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**FACES OF GRIEF** — Citizens of Leninakan, Armenia, show their grief Thursday following the earthquake that may have left 80,000 people dead and 2.5 million homeless. Leninakan suffered heavy damage.

## Town man thinks kin are safe

At least one Manchester resident, Richard Kalagian of 29 Teresa Road, has relatives in earthquake-stricken Soviet Armenia but he said today they appear to live outside the area hardest struck by a devastating earthquake.

Kalagian said his Armenian relatives live in Yerevan, the Armenian capital south of the center of the quake. While he has not heard from them, he said, news reports he has read indicate that while many windows were smashed there, there was not severe damage. He said he hopes to contact his relatives as soon as possible.

He said many of his relatives moved to the United States 10 or 12 years ago.

The Rev. Yeprem Kelegian, pastor of St. George's Armenian Church in Hartford, said today the church has several members from Manchester and Bolton, but few of them still have relatives in Armenia.

"We are all brothers and sisters to the people in Armenia whether we are blood relations or not," Kelegian said.

He urged people to make donations to aid the quake victims. He said they can be sent to the Armenian Diocese Earthquake Fund at 630 2nd Ave. New York, New York, 10016.

Meanwhile AmeriCares, an international relief group based in New Canaan, has 80,000 pounds of supplies waiting to be delivered to earthquake victims.

Those include medical supplies, tents, blankets and sheets, said Steve Norman, an AmeriCares spokesman.

"Blood is the primary thing. Second is medicine and antibiotics," Norman said Thursday. "That's right up our alley."

"What makes this very unique is that it is in the Soviet Union, and it's a fairly isolated area," Norman said. "There's no OK to fly in there. This requires alot of help on the part of our government, and on the part of theirs."

"We're basically poised," he added. "There's nothing more for us to do but go."

The earthquake on Wednesday may have killed up to 50,000 people, according to estimates Armenian journalists said were

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**RUINS** — A pile of rubble is all that is left of an apartment building in Spitak, Armenia, following Wednesday's earthquake.

## Bolton petitioners urge town to override manager rejection

By Andrew J. Davis  
Manchester Herald

**BOLTON** — Two members of the former Charter Revision Commission have begun a petition drive to override selectmen's veto of their proposal recommending a switch to a town manager form of government.

Former Charter Revision Commission member Ginny Wickersham said Thursday that she and member Robert Lessard started the drive. The Charter Revision Commission was officially dissolved after selectmen vetoed the proposed charter changes Tuesday.

Wickersham said that notification of the petition has been filed with Town Clerk Catherine Leiner and signatures will begin to be collected today.

The rejection of the charter by the selectmen means it will take a petition with about 225 signatures, or 10 percent of the eligible town voters, to override the veto and bring it up for a townwide vote, said Wickersham.

In addition to the switch to the town manager form of government, the commission also had proposed eliminating the Board of Finance and eliminating the power of Annual Town Meeting voters to make specific changes in the town budget. Residents would only have been able to approve or vote down the budget under the rejected charter plan.

Selectmen Douglas T. Cheney, Lawrence A. Converse III and Carl A. Preuss voted against the charter, mainly because of the town manager proposal. First Selectman Sandra W. Pierog and Selectman Michael A. Zizka voted in favor of it.

If selectmen had approved the charter commission's proposals, a Jan. 9 townwide vote was tentatively scheduled.

Wickersham said that the selectmen should have passed the charter, even if some had reservations about the proposals. The ultimate fate of the proposals should be left up to the voters, she said.

"I think that's the crux," she said. "We as a commission put too much time to have three people (selectmen), who may have not put in as much time, judge."

Under state law, a petition must be presented within 45 days of the rejection by selectmen. If the petition is presented, the selectmen will have 15 months to hold an election on the charter proposal, according to the law.

Lessard said he was "optimistic" they would be able to get enough signatures within the allotted time.

"We'd like to get it as soon as possible," he said. "We'll keep going until we get it. We have to keep the momentum going."

Lessard said he would like to get the petition in before the party caucuses in mid-January. If the vote is held before the caucuses, the parties can nominate people to newly-appointed positions. Under the Charter Revision Commission's proposal, the number of selectmen would have increased from five to seven.

Having the vote before the caucuses, though, may not be feasible, Pierog said. "I think right now a Jan. 9 referendum is getting close to impossible," she said.

## Quake aid rushed to Armenia

### 80,000 feared dead; 2.5 million homeless

**MOSCOW (AP)** — Relief planes from around the world rushed emergency supplies into Armenia today to help victims of an earthquake that killed tens of thousands of people and left hundreds of thousands homeless.

A spokesman for Yerevan's Zvartnots airport said planes arrived today from France, Belgium and Bulgaria and many more were expected. It was the first time disaster aid had reached the Soviet Union on such a scale.

Soviet officials released no death toll two days after Wednesday's quake, but the Soviet ambassador in Britain, Leonid Zamyatin, said today that about 80,000 people died in the southern republic of 3.3 million.

Speaking briefly in English to a delegation of Armenians at the Soviet Embassy in London, he said: "Our estimate is, but it's not an exact figure, that we have about 80,000 people who lost life in Armenia, and 2.5 million lost their homes." He added: "Many people are in hospitals, including children."

Previous statements had put the death toll in the thousands, but sources have provided unofficial estimates of as many as 50,000.

A scientist predicted more tremors would occur. Workers scrambled to find survivors buried in the rubble.

President Mikhail S. Gorbachev returned home to direct the growing relief efforts, which brought emergency food, medical supplies and search equipment to the devastated region.

Gorbachev, who cut short a trip to the United States and canceled plans to visit Cuba and Britain, arrived back in Moscow before dawn, Tass said. He was expected to travel to the stricken area, but officials refused to say when he would do so.

Leon Azruyan, an editor at the official Armentpress news agency in the Armenian capital, Yerevan, said he saw dozens of villages "totally destroyed." In

## Officials, students seek compromise over dress code

By Maureen Leavitt  
Manchester Herald

Three days after 100 Manchester High School students defiantly protested a new dress code designed to keep weapons out of classrooms, school officials and students say they are ready to compromise.

Principal Jacob Ludes III said today a three-member faculty team is working with a student committee to review the policy. While the policy forbids the wearing of jackets, sweatshirts and other outerwear, Ludes has agreed to allow students to wear hooded sweatshirts until talks end with the students.

"We can accommodate that as an interim measure," Ludes said. Students, meanwhile, have agreed to stop protesting for the time being.

"We've started work on a compromise," Student Council co-president Mo Moriarty said this morning during a break from school. "We're going to continue ironing out differences with students and the administration on what is considered outerwear."

The policy was implemented Tuesday three weeks after a student threatened another in a science classroom with a gun he carried under his clothing, school officials said. About 21 students were suspended as a result of defying the order, Ludes said.

Ludes gave a memorandum to the Student Council Thursday asking them to review the dress policy and submit recommendations in 30 days. After school Thursday, two Student Council representatives from each home-

room, the Student Council executive board and three faculty members met to organize the review committee.

"They had a good meeting yesterday," Ludes said today.

This morning Moriarty announced over the school intercom a statement explaining the review committee's goals. In the statement, Moriarty also clarified what he called "misconceptions" among students over the policy.

For example, cardigan and pullover sweaters can be worn during school, but hats and coats are still banned, he said in the statement.

The Student Council also asked students to refrain from protesting because it will interfere with negotiations and the sweatshirt ban might be re-instated, Moriarty said.

Moriarty said he feels students are willing to wait and see what the committee can accomplish. He added he is confident the committee will succeed.

"We acted quickly so they

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## About Town

### Send us your news

The Manchester Herald welcomes news releases about community activities for publication in the About Town column, which appears on this page Monday through Friday.

The releases should concern events open to the public in Manchester, Bolton, Coventry and Andover. Releases concerning activities in other communities will be considered.

Items will be published once, space permitting. All releases will be subject to editing.

The releases should, if possible, be typed, double-spaced, and include the name and phone number of someone available during the day who can provide further information.

Black and white photographs will be considered for publication.

Please send releases so they arrive at least five days before the day you would like them published.

A specific publication date cannot be guaranteed.

Send releases to: About Town, Manchester Herald, P.O. Box 591, Manchester 06040.

## Bridge results posted

The following is the list of the winners for the Nov. 21 and Dec. 1 games of the Manchester AM Bridge Club. The Nov. 21 play was for the open pair club championship and overall winners were Frankie Brown and Faye Lawrence.

Other Nov. 21 winners were: North-south: Linda Simmons and Peg Dunfield, first; Mary Sullivan and Harvey Sirota, second; Hal Lucal and Carol Lucal, third.

East-west: Frankie Brown and Faye Lawrence, first; Marion McCarthy and Virginia Petersen, second; and Barbara Phillips and Murray Powell, third.

Nov. 28, north-south: Mollie Timreck and Peg Dunfield, first; Ellen Goldberg and Irwin Goldberg, second; Harvey Sirota and Frank Bloomer, third.

East-west: Frankie Brown and Faye Lawrence, first; Barbara Phillips and Murray Powell, second; and Dale Harned and Ann McLaughlin, third.

Dec. 1, north-south: Eleanor Berggren and Gracey Shea, first; Linda Simmons and Mollie Timreck, second; and Sara Mendelsohn and Peg Arsenaux, third.

East-west: Bev Saunders and Mary Willhide, first; Frankie Brown and Peg Dunfield, second; and Carol Lucal and Ann Best, third.

## Keeney to hold concert

The Keeney School Winter Concert will be presented Tuesday. The concert will feature students in kindergarten through fourth grade at 10 a.m.; grades four through six at 1:30 p.m. and at 7 p.m. Both groups will perform again for parents, relatives and friends. For information, call Barb Reed, 649-6513.

## Holiday concert slated

The Manchester High School Music Department will present a Holiday Concert Wednesday, Dec. 21 at 7:30 p.m. in Bailey Auditorium. The concert will feature the Manchester High Choir, Jazz and Band, Concert Band, Wind Ensemble, Orchestra and the Roundtable Singers. Admission is free and open to the public. For more information, call 647-3321.

## Society plans potluck

St. Bridget Rosary Society will have its annual potluck supper and Christmas party on Monday at 6:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria. Those attending should bring a main dish, dessert or salad.

Bridget Gilcrest a music teacher at Manchester High School, will have her flute choir entertain. Members should also bring a gift to be given to patients at local convalescent homes and to the Manchester Elderly Outreach program.

## S.C.O.R.E. offers help

The Service Corps of Retired Executives is offering a workshop Tuesday, Dec. 20 addressing matters of concern to small business entrepreneurs at the Greater Hartford Community College, 61 Woodland St., Hartford. A \$10 fee is payable at the door and preregistration is not necessary.

## Lottery

Winning numbers drawn Thursday in lotteries around New England:

Connecticut daily: 562. Play Four: 0043.

Massachusetts daily: 9728.

Tri-state daily: 651, 5557.

Rhode Island daily: 6394. Lot-O-Bucks: 2-6-12-15-38.

## Weather

**REGIONAL WEATHER**

Accu-Weather® forecast for Saturday  
Daytime Conditions and High Temperatures

West Coast, East Coast: A chance of flurries in the evening then clearing. Low 10 to 15. Northwest wind around 10 mph. Mostly sunny and cold Saturday. High 20 to 25.

West Central, East Central: A chance of flurries in the evening then clearing. Low around 20. Northwest wind around 10 mph. Mostly sunny and cold Saturday. High 25 to 30.

Northwest Hills: Variable cloudiness and cold with a chance of flurries tonight. Low around 10. Light northwest wind. Partly sunny and cold Saturday. High around 20.

Long Island Sound to Watch Hill, R.I. and Montauk Point: Wind tonight northwest 10 to 15 knots.

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## Obituaries

### Mary Dubay

Mary H. Dubay, 46, of 225 Parker St., died Thursday (Dec. 8, 1988) at Hartford Hospital.

