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Manchester Herald

Manchester — A City of Village Charm

Monday, Feb. 9, 1987

30 Cents



Herald photo by Yurkovsky

Two vehicles involved in a head-on collision this morning on South Main Street are readied by a firefighter for towing. Police said Neil E. Phillips, 22, of Glastonbury, was driving south when his van went out of control and

struck a pickup truck operated by Edward J. Izzo, 50, of Marlborough. Phillips was taken to Hartford Hospital and Izzo was being treated at Manchester Memorial Hospital.

It's another day off from school

By John Mitchell and Alex Girelli
The Manchester Herald

In front of a house on Main Street this morning, Bill Sanborn, a sixth-grader at Robertson School, shoveled slush from the walk and planned the rest of his day off from school.

"We'll try and make money or go sledding," said his partner, fifth-grader Jeremy Haggerty. Both were working in front of Sanborn's house for free.

"I did this last year and made pretty much money," entrepreneur Sanborn said. It was about \$35, he noted.

Down the street at Center Park, April Schultz and some friends climbed the hill with bright-colored sleds under their arms.

Schultz, a second-grader at Verplanck, said she liked to slide down because "you go fast."

After her day off, is Schultz ready

to go back to school?

"I don't want to," she said.

Canceled schools were about the only disorder resulting from today's snowstorm. James P. Kennedy, superintendent of Manchester schools, said the decision to close schools was based on the forecast at about 5 a.m. "I had reports of fairly icy conditions," he said, adding that forecasters also predicted heavy winds blowing later in the day. "We have to be concerned both with the buses and the walkers," he said.

It was the third time this winter that Manchester schools have closed for storms.

Classes in Bolton were canceled today, and school in Andover was delayed for one hour, officials said. But in Coventry, schools opened on time. "Our road supervisor said our roads were good," said Superintendent Nathan Chesler.

In one storm-related accident today, a hospital spokeswoman

reported a snowblower injury when a man got his hand caught in a machine late this morning. No details were available.

Police reported that a Glastonbury man, Neil Phillips, was taken to Hartford Hospital after his van struck a pickup truck on South Main Street at about 7 a.m. today. Edward J. Izzo, the driver of the pickup, was treated at Manchester Memorial Hospital for multiple injuries.

Faced with early weather reports predicting a blizzard, the Manchester Highway Division put a full force of workers and equipment out on the roads this morning.

The storm turned out to be far less serious than originally expected, and Keith Chapman, highway supervisor, said the town may have been a little over-prepared, but it worked out just as well anyway.

Twenty town-owned trucks and six under contract began sanding at

about 3 a.m. and switched to plowing when the snow began to accumulate.

"We won't go back to sanding until everything stops," Chapman said.

He said the forecast is for the snow to taper off at mid-afternoon and then turn to flurries, but Chapman admitted he has been misled by forecasts this season and would not be surprised if the morning forecast does not hold.

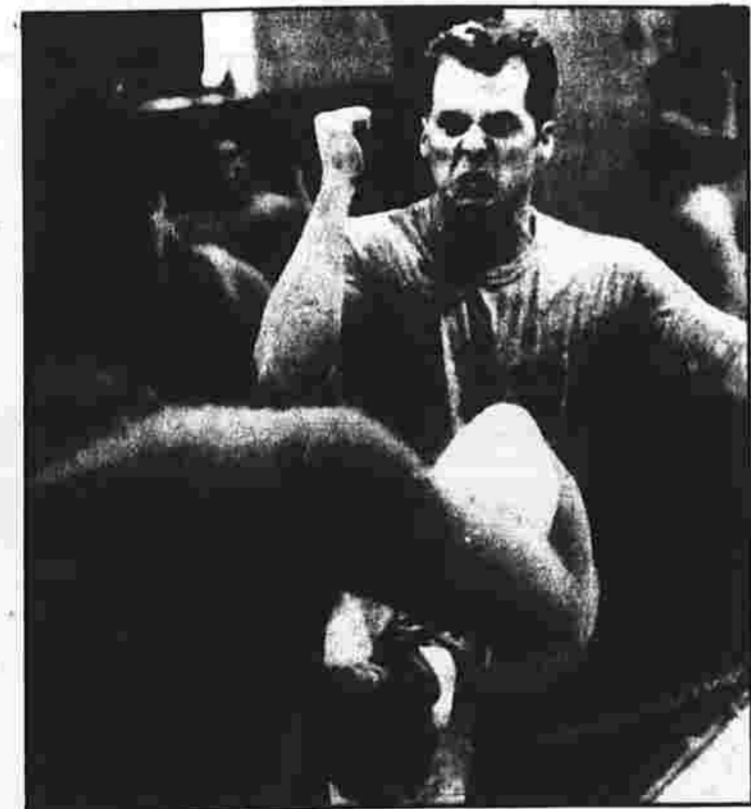
The first major equipment breakdown of the season also occurred this morning. "We lost a head gasket on a truck," Chapman said. Except for that mishap, there were only the normal minor problems.

There were no power failures in Manchester, Bolton, or Hebron as a result of the storm. Five East Hartford customers were out of power for a period.

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Dropout rate soars at police academy



AP photo

Two Connecticut State Police recruits practice self-defense drills at the state police school in Bloomfield. So far, 51 of the 163 recruits who started in the current training class have dropped out.

By Brent Loyman
The Associated Press

BLOOMFIELD — State police officials say they're unsure why the dropout rate at the department's training academy has soared from 18 percent to 40 percent since 1983, but they're taking steps to reverse the trend.

Less than three weeks after the department's 96th class began training, 51 of the 163 recruits and alternates have dropped out. Last year, 40 percent left in the first month of training.

Maj. Joseph A. Perry Jr., who oversees recruitment, hopes to start psychological testing of prospective recruits in June to weed out those who don't want to be troopers badly enough to survive the boot-camp regimen of the State Police Academy.

"A lot of people, as much as they want to be troopers, aren't fully prepared psychologically, physically or emotionally," Perry said last week.

"You have to want the job," he said. "A lot of them say they want it but they don't truly want it."

Rolando Centeno of New Britain, who left this year's class, agreed that most recruits who drop out aren't prepared psychologically for the disciplined environment of the academy.

"When they get there it's like hitting a brick wall," said the 26-year-old police officer at Central Connecticut State University.

Those in charge of the academy,

which this year is being run on the stately campus of St. Thomas Seminary because the department's Meriden complex isn't large enough to accommodate the class, say they're not especially concerned by the attrition rate.

"If you came in here and found it was an easy place to get through, we'd be embarrassed," said Lt. Douglas Hanahan, the academy's commandant.

Of the 51 dropouts this year, 40 were men and 11 women. That translates into 30 percent of the white males, 35 percent of the black males and 12 percent of the Hispanic males. Half the women recruits have dropped out.

The current dropout rate is about the same as other state police departments in the Northeast, Perry said.

Recruits must pass written, agility, lie-detector and background tests even to have a shot at getting chosen by a three-member admissions panel.

Passing scores have been lowered to increase the pool of eligible women and minorities, according to several officers familiar with testing procedures.

Recruits begin their duty at 6 a.m. and spend the next 16 hours getting whipped into shape, mentally and physically. By the time they complete the 23-week program, they're expected to master everything from the art of self-defense to making arrests that will stand up in court.

Israel says it won't free jailed Arabs

Death deadline nears for Beirut hostages

By Rodolfo Kenaan
The Associated Press

BEIRUT, Lebanon — A captive American said today that Lebanese Moslem kidnapers would kill him, two other U.S. hostages and an Indian at midnight unless Israel released 400 Arab prisoners.

"Our jailers will execute us at midnight," said Boston native Alann Steen, 47, in a handwritten note addressed to the wives of the four hostages and accompanied by a photograph of Steen.

The note and photograph were delivered to the Beirut office of a Western news agency. Midnight Beirut time is 5 p.m. EST.

"We ask our wives and the American people to put pressure on our government to order the Israeli government to guarantee the liberation of the 400 Palestinian mujahedeen (holy warriors) before midnight," the agency quoted the message as saying.

It was not clear if the kidnapers demanded that the 400 be released today, or if they would be satisfied with an Israeli promise that the prisoners would be freed.

Israel said it would not free the prisoners because of the threat.

Israeli Foreign Minister Shimon Peres said today Israel has received no request from the United States to free prisoners. "Nobody has approached Israel on this issue, and Israel won't take any initiative on its own."

