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PANSONIC color tv \$50, 2 12 lb bowling balls, 1 new \$20, 1 used \$10. 647-0413.
YARD trailer \$50. 647-8077.

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Feast Fest waiters' race: Thursday at 3 p.m. downtown

Manchester Herald

Wednesday, Aug. 26, 1987

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MPOA unlikely to take deal on bonds for mall

By Andrew Yurkovsky and Alex Girlick
The Manchester Herald
No deal, says a lawyer for the Manchester Property Owners Association.
The town has proposed to the MPOA that it will drop its appeal of the judge's decision barring the town from issuing bonds for improvements at the site of the Mall at Buckland Hills if the MPOA will agree to have the judge set aside his decision.
The move, which would still mean a referendum, is meant to satisfy the MPOA but at the same time allow the town to maintain its authority over future bonding decisions.
Kevin O'Brien, the attorney representing the town's Economic Development Commission, made his proposal in a letter Wednesday to Bruce S. Beck, the MPOA's attorney. The MPOA is a party to the appeal, along with the town and the Homart Development Co. of Chicago, the developer of the proposed mall.
Kathleen Eilgerliff, Beck's law partner, said this morning she had not gotten O'Brien's letter and had not discussed it with her client. However, she said she would not advise the MPOA to set aside the judge's decision.
MPOA's position is that all town-issued tax-increment bonds, such as those involved in the improvements in Buckland, should be subject to approval by the voters.
O'Brien said he is making the proposal in response to a request last week by Beck. In a letter Friday to Town Attorney John W. Cooney, Beck said the appeal should be dropped because holding a referendum on the bond issue, as the Board of Directors has proposed, would invalidate the appeal.
O'Brien said today the Board of Directors has to hold a referendum because of political necessity. He said he believes MPOA is only interested in bonding for improvements to the area of the Mall at Buckland Hills, not any future bonding decisions in Manchester.
"Even if Judge John P. Maloney's decision is set aside, the referendum proposed by the town directors should meet the desires of the MPOA."
The Hartford Superior Court judge ruled in July that the town would have to hold a referendum to approve the issuance of \$13 million in tax-increment bonds for improvements to the area around the proposed Mall at Buckland Hills. In his decision, the judge said the directors erred in approving the bonds themselves without a referendum.
O'Brien said that Beck should agree with his offer if he believes that Maloney's decision does not set a precedent for future bond issues for Manchester and other towns.
"By this way your clients will suffer no further economic loss as a result of prosecuting this action and will have obtained what they have purportedly desired, i.e. the referendum," O'Brien wrote in his letter to Beck. "My client will not have to be concerned with the precedent set by Judge Maloney's decision."
"O'Brien is not willing to stipulate to the above then I assume that you must consider the case to have effect beyond the bonds at issue," the letter to Beck continued.
While agreeing to hold a referendum on bonding for the Buckland improvements, O'Brien said, the town would not be obligated to hold referendums for future tax-increment bond issues. He said Beck could petition Maloney to set aside his decision.
When the town originally announced that it intended to appeal Maloney's decision, Beck argued against having the appeal heard by the state Supreme Court because he said the MPOA would have no effect beyond the town of Manchester.



The front of a Volkswagen is crushed following an accident with a pickup truck at the intersection of Bissell and Holl streets this morning. The driver of the Volkswagen, Kelly M. Murning, 17, of 214 Pine St., was taken to Manchester Memorial Hospital, where her condition was unavailable. The driver of the pickup, Robert Maynard 59, of Waterford, and his brother, James, a passenger, were not injured. Story on page 8.

More seek help for fear of flying since air disasters

By Mario Fox
The Associated Press
CHICAGO - More people are seeking help for their fear of flying and some under treatment have suffered setbacks since the Northwest Airlines crash and a string of near-collisions and other mishaps, some experts say.
"Our secretaries report more inquiries lately, and we get several hundred inquiries each week," Susan Kanaan, executive director of the 6,000-member Phobia Society of America, said in a telephone interview Tuesday.
The Northwest crash near Detroit on Aug. 16 killed 156 people in the nation's second-worst air disaster.
In addition, there has been a spate of near-collisions, mechanical failures and other problems involving U.S. airlines in recent weeks.
In one of the latest incidents, a Northwest jetliner Monday passed within 500 feet of a twin-engine plane 30 miles west of Boston, but both planes landed safely, the Federal Aviation Administration reported.
"Of the latest events," said Ms. Kanaan, whose Rockville, Md.-based organization of researchers, psychologists and people with phobias provides information on the treatment of phobias.
She said something as dramatic as the Northwest crash "always drops the scale back from progress."
T.W. Cummings, a retired Pan Am pilot who wrote the book "Freedom from the Fear of Flying" and offers tapes and seminars for fearful fliers, said interest in his book and tapes is up lately.
"And people in my last seminar asked me some questions about the crash in Detroit," he said in a telephone interview from his home in Coral Gables, Fla.
Burt Siegel, a psychologist who heads the Institute for Stress Control in suburban Hinsdale, said Monday: "My patients are a little more nervous, but nobody is saying, 'My treatment is being set back a few months by it.'"

West Germany offers to scrap Pershing missiles

BONN, West Germany (AP) - Chancellor Helmut Kohl said today West Germany will scrap Pershing I-A missiles if the superpowers agree to scrap medium- and shorter-range nuclear missiles. He promised the Pershings eventually would be destroyed.
Kohl told a news conference the West German offer was contingent on a "fully signed and completed" arms agreement between the United States and the Soviet Union.
The agreement would have to include a timetable for the removal of all medium- and shorter-range missiles worldwide, he said.
"I am prepared to say today that when all Soviet and American (medium- and shorter-range) missiles are finally scrapped, then the Pershing I-A missiles will not be modernized, but rather destroyed," Kohl said.
The Soviet Union has repeatedly said it would not sign a disarmament agreement if the superpowers' Geneva arms talks unless it includes West Germany's 72 Pershing I-A missiles, which have nuclear warheads controlled by the United States.
Kohl said the United States has said the missile system is West German, thus not a part of the Geneva talks.
"Of course the warheads would be destroyed as well," he said in response to a question. "They are the principle concern."

Walters race, rain or shine

Don't try to drive onto downtown Main Street between 3 and 3:30 on Thursday afternoon. Traffic will be rerouted for a brief time between Brant Place and Forest Street so that the Feast Fest 'Walters' Race, sponsored by the Manchester Herald, can take place.
Walters and waitresses will have to make a peanut butter sandwich, complete a bit of carpentry and even dress in a tuxedo in order to win the race. That last task may be particularly difficult if the participants are wearing rain slickers.
Weather forecasters have offered up a gloomy forecast for Thursday, with a nearly a 50 percent chance of rain. But the Walters' Race will open rain or shine, on schedule, from 3 to 3:30 p.m., according to Penny Sieffert, Manchester Herald publisher.
Police spokesman Gary Wood said officers will hold up the traffic downtown to allow servers from participating restaurants to run through an obstacle course set up along Main Street.
The Feast Fest Race, sponsored by the Greater Manchester Chamber of Commerce, will open at 11 a.m. Friday in the parking lot at Main and Forest streets. Food will be served until 10:15 p.m. Friday, from 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. Saturday, and from noon to 2 p.m. Sunday.

Cops alter approach to domestic disputes

By Bruce Matzkin
Herald Reporter
Why did the number of domestic calls answered by the Manchester Police Department rise from 37 between Jan. 1 and July 1, 1986, to 235 between July 1 and Oct. 1, 1987?
Were there more married couples fighting in Manchester later in the year?
The answer: "No, of course not."
It's just that police began in July to change their reporting process for calls to homes. Formerly, calls to homes had been classified in many different ways. Starting in July 1986, all such calls were classified "domestic incidents."
Police made the change in anticipation of a law that took effect Oct. 1, 1986. The law requires police officers to make an arrest any time there is a threat of violence between household members during a domestic call.
"Before, you needed a statement from the victim to make an arrest. Now all you need is probable cause," said Officer Howard Beeler, who has been a Manchester policeman for 8 1/2 years.
SINCE THE LAW took effect, there are no more attempts by police to mediate disputes, no more "next time" deals, no more letting the family members work out their differences.
Beeler: "For just such reasons, police officers approach all domestic calls with caution, always ready to expect the unexpected."
In a hot situation from the start," said Officer David DePietro. "That is why the call is made. It's not like stopping a car, which a cop initiates himself."
The two officers said that alcohol is invariably involved in domestic incidents.
"I've never seen it any other way," said DePietro that last week. He answered a call to a home. When he arrived, the house was a shambles and the kitchen was on fire, he said. "It was unbelievable," said DePietro. "They were just sitting on the couch with a beer while the kitchen was burning. I asked them what happened, and they said 'Nothing. Get out of my house.'"

Domestic calls are unpredictable

The domestic dispute is one of the most dangerous and common situations a police officer encounters.
"You never know what you're going into," said Officer Howard Beeler.
Last week a woman walked into the police station late at night, bleeding because she told police, her boyfriend had smashed a beer mug over her head. Beeler had to go to the woman's house to look for the man.
"I didn't know where he was, or what he might have in the house, or protect himself against me," said

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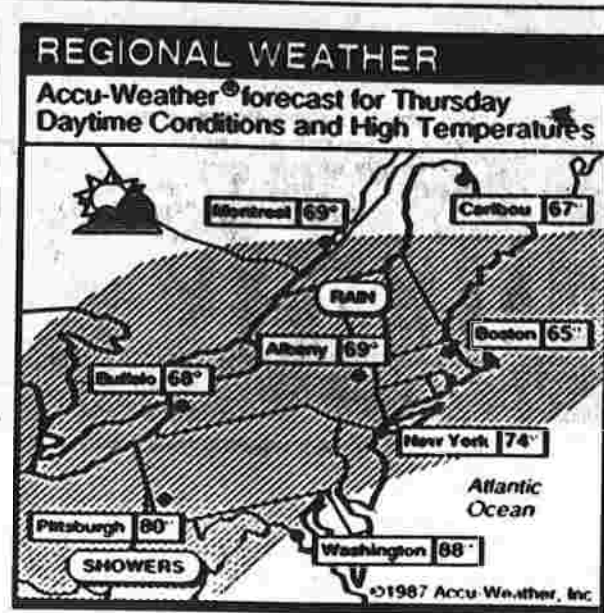
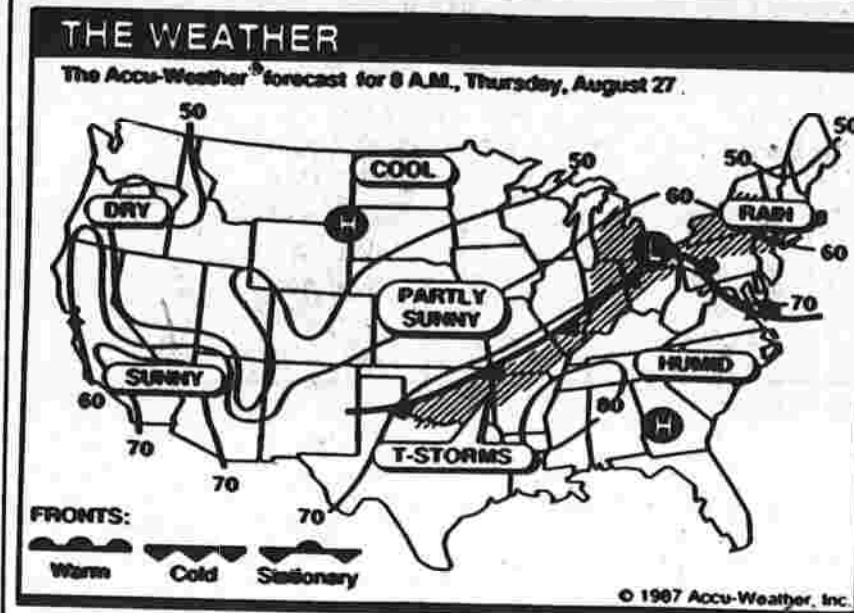
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Cool, wet weather in Midwest, Plains

By The Associated Press

Cool, wet weather covered the Midwest and Plains today, after nearly 8 inches of rain swelled rivers and streams in Iowa and Nebraska, flooding cropland and highways.

A flash flood watch was posted over parts of southwest and south-central Iowa, and flood

warnings were up along Iowa's Nodaway and Nishnabotna rivers.

More rain was forecast today for northern Illinois, after Gov. James B. Thompson added parts of Chicago and 12 townships in Cook and Du Page counties to the state's list of flood-damaged areas seeking federal disaster aid.

Farmland near Hamburg, Iowa, was inundated by the Nishnabotna, which was about 10 feet above flood stage late Tuesday.

In Red Oak, Iowa, where flooding caused millions of dollars in damage earlier this year, a few families left their homes Tuesday morning because of high water but returned by noon.

"There's not a whole lot to do at this time. We'll just keep our eyes on the Nishnabotna, and right now it's not too high," said Mayor Ray Gustafson.

Highs were expected to reach the 60s from the northern Rockies across the Great Lakes to northern New England; 90s to around 100 from the southern Plains to the southern Atlantic Coast, over interior sections of California and the desert Southwest, and the 80s in much of the rest of the nation.



Today's weather picture was drawn by Seth Robertson, 10, who lives on Scarborough Road and attends Nathan Hale School.

Weather Trivia

What is the sunniest city in the United States?

Yuma, Arizona. During the course of a year, Yuma receives 90 percent of a year's total amount of sunshine possible.

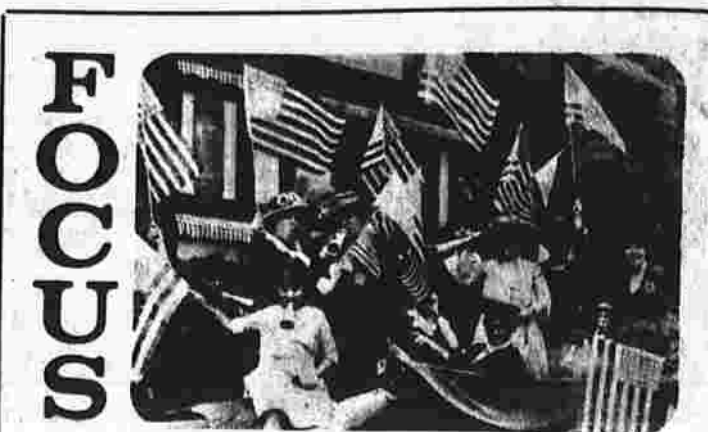
CONNECTICUT WEATHER

Central, Eastern Interior: Tonight, mostly cloudy. A 50 percent chance of rain late at night. Low 55 to 60. Thursday, rain. High 65 to 70. Chance of rain near 100 percent.

East Coast: Tonight, mostly cloudy. A 40 percent chance of rain late at night. Low around 60. Thursday, rain. High 65 to 70. Chance of rain near 100 percent.

Southwest Interior, West Coast: Tonight, rain likely by midnight. Low around 60. Chance of rain 70 percent. Thursday, rain. High in the mid 60s. Chance of rain near 100 percent.

Northwest Hills: Tonight, rain likely by midnight. Low in the mid 50s. Chance of rain 70 percent. Thursday, rain. High in the mid 60s.



FOCUS

Votes For Women

On this day in 1920, suffragettes celebrated as the 19th Amendment went into effect, granting American women the right to vote. The fight for women's rights had taken decades. It got a big boost in 1890, when Wyoming became a state. As a territory, Wyoming had granted women the right to vote in 1869. The territorial legislature had taken a firm stand on the matter "We will remain out of the Union 100 years rather than come in without the women."

DO YOU KNOW — What Amendment outlawed slavery in the United States?

TUESDAY'S ANSWER — Yellowstone is in Wyoming.

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Almanac

Aug. 26, 1987

Today is the 238th day of 1987 and the 67th day of summer.

TODAY'S MOON: Between new moon (Aug. 24) and first quarter (Aug. 31).

TODAY'S TRIVIA: Who is known as "The Father of Radio"? (a) Albert Sabin (b) Lee DeForest (c) Antoine Lavoisier

TODAY'S BARS: BY PHIL PASTORET The cereal was a little tasteless this morning? Are you sure you weren't chomping on the coupon enclosed with the stuff?

If satellites can read a license plate from miles above Earth, why can't anybody spot a contact lens in a shag rug?

TODAY'S QUOTE: "I am a camera with its shutter open, quite passive, recording, not thinking" — Christopher Isherwood.

TODAY'S TRIVIA ANSWERS: (b) Inventor Lee DeForest is known as "The Father of Radio." © 1987, NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.

Astrograph

Thursday, Aug. 27, 1987

Past experiences, both the bitter and the sweet, will give the courage and fortitude in the year ahead to fulfill your grandest expectations. What you do not want is a VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Conditions that have a direct effect on your material security look promising today. Be the lookout for an arrangement that benefits you financially. Major changes are ahead for Virgos in the coming year. Send for your Astro-Graph prediction today. Mail \$1 to Astro-Graph, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) The true motives behind your actions toward others today will be charitable. Much to your credit, you may try to disguise your generosity.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) A friend who holds you in high esteem will be diligently working on your behalf today without your knowledge. This person feels a sense of obligation.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Something you want to do today might seem unrealistic to the casual observer. However, you'll instantly know how it can be done, and why.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Make it a point to praise an associate today for something you may have played the major role in accomplishing. A pat on the back from you will work wonders.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) An old friend of yours can be relied on again today. If you need anything from a back to a bicycle pump, go to this person first with your problem.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) If you are fortunate enough to team up with one whose goals are attuned to yours, what is accomplished collectively will be very impressive.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) If you are putting things together today, negotiate with the knowledge that your counterpart is eagerly anticipating as you are.

