and Jay Schroeder. But the coaches of both teams say the outcome of Sunday's NFC wild-card game likely will depend on running backs George Rogers and Eric Dickerson.

The Redskins, who bring a 12-4 NFL record into the 4 p.m. EST contest, have won 30 straight games when a rusher has exceeded 100 yards, including nine in which Rogers has reached that plateau.

The Rams are 10-6 this season but 9-2 in Dickerson's 11 100-yard games.

"He's the best running back in the NFL," Washington Coach Joe Gibbs said of Dickerson.

"He'll turn any play into a big play," said Redskins safety Alvin Walton.

Rams Coach John Robinson says his team has become more balanced since Everett took over at quarterback late in the season. But the coach said he intends to "go back to the basics" this week, meaning Los Angeles will likely give the ball to Dickerson until the

Although Dickerson rambled for 1,821 yards this season, Washington has had success bottling up the All Pro in the past. The last two times the teams met, in 1983, Dickerson got 37 yards in a regular season matchup and 16 yards when the Redskins registered a 51-7 playoff rout.

The Rams, meanwhile, must control Rogers, who gained 1,203 yards this season despite sharing time with Kelvin Bryant. If Rogers is stymied, that would make it that much tougher for Schroeder to throw the ball.

"It's a lot easier for Jay to go with the play-action pass when we're running well," Gibbs said. "If the running game isn't going good, the pressure goes to the quarterback. Then the Rams will be looking for the pass, and the interception rate goes up."

Schroeder has thrown 11 interceptions in the last three games as Washington was forced to rally from behind.

Robinson and Gibbs have told their players that a fast start is imperative. If the Rams flounder at the outset, they will have to stray from the ball-control offense of Dickerson left, Dickerson right,

And Gibbs has been near-obsessed with making sure his team doesn't wait until late to get motivated. In the Redskins' regular-season finale, Washington needed 21 fourth-quarter points to salvage a victory in Philadelphia.

"We've got to be consistent from start to finish," Gibbs said. "Anything less than an emotional, intense effort will not be good enough."

Washington is 36-3 when it scores first; 12-16 when the opponent gets the initial score of the game.

Washington's biggest advantage is playing at home, where it finished 7-1 this year and is 7-1 in playoff games. Since 1972, the Redskins are 90-28 at RFK Stadium.

Los Angeles has lost two straight and four of its last seven games, but Robinson isn't concerned. "It's just as deadly to waltz into the playoffs," he said.

The game matches two squads who are no strangers to playoff pressure. Washington has participated in postseason play in four of the last five seasons and the Rams and San Francisco are the only teams in the NFL to make the playoffs in the last four seasons.

Landeta has the numbers and the whiff

By Tom Canavan
The Associated Press

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. — Numbers. For an NFL punter they are everything, and nothing, especially when one bad kick is included.

Take Sean Landeta of the New York Giants. The All Pro recently spent 20 minutes putting his numbers together: 157 punts daily, 57,143 annually and more than 450,000 punts since putting down his baseball glove for a football seven years ago.

And then there is the whiff in windy Chicago last year.

The gusts off Lake Michigan that changed the momentum of the Giants-Bears NFC semifinal and overshadowed what had been until then a good rookie season for Landeta.

"Up to this point, people are going to remember me for that rather than making All Pro or leading the conference or whatever," the 25-year-old Landeta said. "The playoffs are what everybody watches or remembers, not good punts in September."

LANDETA HAD A LOT of good punts this past September, and October, November and December. His average of 44.8 yards per kick was second in the NFL to Rohn Stark of Indianapolis and his 37.1 net average was third in the league to Stark and Reggie Roby of Miami.

"It's funny," Landeta said. "You're based on numbers and numbers are deceiving. The game a couple of weeks ago against Washington was a perfect example. I had to punt five of six times from the 46 going in. I averaged 34 yards, but I had a great day because most were inside the 20."

Landeta calls it the byproduct of long hours of work, an endless quest for perfection by a workaholic who says he kicks more than any punter in the league.

His mother's house and his social life sometimes bear the scars of that quest.

"When I first started kicking I used to practice my drops in the house," he said. "My mother always yelled because I would break things and put holes in the ceiling and break lamps."