Peres said Sunday Israel would not give in to threats, but that his government is willing to discuss trading the 400 prisoners for an Israeli airman downed in Lebanon.

A six-minute videotape showing Boston native Alann Steen, 47, was delivered early Sunday to a Western news agency in the name of Islamic Jihad for the Liberation of Palestine. The previously unknown group abducted Steen and the three other educators Jan. 24 from Beirut University College's campus.

Reading in a monotone, the weary-looking Steen said: "If our lives are important to America, it must order Israel to release the 400 Palestinians as soon as possible — that is, Monday as a maximum. "February 9 is the last date to release them. If they don't get released our fate will be execution." The statement did not mention a specific hour.

The group's other hostages are Robert Polhill, 53, originally of New York City; Jesse Turner, 39, of Boise, Idaho, and Mithileshwar Singh, 60, a native of India and resident alien in the United States. Israel said it was willing to discuss a proposal Saturday by

Nabih Berri, head of the main Shiite Amal militia and Lebanon's justice minister, to trade the downed Israeli airman for the Arab prisoners. Under the proposal, all foreign hostages also would be released by extremist groups.

But Peres said that Israel "cannot and will not act according to an ultimatum" and would not bargain through the media.

The kidnapers have never specified what prisoners they want released.

Church joins fight against laser games

By John F. Kirch
Herald Reporter

Opposition to a businessman's plans to open a high-tech computerized entertainment center on North Main Street grew this weekend as church leaders and North End residents vowed to fight the proposal with letters and petitions.

The Second Congregational Church's governing body voted unanimously in a closed meeting Sunday morning to write a letter opposing the center, said the Rev. Joseph Milton, Second Congregational's pastor.

Minutes before the church council went into a closed meeting, about 60 residents attending a meeting at the church geared up for a petition drive to block the center.

The controversy centers on plans by South Windsor attorney Harold Cummings, who is proposing to convert the Andy's of Manchester grocery store, which is scheduled to close Saturday, into a laser stadium that will simulate an alien space craft.

Players would wear sensorized vests and carry infrared laser guns to shoot at computer-controlled monsters and alien beings.

The plans have aroused the ire of church leaders, the building's landlord, residents and others.

Milton said the church council will write a letter stating its opposition to the project. Milton pointed out that church officials have not spoken with Cummings, the landlord or the building's tenant, and they do not have all the facts.

However, the letter requests a

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TODAY'S HERALD

Spy agencies criticized

A congressional panel, citing a recent string of disastrous spy cases, is calling for major changes in the way the nation protects its secrets. The report by the House Intelligence Committee said U.S. spy agencies have become almost lackadaisical about guarding the nation's most sensitive secrets. Story on page 9.

Reforms get hearing

Efforts to reform Connecticut's absentee ballot voting system begin in earnest today as a legislative committee holds a hearing on a series of bills aimed at preventing abuses of the process. Story on page 7.

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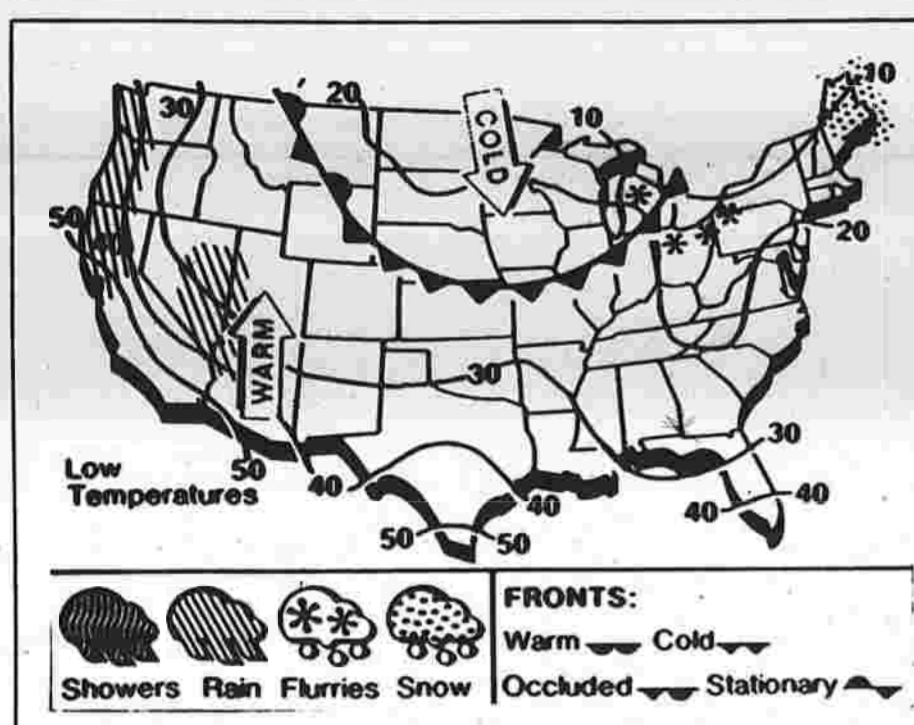
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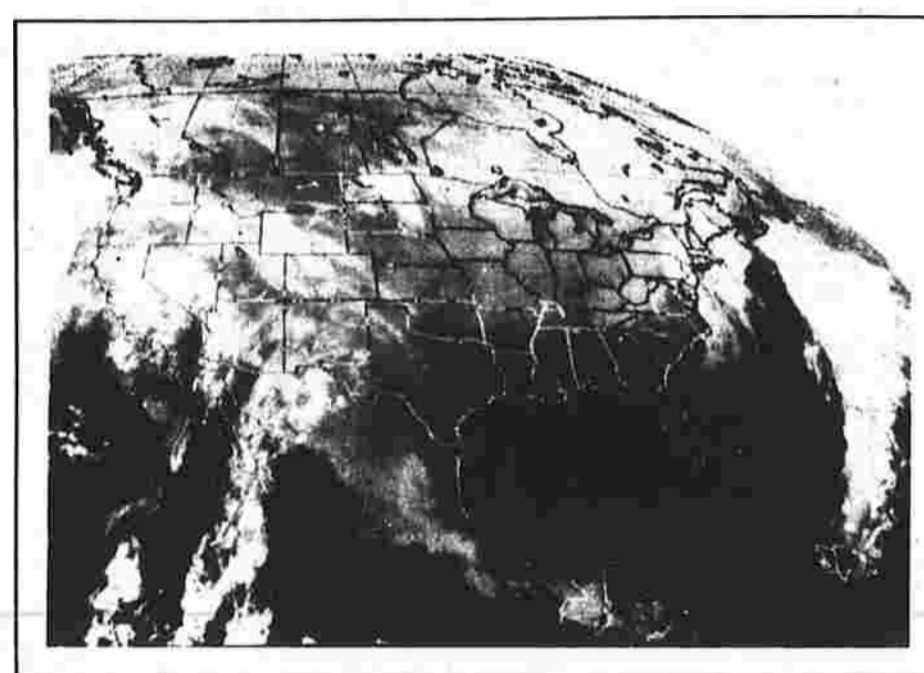
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WEATHER



NATIONAL FORECAST — The National Weather Service forecasts rain for Tuesday for the Pacific Northwest and Southwest. Snow flurries are expected for the Great Lakes and snow is forecast for northern Maine.



MORNING WEATHER — Today's weather satellite picture recorded at 2:30 a.m. shows layered clouds over southern New England and along the mid-Atlantic coastal region producing pockets of light rain or snow. These clouds are associated with a developing storm off the Virginia coast. Low level snow clouds cover the eastern Great Lakes, Appalachians and northern New England area. Middle and high clouds covering the western third of the country are producing very little if any precipitation and are associated with a trough of low pressure off the California coast.

PEOPLE

Vanna in Playboy
 Vanna White will be the subject of a pictorial in the May issue of Playboy magazine.

The pictures of the "Wheel of Fortune" syndicated game show personality will be "tasteful, quality shots," said Robby L. Radomski, Playboy's director of corporate communications in Chicago.

Tug-of-war
 An entertainment world tug-of-war between Bette Midler and Shelley Long has been settled by splitting the nation in half.

Kramer in accident
 Film producer-director Stanley Kramer, whose classics include "Guess Who's Coming to Dinner?" and "Inherit the Wind," suffered minor injuries in a traffic accident.

Car overturns
 The 20-year-old daughter of Princess Alexandra, Marina Ogilvy, spent the weekend resting after a car she was driving overturned, officials said.