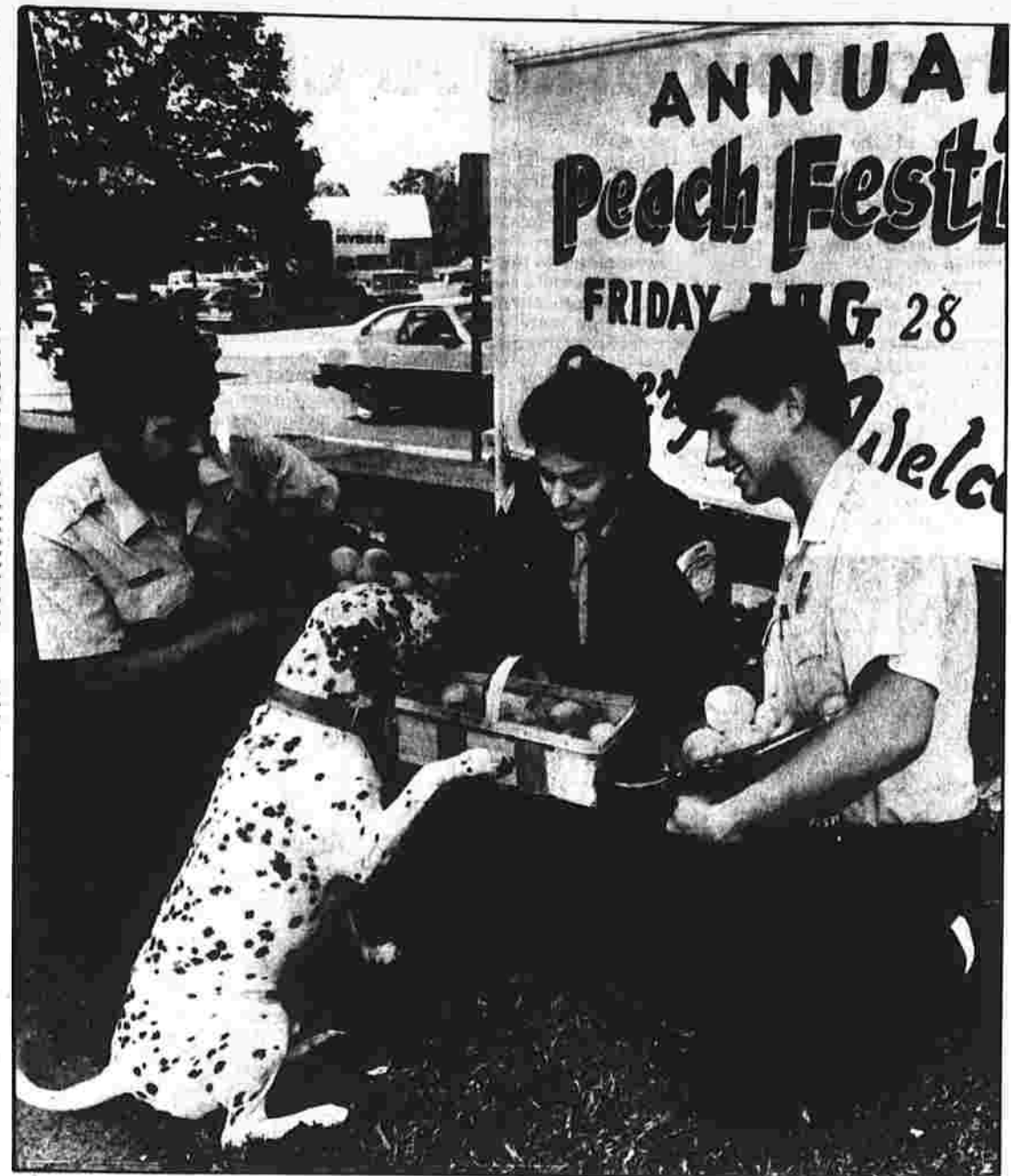
TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Your splendid sense of humor can be used effectively today to lighten the spirits of your co-workers and gain their favor and support.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) The most thoughtful thing you can do today is to spring a pleasant surprise on your mate. If he or she has a special wish, see if you can make it come true.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Friends to whom you feel obligated socially will have a better time at your place today than they might expect. Besides, you'll enjoy hosting.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) If you want something back that you've loaned another, a gentle reminder could do the trick today. This matter has been on this person's conscience anyway.

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Axe-ling for a bite

Axe, the Eighth District's firehouse mascot, is interested in the peaches in Mark LeGeay's basket. Firefighters Stefan Zajac, left, and Alex Zajac have more peaches in their helmets. But it will take bushels of peaches to satisfy the crowds that gather on Friday evening at 6 for the annual Eighth District Peach Festival. Generous portions of peach shortcake cost \$1.50.

Gerber Scientific Inc. wants zone-change appeal dropped

Gerber Scientific Products Inc. is seeking to have an appeal of a zone change for its property on Spencer Street dismissed, according to documents filed in the town clerk's office last week.

The motion to dismiss the appeal, filed in Hartford Superior Court on Thursday, is being made because the plaintiffs failed to deliver a notice of the appeal to the Planning and Zoning Commission, and Leone Brothers Associates, the proprietors of the liquor store, Gary E. Herman of Manchester and Michael E. Herman of Bolton, rent the building from Leone Brothers Associates, which also owns the parcel on which Gerber wants to build its complex.

The PZC in May approved changing the zone on a 34-acre parcel off Spencer Street from Rural Residence and Business II to Industrial. Gerber Scientific Products plans to build a 100,000-square-foot complex on the property.

The owners of Town Line Liquors, a package store just north of the site of the proposed complex, filed an appeal in June seeking to overturn the PZC's approval of the zone change because the appeal charges, the PZC failed to take into account the effects of the zone change on the neighboring properties.

Named in the appeal is Gerber, the town of Manchester and the Planning and Zoning Commission, and Leone Brothers Associates.

Gerber's motion includes a document from the sheriff who delivered copies of the appeal, which fails to mention that a copy of the appeal was filed with the PZC chairman.

The attorney representing Gerber, Edward F. Spinella, said this morning he could not comment on the motion without consulting with Gerber officials. Spinella signed the motion to dismiss the appeal.

The motion says that the plaintiff in such a case must file notice of the appeal with the PZC chairman as well as the town clerk. PZC Chairman Alfred Sieffert could not be reached for comment this morning.

Gary Herman, one of the owners of the liquor store, said he first heard of the motion to dismiss this morning. He said that one of the reasons for appeal is that Gerber plans to build an access road through his store's parking lot, creating a hazard for his customers.

Herman said he would have to speak to his attorney before commenting further on the motion. His attorney, William A. Roberto, could not be reached for comment this morning.

State and local GOP members want to see forces combined

By Andrew Yurkovsky Herald Reporter

A meeting of Republicans from the 4th Senatorial District on Thursday night could be the starting point for stronger ties between the state GOP and local town committees.

At least that's the hope of Bolton Republican Mark Johnson, one of two recently elected state central committee members representing the 4th District.

Johnson, who had served as Bolton's town committee chairman until his election to the state GOP in May, said Tuesday he and Glastonbury Republican Joseph Broder, the other district state committee member, want to start a district organization and begin quarterly meetings of area Republicans. The meetings would be part of an effort to bridge the gap between the state Republican organization and local party members.

When he announced his candidacy to the State Central Committee earlier this year, Johnson criticized the state organization for failing to provide support for local candidates in last year's elections.

"State central was up wherever they were, and the lowly towns were down below, and there was nothing connecting them," Johnson said.

Thursday's meeting of 4th District Republicans at Piano's Restaurant in Bolton will be the first in recent memory. Party members attending the meeting will put together a set of bylaws for the new district organization and elect a secretary and treasurer. As state committee member, Johnson and Broder will serve as the organization's chairmen.

"It's something that should have been done in the previous state central district," Johnson said. He noted that most Republican districts held at least four meetings a year.

Broder, a former state representative from Colchester, said Tuesday that the 4th District organization would be open to all Republicans from the five towns in the districts — Manchester, Bolton, Hebron, Glastonbury and Columbia. He expects Robert Polner, the GOP state chairman, to attend Thursday's organizational meeting.

Among issues up for discussion Thursday night is how to defeat Democratic state Sen. Michael P. Meotti in November 1988, Johnson said. He said he hopes to begin interviewing potential Republican candidates for the 4th District seat, which had been held by Republican Carl A. Zinsner before Meotti defeated him in the 1986 election.

By beginning campaign preparations early, Johnson said, the Republicans can avoid the situation they faced in the last election, when Democrats were able to claim several uncontested seats in the General Assembly because the GOP failed to offer any candidates.

On the local level, either Johnson or Broder will be attend every monthly town committee meeting in the five district towns. Johnson said the State Central Committee will provide whatever assistance Manchester Republicans seek in the November race for Board of Directors. He said he is impressed with the GOP's six-member slate.

"The Manchester Republicans have got a very diverse, probably the best Board of Directors they've had in a long time," Johnson said.

Thursday's meeting in Piano's Restaurant begins at 7:30. Dinner starts at 8:30.

Teacher can return to class

VERNON — Lawrence M. Colvin, a Vernon Center Middle School teacher and Manchester resident, will once again become a teacher.

Colvin, a mathematics teacher who lives at 134 N. School St., was reinstated Monday night to his teaching position by Vernon School Superintendent Albert J. Kerkin, who had earlier transferred Colvin to administrative duty after his arrest in May for breach of peace.

Thursday night the school superintendent would not comment further on the matter.

Colvin was arrested by Manchester police in early May after a Sears Roebuck & Co. store detective accused him of leaning his head under a men's room stall at Sears at the Parkade and looking at him for about a minute. A judge later dismissed the charges.

Kerkin reinstated Colvin after a closed session of the Board of Education Monday night. The school superintendent would not comment further on the matter.

Bus drivers in short supply as opening day approaches

By Andrew J. Davis Herald Reporter

Getting some children to school this fall will be a big headache in Manchester.

According to Frank W. Lea, assistant supervisor for the Manchester Bus Service Co., the company needs about six drivers to fill opening-day bus runs. The company, though, will be able to handle all its runs by using spare drivers and supervisors to fill the void, he said.

School opens Tuesday.

"We're still five, six drivers short," he said.

To attract new drivers, the company has placed advertising in local newspapers, as well as parking their buses — which have the company phone number painted on the side — in populated areas of the town. He said the company also offers a competitive salary, though Lea would not say how much the company offers.

To attract housewives and mothers, who make up a large portion of its drivers, the bus company will allow them to bring their children along when driving their routes.

"If it's a matter of one or two (children), you can bring them on the buses," he said.

The problem is not unique to Manchester. The Windsor Bus Service Co., which serves the Vernon area, is two to three drivers short, while the Bee Bus Service Co., which serves East Hartford, will be able to make up for the shortage by doubling up runs, said Bob P. Zdun, East Hartford bus manager.

"On paper, I look fine," he said, "but the first day of school, that's the real test."

Zdun said the company has no spare drivers besides himself and a few supervisors. He said he'll be able to cover all of his 49 runs, but prays no one quits or gets sick.

"My philosophy is that you never have enough drivers," he said. "I'd like to pay them to sit around and drink coffee. I like to have spare people (and) I never stop hiring. There's always a turnover."

The bus industry isn't the only one to have such problems, Zdun said. All industries that hire part-time workers are having similar troubles.

"It's a like every part-time industry," he said. "People now need two full-time paychecks to support themselves."

White East Hartford will be able to fulfill its contractual obligations now, Zdun is worried about the future. Since there is such a high turnover, it is sometimes difficult to find people to drive the buses.

"It's a real tough industry," he said. "One day you're fine and the next day you're four to five drivers short. It's always an adventure here with drivers. They come and go so quick."

Study panel looks outside Bolton

BOLTON — The town teams subcommittee of the Bolton Athletic Study Committee is going to take a look at how towns of Bolton's size handle athletics.

The subcommittee met Tuesday at Herrick Memorial Park.

Robert Lessard, co-chairman of the subcommittee with William Blafkin, said the study should prove fruitful.

"Hopefully, we can pick up the good points of their recreation programs and incorporate them into Bolton's programs," said Lessard.

Some of the towns to be examined include Cromwell, East Granby, East Haddam, East Windsor, Stonington, Portland, Andover, Coventry, and Columbia.

Lessard said the subcommittee intends to find out who is responsible for the recreation programs in these towns, whether or not the recreation directors are paid or volunteer, and whether they are part time or full time.

Lessard said the subcommittee also wants to find out what sports other towns include in their programs, and how many levels of competition they have.

MANCHESTER ADULT EVENING SCHOOL REGISTER BY MAIL

All courses to be held at Manchester High School

COURSE	NIGHT	TIME	ROOM
Accounting 1	M	7-9	145
Computer 1	T	7-9	101
Home Computers	T	7-9	101
Steno 1	T	7-9	145
Typing 1	T	7-9	139
Typing 2	W	7-9	139
Word Processing	W	6:30-8:30	101
Word Processing	W	6:30-8:30	101
Automotive 1	W	6:30-8:00	169
Automotive 2	W	6:30-8:00	169
Automotive 3	W	6:30-8:00	163
Bag, Woodworking	M	6:30-9:00	163
Adv. Woodworking	M	6:30-9:00	163
French 1	M	7-9	282
German 1	M	7-9	282
German 2	T	7-9	284
Italian 1	T	7-9	282
Spanish 1	M	7-9	286
Spanish 2	T	7-9	288
Creations in Lead Glass	T	6:30-9:00	155
Decorative Folk Art	T	6:30-9:00	166
Drawing	M	7-9	145
Early American Stenciling	T	7-9	135
Freehanding Folk Painting	W	7-9	168
Knitting	W	7-9	139
Watercolor	W	7-9	135
Oriental Rugmaking 1	W	7-9	142
Oriental Rugmaking 2	W	7-9	142
Beading	M	6:30-9:00	159
Quilting for Holiday	M	6:30-9:00	142
Rug Braiding	M	7-9	135
Rug Hooking	W	7-9	148
Bag Sewing	T	7-9	148
Appetizers/Hor d'oeuvres and Desserts	T	7-9	154
Beg. Cake Decorating	M	7-9	152
Basic Cooking	M	7-9	154
American Baskets 1	M	7-9	155
American Baskets 2	M	7-9	155
Assertive Behavior	T	7-9	280
Before & After Reincarnation	T	7-9	280
Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation	M	7-9	150
Financial & Investment Planning	M	7-9	143
First Aid	W	7-9	150
Flower Arranging	T	7-9	153
Calligraphy	W	7-9	153
Basic Income Tax	W	7-9	280
Investments	W	7-9	157
Holiday Crafts	W	7-9	171
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Multicultural	W	6:30-9:00	148
Paranormal	W	7-9	145
Personal Transformation	T	7-9	157
Basic Photography	T	7-9	149
Advanced Photography	T	7-9	149
Pre Algebra	W	7-9	282
Pine Cone Wreaths	M	7-9	159
Positive Parenting	M	7-9	288
Sign Language 1	T	7-9	143
Sign Language 2	T	7-9	143
Beg. Golf	M	7-9	163
Beginner Golf	M	7-9	163
Golf	M	7-9	G-47
Yoga	T	6-9	G-47
Music Appreciation	T	7-9	288
Russian	W	7-9	284
How to Hire a Contractor	M	7-9	157

REGISTRATION FOR FALL TERM:

1. Register by mail until Thurs. Sept. 3rd. 3. COST: \$15 per course for Manchester residents. \$25 per course for nonresidents. THERE ARE NO REFUNDS UNLESS A CLASS IS CANCELLED.

2. Register in person: Tues. Sept. 6th. Manchester High School Cafeteria. 6:30-8:00 p.m.

Manchester Senior Citizens may take one course free each semester in addition to those offered at the Senior Citizen Center.

FALL TERM BEGINS THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 14th

REGISTRATION BLANK

I wish to register for the following courses:

(Print Name of Course) (Print Night of Week Given) (Room)

1. _____

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NAME (Please print) _____

Mailing Address _____

Tel. No. _____ I am a resident of the town of _____

Mail To: Manchester Adult Evening School, Manchester High School, Manchester, CT 06040. Please enclose check or money order payable to: Manchester Adult Evening School.

Mail REGISTRATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED AFTER September 3rd. If you have registered, you will be notified only if your class has been cancelled. PLEASE DO NOT CALL THE HIGH SCHOOL OFFICE FOR INFORMATION.

PEOPLE

Paramount deal

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — Eddie Murphy has signed an exclusive five-picture, multimillion-dollar deal with Paramount Pictures Corp. that gives his production company control over the films and other projects, the studio says.

"I don't want to say how much money I'm getting, but I got a raise," Murphy told 100 reporters gathered at a sound stage on the Paramount movie lot.

The 25-year-old comic, actor and recording artist, who starred in "Beverly Hills Cop" and its sequel, got a \$15 million guarantee from Paramount when he signed a similar contract in 1983.

Under the new deal announced Tuesday, Murphy will star in at least five movies. He also will develop and produce additional film and television projects.

The first movie will be a comedy starring Murphy as an African coming to the United States in search of a bride.

Murphy said the contract would allow him to expand as a filmmaker.

"I'd like to be more like Woody Allen," Murphy said, adding that he wants to write, produce, direct and star in his films.



EDDIE MURPHY ... five-picture deal



VALERIE HARPER ... won't be around

an ounce of fat on him. He's hard."

Show cut short

LONDON (AP) — Sammy Cahn, who wrote some of Frank Sinatra's biggest hits, flew home to Los Angeles to recover from a viral infection that forced the 74-year-old songwriter to cut short his one-man show, officials say.

Cahn decided to cancel the last two weeks of "Sammy Cahn: Words and Music" after his second admission to a hospital Aug. 15, a spokesman for the Duke of York's Theater said Tuesday. He was released Aug. 20.

Cahn's show opened in mid-July.

Back to Newport

HAMILTON, Bermuda (AP) — Blind yachtsman Jim Dickson, whose attempt to sail solo across the Atlantic Ocean was thwarted by equipment failures, says he'll head back to Newport, R.I., next week.

The 41-year-old sailor, who arrived in Bermuda on Aug. 14 in his 36-foot sloop Eye Opener, says he expects to reach Newport in four or five days. Dickson said he will be accompanied by another yachtsman.

Dickson, the associate director of the Washington-based water education group Project Veto, said he aims to begin his second attempt at a trans-Atlantic crossing to England in May.

Current Quotations

"She didn't understand. She'll be asking again." — Pauline Clamichella, after her 4-year-old granddaughter, Northwest jet crash survivor Cecilia Cichan, was told that her parents and brother were among the 156 dead.

