

Manchester Herald SPORTS

**MHS falls short
in CCC East clash**

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Monahan keys East win

**Xavier is next
in ACC semifinal**

By Jim Tierney
Manchester Herald

The two previous games East Catholic played Notre Dame of West Haven — both Eagle wins — were decided by a total of four points.

Their All Connecticut Conference Tournament quarterfinal game Friday night at the Rev. Robert E. Saunders Gymnasium was decided early, and, also by a few more points.

Spearheaded by an absolutely superb performance from sophomore P.J. Monahan (game-high 32 points on 13-for-21 shooting), East dominated Notre Dame to register an easy 84-66 victory.

The win, which lifts the Eagles to 12-9, places East in a semifinal matchup versus No. 2 seed Xavier High Monday night at 7 in Middletown. Notre Dame ends its season 5-16.

Sophomore point guard Chris Paradiso supported Monahan, who led the Eagles with 10 rebounds, with a fine 15-point, 11-assist outing. Senior Chris Conklin added 10 points and eight rebounds.

Monahan sunk only one 3-pointer in his brilliant display.

"He (Monahan) played a super game, 13-for-21, what more can you ask for," East coach Bill Finnegan said. "He really played within the offense. Chris (Paradiso) had a super game off the point passing the ball. He's a real good guard."

East, aided by an effective three-quarter court trapping defense which yielded five Notre Dame turnovers in the first three minutes, jumped out to a quick 9-2 lead and extended that to 20-7 after the first quarter. Monahan led the way with nine points.

"Honestly, I think the kids were so sick of practicing, they just wanted to play a game," Finnegan said. "They came out and they were ready to go."

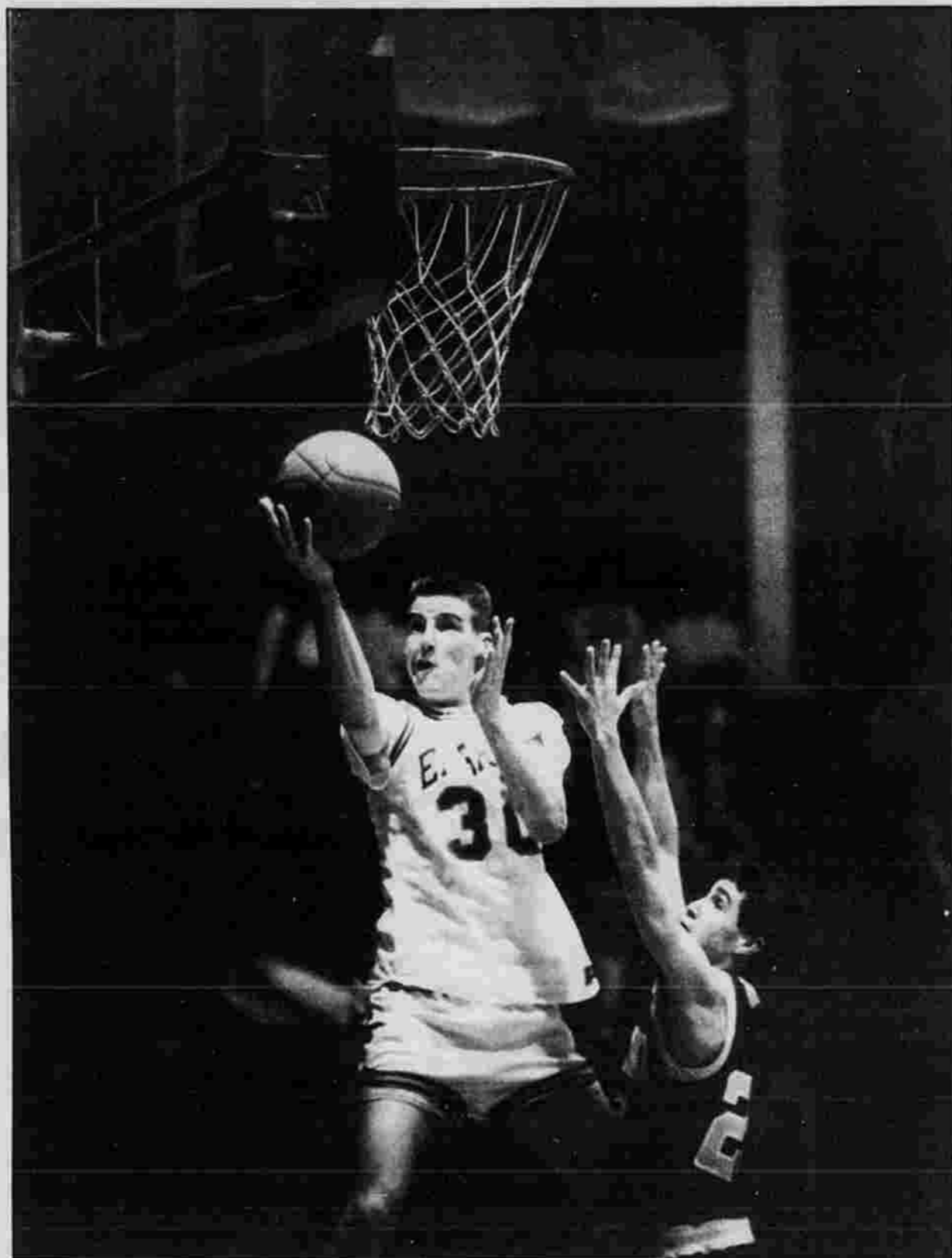
Monahan and Paradiso netted eight and seven points, respectively, in the second as the Eagles constructed a 39-22 halftime edge. ND senior Brendan Leary (team-high 26 points), the ACC's leading scorer averaging better than 28 points a game, was limited to 11 points in the first half, only two in the opening eight minutes.

"I thought Matt Ryan (who starred for Rob Penders who was sick) did a super job on Leary," Finnegan said. "We did a super job pressing and we turned them over early. He (Ryan) worked all game. He (Leary) had to work for everything he got."

Ryan scored all eight of his points in the third, along with eight more from Monahan, and East gained a 59-39 lead after a John Griffin hoop as the third-quarter buzzer sounded.

"They outquicked us early and they outkilled us," Notre Dame coach Gary Palladino said. "That (press) was a very smart coaching move. We hadn't seen that pressure since St. Joe's. We had poor transition defense. Monahan...solid. He's a program builder. If he wants to transfer to Notre Dame in West Haven...next year he'll be one of the best juniors in the state."

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CONCENTRATION — East Catholic's P.J. Monahan has a furrowed brow as he lays in two of his 32 points in Friday night's ACC playoff game against Notre Dame at the Rev. Robert E. Saunders Gymnasium. ND's Jason Kirck has his hands up, but is left on the floor by Monahan. East won, 84-66, to advance to Monday night's semifinals against Xavier High in Middletown.

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SNOW LOVERS —

Frank Belknap and daughter Alicia, above, build a snowman in their front yard Saturday before a winter storm dumped about seven inches in the Manchester area. Right, Jennifer Maldonado, 11, races down a hill in Center Park with her dog "Poochie." icy roads from the storm contributed to several automobile accidents, but none resulted in serious injuries.



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Sandinistas lose in stunning upset

By Doralita Pilarte
The Associated Press

MANAGUA, Nicaragua — Opposition leader Violeta Barrios de Chamorro defeated President Daniel Ortega in a stunning rebuke to 10 years of leftist Sandinista rule in this war-weary nation, election returns showed today.

Sunday's peaceful balloting — the freest elections in Nicaraguan history — was closely watched by thousands of international observers and, with more than half of the vote in, Mrs. Chamorro was winning nearly 55 percent.

Ortega, 44, stopped short of formally conceding, but said in a television appearance: "These numbers and these percentages form a tendency that cannot be ignored."

He said the precincts that had not yet reported held 50 percent of the vote, but admitted a Sandinista victory would "break mathematical rules."

"I want to tell all Nicaraguans and all the nations of the world, that the president of Nicaragua, and the government, will respect and accept the popular mandate," Ortega added.

The Sandinistas remain by far the largest single party — the United Nationalist Opposition Mrs. Chamorro heads is a fractious alliance of 14 parties ranging from far right to far left — and it was unclear how power would be transferred.

Defense Minister Humberto Ortega, the president's brother, has said that if Mrs. Chamorro won, "she would still have to deal with me," and that the army might disobey orders it considered unsound.

Whether he commands that kind of loyalty remains to be seen. UNO has said it will eliminate the draft

and greatly reduce the size of the army, the largest in Central America.

Another question is how UNO, whose members' only common interest was getting rid of the Sandinistas, could form a government strong enough to stand up to the Sandinista bureaucracy.

Ortega had branded Mrs. Chamorro, the 60-year-old publisher

of the opposition newspaper La Prensa, an instrument of U.S. policy and had hoped to capitalize on Nicaraguan pride at standing up to the colossus of the North.

But the voters rejected Ortega's one-party rule, which led to economic decline that the Sandinistas blamed on the U.S.-supported

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Tax board says 'no' to valuation appeals

By Nancy Foley
Manchester Herald

The Board of Tax Review has denied the assessment appeals of two anchor stores in the new mall in Buckland, as well as that of the owner of the Burr Corner Plaza, according to Robert J. Smith, a member of the board.

The review board's decision, made Saturday morning, may make it more likely that there will be litigation over the assessments.