Comics Sampler

In this space, samples of new comics will be printed from time to time. Our aim is to get reader reaction to new comics, or to old comics that we are thinking about dropping. Herald readers are invited to comment on any aspect of our comics page. Send your comments to: Features Editor, Manchester Herald, P.O. Box 591, Manchester, 06040.



Connecticut forecast

Central, Eastern Interior, Southwestern Interior: Tonight, snow ending but continued windy with blowing and drifting snow. Little further accumulations. Low in the teens. Tuesday, partly sunny with a diminishing wind. High around 50.

Coastal forecast

Long Island Sound to Watch Hill, R.I. and Montauk Point.
 Gale warnings in effect.
 Winds northerly increasing to 30 to 40 knots with stronger gusts this afternoon and evening. Northwest 25 to 35 knots and gusty tonight and 15 to 25 knots Tuesday.
 Seas becoming very rough building to 6 to 10 feet this afternoon and tonight slowly decreasing Tuesday.
 Visibility probably below 2 miles at times in freezing sea spray during this afternoon.
 Very windy and cold followed by clearing this afternoon. Clear and very cold tonight. Sunny and cold Tuesday.

Across the nation

Snow fell from the Midwest to northern New England today as an Atlantic storm set off widespread blizzard warnings.
 The storm was centered near the middle Atlantic Coast and was pushing strong winds along with snow inland.
 Snow extended from the lower Great Lakes region across eastern sections of the Ohio Valley, much of the Appalachian mountains and northern New England.
 Rain mixed with snow in southern New England and along the middle Atlantic Coast.
 Elsewhere, skies were mostly clear across the Deep South, the Plains and Mississippi Valley. Temperatures were unseasonably mild in the West after a day of record highs. Temperatures rose Sunday into the 70s and lower 80s in California and southern Arizona and the 50s in the Great Basin and Northern Rockies.
 By early this morning 4 inches of snow had fallen at Niagara Falls, N.Y.; 2 inches at Buffalo, Rochester and Massena, N.Y.; and 2 inches at Elkins and Bluefield, W.Va., Montpelier, Vt., and Augusta, Maine.
 Blizzard warnings for heavy snow and strong winds were posted for the mountains of northern West Virginia, extreme western Maryland, southern New England and eastern Long Island.
 A winter storm warning was in effect for north central and northeast Ohio while a heavy snow warning was posted for extreme northwest Pennsylvania.
 Widespread snow-prompted travelers' extended into northeast Tennessee and southwest North Carolina.
 Temperatures were in the teens early today from the upper Mississippi Valley across the Great Lakes region to the northern and central Appalachians.



SHELLEY LONG and BETTE MIDLER ... splitting the nation

Center and released.
 Kramer made more than 30 films for Hollywood. His last picture, "The Runner Stumbles," was filmed in 1980. He then moved to Seattle, where he taught film at the University of Washington and wrote a newspaper column.

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FOCUS

Snuff The Puff
 Beginning this week, about 900,000 federal employees will no longer be allowed to smoke on the job. Americans are among the world's heaviest cigarette smokers. If all the cigarette packages smoked by Americans in one year were laid end to end, they would circle the Earth 20 times! A pack-a-day smoker inhales one-half cup of tar in a year and 400 milligrams of nicotine in one week. That amount of nicotine would kill a person instantly if consumed at one time.

DO YOU KNOW — What government office issues health warnings on cigarette packages?
FRIDAY'S ANSWER — "Bloomers" were baggy pants-locks worn under a short skirt.

Almanac

Today is Monday, Feb. 9, the 40th day of 1987. There are 325 days left in the year.
 Today's highlight in history: On Feb. 9, 1943, the World War II battle of Guadalcanal in the southwest Pacific ended in a U.S. victory over Japanese forces, who were forced to evacuate.
 On this date: In 1773, the ninth president of the United States, William Henry Harrison, was born in Charles City, Va.
 In 1825, the House of Representatives elected John Quincy Adams president after no candidate received a majority of electoral votes.
 In 1861, Jefferson Davis was elected president of the Confederate States of America.
 In 1889, an act of Congress elevated the Department of Agriculture to Cabinet-level status.
 In 1950, in a speech in Wheeling, W.Va., Sen. Joseph McCarthy, R-Wis., charged that the State Department was riddled with Communists.
 In 1962, Jamaica became an independent nation within the British Commonwealth.
 In 1971, the Apollo 14 spacecraft returned to Earth after its crew made man's third landing on the moon.

Lottery

Connecticut daily Saturday: 666 Play Four: 0798

Ezzie returns
 Ezzie the emu is back in its pen after it jumped the fence and spent three days wandering around the countryside, spurring a flurry of sightings of the Australian bird.

Today's quotes
 "The people of Beirut have a responsibility for their own community, and they are not exercising it." — Secretary of State George P. Shultz, blaming the citizens of Beirut for abductions in the Lebanese capital.
 "They have bared their fangs, so to speak, to a peace-loving people." — The military chief of the Philippines, Gen. Fidel V. Ramos, after Communist rebels refused to extend a cease-fire.
 "Not one single person moved. It was as if someone had sprayed one of those Buck Rogers guns and they were all paralyzed." — Common Pleas Judge Lisa A. Richtette of Philadelphia, saying a male stole her purse and car outside a movie theater as scores of people watched.

Manchester/Area Towns In Brief

Bills subject of town hearing

A bill concerning repair of the Risley Reservoir Dam in Vernon and other environmental bills of concern to the 4th Senators' District will be the subject of a hearing to be conducted in Manchester by the Environment Committee of the General Assembly, Sen. Michael Meotti, D-Glastonbury, said today.

Franklin CPEC's president emeritus
 Robert H. Franklin of Manchester, who recently retired after 16 years as head of the Connecticut Public Expenditure Council, has been named president emeritus of the council.
 "This title and honor is fitting for Bob Franklin," said new council president Thomas P. Mealy, "because for years his name has been synonymous with CPEC and with its mission of improving the quality of governmental services and illuminating public issues through rigorous and impartial research."
 Franklin joined the staff of the council in 1960 as senior researcher and was appointed director of state research services in 1962. He held the titles of executive director and secretary from 1970, with the title upgraded to president in 1979.
 CPEC is a 45-year-old organization of Connecticut companies, banks and other firms.

Town offers sand for roads, walks

The town of Manchester is providing sand for roads and walkways at several locations.
 Sand is available at the Olcott Street highway garage, at the east end of the parking lot, the Oak Grove Nature Center, on Edgerton Street, near Manchester Lumber Inc.; at Primer and Hackmatack streets; Saulters Pond; Love Lane, across from the Little League field; and the Tolland Turnpike sand pit.
 Town ordinances require the owner or occupant of any building bordering a street to remove snow from the sidewalk within 24 hours of a snowstorm. In addition to being cleared of snow, the sidewalk is to be made safe by removal of ice or use of sand within 12 hours.

AHM forms youth support group

AHM — AHM Youth Services has announced the formation of a youth support group for teenagers with drug- or alcohol-related problems. The support group will meet at 2:30 p.m. on Tuesdays at the AHM office, 105 Main St.
 The program is a free service provided by AHM, which offers counseling for youths and families in Andover, Hebron and Marlborough. Participants in the support group will have the opportunity to discuss mutual concerns and make friends with individuals who have overcome drug and alcohol dependence.

Cops say teen hackers are now egg throwers

Five teenage "hackers" charged last year with the attempted theft of a computer and other items from offices at the old Highland Park School were arrested today after they threw eggs at a home on Patriot Lane, police said.
 Joseph Impelluso, 47, of 27 Patriot Lane, told police that he was awakened early this morning by the sound of the eggs crashing against his house, police said.
 Impelluso said his son knew two of the boys from computer class at Manchester High School.

Charged with breach of peace and criminal mischief were Matthew J. Irwin, 16, of 130 Birch St., John D. Limberger, 16, of 150 Pine St., Jonathan Thulin, 16, of 81 Bruce Road; and Jonathan A. Zupnik, 16, of 139 Butternut Road. Arrested on the same charges was Thomas H. Shea, 18, of Ellington.

When police confronted the five in the car, they all denied involvement in the incident and said they had no eggs in their possession. But an officer said he saw the passengers in the back seat trying to hide a carton of eggs under the front seat, according to a police report.
 In addition, police determined that the group bought five cartons of eggs at a supermarket Sunday night, police said.