Lottery

Connecticut daily Tuesday: 438
Play Four: 2070
Tuesday Lotto: 2, 9, 16, 20, 39, 40

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Comics Sampler

ON THE FASTRACK by Bill Holbrook

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Cops unsure why carbon monoxide killed children

By Susan Okula
The Associated Press

CANTERBURY — State police say they are unsure why two children left in a car overnight by their parents were killed by carbon monoxide poisoning.

The state medical examiner's office in Farmington said Tuesday that the deaths of Christine Edmond, 6, and her sister, Hope, 3, on the 16-year-old car in which the children were found had a faulty exhaust system and was reported to be turned off by the parents after the family returned home from a brief trip early Monday morning, state police spokesman Marcy Stamm said.

The parents, Leonard and Catherine Edmond, left their three children in the car overnight in the car, state police said. They took their youngest child, eight-month-old Faye, into the house with them.

Eight-year-old Crystal survived the night in the car but was hospitalized. She was listed in good condition at Eastern Hospital in Norwich on Tuesday. Faye was treated by the hospital and released on Monday.

Police will try to find out whether carbon monoxide had built up in the car during the trip or whether one of the children turned the car on in the middle of the night, Stamm said.

The girls' bodies were found by their parents in front of their rural home in Canterbury at 11 a.m. Monday morning. Crystal, the 8-year-old, had gotten out of the car about four hours earlier to complain to them that she wasn't feeling well, police said.

Stamm said state police would take between a few days and a few weeks to prepare their report and turn it over to Windham State's Attorney Terence Sullivan.

Sullivan said he had "no idea" whether any charges would be filed and would wait to see the reports before making a decision.

The car had broken a tailpipe, while its windows were rolled up overnight, police said.

Dr. James O'Brien, the medical

director of the Poison Control Center of the University of Connecticut Health Center in Farmington, said it was possible that carbon monoxide buildup could have killed the children even with the car turned off.

Upon arriving home, the children may have already been suffering from the effects of carbon monoxide poisoning while the parents may have thought they were deeply asleep, he said. Or, the children may have already been dead by the time they were home, he said.

A spokeswoman for the state medical examiner's office would not identify herself but said whether the automobiles had determined the times of death for the girls.

Eight-year-old Crystal may have survived by virtue of where she was in the car or because she was larger than her sisters, O'Brien theorized.

The younger children may have been closer to the exhaust system problem, while their smaller size may have meant that they could be overcome more easily than their older sister by carbon monoxide, he said.

Reports of Crystal having trouble walking on Monday are indicative of an "extremely high level of carbon monoxide," O'Brien said.

The parents themselves may have been affected by carbon monoxide, which may have impaired their judgment, O'Brien theorized.

"What this really says to parents of small children, is when you put children in the back of the car, you should check to make sure they are not just merely asleep — rous them once in a while (during a car trip)," O'Brien said.

A radio speaker in the back of a car provides a passageway for carbon monoxide into the passenger area, he said.

If a passenger develops a headache or weakness during a car trip, that person may be suffering from the effects of carbon monoxide, he said.

"Keep the windows open," O'Brien said.

Connecticut In Brief

Shooting victim gets \$1.5 million

BRIDGEPORT — A Superior Court judge has awarded damages of \$1.5 million to a man who lost his right leg after he was shot while seated in a taxi three years ago.

Judge E. Eugene Spear made the award in favor of Jose R. Lopez, 23, of Bridgeport, who suffered a gunshot wound to the leg during the episode that resulted in the amputation of his leg.

The judgement was against 26-year-old Leon Smith of Bridgeport, who was convicted of first-degree assault in the shooting of Lopez, and against Norman Moore, 49, of Bridgeport, who was acquitted of assault.

Moore and Smith had defaulted in the suit filed by Attorney David J. McDonald, on behalf of Lopez.

No one claims \$7.2 million prize

NEWINGTON — The winner of \$7.2 million in the state's "Lotto" game earlier this month has yet to claim the prize, lottery officials said.

The ticket for the Aug. 14 drawing was purchased in West Hartford, although officials will not say in what store. J. Blaine Lewis, head of the state lottery unit, said Tuesday that the lottery is withholding so officials can use it as a test to prevent fraudulent claims.

The winning numbers on Aug. 14 were 8, 11, 25, 27, 28, 33. Winners have one year from the date of drawing to claim their prizes. Officials said about \$5 million in lottery prizes go unclaimed each year in Connecticut.

State may revoke cable franchises

NEW BRITAIN — State regulators for the first time have taken steps that could lead to the revocation of the franchise of a cable television company.

The state Department of Public Utilities Control initiated the action Tuesday against Century Cable Management Corp. of Norwich, saying the company has failed to comply with a 1982 directive to extend service to all homes in its service area.

Toni Blood, a spokeswoman for the DPUC, said revocation proceedings could result in a transfer of the company's franchise to another company, an amendment of the current franchise agreement or fines.

"The company's repeated failure to comply with department directives and orders demonstrates an appalling lack of commitment to serving the franchise area, or even to assess the needs of its franchise territory and the company's ability to meet those needs," Commissioner Peter G. 25 Boucher wrote in the decision.

Trash-to-energy plant in trouble

HARTFORD — A unofficial vote by the Connecticut Siting Council could mean problems for a proposed trash-to-energy plant in Preston.

The vote Tuesday suggested that the council would reject an application for a siting permit for the plant. If the council rejects the application when it takes an official vote Sept. 10, it would be the first time it has rejected a permit application for a trash-to-energy plant or a more traditional electricity-generating plant in its 16-year existence.

The trash plant would serve 11 communities in southeastern Connecticut, but Preston dropped out of the project in its early stages.

The town of Preston does not want the plant built within its borders and would not use it. The town, environmental groups and some Mohegan Indians have fought strenuously against the plant.

Officials favor Groton air hub

GROTON — Groton, not Windsor Locks, should be the location of a regional hub for commuter air traffic, aeronautics officials say.

Consultants for the Massachusetts Port Authority, which wants to ease congestion at Logan International Airport in Boston, have suggested that Bradley International Airport become the second regional hub for commuter services.

But Bradley Director Robert F. Juliano said Tuesday that commuter service rerouted to Connecticut should go to Groton-New London.

"We did ask the consultant to look at Groton-New London Airport as an alternative for additional commuter service," Juliano said.

Juliano said that Edward Archibald, commissioner of the state Department of Transportation's aeronautics bureau, also suggested the Groton location.

Low-income phone subsidy possible

NEW BRITAIN — Low-income customers would receive a subsidy of up to \$30 each to cover the cost of having their telephones installed under a proposal by the Department of Public Utility Control.

The DPUC proposal, announced Tuesday, follows the Federal Communications Commission's recent adoption of the "Link-Up America" program, which was designed to promote universal telephone service in the nation.

The FCC program will pay half the cost of telephone installation in qualified households, or up to \$30, according to the DPUC. Funds for the program will come from federal assessments charged to telephone service providers.

DPUC Chairman Peter G. Boucher asked his staff to develop a plan that would enable low-income customers from Connecticut to participate in the federal program. Once such a program is developed, it would have win federal approval before being implemented.

State gets a better credit rating

HARTFORD — Connecticut's credit rating for bonds covering state transportation projects has been raised by both major rating agencies, Moody's and Standard & Poor's, state Treasurer Francisco L. Borge says.

Borges said Tuesday that Moody's had increased the rating from A- to A-1, while Standard & Poor's had upped it from AA-minus to AA.

A higher rating helps hold down interest rates and boosts "purchaser confidence" in state bonds, Borges said.

The state routinely sells bonds to pay for projects such as road and bridge rebuilding.

Borges said the news of the rating increase came one day before the state was to sell \$100 million in bonds to pay for transportation projects.

Bridgeport professors may strike

UB spokesman says

BRIDGEPORT (AP) — With a week remaining before classes are scheduled to begin, contract talks between the University of Bridgeport and its 220 unionized faculty members are stalled.

The school's chapter of the American Association of University Professors has voted against being scheduled without a new contract. The current contract expires Aug. 31 and classes begin Sept. 2.

"There hasn't been any movement... It's quite possible we will go on strike," chapter president Alfred Getreiny said Tuesday, adding that the union's executive committee had met earlier in the day to select a strike committee and voice its support for the negotiating team.

Negotiators met for a half-hour Monday. No new meetings were scheduled and there was no further communication between the two sides on Tuesday, Getreiny said.

UB spokesman Kenneth Best said Monday's meeting broke up so that the faculty's negotiating team could report the administration's latest offer to the union membership.

"Now we're waiting to hear from them," Best said, adding he has had no indication that a settlement cannot be reached before the contract expires.

The administration raised its salary increase offer from 3.25 percent to 3.5 percent on Monday, but Getreiny said it remained unacceptable in light of state and state trends toward improvement of teacher salaries.

Faculty salaries at the university, located in Bridgeport's South End, average \$33,000 a year.

Getreiny said the faculty feels its position is reasonable and does not intend to make further concessions.

"My impression is that (newly named UB President Janet Greenwood) is getting bad advice," Getreiny said, noting that neither he nor Greenwood attended the negotiating session Monday.

Besides salaries, other issues being discussed include personnel procedures, tenure rules, visiting professor hiring practices, the proposed removal of department chairmen from the AAUP bargaining unit and alleged pay disparities resulting in lower salaries for women and older faculty members.

In September 1978, the union went on strike for 15 days at the outset of the academic year. Contracts were settled at the last minute in 1974, 1981 and 1984.



Breakfast on the Titanic

Breakfast dishes from the Titanic, which sank in the North Atlantic on April 12, 1912, lie on the ocean floor where Expedition Titanic 1987 discovered them in this position. Expedition officials believe the crate, eaten away by underwater organisms, took two hours to fall through the 2 1/2 miles of water where the shipwreck is located. Not one of the bowls is cracked.

Hiring spouses OK sometimes, ethics unit tells top prosecutor

By Judd Everhart
The Associated Press

HARTFORD — The Division of Criminal Justice will hire spouses of division employees to do some legal work, but only under strict guidelines, the state Ethics Commission says.

The opinion, sought by Chief State's Attorney John J. Kelly, is contained in this week's issue of the Connecticut Law Journal.

Kelly said Tuesday he had asked for the commission's opinion after the question about hiring spouses to do some appellate work arose in his office.

"We all said, hmmm, good question. Let's get an opinion on this ahead of time," Nobody had made a complaint. It may occur and we just want to make sure we're within the law if we have to do it," Kelly said.

The Ethics Commission said

spouses of division employees could be hired if the division makes an effort to notify as many lawyers as possible that the work is available and then selects attorneys on a rotating basis.

The commission said that state law provides that no member of a state employee's family may enter into a contract, valued at \$100 or more, with the state unless the contract has been awarded through "an open and public process."

It spelled out a five-point process that could be followed that would allow the hiring of a division employee's spouse.

In addition to broad notification and selection on a rotating basis from a list of qualified applicants, the commission called for a published procedure to allow others to apply and the dissemination of requirements for the job.

"We have our own separate appellate unit, but we are not at the point where we are able to handle 100 percent of the appeals we have," he said. Kelly noted that his office is in the process of hiring five appellate lawyers.

He said he would "get to work" on drafting guidelines following the commission's recommendations.

About a dozen family members have been at the hospital with Cecilia at one time or another but have not decided who will care for her when she is released, Turk said.

Donations to a fund set up in Cecilia's name total nearly \$45,000, Turk said, adding, "We've only gotten through three-quarters of the weekend mail." The girl also has received toys, balloons and other gifts from around the country.

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Mr. Risley was selected by the Past Presidents Council as the Dance Masters of America's Member of the Year. He was also elected to serve on their National Board of Directors. For the Ninth Consecutive Year, he directed the National Mr. Dance of America Scholarship Competition, an event he originated for the Dance Masters of America.

The Risley Studio has had a host of competition winners in the past. This season, Mr. Risley's student, Jamie Gustin Jr., Mr. Dance of America Competition, was the first runner up in the Jr. Mr. Dance of America Competition. Former students are dance performers at the Princess Coronet in Freeport, Grand Bahama.

Mr. Risley is a Past President of the Dance Teachers Club of Conn., Chapter 18 of the Dance Masters of America, Inc.

Darien's teen medics seek funds to improve

DARIEN (AP) — After 17 years, this affluent town's teen-oriented ambulance service has outgrown its headquarters.

The service, staffed for the most part by 50 teen-agers, kicked off a fund-raising effort Tuesday to try to raise \$1.7 million for a new headquarters, endowment fund and new ambulance.

Housed in an old railroad station, the ambulance service affiliated with Boy Scout Explorer Post 563 responded to 916 calls, helping 93 people last year. The group says it needs a new headquarters because the number of calls is jumping about 12 percent annually, and because they conduct all the town's emergency training.

"The number of calls is going up because Interstate 95 is getting like a zoo — the accidents on that thruway are miniature holocausts," said John Doble, who set up the post in 1970. "We do all of the emergency medical services training here and we've outgrown our present headquarters."

The group began its two-year fund-raising campaign by giving a presentation to the local Kiwanis club. Currently, the 18-year-old post operates on a \$75,000-a-year budget, which is raised through an annual Memorial Day tag sale and other events.

Doble said the state gave the group a 1.5 acre parcel of land across the street from its current headquarters. The \$1.7 million will be used to build a headquarters, which will include rooms for study, meetings and training and space

for three ambulances. The group also needs to replace an ambulance.

Doble said he wanted the post because he started his three children to learn responsibility. He said part of the fund-raising efforts will be put toward an endowment fund, so the post will always operate.

"The post is one of the most successful youth organizations in the country," Doble said. "We need a proper place to maintain the ambulances, we need a proper educational atmosphere."

Each teen is on duty at least twice a month, running the service from 5:30 p.m. to midnight, then is on call from home from midnight to 5:30 a.m.

Community volunteers, including parents of the teens, staff the service during the day, while the teen-agers are in school.

"The qualifications to make the post are tough — only about 10 percent of the applicants make it, Doble said.

Students must have at least a C average in school and are required to take 50 hours of first-aid classes and 120 hours of emergency medical technician training. They are screened by post members and must pass a 90-day probation.

During a time when many emergency medical service teams are suffering from a shortage of volunteers, there is a waiting list to join this one.

'Celle,' 4, just doesn't understand

ANN ARBOR, Mich. (AP) — Four-year-old Cecilia Cichan asked what "never again" meant after an aunt broke the news that the girl's parents and brother died in the crash of Northwest Airlines Flight 255, relatives said.

"She didn't understand," Pauline Ciamaichela, the Arizona girl's grandmother, told the Arizona Republic. "She'll be asking again."

The sole survivor of the Aug. 16 crash Detroit Metropolitan Airport did not cry after being told Monday night she would never see her parents or 6-year-old brother again, the newspaper reported today.

Meanwhile, the volunteer firefighter who helped find Cecilia in the wreckage has been docked a day's pay by Northwest Airlines for not reporting to work with the airline the night of the crash to help with the rescue. The Detroit News reported today.

Cecilia's aunt and godmother, Rita Lumpkin, broke the news to the girl in her room at C.S. Mott Children's Hospital in Ann Arbor. Lumpkin did not use the words "dead" or "killed," said Anthony Ciamaichela, the child's grandfather.

"(Lumpkin) told her that they had been in an accident and she would never ever see them again, ever," he said. "She just stared for a minute and then asked for a chocolate milkshake."

Lumpkin told Cecilia that she, too, had been in an accident, but Ciamaichela said the child did not seem to remember much about the crash that killed her parents, Michael Cichan, 32, Paula 33, and her brother, David.

The Cichans had been visiting relatives in the Philadelphia area and were en route to their home in Tempe when the plane crashed, killing 156 people.

Funeral services for the three were scheduled for today in Maple Glen, Pa.

Family members followed the advice of psychiatrists and psychologists on how to break the news to Cecilia, Ciamaichela said.

Cecilia remained in serious condition today after undergoing skin grafts last week on her burned hands and legs, said John Turk, a hospital spokesman.

"Her spirit's coming back," he said late Tuesday, "but she's still a sick little girl."

After regaining consciousness last week, Cecilia said her name and asked for her doll and her mother and grandfather. When she asked for her mother, she wept. It was decided to break the news, Ciamaichela said.

"The doll, recovered from the wreckage, has been put on her bed in plastic because of concern about infection," Turk said. "It has to remain in a plastic bag, but Cecilia understands that and accepts that."

About a dozen family members have been at the hospital with Cecilia at one time or another but have not decided who will care for her when she is released, Turk said.



Rita Lumpkin, Cecilia Cichan's aunt and godmother, holds the doll found in the wreckage of Northwest Flight 255 on Aug. 16. Cecilia, 4, the lone survivor of the crash, received the doll Monday at the University Michigan Burn Center in Ann Arbor, Mich., as she continued to recover from the disaster.

Control error contributed to crash in L.A.

LONG BEACH, Calif. (AP) — An air traffic controller's failure to advise an Aeromexico jetliner of a nearby private plane contributed to a crash near Los Angeles last year that killed 82 people, according to the final report of the National Transportation Safety Board.

A preliminary report last month from the NTSB staff had blamed neither the controller nor the pilots, but instead had sharply criticized the air traffic control system.

The NTSB concluded that both planes appeared on radar screens at air traffic control headquarters, thus contradicting the controller's testimony, according to a story published in today's editions of the Long Beach Press-Telegram.

"However, the newspaper said, the board's final report also contradicted the controller's testimony, according to a story published in today's editions of the Long Beach Press-Telegram.

"And since the private plane had been broadcasting equipment, and such planes are prohibited in the restricted area where the collision occurred, air traffic controller Walter White may have thought the small plane was no threat to Aeromexico Flight 498, the report said.

"The collision over the Los Angeles suburb of Cerritos last Aug. 31 killed all 84 people aboard the Aeromexico DC-9, three people in the small plane and 15 on the ground.

Wreckage shows Flight 255 had flaps in wrong position

WASHINGTON (AP) — An examination of wreckage confirms the wing flaps of Northwest Airlines Flight 255 were in the wrong position, according to investigators who say they still are trying to determine if a disconnected alarm compounded the error.

The National Transportation Safety Board said Tuesday that additional tests are needed to determine conclusively whether a circuit breaker that controlled power to the alarm system may have been pulled, or if it failed because of a mechanical problem.