G. Fox and Steiger, two of the mall anchor stores, appealed their assessments Wednesday. The assessment for G. Fox is \$3,973,670 on its land, buildings and improvements. Steiger's assessment is \$2,038,450.

On Friday, Burr Corner Associates appealed a tax assessment of \$3,207,230 placed on most of the property in the plaza off Tolland Turnpike.

These figures represent the value of the property as of Oct. 1, 1989, as determined by the tax assessor's of-

fice. Betty Sadloski, chairwoman of the tax review board, said Friday that she believes that all three of the stores were making an appearance before the board as a formality, so that they can appeal its decision to the state.

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Volunteers make a difference

**But many children
need more help**

By Dianna M. Talbot
Manchester Herald

Kathleen Grover, 36, and Elise Fiorentino, 32, both Manchester residents and mothers of young children, want to make sure needy children get help to lead happy lives.

More families than ever have fallen victim to problems of abandonment, abuse and drugs, and need help, said the volunteers for Children in Placement of Connecticut Inc.

"Increasingly, a major problem in families is substance abuse which leaves a family so depleted that children cannot be provided for," said Wendy M. Haller, the program's executive director.

As program volunteers, Grover and Fiorentino monitor rehabilitation efforts of parents, most of whom have abused substances such as drugs and alcohol and lost custody of their children to the state Department of Children and Youth Services (DCYS).

These children often are kept in temporary living arrangements with foster families until their parents have been rehabilitated or have completed court-mandated counseling.

The goal of Children in Placement is to ensure that previously unfit parents comply with court mandates to regain custody of their children, Haller said.

The organization is 70 percent volunteer-run.

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HELPING CHILDREN — Elise Fiorentino, left, and Kathleen Grover, are two Manchester residents who volunteer for Children in Placement of Connecticut Inc. The organization, which aids disadvantaged children, is in need of more volunteers.

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About Town

Auction is scheduled

The Daughters of Isabella will hold an auction Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. at the First Federal Savings and Loan Association, 344 W. Middle Turnpike. Members are asked to bring items for the auction.

Health checks are available

Free vision, ear and blood pressure checks will be available Tuesday from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at Anderson Town Hall. Cholesterol and blood sugar tests are \$5 per test. Appointments are not required. For more information, call 423-1651.

Courses are open

"How to be Your Own Travel Agent," "Marriage and Family Relationships in the Second Half of Life," "Aging and Enjoying It" and "Gentle Aerobics and Exercise" are some of the courses to be offered in March by Manchester Community College's Older Adults Association. For more information or to register, call 647-6153 or 647-6242.

Surplus food distributed

Butter, honey and egg mix will be distributed to eligible families on Tuesday from 10 to 11 a.m. at Coventry Town Hall and Wednesday from noon to 2 p.m. at Bolton Town Hall. For more information, call 734-4977.

AIDS support group to meet

People who want to live successfully with their HIV infection can attend meetings of the People with AIDS Coalition of Connecticut Wednesdays at 7:30 p.m. Confidentiality is observed. For more information, call 624-0947 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. or 624-2437 from 6:30 to 9 p.m.

Children of alcoholics to meet

Adult Children of Alcoholics meets Wednesdays from 6 to 7 p.m. in room CL-219c in the Lowe Building of Manchester Community College. For more information call 647-6062.

Depression Anonymous to meet

Depression Anonymous, a support group for the depressed, meets every Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. at Manchester Community College in the Lowe Building, Room 205-H. The group follows the 12-step program modeled after Alcoholics Anonymous. No dues or fees are required. For more information, call Sherry at 645-1856.

Auction to be held

The Women's Association to Enjoy Slimming will hold a fruit and vegetable auction Tuesday during a meeting at 72 E. Center St. Weigh-in will be at 6:15 p.m. New members are welcome. For more information call 875-6079.

Support group to meet

Overeaters Anonymous meets every Monday through Friday at 1 p.m. and Thursdays at 7 p.m. at First Baptist Church, 240 Hilltown Road. It also meets Mondays at 9:15 a.m. at Manchester Community College's Lowe Building, Room 205-H, and Wednesdays at 7 p.m. in the cafeteria-meeting room of Manchester Memorial Hospital, 71 Haynes St. O-Anon, for friends and relatives of overeaters, meets Thursdays at 7 p.m. at the hospital. Ask at the information desk for meeting room or call 524-5544.

Volunteers are needed

Eight hours of training make people eligible to help protect hundreds of children. The Voluntary Action Center, Capitol Region Inc., is offering local training classes on how to attend court hearings, make follow-up telephone calls and write reports on behalf of Connecticut's mistreated children. Volunteers age 60 and over can call 247-2493 and others can call 247-2580 for more information.

Lottery

Here are Saturday's lottery results from around New England:

CONNECTICUT
Daily: 9-9-5. Play Four: 5-6-2-8.
MASSACHUSETTS
Daily: 9-0-4-2. Megabucks: 1-10-16-21-34-35.
NORTHERN NEW ENGLAND
New Hampshire, Vermont and Maine daily: 4-6-3 and 5-4-4-9. Megabucks: 05-16-23-37-39-40.

RHODE ISLAND
Daily: 9-2-8-1. Lot-O-Bucks: 1-5-11-33-40.

Here are Sunday's lottery results from around New England:

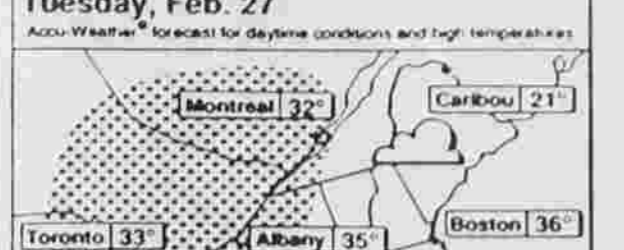
CONNECTICUT
Daily: 3-9-8. Play Four: 0-1-1-5.
MASSACHUSETTS
Daily: 6-6-0-5.

RHODE ISLAND
Daily: 8-5-4-6.

Weather

REGIONAL Weather

Tuesday, Feb. 27
Active weather... forecasts to display conditions and high temperatures



Weather summary for Sunday: Temperature high of 26, low of 7, mean of 18. Precipitation: 0.40 inches for the day, 3.37 inches for the month, 7.40 inches for the year. Normal for year to date: 6.36. Snowfall: 6.2 inches for the day, 9.0 inches for the month, 37.2 for the season.

Temperature extremes for today: Highest on record, 65, set in 1976. Lowest on record, 0, set in 1928.

Obituaries

Frederick K. Kurtz, inventor, shop owner

Frederick K. Kurtz, 70, of 38 Erie St., husband of Frances (Garofoli) Kurtz, died Saturday (Feb. 24, 1990) at St. Francis Hospital and Medical Center.

He was born in Irving, Mass., June 9, 1919, and had been a Manchester resident since 1949. He was former president and the present board chairman of Kurtz Brothers.

He graduated with a degree in machine work from the Worcester Boys Trade School in 1939 and was employed at The Norion Co. of Worcester from 1939 to 1942. He drew up plans for the first automatic course setter for navigation of naval vessels. He was a veteran of World War II, serving in the U.S. Navy as chief machinist mate aboard the USS Denver.

He was a member of St. Mary's Episcopal Church. He was also a member of the Sportsman Club, and a former member of the Army & Navy Club, the Ski Club and Manchester Country Club.

He is also survived by a daughter, Cynthia Pontes of Caracas, Venezuela; two sons and a daughter-in-law, Ronald and Jo-Ann Kurtz of Manchester, and Paul F. Kurtz of Gloucester; two brothers, Oscar Kurtz and Edward Kurtz, both of Manchester; and four grandchildren.

The funeral will be Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. at the Holmes Funeral Home, 400 Main St., and at 11:15 a.m. at St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 41 Park St. Calling hours are Tuesday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

Memorial donations may be made to the Newington Children's Hospital, 181 E. Cedar St., Newington 06111, or The Book of Remembrance at St. Mary's Episcopal Church.

Leo F. Rancourt

Leo F. Rancourt, 64, of Hartford, husband of the late Jeannette (Tisdale) Rancourt, died Friday (Feb. 23, 1990) in St. Francis Hospital and Medical Center, Hartford. He is survived by his brother, Norman Rancourt of Manchester.

He is survived by four daughters, Carol Akell of Goshen, Nancy Del-Couto and Janet Quirino of the Broad Brook section of East Windsor, and Dianne Manion of Ellington; six other brothers, Edward Rancourt in Florida, Albert and Paul Rancourt, both in Massachusetts, Larry Rancourt in Rhode Island, Robert Goyette in Oregon, and Rene Goyette in Rhode Island; two sisters, Jeanette Wolf in Florida, and Theresa Rancourt in Massachusetts; 11 grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; and a close friend, Theresa McDougall of Hartford.

The funeral was scheduled for today at the Callahan Funeral Home, 1602 Main St., East Hartford, followed by a Mass of Christian burial in St. Francis of Assisi Church, South Windsor. Burial will be in St. Mary's Cemetery, East Hartford.

Memorial donations may be made to a charity of the donor's choice.

Malackie Haddad

Malackie Haddad, 86, of Wil-

limantic, died Friday (Feb. 23, 1990) at Windham Community Memorial Hospital. She is survived by her son, Paul Haddad of Coventry.