Plotting for downtown
 Leaders of the revolutionary forces that plot the annual foray for Downtown Manchester bargain booty spin yarns about victories of previous years during a briefing at the Nathan Hale Homestead in Coventry. The strategists are, from left, Bernard Apter, Debbie Richardson, Fred Nassif Jr. (with the suspicious mustache) Monique Johnro and Fred Nassif Sr. Their goal is three days of downtown shopping at the end of this week.

Coventry sewage plant in operation

"We never thought we'd see this ..."



By Jacqueline Bennett Herald Correspondent

COVENTRY — Residents were treated to a tour of the town's new sewer treatment plant on Route 31 Saturday, one day after the facility went into operation.
 "As of yesterday the plant was officially certified to accept flow," said Water Pollution Control Authority Chairman Thomas Hall in a brief speech to about 40 people during the tour.
 "This facility will play an important part in the relation between the people of this town and the environment for many years to come," said state Department of Environmental Protection Deputy Commissioner John Anderson, who was on hand for the ceremony.
 "You've accomplished something to be proud of."
 "We never thought we'd see this," said Town Council member Rose Fowler. The plant was originally supposed to open last fall, but encountered delays.
 The \$5 million sewer system was built under court order from the state after residents rejected the project in three separate referendums. The sewer was ordered to stem the leakage of waste from septic tanks into Coventry Lake.
 Anderson said the court order was the last resort, but the project had to proceed.
 Among those who toured the facility were state Rep. Edith G. Prange, D-Columbia, Town Council members Phillip Bouchard, Patrick Flaherty and Chairman Joan Lewis, and Town Manager Harold Hodge.
 The limited sewer system will serve the Lakeview Terrace, Waterfront Manor and village sections of Coventry. About 400 homes are slated for hookup at an estimated cost of \$3,800. Low-interest Farmer's Home loans will be available as a lump sum or installments over the next 27 years.
 An assessment hearing is set for Wednesday. Hookup applications are available at the Town Office Building.

Plant operator Robert Grove gave visitors an explanation of the main control room. Grove said the plant can handle 600,000 gallons of flow per day, but is expected to start with 43,000 gallons per day from the houses slated for hookup.
 Designed for future expansion, the facility is ideally suited to the land it is on, he said, because there is 10 to 12 feet of natural gravel and 30 feet of natural soil. Grove said.
 "The environmentalists are tickled pink with this plan," Grove said.
 Although it was not built with the newest technology, it is state of the art and will not likely become obsolete, Grove said.
 Grove said an emergency generator can keep the plant running without commercial power if necessary. If any problem occurs at the plant, the police department will know immediately because of an alarm system linked to the department's headquarters.



Thomas Hall (left), chairman of the Coventry Water Pollution Control Authority, explains to residents Saturday how the town's new sewage treatment plant operates. The facility handled sewage for the first time on Friday. The plant was built to stop the flow of waste from septic systems into Coventry Lake.

Grove said the plant specifications exceed the court order because the plant was built to serve the town for 50 years instead of 20 years. The extra life added just 3 percent increase to the cost, he said.
 Richard Breault, former WPCA chairman, was honored for his part in making the plant a reality.
 "We commend you for your leadership and dedication for clean water," said Lewis as she gave Breault a plaque.

Board to vote tonight on school budget plan

The Board of Education will vote tonight on Dr. James P. Kennedy's 1987-88 budget proposal.

The \$31.8 million recommendation, adjusted to include money for teachers' salaries the town expects to receive from the state in 1987-88, the school budget will total \$31,865,038 if Kennedy's proposal is approved without a change.
 The revised amount, which includes teachers' salaries under the act passed in the General Assembly last year to boost teacher salaries and provide more money for education, wasn't known when Kennedy proposed his budget last month.
 The town is scheduled to receive \$432,498 from the state this year under the act.
 In the 1987-88 fiscal year, which begins July 1, the town will receive \$667,120 under the act.

More than three-quarters of the recommended figure would go toward staff salaries, with another 7.76 percent allocated for teachers' fringe benefits, including an increase in health benefits.
 Under Kennedy's plan, the town would spend \$1.9 million more of its

spending this year, according to revised figures released by Kennedy last week.
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OPINION

It's better than being in the dark

Manchester residents who remember the effects of Hurricane Gloria in September 1985 should find some reassurance in the presence of a trailer on Olcott Street.

The trailer is designed to serve as a center for efforts to coordinate the orderly restoration of electric power when the area is struck again by a storm with such a drastic outcome.

The trailer serves as concrete evidence that Northeast Utilities is sincere in its desire to cooperate with municipal officials in determining priorities for the restoration of power to the most crucial facilities, like hospitals and emergency services.

There is little or nothing town officials and the power company can do to prevent storms from interrupting essential services initially.

But Hurricane Gloria clearly illustrated that with no mechanism in place for establishing quick communications between municipal officials and the power company, emergency crews from the town and those from the utility sometimes worked at cross purposes, and power was not restored first where it was most needed.

The major complaint against the utility after Gloria was not so much that it took a long time to restore power, which in many instances it did, but that its priorities were wrong and that it did a bad job of informing municipal officials and the public about how long they were likely to remain in the dark.

Phone calls to municipal offices and to the utility sometimes produced conflicting information.

One resident, for instance, passed up an offer for the free loan of an emergency generator because she was led to believe that her power would soon be restored and someone else might need the generator more than she did. As it turned out, she was without power for a long time.

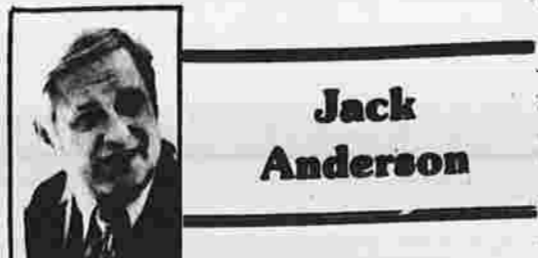
The NU trailer will house a computerized information and dispatch facility and will serve as a center for monitoring the work of utility crews. Equally important, there will be a station at which officials of Manchester, Bolton and East Hartford can get timely information and avoid the possibility of working at cross purposes. Town crews will know, for instance, where it is safe for them to remove trees across roads so utility crews can work.

It is pleasant, but vain, to think the trailer may never have to be used. There will be other Glorias, but their effects can be minimized by a better system of coordination.

Letters to the editor

The Manchester Herald welcomes original letters to the editor.

Letters should be brief and to the point. They should be typed or neatly handwritten, for ease in editing, should be double-spaced. Letters must be signed with name, address and daytime telephone number (for verification).



Drugs thrive on chaos in Philippines

WASHINGTON — The Philippines is becoming the major transit station for heroin and other illegal drugs on their way from the "Golden Triangle" of Southeast Asia to refiners and distributors in the United States and the rest of the Western world.

This is the conclusion of U.S. and Philippine government narcotics officials interviewed in Manila recently by our associate Donald Goldberg as part of our continuing investigation of worldwide dope traffic.

Philippine officials have recently uncovered — as just one example — a sophisticated drug distribution network in their country controlled by a single Chinese organized-crime syndicate in Hong Kong. The syndicate had moved its amphetamine production facilities to the Philippines from Taiwan and South Korea, where government controls were more difficult to get around.

What has made the Philippines so attractive to the drug lords? A combination of factors, not the least of which is the unsettled political condition of the country in the year since Corason Aquino became president. Criminal gangs can always operate more freely in a situation of political confusion.

CORRUPTION AMONG Philippine police officials is rampant, according to one U.S. expert. Estimates of the number of cops on the take range as high as 30 percent, twice as high as in any other country.

The 42-year-old organization pulled itself out of the red and broke even in 1985-86. Reuter said. This year the organization may even earn a small profit.

In contrast, Orchestra New England in New Haven on Wednesday filed for financial reorganization under Chapter 11 of the federal bankruptcy act. Officials said the group needs \$100,000 to stay afloat.

Teen charged with murdering girl

FAIRFIELD — A 16-year-old boy was charged with murder in the stabbing death Sunday of a 14-year-old girl, police said.

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MILFORD — Shellfish beds off the Milford coast remain closed after a contractor working on the Great Creek drainage project in Silver Sands State Park broke a sewer pipe, causing leakage.

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Panel airs election-reform bills

By Judd Everhart
The Associated Press

HARTFORD — Efforts to reform Connecticut's absentee ballot voting system begin in earnest today as a legislative committee holds a hearing on a series of bills aimed at preventing abuses of the process.