She was born in Manchester on Nov. 19, 1942, the daughter of the late Forrest and Ruth (Hutton) Howell, and had been a lifelong resident. She graduated from Manchester High School. She was a retired from Aetna Insurance Co. and was a volunteer with the Manchester Memorial Hospital.

She was a member of the American Cancer Society, she was a member of the South United Methodist Church. She survived by two aunts and several cousins.

The funeral will be Sunday at 3 p.m. at the Holmes Funeral Home, 44 Main St. Burial will be Monday at 10 a.m. in East Cemetery. There are no calling hours.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Kidney Fund, 7315 Wisconsin Blvd., Bethesda, Md. 20814.

### Albert M. Churilla

Albert M. Churilla Sr., 73, of 918 Parker St., died Thursday (Dec. 8, 1988) at Manchester Memorial Hospital. He was the husband of Celia (Ouellette) Churilla.

Born in Homestead, Pa., he lived in Manchester for the last 43 years. Before retiring, he worked for 40 years at Hamilton Standard, Windsor Locks. Churilla was active in the Little Theater of Manchester.

Besides his wife, he is survived by four sons, Albert M. Churilla Jr. of East Sandwich, R.I., Kenneth R. Churilla of San Jose, Calif., Michael P. Churilla of Simsbury and David N. Churilla of Pontiac, S.C.; two brothers, Joseph Churilla of Swisshale, Pa., and Leonard Churilla of Pittsburgh, Pa.; a sister, Helen Strang of Pittsburgh; and four grandchildren.

The funeral will be Saturday at 10:15 a.m. from the John F. Tierney Funeral Home, 219 W. Center St., followed by a Mass of Christian burial at 11 a.m. in St. Bridget Church. Burial will be in East Cemetery. Calling hours are today from 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, 243 E. Center St., Manchester 06040.

### Michael J. Generis

Michael J. Generis, 90, of East Hartford, father of James I. Generis of Manchester, died Wednesday (Dec. 7, 1988) at Manchester Memorial Hospital.

Besides his son, he is survived by his wife, Marcia (Kypreos) Generis of East Hartford; another son, Thomas J. Generis of East Hartford; four sisters in Greece; four grandchildren; and a great-grandson.

The funeral will be Saturday at 10:15 a.m. from the Callahan Funeral Home, 1602 Main St., East Hartford, followed by a funeral service at 11 a.m. in St. George Greek Orthodox Cathedral, 433 Fairfield Ave., Hartford. Burial will be in Rose Hill Memorial Park, Rocky Hill.

Calling hours are today from 7 to 9 p.m. A Trisunion service will be held tonight at 8 at the funeral home.

Memorial donations may be made to the St. George Greek Orthodox Cathedral, Hartford.

### Eva M. Perrett

Eva M. Perrett, 90, of 44-E Case Drive, died Thursday (Dec. 8, 1988) at Manchester Memorial Hospital. She was the wife of Walter B. Perrett Sr. They celebrated their 68th wedding anniversary in June.

She was born in Manchester on March 16, 1898 and lived here many years. After retiring from

Pratt & Whitney Aircraft, East Hartford, she and her husband moved to Sarasota, Fla., and lived there 23 years, returning to Manchester seven years ago. She was a senior member of the Manchester Salvation Army and was also a member of the Home League and League of Mercy.

Beside her husband, she is survived by two sons, Walter B. Perrett Jr. of Storrs, and G. Alton Perrett of Manchester; a daughter, Mrs. Ethel Orfellini of Manchester; and a daughter-in-law, Emily Hanna Perrett in Maine; the late Mrs. Christine Perrett of Manchester; a sister, Mrs. Joanne Jessup of Bradenton, Fla.; 14 grandchildren; and 16 great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by a son, William A. Perrett, in 1982.

The funeral will be Saturday at 11 a.m. at the Salvation Army Citadel, 661 Main St. Burial will be in East Cemetery. Calling hours are today from 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. at the Holmes Funeral Home, 400 Main St.

Memorial donations may be made to the Salvation Army Citadel, 661 Main St., Manchester 06040.

### Joseph Medeiros

Joseph Medeiros, 66, of 68 Chestnut St., formerly of East Hartford, died Wednesday (Dec. 7, 1988) at a local convalescent home.

He was born in New Bedford, Mass., and had lived in East Hartford most of his life before moving to Manchester eight years ago. Before retiring in 1979, he was a member of the Hartford Police Department for 23 years. He received the Distinguished Service Award for taking part in the investigation and apprehension of a man who had murdered two women in Hartford.

He was the past commander of the Hartford Veterans of Foreign Wars Post No. 2449. He was a member of the VFW Post No. 2083, East Hartford, and was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II. After his retirement from the police department, he was the owner and operator of the Medeiros Painting Contractors for the last nine years.

He is survived by two sons and daughters-in-law, Dr. Denis M. and Dr. Lydia Medeiros in Wyoming; David W. and Paula Medeiros of Manchester; his mother, Mary Teresa Medeiros of New Bedford, Mass.; and a sister, Irene Buchanan of Boston, Mass.; and several grandchildren.

### James McGovern

TRUMBULL (AP) — James I. McGovern Jr., a Bridgeport native who worked for Raybestos Co. for 45 years and accepted appointments under Presidents Kennedy and Johnson, died Thursday in St. Vincent's Medical Center. He was 85.

McGovern served on numerous boards in Trumbull and Bridgeport, and Trumbull Town Court Judge and a 56-year member of the Trumbull Democratic Town Committee.

He was appointed by President John F. Kennedy to represent the U.S. Department of Commerce on a 1963 American Trade Mission to Finland, and by President Lyndon B. Johnson to serve as a three-year member of the Department of Transportation National Motor Vehicle Safety Council.

He is survived by his widow, Helen Deegan McGovern, a sister, and six sons.

### Honor Rolls

Here is the first-quarter honor roll for RHAM Junior High School.

**GRADE 7**  
Andrew Amer, Jeremy Fowler, Heather Lorton, Michael Neuber, Carl Solifredo, Melissa Uccello, Christopher Ward, Kathleen Brov, David Johnson, Heather Ladd, Roger Nichols, Diana Schenck, Benjamin McGowan, Michael Kennedy, Melissa Mizicko, Jennifer W. and Paula Trzcinski, Marisa Wolford and Nicole Wirtalo.

**GRADE 8**  
Monica Alvallotti, Jodi Bufano, Nicole Bouchoux, Jessica Bowe, Christopher Campbell, Mandy Carroll, Sara Chamberlain, Christine Colantuono, Daphne DeGiorno, Kelly Dillner, Joseph DiStasio, Christopher Gagnon, Honora, Pamela Iovello, Erik Lorton, Anthony Ladd, Joseph McGowan, Shannon McKenna, Melissa Mizicko, Jennifer W. and Paula Trzcinski, Marisa Wolford and Nicole Wirtalo.

**GRADE 9**  
Amy Bartok, Omar Ghoul, Michelle Buckley, Jeffrey Hooker and Michelle Hennes.

**GRADE 10**  
Thomas Bolonczyk, Shelby Bonomo, Jeremy Chen, David D'Onofrio, Greg Chio, Mitchel Chio, Jennifer Gorksi, Matthew Healin, Brooke Horvath, Amy Porter, Daniel Roy, Jennifer Tenzor, Scott Bales, Danielle Burtis, Nicole Chervenok, Christine Deol, Kori Dodge, Amy Espinoza, Kristen Grunovis, William Hodge, Bethany Hope, Jennifer Wendy Moore, Brian Marlon, Robert Rieder, Brett Russell, Kara Ropowicz, Alison Smith, Giulio Tullis, Matthew Williams, Joyce Caruso, Sharon D'Ambrosio, Amber Derrick, Nicole Duchon, Brian Frazier, Sharon Gustafson, Melonie Hoffman, Corey Incey, Dawn Kane, Tracy Lehman, Daniel McCalliffe, Barbara Nickels, Justin Pappas, Ryan Romanowski, Correy Stoba and Jami Weiner.

## Police Roundup

### Task force arrests 4 in Vernon drug bust

By Nancy Conzelmann  
Manchester Herald

Members of the Tri-Town Narcotics Task Force and the Vernon Police Department arrested four people Thursday in Vernon and charged them with possession of narcotics, operating a drug factory and possession of firearms — including a machine gun, Vernon police said today.

The four were arrested during a search of an apartment in the Sherwood Arms complex at 565 Talcottville Road at 10:45 p.m. Police seized small amounts of cocaine, marijuana and LSD, drug paraphernalia, \$245 in cash and "numerous firearms," including a machine gun, loaded rifle and loaded semi-automatic handgun, said Lt. Brian Smith of the Vernon Police Department.

Manchester, Vernon and South Windsor police officers are on the Tri-Town Narcotics Task Force. Arrested during the search and charged with possession of cocaine, possession of less than 4 ounces of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia, operating a drug factory and illegal possession of a machine gun were: Marc Davis, 35, of 565 Talcottville Road, Vernon, who was also charged with first-degree larceny and possession of LSD; Ann Davis, 35, of the same address, who was also charged with possession of LSD; Clifford Printup, 24, of 5181 Chew Road, Sanborn, N.Y., who was also charged with risk of injury to a minor; and Ted Nelson, 29, of 999 Balmer Road, Youngstown, N.Y., who was also charged with criminal impersonation, according to police.

Smith said Officer Tom Phelps of the Vernon Police Department was called to investigate a reported burglary at the Sherwood Arms apartments Thursday. During his investigation, Phelps found a vehicle in the parking lot that had been reported stolen Nov. 1 from Poughkeepsie, N.Y., Smith said. Marc Davis was charged with stealing the vehicle, he said.

Smith said a further investigation of the vehicle led Phelps to the stolen vehicle into the attempted hijacking of a truck in Shrewsbury, Mass. Smith did not have additional information on the reported hijacking attempt.

Phelps' investigation resulted in two search and seizure warrants for the Davis apartment, according to Smith.

All four suspects were held in Vernon on \$100,000 cash bond and presented in Rockville Superior Court this morning, Smith said.

### Joseph Pelletier

Joseph Louis "Louie" Pelletier, 69, of East Hartford, husband of Lauretta (Plouffe) Pelletier and father of Michael P. Pelletier and Lorraine R. Marneau, both of Coventry, died Wednesday (Dec. 7, 1988) at home.

Besides his wife, son and daughter, he is survived by two other sons, Ronald L. Pelletier of Huntsville, Ala., Lloyd J. Pelletier of East Hartford; two other daughters, Norma M. Pelletier of South Windsor and Donna A. Pelletier of Atlanta, Ga.; nine grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

The funeral will be Saturday at 9:30 a.m. from the Newkirk & Whitney Funeral Home, 318 Church Ave., East Hartford, with a Mass of Christian Burial at 10:30 a.m. in St. Rose Church, East Hartford. Burial will be in St. Joseph's Cemetery. Calling hours are today from 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m.

Memorial donations may be made to the East Hartford Visiting Nurses and Home Care Association (Hospital), 70 Canterbury St., East Hartford 06108.

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### Current Quotations

"I don't think 'The Russians Are Coming' thing really fits. They've been around for a while." — Carl McMillan, a Soviet expert at Carleton University in Ottawa, explaining that the Soviet push for business with the West may seem new but that the communist superpower has been dabbling in overseas ventures for decades.

"I do think that there is evidence that they don't like being a pariah, that they might want to join the family of nations and join them with the idea of bringing about or establishing peace." — President Reagan, whose latest assessment is that the Kremlin appears to be steering away from its old goal of "a one-world communist state."

### Thoughts

A tax assessor came once a day to a Pentecostal pastor to determine the amount of taxes the pastor would have to pay. The following conversation took place:

"What property do you possess?" asked the assessor.

"I am a very wealthy man," replied the minister.

"List your possessions, please," the assessor instructed.

"First, I have everlasting life. John 3:16.

"Second, I have a mansion in Heaven. John 14:2.

"Third, I have peace that passeth understanding. Phil. 4:7.

"Fourth, I have joy unspeakable. I Peter 1:8.