She is also survived by another son, Phillip Haddad of Windham; two daughters, Martha Morrison of Hyattsville, Md., and Helen Plourde of Hartford; a brother, Said Haddad of Miami Beach, Fla.; a sister, Elsie Gillespie of Willimantic; 20 grandchildren; and several great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

She was predeceased by two sons, Joseph and Constantine Haddad, and a daughter, Marion Fortner.

The funeral will be Tuesday at 10 a.m. at the First United Methodist Church, Puddin Lane, Mansfield. Burial will follow in the New Willimantic Cemetery. Calling hours are tonight from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Potter Funeral Home, 456 Jackson St., Willimantic.

Memorial donations may be made to the First United Methodist Church, or to the Scholarship Fund of the Lebanese-American Club, c/o Alex Haddad, P.O. Box 737, Willimantic 06226.

Jesse J. Haight

Jesse John Haight, 82, of West Hartford, husband of the late Helen (Skoglund) Haight, died Thursday (Feb. 22, 1990) at home.

He is survived by his brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Vincent and Doris Ramiz of Manchester.

He is also survived by a cousin, Charles Gannis of West Hartford. A memorial service will be held Tuesday at 1:30 p.m. at the McCauley Retirement Community, 275 Steeple Road, West Hartford. There are no calling hours.

Memorial donations may be made to the Hartford Foundation for Public Giving, c/o CBT, 1 Constitution Plaza, Hartford 06105. The Newkirk & Whitney Funeral Home, 318 Burnside Ave., East Hartford, is in charge of arrangements.

Frank J. Leining

Frank J. "Bud" Leining, 77, of Newington, husband of Irene (Arcari) Leining, died Sunday (Feb. 25, 1990) in Hartford Hospital. He is survived by a sister, Mable Del-Couto of Manchester.

He is also survived by two daughters, Carolyn Lombardi and Pamela Leining, both of Newington; four other sisters, Bertha Morgan of Washington, Gertrude Lewis of Stonington, Beatrice Richburg in Montana, and Shirley Codraro of Bar Harbor, Maine; two great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

The funeral will be Wednesday at 9:15 a.m. at the Sheehan-Hillborn Funeral Home, 1084 New Britain Ave., West Hartford, followed by a Mass of Christian burial at 10 a.m. at the Holy Spirit Church, Newington. Burial will be in Cedar Hill Cemetery, Hartford. Calling hours are Tuesday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

Andrew L. Petersen

Andrew L. "Pete" Petersen, 79, of Glastonbury, formerly of Manchester, husband of the late Ada (Anderson) Petersen, died Sunday

(Feb. 25, 1990) at Hartford Hospital. Before retiring in 1967, he was a partner with the Trio Printers, Inc., of East Hartford and formerly of Manchester.

He is survived by a daughter, Lauren Petersen of Glastonbury; a sister, Elin P. Albright of Boston; and several nieces and nephews.

The funeral and burial will be at the convenience of the family. There are no calling hours.

Memorial donations may be made to Advanced Medical Research, 333 Longwood Ave., Boston 02115. The Holmes Funeral Home, 400 Main St., is in charge of arrangements.

She was a member of Concordia Lutheran Church and the Golden H Club.

She is survived by a foster daughter, Ilee Lauff Shea of the Rockville section of Vermont; a sister, Anna Fisher of Norfolk, Va.; and several nieces and nephews.

The funeral will be Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. at Concordia Lutheran Church, Pitkin Street. Burial will be in East Cemetery. Calling hours are Tuesday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. at the Watkins Funeral Home, 142 E. Center St.

In Memoriam

In loving memory of Judith Copeland Adams, who passed away on February 26, 1988.

Two years ago you passed away. You are in our hearts and minds. Everyday.

Norm, Mary Lou and Lindsey

In Memoriam

In loving memory of Virginia A. Anderson, who passed away February 25, 1988.

Though her smile has gone forever Her hand we cannot touch. We will never lose sweet memories Of the one we loved so much.

Sadly Missed, Children and Grandchildren

In Memoriam

In loving memory of Judy Copeland Adams, who passed away on February 26, 1988.

We had no chance to say goodbye. A part of us went with you. But we still have all the memories of a loving Daughter and Sister.

Sadly Missed, Mom, Randy and Bev

In Memoriam

In loving memory of Our Mother, Judy Adams, who passed away on February 26, 1988.

We love and miss you so much Mom.

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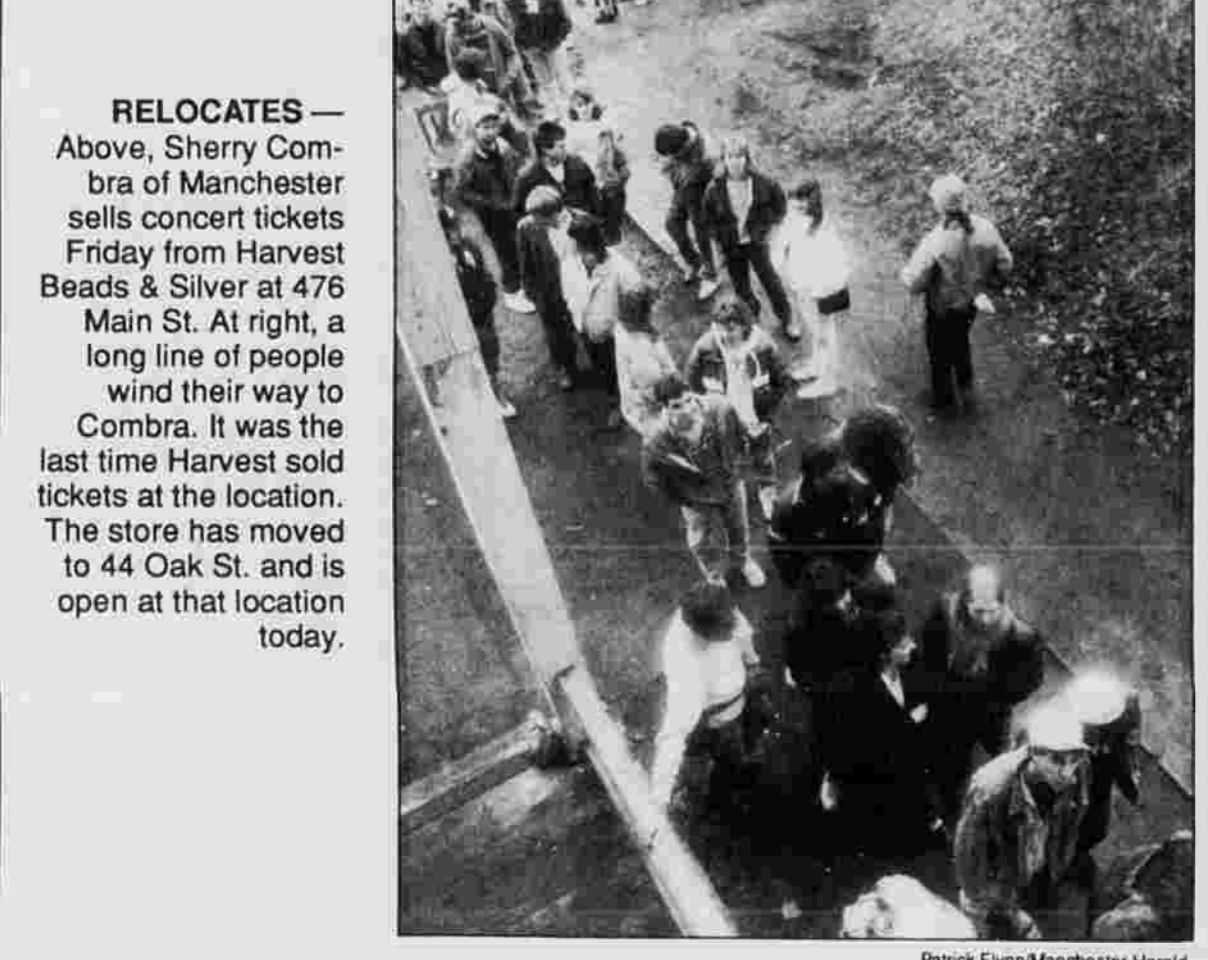
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RELOCATES — Above, Sherry Combra of Manchester sells concert tickets Friday from Harvest Beads & Silver at 476 Main St. At right, a long line of people wind their way to Combra. It was the last time Harvest sold tickets at the location. The store has moved to 44 Oak St. and is open at that location today.



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Supreme Court will decide fate of Wells Fargo tapes

HARTFORD (AP) — The U.S. Supreme Court is scheduled to consider Wednesday whether prosecutors acted illegally when they failed to quickly seal wiretap recordings used to build cases against nine defendants in the \$7 million Wells Fargo robbery.

The justices' ruling, expected by July, could affect whether the government continues its prosecution against some of the defendants. The prosecution alleges they are leaders of Los Mocheros, a violent Puerto Rican independence group.

The case has also generated broad interest among prosecutors and defense attorneys, who say its outcome could illuminate the views of the Supreme Court about government mistreatment.

The Supreme Court agreed last year to hear the tape cases after two lower court rulings barred federal prosecutors from using 500 reels of tapes of telephone calls and other conversations involving the defendants as trial evidence.

Of the 500 tapes, about 50 are considered crucial to the government's case. Federal law calls for immediate sealing by a judge of tapes secretly obtained with a court order unless the prosecution gives a good excuse.