Among the 16 bills being considered by the Government Administration and Elections Committee is an omnibus bill recommended after a lengthy study of absentee voting by the legislature's Program Review and Investigations Committee.

Entitled "An Act Concerning Absentee Voting Reform," the bill would:

Connecticut In Brief
Drug addicts face facility shortage

HARTFORD — The war on drugs needs more battlegrounds in Connecticut, where drug addicts often must wait days or weeks before being admitted to treatment programs, health care experts said.

Symphony predicts banner year

HARTFORD — At a time when many American orchestras are experiencing crippling financial and artistic difficulties, executives of the Hartford Symphony Orchestra say the 1986-87 season will be more lucrative and better attended than any other in recent memory.

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More arrests related to absentee ballot abuses occurred in Bridgeport in September.

Rep. Martin M. Looney, D-New Haven, co-chairman of the elections committee, said last month that the committee would "not do anything to interfere with legitimate voting."

A third bill would allow only municipal employees to distribute absentee ballot applications and the ballots themselves to voters. It would also require those employees to pick up the completed applications and ballots.

State woman admits role in contra drive

LT. Col. Oliver L. North met on different occasions with a wealthy Connecticut woman who was the principal benefactor of a political group involved in a pro-contra lobbying drive, the woman acknowledged.

The woman, Barbara Newington of Greenwich, helped bankroll a Virginia-based political action committee headed by her friend, Washington fund raiser Carl "Spitz" Channell, public records show.

Her role suggests a close link between North, the fired White House aide, and Channell's efforts to conduct a nationwide media campaign in support of President Reagan's pro-contra policies.

Public documents list Newington as the source of nearly half the \$700,000 raised by Channell's Virginia group, which helped pay for that public relations blitz.

Channell used a network of conservative groups he controls to help fund speaking tours by Nicaragua rebels, and broadcast at least \$1 million worth of television ads that targeted congressional opponents of the administration's \$100 million aid proposal for the contra fighting Nicaragua's government.

The source of his funding has come under scrutiny, with congressional and federal investigators looking into a report in the Lowell (Mass.) Sun that North provided money for the campaign from profits diverted from U.S. arms sales to Iran.

Although denying that Iranian money was used in the media effort or that North solicited contributions, Channell acknowledges North spoke to groups of his contributors and provided written material used for the TV commercials.

Besides providing funds for Channell's efforts, Newington has given money over the years to many conservative political candidates.



Festival fireworks

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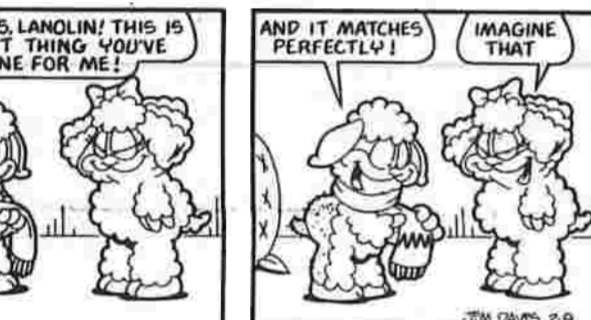
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U.S. spy agencies casual about secrets, panel says

WASHINGTON (AP) — A congressional panel, citing a recent string of disastrous spy cases, is calling for major changes in the way the nation protects its secrets.

Death suit may cripple Klan group

MOBILE, Ala. — A \$10 million suit prompted by the 1981 racial murder of a black teen-ager goes to trial this week in a drive to dismantle the financial framework of the oldest and largest Ku Klux Klan organization.

Dees, executive director of the Southern Poverty Law Center, claims under the "theory of agency" that the entire United Klans should be financially liable for Donald's death.



Car bomb kills 15 in Beirut

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Church joins opposition to laser game at supermarket site

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meeting with all the parties so that differences can be worked out. Milton said that a copy of the church's letter will be sent to Cummings, who hopes to open "LaserLand" in September. Copies will also be sent to GLK Realty Ltd. Partnership, which owns the building at 250 N. Main St., and Springfield Sugar Co., which leases the building from GLK Realty.

A copy will also be sent to Andy's owner, Loren Andros, who sub-leases the 5,500-square-foot from the Springfield Sugar Co. Cummings said last week that he is negotiating with Andros and is on the verge of subletting the building from him. Meanwhile, North End residents will also be sending a petition drive against Cummings' plans. The petition, which will be sent to the Manchester Board of Directors and other town officials, was

circulated during a church meeting at Second Congregational Church Sunday. Church leaders and residents want to pressure Andros and Springfield Sugar into ending negotiations with Cummings. During Sunday's church meeting, residents made suggestions on what they could do to fight Cummings. They suggested that although GLK Realty is against LaserLand, company officials have both of them. He is a member of because of stipulations in the lease.

U.S./World In Brief

Powerful quake hits New Guinea

PORT MORESBY, Papua New Guinea — A powerful earthquake struck this southwest Pacific island nation early today, leveling villages, destroying bridges and leaving at least 1,000 people homeless, officials said. Searchers flying over the region saw extensive damage but there was no detailed information on casualties. The earthquake, which measured at 7.4 on the Richter scale, shook the northern island of New Guinea, Papua New Guinea's main island, and several smaller islands about 4:30 a.m. today (1:30 p.m. EST Sunday). The island of Umbi was described as devastated, with most of the buildings in the island's administrative center of Siassi destroyed or badly damaged, according to a provincial government official in Lae.

Cops hunt for trooper's killer

SPRINGFIELD, Mo. — Law-enforcement officers manned roadblocks today in a search for a man who sprang from a pickup truck and killed a Missouri Highway Patrol trooper with a burst of automatic weapon fire during a routine traffic stop. Trooper Russell W. Harper, 45, an 18-year veteran, was shot to death in his patrol car shortly before 5 p.m. Sunday about a mile east of Springfield. He was the third state trooper slain since March 1985. The gunman, who fled in the pickup with a woman passenger, fired at least 25 shots at the trooper's car, eight in the windshield, said Greene County Sheriff's Deputy Lowell Heerman. Harper was wearing a bulletproof vest but was struck at least once in the head, said L.G. McCutchen, a patrol spokesman.

Mexican convicts still missing

CULIACAN, Mexico — About 3,000 soldiers and police hunted today for 36 convicts who fled through the front door of the Sinaloa state penitentiary, and prison officials moved to tighten what the governor called a "disastrous security system." A spokesman in the state attorney general's office, who demanded anonymity, said late Sunday that no more escapees had been caught since three were captured early Saturday. A total of 61 prisoners, some armed, fled Friday night after starting a riot and seizing weapons. One was shot and killed outside the prison and another was shot on a nearby road and died in a hospital, Sinaloa District Attorney Maria Barbara Campuzano Vega said. About 500 soldiers joined an estimated 2,500 state and federal police in checking vehicles at roadblocks and searching farmlands and the rugged Sierra Madre throughout Sinaloa state in northwestern Mexico.

Liberace's fans urge end to case

LOS ANGELES — Liberace's grieving fans filed past his tomb, leaving flowers, shedding tears and condemning the investigation into whether the pianist died of AIDS. "I think they should just leave him alone," said Joyce Pearl, 61, of Glendora, Calif. "That was his personal life. He hurt nobody. As far as I'm concerned, he's still number one." The tomb, at Forest Lawn Memorial Park in the Hollywood Hills, stands between a pair of small, flowering pear trees trimmed to resemble the pianist's trademark candelabras.

Cop hopes mugging changes judge

PHILADELPHIA — A Fraternal Order of Police official says he hopes the mugging of a city judge will make her think twice about giving probation in similar cases. Common Pleas Judge Lisa A. Ricketts, 48, said a man stole her purse and car around midnight Saturday outside a movie theater as scores of people watched without helping her. "Not one single person moved," she said Sunday. "It was as if someone had sprayed one of those Buck Rogers guns and they were all paralyzed." The judge was punched twice in the face and once in the shoulder and dragged about 100 feet before the man drove off, police Capt. Joseph M. Parson said.

Most favor sex ed, poll shows

NEW YORK — Most Americans believe sex education for young people should be used to combat the spread of AIDS and to prevent teenage pregnancies, according to a poll published in Newsweek. Fifty-one percent of the 500 adults and 106 teenagers questioned by the Gallup Organization this month advocated sex education for those purposes, the magazine reported in this week's issue.