"Fifth, I have divine love which never faileth. I Cor. 13:4.

"Sixth, I have a faithful, pious wife. Pro. 31:10.

"Seventh, I have healthy, happy, obedient children. Ex. 20:12.

"Eighth, I have true, loyal friends. Pro. 18:24.

"Ninth, I have songs in the night. Ps. 42:8.

"Tenth, I have a crown of life. James 1:12."

The tax assessor closed his book and said, "Truly you are a very rich man, but your property is not subject to taxation."

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## Buckland Road plan gets review

### Three-car accident injures 1

By Nancy Conzelmann  
Manchester Herald

SOUTH WINDSOR — A Buckland Road improvement plan approved Tuesday by the South Windsor Planning and Zoning Commission is one of three proposals that will be needed to accommodate traffic from increased development in Manchester and South Windsor, the town manager said Thursday.

"The impact (of development) is going to be felt in our town," Richard Sartor said.

The plan approved Tuesday calls for construction of a four-lane bypass road off Buckland Road between the Manchester town line and the Five Corners intersection in South Windsor, Sartor said.

The proposal is part of a \$13 million long-term plan that also includes improvements to the Five Corners intersection. The improvements are to be funded by state and federal monies that aren't yet available for construction, which means they won't be complete until after 1994, he said.

Manchester Planning Director Mark Pellegri said today he and Senior Planner Stuart Popper plan to review the improvement plans at the South Windsor planning office Monday because Smith said Davis was charged with stealing the vehicle, he said.

Manchester is not required to review or approve plans, he said. "We're going to go just to see what's being talked about," Pellegri said. Traffic engineers have told South Windsor officials that by the time long-term improvements are in place, traffic from increased development will put the Five Corners intersection over capacity, Sartor said.

The town will have to develop a third plan for improvements to the intersection even after it's rebuilt, he said.

But traffic from a development boom in Manchester that includes the \$70 million Pavilions at Buckland Hills and commercial, residential and industrial uses in Manchester and South Windsor won't wait for these long-term road improvements.

The Mall at Buckland Hills Partnership, which includes the Homart Development Co. of Chicago, has agreed to make \$2 million worth of improvements to roads that link Manchester and South Windsor and contribute \$45,000 to make interim improvements to the Five Corners intersection.

In exchange, South Windsor has agreed to drop lawsuits it's filed over the State Traffic Commission's approvals of the mall and subsequent expansions. South Windsor had charged that the STC should require improvements to South Windsor roads in its approvals.

Also involved in the interim improvement plan is Down East Associates, which has proposed a 455,000 square-foot shopping center for land in South Windsor and Manchester near the mall site.

### Accident scene

ACCIDENT SCENE — Police investigate scene of accident at the intersection of Oakland Street and Sheldon Road Thursday that injured a Stafford woman. The pickup truck she was driving collided with two vehicles.

Patrick Flynn/Manchester Herald

### Three-car accident injures 1

By Maureen Leavitt  
Manchester Herald

A Stafford woman was injured in a three-car accident Thursday at the intersection of Oakland Street and Sheldon Road, police said.

A 1985 Ford Pickup truck driven by Colleen Little, 18, of Stafford was traveling north on Oakland Street at 12:55 p.m. when it collided with a 1978 Chevrolet traveling west on Sheldon Road driven by Cecile Coulombe, 73, of Woodland St., police said.

Vicki Doucette, 19, from Stafford, a passenger in the truck, was taken by ambulance to Manchester Memorial Hospital. She suffered head and shoulder contusions and acute neck sprain and strain and was treated and released later Thursday, said Andrew Beck, hospital spokesman.

Little received a minor cut in the accident, according to police. Coulombe's car spun around but she was not injured. She said she was wearing her seatbelt. Another car, a 1973 Mercury, driven by Steven Mayne, 18, of Manchester was on Sheldon Road waiting to advance when it collided with the truck after the truck careened off the Chevrolet, police said. He was not injured and his car did not appear to be damaged, according to police.

Coulombe received a ticket for failure to grant the right-of-way, according to police. The traffic light at the intersection was flashing red on Sheldon Road and flashing yellow on Oakland Road at the time of the accident, according to police.

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"So we're going to ignore the state's recommendations on that issue?" Glaeser said.

"The regulation should 'at least identify those horribly hazardous uses,' commission member Gail Libbey said.

"It's very difficult to prohibit some and not others and have a regulation you can easily defend," Pellegri said.

PZC members were also concerned that prohibiting could force businesses in the zones that wanted to expand to move out of town and could reduce the value of industrially or commercially zoned land in those areas, Pellegri said.

Conservation Commission members also criticized a new provision that regulates only businesses that use or store over a certain amount of hazardous material. Pellegri said that provision that regulates only businesses that use or store over a certain amount of hazardous material that gets into the aquifer could do extensive damage, Pellegri said the Water Department shares that view.

"If there's one problem, it's all over," Tully said. "We're playing with very high stakes."

The town Health Department has suggested regulating businesses that use or store hazardous materials identified by the state and federal governments as "extremely hazardous." That option has been considered by the PZC, Pellegri said.

He encouraged commission members to criticize their recommendations to proposed changes at meetings scheduled for Dec. 15. The meeting, sponsored by the Economic Development Commission, is not a public hearing, but will allow agencies representing various interests in town to express their opinions, Pellegri said.

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Bolton High School will dismiss students at noon, while Bolton Elementary School and Bolton Center School will dismiss students at 1 p.m., said Richard E. Packman, school superintendent.

The day originally had been scheduled as a full day, but the board decided to let students out of school early for Christmas vacation.

The board met Thursday at Bolton Center School.

### The 'shape of things to come' is labor shortages, 227 learn

By Andrew J. Davis  
Manchester Herald

"The youth baby boom is over," he said. "That was the exception in this country's history rather than the rule."

Povlosky, who spent two years researching and writing his book, said that between 1946 and 1964, 76 million people or about one-third of this country's population was born. Though there may be a miniature baby boom now, that will end within 15 years, he said.

With the aging of America, there will be fewer college students and a scarcity of people seeking entry-level jobs. Povlosky said. In 1979, there were almost 26 million people between the ages of 16 and 24, that number slipped to under 24 million in 1986 and should fall to around 21 million in the year 2000.

"We're seeing it (a labor shortage) primarily in teen-agers now," said Povlosky. "There's no one to bag your groceries now and there's not going to be any shirt salesman tomorrow."

The aging of America also will mean a shift in the country's emphasis from the young to the middle aged, said Povlosky.

Surprisingly, a scarcity of workers may mean more production from business, said Povlosky. The lack of employees will mean businesses will have to train workers better and invest in technology, he said.

"In the long run, we'll have tough times adjusting to these changes, but that doesn't necessarily mean bad times if we adjust well," Povlosky said.

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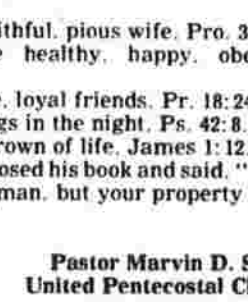
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### Permanent dog pound up in air

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**BOLTON** — Dog Warden Judy M. Virchow wants a dog pound in town, but it may not be forthcoming.

The town has been without a permanent pound since June when Applewood-Yankee Kennels on Route 44 changed ownership, said Virchow. The new owners, who changed the company's name, do not want stray dogs housed with theirs because they are afraid of strays passing on diseases to their dogs, said Virchow.

That leaves the town without a permanent kennel, though the town has used area kennels in the meantime.

"I would like them to make a decision," Virchow said of the Board of Selectmen. "Our town needs a kennel."

Sandra W. Pierog, first selectman, said she was unsure when, or if, there would be a permanent dog pound in town. She said members of the Board of Finance asked the selectmen to study the town's options on building a kennel, so the selectmen are considering entering into a private contract with the owners of Connecticut Trail.

Connecticut Trail will let the town build its own kennel runs on its property, said Virchow.

Pierog said Town Attorney Richard Barger is studying lease proposals, but no decision is forthcoming. She said she was unsure when a decision might be rendered.

"This is not a priority since we're not in a crisis situation," Pierog said.

The selectmen have discussed contracting for interim kennel services with the towns of Vernon, Andover, and Coventry, but no decision has been made on that issue either, she said.

The decision to build a kennel, though, may be discussed in the next few months, Pierog said. "It will probably be a budget issue," she said.

The long wait, though, does not sit well with Virchow. She said she, and dog owners, do not want to travel to area towns to use kennels. Also, building a pound in town would be "cost-effective" in the long run, she said.

Virchow estimated it would cost \$6,000 to build a pound in town. An average of four to five town dogs a month must be housed in a kennel, she said.

"It's ridiculous for the people to go 10 to 15 miles out of town to get their dog back," she said. "They're (the selectmen) not considering the dog warden or the people."



**FAMILY OUTING** - The Williams family of Laurel Street in Manchester takes a moment to admire the scenery at Highland Park Falls Thursday. Seated from left are Leeanna, 6, Jenette, 9 and Abby, 7 with Mom, Sandy.

### High court rules against deciding town trash case

By Nancy Concelman  
Manchester Herald

The town is looking at options to prevent a local recycling firm from dumping what the town calls out-of-town refuse at the landfill after the state Supreme Court decided against acting on the matter, an attorney representing the town said Thursday.

Chief Justice Ellen A. Peters Thursday denied the town's request that its appeal of a Hartford Superior Court judge's decision allowing N S Realty of 260 Tolland Turnpike to temporarily dump recycling residue at the landfill be heard in state Supreme Court, said John C. King, who represents the town.

Peters' approval is required because a final ruling on the case hasn't been made in Hartford Superior Court, King said.

King requested that the appeal process be sped up under a procedure that allows the chief justice to expedite appeals if a case is shown to have "substantial public interest."

King argued that by dumping recycling residue from 27 towns in Connecticut and Massachusetts

at the Manchester landfill, N S is shortening the life of the landfill.

"This is having a dramatic effect on the life of the landfill," King said Thursday.

In documents filed Dec. 5 requesting the expedited appeal, King wrote, "The issue as to whether the town is obliged to accept refuse is not generated within its borders is an issue with state-wide implications."

Superior Court Judge Ronald Fracasse on Nov. 21 granted a temporary injunction that prevents the town from barring N S Realty and two trash-hauling firms from dumping recycling residue at the landfill until a ruling is made on a permanent injunction and a declaratory judgment.

King said a hearing on the permanent injunction could be held as early as January but the town will explore "other options" to solving its problem. King would not discuss those options Thursday, but said an obvious alternative is for the town to file its appeal in state Appellate Court.

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### Man honored for AIDS work

Richard E. Domagala of Andover will receive a special award for creating the youth-oriented "AIDS Don't Care" public service campaign.

Domagala has been named the 1988 Merit Award winner by the Connecticut Valley Chapter of the Public Relations Society of America (CVC PRSA). Domagala, director of government relations at ADVO-System, Inc., will be recognized at the CVC PRSA annual dinner, Dec. 12, at the Hartline Hotel.

"This award is given to individuals who have made an impact on the public relations profession," said Doreen Rogers, chapter president. "This public service program illustrates that public

relations makes a valuable contribution to society, and in so doing, further enhances the value of our profession."

The 30- and 60-second "ramp-music" public service announcements are now on the air in more than 25 major TV markets. Adopted by a number of PRSA chapters, they also are shown on MTV, the Black Entertainment Television Network and by Group W AIDS Lifetime Network stations. Audio versions of the public service announcements are being aired by many radio stations in the Northeast.

### Burned girl, 4, gets \$6.5 million settlement

By Judd Everhart  
The Associated Press

**MONTVILLE (AP)** — A 4-year-old girl who suffered serious burns over 30 percent of her body when her babysitter tossed flammable liquid into a fire has received a structured settlement that may pay her as much as \$6.5 million over the next 74 years, her parents said.

The parents of Amanda Brimlow announced the settlement this week.

David and Laurie Brimlow of Uncasville filed suit against the Salvation Army after Amanda was badly burned in November 1986.