The government has admitted in court papers that it did not, upon the expiration date of some court orders allowing the wiretaps, immediately bring the tapes to a federal judge to be sealed. In at least one instance, tapes were not sealed for 82 days, and in another they were not sealed for 118 days, according to court papers.

The government said the prosecutor who was supervising the tapes knew they needed to be sealed.

Liberal caucus backs Morrison

WEST HARTFORD (AP) — A liberal faction of the state's Democratic Party has endorsed U.S. Rep. Bruce A. Morrison in his bid for the Democratic nomination for governor.

The Caucus of Connecticut Democrats, after reluctantly including incumbent Gov. William A. O'Neill's name on the endorsement ballot, overwhelmingly backed the 3rd District congressman for the state's top office Saturday.

Morrison, who received 67 votes to O'Neill's eight, holds views closely aligned with those of the caucus, a group founded in 1969 by liberal activists.

"I want to say thank you. It's a real lift to the campaign to have this endorsement," Morrison told the caucus, held at the University of Hartford, who did not attend the caucus, has not formally announced whether he will seek a third full term. He has said he will seek reelection barring any health problems.

Four years ago, O'Neill made a feisty, but failed, attempt to win the group's endorsement over liberal challenger Toby Moffett. Caucus leaders Saturday placed O'Neill's name in nomination as a formality and as a symbolic gesture toward keeping the party open to all factions.

The more contentious battle of the day was waged in the attorney general's race, in which two state legislators with similar views are trying to secure the party's nomination.

In that race, the caucus failed to endorse either state Rep. Jay B. Levin, D-New London or state Sen. Richard Blumenthal, D-Stamford.

After three ballots neither candidate was able to garner the 60 per-

\$5 million project on schools goes to Coventry referendum

By Jacqueline Bennett
Manchester Herald

COVENTRY — Board of Education members acknowledge a \$5 million renovation and improvement project at two schools could add 1.2 mills to the tax rate, but caution the state may step in if the project is not approved.

A Special Town Meeting to discuss the project will be held Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in the auditorium of Coventry High School.

The matter goes to referendum March 6 in a paper-ballot vote from 6 a.m. to 8 p.m.

The project approved by the Town Council is to bring Coventry Grammar School and Capt. Nathan Hale School up to current building code standards as required by the state. Other improvements also are planned.

Based on a 62 percent reimbursement from the state, the town would pay \$2,184,000 for the work. That would mean a 1.2-mill increase in the first year of repayment for bond-levied projects, according to Karen Brylle of Connecticut Bank and Trust Co.

Brylle said the tax rate calculation is a close approximation based on current revenues to the town from a single mill on the tax rate.

Patrick Flaherty, the Democratic chairman of the Board of Education, said the expected state reimbursement could dip to 56.2 percent, meaning the town might have to pay more for the project.

Judy Halvorsen, board vice-chairwoman and chairwoman of the school building committee of the Board of Education, warned voters of the consequences of voting against the project.

She said the state will likely force the project to be done because the improvements are state-mandated.

In the 1970s, the town rejected in three separate referendums a state-mandated sewer system to stem pollution of Coventry Lake. Ultimately, the state ordered the project. That decision was recently upheld in court when a resident's suit against the state's action was rejected.

In the worst scenario, Halvorsen said the schools could be closed by the state if they are not up to building code standards.

Halvorsen said the town also rejected in the early 1970s a proposal to renovate all four schools. She said the town ended up paying four times the original amount to renovate one school because costs rose by the delay.

Similarly, shutting down this project now could cost the town more in the long run.

Flaherty agreed.

"This is essential work. It's not extra, not frills. It's bringing the buildings up to code," he said.

Work at Coventry Grammar School will cost \$2,650,000 and about half of that cost will be reimbursed by the state. The work at Capt. Nathan Hale School will cost \$2,200,000, and about 62 percent of that is reimbursable. Coventry Grammar School is newer and needs less renovation, Halvorsen said.

Coventry High School and G.H. Roberts School have already been done.

But the schools needing work have roofs that leak.

"We talk about wanting our principals to be instructional leaders. It's hard to do that when you're spending time putting buckets under leaks every time it rains," Flaherty said.

Such poor environmental conditions also distract teachers and students, he added.

Boy shot after junior high fight

NEW BRITAIN (AP) — Two 14-year-olds were injured in a fight for allegedly shooting another teenager in retaliation for a fight at a middle school last week, friends and parents of the victim said.

The 13-year-old victim was shot once in the head around 7:30 p.m. Saturday and was later treated and released from New Britain General Hospital.

The two suspects were arrested about three hours after the shooting. One was charged with criminal attempt to commit murder and the other with accessory to criminal attempt to commit murder, police said. A third suspect is being sought in connection with the shooting, police said.

The 14-year-old has been turned over to juvenile authorities, police said.

The victim's father said his son was suspended for his involvement in a fight he had not started at Palaski Middle School on Thursday.

Before he was shot, the victim had been cornered in an alley by three New Britain boys when three youths chased him and two friends, police said.

"Two of them came into the store and said, 'Someone is trying to kill us.' Somebody is trying to kill us!" said Gary Bellmar, Corner Store owner. "Then behind me I heard a snap, snap, snap. I thought it was a firecracker."

Bellmar said he ran outside and saw someone jump into a car parked outside the store on the corner of Edward A. Zigas Funeral Home.

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Bills on abortion, gun control to get public hearings this week

HARTFORD (AP) — A series of gun control bills, including one requiring a two-week waiting period for any firearm, goes before the public safety committee today and Tuesday, and several abortion bills will be aired Friday in what is likely to be a marathon hearing.

Also this week the General Assembly, wrestling with big budget problems, goes to a new deficit report from the administration.

The O'Neill administration last month estimated that the state would run a current budget year with a \$90 million deficit.

Gov. William A. O'Neill is expected to announce a new round of spending cuts, designed to save \$28 million in all, to minimize the amount that would have to be taken from the budget reserve, or rainy day fund. There is still \$102 million in that account.

The legislature desperately hopes to avoid having to raise taxes in this election year, and O'Neill's budget 1990-91 doesn't call for any increases.

A new deficit report is due out Thursday.

Today, the Public Safety Committee has planned a hearing on the gun bills. Tuesday, the committee will hold another hearing at the Capitol.

One of the bills would require permits for assault-style weapons, for which no permit or waiting period is now required. State law now requires a waiting period for handguns only.

The House and Senate are both scheduled to be in session on Wednesday. Each chamber is to vote on three state employee contracts and a vote was tentatively set in the House on a bill opening Connecticut to full interstate banking.

Similar banking bills have been defeated in the past, but passage appears more likely this year.

This year's version would protect smaller banks by prohibiting banks outside the region from forming new Connecticut banks for three years.

Lawmakers remain divided over a crucial issue in its implementation: how soon out-of-state banks should be allowed to start their own banks in Connecticut.

Under the current version, out-of-state banks could buy or merge with Connecticut banks as soon as the bill becomes law, but no bank or group of investors from outside the region could start a new bank from scratch for three years.

The Judiciary Committee will air a series of abortion bills Friday.

One would require fetus "viability" tests after 20 weeks of pregnancy, before an abortion could be performed. Another would require that parents be notified before a minor could have an abortion. One other would bar abortion as a means of sex selection. A fourth measure would require the father to be notified before an abortion could be performed.

Cop, 3 days out of training, shot in leg during struggle

MIDDLETOWN (AP) — A rookie police officer, three days out of the training academy, remains in good condition at Middlesex Hospital after he was shot in the leg during a struggle in a six-month trial. The eventual high court ruling will not affect those cases, because prosecutors did not use the tapes during the trial.

Last April, four other defendants were convicted on charges stemming from the Sept. 12, 1983, robbery of a Wells Fargo depot in West Hartford. A fifth defendant, Carlos Ayas Suarez, was acquitted in the six-month trial. The eventual high court ruling will not affect those cases, because prosecutors did not use the tapes during the trial.

Bruce Harvey, 22, was shot in the thigh with his own gun Friday night when he and his partner went to investigate a noise complaint, police said.

One of the tenants of the Main Street apartment became violent, struggled with Harvey, and then grabbed and fired the officer's gun, police said.

Spruill and Jenkins were held on \$5,000 bond. Steve Lowe was released on a written promise to appear.

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Moldavians go to polls in first free elections under Soviet regime

MOSCOW (AP) — A day after voters in Lithuania apparently voted the Communists out of power, Moldavia's resive citizenry cast ballots in their first free elections under Soviet rule.

Like the Lithuanians to the north, many ethnic Moldavians are seeking sovereignty and hoped Sunday's balloting would bring victory to pro-independence forces.

The weekend elections came amid nationwide pro-democracy rallies that demanded a swift end to the Communist Party's monopoly on power.

In Sunday's vote in Moldavia, a republic bordering Romania, the pro-statutory Moldavian Popular Front won to win at least half of the 380 seats in Parliament from the Communists.

"We think part of the other deputies will come around to our side," said Yuri Roshka, a Popular Front leader and candidate.

One Popular Front voter, 26-year-old Anatoliy Zhanov, said after voting: "We are learning democracy and we want to use the Parliament as a peaceful way to gain our sovereignty."

Others in a park in Kishinev, the republic's capital, agreed.

"We want to be an independent republic — not with the Russians, and not with the Romanians. And above all we want our sovereignty," said Anatoliy Gonscharenko, listening to results of the Lithuanian election on a radio.