The Northwest Airlines jet barely made it off the ground Aug. 16 before it crashed near the Detroit Metropolitan Airport, killing 156 people in the second worst accident in U.S. aviation history.

The Northwest crash and a number of incidents involving pilot mistakes earlier this summer had contributed to an increasing uneasiness among some federal officials about the alertness of pilots in the cockpit.

Allan McArthur, the new head of the Federal Aviation Administration, plans to meet with the chief pilots from most of the airlines as well as other industry representatives on Thursday for "a discussion on pilot professionalism," according to FAA spokesman Bob Buckhorn.

Buckhorn characterized the meeting in Kansas City, Mo., as "a fact-finding and listening session" and said McArthur will hear presentations from about 18 of the pilots attending.

A failure by the pilots of Northwest Flight 255 has been seen so far as

the most likely reason the flaps were not in proper position for takeoff, although a mechanical malfunction has not been ruled out entirely, according to sources close to the investigation who spoke only on condition they not be named.

The reason for the breakdown in the alarm system seems less clear.

If the additional tests show that power was maintained to the alarm, investigators say a mechanical failure likely caused the breakdown which kept the pilots from being warned that they were taking off with improper flap settings.

A preliminary test has concluded the circuit was probably not interrupted, according to the sources. But the safety board in a statement called the early test "inconclusive" and said more sophisticated tests will be made.

The NTSB also has ordered additional tests to determine whether the slats — another device on the leading edge of the wing that gives a plane lift — also were in the wrong position as indicated in the flight recorder taken during the wreckage.

The same flight recorder gave investigators the first evidence last week that the flaps, which also help a plane gain lift during takeoff, were fully retracted instead of being extended as necessary. But there remained some doubts about the validity of the information since a pilot who witnessed the crash insisted to investigators that he saw the flaps extended properly.

But the NTSB said Tuesday a closer examination of the flight recorder reaffirmed that the flaps

were retracted during takeoff and his examination of the flaps and their mechanical control showed markings and other "physical evidence that is consistent" with the flaps having been retracted.

According to engineers at McDonnell Douglas engineers, makers of the twin-engine MD80 jetliner that crashed, the alarm that would sound in event of an incorrect flap setting could be deactivated by pulling a single circuit breaker. Some veteran pilots, however, said they foresaw no reason why a flight crew would interrupt the power to such an alarm.

The NTSB, meanwhile, said it is certain that the additional tests will determine if a circuit breaker was pulled.

The test involves a close analysis of a "stall, stall" warning that can be heard on the cockpit voice recorder tape taken from the wreckage. The stall alarm is powered by two circuit breakers, including a backup that also powers the "flap" alarm, according to investigators.

Tests will be able to determine conclusively whether both circuit breakers, including the one controlling power to the flap warning device, were in their proper positions, investigators said.

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Cops alter approach to disputes

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problems for themselves. Now, if police go into a home and see violence or the threat of violence, they will make an arrest.

"Warning them about 'next time' was an empty threat," said Officer Dave DePietro, an 11-year veteran of the Manchester Police. "We would always go back, sometimes twice more on the same shift."

DePietro added that before the law, police geared their response to domestic calls toward mediation. Now, though, he said, he can just process an offender and be done with the matter, rather than have to go back again and again.

"Now I can take action, and justify my actions," DePietro said.

MANCHESTER POLICE Sgt. Beau Thurnauer is an expert on the history leading up to the new law. He is also in charge of training officers in handling domestic situations.

Thurnauer explains that police have a longstanding theory about domestic disputes.

"The theory was that while police see things in public and can thus prevent crimes in public, they couldn't do anything about crimes in the home, since police aren't in homes," Thurnauer said.

However, as Beeler and DePietro are aware, police almost always find that they have been to the house before when they are dispatched to a domestic dispute.

"The first thing I think is, 'Yeah, I know which house it is,'" DePietro said. "Most of the houses we go to are regulars."

Beeler agreed. "Most domestic calls are repeat offenders," he said. Thurnauer cited a 1977 study done by an independent organization called the Police Foundation.

In a two-year period from 1975 to 1977, the foundation discovered, police in Kansas City, Mo., had been to half the homes where domestic disputes occurred at least five times before.

This shows that police do, in fact, have the opportunity to combat domestic violence, Thurnauer said. "The study indicated cops are in the house several times prior to the violent event."

BEELER ESTIMATED that since last October, at least half of the times he has been dispatched to the scene of a domestic dispute, he has made an arrest. Before the law took effect, there were many fewer arrests, he said.

But both officers said they are not sure the law is serving its purpose. While the number of homes with repeat violence seems to have gone down since the law took effect, they wonder if it is because people are just afraid to call the police now.

"It is that a guy is no longer beating up his wife, or are they afraid to get arrested?" Beeler asked.

DePietro said that the law may not necessarily be cooling people down.

"The guy might be threatening the girl if she calls the cops," he said.

Nevertheless, Beeler and DePietro both said that the law is a benefit to police, because there is no longer the pressure on them to judge whether a situation calls for an arrest.

While arrest-worthy and non-arrest-worthy situations still are not black and white, at least the line between them is not as gray, police said. Before the law took effect last October, there was no line at all.

Hart fans the fires again



Former U.S. Sen. Gary Hart talks to reporters briefly on his arrival in Denver Tuesday night. He would only say that he his thinking things over and will announced his plans soon.

DENVER (AP) — Former U.S. Sen. Gary Hart fanned fires of speculation that he will re-enter the presidential race, telling reporters meeting him on his return home from vacation in Ireland he soon will announce his plans.

"I don't have any kind of comment to make this evening," Hart told reporters Tuesday night at Stapleton International Airport. "I want to get together with my family and get caught up on the news of the last few days and find out what has or has not gone on ..."

"Then I will cover all the points that need to be covered in a comprehensive way. I don't think the circumstances today or tonight are the way to do that. I'll have something to say pretty soon," he said.

Hart's comments echoed those he made earlier Tuesday to reporters when he arrived at Kennedy International Airport in New York City.

Hart was met at the airport by his wife, Lee. They left the airport and drove to their mountain home in Troublesome, Gulch near Kitredge, 30 miles southwest of Denver.

The former Colorado senator quit his campaign for the Democratic nomination on May 8 after The Miami Herald reported he spent part of a weekend

with actress-model Donna Rice. Speculation that Hart would rejoin the race was kindled last week after his former campaign manager, Bill Dixon, said it was "likely" Hart would do so.

On Friday, Hart left a rented cottage in the Irish fishing village of Oughterard to avoid reporters after Dixon's comments made headlines.

Another former Hart adviser, Bill Shore, told The Des Moines (Iowa) Register that Hart told him by telephone last week that he was unequivocal about not returning to the race.

In an interview with the Register published Monday, Dixon stuck by his statement.

Hart had been considered the front-runner for the Democratic presidential nomination before the Rice incident.

"Obviously, he would first have to make a statement about his intolerable behavior," said Dixon. Even so, he said, Hart would be "torn apart" by the media if he steps back in.

Hart believes he could contribute to the campaign and feels an obligation to do so, Dixon said. If Hart re-entered the race, Dixon suggested it would be more an attempt to crusade on issues rather than to win the election.

"I was a lifeguard. I would tell the people to leave the water, also," Casey said.

Twice last week, beaches in Stamford and Darien were closed to swimmers after people reported seeing what they thought were sharks close to shore. There were also reports of shark sightings off Greenwich, but swimming was permitted.

Earlier this month, bathing was temporarily prohibited off beaches in Milford, Stratford and West Haven after there was a report of a shark sighting near the Milford shore.

The alleged sighting in Milford came three days after a 7-foot shark weighing 165 pounds was landed by a fisherman near the Stratford shore. Casey said the fisherman caught a sand bar shark.

There has been only one shark attack in Connecticut since 1865, when such records were first kept, said George Donnelly, assistant director for community relations at the Myette Marinelle Aquarium.

The attack, which was fatal, took place in Bridgeport on Aug. 23, 1964, he said.

Casey said there have been only about 25 shark attacks on swimmers along the Eastern Long Island Sound from North Carolina to Maine in the past 100 years.

Rod MacLeod, a marine biologist with the state Department of Environmental Protection, noted that reported shark sightings off the Connecticut coast coincided with the Stamford catch and reports of sharks approaching the Long Island shore in New York.

"That kind of promoted the shark scare as far as I'm concerned," MacLeod said.

The types of sharks that do swim in the sound "are pretty much easily frightened," MacLeod said. "They'd rather avoid any type of confrontation with a person, which is often is probably a very large animal."

Meanwhile, experienced fishermen said they rarely see sharks in the sound.

Jack Douton, captain of the Dot-E Dee charter fishing boat out of Blooming, said, "I've been running the boat 15 years and I've seen perhaps two or three sharks. Never have I seen a shark within three or four miles of the Connecticut shore."

"Most anything that we spotted was just sand sharks," said Hillard Bloom, one of the owners of Talmadge Brothers Inc., an operating operation based in Norwalk.

"I never remember anyone getting attacked by sharks in the sound here. I've never seen it and I've been on the water all my life," Bloom added.

Obituaries

Sophie Bursack

Sophie (Spector) Bursack, 84, of Manchester, widow of Daniel Bursack, died this morning at a local convalescent home.

She was born in Russia, settled in Hartford as a young adult and moved to Manchester in 1925. She was one of the founding members of Temple Beth Shalom and was a member of the sisterhood of the temple, Farband-Labor Zionist Order and Hadassah.

She is survived by a son, Jack L. Bursack of West Hartford; three daughters, Beatrice Snyder of Bloomfield, Norma Salant of Bloomfield, and Ruth Sachs of Islip, N.Y.; 10 grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

The funeral was today at 1 p.m. in the chapel of the Weinstein Mortuary, 640 Farmington Ave., with burial in Farband-Labor Zionist Order Cemetery, Hartford. A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. at the same place.

Memorial donations may be made to Temple Beth Shalom.

Helen Coughlin

Helen Rogers Coughlin, 82, of 20 Russell St., wife of Leo T. Coughlin, died Monday at Manchester Memorial Hospital.

Born in Salem, she had been a Manchester resident most of her life. She was a lifetime member of the YWCA of Manchester.

Besides her husband, she is survived by a daughter and son-in-law, Mary Lou and Jack Small of Manchester; two grandchildren, John Small and Teri Thompson, both of East Hartford; and a great-grandson, Ray J. Thompson of East Hartford.

A graveside funeral is Thursday at noon at the East Cemetery, Calling hours at the John F. Tierney Funeral Home, 219 W. Center St., are Wednesday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Heart Association or to a charity of the donor's choice.

Teen hurt in accident

A Manchester teen-ager was injured this morning after her Volkswagen rammed broadside into a pickup truck at the intersection of Hall and Bissell streets.

According to Gilbert Goslin of Goslin Home Improvements, who was working on the roof of 109-111 Hall St., the driver of the pickup was heading west on Bissell Street, toward Main Street, when he went through a stop sign and was hit by the Volkswagen, which was going south on Hall. The Volkswagen was driven by Kelly M. Murning, 17, of 214 Pine St.

"Everything was quiet and then the truck came zipping through and bang," said Goslin. He said the force of the impact sent the passenger of the truck flying toward the driver's side.

The driver of the pickup, Robert Maynard, 59, and his brother, James, who own Maynard's Waterford Monumental in Waterford, had just left East Cemetery, where they were putting in a foundation for a tombstone. They were uninjured.

Witnesses said that the intersection of Bissell and Hall should have been a four-way stop because there are frequent accidents and near-accidents there.

"I've been working on this roof for three days, and four or five times cars have had to screech to a stop," said Goslin.

Police spokesman Gary J. Wood said drivers at the intersection have difficulty seeing around parked cars. He said he'll probably recommend a no-parking sign near the intersection.

A police officer who was at the scene said that Murning did not remember the accident occurring. Murning was transported to Manchester Memorial Hospital. Her condition was not available at press time.

Robert Maynard was issued a citation for failure to obey a stop sign.

Helene Linders

Helene (Ferguson) Linders, 67, of 736 N. Main St., died Monday at home after a brief illness. She was the widow of Carl Linders.

She was born in Superior, Wis., and had lived in Manchester for 40 years.

She is survived by two sons, Kurt, Mike and James, all of Manchester; three grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by two other grandchildren.

A graveside service will be Thursday at 2 p.m. in the soldiers' section of East Cemetery. There are no calling hours. Maple Hill Chapel, 380 Maple Ave., Hartford, has charge of arrangements.

June S. Phil

June S. Phil, of Stanley, N.C., wife of Frederick Phil, formerly of Middletown and Manchester, died Monday in North Carolina.

Besides her husband, she is survived by a son, James Phil. Graveside services are Thursday at 2 p.m. in the East Cemetery. There are no calling hours. Holmes Funeral Home, 400 Main St., has charge of arrangements.

SPORTS



Leadoff batter Jim Grimes of Glenn Construction gets ready to pitch over the left field fence for a home run in the top of the first inning in 'A' Division action Tuesday night at Fitzgerald Field. Grimes added another homer to lead Glenn to a 9-5 victory over Main Pub for the 'A' Division championship.

Glenn takes 'A' title; 'B' decision is tonight

By Jim Tierney
Herald Sports Writer

Two town softball champions were crowned while the other division forced a deciding title game which will be played tonight at 6 at Fitzgerald Field.

Behind the awesome bat strength of Jim Grimes and Jim Loos, Glenn Construction defeated Main Pub, 9-5, to take the 'A' Division title. In the 'B' Division, Bray's Jewelers knocked off Allied Printing, 8-3, to impose a final game for the championship tonight. In the 'C' Division, Army and Navy won the title with a 13-6 win over Gibson's Gym.

Grimes and Loos set the tone for the game in the top of the first inning. Grimes led off with a home run over the left centerfield fence and three batters later Loos deposited one over the right centerfield fence for a quick 2-0 lead for Glenn.

The score remained 2-0 until the bottom of the fourth inning when Main Pub tallied five runs to assume a 5-2 lead. Consecutive base hits by Tim Bycholski and Tony Campelli began things for Main Pub. John Madden then singled in Bycholski, and Campelli came around to score on an RBI-single by Kevin Hanlon.

With Hanlon and Madden on base, Gus Liappes drilled a shot into the gap in left field, which was dropped and rolled to the fence. Hanlon and Madden easily scored and Liappes was able to scurry home on the error, giving Main Pub a 5-2 lead.

Grimes retaliated immediately with three runs in the top of the fifth inning to tie the game. Grimes blasted a two-run homer, his second round-tripper of the game, to cut the lead to 5-4. Bob Goering was aboard after he had singled. Loos had an RBI-single which scored Dave White with the tying run.

"I was in a (home run) drought," Grimes said. "But it ended tonight."

Three runs in the sixth inning provided Glenn with all the runs they would need. But they added an insurance run in the seventh. Jim Flaherty led off the sixth for Glenn with a triple and scored on a single by Dave Remjok. After a Goering base-hit, Jack Maloney single in Remjok and Goering tallied the third run of the frame on a sacrifice fly off White's bat. Flaherty drove in the final run for the champions with a sacrifice fly in the seventh.

"The last time we played them (Main Pub), we had to score three runs in the bottom of the seventh to win," Grimes said. "This team has played together for a long time. We played well."

Loos was 3-for-4 with two RBIs while Grimes drove in three runs with his two homers. Remjok and Goering added two hits each for Glenn. For Main Pub, Bycholski, Hanlon, and Ed Sadoski each had two hits.

'B' Division

Bray's Jewelers took an early 2-0 lead in the bottom of the first inning, keyed by a two-run single by

Dave Edgar. A sacrifice fly by Chris Green in the top of the third brought Allied to within a run, 2-1. Allied took the lead, 3-2, in the fifth when Chris Green's two-run single scored Mike Monroe and Scott Green.

Bray's blew the game open with six runs in the bottom of the fifth. Control problems by Allied pitcher Tom Powers forced Brian Mahoney to take the mound. With the bases loaded, successive walks to Wayne Bray and Mark Anderson pushed Bray's into the lead at 4-3. Edgar then drilled a two-run single and Hal Tarbell added an RBI-single and Bob Godin drove in the final a run with sacrifice.

Shortstop Bray, who had two hits and an RBI, combined with second baseman Jeff Baker anchored a strong defense. Edgar led Bray's with two hits and four RBIs.

"If we can hit like we can, I think we can win it," Coach Tarbell said. "There's a lot of talent in the league with a better defense. I think we've got the best shortstop-second base-man combination in the league."

Bray added "All year long, defense has kept us in the game."

Army and Navy was led by John Burger and Randy Romero, who collected three hits each. Rich Clapp, Bruce Macaro, and Bob Teets added two hits apiece. For Gibson's, Jack Shannon, Dave Peck, Glenn Koehler, Mel Bidwell, and Mike Santacrose each had two hits.

'C' Division

Team members of Bray's Jewelers congratulate one another after they defeated Allied Printing, 8-3, to force a championship showdown in the 'B' Division of the Town Softball Tournament. The game will be tonight at 6 at Fitzgerald Field.

Herold photo by Pinto



Chris Green of Allied Printing is caught in a rundown in the fifth inning in 'B' Division action Tuesday night at Fitzgerald Field. Green was out in the rundown. Bray's won, 8-3, forcing a deciding title game tonight at 6 p.m. at Fitzgerald Field.

Questions remain as UConn soccer opener looms

By Jim Tierney
Herald Sports Writer

STORRS — Six days from now the University of Connecticut men's soccer team opens its 1987 season. Usually at this point, a coach would have a good idea about his starting lineup and top reserves. But this isn't the case this year at UConn, where a place on the nation's Division I top-20 poll has been the norm.

Instead, uncertainty has encompassed the outlook for this year's edition of UConn soccer. Despite 17 lettermen returning, including seven starters, countless questions remain, who to start, what positions they'll play, and how to replace a depleted backfield from a year ago. Also, UConn will play one of the strongest schedules in the country, including the preseason No. 1 pick, Fresno State, and 1986 NCAA champion Duke.

"While I'd like to say that these

are the top 11 players, we really haven't come up with a lineup," 1986-year UConn coach Joe Morrone said at a Tuesday press luncheon.

Last season marked only the second time in the last 15 years that Morrone did not qualify for the NCAA tournament, something Morrone has not forgotten.