THIS PAST SUMMER, Landeta was dating a woman but couldn't meet her until 10:30 p.m. because he practiced 90 minutes every night, starting at 8 p.m. "It's just that I've got to practice and that comes first," said Landeta whose football career actually began because he rejected another girlfriend's advice.

That was back in high school. He had just gotten back to Maryland from a baseball tournament in Texas and ran into his school's football coach. His girlfriend, Joanne, was with him.

"He told me he had heard from a guy that I could kick well," the former soccer player said. "I said 'Yeah, but I just do it for fun.'"

The coach asked whether he wanted to do it for real, and Landeta turned to Joanne for advice.

"She said 'No,' kind of sternly," he recalled. "I looked at her and then at him and said 'Sure, I'll be there tomorrow.' We were no longer boyfriend and girlfriend. After my first year, for whatever reason, I realized it was something I could do well."

IN THE SUCCEEDING YEARS, Landeta lettered three years at Towson State, leading Division II punters with an average of 43.3 yards per kick in 1980 and finishing in the top five the following two years.

Drafted by the Stars of the USFL, Landeta spent three seasons in the now-dormant league. He signed with the Giants as a free agent in 1985, averaging 42.9 yards per punt, despite playing 44 games between the two leagues.

"I'm my own worst critic," Landeta said. "If I think I punted well I'm happy. If I don't think I punted well I'm unhappy, regardless of everything else. I'm never happy, though. Guys that know me know that."

Landeta wouldn't mind doing well in the playoffs. "I just have to try to do something good in this playoff series and people might not remember the other thing too much," he said.

NFL Capsules

Kansas City (10-6) at N.Y. Jets (10-6)

12:30 p.m. Sunday, NBC.
Chiefs in playoffs for first time since '71. New York has lost last five games following nine straight wins. . . . Jets fourth appearance in six seasons, all wild card contests except for strike season of '82. . . . Chiefs lost only playoff game since merger in a thrilling 27-24 overtime contest with Miami Dolphins. Jets were defeated by Buffalo, 31-27, in '81 wild card game and New England in last year's first round matchup, 26-14. In '82, Jets beat Cincinnati, 44-17, and Los Angeles Raiders, 17-14, before losing to Miami, 14-0, in AFC Championship game. . . . Chiefs hold 13-11 overall series edge with New York, including 13-6 AFL inter-divisional playoff in '69. Jets have won past two games with Kansas City, 17-16 and 28-7, both in '84. . . . Last week Kansas City won third straight game, beating Pittsburgh 24-19, while Jets crash landed in Cincinnati, losing to Bengals 52-21. . . . Kansas City jumped out to 3-1 start before losing to the Los Angeles Raiders and Cleveland Browns. Chiefs pulled together to capture 7 of final 10 contests and playoff berth. . . . Chiefs defense and special teams responsible for 21 points vs. Steelers. Unit has not allowed a 100-yard rusher and just one 300-yard passer (Pittsburgh's Mark Malone with 351 yards) this season. . . . QB Bill Kenney completed 12 of 23 passes vs. Pittsburgh for 147 yards and 1 interception as Kansas City managed only 8 first downs. Kenney is hampered with an injured passing hand and will not know whether he can play until the end of the week. . . . For the season, Kenney was 161 of 308 for 1,922 yards, 13 TDs and 11 interceptions. If Kenney cannot play, Todd Blackledge will start. . . . RB Mike Pruitt leads the rushing attack with 448 yards on 139 carries. . . . WR Stephone Paige had 52 receptions for 828 yards and 11 TDs while partner Carlos Carson averaged 23.7 yards per catch (21 for 497). . . . S Deron Cherry (9) led a secondary who totaled 31 interceptions. S Lloyd Burruss has returned 3 pick offs for TDs this year and one blocked field goal. . . . PK Nick Lowrey hit on 19 of 26 FGs this season and all 43 PATs attempted for an even 100 points. . . .