Storm closes schools


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phone Co. reported no widespread interruptions in phone service, but a spokesman said there might have been some isolated cases of lines downed in the storm. The only problem Sanborn, the young snow shoveler, cared about this morning was breaking up a chunk of ice on snow in front of his house. The snow kept coming down, forming beads of white on his hair and making the job that much more difficult. "I like the summer better," he said.

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Obituaries

Leon Dobkin, 86; officer of SBM

Leon Dobkin, former vice president and director emeritus of the Savings Bank of Manchester, died Sunday at a local convalescent home. He was 86, and had lived at 100 Comstock Road. He was an officer with the bank for more than 35 years. He was elected a director on Jan. 15, 1952, and served as vice president in 1967. He served in that position until 1974, when he was made director emeritus. Born in Russia, Dobkin lived in Ellington and Manchester for most of his life. He was a member of Temple Beth Hillel of South Windsor and the Ellington Grange. He was a retired partner in the Adler and Dobkin Tobacco Co. He is survived by a son, M. Adler Dobkin of Manchester; two daughters, Audrey Brett of Bloomfield and Elizabeth Hill of South Windsor; six grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife, the late Rebecca (Levy) Dobkin.

A private funeral will be held Tuesday, with burial in Ellington Jewish Cemetery, 101 Main St., Ellington. A memorial service will be observed at the home of his son, M. Adler Dobkin of 153 Shaw Brook Lane, on Tuesday and Wednesday night. Memorial donations may be made to Manchester Memorial Hospital Development Fund, 71 Hayes St., Manchester 06040, or to a charity of the donor's choice.

Margaret T. Gaines

Margaret T. Gaines of Windsor Locks, 78, wife of Albert E. Gaines, died Saturday at home. She was the mother of Mrs. Matthew (Martha) Donohue of Manchester. She is also survived by another daughter, Mrs. C.R. (Gemma) DeMarville of Windsor Locks, with whom she lived; eight grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren. The funeral will be Tuesday at 10 a.m. at the Kanis Funeral Home, 185 Oak St., Windsor Locks. Burial will be in Grove Cemetery, Windsor Locks. Calling hours are today from 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m.

Thaddeus P. Begley

Thaddeus P. "Ted" Begley of Hartford died Friday at St. Francis Hospital and Medical Center, Hartford. He was the father of Jerome F. Begley of Manchester. He is also survived by another son, Charles T. Begley of Wethersfield; a brother, James K. Begley of East Hartford; five sisters, Susan Carvey, Helen Bohan, Ann Hunter and Gertrude Morley, all of West Hartford; and Kathleen Reynolds of Bethlehem, Pa.; and two grandsons. The funeral was today from the Farley-Sullivan Funeral Home, 86 Webster St., followed by a mass Orthodox Christian burial in St. Augustine Church, Hartford. Burial will be in Mount St. Benedict Cemetery, Bloomfield. Memorial donations may be made to the Dialysis Unit, St. Francis Hospital and Medical Center, 114 Woodland St., Hartford 06105.

Ann G. Pazianos

Ann G. "Anastasia" (Kopteros) Pazianos, 82, of 106 Foster St., died Friday at Manchester Memorial Hospital. She was the wife of George M. Pazianos, and they would have celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary on Feb. 30. She was born April 17, 1904, in Pomarion, on the island of Lesbos, Greece. She was a Manchester resident for 60 years. She was a member of St. George Greek Orthodox Cathedral in Hartford, the Ladies Philopticon Society, St. George Senior Citizens and the Pomaritan Society. Besides her husband, she is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Bernhard (Mary-Anne) Satryb of Manchester and Mr. Harold B. (Artemis) Willis of Weston, Mass.; a son, E. George Pazianos of Washington, D.C.; a granddaughter and two grandsons. The funeral was today at the St. George Church of the Holy Trinity, 433 Fairfield Ave., Hartford, with burial in East Cemetery, Manchester. The Watkins Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Memorial donations may be made to St. George Church or the American Heart Association of Greater Hartford Inc., 310 Collins St., Hartford.

Nicholas Zavarrella

Nicholas Zavarrella, 70, of Wethersfield, died Friday (Di-Marco) Zavarrella, died Friday at St. Francis Hospital and Medical Center, Hartford. He was the brother of Savin Zavarrella of Manchester. He is also survived by a daughter and son-in-law, Joyce and Stephen Piecevic of Wethersfield; two other brothers, Arthur Zavarrella of Agawam, Mass., and William Zavarrella of Rockville; three sisters, Mary DePalma, Helen McMillen and Rosalie Brunetti, all of Manchester; and two grandchildren. The funeral and burial were today. D'Esopo Wethersfield Chapel, 277 Folly Brook Blvd., Wethersfield, was in charge of arrangements. Burial was in Village Cemetery, Wethersfield.

Joseph Loney

Joseph Loney, 85, of 91 Eldridge St., died Saturday at Manchester Memorial Hospital. He was the husband of Elsie (Diamond) Loney. Born in Manchester Aug. 31, 1901, he was a lifelong resident. Until his retirement, he was a steamfitter, working for the Morris Fierberg Co. and the Frederick Hall Co., both of Hartford. He was a member of the Steamfitters Local 218 and the Manchester Senior Citizens Center. Besides his wife, he is survived by his son and daughter-in-law, Joseph and Cindy Loney of Dix Hills, N.Y.; a brother, James Loney of St. Petersburg, Fla.; a sister, Mary E. Gompf of Manchester; two step-grandsons; and several nieces and nephews. The funeral will be Wednesday at 9:15 a.m. at the Holmes Funeral Home, 400 Main St., with a mass Christian burial at 10 a.m. at St. Bridget Church. Burial will be in St. James Cemetery. Calling hours are Tuesday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Memorial donations may be made to the Manchester Memorial Hospital Development Fund, 71 Hayes St., Manchester 06040.

Gemma M. Denton

Gemma M. Denton, 72, of 75 Lyness St., died suddenly on Friday at home. She was born Oct. 15, 1915, in Caribou Maine. She attended Bradford Junior College and Mount Holyoke College in Holyoke, Mass. For many years she was employed by the National Bureau of Standards at laboratories in Boulder, Colo., and in Gaithersburg, Md. Survivors include her sister, Dorothy D. Olcott of Manchester; a brother, Robert E. Denton of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho; and three nephews. Burial will be at the convenience of the family. Friends may call the home of Dorothy and Roger Olcott, 34 Oakwood Road, Manchester, on Saturday from 3 to 6 p.m. The Watkins Funeral Home, 142 E. Center St., has charge of arrangements.

Amy Lumpkin

Amy (Miller) Lumpkin, 78, of New Britain, widow of Franklin Melvin Lumpkin Sr., died Thursday at the Oak Ridge Convalescent Home in Bloomfield. She is survived by three sons, P. Melvin Lumpkin Jr. of Manchester, Raymond E. Lumpkin Sr. of New Britain and Harold R. Lumpkin of Windsor; eight grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren. The funeral will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday at the Faith Congregational Church, 2030 Main St., Hartford. Burial will be in Rose Hill Memorial Park, Rocky Hill. Calling hours are tonight from 6 to 8 at Faith Congregational Church, Rose Hill Funeral Home, 586 Elm St., Rocky Hill. Mr. Parson has charge of arrangements.

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SPORTS

All-Star Game perfect forum for Chambers

By Jim Cour The Associated Press
SEATTLE — Tom Chambers felt like he had something to prove, and the NBA All-Star Game was the perfect forum.

Ignored by the voting fans and Western Conference coaches alike, the Seattle SuperSonics' forward got into the game only when Houston's Ralph Sampson was sidelined by injury.

"That was a big motivational factor for me," the 6-foot-10 Chambers said. "I wasn't out for revenge or anything like that but I wanted to show that I belonged in the game."

Chambers scored 34 points to win most valuable player honors as the West beat the East 154-149 in overtime Sunday at Seattle's Kingdome.

The West's Rolando Blackman sent the game into overtime with a pair of free throws with no time left in regulation play. In the overtime, Blackman and Chambers each scored four points as the West won for only the second time in eight games.

The game appeared over when the East's Moses Malone rebounded in a missed Kevin McHale baseline shot with three seconds left.

But Isiah Thomas fouled Blackman, who was driving the baseline, before time could run out.

"My award wouldn't have been possible if Rolando had missed one of those free throws," Chambers said.