"I was really disappointed that we weren't picked last year," Morrone said. "I'm still upset about it."

A new NCAA rule stipulating that practice couldn't start before Aug. 15 put the unsettled UConn soccer matters even more behind schedule. The Huskies will get a fine opportunity to test their personnel when they host defending Big East champion Seton Hall University in an exhibition game this Saturday at 1 p.m. at Storrs.

Revisited the last two years under Ed Kelly, Seton Hall is the favorite to win the Big East title again this year, and the team is

ranked by Soccer America magazine as No. 5 in the nation. No less than 10 players on the roster fall into the top 100 in the nation, Morrone said at a Tuesday press luncheon.

"We'll get a good idea when the Irish guys come in," Morrone said, referring to where his team stands.

Kelly sees the Big East race between his club, Syracuse and UConn.

The biggest concern for Morrone are replacing the graduated backfield of Tony Rizza, Chris Heath, Matt Mosher, and Greg Barger, along with "developing a consistent attack other than (Dan) Donigan," Morrone said.

Morrone's goalie situation is in disarray since two of the four have left the team. Remaining are two sophomores, Jamie Easterly, Tom Foley and Brian Hall.

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SCOREBOARD

Baseball

American League standings

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Detroit	75	50	.600	—
Toronto	72	53	.573	3 1/2
Minnesota	71	54	.565	4
Milwaukee	67	58	.536	7 1/2
Boston	67	58	.536	7 1/2
Los Angeles	66	59	.527	8 1/2
Cleveland	66	59	.527	8 1/2

West Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Minnesota	67	50	.573	—
California	64	54	.543	3 1/2
Seattle	64	54	.543	3 1/2
Texas	64	54	.543	3 1/2
Chicago	59	67	.466	13 1/2

National League standings

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
St. Louis	75	50	.600	—
Montreal	70	56	.556	5 1/2
Philadelphia	66	58	.529	9 1/2
Chicago	65	59	.521	10 1/2
Pittsburgh	55	71	.435	19 1/2

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Tuesday's Games

Game	Score
Atlanta (Fulke 5-4) vs. Detroit (3-0)	Atlanta 5, Detroit 3
Chicago (Canderson 10-10) vs. Houston (1-0)	Chicago 10, Houston 1
Los Angeles (Dorling 11-7) vs. New York (3-0)	Los Angeles 11, New York 3
San Francisco (Droevy 7-9) vs. Philadelphia (1-0)	San Francisco 7, Philadelphia 1
Cincinnati (Hoffman 8-9) vs. Pittsburgh (1-0)	Cincinnati 8, Pittsburgh 1
Montreal (Morlier 7-2) vs. San Diego (1-0)	Montreal 7, San Diego 1
St. Louis (1-0) vs. Milwaukee (1-0)	St. Louis 1, Milwaukee 1

Eastern League standings

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
X-Pittsburgh (Cubs)	73	48	.604	—
Reading (Phillips)	71	50	.588	1 1/2
Harrisburg (Pirates)	68	53	.565	5 1/2
Vermont (Reds)	68	53	.565	5 1/2
Albany (Yankees)	58	63	.478	15 1/2
New Britain (Inds)	56	74	.432	20 1/2
Glen Falls (Tigers)	56	74	.432	20 1/2

American League results

Game	Score
New York vs. California	New York 4, California 2
Wahpet vs. D'Arby	Wahpet 4, D'Arby 2
Wichita vs. Joyce	Wichita 4, Joyce 2
Winnipeg vs. White	Winnipeg 4, White 2
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Blue Jays 6, Mariners 3

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Toronto	51	60	.458	—
Seattle	40	71	.362	11 1/2
Los Angeles	31	80	.281	20 1/2
San Diego	21	90	.188	30 1/2

Red Sox 7, White Sox 3

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Chicago	68	58	.540	—
Boston	67	59	.531	1 1/2
Los Angeles	66	59	.527	2 1/2
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A's 6, Orioles 7

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Tigers 6, Twins 4

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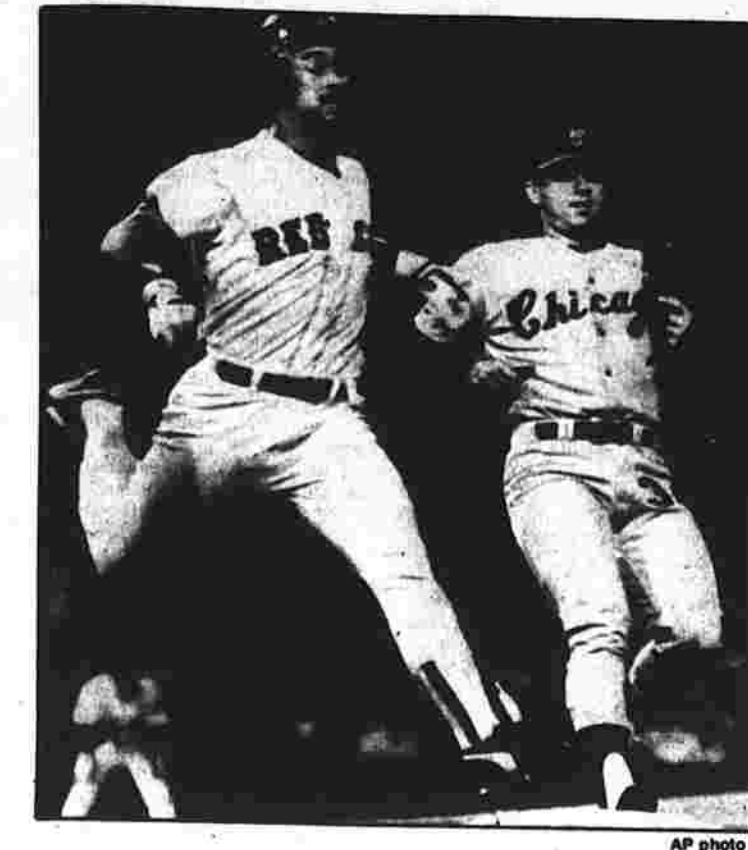
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NATIONAL LEAGUE
Shelby (18), Dodgers; Maldonado (15), Spier (10), Giants; Jefferson (7), Santiago (5), Expos.
BASEBALL HEADLINES
For Games of Tuesday, Aug. 25
By The Associated Press

Baseball's top ten
AMERICAN LEAGUE
Based on Total Bases
Boggs 123, 408, 98, 170, 369
Damon 112, 358, 84, 145, 334
Morrison 105, 421, 79, 134, 324
Molitor 101, 420, 84, 141, 328
Trammell 101, 420, 84, 141, 328
Gardner 101, 420, 84, 141, 328
Caminetti 101, 420, 84, 141, 328
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Tigers stay in first behind Alexander, Henneman



Boston's Mike Greenwell races to first base during the second inning of Tuesday night's game with Chicago at Fenway park. Going to cover the bag is pitcher Rich Dotson. The Red Sox won, 7-3.

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GEORGIA TECH—Announced that Antonio Ford, basketball player, will play during the 1987-88 season for Georgia Tech.
KANSAS WESLEYAN—Named Chuck Mullis quarterback and re-signing coach and Fred Priest linebacker coach.
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"He's (Henneman) the biggest reason because we never even figured on him for 1987," Detroit Manager Sparky Anderson said. "This kid has done as well as anyone I've ever seen as a rookie. If anyone knew we had him, they never would've picked us for fifth or sixth."
Alexander, 2-0, shut out Minnesota for eight innings last Tuesday. While he again pitched effectively, Joe Niekro did not.
Niekro, 6-10, lost for the sixth time in his last seven decisions. The Tigers tagged him for three runs in the third inning on Chet Lemon's two-run double and a wild pitch that enabled another to score.
After Minnesota scored twice in the fourth when Herbek hit an RBI double and came home on Gary Gaetti's single, Detroit made it 5-2 in the sixth when Kirk Gibson blooped a two-run single with the bases loaded off Don Schatzner. Herbek hit an RBI single in the bottom of the sixth.

Brewers 10, Indians 9
Molitor extended his streak with a first-pitch single in the sixth inning.
Molitor went 1-for-4 and moved off the game of tying Ty Cobb for the fourth-longest streak in modern history. Molitor fluffed off, walked and grounded out before
"I just wanted to keep the ball in on Puckett, and keep it down to Herbek," said Henneman, 9-1 with a 2.30 earned run average.
Henneman had replaced Willie Hernandez as the Tigers' bullpen stopper, and his consistent outings have helped Detroit surge into first place and stay there.

Cardinals 7, Astros 1
Houston's Steve L

Sports In Brief

MHS fall practices begin Monday

The Manchester High School practices for all fall sports will begin Monday at the school. The practice schedule is as follows: football, 6:45 a.m. to 8:45 a.m. and 3 p.m. to 5 p.m.; boys' soccer, 7:30 a.m. to 8:45 a.m.; boys' and girls' cross country, 3 p.m.; girls' swimming, divers 4 p.m., and swimmers 5 p.m.; volleyball, 3 p.m. School starts Sept. 1 and practices will begin at 3 p.m.

Coventry announces practice schedule

COVENTRY — Practice for fall sports at Coventry High School begins Monday at the school. The schedule is as follows: boys' soccer, 7:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.; girls' soccer, 9 a.m.; volleyball, 9 a.m.; cross country, 9 a.m.

Bolton fall practice starts Monday

BOLTON — Bolton High School tryouts for the boys' and girls' soccer teams will begin Monday at the high school. The boys will practice from 7 to 9 a.m. and from 3 to 5 p.m. The girls will practice from 6 to 8 p.m. All interested students must have had a physical before they tryout.

RHAM sports boosters to meet

HEBRON — The first meeting of the RHAM High School Sports Boosters for the 1987-88 school year will be held Wednesday, Sept. 2, at 7:30 p.m. in the senior high library. Agenda items include plans for a "Meet the Coaches Night" and discussion of fund-raising activities.

The Sports Boosters include parents, coaches and faculty from the junior and senior high schools who are interested in the support and encouragement of student athletes. They are looking for new faces, fresh ideas, and the return of former members to help achieve these goals.

Women's soccer clinic in town

The University of Connecticut women's soccer team will present a clinic and demonstration game Friday at 7 p.m. at Mount Nebo. The clinic is open to area soccer club players free of charge. The demonstration game is open to the public free of charge.

The UConn women's team has consistently placed in the nation's top 10 teams. The team's outreach program has helped thousands of youth soccer players throughout the state. For more information, contact R. Donnelly at 649-1734.

'Lam' Jones picked up by Dallas

THOUSAND OAKS, Calif. — Former University of Texas receiver John "Lam" Jones signed a multi-year contract with the Dallas Cowboys on Tuesday after a two-day tryout. Jones, 29, began practice on Tuesday. Terms of the contract were not disclosed.

"He's a guy with some experience and lot of speed, and we're looking for some help at receiver," Cowboys spokesman Greg Aiello said. "He's one of 89 guys on the roster, so he hasn't made the team yet."

The New York Jets made Jones the No. 2 pick in the NFL draft in 1980. But he was plagued by injuries throughout his career and did not play a regular-season game over the past two seasons. The Jets traded Jones to the San Francisco 49ers earlier this month. The 49ers waived him last week.

Dallas has been hurt by injuries to its receivers, particularly by the broken leg suffered by starter Mike Sherrard, who is out for the season.

Hagler withdraws Leonard protest

BOSTON — Former middleweight boxing champion Marvellous Marvin Hagler on Tuesday withdrew his protest about the outcome of his April 6 middleweight bout with Sugar Ray Leonard.

Hagler's lawyer, Morris Goldings of Boston, said Tuesday the Hagler camp has determined that no illegal activities occurred in officiating of the fight in Las Vegas, Nev. "I still have contributions to make. I'm healthy and I've played well in the pre-season games. I only hope that after the pre-season, I'm still a member of this team."

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Pittsburgh, Miami need work

By The Associated Press

The once-proved defenses of the Pittsburgh Steelers and Miami Dolphins need a lot of work and their coaches are the first to admit it.

"We've got a long way to go on defense," Dolphins Coach Don Shula said Tuesday. "We just gave up too many big plays, especially on third down. We can't afford that."

The Dolphins gave up 207 yards rushing and 264 yards passing in a 31-20 loss to Denver on Monday night. The biggest play of the night came when Broncos running back Gene Lang broke ran 76 yards for a touchdown.

Shula said veteran defensive tackle Bob Baumhower and first-round draft pick John Bossa, a defensive end, remain unsigned. "I don't know how much longer we'll be able to go on without Baumhower and Bossa in there," Shula said.

The Steelers, meanwhile, have given up 547 yards passing and five scoring passes in two preseason losses.

"We've got the ability, but so far we haven't shown it," defensive coordinator Tony Dungy said of the Steelers' secondary.

Opposing quarterbacks completed 50 percent of their passes in the Steelers' losses to the Washington Redskins (23-17) and the Chicago Bears (50-14).

Dungy thought the Steelers made major improvements in their secondary last spring by selecting three defensive backs on the first four rounds on the NFL draft. But first-round pick Rod Woodson has yet to sign, second-rounder Delton Hall has been slow to learn the Steelers' system since his 12-day

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holdout and fourth-round pick Thomas Everett is sidelined with a shoulder injury.

"You think you've got yourself some help, and you do on paper, but you've got to play the game," Dungy said. "You've got one guy that's not here, one guy hurt and one guy who doesn't know what he's doing. They're three good players and they'll help eventually, but when I don't know."

Woodson's holdout reached its 31st day Tuesday. He is running track in Europe and his agent, Marvin Demoff, has given no indication when a contract agreement might be reached.

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In the first two preseason games, the Eagles did not surrender a long touchdown drive, had 13 sacks, averaged only 220 net yards and posted an opposing pass-completion average of about 40 percent.

But Ryan said if the Eagles had played smarter, they could have made 10 sacks Sunday at New England. He said the defense, and in particular the pass rush, was not doing what he wants to see.

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Quarterback Jim McMahon's on-again, off-again playing status with the Chicago Bears appears to be off — again.

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Tony Eason, New England's starting quarterback, may not be ready for the regular-season opener against Miami on Sept. 13 because of a pulled hamstring.

Coach Raymond Berry said veteran Steve Grogan will start against Minnesota on Saturday night.

Philadelphia pick Martin Booker, a wide receiver, and Ben Tammurro, a rookie center, on injured reserve.

Wide receiver Lew Barnes, who also returns punts for the Chicago Bears, suffered a broken bone in his left leg in practice Tuesday and is out — again.

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Kickers Cut

All Haji-Sheikh, who holds the NFL record for field goals in a season, was released by Atlanta, and the Dallas Cowboys cut in half the number of kickers to replace Mick Luckhurst, who injured his back.

Luckhurst is back with the team and kicking well, while Haji-Sheikh missed two field goal attempts in Saturday's exhibition loss to Kansas City.

Dallas released Jeff Ward, an 11th-round draft choice from the University of Texas, and two free agents, Kerry Brady and Bryan Franco.

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Fenck sidelined

By Joe Mooshill

The Associated Press

LAKE FOREST, Ill. — The guard is changing for the Chicago Bears. Gary Fenck doesn't like it, but the veteran safety knows he has to accept it.

The tipoff came when the Bears decided to "experiment" by starting Todd Bell instead of Fenck alongside Dave Duerson against the Pittsburgh Steelers in last Saturday's NFL exhibition game.

The experiment became reality this week when Fenck was notified the move would be permanent.

A regular with the Bears for most of his 11 seasons, Fenck, 33, hasn't missed a start in the last three seasons and resents the demotion.

"I don't feel as if I've played myself out of the position," said Fenck, the Bears' career leader with 1,110 tackles, 38 pass interceptions and 50 takeaways (interceptions and fumble recoveries).

With his starting spot gone, Fenck is now concerned about making the Bears' final roster.

"Things do not always work out as you like," Fenck said. "I still have contributions to make. I'm healthy and I've played well in the pre-season games. I only hope that after the pre-season, I'm still a member of this team."

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Collision

Team Czechoslovakia's Lasan Pasek (21) collides with Team Finland's Raimo Summanen in the third period of Tuesday night's pre-Canada Cup game at the Lethbridge Complex in Lethbridge, Alberta. The Czechs won, 6-1.

De Castella trains in Swedish rain

By Stephen Nossstrom

The Associated Press

STOCKHOLM, Sweden — Australian marathoner Rob de Castella found just the thing to prepare him for the heat of Rome during the World Track and Field Championships — the cold and rain of Sweden.

"The rain is actually good for racing and training," the defending world marathon champion said. "I like Sweden and to stay here for a few weeks I think is good."

John Leonard, he of the famous duel with Roger Bannister in the Empire Games at Vancouver 33 years ago, Ron Clarke and Herb Elliott started the Aussie tradition of training in Sweden.

"I talked to them and they had pleasant memories," de Castella said. "I think Australians feel very comfortable among Scandinavian people."

Training in Scandinavia paid off before the inaugural World Championships in 1983. He worked out in Norway and then won the marathon in the championships at Helsinki, Finland.

Other long-distance stars also are aware that rain produces air rich with oxygen. Gelindo Bordin, who won the marathon in last year's European Championships and who rates as one of the favorites at Rome, worked out with European 10,000-meter champion Stefano Mei and several other Italians in Sweden before the World Championships.

To improve his speed, de Castella ran in two Swedish track races after completing high-altitude training at Boulder, Colo., where he lives six months of the year. Earlier this month, he ran 5,000 meters in 13 minutes, 47.58 seconds, 12 seconds off his personal best. The time pleased de Castella.

"It's the fastest 5K I've run in the last year," he said. "It's a good sign. I think my form is fairly good."

Looking ahead to the Sept. 6 marathon at Rome, on the final day of the World Championships, de Castella said he believes the African runners will be tough to beat in the 26-mile, 365-year event.

"The warm and humid conditions will be very good for them," he said. "There is no one in particular."

don't think size or build is really very important for a long distance runner," he said. "There have been big runners, like Ron Clarke, and there are many small runners, like many of the Africans. And the Japanese have a build of their own."

"The most important thing is your training and your discipline, and that's up here," he said, pointing at his head. "That's the common thing between all successful athletes. They're very disciplined and dedicated when it comes to training."

De Castella's training includes running 15 to 20 miles a day, an occasional round of golf and a diet strong on fruit.