L.A. Rams (10-6) at Washington (12-4)

4 p.m. Sunday, CBS.
Fourth straight playoff appearance for Rams. First for Washington since '84. . . . Rams are 1-2 in first round playoff competition. Los Angeles lost to Dallas 34-13 in '80 and New York Giants in '84, 16-13, beat Dallas 24-17 in '83. Washington's only time in a first round game during strike-shortened '82 season, beating Detroit 31-7. . . . Washington leads overall series 14-5-1, but Los Angeles has won two of three playoff meetings. Rams won NFL Championship game 15-14 over Washington in Cleveland in '45 before franchise moved to Los Angeles. Rams hosted and won Divisional Playoff contest 19-10 in '74; Washington routed Rams in teams' last meeting, a 51-7 in '83 Divisional playoff game en route to Super Bowl XVIII. . . . Last week, Rams lost to San Francisco 24-14 in NFC West showdown for division championship; Washington rallied for a 21-14 win over Philadelphia. . . . Three times this season Rams had 3 game winning streaks; Washington season highlighted by two five game winning streaks. . . . Los Angeles 3-3 since Jim Everett became starting QB, but lost a couple of close games: New England 30-28 win came on last second TD from Patriots QB Tony Eason to Irving Fryar. Week 15 loss to Miami 37-31 in OT after Everett rallied club from 31-21 fourth quarter deficit. . . . Washington had lost to Giants and Denver before beating Eagles. New York dominated Redskins in Washington to take NFC East division championship, while missed extra point by injured Mark Zendejas proved losing margin against Broncos, 31-30. . . . Rams' Everett completed 73 of 147 passes for 1,018, 8 TDs and 8 interceptions in brief tenure. . . . RB Eric Dickerson led the NFL in rushing for the third time in four seasons with 1,821 yards on 404 carries, 11 TDs. . . . WR Henry Ellerd was Los Angeles' leading receiver with 34 catches for 447 yards, 4 TDs. WR Kevin House has averaged 25.4 yards a catch since coming over from Tampa Bay. . . . CB Jerry Gray led the secondary with 8 interceptions. . . . Washington offense run by 2nd year QB Jay Schroeder, who is 16-5 since taking over from Joe Theismann. Schroeder has completed 276 of 541 passes for 4,109 yards, 22 TDs and 22 interceptions. . . . RB George Rogers rushed for 1,203 yards and scored 18 TDs. . . . Redskins had pair of 1,000-yard receivers in Gary Clark (74 catches for 1,265 yards, 7 TDs) and Art Monk (73 for 1,068, 4 TDs). . . .

Chiefs in new territory in playoffs against Jets

By Barry Wilner
The Associated Press

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. — This is all very new for the Kansas City Chiefs, who are used to spending the holidays packing to go home, not to New York for an NFL playoff game.

Here the Chiefs are, however, facing the New York Jets on Sunday in the AFC wild-card game. A three-game winning streak secured their first playoff berth since 1971 and might have saved Coach John Mackovic's job.

Mackovic passed any credit to his players and assistant coaches, particularly defensive coordinator Walt Corey and kicking teams boss Frank Ganz.

"When we were 7-6, we just got together and said we needed to approach each game one at a time and, if we won all of them, we had a chance," Mackovic said. "The players never gave up, they worked hard every week and they believed. The coaches kept them believing."

The Chiefs certainly believe they can beat the Jets, who have lost their last five games to fall from 10-1, the best record in the NFL, to a wild card at 10-6. Kansas City had the same record, built on a defense which led the AFC in takeaways with 40 (31 interceptions, 19 fumbles) and special teams which produced five touchdowns, blocked six punts and three field goals.

"The Jets have had a season that seems like it's been in two parts," said Mackovic, who had a 20-28 mark entering this season. "They were making all the big plays in the first part, and they've struggled in the second part. But we know what they are capable of."

The Jets can't be sure what they are capable of. For 11 games, they had one of the league's most powerful offenses, averaging 27.5 points a game. That attack, spearheaded by Ken O'Brien, the NFL's leading passer, and wide receivers Al Toon and Wesley Walker, led New York on a nine-game winning streak built on big plays.