Philadelphia's Julius Erving (6) is all smiles as he helps out Houston's Akeem Oluajuwon after fouling the Rocket center during the NBA All-Star Game Sunday. The West won in overtime, 154-149.

Storybook ending missed by Erving

By Bob Brown The Associated Press
SEATTLE — Larry Bird wanted a storybook ending for Julius Erving's last NBA All-Star Game.

"There at the end, I wanted to see him get that last shot," Bird said. "It was set up for him to be the hero and we just didn't get the ball to him."

Little else went wrong for Dr. J on a weekend when the rest of the NBA showered him with praise and thanks for his contribution to professional basketball.

Erving, the prototype of the slam-dunking, spectacularly mobile superstars of the NBA, is retiring at the end of the season.



Hartford's Dean Eason (12) tries to get a shot on Montreal goalie Patrick Roy (33) as Canadian defenseman Brian Skrudland attempts to clear it in action Saturday night at the Civic Center. Eason had a goal and an assist in the Whalers' 3-1 victory.

Whalers in front at the break

By Jim Tierney Herald Sports Writer
HARTFORD — Nothing could be finer in Hartford for the Whalers at the All-Star break than the position they now occupy in the Adams Division.

First place. Repeat. First place. The tenuous circumstances that have surrounded the top three teams (Hartford, Montreal, Boston) in the division this season bears further testimony to the Whalers' position.

The Whalers flaunted their talents Saturday night at the Civic Center in an inspiring 3-1 victory over the defending Stanley Cup champion Montreal Canadiens and main divisional nemesis, which vaulted Hartford into sole possession of first place in the division at the break.

"Oh yeah, it's a big one," Whaler right winger Kevin Dineen said, talking of the win. "We were down after we lost to Buffalo (last Wednesday). There was no excuse for that loss at home. We knew what we had to do. We had to go out there and bring tonight. Fortunately, we did a little better job of it than they did."

Hartford (29-21-8) has 64 points while Montreal and Boston are tied for second place with 61 points apiece. This clinched the first season series win for Hartford over Montreal. They face each other once more in Montreal.

"I think we've had a helluva tough stretch and we come through it exactly where we want to be. In first place, Whaler captain Ron Francis said.

After a scoreless first period, three goals were scored in the final 4 minutes of the second period. Hartford broke on top when Dean Eason dumped in a pass which carried off the boards into the slot.

Hartford's Stewart Gagny went for the puck which eluded both of them. Sylvain Turgeon came flying in to collect the puck and wristed it behind Montreal goalie Patrick Roy at 15:58.

Hartford took a 2-0 lead two minutes later when Mike McEwen perfectly fed Eason at the blue line. Eason got around Ludwig and fired a slap shot between Roy's pads. A mere 20 seconds later, Montreal countered when Rick



Samuelson, who is held from behind by Montreal Craig Ludwig during a second-period skirmish.

UConn bows to uninspired Syracuse

By William Kotes The Associated Press
SYRACUSE, N.Y. — Syracuse University, approaching its tenth 20-win season in 11 years, keeps losing to the Panthers, but that doesn't mean the 11th-ranked Orangemen are happy about their recent performances.

"If you are a basketball player you should be ready to play," said Syracuse Coach Jim Boeheim after the Orangemen posted an uninspired 56-53 Big East Conference win over Connecticut Saturday night to raise their record to 18-3. "Obviously, we weren't as sharp as we have to be."

Syracuse, which was held to its lowest offensive output in two seasons by the Huskies, 2 and 8-13, will need to be sharper Monday night.

Other NBA big names said they hoped they could someday equal Erving's reputation.

Boeheim said his club needs to rediscover its intensity, something it has lacked while going 4-3 in its last seven games after reeling off 15 consecutive wins.

"Maybe we came into this game (against Connecticut) thinking it was going to be an easy game. If we weren't thinking that way, then we weren't properly prepared mentally to play basketball," he said.

On the other end of the court, Huskies Coach Jim Calhoun was encouraged by what he saw in his team, which despite shooting 37 percent for the game, was within four points of the Orangemen in the final minutes.

"We played very hard. We know who we are and what we are. They (the players) gave me everything they could possibly have given me. The problem with our kids is that there's just not enough of them."

Derrick Coleman's slam dunk at the 14:15 mark gave the Orangemen a 38-24 advantage, but the Huskies then went on a 10-0 tear of their own, capped by a pair of 3-point shots by Greg Economou and Tate George.

A pair of foul shots by George, who finished with 16 points, with 4:35 to play left Syracuse with a 46-38 lead. But Howard Triche hit a pair of free throws for the Orangemen and then Douglas hit a two-hand shovel

Penguins survive scares, win second in a row

By Ken Roppoport
The Associated Press

The Pittsburgh Penguins got a couple of scares, one when Mario Lemieux went down and another from the New Jersey Devils, but managed to survive both.

"It's been a long time since we've won two in a row," goaltender Gilles Meloche said after a 2-1 overtime victory over the Devils Sunday night. "We've been losing a lot of games like this one."

Close losses have been a trademark for the Penguins of late, with or without Lemieux, the All-Star center who missed 13 games this season with an injured right knee.



AP photo

Pittsburgh's Lee Giffin (34) can't control the rebound after his initial shot bounced off the pads of New Jersey goalie Alain Chevrier in their NHL game Sunday at the Meadowlands. The Penguins won in overtime, 2-1.

Chris Kontos scored both Pittsburgh goals, including the game-winner at 2:12 of overtime, as the Penguins climbed out of last place in the Patrick Division over the Devils into fourth.

In other NHL action, the Toronto Maple Leafs also made a move out of the cellar when they beat the New York Rangers 5-4, also in a road game, and jumped into fourth place in the Norris Division.

In other games, it was Winnipeg 3, Los Angeles 1; Quebec 2, Boston 1; Buffalo 7, Chicago 4; Edmonton 6, St. Louis 4; and Calgary 3, Vancouver 2.

NHL Roundup

Bernie Nicholls fired a loose puck into the net. Meanwhile, the Jets' training staff was attending to Reddick, who remained in the game.

Carlisle added his second goal on a power play, at 19:02 of the final period.

Defenseman Randy Carlyle scored twice and rookie goaltender Eddon (Pokey) Reddick, knocked unconscious in a collision, recovered to complete a 20-save effort as Winnipeg defeated Los Angeles.

NCAA Hoop

Virginia committed two turnovers and failed to capitalize.

North Carolina played excellent defense and took away most of the crucial shots Saturday.

Indiana scored 30 points for the first time since 1985, outlying No. 2 Loyola Chicago 76-60.

Injuries have taken their toll on NHL all-star team

QUEBEC (AP) - Nagging back injuries have taken their toll on the NHL's all-star team, sidelining three starters before the squad assembled to play the game in the second period.

Johnston compares it with the world championships, which take place at the end of the NHL season.

Hershiser is biggest loser in arbitration

Baseball owners have come out of the big winners in early arbitration rulings, while pitcher Orel Hershiser of the Los Angeles Dodgers was the biggest loser so far.

Nancy Lopez shoots her way into the LPGA Hall of Fame

SARASOTA, Fla. - Nancy Lopez says she never fully appreciated what it takes to make the LPGA Hall of Fame until a couple of years ago when she attended a ceremony honoring members in Sugar Land, Texas.

Also an arbitration loser was Bill Doran of the Houston Astros, while another Dodgers pitcher, Matt Young, agreed to terms, thus avoiding arbitration.

"For so long, I felt the criteria was so tough that they needed to change it," she said. "But after being there and watching some of the players who have made it, I said to myself, 'Maybe it really is worth it.'"

Hershiser, a 26-year-old right-hander who was 14-14 last year, had asked for a \$100,000 raise from his 1986 salary of \$1 million.

She will be the 11th player to qualify, and the first since JoAnne Carner in 1982.

Something special gives Pavin victory

someone to shoot a good round, and Corey did it," said the disappointed Stadler, whose 2 1/2-year non-winning string ended intact.

behind Pavin, came to the par-5 18th in a tie for the lead and had a 6-foot birdie putt to win it outright.

Reid's offensive output a bonus for the Tar Heels

By The Associated Press

NCAA Hoop

North Carolina freshman J.R. Reid would rather rebound than shoot, but the third-ranked Tar Heels needed his clutch scoring against Virginia.

Reid scored 21 points, including a three-point play with 1:24 left in overtime, to help the Tar Heels edge the Cavaliers, 74-73, in an Atlantic Coast Conference game Sunday.