A few other marathoners, including women's defending champion Grete Waitz of Norway, have complained about the marathon course in Rome, saying it was designed more to highlight the city's treasures. Michigan's Bill Donakowski said it was "a disaster of a course," and pulled off the fellow runner far behind in the pack.

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Reifers, McGovern top U.S. amateur

By Joey Holleran

The Associated Press

prestigious Met Open at Winged Foot in Mamaroneck, N.Y., last week. Reifers is "a dyed-in-the-wool amateur" who hates to talk about his short professional career two decades ago, McGovern is considering a professional career and would love to win this event and launch it.

They recorded their matching two-bogey, four-birdie Tuesday on the 6,542-yard Village Course, considered the less difficult of the two Jupiter Hills Country Club courses used for the 36-hole medal play portion of the tournament. The other course is the 6,542-yard Hills Course, where all of the match-play portion of the event will be contested.

McGovern's round was more impressive than Reifers' because it came in the afternoon. Only five other golfers were under par, and four of them played in the morning before the sun and wind dried out the greens.

Kevin Johnson of Pembroke, Mass., and Nicholas DeKock of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, shot 71s on the Hills, while Thomas Dyer of Melrose, Mass., and Allen Doyle of LaGrange, Ga., had 71s on the Village.

Scott Gump of Merritt Island, Fla., carded a 71 on the Village course in the afternoon.

Ten of the 15 players on an even-par 72 played in the morning Tuesday. The tee times and course will be swapped today for the final round of medal play. The top 64 players move on to the match-play competition.

Defending champion Buddy Alexander of Baton Rouge, La., shot an opening-round 76 and will have to do better today to qualify for match play.

Reifers and McGovern would appear to be guaranteed a spot in the match play, but listening to them it was hard to tell.

"I'm very pleased with the score, but it's only halfway over," Reifers said. "You would have to be a fool to look ahead to match play."

Gary Nicklaus had a 79 but his game was the largest of the day because it included his famous father Jack, who won this event in 1959 and 1961.

FOCUS/Food

Put Hawaii in your summer!

An island picnic can spell relief on hot evenings

By Marge Churchill

Special to the Herald

Summer heat and high humidity got you down? Well then, maybe it's time for a bit of "let's pretend." How about a bit of Hawaii right in your own back yard?

The quick and easy dishes suggested for this Hawaiian picnic or patio party will put a spark in your summer. Because you can prepare everything in advance, you can enjoy a taste of the islands with a minimum of last-minute fuss and effort.

Get things off to a cool start with chilled Hawaiian chicken salad. Microwave the chicken. You might before, skin it and cut it into pieces. When cooking the rice for the chicken salad, do not add butter or margarine. Mix fruit, seasonings and chicken a day in advance and just refrigerate in a sealed bowl. Before guests arrive, blend yogurt and almond slices with fruit and chicken mixture.

This lively salad entree becomes a real treat when you use hollowed shells from fresh pineapple as individual serving platters. To keep the pineapple shells fresh, refrigerate the halves, cut side down, in a paper towel-lined sealed container or platter covered with plastic wrap.

Guests will enjoy banana nut-bread to add a tropical twist to an old favorite. The bread can be made several days in advance and frozen. You might want to make two loaves and keep the second one frozen for a welcome snack some time later.

What better topper for the banana nut-bread than tropical cream cheese spread? To make this special spread, combine crushed pineapple left over from the Hawaiian chicken salad with shredded coconut and a hint of honey. Prepare the recipe the day before and chill. If you have any leftovers, this creamy spread is also great with bagels for a light breakfast.

Here's a delicious variation from the traditional pitcher of iced tea. Fruit juices, ginger and tea are mixed together to create a winning combination of tangy lime tea. Prepare the drink in advance and refrigerate to let the flavors blend. Garnish the drinking tumblers with lime slices before serving.

To complete your Hawaiian picnic, why not try this irresistible coconut custard pie? Mix all the ingredients in a blender. It's a snap, and the microwave makes it even faster.

Maybe you can't travel to Hawaii this summer, but with the help of a microwave and these make-ahead recipes, you can discover a taste of the tropics in your own backyard.

Hawaiian chicken salad

- 2 cups cooked rice
- 2 to 2½ cups chopped cooked chicken
- 1 cup fresh pineapple
- 1 cup strawberry halves
- 1 kiwi fruit, peeled and sliced
- 1 cup celery slices
- 1 tablespoon lemon juice
- ¼ teaspoon ground ginger
- ¼ teaspoon pepper
- ¼ cup plain yogurt
- ¼ cup almond slivers

Wash chicken and pat dry. Place chicken in a microwave-safe casserole breast side down. Cover with waxed paper. Microwave on high for 9 minutes. Turn chicken over and microwave for 9 to 15 minutes, or until leg moves easily, and juice runs clear when chicken is pierced with a fork. Cool chicken, skin and remove from bone. Chop into small pieces. Make a dressing by combining lemon juice, ground ginger, pepper, and yogurt. Gently toss rice and chicken together, adding strawberries, kiwi fruit, celery slices, and almonds. Serve in half a hollowed-out pineapple.

Cream cheese spread

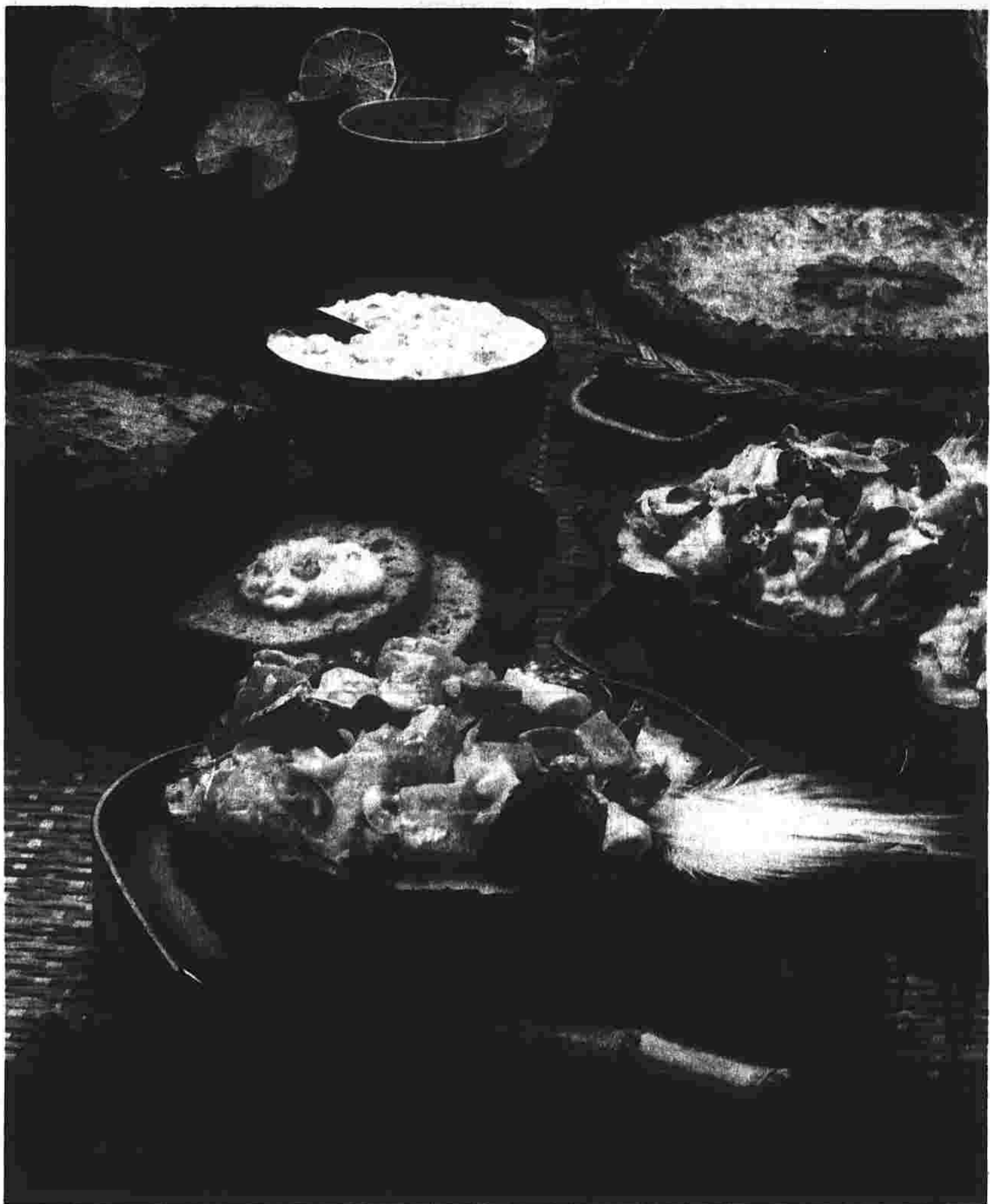
- 1 package (8 ounces) cream cheese
- 2 tablespoons apricot preserves
- ¼ cup crushed fresh pineapple
- 2 teaspoons honey
- 1/3 cup flaked coconut

Soften cream cheese in the microwave. Remove from package and place cream cheese in a small glass bowl. Cover with plastic wrap. Microwave on 50% (medium) power for 1 minute. Combine softened cream cheese, preserves, crushed pineapple and honey, mixing until blended. Add coconut and mix well. Chill. Serve with banana nut-bread slices. Makes 1 2/3 cups.

Banana nut-bread

- 1 cup whole-wheat flour
- ¼ cup all-purpose flour
- ¼ cup packed brown sugar
- ¼ cup white sugar
- ¼ cup plus 2 tablespoons butter, room temperature
- 1/2 cup milk
- 2 eggs
- 2 very ripe bananas, sliced
- 1 cup chopped fresh lemon juice
- 1 teaspoon soda

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Grease a 9x5 inch loaf pan. In a large mixing bowl, mix butter and sugars until creamy. Add eggs and milk. In another bowl, mix flours and soda. Add to the first mixture. Stir in bananas and lemon juice. Pour into the loaf pan. Bake for 60 minutes. Cool in pan for 10 minutes. Turn out and cool on a wire rack. Serves 12.



A Hawaiian picnic consists of a Hawaiian chicken salad, banana nut-bread, tangy lime tea and coconut custard pie. These are all easy to make in the microwave. An added bonus: your house will stay cooler if the oven isn't turned on.

- ¼ teaspoon salt
- ¼ cup chopped macadamia nuts

TOPIPING:

- ¼ cup flour
- 2 tablespoons brown sugar
- 2 tablespoons white sugar
- ¼ teaspoon cinnamon
- 2 tablespoons butter

Combine topping ingredients in a small bowl until crumbly. Set aside.

Place all ingredients except topping in a large mixing bowl in order given. Blend at low speed for 15 seconds; beat at medium speed for 2 minutes.

Spread batter in loaf pan lined on the bottom with wax paper; sprinkle with topping mixture. Shield ends of loaf with 2-inch wide strips of foil, covering 1 inch of batter on each end. Mold remaining foil around the handles of dish.

Place loaf dish on inverter saucer in oven. Microwave at 50% (medium) for 9 minutes; rotate ¼ turn every 3 minutes. Increase power to high and microwave for 4 to 7½ minutes; remove loaf after 2 minutes and rotate every 2 minutes.

Check to see if it's done by looking through bottom of clear glass dish. No unbaked batter should appear in center. Let stand directly on counter top for 5 to 10 minutes before removing from dish to cool. Yields 1 loaf. Serve sliced with tropical cream cheese spread.

Tangy lime tea

- 1 6-ounce can frozen limeade concentrate

- 1/3 cup unsweetened pineapple juice
- 4 teabags
- 4 cups boiling water
- 1 teaspoon ground ginger
- 1 lime cut into slices for garnish

Place 4-cup glass measure in microwave. Microwave on high for 8 to 10 minutes, or until boiling. Place teabags in 4 cups of boiling water; steep for 5 minutes. Remove teabags; add ginger while stirring tea.

In a 2-quart pitcher, mix limeade concentrate with 4 cans of water; add pineapple juice and stir to blend. Combine tea with fruit juice mixture; stir until well mixed. Chill for at least 2 hours in refrigerator before serving.

Serve in tumblers over ice; garnish with lime slices. Makes eight 8-ounce servings. Variation: prepare beverage using orange juice tea.

Coconut custard pie

- 2 cups milk
- 4 eggs
- ¼ cup sugar
- ¼ cup all-purpose flour
- ¼ cup butter, cut up
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- ¼ teaspoon salt
- 1 cup flaked coconut
- Ground nutmeg
- ¼ cup toasted coconut

Place 1 tablespoon butter in a 9-inch pie plate. Microwave at high for 30 to 45 seconds, or until melted. Stir in ¼ cup all- or sliced almonds, tossing to coat. Microwave at high for 3/4 to 4/4 minutes, or until light golden brown, stirring every 2 minutes. Let stand for 5 minutes. Almonds will continue to toast after they are removed from oven. Use a garnish for coconut pie.

Suns' Addison to play in Italy

PHOENIX, Ariz. — Phoenix Suns second-year forward Rafael Addison has decided to leave the NBA team and accept a contract to play professional basketball in Italy, club officials said Tuesday.

Suns General Manager Jerry Colangelo said Addison has signed with the Allibert team in Livorno, Italy.

"Basically, I think Rafael weighed his chances of making our club against a guaranteed contract in Italy and chose the latter," Colangelo said.

The 6-foot-7, 226-pound Addison was Phoenix's second-round draft pick in 1986 out of Syracuse University.

He was drafted as a small forward but converted to a big guard late last season. As a Suns rookie, he averaged 5.8 points and 1.7 rebounds in 62 games, including 12 starts.

Charles White to return to Rams

ANAHEIM, Calif. — The Los Angeles Rams announced Tuesday that running back Charles White will return to practice Wednesday, but he will have to undergo daily testing for possible drug use.

White, who was arrested by Brea police Friday and charged for investigation of being under the influence of a controlled substance, also will receive counseling under the supervision of Dr. Forrest Tennant.

Tennant, associated with the NFL, is considered one of the nation's leading authorities on treating people with drug-abuse problems.

Alysheba tests negative for drugs

LOS ANGELES — Authorities said prize-winning thoroughbred Alysheba tested negative for drugs in post-race tests despite a rumor that he had been medicated for a bleeding condition, a newspaper reported.

Winner of the Kentucky Derby, Preakness and a distant fourth in the Belmont, Alysheba was under heavy guard in Saratoga Springs, N.Y., following Saturday's \$1.1 million Travers Stakes,

Pork tenderloin

- 1 pound pork tenderloin
- 8-ounce can pineapple tidbits (juice pack)
- 2/3 cup orange juice
- 1 tablespoon cornstarch
- 1 tablespoon soy sauce
- 1/4 teaspoon grated gingerroot
- Dash ground red pepper
- 4 green onions, bias-sliced into 1-inch pieces
- 1 medium carrot, cut into thin strips
- 1 clove garlic, minced
- 1 tablespoon margarine or butter

Place pork on rack in shallow roasting pan. Insert meat thermometer in thickest portion, making sure bulb doesn't touch pan. Roast, uncovered, in 325-degree oven 1 hour or until thermometer registers 170 degrees. Remove from oven. Cover to keep warm.

Meanwhile, drain pineapple, reserving juice. For sauce, combine reserved juice, orange juice, cornstarch, soy sauce, gingerroot and red pepper. Set aside.

In a medium saucepan cook onions, carrot and garlic in hot margarine 3 to 4 minutes or until crisp-tender. Stir sauce; add to vegetables. Cook and stir until thickened and bubbly. Cook and stir 2 minutes more. Stir in pineapple; heat through. Slice pork; spoon sauce on top. Makes 4 servings.

Nutrition information per serving: 203 cal., 19 g pro., 16 g carbo., 6 g fat, 57 mg chol., 340 mg sodium. U.S. RDA: 105 percent vit. A, 29 percent vit. C, 48 percent thiamine, 16 percent riboflavin, 17 percent niacin, 21 percent phosphorus.

Oriental tossed salad

- 1/4 of a 8-ounce package frozen pea pods
- 4 cups torn salad greens
- 1/2 of an 8-ounce can sliced water chestnuts, drained
- 1 tablespoon sesame seed
- 3 tablespoons salad oil
- 4 teaspoons vinegar
- 4 teaspoons dry sherry
- 2 teaspoons honey
- 2 teaspoons soy sauce

In a colander rinse pea pods under cold water to thaw. In a salad bowl place pea pods, torn greens, water chestnuts and sesame seed.

For dressing, in a screw-top jar combine oil, vinegar, sherry, honey and soy sauce. Cover and shake well. Pour over salad; toss to coat. Makes 6 servings.

Nutrition information per serving: 98 cal., 1 g pro., 17 g carbo., 8 g fat, 155 mg sodium. U.S. RDA: 11 percent vit. A, 13 percent vit. C.

Melon with sauteed fruit

- 3 tablespoons margarine or butter
- 1 tablespoon lime juice
- 1 tablespoon honey
- 2 medium bananas, bias-sliced into 1/4-inch pieces
- 2 peaches or 4 apricots, pitted and coarsely chopped
- 1/4 of a honeydew melon or cantaloupe, pitted, seeded and cut into thin slices
- Lime peel (optional)
- 1/4 cup pine nuts or slivered almonds, toasted

In a 10-inch skillet melt margarine. Stir in lime juice and honey. Add bananas and peaches. Heat and stir about 2 minutes or until heated through. On 4 plates fan melon slices. Top with fruit mixture, lime peel and nuts. Makes 4 servings.

Nutrition analysis per serving: 285 cal., 3 g pro., 38 g carbo., 14 g fat, 108 mg sodium. U.S. RDA: 14 percent vit. A, 90 percent vit. C, 18 percent thiamine.

One-in-a-melon shake

- Cantaloupe, watermelon or honeydew
- 2 large scoops vanilla ice cream (about 1 cup)
- 1/2 cup milk

Cut melon in half. Using a melon baller, scoop enough melon to measure 1/2 cup. Place in blender container. Add ice cream and milk. Cover and blend until smooth. Serve immediately. Makes 1 serving.