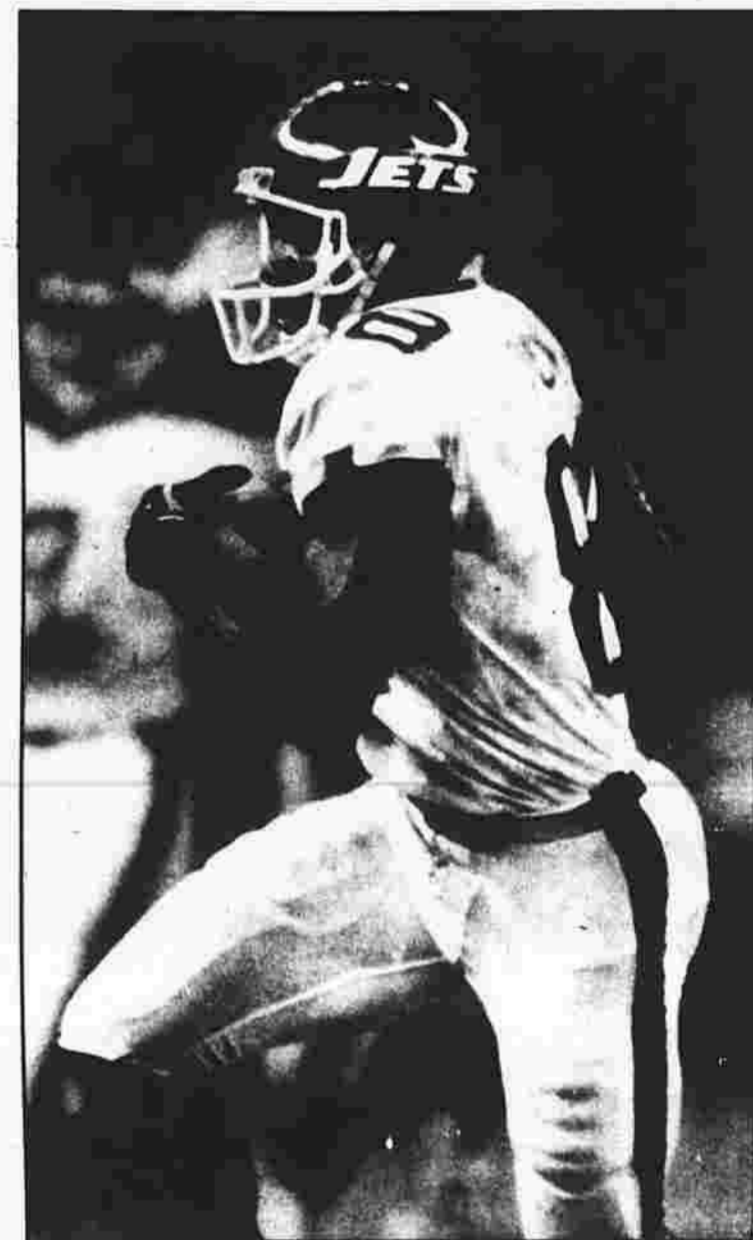
But in the last five weeks, O'Brien has fallen apart as the offense has stalled and the defense has been wracked by injuries. The Jets scored only 61 points, O'Brien threw 12 interceptions and only two touchdowns. He couldn't get the ball to Toon and Walker with any consistency and seemed confused by zone defenses.

Now, O'Brien has been benched for Pat Ryan.

"I have all the confidence in the world in Pat," O'Brien said.

"I'm sure that what Joe is looking to do," tight end Rocky Kliever said to Coach Joe Walton's decision, "is for Pat to give us a lift. He's not trying for any kind of power play. He says Kenny is our quarterback for the future and I'm sure he means it. He just wants us to win this game."

To do so, the Jets will need a stinger defense after allowing 183 points in the five straight losses.



AP photo

Al Toon of the Jets races for the end zone for a touchdown in an early-season game. This has become an unfamiliar sight the last five weeks for the Jets, all losing efforts. Toon and the Jets will hope to change their fortunes Sunday as they host the Kansas City Chiefs in the AFC wild card game at Giants' Stadium.

The return of end Mark Gastineau might help a unit which has not applied much pressure on opposing passers and has been so vulnerable to the pass that it is ranked dead last in the league. Kansas City has the worst offensive ranking in the NFL.

"We know we have to make some big plays," cornerback Russell Carter said. "We've got to get some pressure, make some big plays the way Kansas City does. We can't expect the offense to carry us. We have to get back to how we played early in the year."