The head of Lithuania's Sajudis Popular Front said Sunday that independence from Moscow might be attainable within months. On Saturday, the republic's voters appeared to choose the country's first legislature not dominated by Communists.

Unofficial returns showed that of the 90 races decided, candidates endorsed by Sajudis took 72 seats and non-Sajudis candidates took 18, said Rita Dupkus, head of the Sajudis information agency. There are 141 seats, and the rest were to be decided in runoff March 10.

"If that is not a landslide, then what?" Algimantas Cekuolis, a Sajudis officer, told a news conference Sunday in the republic's capital, Vilnius. "It is a very clear indication of what the people of Lithuania think."

Sajudis gathered the election results by calling local election commissions, and the tallies were believed to be reliable. Official returns in Lithuania were expected today, as were unofficial returns from Moldova.

Turnout among the 2.56 million eligible Lithuanians was about 75 percent, officials said.

"We have a common and very clear goal. Our clear goal is statehood and the independence of Lithuania," said Vytautas Landsbergis, Sajudis chairman. "This goal is achievable this year."

Sajudis wants talks with Moscow to prepare for an orderly secession, which would break a 60-year-old tie that began with Lithuania's occupation by the Red Army in 1940 and its forcible annexation later that year.

Father takes battle for custody overseas

WELLINGTON, New Zealand (AP) — The father of a 7-year-old American girl whose mother was jailed for 25 months for refusing to disclose her whereabouts arrived today to press on with the couple's highly publicized custody battle.

The mother of Hilary Foreitch, who claims her ex-husband sexually abused the child, accused him of hounding down their daughter like "an animal."

Dr. Eric Foreitch denies he abused the child. Last week, the Falls Church, Va., dental surgeon traced his daughter to New Zealand, where she has been living with her maternal grandparents.

Hilary reportedly hasn't seen either of her parents in two years.

Dr. Joan Elizabeth Morgan was released from jail in September after Congress passed a law tailored for her that limited civil contempt imprisonment in Washington, D.C. to a year.

"My daughter deserves to come back and have a normal life," Foreitch, 45, said today.

After arriving in the northern city of Auckland, he immediately went to meet his New Zealand lawyers to discuss the next step of action: "Certainly we're going to do what we need to do to rescue my daughter."

Aided by private investigators, Foreitch found that Hilary was living in the South Island town of Christchurch, 190 miles southwest of Wellington.

The Family Court in Christchurch granted an interim order Friday giving the grandparents custody of the girl, and today William Morgan, the child's grandfather, vowed to call police if the father approached the girl.

Hilary on Sunday spoke to her mother for the first time in two years and cried, said her maternal grandmother Anomia Morgan.

Dr. Morgan, a 42-year-old plastic surgeon in Washington, was jailed in August 1987.

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Elderly seen prey to abuse by insurers

By Nancy Bernac
The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — A private advocacy group today accused the insurance industry of widespread abuses in the sale of nursing home insurance to the frail elderly and called for a government investigation.

The Families USA Foundation said many insurers, including some top-rated companies, sell policies to vulnerable old people by exaggerating their coverage and later refuse to make good on promised benefits.

"There is so much evidence of insurance industry abuse of frail elderly consumers that the Federal Trade Commission should investigate," said Ron Pollack, executive director of Families USA. "This problem is too widespread to be swept under the rug by insurance industry public relations agents."

The group's report was endorsed by two members of the House Energy and Commerce subcommittee on oversight and investigations, which plans to hold hearings on the subject.

Long-term care insurance was virtually non-existent before 1980 but the market has grown rapidly in recent years amid rising concern about the high cost of nursing home care, which averages more than \$2,000 a month.

More than 100 insurance companies now offer nursing home insurance and more than 13 million policies have been purchased, according to the Health Insurance Association of America. The association maintains that its members that sell long-term care insurance are committed to providing affordable protection.

An estimated 40 percent of all elderly will spend some time in a nursing home, with half of all stays lasting six months or less and the other half averaging 3 1/2 years, according to HIAA.

Families USA said the most common problems detected in its preliminary study of nursing home insurance sales in more than a dozen states were misrepresentations by insurance agents, company refusals to pay benefits, and excessive payment delays.

In one case, an insurance agent visited a 74-year-old widow in Minnesota in the hospital to collect her first premium, and later denied her nursing home benefits because she was hospitalized when she bought the policy.

In another, an elderly Iowa man was promised he need never worry about paying for a nursing home if he bought a policy that turned out to be so restrictive it would not cover 97 percent of the nursing home beds in Iowa.

Rep. John Dingell, a Michigan Democrat who chairs the House Commerce Committee and its oversight subcommittee, said the foundation's report was in line with what his investigators are finding.

Currently, roughly half of nursing home costs are paid by individuals and the other half by the government, mainly through Medicaid. Medicaid coverage of nursing home costs is available only after people become im-

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OPINION

Liquor laws are inadequate

The package store owner in Seymour who is suing a youth who illegally bought beer from the store probably does not have a civil case against the young man, but he does have a strong point nevertheless.

The store owner says he paid a fine of \$500, spent about that much in legal fees, and lost income when he closed his store to attend a hearing of the state Liquor Control Commission.

He admits the clerk failed to ask the 19-year-old customer for proof of his age, but argues that most of the responsibility for abiding by the liquor laws should rest with the purchaser and more of the burden for breaking the law should fall on the purchaser.

The real target of the package store owner is not the young man who bought the keg of beer, but the General Assembly which passes the laws on liquor consumption.

The law clearly requires the seller, no matter how old the customer looks, to check on the buyer's age.

Nevertheless, the buyer is required to know that he cannot make a liquor purchase if he is under the legal age.

The store owner and the Connecticut Package Stores Association make sense when they argue that more of the burden for disregarding the law should fall on underage purchasers.

Even if the store owner loses his court case, his point should be given some consideration by lawmakers.

Open Forum

Veterans thank kids

This letter is to all the children who sent Valentines to veterans. I was sent a few that were received at the Veterans' Hospital in Newington and was asked to thank you for them and tell you how much the cards mean.

Veterans in a hospital get to see and talk to grown-ups just about every day. They do not get to see or talk to children very often. Holidays seem like an especially long day for a veteran in the hospital.

"Mail Call" is the time each day mail is delivered to the veteran. It is nice to get a card or letter from the family or a friend. When a card or letter is received from a stranger, especially children, a veteran is very, very happy.

Some veterans cry because they are so happy they are remembered. It is very hard to explain about being so happy you cry. I guess it would be like wanting a puppy for a long, long time and finally getting one for your birthday. If this does not show you what it means maybe your teacher, mom or dad can tell you what it is like.

One of the poems written on a card said:

"Thanks for being there when we needed you, thanks for letting freedom spread throughout our country too."

Thank you for remembering us.

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The Editor:

Manchester Safe Rides moves into the 1990s with new corporate sponsorship through Morande Brothers. Manchester Safe Rides looks forward to building the same positive relationship with Morande Brothers that we enjoyed over the years with our original sponsors, Moriarty Brothers. On behalf of the current and past membership of Manchester Safe Rides, I take this opportunity to thank Matthew and Maurice Moriarty for five years of interest, support and sponsorship and to welcome William Morande to this effort to address the issue of drinking and driving among young people in Manchester.

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Which way will Jesse run?



The pleasure of protesting

By William Rusher

It was the anti-fur protesters that started me thinking. Here were these people who apparently have nothing better to do than go around splashing red paint (inflation blood) on expensive fur coats, allegedly as a protest against the cruelty of trapping and killing the animals that provide the fur.

There was something so savage about the form of their protest that it seemed disproportionate, somehow, to their alleged aim. It's all very well to oppose the use of an animal's fur in clothing, but that clearly doesn't justify the vandalism involved in ruining a fur coat. Moreover, reports indicated that some protesters (including some who stopped short of throwing paint on other people's clothing) were wearing leather jackets and leather shoes — rather inconsistently, one would think.

So I have concluded that there's more going on here than meets the eye. A good many of these anti-fur protesters, I believe, are simply working off their aggressions under the guise of a high-minded objection to cruelty to animals. In some cases, their hostility may focus specifically on people stylish enough, and rich enough, to wear mink or sable. In others, the hidden anger and resentment may be aimed at the whole human race, and the fur-wearers are simply unlucky enough to provide a cunning excuse for its expression.

Once I had reached that conclusion about the anti-fur protesters, however, a further subversive thought crossed my mind. Is it possible that other protest movements — and there are a zillion of them these days — are masking the same or similar aggressive impulses?

Take the great legions of the anti-smokers. Now, I will be the first to concede that smoking can be offensive to non-smokers. I think the drive to isolate and if possible eliminate smokers from human society has gone absurdly far, but there is the nub of a perfectly good point there.

But no one who watches the behavior of many (not all) who object to smoking can doubt that there is an element of aggression in their attitude.

Years ago, before New York City mandated separate areas in restaurants for smokers and non-smokers, I lit up a few feet away thereupon loudly instructed her waiter, "I won't have my entire unit that man has finished his cigar." Naturally, I crept out at once. And you can't tell me that woman didn't feel a pleasurable rush of power. It positively radiated from her.

Similarly, those who spend their lives resisting the installation of nuclear power plants, or hazing Exxon for the oil spill in Prince William Sound, undoubtedly have the bare bones of a case. But a lot of them, I'll bet, get their real kicks out of taking on and besting a big, slick out corporation. Hating Big Business is a grand old tradition in the U.S.A.