The incident occurred in the New London home of Salvation Army officials while her parents were attending a Salvation Army meeting, and had left the girl with a babysitter at the home.

Investigators later said the girl was burned when the babysitter poured a flammable liquid into the fireplace, causing flames to leap out of the fireplace.

The Barlow's attorney, Peter S. Gianopoulos, reached the settlement with the Royal Insurance Co. of Ronkonoma, N.Y., the Salvation Army's insurance carrier.

Brimlow said the settlement provides for an initial payment of \$340,000, followed by monthly installments which begin at \$500 this year and increase

steadily in succeeding years. If she lives to age 78, Amanda will be paid more than \$18,000 per month and will have received a total of more than \$6.5 million.

Brimlow said he is pleased that Amanda will never have to worry about paying her medical bills, but added, "It's a rotten way to get money."

Amanda was scheduled to undergo skin graft surgery on her scalp Thursday at Yale-New Haven Hospital. It was to be her third such operation.

Bills from the child's initial 28-day hospital stay totaled \$50,000, Brimlow said. Thursday's operation and follow-up care will cost another \$30,000, he said.

Her parents said they are determined that the girl grows up unaffected by the money.

"Our intention is never to talk about it and continue living the life we're used to," David Brimlow said.

He said the girl is expected to undergo a series of plastic surgery operations well past her 18th birthday.

Gianopoulos said he also has a product liability suit pending against the manufacturer of pajamas Amanda was wearing when she was burned, contending the pajamas' inadequate flame retardant quality contributed to the bad burns.

### Sales of Lotto tickets way down

By Judd Everhart  
The Associated Press

**NEWINGTON** — As if the state didn't have enough problems with sagging tax collections, gaming officials are now saying that revenues from the state's Lotto game are down one-third, or \$43 million, from this point last year.

Lotto chief J. Blaine Lewis told state gaming officials Thursday that the decrease is caused in part by the lack of huge jackpots, which always attract additional players, recently in the twice-a-week game.

Most jackpots have been \$1 million or \$2 million and there has been nothing near the October 1987 jackpot that topped \$22 million, he said. The highest this year has been \$7 million.

Since the fiscal year began July 1, the state has sold \$89.6 million in Lotto tickets, compared with \$12.9 million sold in the same period in 1987-88. State budget officials are worried about the sagging sales, especially with Connecticut facing an estimated \$116 million deficit this year.

Edward J. Harrigan, spokesman for the Division of Special Revenue, which operates the lottery, said changes in Lotto are being considered. Those include adding more numbers so that the chances of picking the six winners would be reduced and jackpots would roll up faster when there is no winner, he said.

Right now Lotto players pick six numbers between one and 40. Adding a seventh number or increasing the choices beyond 40 would decrease the odds of

having a winner, thus increasing the odds of a mounting jackpot.

So far this year, Lotto jackpots have totaled \$92 million, compared with \$155.5 million at this point last year, a 68 percent decrease.

Twice during his presentation to the Gaming Policy Board, Lewis was cut off in mid-sentence by board members when he began to bring up last spring's huge snafu after the state switched lottery companies. Computer problems shut down the million-dollar-a-day system for hours at a time, at one point for a full 24 hours. Ticket sales suffered a dramatic, if temporary, drop-off.

Lewis had complained bitterly and publicly about the switch in companies, saying the \$11 million savings in the cost from the new company, General Instrument Inc., was not worth having to switch all the machines.

He was eventually placed under what amounted to a gag order, forbidden to talk to the media. The new company has been fined \$1.78 million by the

state because of the problems. When Lewis said something Thursday about the "snafu" such as we had here," board member Bruce D. Cowen cut him off, saying, "Mr. Lewis, I'm not interested in your opinion..."

Harrigan said that any loss of confidence by the public in the lottery machines is in the past.

"I think we've regained most of that (confidence)," Harrigan said. "I don't think you can say there's a lack of confidence in the machines."

He also noted that sales of tickets for the Daily Numbers and daily Play Four games are up about \$3 million this year over last, and pointed out that those tickets are sold on the same machines as Lotto tickets.

"If they don't trust the machines, then how come Daily and Play Four are up? It's the same machine," Harrigan said. "Most of the difference in sales is due to the tremendous disparity in Lotto jackpots, 68 percent higher a year ago."

"I think there was an initial loss of confidence when we had our

dark days back in May, but that was seven months ago and the system has been running well," Harrigan said. "Lotto sales are down (and) they are very much dependent on jackpots... and we don't have control over those jackpots."

Sales from instant lottery tickets are also down this year, \$24 million compared with \$30.4 million at this point last year.

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## Competition to increase

**HARTFORD (AP)** — A legislative committee has approved proposals to increase competition for state contracts and make state agencies more accountable in the awarding of contracts.

The Program Review and Investigations Committee on Thursday unanimously approved for consideration during the 1989 General Assembly the following proposals:

- Before an agency can solicit a consultant, it must develop a "request for proposal" outlining the work to be performed, qualifications of companies or individuals seeking the contract, and a deadline for submission of proposals.
- Responses must be screened by a committee and the three top-ranked ones submitted to the agency head for selection.
- The Office of Policy and Management must develop standards by Sept. 1 for the selection and management of consultant services.
- Agencies must obtain OPM approval for contract amendments if they exceed the original contract values or \$40,000 each. They also must report periodically to OPM which consultant companies they have hired, for what purpose and for how much money. They would also have to report their anticipated needs for consultants in the future.

**Park pays overdue taxes**

**HARTFORD (AP)** — The owners of Lake Compounce Festival Park have paid overdue state taxes and agreed that the city of Bristol and other creditors will begin receiving checks in the next two weeks.

The state Department of Revenue Services filed a lien against the park in November for failure to pay \$317,595 in sales, admission and cabaret taxes.

Michael Blanco, director of sales and marketing for the park, said \$200,000 was paid last week

and the balance was paid Thursday.

"They came in and brought in a cashier's check and we're in the process of having the liens released," Phyllis Parizek, a spokeswoman for the state tax department, said today.

## Contractor violates rules

**STORRS (AP)** — The contractor for the \$24.7 million University of Connecticut sports center violated state affirmative-action rules by hiring no minority subcontractors and few minority workers, the state Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities has said.

"You can't build a project of that size, in this state, so close to Hartford or other cities" without hiring a substantial number of minority workers and subcontractors, commission Executive Director Arthur C. Green said Thursday.

The huge, domed building in Storrs is now 70 percent completed. Under Thursday's ruling by the commission, the contractor must award at least \$1.6 million in remaining contracts to small businesses owned by women, blacks, Hispanics or other members of minority groups.

## Arrest warrant issued

**STAMFORD (AP)** — An arrest warrant has been issued charging a Norwalk lawyer with larceny for allegedly keeping more than \$280,000 from the sale of a house held in an estate, officials said.

Assistant State's Attorney Robert Hall said a warrant has been issued for Peter Culhane's arrest on a charge of first-degree larceny. Culhane was suspended from practice when the charges arose.

There was no answer Thursday at Culhane's Norwalk law office and he didn't return a message left on an answering machine. A directory assistance operator said his home telephone number was unlisted.

John Bove, a Norwalk attorney appointed to represent Culhane in connection with the suspension, declined to comment on the arrest warrant, explaining that he had only recently been appointed to the case.

# Prison release program tightened by governor

By Judd Everhart  
The Associated Press

**HARTFORD** — Gov. William A. O'Neill is ordering a tightening of restrictions on prisoners eligible for the early release program, barring those convicted of killing, raping, assaulting or robbing someone.

Some now out of jail in the program could be recalled, the governor said.

O'Neill also announced Thursday that he was ordering the attorney general to go to federal court as soon as possible to get the cap removed.

The governor said arrests in Connecticut are up 87 percent since 1980 and that, specifically, drug arrests were up 271 percent in that time.

The state now has about 7,700 men and women behind bars, according to William H. Carbone, chairman of the state's Prison and Jail Overcrowding Commission.

O'Neill also announced a tight-

ening of the early-release program under which inmates can be let out before completing their terms. The program is designed to keep the population throughout the entire system below 110 percent of the system's capacity.

From now on, anyone whose crime resulted in the death of another, who was convicted of first-degree sexual assault, first-degree assault, or first-degree robbery will no longer be eligible for the early release program, the governor said.

Correction Commissioner Larry R. Meachum said about 200 inmates now out on the early release program fall into those categories. He and O'Neill said their cases would be studied and some may be ordered back to prison.

There are now about 2,800 prisoners participating in the supervised home-release program, Meachum said.

Carbone added that 89 percent of the inmates participating are doing so successfully. Meachum said about 6 percent of those let out under the program have committed crimes while out, but he could not say how many had committed violent crimes.

O'Neill said 450 new beds would be readied over the next 90 days at existing correctional facilities in Hartford, Cheshire and Mansfield to help ease the crunch expected from his order on the early release program.

The governor also said he would ask the public works commissioner to draft legislation to streamline procedures required to complete the planned 4,600 additional beds in new facilities over the next four years.

# DiLiello rejects attack as 'simplistic, reckless'

**NEW HAVEN (AP)** — Mayor Biagio DiLiello has dismissed as politically motivated a full-page newspaper advertisement by the NAACP attacking his administration, but a leader of the civil rights group said the mayor's response was a "cop-out."

Blacks and Hispanics make up about half of the city's population, but about 80 percent of public school enrollment.

A group of black ministers, meanwhile, offered its services Thursday as mediators in the dispute.

"We're not trying to form judgments or evaluations, beyond saying this kind of fighting must stop," said the Rev. Curtis M. Coffield II.

"I'd like to see the community and trying to create an 'Uncle Tom-type leadership' in the black community."

Without responding to the individual complaints and accusations made in the ad, DiLiello rejected the criticism as being politically motivated. He would not elaborate.

The mayor's spokesman, William O'Sullivan, described the charges as "simplistic and reckless" and said DiLiello did not want to "dignify them with a response."

A black state senator, Democrat John Daniels of New Haven, is expected to challenge DiLiello for the mayor's seat next fall. He said he supported the NAACP's message, although he said he was not directly involved in drafting it.

Haywood Hooks Jr., head of the New Haven area chapter of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, said DiLiello's response that the criticism was politically motivated "was a cop-out, and I resent it."

He cited the administration's continuing fight with the school system over funding and the failure of police leaders this past fall to support a black woman for registrar of voters as recent signs of unfair treatment of the minority community.

# Police conduct drug raids at Wesleyan, Quinnipiac

By The Associated Press

Local police forces in Hamden and Middletown ventured onto college campuses for drug raids, netting drugs, arrests and complaints from Wesleyan University students who said they were threatened by the presence of local police on their campus.

In Hamden, a raid at Quinnipiac College Wednesday night turned up thousands of dollars worth of drugs and controlled paraphernalia and led to the arrests of six students.

The raid was the result of an undercover investigation in Meriden. College officials said they were immediately expelled.

Meanwhile, students at Wesleyan University said they were rattled that Middletown police came on campus to raid a dormitory room and arrest a senior on drug charges.

"Usually there's a separation of Middletown police and the Wesleyan campus," said Jennifer Levine, a senior from Los Angeles. "There are unspoken

boundaries."

"It makes me feel defensive a little bit," said Roger Townsend, a senior from Andover, Mass. "The campus usually governs itself."

Paige Heggie, a junior from Short Hills, N.J., was more scared. "People are definitely scared."

It has been at least six years since a Wesleyan student was arrested on campus on drug charges, university officials said.

City police on Tuesday arrested Bethany R. Valliere of Georgetown, Maine, in her room, where they found \$2,000 worth of marijuana and hallucinogens. More arrests on campus are expected, police said.

Bobby Wayne Clark, a spokesman for the 2,700-student campus, said students are mistaken if they think Wesleyan will shield them from the law.

"It should be clear to any student that Wesleyan is not a haven," Clark said.

were: Steven Morgan, 20, of Newington; Christopher Sarnoski, 20, of Cranford, N.J.; and Richard Black, 21, of Longmeadow, Mass.