The Chiefs' defense wasn't much last week, either. Nor was the offense. Kansas City got all 24 points from special teams and allowed 515 yards while gaining a

mere 171 against Pittsburgh.

"The defense has been much more consistent, but the offense has sputtered at times," Mackovic said. "It's not like a big breakdown in one area, although our running game has not produced as we would like."

His passing game will be in the hands of Todd Blackledge, replacing Bill Kenney at quarterback. Kenney hurt two fingers on his right hand last Sunday.

Despite the offensive woes, Mackovic, his staff and players aren't complaining.

"We didn't even get a chance to sit back and look at what we did and enjoy it," he said. "We had to get right back to work. But that's work we are happy to have."

UConn, Hartford matchup highlight to Mutual Classic

By Len Auster
Sports Editor

HARTFORD — The first meeting between the University of Connecticut and the University of Hartford on the hardwood may not be when a lot of people would like it, as part of the ninth annual Connecticut Mutual Classic at the Hartford Civic Center, but the matchup guarantees a fine crowd opening night.

The Huskies and Hawks are the feature game Monday at 9 p.m. with Texas A&M and Lehigh meeting in the 7 p.m. opener.

UConn, 4-4, is the established Division I program in the state. Hartford, 5-2 and riding a five-game winning streak, is in its third year of Division I ball. "We're a young program," said Hartford coach Jack Phelan, "and we're happy to get the opportunity to play UConn. We're thankful to UConn for this opportunity. Where or when is not really that important."

UConn, coming off a 10-day layoff due to exams, played last Tuesday and looked rusty in a 54-51 victory over Fairfield at the Field House in Storrs. Hartford will not have played in 16 days since whipping South Florida, 73-52, when it meets the Huskies on the Civic Center court. "It's a little too long of a layoff," Phelan said, "but we have to strap up the laces and go out and play," he added.

Phelan said he does see the first UConn-Hartford game as something special. "I'm from Connecticut and always had a place in my heart for UConn basketball," said the 32-year-old Hawk coach, a native of Hartford, "and obviously

there are special sentiments about the first meeting." He's not sure, though, if his players will agree with his view. "Young players today are funny. They don't read into that. They just go out and play," he cited.

It will be UConn's height in its front line of 6-10 sophomore Cliff Robinson, 6-10 Jeff King and 6-9 senior captain Gerry Besselink against the athleticism of the Hawks, who don't start anyone over 6-6. "Their height, combined with their shape they're in concerns me the most," Phelan spoke of the Huskies, who were put through a grueling pre-season by first-year coach Jim Calhoun to ward off the ills of not having a bench to speak of.

"Our athletic ability, our quickness, our speed, our ability to defend people; those are the most important things at the University of Hartford. Those are the keys, probably in that order," Phelan said.

UConn's win over Fairfield was far from artistic. The Huskies shot a poor 17-for-46 from the field, 36.9 percent. That, however, was nearly matched by the Stags' 37.3 percent (19-for-51). The Huskies shot just above their free throw average for the season, hitting 16-of-26 opportunities (61.5 percent) against Fairfield. Robinson, who was 47-for-107 (43.9 percent coming in) hit 7-of-10 against the Stags and finished with a game-high 23 points. He was the only Husky in double figures.

The Huskies did get a boost from freshman guard Steve Pikiell, making his first appearance of the

season after suffering two shoulder separations in the pre-season. Pikiell played 12 minutes and had two points and one assist, all critical in the closing minute of the game.

This is the 13th year Connecticut has hosted a holiday tournament. The school hosted its own tournament for three years before Connecticut Mutual began working in conjunction with the school in 1978. UConn has won seven of the previous 12 tournaments, the last in 1983. The Huskies have been runners-up four times, including '85 when they lost to the Calhoun-coached Northeastern contingent, and were third once.

Calhoun believes doing well in a tournament is important. "We have the opportunity for the 24-, 48-hour period to be the best. I've always felt tournaments can help a team," he said. "It's important for us to come and play good, solid basketball."

Texas A&M comes in with a 5-2 record. The Aggies were in the 1982 field when they took runner-up honors, bowing to UConn in the championship game, 69-63. A&M has three starters back from last year's 20-12 club that shared the Southwest Conference championship and earned an NIT bid. Lehigh comes in at 4-2. The Engineers were an 1985 NCAA club when they played Georgetown at the Civic Center. They're led by guard Mike Polaha.