For more outdoory types, there's always Greenpeace. Sign onto the campaign to Save The Whales, and you may actually get a chance to go bucketing around some Japanese whaling vessel in a small boat, while the world's press records your daring.

In all these cases, the secret pleasure derived from harming or at least embarrassing rich women or pot-bellied cigar-smokers or giant corporations is multiplied many times by the sheer virtuosity of the cause allegedly being served. Defending little furry things, or the pristine wilderness, or fresh air, has all over demanding lower taxes or protesting the draft. The former are such seemingly disinterested acts. The secret sadism can lay on the lash in the high name of public virtue. Nor need it (or she), at the end of the day, waste time analyzing the precise source of that pleasurable sensation.

William Rusher is a syndicated columnist.

CPI a mixed bag of news

By John Cunniff

NEW YORK — Strip away weather factors in the Consumer Price Index and you still have a serious problem, an inflation rate of more than 7 percent a year. That is core inflation.

If maintained, it would halve the purchasing power of a dollar within 10 years. It is a rate high enough to feed itself — to trigger cost-of-living pay increases, higher interest rates and anticipatory buying.

But significant elements in the latest CPI reading make it difficult to compare with readings in other decades. Some of these differences might darken the picture, but others conceivably have a brightening hue.

The dark side:

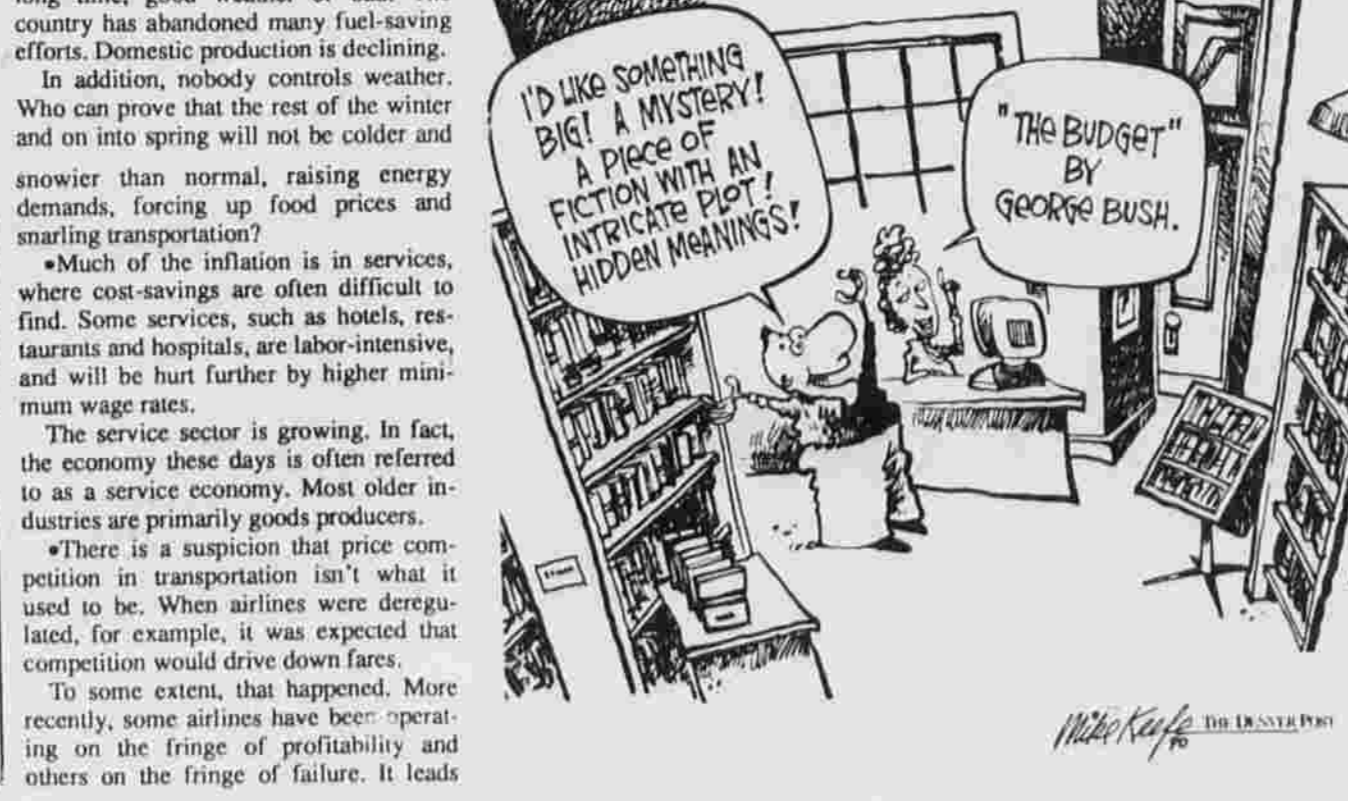
- The increase in energy prices is believed by many analysts to be a short-lived phenomenon, caused largely by unusually cold temperatures in December. Since then, most northern states have been warmer than normal.
- Nevertheless, some economists fear higher energy costs will be with us for a long time, good weather or bad. The country has abandoned many fuel-saving efforts. Domestic production is declining.
- In addition, nobody controls weather. Who can prove that the rest of the winter and on into spring will not be colder and snowier than normal, raising energy demands, forcing up food prices and snarling transportation?
- Much of the inflation is in services, where cost-savings are often difficult to find. Some services, such as hotels, restaurants and hospitals, are labor-intensive, and will be hurt further by higher minimum wage rates.
- The service sector is growing. In fact, the economy these days is often referred to as a service economy. Most older industries are primarily goods producers.
- There is a suspicion that price competition in transportation isn't what it used to be. When airlines were deregulated, for example, it was expected that competition would drive down fares.
- To some extent, that happened. More recently, some airlines have been operating on the fringe of profitability and others on the fringe of failure. It leads

some analysts to believe an upward price trend is inevitable.

The brighter side:

- Chronologically, most of winter is over. Temperatures should rise from now until summer, helping to slow food and energy price increases. But don't forget, averages include extremes. Weather is often extreme.
- Construction price increases contributed to the big jump in January consumer prices. That too might be temporary; it occurs almost every January, when contractors bid on jobs to be undertaken during the busy summer.
- Price increases in services are not always as measured accurately. In fact, some increases are unreal, reported mainly because methodology has failed to keep abreast of change.
- Increases in productivity, for example, are seldom fully measured. It is much more difficult to measure service output than it is in the production of goods, especially manufactured items.
- How do you measure the quality, the productivity of health care? How do you work that into inflation equations? Can you compare a modern fast-food outlet with an old diner, an inn?
- Economist William Dunkelberg, dean of Temple University school of business and management, puts it colorfully although rather theoretically: "Your doctor's fee might have doubled, but most likely you are getting better health care, too. You're probably getting more pounds of health care for the dollar. That is, the cost of a pound of health care might have dropped."
- Then we might assume that some of service inflation isn't real? "It isn't an assumption," said Dunkelberg. "It is a fact."

John Cunniff writes for the Associated Press.



Malcolm Forbes: 'While alive, he lived'

NEW YORK (AP) — For Malcolm Forbes, multimillionaire publisher and flamboyant pitchman for capitalism, it wasn't how much money you have but how you spend it, family and friends recalled as they mourned his death at age 70.

Forbes died Saturday from a heart attack while sleeping at his estate in Far Hills, N.J. He had returned earlier in the day from London.

"What he wanted inscribed on his tombstone says it all: 'While alive, he lived,'" said Forbes' son, Malcolm Jr., at a news conference Sunday with his sister and three brothers.

"Death happens to everyone but we never believed it would happen to him; he always defied the odds," Malcolm Jr. said.

The son will succeed his father as chairman and chief executive of Forbes magazine and its parent, Forbes Inc., and as editor in chief of the New York-based magazine. He formerly was president and chief operating officer of the parent company and deputy editor in chief of the magazine.

Forbes championed free enterprise and embraced his corporate slogan, "Capitalist Tool," on his jet, his helicopters, balloons, even his clothing and luggage.

His worth was estimated at anywhere from \$400 million to \$1 billion, but whatever the amount, he relished his riches.

Forbes made a free flight over Beijing in a hot-air balloon and set six world ballooning records. He owned 68 motorcars and toured China on one. He globe-trotted with movie stars and heads of state aboard his gold-plated, helicopter-equipped yacht, the Highlander.

"It's not how much money you have but what you do with it," Forbes once said. "The joy of living is incredible. We work hard at the things we have to do, so why not take time to enjoy the things we want to do?"

It was that credo that led Forbes to invite 1,000 guests to a \$2 million, 70th birthday bash last August in Tangier, Morocco, Bill Clinton developer Donald Trump, Chrysler Chairman Lee Iacocca and former Secretary of State Henry Kissinger were among those invited.

"He was a real free spirit," said opera star Beverly Sills, who sang "Happy Birthday" at the Tangier extravaganza. "He had such a joy of life, I think he would have had it if he had been a poor man."

He was the quintessential American — optimistic, buy-and-lots-of-fun, Kissinger said. "He was a very good friend and I'll miss him."

"I feel like a great light has been turned off," said Elizabeth Taylor, a frequent companion of Forbes. "He was one of the best friends I ever had."