Police alleged that the three were major campus drug distributors.

Charged with possession of marijuana, hallucinogens and drug paraphernalia were: David Poran, 20, of Westwood, N.J.; Jason Degoes, 19, of Pawtucket, R.I.; and Michael Karlos, 19, of East Providence, R.I.

All six students were released on bail and scheduled to appear Dec. 22 in Superior Court in Meriden. College officials said they were immediately expelled.

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# Boy, 8, brings gun into school

**BRIDGEPORT (AP)** — Although officials say there are fewer guns in the schools this year, they are investigating an incident this week in which an 8-year-old student took a gun to elementary school with one bullet in it.

No one was injured Tuesday when the gun that was brought to school by the boy accidentally discharged after a teacher, thinking it was too heavy to be a toy, took the weapon away from the child.

The police department's youth bureau is investigating. Authorities said they don't know how the youngster got the gun.

"The teacher had taken the gun and it discharged," said Associate Schools Superintendent Alexander Norwood. "It was in the corridor and no one was hurt or injured."

Norwood said the gun was very small, maybe a .22-caliber pistol. He said he thought the child had mistaken it for a toy and brought it to the Waltersville School.

Police said teacher Richard Patton took the weapon from the boy, who had tucked it in his pocket, because he thought it looked too heavy to be a toy.

Norwood said he believes the youth in the youngest student caught with a gun in a city school.

Last year, there were a number of guns found in schools. Norwood said he believes there are fewer guns this year.

"Statistics indicate there are certainly fewer guns, but one is one too many," Norwood said. "It's a community problem."

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## Diarrhea deaths said preventable

CHICAGO (AP) — Researchers say simple health care measures could save most of the 500 U.S. children who die each year of diarrhea, a problem rarely considered life-threatening in this country.

New research suggests that diarrhea accounts for 10 percent of all preventable deaths in U.S. youngsters ages 1 month to 4 years old, said Dr. Mei-Shang Ho of the National Centers for Disease Control in Atlanta.

"The key here is early treatment," Ms. Ho said in a telephone interview Thursday.

Diarrhea is a common cause of childhood deaths in developing countries, but such deaths usually are thought to be rare in more economically advanced nations.

However, Ms. Ho and her colleagues identified 539 diarrhea deaths among youngsters ages 1 month to 4 years nationwide during the years 1973 through 1983.

Deaths were most common among children younger than 1 year, blacks and youngsters living in the South, the researchers reported in today's Journal of the American Medical Association.

Thirty-eight percent of the deaths occurred after the child had reached a medical facility — suggesting either the youngsters got help too late or got the wrong treatment, Ms. Ho said.

She estimated that 80 percent to 90 percent of the diarrhea deaths in the United States could be prevented.

Diarrhea can be fatal if it causes severe loss of fluids and electrolytes — body salts such as sodium and potassium — that are necessary for normal functioning of nerves and muscles, including the heart, Ms. Ho explained.

Lost fluids need to be replaced with electrolyte solutions containing glucose, a form of sugar, she said. The solutions can be bought ready-to-drink at grocery and drug stores without prescriptions, she said.

Infants who can't keep the fluids down or who lose more than they keep should be taken to a doctor, Ms. Ho said.

Parents need to be taught the dangers of severe diarrhea, she said, as well as ways to give appropriate fluids when the need arises and when to see a doctor if that strategy fails.

"It shouldn't be hard to acquire those skills. If it is pushed by health care workers, it's not pushed enough in this country," she said.

In an editorial accompanying the study, Dr. John Snyder of Children's Hospital in Boston called the overall findings "troubling," especially since black victims outnumbered whites four to one.

He agreed that educational efforts would be "the most direct and immediate answer to this grave problem."

Many different organisms can cause diarrhea, including bacteria and parasites, but a type of virus called rotavirus caused one-third of all childhood diarrhea cases requiring hospitalization, the researchers said.

Bacteria and parasites can be avoided with careful hand-washing and food preparation.



HOMELESS SURVIVORS — Women sit on a park bench in Spitak, Armenia, Thursday after an earthquake destroyed their homes.

## Shoddy building blamed for high quake death toll

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Shoddy construction of adobe, brick and prefabricated concrete buildings caused the high earthquake death toll in Soviet Armenia, a wood-poor republic located where giant plates of Earth's crust collide, scientists say.

"When they need a new room, they just mix up some mud and start stacking it," Brian Tucker, California's acting state geologist, said Thursday. "They are not learning the lesson that buildings that are just mud fall down."

A similar-sized quake in the Los Angeles area, where building codes are stringent, probably would kill no more than 1,000 people, said Tucker, who spent two years conducting research east of the Armenian quake's epicenter.

"Earthquakes don't kill people. Buildings do," seismologist Roger Bilham of the University of Colorado at Boulder added during a news conference at the American Geophysical Union's fall meeting.

Wednesday's severe quake, centered in the Caucasus Mountains region near the Soviet-Turkish border, registered 6.9 on the Richter scale. Reports indicate tens of thousands of people died.

"It's a tragedy for all the people of my country," said Lev Zonenshain, a Soviet Institute of Oceanology geologist attending the geophysics convention.

Tucker said many Armenian village huts are adobe, while buildings in cities often are unreinforced masonry or tilt-up, prefabricated structures made of concrete slabs that are simply hooked together.

Village homes have "thick mud and rock ceilings for insulation in winter," and they kill when they collapse, Tucker said.

While urban Armenian construction practices have improved somewhat, "they are still not up to California building codes," he added.

Zonenshain agreed that many urban Armenian buildings are unreinforced and said they are built from stony blocks of volcanic material.

Armenia lacks enough trees for widespread use of wood buildings, which better withstand quakes, said U.S. Geological Survey scientist Bob Hamilton, president of the Geophysical Union's seismology section.

"A 6.9 earthquake that is shallow in the crust in that part of the world often does a lot of damage because of the nature of the construction," he said.

Soviet scientists were aware of the threat of major quakes in the region between the Black and Caspian seas, but many of their studies suggesting which areas are most vulnerable "are not made known to the authorities or judged by any councils" of scientists, said George Purcaru of the Institute of Meteorology and Geophysics in Frankfurt, West Germany.

Zonenshain denied the allegation, saying, "We have special councils organized for (quake) prediction," and they have power to tell authorities to improve construction practices.

Bilham said the Caucasus Mountains were created by the collision of the Eurasian Plate of Earth's crust on the north and the Arabian Plate on the south. The quake occurred along the boundary of the Eurasian Plate and a "microplate" crunched in between.

In 1967, a major quake killed an estimated 80,000 people in the Caucasus Mountains region, Bilham said.

That jolt's magnitude was between 7 and 7.5, and "great" quakes measuring about 8 on the Richter scale rock the region roughly every 1,000 years, so "6.9 is not a very big earthquake for that region," Purcaru said.

Zonenshain said the epicenter of Wednesday's quake was in an area known as a "seismic gap."



TAKES QUESTION — President Reagan points to a reporter during a news conference in the East Room of the White House Thursday night.

## Post-cancer surgery exams scheduled for Reagans today

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan is undergoing his sixth colonoscopy and Nancy Reagan her second mammogram in another round of post-cancer surgery checks against any new tumors.

On their way to their weekend retreat at Camp David, Md., the president and his wife were scheduled to stop at the Bethesda Naval Hospital outside Washington today for their annual physical examinations and tests to check for any recurrence of cancer.

Col. John Hutton, the presidential physician, said in a statement released Thursday that neither the president nor the first lady has shown any "clinical suggestion of recurrence" of cancer.

"Both the president and the first lady have remained completely asymptomatic," Hutton said.

Reagan, who turns 78 in February, had a two-inch cancerous polyp removed from his colon in July 1985.

The 67-year-old first lady had her left breast removed in October 1987 after a cancerous tumor was detected.

Hutton said the couple's exams are scheduled to begin about 1:15 p.m. EST and conclude about 5 p.m.

The couple was expected to travel by helicopter to Camp David afterward.

Hutton's statement also included a plug for the importance of such routine examinations.

"The first lady continues to emphasize the importance of mammography (breast X-ray) for early detection of cancer of the breast. The mammogram remains the most essential diagnostic test for early detection of a malignancy," he said.

In the president's initial cancer surgery, doctors removed the two-inch cancerous polyp and nearly two feet of colon, as well as the surrounding tissue.

Since the 1985 surgery, Reagan has undergone five colonoscopies to check for any recurrence of cancer. In that procedure, a long, flexible instrument that uses fiber-optic technology is inserted into the large intestine to allow doctors to see inside the bowel.

Each time, except for the last such test in January, doctors found small, fleshy growths known as polyps and removed them. In each procedure, the polyps were found to be noncancerous.

The growths generally cause no serious symptoms but, if left alone, can grow into cancerous lesions.

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## No reason to mistrust Gorbachev, says Reagan

By Terence Hunt  
The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — President Reagan, in a twilight assessment, says Mikhail S. Gorbachev has never shown any reason to be mistrusted and in fact is steering the Kremlin away from its old goal of "a one-world communist state."

In what was probably his final White House news conference, Reagan said "trust but verify" remains his byword in dealing with the Russians, but he offered an optimistic assessment of how U.S.-Soviet relations stand at the end of his eight-year tenure in office.

"The path remains open and the pace of peace continues," he said. "I do think that there is evidence that they don't like being the pariah, that they might want to join the family of nations and join them with the idea of bringing about or establishing peace." He said he would like to see that happen.

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## Rebels may have downed U.S. locust-spraying plane

RABAT, Morocco (AP) — A U.S. locust-spraying plane was shot down near where Marxist rebels have been fighting Morocco for an independent Western Sahara, and officials said all five people aboard were killed.

A second DC-7, also from the U.S. Agency for International Development, was damaged in Thursday's anti-aircraft missile attack over Mauritania but was able to fly on and land at a remote airstrip in Morocco. No injuries were reported among those aboard.

Marxist guerrillas of the Polisario Front may have fired at the four-engine propeller-driven planes, official sources in this North African country said on condition of anonymity.

No one immediately claimed responsibility, and a U.S. Embassy spokesman in Rabat said an investigation was under way.

"The five crew members of the downed aircraft, all of whom are American citizens, are presumed dead," an AID statement from Washington said.

Both aircraft were owned by T & G Aviation of Chandler, Arizona and were under contract to AID to spray insects, said T & G co-owner Sergio Tomassoni.

Tomassoni, 64, spoke with reporters by telephone from his hotel room in Agadir, Morocco. He identified those aboard the downed plane as Joel Blackmer, 46, and Blackmer's son, Frank Kennedy, 21, both of Phoenix; Ben Rossini, 49, Tempe, Ariz.; Frank Hedeman, 47, Cody, Wyo.; and Wes Wilson of Nebraska. Tomassoni did not know Wilson's age or hometown.

He described the two-hour trip in the crippled plane to the next airfield as "hairy."

"We lost altitude. We were 25 to 30 feet above the ground most of the way. We had a load of insecticide aboard, and we dumped it and were able to gain some altitude," Tomassoni added.

"We made an emergency landing at an airfield in a town about 80 miles south of Agadir," Tomassoni said.

The U.S. Embassy spokesman said the second airplane arrived in Sid Ifni, about 240 miles south of Agadir.

A caller identifying himself as Madjid Abdullah, Polisario's spokesman, said the plane was shot down near where Marxist rebels have been fighting Morocco for an independent Western Sahara, and officials said all five people aboard were killed.

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**AFTER THE CHASE** — Israeli radioman, center, reports back to headquarters after soldiers chased Palestinian bottle and stone-throwers at a nearby main road in the Occupied West Bank town of Bethlehem on Thursday. A general strike in the occupied territories marked the first anniversary of the Palestinian uprising. Authorities closed nearly all of the territories to the media.

## Israeli jets open rescue effort

NAAMEH, Lebanon (AP) — Israeli jets bombed guerrilla posts today and gunboats sent commando reinforcements ashore in what police said was a mission to rescue paratroopers captured after landing in this coastal town.