The consolation and championship games will be played Tuesday night at 7 and 9 p.m., respectively, at the Civic Center. Tickets (\$8 and \$6) for both nights will be available at the Civic Center box office.



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Doug Jarvis of the Whalers holds up the plaque that represents the 915 consecutive regular-season games he's played in the National Hockey League, setting a new 'Iron Man' record. Jarvis received the presentation before Friday night's game with Montreal at the Civic Center.

Jarvis sets NHL record

By Chris Dohi
The Associated Press

HARTFORD — Center Doug Jarvis of the Hartford Whalers played his 915th consecutive game Friday night, setting a new NHL record.

Jarvis, 31, who has made a 12-year career of playing tight defense and shadowing the league's top goal-scorers, took the opening faceoff against the Montreal Canadiens to surpass Garry Unger, who set the old record playing for the Atlanta Flames in 1979-80.

"It's just been the last two weeks that I've become conscious of what I was approaching. I guess it is quite a feat," Jarvis said prior to taking the ice. "I'd like to keep going, one game at a time."

Of the four major league's in North America, only Lou Gherig's 2,130 straight games in baseball is longer than Jarvis' NHL record.

"To say that Doug Jarvis is a consistent player would be an understatement," said former teammate Mike Gartner of the Washington Capitals. "I can't ever remember Doug having a bad practice much less a bad game."

It was with the Canadiens that Jarvis began his career in 1975-76. Centering the checking line, he helped the Habs to four consecutive Stanley Cups in the late 1970s before being traded to the Washington Capitals in 1982. He missed four playoff games with the Canadiens in 1979 due to a knee injury.

He was traded to the Whalers a year ago and helped them to their first playoff appearance in six years. The Whalers are in first place in the Adams Division this season.

"He's done so much, and look at the teams he's been on," said former teammate Rod Langway. "He went from a champion to a team that was close to folding and it became a contender. Now Hartford is a contender."

Whalers, Montreal in deadlock

NHL Roundup

By The Associated Press

HARTFORD — Hartford Whalers center Doug Jarvis set an NHL record by playing in his 915th consecutive game, but Kjell Dahlin scored on a power play with 1:26 left Friday night to give the Montreal Canadiens a 1-1 tie.

Jarvis, 31, took the opening faceoff to break the old record of 914 straight games set by Garry Unger with the Atlanta Flames, a streak that ended in the 1979-80 season.

Dahlin's goal, set up by a pass from Mike McPhee, allowed the second-place Canadiens to keep pace with the Whalers, who lead the Adams Division by two points with four games in hand. Stewart Gavin was in the penalty box for holding when the goal was scored.

The goal, Dahlin's fifth, also stopped Hartford goalie Mike Liut's bid for his second straight shutout. Liut, who leads the league with three shutouts, had not been scored on in 151 minutes, 33 seconds.

Dean Evason scored late in the second period for the Whalers, who are unbeaten in their last six games. Only the Philadelphia Flyers have a higher winning percentage.

Brian Hayward played a strong game in goal for the Canadiens, stopping 25 shots.

"We did everything we planned to do, but win the game," said Whaler coach Jack Evans, "but it was a big point. We played well enough to win, but our power play did nothing," he added.

Evans said this was Jarvis' night. "I don't have much to say," the Whaler coach continued. "Both goaltenders played well."

Although Montreal outplayed Hartford through most of the second period, Liut made several difficult saves to hold off the Canadiens. The Whalers went ahead with 1:57 remaining in the period when Evason scored his eighth goal of the season on a slapshot after taking a drop pass from Gavin.

The Adams Division rivals will play again tonight in Montreal.

Capitals 2, Islanders 1

At Landover, Md., Washington goalie Bob Mason turned aside a penalty shot by Brent Sutter at 6:22 of the third period, preserving a 2-1 NHL victory for the Capitals over the New York Islanders Friday night.

Sutter was awarded the shot after being pulled down from behind by Mike Gartner on a short-handed breakaway attempt. Mason went down low to block Sutter's penalty attempt off his pads as he backed up near the crease.