Forbes was a tireless collector, accumulating toy soldiers by the battalion and buying up a dozen Faberge eggs, the hand-crafted artworks of Czarist Russia.

Forbes was born in Englewood, N.J., on Aug. 19, 1919, two years after his father, Scottish emigrant Berrie Charles Forbes, founded Forbes magazine.

He graduated from Princeton in 1941, then published two weekly newspapers in Ohio for a year. He enlisted in the Army in 1942, was wounded in combat and received the Bronze Star and Purple Heart.



LIZ AND MALCOLM — Actress Elizabeth Taylor holds a rose while Malcolm Forbes holds a bottle of champagne by the neck during a 1988 party at his Far Hills, N.J., home. Forbes, the colorful owner of the magazine that bears his name, died in his sleep Saturday.

For every problem there's a bill to solve it

By The Associated Press

You probably didn't know that the national welfare was threatened by an epidemic of toad-licking. You might not be aware that people are sneezing the very life out of the chickens of America.

Don't panic. While you've been blithely ignoring the world's problems, state legislators around the nation have been earning their pay by discovering these and other predicaments — some more serious than others — and boldly trying to solve them.

Bills have been introduced this year to exempt ostrich steaks from California's state sales tax, to improve campaign manners in New Mexico and to encourage people to beat up flag burners in Tennessee.

"Bully party" for women is the goal of bills in Pennsylvania and Maryland. The bills would require more toilets for women to eliminate the long lines that form outside women's restrooms in stadiums, convention halls and other public places.

There have been proposals to designate the "senior hazy marmoset" at the Anchorage Zoo as the official State Marmoset of Alaska, the yucca moth as the official State insect of Colorado, and — we're not making this up — the Crider soil series as the official State Soil of Kentucky, the Houdek soil as the official State Soil of North Dakota and the Kalkaska soil series as the official State Soil of Michigan.

West Virginia legislators are considering a proposal to give lottery tickets to motorists who use their seat belts. A generous legislator in Indiana wanted to pay citizens \$25, in the form of an income tax credit, for voting.

And a state senator in New Mexico proposed creating a new county — named after him.

You might be tempted to believe that all is not serious in America's legislatures. But that would be ignoring some of the issues facing elected officials.

It turns out, for instance, that there are people who get their kicks licking toads. According to the U.S. Drug Enforcement Agency, South

American came trade secrets a hallucinogenic toxin that can get the licker as high as a tree frog.

Legislators in Georgia and South Carolina have introduced bills to outlaw the practice.

"They say these frogs grow to the size of a dinner plate," said horrified Rep. Pat Harris of South Carolina. "I don't want to see somebody walk across the statehouse grounds with a frog on a leash and pick him up and lick his m.".

You may laugh, but only until you consider the plight of the common chicken.

One of Harris' colleagues, Rep.

Larry Koon, has introduced a bill making it illegal in South Carolina to fire a gun within 300 yards of a chicken coop.

The sound of gunshot, it seems, can cause chickens to lose their vaunted self-composure, jump into a pile and suffocate each other.

"Last year, one of Mr. Koon's constituents had chickens in a house," explained Rep. Tom Rhoad. "Someone had a dove shoot in the field right next to the chicken house. And the guns fired and caused the chickens to huddle up in a corner, and the farmer lost over 1,000 chickens."

Airline industry wants to require infant safety seats

By David Briscoe
The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Erin Donnell has flown on airlines four times in six months and she's never had to buy a ticket. She's also never had a seat of her own during takeoff or landing. She's 6 months old.

But if airlines have their way, Erin won't be allowed to fly in her mother's arms between Washington and Rochester, N.Y.

The airline industry's Air Transport Association last week joined calls from members of Congress, consumer safety groups and flight attendants for a rule requiring safety seats for all passengers under 2 years old.

If safety seats are made mandatory, Erin's mother, Judy Donnell of Alexandria, Va., might have to buy a \$130 ticket for a seat where she could strap in the child restraint.

Some travel agents say many travelers can't afford the extra expense, and a Federal Aviation Administration official said the proposal likely would do little to improve infant air travelers' safety.

The proposal would affect the 5,000 to 10,000 babies who fly each day. In most cases, the same safety seats that states now require for infants riding in cars can be used in a jetliner.

The FAA proposes only to require that airlines offer use of safety seats as an option to travelers — as most airlines do now — but the agency is seeking public comment on the tougher proposal.

Mrs. Donnell said she would be willing to pay the extra cost, but she has never considered buying a ticket to guarantee her baby a seat.

"It's really mind-boggling that they think a baby is going to be safe not secured," she said, adding that she sometimes straps Erin into an extra seat during flight but holds her unsecured during takeoff and landing.

Other passengers apparently are not so content with the prospect of having to carry a safety seat and buy a ticket for a child under 2.

"People are mostly concerned about having to pay," said Doris Davidoff, a Bowie, Md., travel agent whose firm books 10,000 tickets a year. "They'd like to have a choice and don't want it to be mandatory."

"I really don't think it would be fair, given the really low percentages of injuries or deaths involved, to force the many, many parents traveling with infants to pay for a seat," said Mrs. Davidoff.

A passenger flying roundtrip between Baltimore and Los Angeles at full fare could have to pay up to \$1,246 on a heavily booked flight to guarantee a seat for an infant. If the ticket were bought far enough in advance at a discount, the cost still would be at least \$406, unless special child's fares were in effect.

The FAA also is concerned about the burden such a rule would put on travelers.

"The number of accidents is statistically low to begin with, and there has been no indication that a great many children have been killed," said an FAA spokesman.

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CHANGE OF THE GUARD — Nicaraguan President Daniel Ortega speaks to a news conference Saturday before losing the national election Sunday to Violeta Barrios De Chamorro.

Ortega

Contra insurgency and a U.S. trade embargo. The Nicaraguan people have shown that they want to live in democracy, in peace and in freedom," Mrs. Chamorro told more than 1,000 cheering supporters. Her victory is confirmed, she will take office on April 25.

In Washington, President Bush hailed the upset victory in Nicaragua as "another victory" for democracy in a remarkable year. His spokesman said a lifting of economic sanctions would be a "first consideration."

Secretary of State James A. Baker III said the international community would insist "full civil and military power be transferred to the newly elected government."

The Supreme Electoral Council said that with about 60 percent of precincts counted, Mrs. Chamorro had 459,655 votes, or 54.8 percent, to Ortega's 347,778, or 41.5 percent. Eight other parties split what little remained.

Ortega's speech was filled with sadness and seemed at times almost like a valediction, tracing the course of the Sandinista party from the time it led the revolution that toppled President Anastasio Somoza in 1979.

"Just as we managed to defeat Somozismo, so we also managed to defeat the counterrevolution and to induce before the world those who launched a policy of death against the people of Nicaragua," he said.

Weather

South Windsor and two were from Hartford.

And while emergency personnel responded to the head-on collision, a South Windsor police officer was hit by a car at the intersection of Wheeler and Pleasant Valley roads in South Windsor, O'Mara said. The officer, whose identity and condition were unavailable this morning, had been diverting traffic at the intersection as a result of the head-on collision in Manchester, he said.

State police reported one accident on Route 6 in Andover and one on Bolton Center Road in Bolton, but no injuries were reported.

Noriega assistant talking plea bargain

MIAMI (AP) — A co-defendant described as the right-hand man to ousted Panamanian dictator Manuel Noriega has discussed a possible plea bargain with federal prosecutors, his lawyer said today. "There is a possibility there will be a plea," said Samuel Bursyn, attorney for Luis del Cid, a 46-year-old Panamanian described as a money courier and liaison between Noriega and drug traffickers. However, Bursyn added, "At this point, nothing has been decided." Told that the Associated Press had learned of negotiations, he said, "I guess my client has been talking."

Del Cid sat quietly in a federal courtroom today waiting for a hearing before U.S. District Judge William M. Hoeweler. That hearing was to consider motions on handling of secret government documents and possible severance of co-defendants' cases from Noriega's highly publicized prosecution. U.S. prosecutors say Noriega, indicted in Miami and Tampa in February 1988, accepted millions of dollars in bribes in exchange for allowing Colombia's Medellin cartel



She flashes a victory sign in Managua early today. Ortega had still not conceded.

Ortega

referring to the United States. "We were sure that this electoral process would bring all Nicaraguans that peace and stability we need so much," Ortega said.

At times Ortega looked pained and it seemed as if he simply could not bring himself to say flatly that the party had lost.

Flanked by top aides and his common-law wife, who looked pale and shaken, Ortega told Nicaraguans he was proud, in any case, that the Sandinistas had brought a democratic election to Nicaragua.

Aristides Sanchez, a Contra leader, called the election result "a triumph of the people."

"All Nicaraguans must now back the new government and attempt to achieve a national reconciliation," he said in a telephone interview from Miami.

The United States ended military aid to the Contras in February 1988, but, at Bush's urging, Congress has continued to supply the Contras with non-lethal aid to pressure the Sandinistas into holding free elections.

Mrs. Chamorro was asked as she left her house for campaign headquarters if she thought a transfer of power after 10 1/2 years of Sandinista rule would be smooth. "That's the commitment. We want peace and reconciliation."

As they battled the Contra rebels, the Sandinistas muzzled dissent for years. Most pre-election polls said Mrs. Chamorro was trailing Ortega, but many Nicaraguans were afraid

to reveal their true feelings outside a truly secret ballot box. Under the Sandinistas, the centrally planned economy was wracked by inflation and mismanagement.