Police and the Israeli military said one Israeli officer was killed and three soldiers were wounded in nine hours of air, naval and ground fighting about 50 miles north of the Israeli border.

It was believed to be the deepest Israeli incursion into Lebanon since September 1983, during the Lebanon war. The Israelis did not say why they launched a paratrooper raid on the town.

Police said eight pro-Syrian guerrillas were killed and 16 wounded.

The Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine-General Command, the apparent target of the attack, said only two of its fighters were killed and six wounded. It claimed in a communique that it was holding 17 Israelis and that another Israeli was held by Syrian troops.

Police and Israeli military sources said four Israelis were trapped at one point in the fighting but were rescued. The Israeli army said no Israeli soldiers were left behind when the fighting ended.

Lebanese police said Syrian troops fired at attacking Israeli jets and sent troop reinforcements to the embattled areas, but they said there was no evidence the troops were directly involved in the ground combat.

The fighting, which police said involved hand-to-hand combat, raged for nine hours near an abandoned Maronite Catholic monastery above Naameh, nine miles south of Beirut.

Palestinian guerrillas ambushed an Israeli force of about 50 paratroopers who landed helicopters in a ravine below the monastery at 2:10 a.m., one police spokesman in Naameh said.

Militiamen of Druse warrior Walid Jumblatt's Progressive Socialist Party joined the battle an hour later, police said.

Israeli warplanes then thundered from the Mediterranean, blasting guerrilla posts above Naameh in at least 20 sorties. The Israeli military said an unspecified number of guerrilla command posts and other targets were destroyed.

Guerrillas fired SAM-7 missiles, known as Strelas, at the raiding jets, but no hits were scored, police said. They said Israeli pilots released hot air balloons to deflect the heat-seeking missiles.

Convoys of Syrian military trucks and armored personnel carriers rolled southward, into the embattled areas on the coastal highway after Israeli reinforcements stormed ashore about 10 a.m. in landing craft two miles south of Naameh.

Israeli radio quoted Lebanese sources as saying Syrians opened fire on Israeli troops as they landed on the coast but stopped firing once the force was fully ashore.

Israeli gunboats cruised off Naameh and five helicopter gunships hovered overhead, apparently waiting to evacuate the paratroopers, the spokesman said.

Palestinian guerrillas and the leftist Lebanese militia were seen firing at the helicopter from jeep-mounted, anti-aircraft guns along Naameh's beach.

The spokesman said the dead Israeli officer commanded the reconnaissance battalion of Israel's Golani brigade, an elite infantry force that undertakes most of Israel's special anti-guerrilla operations in Lebanon.

Israeli military officials identified him as Lt. Col. Amir Meital, Beirut International Airport, on the capital's southern edge, was closed and incoming flights were diverted to airports in nearby Damascus, Syria, and Larnaca, Cyprus.

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## NATION & WORLD

### Mission could break U.N.

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — Demands for new peacekeeping missions could force the financially strapped United Nations into insolvency in 1989, according to a report by U.N. Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar.

The U.N. chief's pessimistic assessment was released Thursday before he left for Oslo, Norway, to accept the 1988 Nobel Peace Prize on behalf of U.N. peacekeepers worldwide.

The Nobel includes a cash prize worth about \$300,000, but that won't make much of a dent in the \$450.1 million in unpaid dues that U.N. members owe. The United States owes \$337.3 million.

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### Safety was not considered

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Coast Guard, in declining to close two of its largest ship-traffic control centers, failed to consider safety and environmental factors and incorrectly estimated the cost savings, a government study has concluded.

The General Accounting Office, the investigative arm of Congress, said economics was the main reason for closing the facilities, known as vessel traffic services, in New York and New Orleans harbors. Yet because of incomplete recordkeeping, the Coast Guard was not sure how much money it actually would save.

"Because the Coast Guard did not consider such information, it does not know if it made the correct decision in closing the New York and New Orleans (facilities), two of the three largest in terms of vessel activity," said the report.

### Decline in rights seen

WASHINGTON (AP) — In the eight years of the Reagan administration there has been "a slow, steady, quiet usurpation of First Amendment rights," says a liberal organization that concerns itself with the amendment guaranteeing Americans freedom of speech and religion and separation of church and state.

People for the American Way, which describes itself as "the non-partisan constitutional liberties organization," issued a report Thursday that it says shows 241 cases in which the administration trampled on those rights.

### Condoms stolen from clinic

ATLANTA (AP) — A downtown hospital is investigating the theft of 16,000 prophylactics that has officials puzzled since the condoms are given away free in the first place.

The missing condoms, discovered Wednesday by officials at Grady Memorial Hospital's family planning clinic, temporarily crippled a program that distributes about 500,000 condoms a year.

"It's amazing. They did clean us out," said Grady clinic's director, Dr. Robert Hatcher, on Thursday. "Maybe those condoms are in the right hands now."

Police believe the theft occurred Tuesday night. Hatcher said he found his offices trashed and telephones missing when he arrived at work Wednesday morning.

"Then we found out that in our supply room, 16,000 condoms had been stolen. We ended up with no condoms," Hatcher said. "But most of our patients maintain a supply at home. We're just telling them to be careful."

### Nofziger doesn't want pardon

WASHINGTON (AP) — Lyn Nofziger has told President Reagan he does not want a presidential pardon for his ethics law convictions, desiring instead to seek vindication through his appeal, according to the former White House adviser's attorney.

E. Lawrence Barcella said Thursday that his client wrote Reagan "several weeks ago" and said he would refuse to accept any pardon that might be contemplated by Reagan before he leaves office next month.

"He happens to be an honorable guy who strongly believes in his innocence and consequently felt that his vindication should come through the courts and not through the president," Barcella said, adding that Nofziger's letter "was something purely on his own initiative."

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# OPINION

## Dispute over dump is complex

One of the arguments made by the town of Manchester in its unsuccessful attempt to get a quick Supreme Court hearing in its dispute over dumping in the landfill by a recycling facility was that the issues involved will affect other towns.

The argument did not succeed in persuading the court. That means a temporary injunction granted by a Superior Court Judge allowing the firm access to the town dump stands.

The argument proposed by the town is that a delay in deciding the case would work a substantial injustice to the town, which claims that the residue generated from the recycling operation is eating up space at the town landfill. The argument also focuses on the statewide implications of Manchester's battle.

The town contends that if recycling facilities like the one in Manchester are proposed in other towns, those towns will not want to issue zoning permits for them for fear of overburdening local landfills.

It is obvious that recycling is necessary to reduce the amount of solid waste that has to be disposed of in landfills. It is just as obvious that the state must find a way to ensure that the volume of residue from recycling is as low as possible and that some fair way is found to determine what landfills will have to accept what portion of that residue.

## Let Bolton voters act

The Board of Selectmen in Bolton voted Tuesday against changing the town's form of government to the council-manager form, but the five selectmen were split 3 to 2 on the issue. As a result of that one-vote margin, the Bolton voters themselves will not have an opportunity to decide on the issue unless a petition is presented to the selectmen calling for a popular vote.

In light of the close vote, it is well that advocates of the council-manager form of government are circulating such a petition.

The best way to find out how the majority of Bolton voters feel is to determine first if enough of them, about 225 voters, think the question should be put to popular vote.

## Open Forum

### Downtown spending should go to voters

The reconstruction of Main Street requires \$2 million to come from the taxpayers of Manchester. The Town Charter states that any money that is borrowed by the use of bonds must be approved by the voters (town referendum). If money is taken from the town hall fund and then used to reconstruct Main Street, then we bond the repairs on the town hall, aren't we really bonding the reconstruction of Main Street with our putting this to referendum?

Mayor DiRosa should check this out with an attorney before he commits the town to another legal battle. I do not know which plan is better for Main Street. DiRosa vs. Marlow—I could care less. But I am concerned about the mayor's total disregard for the Town Charter and the rights of the people to vote. The Town Charter is in place to protect the rights of the taxpayers in town.

The financing of Main Street must go before the taxpayers of Manchester. It is wrong when six people on the Board of Directors can spend large sums of the taxpayers' money on projects the taxpayers have no say over. First, \$2.5 million on the Buckland mall. Then \$350,000 on Manchester Lumber. Now \$2 million on Main Street. How much on the sewage treatment plant? And \$50,000 on the new recreation. And \$50,000 to subsidize rents on North Elm Street.

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## Don't take sides in family spats

By Sarah Overstreet

Someday I will learn: The quickest way to see a person elevated to sainthood is to agree with someone close to that person — a spouse, a parent, a brother or sister — who is lambasting said person.

Likewise, the quickest way to see oneself lowered to the status of a sneaky-eyed, snake-tongued snot is to agree with the person broawbeatng the other.

Example: Let a wife tearfully confide to you, her good girlfriend, the sorry way her husband has been treating her of late. "He puts on his suit and says he's going to the office, then the cleaning lady comes in to find him eating Cocoa Puffs and watching 'Silverado' for the 17th time! Then he doesn't bring any money home, and says it's because he spent his entire month preparing a case for some migrant workers who were killed in a bus wreck on the way to the orange grove the day before the trial!"

So what do you do? What any true-blue girlfriend would do — you take her side. You think she wants sympathy, confirmation that she is wholly innocent, mistreated and taken for granted.

"Yeah, and then there was the time he cashed in the baby's birthday bond to take that waitress to Vegas, and you thought he was at the bar association convention!" you chime in, perhaps even working up some tears yourself by this time. "You deserve a lot better."

Suddenly the air turns cool. "Well, he is very good with the baby, a lot better than most men. Why, just last week he changed a diaper. You never did like Harry, did you? You begin to feel like you were the one who took the waitress to Las Vegas, instead of poor, misunderstood Harry."

The same phenomenon happens with parents. "I just don't know where we've gone wrong with Gretchen," your friend laments. "I told her she couldn't take her car to the all-night fraternity party, so she took her father's New Yorker and backed it into a GI-N-GO going after more beer. When her father went to the police station to pick her up, she told him it was all his fault for not sending her to gymnastics camp so she could have made cheerleader."

This is a subject one can really warm to, especially if one has no children oneself. "Oh, you poor dear. God knows you've done your best with that girl, and all she's given you is grief. Why, if you'd had the wardrobe you've bought that girl when we were movie stars! And if we'd thought we were something like that to our fathers, we'd still be trying find a ride home from the police station."

It isn't too long after a statement like that, usually, until one wishes one could reach up into the air and pull the words back in.

What I always forget is that by agreeing with my friends' assessments of their significant others, I'm either (a) pointing out what lousy judgment they showed in picking the jerk in the first place, or (b) pointing out that, yes, indeed, they must have done something wrong somewhere to turn out a kid this spoiled.

In the case of siblings — i.e. the brother who can't hold a job and only phones when he needs money — you're just pointing out defective gene pool ... the same gene pool whence sprang your friend.

As I said, someday I'll learn, but I expect a few more faux pas before I do. For the time being, I'm practicing a concerned-yet-non-committal gaze to use when my friends tear their loved ones apart.

Someday I'll remember to use it.

Sarah Overstreet is a syndicated columnist.

## S&L chief still leads the cheers

By Jack Anderson and Dale Van Atta

WASHINGTON — M. Danny Wall, the chief federal regulator of the same savings and loan industry, thinks it's high time people started talking about the "neglected" side of that industry — the 80 percent of the thrifts that aren't failing.

If Danny Wall were a fire chief, he would explore us to spend more time focusing on the houses that weren't on fire.

The nation is waiting for the S&L chief to come up with a plan for putting out the fires that are burning. He's working on it.

In the meantime, another financial regulator is talking sense about how to manage the savings and loan insolvencies that will cost taxpayers anywhere from \$60 billion to \$100 billion.

Remarkably, that regulator who is talking some sense is not in charge of savings and loan supervision. He is William Seidman, chairman of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp., which regulates commercial banks.