Washington, which had lost four of its five previous games, took a 2-0 lead on a rare power-play goal by Dave Christian at 4:14 of the second period. It was only the 20th extra-man goal for the Caps this season, the worst mark in the NHL, and the seventh in their last 44 tries.

Bryan Trottier scored on a New York power play at 7:36 of the second period, the only one of 30 shots by the Islanders that Mason failed to stop. It came off a rebound following a shot by Mike Bossy.

The Caps, who are last in the Patrick Division and had lost to the Islanders in two previous meetings, took a 1-0 lead on a rebound goal by Lou Franceschetti at 6:41 of the first period.

The Islanders, runner-up to the Philadelphia Flyers in the Patrick Division, lost for only the second time in their last seven games.

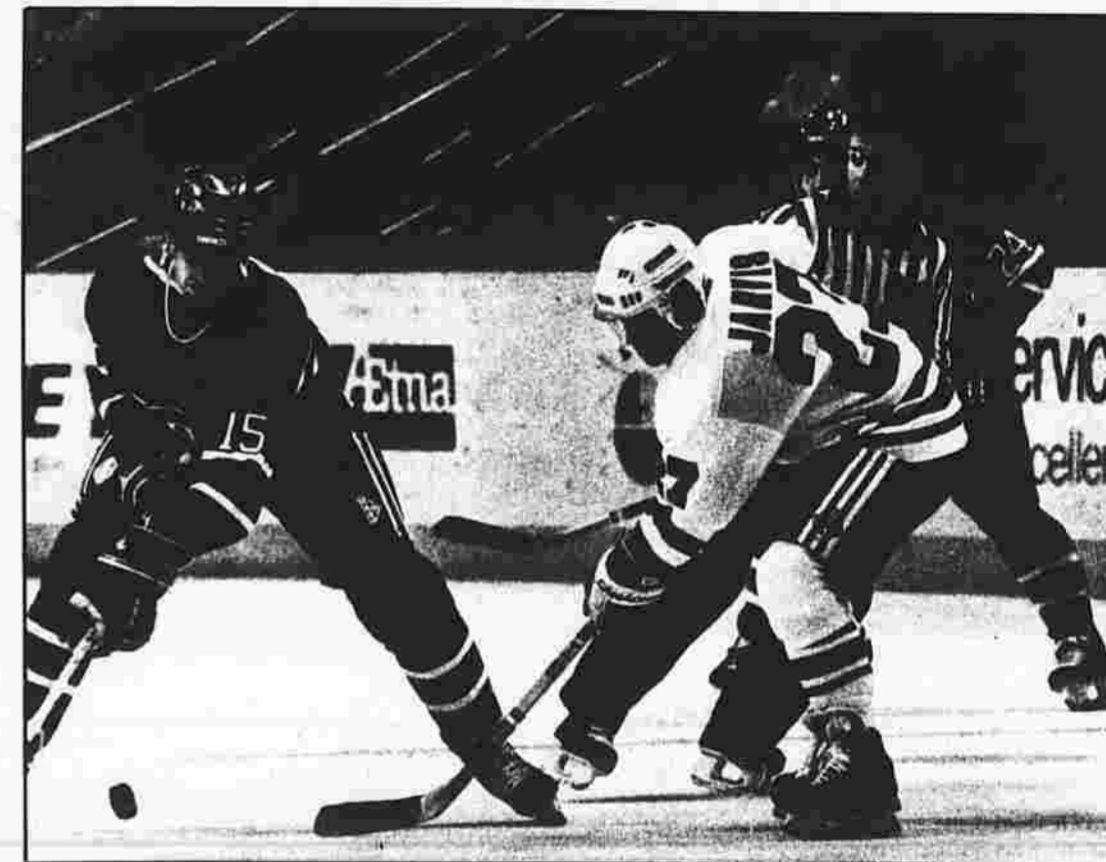
Wings 4, Maple Leafs 2

At Detroit, Shawn Burr and Steve Yzerman scored 17 seconds apart in the first period Friday night as the Detroit Red Wings earned a 4-2 NHL victory over the Toronto Maple Leafs.

The triumph left the Red Wings tied with Toronto for first place in the Norris Division with 32 points pending the outcome of a later game between Minnesota and Winnipeg.