Nutrition analysis per serving: 336 cal., 8 g pro., 43 g carbo., 16 g fat, 65 mg chol., 156 mg sodium. U.S. RDA: 78 percent vit. A, 72 percent vit. C, 27 percent riboflavin, 26 percent calcium, 21 percent phosphorus.

Homemade ice cream cones

- 2/3 cup all-purpose flour
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1/2 cup cooking oil
- 3 tablespoons water
- 2 egg whites
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 1/2 teaspoon cooking oil

Preheat an 8-inch skillet over low heat. Stir together flour and sugar. Add the 1/2 cup oil, water, egg whites and vanilla; stir until smooth. Brush bottom of skillet with 1/2 teaspoon oil. Pour 2 tablespoons batter into skillet, spreading batter to a 5 1/2-inch circle. Cook over low heat 3 minutes or until light brown. With a wide spatula, lift and turn water; cook 1 minute more.

Working quickly, roll into a cone shape; secure with a pick. Cool, pick side down. Repeat with remaining batter. (Do not add more oil to skillet.) Remove picks when cool. Store cones lightly covered. Makes about 10.

Nutrition information per serving: 103 cal., 2 g pro., 11 g carbo., 6 g fat, 19 mg sodium.

Creamy Dijon dressing

- 8-ounce carton dairy sour cream
- 1/3 cup milk
- 2 tablespoons vinegar
- 2 tablespoons Dijon-style mustard
- 1 teaspoon snipped fresh cream
- 1 teaspoon snipped fresh tarragon
- 1 teaspoon snipped fresh parsley
- 1 teaspoon snipped fresh dillweed

In a small mixing bowl stir together sour cream and milk; add vinegar, mustard, tarragon, parsley and dillweed. Stir until smooth. Cover and chill. Makes 1 cup.

Nutrition analysis per tablespoon: 36 cal., 1 g pro., 1 g carbo., 3 g fat, 7 mg chol., 65 mg sodium.

Flowers and weeds tickle your taste

Just remember that not everything from the garden is edible

By Earl Aronson
The Associated Press

You can eat some of your favorite flowers and some of the unfavorite weeds that grow in the garden. Just remember that not everything is edible, and you should be very careful about the flowers and weeds you eat.

Pink carnations, chrysanthemums, dandelions, geraniums, pansies and roses will tickle your taste, says landscape horticulturist Bill Welch of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University. They may be used in butters, soups, sauces and salads, as well as in beverages, sandwiches, casseroles and desserts.

The buds, petals or leaves of these flowers may be eaten, says Welch. Wash them thoroughly, bathe in salt water, then dip in ice water to perk them up. Petals may be refrigerated in ice rings or cubes for party beverages.

You can use edible flowers to line the bottom of a cake pan. You can also blend softened cream cheese with chopped petals for a spread on crackers and nut breads, and freeze whole small flowers in ice rings for party beverages.

However, Jenny Leggett, author

of "Cooking with Flowers (Ballantine)," cautions that you must be absolutely sure the flowers are edible. Some flowers are poisonous and can make you sick — or worse.

For example, Leggett says the marigolds used in her recipes are pot marigolds (Calendula), never African marigolds (Tagetes). Cowslip (Primula veris) in England, are not the same as American cowslips (Caliba palustris), also called marsh marigolds, which are poisonous. A substitute is given in each recipe.

Leggett says it's best to consult an up-to-date authority, such as the Edible Flower Glossary contained in her book. Know the botanical names of flowers, since poisonous and harmless plants sometimes share a common name, she says, and make sure you have correctly identified the flowers used.

If you have any doubt about the identity of a flower — any doubt at all — don't eat it. Unless you are an experienced botanist or herbalist, selecting the proper species of plant in the wild — or even in your own backyard — can be dangerous.

Leggett says that if you don't have a backyard garden, you can go to your local produce market or florist. But know what what you're

buying, and be sure to thoroughly wash and then shake the flowers dry. She says roses, carnations and lilies are your best bet.

A long time ago I read about a gardener who used some home-grown weeds from her backyard — dandelions, winter cress, chickweed, lamb's quarters and even young nettles. Most gardeners consider all of these to be a nuisance.

This gardener believed weeds were more nutritious and a better source of vitamins than many traditional cultivated vegetables — and were free.

Some of our weeds were brought to America by early settlers from other lands where they were valued. Among them are purslane, lamb's quarters, pig-weed and winter cress, from Europe and Asia.

Dandelion is best when picked young so it will be sweet and tender. Then it may be included in salads. If it is bitter, wash leaves well and steam them for a few minutes in a little water brought to a boil. Season to your taste. Dandelion also may be fried, made into wine, used as an herbal tea or as a coffee substitute.

Don't overlook wild greens. Overdone vegetables lose flavor

and nutrients. Bitterness may be lessened by cooking them with water, bringing quickly to a boil, changing water and repeating.

Winter cress, sometimes called yellow rocket, is an early salad green. Just rinse, chop and mix with other greens, or steam it with other greens.

Young nettles are easy to handle without gloves. Pick, rinse and steam.

Lamb's quarters, alach goosefoot, is a member of the spinach and beet family. Steam the leaves or mix them with salad items. You can pick young leaves all summer.

Purslane's fleshy pink stems and still thick leaves may be cooked and eaten like spinach, used in soup or tossed salads. If you pull up purslane plants as weeds, leave them in the garden as a mulch for their richness in iron. Pigweed is also rich in iron and protein. Eat tender top leaves raw or steamed with other greens.

Also reported tasty taste-alikes are French, wood, sheep or red sorrel, suitable for cream soups or mixed salads. Wood sorrel, sometimes referred to as sour grass, has cloverlike leaves, resembling shamrock.

Menus

Senior citizens

The following meals will be served at Mayfair Gardens and Westhill Gardens the week of Aug. 31 through Sept. 4 to Manchester residents who are 60 or older:

Monday: Apple juice, sour cream meat loaf, noodles, green beans, wheat bread, pineapple and mandarin orange.

Tuesday: Beef barley soup, boneless sesame chicken, Cheddar-rye bread, banana cream pudding.

Wednesday: Cranberry juice, turkey a la king, noodles, garden salad, biscuit, gelatin salad.

Thursday: Orange juice, veal piccata, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, pumpernickel bread, fresh fruit.

Friday: Cranapple juice, fish, carnival rice, Hawaiian cole slaw, dinner roll, strawberry shortcake.

Meals on Wheels

The following meals are to be served to Meals on Wheels clients the week of Aug. 31 through Sept. 4. The hot noon meal is listed first. The cool evening meal second:

Monday: Beef stew with biscuit, wax beans, salad, dessert. Ham sandwich, orange, milk.

Tuesday: Beef roulades, rice pilaf, squash, salad, dessert. Egg salad sandwich, fresh fruit, milk.

Wednesday: Pot roast of beef with gravy, baked potato, zucchini, salad, dessert. Bologna and cheese sandwich, peaches, milk.

Thursday: Baked haddock square with newburg sauce, mashed potatoes, carrots, salad, dessert. Cold turkey slice sandwich, canned apricots, milk.

Manchester hospital

The following meals will be served to senior citizens in the Manchester Memorial Hospital cafeteria, between 4:30 and 6:30 p.m., next week.

Sunday: London broil with gravy, fried shrimp, baked chicken with gravy.

Monday: Seafood newburg, chili dog, submarine sandwich by the inch, chicken Parmesan.

Tuesday: Sausage and peppers, clam roll, quiche, braised short ribs.

Wednesday: Turkey divan, beef stroganoff, knockwurst and sauerkraut, Lions Ferry sandwich.

Thursday: Veal cacciatore, cheese ravioli, cheeseburger on a bun, sauerbraten with red cabbage.

Friday: Beef burgundy and noodles, baked ham, fish and chips, chicken teriyaki.

Saturday: American chop suey, barbecued beef with lettuce and tomato, sirloin steak.

Manchester schools

The following lunches will be served in the Manchester public schools the week of Aug. 31 through Sept. 4.

Monday: No school.

Tuesday: Half day for elementary students. Juniors and seniors high school menu: hot ham and cheese on a roll, potato puffs, sliced tomatoes and lettuce, pineapple tidbits.

Wednesday: Hamburger patty on a roll, potato chips, buttered cabbage or carrots, chilled fruit.

Thursday: Shells in meat sauce, tossed salad, bread and butter, fruited gelatin with topping.

Friday: Orange juice, tuna salad on a roll, macaroni salad, vegetable sticks, vanilla pudding with fruit topping.

Bolton schools

The menus for Bolton Elementary and Center schools were not available at press time.

Coventry elementary

The following lunches will be served in the Coventry elementary schools Sept. 2 through 4:

Wednesday: Fruit juice, taco with lettuce, tomato and cheese, rice, corn niblets, ice cream.

Thursday: Cheeseburger, potato puffs, chipped watermelon wedges.

Friday: Pizza, salad, fruit.

Coventry High School

The following lunches will be served at Coventry High School Sept. 2 through 4:

Wednesday: Cheeseburger, vegetables, fruit.

Thursday: Hot dog on a roll, french fries, fruit.

Friday: Pizza, salad, fruit.

Andover Elementary

The following lunches will be served at Andover Elementary School Sept. 2 through 4:

Wednesday: French bread pizza, salad, juice bars.

Thursday: Hamburger, potato puffs, mixed vegetables, chocolate cake.

Friday: Fish and cheese, french fries, peas, pudding with topping.

RHAM High School

The lunch menus for RHAM Junior and senior high schools were not available at press time.

Can't afford Europe? Tour a supermarket

By Bruce Smith
The Associated Press.



CHARLESTON, S.C. — If you can't afford that dream trip to Europe, you could say you're touring the Russian dressing, Brussels sprouts and french fries aisles at the supermarket.

In a growing nationwide trend, nutritionists are offering tours of supermarkets, serving as guides through a maze of culinary delights, steering people clear of ever-lurking cholesterol and alluring sweets.

"There's just so much confusion out there," said Eileen Stollefson, a registered dietitian at St. Francis Xavier Hospital who will conduct what's believed to be the state's first such tours this fall at a Piggly Wiggly grocery here.

"The more information that's coming out about nutrition, the more confused people are."

The tours are designed to help consumers sort out what's nutritious from what's available. That's not always easy with thousands of brightly packaged products lining store shelves.

A decade ago, shoppers were primarily concerned about the cost of food, but that has changed, according to Caroline Luckey, an Agricultural Extension Service nutritionist with North Carolina State University.

"Food is now sold by its nutritional value," she said. "That's taken the place of some of the concerns of cost."

The Supermarket Savvy firm in Dallas has been conducting nutritional tours for several years.

For \$35, consumers get a 2 1/2-hour trip through a supermarket in which they walk the aisles comparing nutrition information for products. Clients also get shopping lists of recommended foods.

"We teach people how to make their own decisions and evaluate food for what it is," said Lisa Galvan, an associate with the firm. The company began marketing a tour kit to nutritionists in June. More than 100 of the \$360 kits, which include a manual and two audio tapes, have been sold in all 50 states.

Dietitian Eileen Stollefson checks labels on items in a Charleston, S.C., food store in preparation for a supermarket tour. The tours, in which nutritionists guide consumers through stores, helping them sort

out what's nutritious from what's available, are becoming popular around the country as people work to maintain healthful diets.

Supermarket Savvy founder Leni Reed said recently.

A video tape featuring a 60-minute supermarket tour with six participants will be available next month.

"There are over 10,000 products in most supermarkets and they proliferate at an increasingly rapid rate," Ms. Reed said.

Robert Mesche, director of marketing and advertising for Piggly Wiggly in Carolina, said two stores benefit from tours because they can

attract customers.

If successful, the tours here could be expanded to other Piggly Wiggly's in South Carolina and in Savannah, Ga., he said. The chain operates 87 supermarkets in the two states.

The tours sponsored by St. Francis will be free.

"The goal is to teach people to read labels and read them quickly," Ms. Stollefson said. "Nobody wants to spend two hours in a

grocery store."

She has three general shopping tips:

• Shop the perimeter of the store, where fresh fruits, vegetables, meats and dairy foods are located.

• If a label has salt listed higher than the sixth item, it probably has too much sodium.

• If sugar is listed higher than fourth, it probably has too much sugar.

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Joan Collins and her attorney, Marvin Mitchelson, smile as they leave a Los Angeles courtroom Tuesday after Collins won a divorce from former rock star Peter Holm.

Actress Joan Collins is single woman again

LOS ANGELES (AP) - "Dynasty" vixen Joan Collins is a single woman again, having shed her fourth husband, former pop-singer Peter Holm, in a lurid court battle...

Cinema

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An unidentified Eskimo peddler displays his merchandise at a market in Nuuk, the capital of Greenland, last month. Greenland's Eskimos are being advised to go easy on seal meat, whale blubber and other sources of fish oil, which contain high levels of toxic mercury.

Easy on the blubber, doctors tell Eskimos

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WHO WANTS TO BE FIRST? COMON.

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NOPE! AS A MATTER OF FACT, I FEEL FOUND AN OLD FRIEND!

THAT'S GOOD BECAUSE YOU AND THAT "OLD FRIEND" ARE GONNA BE PUTTING IN SOME TIME TOGETHER. ONCE THE SKIPPER TURNS US LOOSE.

MR. WOODMAN'S COMING BACK TO PUTTING IN SOME TIME TOGETHER. ONCE THE SKIPPER TURNS US LOOSE.

THE BORN LOSER by Art Saenon

NOW THERE'S A SIGN YOU DON'T OBTAIN SEE.

WHY DON'T YOU APPLY... I THINK YOU COULD HANDLE IT.

FRANK AND ERNEST by Bob Thaves

GROCERY

THEY HAD TO RAISE THE PRICE ON THAT ITEM TO PAY FOR THE COST OF SWITCHING TO A SMALLER PACKAGE.

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I TOLD YOU ABOUT MY SHY COUSIN HERMAN, DIDN'T I?

HE WAS SO SHY THAT HE WAS ALMOST TWO YEARS OLD...

BEFORE HE TALKED TO ANYBODY.

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Partner's carding is the best clue
By James Jacoby

Sometimes the bidding should give a defender a clue to the best defense. If the defender is oblivious to such a clue, he should then be guided by his partner's suggestions in the defensive carding.

Against South's four-spade contract West led the diamond king and East played the seven. West continued with the ace and queen, East following with the deuce and eight. Declarer ruffed and immediately played a low club. Without much consideration West played the nine, and dummy's queen won the trick. Declarer now cashed dummy's A-Q-J of spades, came to his hand with the 10 of hearts and cashed the spade king, picking up East's remaining spade. Three more rounds of hearts gave South 10 tricks and his game contract.

West should hope that his partner has as much as four spades to the 10. If that is the case, the contract can be defeated if West simply takes the ace of clubs right away and plays another diamond. If dummy ruffs with a spade honor, East's 10 is promoted to a winner. If declarer pitches from dummy cards a heart and later makes a long trump trick. If West can't figure all this out, he should be guided by the fact that his partner was encouraging diamond continuations by his high-low with the 8-7-2 in the suit.

A new book by James Jacoby and his father, the late Oswald Jacoby, is now available at bookstores. It is "Jacoby on Card Games," published by Pharos Books.

Field Marshal Viscount Bernard Montgomery of Britain retired as deputy supreme commander of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization in 1958.

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Bridge

NORTH	1-26-87
♦ A Q J	♦ 10 9 8 4
♥ 10 8 6	♥ 7 2
♦ J 5 3	♦ 8 7 2
♣ 7 5 3	♣ 10 8 6 4
WEST	EAST
♦ 7 4 3	♦ 10 9 8 4
♥ A K Q 9 4	♥ 7 2
♦ A J 9	♦ 8 7 2
	♣ 10 8 6 4
	♣ K 3

Vulnerable: Neither
Dealer: West

West	North	East	South
1 ♠	Pass	1 ♠	Pass
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: ♦ K

Polly's Pointers

Make pickles tasty as deli dills
By Polly Fisher

DEAR POLLY - Do you have a good recipe for pickles - the kind that taste like deli dills? - ANDY

DEAR ANDY - My favorite pickle recipe does indeed taste like the crisp half-sour deli pickles that are so good with a hamburger or a corned beef sandwich - or just about anything else. These are refrigerator pickles; I don't recommend canning them because the short fermentation period and small amount of vinegar in the brine may not contain enough acid to safely preserve the pickles for long storage at room temperature. Rather, they may be stored in their brine in the refrigerator for several weeks.

The recipe is from that excellent guide to garden-fresh produce, "The Victory Garden Cookbook" by Marian Morash (Knopf).

Thoroughly clean and halve (or cut into spears) about 2 1/2 pounds pickling cucumbers. Peel and flatten one large clove garlic (or more if you really like garlic). Wash six to eight sprigs of fresh dill if you have it. (If not, substitute one teaspoon dill seeds.)

Place the cucumbers, garlic, dill or dill seeds and 1 teaspoon whole pickling spices in a crock, glass jar, or bowl large enough to allow at least 2 inches of space between the pickles and the top of the container. Bring 1/4 cup kosher salt, 1/4 cup white vinegar, and 2 1/2 quarts water to a boil. Boil two minutes. Pour the brine over the cucumbers and weigh down with a plate and some heavy cups or cans on top. The brine should be at least one inch above the cucumbers. Keep the

crock at room temperature overnight, then refrigerate either in the crock or in clean jars (fill the jars with the brine and cover until ready to eat).

This formula is so fast and easy to use that you can make several batches during the season. And refrigerated, the pickles will keep several weeks without becoming very much stronger or more sour. One bite of these crunchy, tasty pickles will make you a regular pickle maven! - POLLY

For complete directions for boiling water bath canning, plus recipes for fruit butters and dilled green beans, order Polly's newsletter "Canning Fruits, Tomatoes and Pickles." Send \$1 for each copy to POLLY'S POINTERS, in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 93863, Cleveland, OH 44101-5863. Be sure to include the title.

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Romance through the mail will cost more next year



Sylvia Porter

If you now class letter to your lover every day of the year, it costs you \$8.25, just for the stamps. If the affair continues into the spring, you are likely to pay \$91.25 a year to maintain the romantic correspondence.

If the letters lead to a wedding and you decide to invite 200 guests to the ceremony next fall, it will probably cost you \$90 just to mail the invitations.