With losses in his sister industry mounting at more than \$1 billion a day, Seidman recently offered some sage counsel. He proposed a 10-point plan for improving the nation's deposit insurance system. He also called for quick action to deal with the 100 or so thrift institutions in the worst condition which he estimated would cost about \$30 billion.

Quite a feat, it is not Wall's forte. He has been chairman of the Federal Home Loan Bank Board since July 1987 and the situation has gone from crisis to catastrophe.

But Wall hasn't been simply twiddling his thumbs. He spends a lot of time feeding the public a warmed-over stew of excuses and obfuscation. Wait a minute with a light appetizer — it doesn't matter who caused the crisis. Following is the main course about the know-nothings who are out there, that, yes, indeed, they must have done something wrong somewhere to turn out a kid this spoiled.

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AFTERMATH — Rescue worker, left, helps an elderly woman walk through the rubble in Remscheid, West Germany, Thursday after a U.S. Air Force jet smashed into a residential neighborhood.

## Jet fighter crash kills 6

REMSCHIED, West Germany (AP) — Rescue workers today discovered a sixth body in the rubble left by a U.S. Air Force jet that crashed into a residential neighborhood and burst into flames. Eleven people were hospitalized.

Black smoke billowed from the crash site in this central city of 130,000. Burned-out cars lined the street. For more than a block, many buildings were either destroyed or heavily damaged.

City manager Klaus Schoenbach said the sixth body was found at about 9 a.m. in the ruins of the most seriously damaged house. Schoenbach said the lone pilot of the A-10 Thunderbolt II and five people on the ground were killed in the crash.

The U.S. Air Force identified the pilot as Capt. Michael P. Foster, 34. It did not give his hometown.

Peter Becker, a civil defense official in North Rhine Westphalia state, said workers were searching for more victims. At least 40 people were treated and released, but 11 remained hospitalized from injuries suffered in Thursday's crash, he said.

Witnesses said the plane flew low over a school and struck the top floor of an apartment building before bursting into flames.

State prosecutor Joerg Bachmann, investigating the crash for West German authorities, said witnesses reported seeing one of the plane's two engines on fire shortly before it crashed.

A rescue worker, Volker Acksteiner, said the plane's ammunition kept exploding after the crash, making initial rescue efforts difficult.

The Thunderbolt II, designed to support ground forces and fight tanks, was carrying 1,000 rounds of 30mm training ammunition, Air Force officials said.

City councilman Guenther Krag said three buildings were destroyed and 17 were damaged. He said the victims included two construction workers and a mailman.

Before Thursday's crash, 12 military accidents this year had claimed 95 lives in West Germany.

The U.S. Air Force announced late Thursday it was suspending all tactical training flights in Europe until Tuesday. The West German air force suspended its own low-level training flights until the end of the year and called on its allies to do the same.

Opposition political parties called for a ban on low-level flights and sharp cuts in air exercises.

Opposition to low-level flying grew in August when Italian stunt planes collided and crashed into a crowd of spectators at an air show at the U.S. Air Force Base in Ramstein. Seventy people were killed.

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## Brennan's illness fuels speculation about court

WASHINGTON (AP) — Justice William J. Brennan's hospitalization with pneumonia likely will fuel speculation about the imprint President-elect Bush may have on the Supreme Court.

Brennan, at 82 the court's oldest member and anchor of its aging liberal wing, is being treated at the Bethesda Navy Medical Center. He was admitted Thursday. A court spokeswoman said the justice does not expect to be away from his job for long.

While Brennan's illness lends new drama to conjecture about the high court's future, Bush may have a more immediate impact on the lower federal courts.

The next president is expected to search out conservatives to fill the existing 41 federal court vacancies — 32 trial judgeships and nine appeals court posts. Of course, there will be many more for the president to fill over the next four years.

Observers doubt the president-elect will lean as far to the right-wing ideology as President Reagan, who made the federal judiciary more conservative in the 1980s.

Reagan, however, has been less than totally successful in remaking the Supreme Court in his own image.

He named Sandra Day O'Connor in 1981 as the first woman on the high court, and appointed Antonin Scalia and Anthony M. Kennedy during his second term. In addition, Reagan elevated William H. Rehnquist to be chief justice to succeed Warren E. Burger.

All of Reagan's appointees are conservative, and all are essentially to the right of the justices they replaced.

But no liberals left the bench during Reagan's tenure, depriving him of the opportunity to achieve a sea change.

Things could be different under Bush.

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Brennan is two years older than the court's two other most consistent liberals, Justices Thurgood Marshall and Harry A. Blackmun are 80.

Aside from Brennan's current bout with pneumonia, the three have appeared to be in good health and have given no signs they plan to step down anytime soon.

Including Justice John Paul Stevens, the average age of the court's liberal bloc is over 77.

By contrast, the average age of the five more conservative members is slightly under 60. They include Justice Byron R. White, 71, an appointee of President John F. Kennedy who votes more often with the conservatives on key issues.

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Guessing Bush's likely appointees is a parlor game with conflicting clues.

The president-elect has said he likes "moderate people with conservative views."

He also pledged during the campaign to pick judges "who will interpret the Constitution, not legislate from the bench."

"I will appoint judges who don't reserve all their sympathy for criminals, who understand that victims have rights, too," Bush said.

As further evidence of Bush's conservative leanings, he supported Reagan's unsuccessful attempt to place Robert H. Bork on the high court.

Bork, opposed for his conservative ideology, was defeated last year in a bruising political battle in the Democratic-controlled Senate.

Associates of Bush are quick to point out that the president-elect was a close friend of the late Sen. Strom Thurmond, a moderate justice with much the same upper-class lineage.

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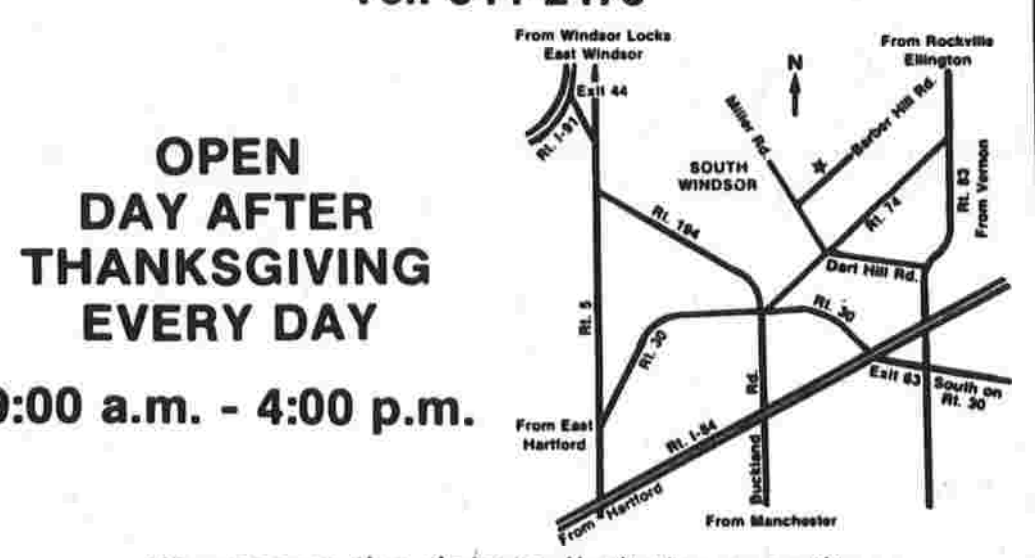
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# SCOREBOARD

## Hockey

### NHL standings

Team	W	L	T	Pts	GP
Pittsburgh	15	11	3	33	29
Washington	15	11	3	33	29
Philadelphia	12	17	3	27	32
New Jersey	9	14	2	20	35
NHL leaders					
Montreal	12	11	3	27	26
Buffalo	12	11	3	27	26
Hartford	12	14	2	26	28

## Whalers & Rangers 4

Team	W	L	T	Pts	GP
Hartford	12	11	3	27	26
Whalers	12	11	3	27	26

## Basketball

### NBA standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
New York	12	6	.667
Philadelphia	12	6	.667
New Jersey	12	6	.667
Washington	12	6	.667

## Clippers 120, Rockets 110

Team	W	L	Pct.
Clippers	12	6	.667
Rockets	12	6	.667

## Big East standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Providence	12	6	.667
Syracuse	12	6	.667
Seton Hall	12	6	.667
St. John's	12	6	.667

## Transactions

**BOSTON RED SOX**—Traded Spike Owen, shortstop, and Don Cobler, pitcher, to the Montreal Expos for John Dopper, catcher, and Luis Rivera, infielder.

**CALIFORNIA ANGELS**—Announced a one-year extension by the Palm Springs City Council for the exhibition baseball season.

**NEW YORK YANKEES**—Agreed to a three-year contract with Hal Morris, outfielder, until to Columbus of the International League.

**PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES**—Traded Phil Bradley, outfielder, to the Baltimore Orioles for Ken Howell and Gordon Dittler, pitchers.

**SAN DIEGO PADRES**—Agreed to terms with Bruce Hurst, pitcher, on a three-year contract.

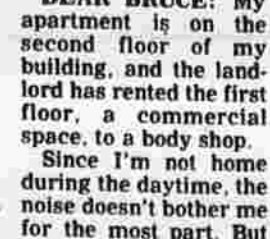
**SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS**—Traded Mike Almonte, outfielder, to the Montreal Expos for Tracy Jagers, outfielder.

**ST. LOUIS BRUINS**—Traded Mike Milbury, forward, to the Montreal Expos for Steve Stynes, forward.

**WASHINGTON CAPITALS**—Traded Steve Stynes, forward, to the Montreal Expos for Mike Milbury, forward.

# FOCUS/Advice

## Paint fumes are making home unlivable



**Smart Money**  
Bruce Williams

DEAR BRUCE: My apartment is on the second floor of my building, and the landlord has rented the first floor, a commercial space, to a body shop.

Since I'm not home during the daytime, the noise doesn't bother me for the most part. But they do a lot of painting down there, and the paint fumes come up through the floor on my apartment.

I went downstairs and talked to the guys in the shop. They simply laughed at me and said they don't smell it — why should I? I've talked to the landlord, and he says that the people down there are paying a lot more than I am, and there is nothing he can do about it.

It's not so bad in the summertime because they use fans to keep the place cool, but in the winter they just let the paint fumes collect. Is there anything I can do about it?

broken it because the home is no longer fit to live in.

DEAR BRUCE: I have driven my car 180,000 plus miles and feel that it has served me well and doesn't owe me anything. With this amount of mileage, it doesn't make any sense to have it repaired.

As much as I'd like to get a new car, I hate making payments. But I find that a lot of dealers are willing to make some pretty substantial price concessions if I take a 1988 model rather than waiting for an available 1989 model.

I'm wondering if there is any advantage of buying a leftover. I don't mean a demonstrator. I mean a brand new car that only has a couple of miles in it, in terms of model years, is a year old.

If you were in the market for a new car, would you opt for the leftover or the new model?

violating pollution and health laws, as a practical proposition, your landlord put it pretty much on the line — he doesn't need you as much as he needs them.

I suspect that if you were to complain to the department of health and other authorities in your community, they could have the paint shop closed down. But that would make you unpopular with the landlord as someone with a social disease at a church picnic. He would probably do whatever he could to make you miserable — and there is possibly even you.

It seems to me that this is a no-win situation for you and you should consider moving quickly. If there is a lease involved, your landlord has

# PEOPLE



## Rothschild unveils painting

ROCHESTER, N.Y. (AP) — Baroness Phillipe de Rothschild unveiled a painting of three masks and a moon that will adorn thousands of bottles of the renowned French wine that bears her family's famous name.

With Thursday's unveiling, Haitian artist Bernard Sejourne joined the likes of Pablo Picasso, Salvador Dali, Andy Warhol, and Joan Miro, who have all painted labels for Chateau Mouton Rothschild since 1945.

Sejourne's work will be used for the 1986 vintage of the Bordeaux wine, which will be bottled beginning this month.

Sejourne, a 41-year-old painter and sculptor, will be paid for his painting in wine.