A North Star victory would vault them into first place and a tie would create a three-way deadlock atop the standings, marking the first time since Nov. 1, 1978, that Detroit was in first place.

Burr's 12th goal at 2:50 of the first period deflected off the stick of Toronto's Al Iafate. Yzerman's 12th goal at 3:07 gave the Red Wings a 2-0 lead and chased Toronto goalie Ken Wreggett. Alan Bester, who did not start because of the flu but had shut out Detroit twice this season, took over.



Herald photo by Tucker

Hartford's Doug Jarvis (27) battles Montreal's Bobby Smith (15) for the puck during first-period action Friday night at the Civic Center between the

Adams Division rivals. Hartford and Montreal skated to a 1-1 tie. They'll do it all over again tonight at the Forum in Montreal.

Rangers 7, Devils 4

At East Rutherford, N.J., Kelly Kisio had the first three-goal game of his NHL career, with all three coming in the first period Friday night to lead the New York Rangers to a 7-4 victory over the New Jersey Devils.

Kisio opened a four-goal Ranger outburst just 38 seconds into the game, taking a pass from Don Maloney and firing a 40-footer over New Jersey goaltender Kirk McLean.

Kisio scored on a power play at 4:46 with a 20-footer through a screen. The Rangers' Tomas Sandstrom scored on a breakaway at 6:21, at which point the Devils switched to goaltender Alain Chevrier.

Kisio completed the first-period scoring with his 10th goal of the season, a 10-foot rebound on a power play at 9:36.

Penguins 3, Sabres 3

At Buffalo, N.Y., Mike Andreychuk shot the puck into an open net with 1:50 left in regulation to lift the Buffalo Sabres to a 3-3 tie with the Pittsburgh Penguins in the NHL on Friday night.

Andreychuk scored from just outside the crease after Pittsburgh goalie Gilles Meloche blocked a Norm Lacombe shot and the puck squirted loose.

The tie left Pittsburgh winless on the road in seven

games, and snapped a three-game Buffalo home winning streak.

The Penguins went ahead 1-0 on a power-play goal at 4:31 of the first period when Craig Simpson banged a 10-foot rebound shot past Buffalo goalie Jacques Cloutier.

North Stars 4, Jets 2

At Bloomington, Minn., Neal Broten, Craig Hartsburg and Dino Ciccarelli had a goal and an assist each to lead Minnesota to a 4-2 NHL victory Friday night over the Winnipeg Jets that put the North Stars in first place in the Norris Division.

Hartsburg put the North Stars ahead 2-1 at 4:04 of the final period, scoring his eighth goal of the season with assists from Broten and Ciccarelli. Ciccarelli gave the puck to Hartsburg at the point, who directed a pass to Broten on the left side. Broten returned the puck to Hartsburg who scored from the slot, beating Jets goalie Eldon Reddick.

Dirk Graham added his 16th goal of the season after taking a pass from Hartsburg at 6:40 to put Minnesota ahead 3-1.

Ciccarelli and the Jets' Jim Kyte exchanged goals in the final two minutes.

The North Stars lead both Toronto and Detroit by a point.

Caps may take Carpenter back

LANDOVER, Md. (AP) — Bobby Carpenter skated under the supervision of an assistant Washington coach Friday, and General Manager David Poile conceded he may yet return to play for the Capitals.

Poile has been trying to trade Carpenter since he last played for the Capitals on Nov. 22, but has been unable to make a deal with another NHL club.

"I called Bobby a couple of days ago," Poile said. "I gave him permission to go home to Massachusetts for Christmas, but I asked him to

come back and work out. Terry Murray (assistant coach) will be in charge of each day's workout. We want him to be ready to play when and if needed."

Asked if the possibility existed that Carpenter could rejoin the team, Poile said, "That possibility certainly looms. The option has always been open, but our intent is to trade him."

Carpenter scored 53 goals two seasons ago, the most ever by an American-born player. But his production dipped to 27 goals last season and he had only five in 22 games this year.

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Hartford Whaler goalie Mike Liut (1) keeps a sharp eye on the puck during first-period action Friday night against the Montreal Canadiens at the Hartford Civic Center. Liut was sharp in goal as

Hartford and Montreal skated to a 1-1 Adams Division tie. Story on page 55

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