Sports in Brief

Bird wins long-distance shootout

SEATTLE - Larry Bird almost didn't make it past the first round but, as usual, the Boston Celtics all-star forward made the crucial shots Saturday to win his second consecutive NBA long-distance shootout.

Potter wins first title since 1985

WICHITA, Kan. - Top-seeded Barbara Potter won her first title since 1985, ousting No. 2 Lani Savchenko Sunday in the final of the Virginia Slims of Kansas tournament 7-6, (6-0), 7-7, (7-5).

Graf easily wipes out Mandlikova

INDIAN WELLS, Calif. - Teen-ager Steffi Graf of West Germany, clearly at the top of her game, required just 40 minutes to defeat a weakened Hana Mandlikova 6-0, 6-1 in Sunday's final of the \$100,000 Newweek Women's Tennis Classic.

Witt captures European skate title

SARAJEVO, Yugoslavia - East Germany's Katarina Witt, skating to music from "West Side Story," won her fifth straight women's title Saturday in the European Figure Skating Championships.

Hess wins women's slalom gold

CRANS-MONTANA, Switzerland - Erika Hess of Switzerland mastered a treacherous course with a blazing second run and won the women's slalom gold medal at the Alpine Ski World Championships Saturday.

Estep to coach Carling Bassett

HALIFAX, Nova Scotia - The man who coached Martina Navratilova for the past 3 1/2 years has signed to coach Canada's No. 1 player, Carling Bassett of Toronto, The Canadian Press reported.

Snow Chief wins Strub Stakes

ARCADIA, Calif. - The rivalry between Snow Chief and Ferdinand has hit new heights.

Voss wins Quaker State Open

GRAND PRAIRIE, Texas - Brian Voss ended a 31-month victory drought by knocking off top-seeded Ron Williams 208-186 in the title game to capture the \$150,000 Quaker State Open Saturday.

Surprising Trenary ladies' skate champ

By Barry Wilner
The Associated Press

TACOMA, Wash. - Just before the U.S. Figure Skating Championships began, renowned coach Carlo Fassi said he had a champion in his stable.

He was right. But that champion was not Caryn Kadavy, the 1986 national runner-up. It was surprising Jill Trenary and, in the back of his mind, Fassi had an idea it might be her.

"I didn't feel too much pressure for the quad," he said. "The one in warmups felt so good and the one in the program also felt good. I was confident for touching. I gained a lot of confidence in it."

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Carl Lewis gets revenge in Dallas

DALLAS - Carl Lewis got his revenge over world record holder in the heptathlon, easily won the 60-yard hurdles in a time of 7.51, beat out Yolande Johnson, who was second, and the world indoor record holder, Stephanie Hightower, who was third.

world record holder won his specialty again in the mile run at 3:56.5.

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Mike Napolitano flies downhill on his way to fly hold the rider aboard. The sport is like skateboarding and growing in popularity, says Napolitano, a college student.

About Town

Toys for handicapped

Parents of handicapped children will soon be able to borrow specially-adapted toys from the Mary Cheney Library. These include a Teddy Ruxpin, an AM-FM videorecorder, a dog who sits and barks, and a number of others.

Osteoporosis is the topic

The Connecticut Society of Medical Assistants, Hartford Chapter, will meet Wednesday at 7 p.m. at the Hartford Convention Center.

Public Records

Warranty deeds

Joseph J. and Julie A. Ford to Robert G. and Michele Payne, 611 N. Main St., \$68,000. Joel B. Wilder and Albert L. Manley to Nicholas L. and Tracy Mambrino, Beacon Hill Condominium, conveyance tax \$75.80.

Lorraine M. Findlay, 17 Hoffman Road, \$194,000. Rosanna M. Colangelo to Harold W. and Claire H. Richardson, Green Manor Estates, \$162,900.

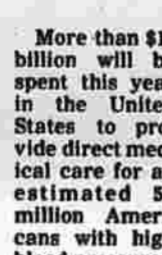
Quitclaim deeds

James A. Milley Jr. to Batoul, Nihad and Saed Algharbi, 295 Homestead St., \$84,000. Mary P. Huppe to Brian M. Chmielewski and Kathleen A. Franca, 27 Proctor Road, \$105,000.

Thoughts

The most important thing a person can know is how they can be 100 percent sure that when they die, they will go to Heaven. The Bible very clearly tells us how we may be sure.

Medication prices spiral as blood pressures rise



Sylvia Porter

More than \$10 billion will be spent this year in the United States to provide direct medical care for an estimated 58 million Americans with high blood pressure. Hypertension is responsible for more visits and prescriptions than any other ailment.

Supermarket Shopper

DEAR MARTIN: A supermarket in my area, which is part of a large chain, sends out a circular advertising sales items for the week.

FTC is changing ad rules

By Martin Sloane United Features Syndicate. DEAR THELMA: Under the current food-store advertising rules of the Federal Trade Commission (FTC), which were first adopted in 1971, a store must carry a sufficient supply of all advertised items.

College Notes

DeSignore makes honors list. Carolyn E. DeSignore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. DeSignore of Bolton, was named to the dean's honor list for the fall semester at Fairfield University.

Monday TV

- 5:00PM (E) Wonderful World of Disney (E) (TV)
(TMC) MOVIE: 'Falling in Love' (CC) A chance meeting on a commuter train sparks a mutual romantic interest between a construction engineer and a graphic designer. Robert Dalno, Meryl Streep, Harvey Keitel. 1984. Rated PG-13.
5:30PM (HBO) MOVIE: 'Night of the Comet' (CC) Two Valley Girls try to survive after a cosmic radiation turns victims into cannibalistic zombies. Catherine Mary Stewart, Kelli Maroney, Robert Beltran. 1984. Rated PG-13.
6:00PM (E) (E) (E) (E) News (E) (E) (E) (E)
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(11) Carol Burnett and Friends (E) (E) (E) (E)
(12) DIS) MOVIE: 'Blighty of the Grand Canyon' (CC) A burro's adventures lead him to various encounters with mountain lions, a Colorado river and a murderer. Joseph Cotton, Pat Conway. 1949. 1987.
(ESPN) Mazda Sportsweek (E) (E) (E) (E)
(MAX) MOVIE: 'The Professionals' (CC) Four soldiers are hired by an American millionaire to rescue his Mexican wife. Lancaster, Lee Marvin, Claudia Cardinale. 1986. Rated PG.
(USA) USA Cartoon Express (E) (E) (E) (E)
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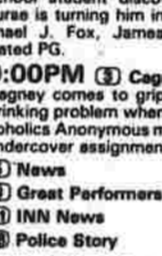
The Two Mrs. Grenvilles



Alice Grenville

Alice Grenville (Claudette Colbert) meets with her daughter-in-law Ann (Ann-Margret, I) to discuss Ann's shocking secret, in the conclusion of "The Two Mrs. Grenvilles," airing MONDAY, FEB. 9, on NBC.

Advice



Dear Abby

DEAR ABBY: Name a place where an anonymous phone call results in the dispatch of police officers to detain and harass citizens in the absence of probable cause, a sworn complaint or an arrest warrant. Clifton, N.J. The Soviet Union? Nope, Marlow, Va.

Does reducing drunk driving deprive motorists of rights?

DEAR GUARD: Jane was wrong to have forced a gift on you knowing you were not permitted to accept gifts. You were wrong to accept it, and wrong again for giving it to Dan saying it was a gift from Jane. If you lost Jane's friendship, you haven't lost much. And in the future, stick to the rules or it could cost you your job.

DEAR ABBY: My wife and I have been married for 29 years. It's the second marriage for both of us. She has two sons from a previous marriage and I have two daughters from my first marriage—all are adults. Recently we made out our wills. I think we should look over each other's wills—if only to change them to each other's satisfaction. Is this unusual? And what do you think of the idea?

Hormones are not to blame

DEAR DR. GOTT: Two years ago I relearned the meaning of the male hormone testosterone to help control my symptoms after a mastectomy. This relearning was a relief because I had learned that it was unrelated to the phenomenon often called Raynaud's phenomenon.

DEAR DR. GOTT: My son is 43, can only walk with a walker and often falls. His doctor has given him many tests, but can't find anything wrong. Is it possible that he has M.S.?

Hints help cats swallow pills

DEAR POLLY: Do you have a cat who has trouble swallowing pills? Here are a few hints for getting pills to cats? We have an old cat who must now receive a daily pill and we're having a terrible time getting her to take it.

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