At the heart of this lovely story lies a financial reality that hits all of us: Mailing a first-class letter soon will cost you a quarter. This represents the most we've ever paid and continues the long-term trend toward ever-rising postal rates.

The Postal Rate Commission is expected to place its stamp of approval on across-the-board rate increases in May or June of 1988. Overall rate hikes are projected to average 16 percent. Specifically: First-class mail is slated to go up 14 percent from today's rate of 22 cents to 25 cents; post cards will jump 14 percent, from 14 cents to 16 cents; registered mail will surge 38 percent from \$3.35 to \$4.60; special delivery, first-class under 20 pounds will rise 25 percent, from \$2.95 to \$3.70. And so on.

As a proportion of consumer expenditures, postage accounts for less than 1 percent, compared to food and beverages, which account for about 18 percent, or transportation, 17 percent.

Yet postage hits us so obviously and directly in clearly marked bites that it provokes a strong reaction, even if a temporary one, in most of us.

You are not revealing much.

Japan and 47 cents in Italy. Viewed as a business, the Postal Service has been in good financial shape in the last decade, with revenues exceeding expenses by about \$97 million. For five of the past 10 years, the Postal Service has been in the black.

This success is especially significant considering that prior to Postal Reorganization, the Post Office Department in all the years since 1920 had been in the black only in the war period of 1943 to 1945.

Last year, the Postal Service earned a surplus of about \$305 million.

In addition to avoiding losses, in sheer quantity the postal business has been bulging in recent years. In 1986, over 147 billion pieces of mail were delivered in the U.S. Projections are the total will reach 155 billion for 1987. First-class mail alone accounts for 52 percent or 76.19 billion pieces, an increase of 10 percent from 1985.

Rising costs, however, are taking their toll. "Just as the volume of the rate increases going up since 1975, so have our operating costs," Jeanne O'Neill, a spokeswoman for the U.S. Postal Service reports. "We are mandated to achieve a break-even status," she adds.

While the Postal Service expects to break even this year, it says that the rate increases are necessary in 1988. Cost factors — including labor operations, supplies and health and retirement benefits — are behind the decision to raise postage rates.

But no matter. We are into a period when throwing your lover a kiss is an economic as well as romantic way to communicate.

about your age if you admit that you vividly recall the days when you paid 5 cents on first-class letters. From 1963 to 1965, it cost a nickel to mail a 1-ounce letter. Many of you also remember when a 3-cent stamp was all that was required. But these stamps were heavily subsidized by the government.

The big postal overhaul occurred in 1971 with the Postal Reorganization Act, which established the U.S. Postal Service as an independent, self-supporting corporation wholly owned by the government. In that year, the price of a stamp increased from 6 to 8 cents. Though still subsidized, that stamp more closely represented actual costs of running the U.S. mails.

The most recent increase took place back in February 1985, when the rate was raised to 22 cents from 20 cents for a 1-ounce letter. Prior to that, November 1981 was when it started paying 20 cents; March 1981, 18 cents; May 1978, 15 cents; December 1975, 13 cents; March 1974, 10 cents; May 1971, 8 cents.

Compared to other countries, postal rates in the U.S. are lower. When converted into U.S. postage, it is about 37 cents in France, 45 cents in



Glass flowers

A museum worker holds a glass replica of a plant called "Indian Pipe" or "Monotropa" at the Harvard Botanical Museum in Cambridge. It is one of 847 glass replicas of fruits and flowers at the museum, which rank as Harvard University's biggest tourist attraction.

Iowa reverses ban on nude art at state fair

DES MOINES, Iowa (AP) — Two works of art featuring female nudity were returned to display at the Iowa State Fair shortly before a hearing on a court order sought by the artists.

The Iowa Civil Liberties Union filed a lawsuit on behalf of the two artists after the State Fair Board upheld removal of the artworks.

The ban was ordered after officials received three complaints on the fair's opening day Thursday. The works, a chalk drawing of a woman's upper legs and a photograph of a woman with a breast visible through a sheer gown, were redisplayed Tuesday shortly before a hearing on ICLU's request for temporary restraining order. The hearing was canceled.

The fair board's attorney, Assistant Attorney General Tim Benton, said the board decided to re-examine the criteria under which material is excluded.

BUSINESS

GM closing devastates small town

Norwood assembly plant employed 4,000 in town of 26,000

NORWOOD, Ohio (AP) — The last car rolls off the assembly line tonight at the 64-year-old General Motors Corp. plant in a shutdown one of this Cincinnati enclave compares to a spoiled child turning on its parents.

The closing of GM's Norwood plant, by far the biggest employer in this town of 26,000, will cost 4,000 jobs and is the first of 11 planned in four states by 1990.

"What I'd like to see right now is every worker in the United States to come out in the street and tell the corporations, 'That's enough,'" said Paul Cipollone, 48, a 21-year plant employee.

The plant has been making Pontiac Firebirds and Chevrolet Camaros. The last car to roll off the line at 4 p.m. will be a Camaro, officials said. GM will continue to produce two sports cars at its Van Nuys, Calif., plant.

Layoffs were made here on Monday and Tuesday, with 1,000 employees scheduled to work their final day today. About 750 hourly employees will remain at the plant after today to pack up material and tear down machinery.

Mary Richmond waited for her husband, Arthur, as he left the plant for the final time Monday.

"We just came to meet him because it's the end of a life and the beginning of a new one," she said. "We've been together almost 36 years. We share the good and the bad."

Some workers have asked townspeople to wear black armbands or ribbons to show support for the laid-off workers.

GM generated more than \$2.6 billion in tax revenue a year for Norwood, or about 22 percent of the city's budget, officials said.

Sanker. "We are caught in a real bind now."

Norwood, facing a potential \$1.1 million deficit by year's end, has laid off 28 municipal workers and has not replaced 22 others, cut salaries, halted spending on improvements such as sidewalk repairs, and proposed a tax increase, officials said.

Earlier this month, the city filed a \$316 million suit against GM, seeking punitive damages and costs of improvements made over the years to accommodate the automaker and the 59-acre plant, which opened in 1923.

"What the city of Norwood has done is nurture a relationship with GM... accommodate them and indulge them at every point assistance was requested, just like you would indulge a child," said Robert Kelly, city law director.

"We have an overindulged child down here. We've raised a brat."

GM says it has taken steps to help Norwood, including agreeing to withhold some \$700,000 in taxes a year from unemployment benefits.

But it rejected a city request for nearly \$12 million over five years to help the city make the transition. GM also turned down a similar, but smaller request from the school district.

Businesses in town also are feeling the fallout from the closing.

"Yesterday and today we saw a big difference in our business," said Sandy Edwards, manager of a restaurant in town. "People were coming in and saying, 'This is our last order. We won't be seeing you any more.' That's when it really hit me."

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Feds accuse Northrop of fraud

LOS ANGELES — The federal government has sued Northrop Corp., alleging the defense contractor fraudulently charged the Pentagon for tests it did not conduct on an MX missile guidance device.

The civil suit, filed Tuesday in U.S. District Court, seeks to recover \$3 million which the government claims it was improperly charged for labor and equipment.

The government claims Northrop lied in saying that guidance units for the missile had been pressure tested. The government said it learned of the alleged fraud when a unit blew up during a test requested by a military inspector.

Norway was awarded contracts in 1975 and 1979 to design and manufacture the MX's inertial measurement unit, a basketball-sized device made up of more than 19,000 parts and used to guide the nuclear missile to its target.

New name is Textron Lycoming

STRATFORD — Avco Lycoming Textron, a subsidiary of Textron, Inc., has changed its name to Textron Lycoming.

The name Textron Lycoming better reflects the company's position as a world leader in small gas turbine technology, company president John K. Myers said Tuesday in a prepared statement.

Textron, Inc. is a multi-industry company with operations in aerospace technology, commercial products, and financial and other services, officials said.

NCR agrees to pay \$381,000 fine

WASHINGTON — NCR Corp. has agreed to pay \$381,000 because nine of its foreign subsidiaries allegedly cooperated with an Arab boycott of Israel.

The Commerce Department said Tuesday that NCR, based in Dayton, Ohio, agreed to the negotiated settlement and had voluntarily disclosed the 268 alleged violations, said to have occurred between 1982 and 1985.

The department said the subsidiaries allegedly provided prohibited information to Arab League countries about the subsidiaries' business relations with boycotted countries and blacklisted people, and the subsidiaries also agreed to comply with the regulations of the Arab boycott of Israel.

Cigarette warnings sufficient

BOSTON (AP) — Warnings on cigarette packages are enough to protect tobacco companies from lawsuits that claim injury or death from smoking, a federal appeals court has ruled in a decision that sent tobacco company stocks soaring.

Tuesday's decision by the 1st U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals, the second such ruling in four days, came in a \$3 million lawsuit filed in 1983 against Liggett and Myers Tobacco Co. of Durham, N.C., by the heirs of Joseph C. Palmer, who died of lung cancer at age 49 in 1980.

Relatives of Palmer who lived in Newton, said he smoked three to four packs of L&M cigarettes a day until his death.

The family's lawsuit blamed his death on smoking and claimed the tobacco company was negligent in failing to provide adequate warnings about the risks of smoking.

Liggett and Myers, appealing a federal judge's April 1986 ruling that health warnings on cigarette packs do not protect tobacco companies from lawsuits, contended that the warnings shielded the company from liability.

In Tuesday's ruling, the court said the Federal Cigarette Labeling and Advertising Act, passed by Congress in 1965 despite heated opposition by the tobacco industry, placed the burden on the Palmer family's state-based claim.

"It is inconceivable that Congress intended to have that carefully wrought balance of national interests superseded by the views of a single state judge, purporting to speak for the entire nation," wrote U.S. Circuit Court Judge John R. Brown.

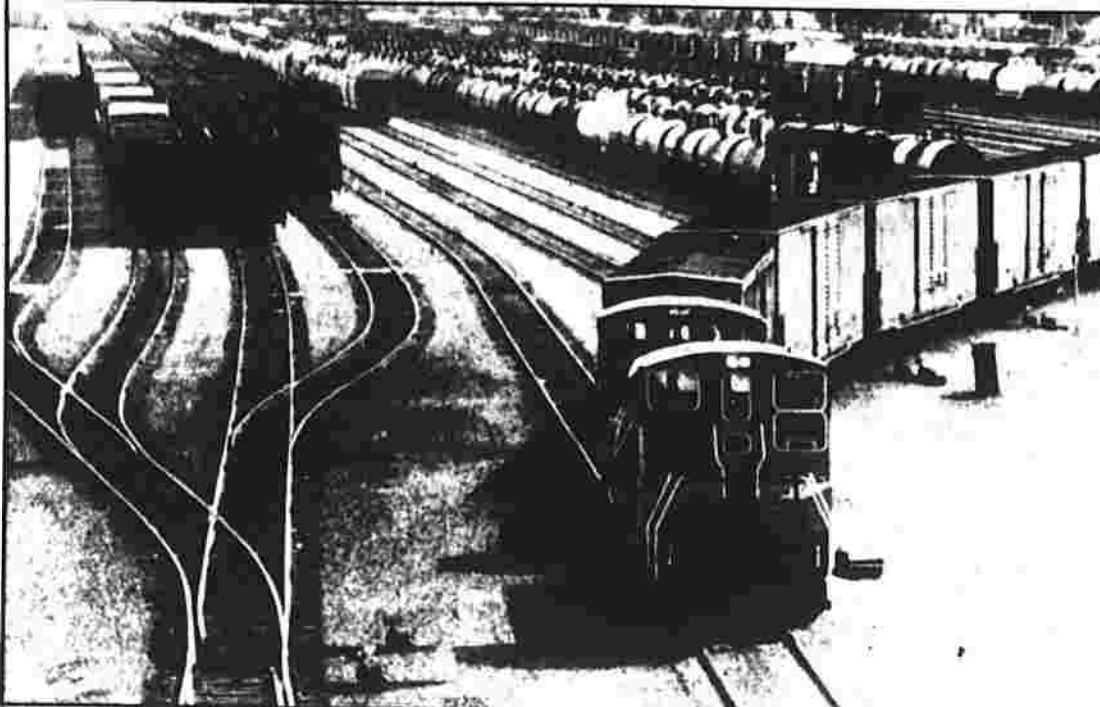
A similar ruling was issued Friday by the 11th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in Atlanta. That ruling also said the federal labeling and advertising act pre-empted state laws regarding product liability.

Joseph Murray, general counsel for Liggett, called the decision "very favorable" and said it was "consistent with the position we've always taken in that we have no liability."

The Palmer's lawyer, Robert Potters, was on vacation and unavailable for comment, according to his secretary.

The three-judge panel also ruled that many precedents set by other cases in which people were harmed by dangerous products did not necessarily apply because "cigarette smoking, at least initially, is a voluntary activity."

The decision boosted the stocks of cigarette companies. Among the gainers were RJR Nabisco, which jumped 4 1/2 to \$69.75, and Philip Morris, which rose 6 1/2 to \$119.87 1/2.



Last stop

Bureau has a list of bonds

QUESTION: I am one of four children. It was our understanding that our father purchased U.S. Savings Bonds for many years. In fact, he told his sister he was leaving "a lot of money" when he died.

After our father died and we cleaned out the strongbox he carried around, we found no bonds. My mother recalls seeing a piece of paper with long numbers written on it. But it meant nothing to her and she threw it out.

Father traveled a great deal. He had money in two banks, which we located. No bank has come forward with information about savings bonds.

Is there such a thing as a master list of all the U.S. Savings Bonds that have ever been issued?

ANSWER: Yes. It's maintained by the Bureau of the Public Debt, 200 Third St., Parkersburg, WV 26101. Write there and get the ball rolling for a search of that bureau's records to determine if your father bought the bonds you believe he did and if the bonds were redeemed.

It's a proud boast of the U.S. Treasury Department's Savings Bond Division that all lost, stolen, destroyed or mutilated U.S. Savings Bonds will be replaced upon establishment of satisfactory proof.

Assuming your father bought and never cashed Savings Bonds, his heirs are entitled to receive duplicate bonds with the same issue dates. Or, if you prefer, you can receive the bonds' redemption values.

Because you have no records of your father's Savings Bond ownership, you will present the Bureau of the Public Debt with a major chore.

QUESTION: I have a partially filled booklet of 25-cent stamps issued by the "Postal Savings Plan for the Purchase of United States Defense Savings Bonds." There are 17 stamps in it. Where can I redeem these stamps?

ANSWER: Every bank and other Savings Bond agent is allowed — but not required — to redeem those stamps for their face value. The Bureau of the Public Debt and Federal Reserve banks are required to redeem those stamps. Your local bank can provide the address of the Federal Reserve Bank serving your area.

You can present that book with \$4.25 worth of those stamps and \$21.75 to any savings bond agent and purchase the smallest denomination Series EE bond for \$25. Savings Bond agents are required to accept those old stamps in full or part payment.

QUESTION: You wrote, "EE Savings Bonds now being sold are scheduled to mature in 12 years." My bank claims the EE bonds they sell will mature in 10 years. Can you explain?

ANSWER: You received wrong information at your bank. The person you spoke to there might have looked at out-dated literature. EE bonds issued since Nov. 1, 1986, mature in 12 years. EEs issued from No. 1, 1982 through Oct. 31, 1986, have 10-year maturities.

QUESTION: Can U.S. Savings Bonds be cashed with no ID?

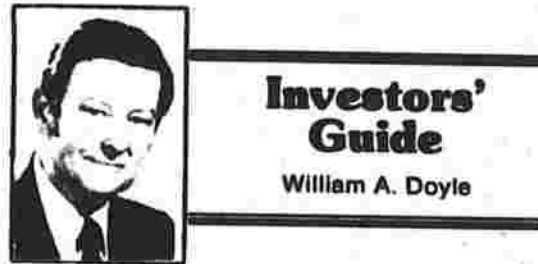
ANSWER: No! Banks and other Savings Bond paying agents are required to establish the owner's identity before redeeming a bond. The Treasury Department provides an "Identification Guide" to paying agents for that very purpose.

QUESTION: I put \$15,000 into Series EE, U.S. Savings Bonds last October and now find I will need that money. Can I borrow directly against my EE bonds, or put them in a margin account with a broker?

ANSWER: Nope. The rules specify that Savings Bonds cannot be "hypothecated, pledged as collateral or used as security for performance of an obligation."

No bank or other lender that knows its business will allow you to borrow money against Savings Bonds. Nor will any brokerage firm take Savings Bonds into a margin (lending) account.

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The Quiz

Matchwords

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Newsname

Answers to the Quiz

1. Investigators inspected the wreckage of the McDonnell Douglas MD-80 that crashed on takeoff from Detroit recently, killing at least 156 people. Earlier this year, some experts had warned that the type of (CHOOSE ONE: jet engine, rudder) on the plane was susceptible to mechanical failures.

2. U.S. journalist Charles Glass recently escaped his kidnappers in Lebanon. TRUE OR FALSE: Glass is the first of the Lebanon hostages to escape from captivity.

3. White House officials recently said that (CHOOSE ONE: a one-time-only tax windfall, unexpectedly strong economic growth) has raised revenues this year, lowering the projected fiscal 1987 budget deficit.

4. (CHOOSE ONE: Australia's, New Zealand's) Labor Party recently won a general election. Under the Labor Party, that country has banned the docking of nuclear-powered or nuclear-armed ships in its harbors.

5. The Administration's proposed billion-dollar arms-sales package for (CHOOSE ONE: Kuwait, Saudi Arabia) is already arousing intense debate in Congress.

6. At the Pan Am Games, long-jumper Carl Lewis came up a few inches short in his bid to break Bob Beamon's record set at the ... Olympics in Mexico City.

7. The new Women's International Tennis Association computer rankings list West Germany's ... as the number-one women's player in the world.

8. Former Oklahoma linebacker Brian Bosworth signed a 10-year contract worth \$11 million dollars. The contract makes the (CHOOSE ONE: L.A. Raiders, Seattle Seahawks) star the highest-paid defensive player in the NFL.

Answers to the Quiz

1. jet engine

2. TRUE

3. unexpectedly strong economic growth

4. Australia's

5. Saudi Arabia

6. L.A. Raiders

7. West Germany's

8. Seattle Seahawks

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