## North's speech postponed

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J. (AP) — The Sands Hotel & Casino shifted its plans to have Iran-Contra figure Oliver North address gamblers after a state assemblyman blasted it for retaining North while he was under indictment.

"We have deferred Lt. Col. North's appearance here pending the resolution of the charges against him," Roberto Rivera-Soto, Sands vice president and general counsel, said Wednesday.

North announced last week that it had reached an agreement to have North speak before a select group of casino customers Feb. 11.

Assemblyman Dennis Riley on Tuesday criticized North's scheduled appearance, saying it "stains the integrity" of the gaming industry.

## Least mayhem at concert

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) — State police were relieved the heavy metal rocker Ozzy Osbourne's latest concert featured less mayhem than his last appearance at Meadowlands Arena in 1986, when fans staged a riot.

Even so, 19 people were arrested on disorderly conduct charges and one person was arrested on a drug possession charge at Thursday night's concert, Lt. Richard Ryan said.

"There was much, much less damage the last time," Ryan said.

Extra guards patrolled arena aisles and parking areas before, during and after the performance, arena general manager Michael Rowe said earlier.

"We decided to step up our security for heavy-metal concerts back in September and this is the first since that decision," Rowe said.

Osbourne, whose concerts have been marred by rowdiness in the past, is touring America after a layoff of nearly 1 1/2 years.

When he appeared at the Meadowlands two years ago, fans broke arena lights and ripped out about 1,000 seats.

## Harvard honors Cavazos

CAMBRIDGE, Mass. (AP) — A Harvard University group has honored U.S. Education Secretary Lauro Cavazos for his contributions to American education.

Cavazos, 61, received the award Thursday from the Harvard Foundation for Intercultural and Race Relations.

Cavazos won unanimous confirmation Sept. 20 as secretary of education, and will retain his post in the Bush administration.

## NHL results

**Braves 4, Bruins 2**

Buffalo 2, Flyers 1  
Boston 2, Bruins 1  
Pittsburgh 2, Penguins 1  
Washington 2, Capitals 1

## NBA results

**Knicks 113, Bucks 109**

Milwaukee 109, Pistons 105  
Cleveland 104, Spurs 95  
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## Big East results

Providence 77, Rutgers 70  
Syracuse 77, Seton Hall 70  
St. John's 77, Villanova 70  
Connecticut 77, Georgetown 70

## How Top 20 fared

How The Associated Press Top Twenty college basketball teams fared Thursday:

1. Duke 77, Wake Forest 70  
2. Michigan 70, did not play  
3. Kentucky 69, did not play  
4. Georgetown 69, did not play  
5. Utah 68, did not play  
6. Oklahoma 67, did not play  
7. Illinois 66, did not play  
8. North Carolina 65, did not play  
9. Nevada-Las Vegas 63, did not play  
10. Arizona 62, did not play  
11. Missouri 62, did not play  
12. Florida State 62, did not play  
13. North Carolina State 62, did not play  
14. Seton Hall 60, did not play

## Radio, TV

**Radio**  
7 p.m. — College basketball: Maine at Purdue  
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## Ties are not skin deep for adoptive parents, children



**Dr. Gott**  
Peter Gott, M.D.

## Teeth-grinding can be helped

DEAR DR. GOTT: We are caring for my husband, 42, who suffered a subarachnoid hemorrhage, aneurysm, mini-strokes, blood clots and pneumonia. He's in tough shape but cheerful and happy to be home. What can we do to help him from grinding his teeth? I think it's due to muscle spasm.

## Dear Abby



**Dear Abby**  
Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I've been married for more than 25 years and have never written before, but now I feel that I must.

I am 40 years old and have three adopted children, ages 4, 3 and 1. They are all "special needs" children — one is another race than my husband and I, one is a child with a physical handicap, and one is a child with a mental handicap.

We were asked each time if we would take them, because my husband and I are blessed with a special talent to help these children.

Abby, when I introduce our children, whom we dearly love, to new people, they often say, "I cannot tell you how often people say, 'How sweet — do you have any children of your own?'"

I recently became pregnant, and now these same people thoughtlessly say, "Oh, how wonderful! Now you will have one of your own!" This hurts and confuses our children, as we are the only parents they have ever known, and we all feel lucky to have each other.

One more thought, Abby: Most of the world's population was conceived unplanned — but no child was ever adopted by accident.

**FAITHFUL READER**  
DEAR READER: How true! Most people would like to adopt a healthy, normal Caucasian infant. It takes a very special couple who will happily adopt a child of another race with special needs. Bless you.

**DEAR ABBY:** "Hugh" and I have been living together for eight years. He left his wife 10 years ago. He had nothing to do with their breakup. My problem is that they are in constant touch, and each other. There are no children involved. Nettie could call him here any time, but she prefers to call him at work and make arrangements to see him, which makes me suspicious. (This is a small town, and people see them together.) She sends him cutesy "miss you"

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Winter: 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. at the Convention Center.

## Volleyball

**Rec volleyball**  
American Division: Spike def. Economy 15-12, 15-10, 15-12.  
Ligut's def. Insurers 15-13, 15-16, 15-16.  
Supply 15-7, 15-13, 10-15.  
Rendler's def. Insurers 15-13, 15-10, 15-10.

## Women's Rec

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Amateur Unlimited 50 (Rita Lucchese 13, Sue Allert 13, Yvonne Gunn 13) (See Tremblay below)  
Nassif's Sports 44 (Cathy Bouchard 25, Sue Bouchard 12, Independent Painters 12) (Karene Mielke 11, Kelly Bouchard 11, Blue Team 11 of Lori Luff 11, Jill Brunell 11)  
Illegal Allies 25 (Terri Dupuis 14, Shelly Sears 7)

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**21 HOMES FOR SALE**  
BOLTON, 5 room Ranch, 1 bath, 1 car detached garage, lot, \$148,000. Fiano Realty, 13 East Middle Turnpike, Manchester, 646-5200

**22 CONDOMINIUMS FOR SALE**  
REASONABLE and ready first floor one bedroom unit convenient to everything. Sentry Real Estate, 643-4060

**27 MORTGAGES**  
FALLING BEHIND? STOP FORECLOSURE! If you are falling behind on your mortgage payments... Call Norman, 688-0188 or 742-1322

**Rentals**  
**31 ROOMS FOR RENT**  
MANCHESTER, Room in quiet rooming house, off street parking, \$75 per week. 646-1886 or 649-0795

**32 APARTMENTS FOR RENT**  
MANCHESTER, Three room heated apartment. Hot water, \$540. Available December 4. Security, no pets. Call 646-2426, weekdays.

**32 APARTMENTS FOR RENT**  
COVENTRY, Walk to lake, one bedroom apartment. \$450/month plus security. All utilities included. 742-9671. Leave message.

**32 APARTMENTS FOR RENT**  
MANCHESTER, Four room Duplex. Stove, refrigerator. \$600/month plus utilities. 633-4189.

**32 APARTMENTS FOR RENT**  
MANCHESTER, Second floor, 2 bedroom, heat and appliances. No pets. \$600 plus security. Call 646-3979.

**22 CONDOMINIUMS FOR SALE**  
**TOWNHOUSE CONDOMINIUM**  
Three bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths with 1900 sq. ft. of living space in this oversized unit. Extras include fireplace, air conditioning, washer-dryer, rear deck with view, plus a third full bath in partially finished walkout basement.

**22 CONDOMINIUMS FOR SALE**  
MANCHESTER, Con't beat the price! Immaculate end unit, 2 bedrooms, brick and beautiful condo with hardwood floors, custom blinds, attic storage, separate front and back entrance. Situated on cul de sac! Close to downtown and near 384. Murray! \$89,900. Anne Miller Real Estate, 642-6000

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MANCHESTER, Sleeping room for working gentlemen. Share bath, no cooking. \$245/month plus one month security. References. 643-2121

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**1988 Chevrolet Beretta \$9,999<sup>00</sup>**  
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**1987 Buick Grand National \$19,999<sup>00</sup>**  
Never Been Registered, full New Car Warranty  
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**1987 Regal Grand National \$15,999<sup>00</sup>**  
11,000 Miles, One Owner, Fully Equipped  
**\$600<sup>00</sup> CASH COUPON**  
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**1985 Chevrolet Camaro \$7,660<sup>00</sup>**  
Coupe, A Real Bargain!! AM/FM, 6 Cyl. Eng.  
**\$700<sup>00</sup> CASH COUPON**  
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**1987 Pontiac Firebird \$10,990<sup>00</sup>**  
Coupe, Low Mileage, T-Top, Cassette, Sharp!!  
**\$1500<sup>00</sup> CASH COUPON**  
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**1987 Chevrolet Celebrity Wg. \$9,660<sup>00</sup>**  
Low Mileage, V6, AM/FM RCLIO, Like New!!  
**\$700<sup>00</sup> CASH COUPON**  
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**1985 Buick Park Avenue \$10,660<sup>00</sup>**  
Sedan, Luxurious With All The Extras!!  
**\$1000<sup>00</sup> CASH COUPON**  
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**1985 Buick Somerset \$7,440<sup>00</sup>**  
Coupe, Automatic, AC!!  
**\$800<sup>00</sup> CASH COUPON**  
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**1986 Buick Regal Custom \$8,890<sup>00</sup>**  
Coupe, V6, Landau Vinyl Roof, Cassette, AC  
**\$1,000<sup>00</sup> CASH COUPON**  
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**1986 Pontiac 6000 STE \$10,980<sup>00</sup>**  
Sedan, Full Power, Sunroof, V6, Many Extras!!  
**\$1,000<sup>00</sup> CASH COUPON**  
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**1985 Buick Electra T-Type \$9,990<sup>00</sup>**  
Sporty & Luxurious!! Loaded With Extras!!  
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**1984 Chevrolet Citation \$4,330<sup>00</sup>**  
Sedan, Automatic, Terrific Value!! 4 Cyl.  
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**1986 Chevrolet Celebrity \$7,770<sup>00</sup>**  
Sedan, Automatic, AC, Economical 4 Cyl. Engine  
**\$800<sup>00</sup> CASH COUPON**  
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**1986 Plymouth Reliant Wg. \$6,760<sup>00</sup>**  
Automatic, FM, Terrific Value!!  
**\$800<sup>00</sup> CASH COUPON**  
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**1984 Buick Skyhawk Wg. \$5,280<sup>00</sup>**  
Low Mileage, Automatic, AC, FM  
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**1983 Ford LTD \$4,980<sup>00</sup>**  
Sedan, Sharp Tu-Tone, Automatic, AC  
**\$700<sup>00</sup> CASH COUPON**  
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**1986 Pontiac 6000 \$7,790<sup>00</sup>**  
Sedan, One Owner, Sporty, AM/FM  
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**1985 Oldsmobile Ciera \$6,990<sup>00</sup>**  
Sedan, Low Miles, Super Bargain!! AC, Cassette  
**\$1,000<sup>00</sup> CASH COUPON**  
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**1983 Buick Regal \$5,480<sup>00</sup>**  
Coupe, One Of Our Best!! Sharp, Many Extras!!  
**\$500<sup>00</sup> CASH COUPON**  
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**1983 Buick Skylark \$4,290<sup>00</sup>**  
Sedan, Automatic, 8 Cyl., AC  
**\$500<sup>00</sup> CASH COUPON**  
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CHINA, Some Haviland, pickle cooler, reflector, clock, 12 leaded sweater. 643-0427

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BREAKFRONT, Excellent condition, dark wood, \$300. 643-7791

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1981 OLDSMOBILE Cutlass. Automatic, power brakes, power steering, air. 643-9140 after 4pm.

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MANCHESTER, First floor, 2 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, \$600 a month plus utilities, security and references. No pets. 643-2121

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Old furniture, clocks, oriental rugs, lamps, paintings, coins, jewelry, glass & china. Will pay cash. Please call, 646-8498.

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1980 CAMARO Rally Sport. Power steering, power brakes, 111 wheel, many new parts. \$3000 or best offer. 742-0884

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