Celebrations began breaking out in various neighborhoods of Managua before dawn, with people burning some of the thousands of Sandinista banners draped across city streets. However, the celebrations appeared to die down quickly.

A midnight celebration at Sandinista headquarters had been canceled. Turnout was heavy in what was considered Nicaragua's freest vote ever, with people lining up for as much as four hours to cast ballots and more than 3,000 international observers monitoring the peaceful election.

Voters also selected 90 National Assembly members and representatives to 146 regional, city and town councils.

The electoral council was extremely late in reporting votes, and opposition officials initially said they believed the council hadn't expected a Sandinista loss and was withholding announcements because it didn't know what to do.

After the polls closed, former President Jimmy Carter, head of one observer group, called the ballot "very fair." About 1.75 million of Nicaragua's 3.5 million people were registered to vote.

A festive mood prevailed at the south into New England tonight, lowering the mercury to a frigid high of 11 degrees, the National Weather Service spokesman said.

In fact, today's early morning temperature of minus-four degrees was the coldest recorded on Feb. 26 since 1924. In the same-hour temperatures were zero degrees, he said.

By contrast, last Friday's high temperature was 68 degrees, Whittier said.

Sunny skies were expected to continue Tuesday, with warmer temperatures in the mid-30s, and clear skies to be replaced by clouds in the afternoon. By late afternoon, some light snowfall was expected to begin, continuing into the evening. Not much accumulation was expected.

Whittier's extended forecast called for clear skies on Wednesday with temperatures again in the mid-30s; and sunny skies on Thursday and Friday with highs in the mid-30s and night-time lows in the 10- to 15-degree range.

Children

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funded through private donations; the rest of its funding comes from the state Judicial Department.

New Children in Placement is seeking volunteers to help with a large volume of cases within the state's five juvenile courts, including Hartford and Rockville, Statewide, the 10-year-old program's 60 volunteers help handle about 1,000 family cases per year, Haller said.

Those interested in the program, which is based in Hartford, can attend a two-day orientation training session March 29 and April 5 from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. More information is available by calling Donna Salemi, Hartford program coordinator (866-8270), or Geraldine Ellwood, Rockville program coordinator (872-7143).

Candidates should be able to commit 10 to 13 hours for training and two to three hours for making phone calls, Haller said. They also should be sensitive to the problems of a dysfunctional family, where there may be a lack of education and a feeling of hopelessness. "We need to generate a positive response," Haller said.

As Children in Placement volunteers, Grover and Fiorentino spend about two to three hours per month on the telephone with social workers, counselors and school officials, tracking the progress of such parents. Questions they ask include: Are parents attending counseling sessions? If their children live at home, are they being properly fed and dressed and are they attending school?

"I think it's a chance to make sure the children do not become lost in the system," said Grover, a resident of 29 Otis St., and mother of five children, ranging in age from 5 to 15 years old.

"We make sure that each individual child has an advocate; that everything supposed to be happening is," she said.

In addition to raising her children and keeping track of seven families in the program, Grover said she works part time in a book store and plans to attend law school.

"I feel I am making a small difference in those children's lives," said Fiorentino, a resident of 224 Porter St., and mother of three children ranging in age from 1 to 5. She follows three families in the program.

"I think there is an awful lot of children going through the system, and the program helps them flow along faster and smoother," Fiorentino said. "I feel good that I am contributing, but I think we need a lot more volunteers. There is a large volume of cases."

White, male workers to organize at SNET

DANBURY (AP) — A supervisor at Southern New England Telephone Co. says he's forming a group designed to lessen the "anxieties" felt by white, male workers.

SNET spokeswoman Beverly Levy said last week that company officials will meet with Bennett to discuss the idea, although she said SNET has worked hard in the area of equal opportunities for all employees and feels it has a solid record in that area.

"We lobby for ourselves just as we will do," said Bennett, a 24-year veteran at SNET.

Installation Supervisor Wayne Bennett said that white males at New Haven-based SNET have a very small chance for promotion. He has written SNET officials announcing his plans to form an organization that will look after the interests of white, male workers.

"We in no way feel we are discriminatory toward anybody," she said.

She said there is no company prohibition banning the formation of a special interest group unless it is clearly exclusionary or racist in nature.

Bennett said the only reason WAMA was being formed was because too many of his white colleagues have been victimized by affirmative action guidelines that were established to counterbalance unfair hiring and promotion practices in the past.

"We are in no way racist or fascist," Bennett said. "But I think the pendulum of reverse discrimination has swung far enough."

Another existing group include the Black Managers Association and the Foreman's Club, which represents supervisors who are not union members. Other organizations

represent Hispanics, women and the disabled.

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Dixon a State Open champion

By Jim Tierney
Manchester Herald

Entering the State Open Wrestling Championships, which were held at Bristol Central High School on Friday and Saturday night, Manchester High senior Aaron Dixon had just one blemish on his brilliant individual record this season.

That loss came at the hands of Fairfield High's Matt Grapski in the 152-pound final in the Class LL state tournament one week before. Grapski won a tight decision, 12-9, to snare the LL title.

The top four individual placements in LL advanced to the Open.

So, with a week to prepare, Dixon had all last opportunity to avenge his only defeat and, in the process, become the first Manchester High wrestler to win a State Open championship.

When the 152-pound State Open final got underway Saturday night around 9, Dixon was where he wanted to be, against the only opponent who had beaten him this year — Grapski — before a crowd of roughly 2,000.

From the opening seconds of the match — composed of three two-minute rounds — Dixon held the upper hand and gained a substantial 14-7 lead after one period. Dixon scored the first five points of the second period to close out a technical fall triumph.

A technical fall is awarded when a wrestler leads by 15 points or more. The match was stopped at 3:58, two seconds before the second period ended. Dixon, 19, Grapski, 3.

Aaron Dixon — State Open champion. "I'm so happy," Dixon, 17, said. "The first feeling was 'Wow, I'm a State Open champ.' I couldn't believe it. It

was one of my dreams and it came true. And then I just started going crazy."

Dixon, who finished with a phenomenal 32-1 record, had developed a form of bronchial pneumonia during the latter part of the season and that carried over into the Open.

"I myself didn't even know how sick I was," Dixon said. "In the LL meet after my semifinal match I kept coughing." Dixon went to the doctor last week and received antibiotics and other medication.

Dixon on Friday night easily defeated Dan Martone of Maloney High of Meriden, 16-3. In his quarterfinal match, also Friday, Dixon faced previously unbeaten Dave Yudichak of Hand High of Madison, the Class L champ.

"I was really looking at Dave Yudichak," Dixon said.

"He was at one of the camps I attended last summer."

In a tight affair, Dixon, who never trailed, edged Yudichak, 5-4, to advance to the semifinals.

In Saturday's semifinals, Dixon scored a 6-3 decision over Jeff Hurt of Simsbury High setting the stage for his rematch with Grapski.

Dixon, who was a two-time Greco-Roman and one-time freestyle state champ when he lived in Minnesota, began wrestling at age five. During the week between the LL and Open, Dixon practiced at Glastonbury High School and reviewed the tape of his loss to Grapski.

"I went over the match," Dixon explained. "I reviewed it on tape and there were some places I should've got points here but he shouldn't have got the points he got. I felt I could beat him. He (Coach Barry Bernstein) just went over some stuff with me to rehash my memory of moves. I was confident because it was so close of a match last week."

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SPORTS

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Husky answer loud and clear to the Hoyas

STORRS — Message received... message delivered. Georgetown University prepared for its critical Big East match Wednesday night with an 83-53 romp over Villanova.

"I thought the message (by Georgetown) was loud and clear. The message the last 15 seconds was we want the crown, bring on Connecticut," voiced Tate George, who was able to catch the end of that game on tape.

And Connecticut, who'll provide the opposition for the Huskies Wednesday night at the Cap Centre in Landover, Md., four hours later delivered its own booming message with its 79-57 destruction of Seton Hall at the Gampel Pavilion.

It was Connecticut's 14th win in its last 15 outings, including 11 of 12 in the Big East play. The Huskies, for the first time, have beaten every conference foe at least once this year.

So, what does UConn, which broke the school record for wins with its 24th, have to do to prepare for Georgetown?

"Show up. Put 25 (wins) on the (blackboard and show up). If you can't be prepared by now...," George said. The Huskies (24-4, 11-3 in the Big East), who moved up to No. 4 in the latest AP national poll, already own a win over the second place and No. 7 ranked Hoyas (21-4, 10-4). "We're up, so they have to beat us," the Husky senior co-captain said.

Connecticut's Sicel Curtain Defense, which had not been conspicuous of late, came to the forefront against the Pirates (11-14, 4-10) and totaled 17 takeaways. Nadav Henefeld (15 points, five assists) matched his career high with six steals.

"Tonight I felt we got back what we had lost the last couple of games which is really great defensive pressure for 40 minutes," UConn coach Jim Calhoun said. "Our press for the first time (in awhile) I really felt great about."

It was back. It took a rest for 10-12 days. I just felt it was a tremendous, tremendous effort defensively by us to cause a lot of turnovers, which they are."

"I thought Connecticut played extremely well. They took us out of any offensive rhythm," said Pirate coach P.J. Carlesimo. "They played aggressively, smart, they played like a great basketball team which they are."

UConn's defense set the tempo early on. Consecutive steals by Henefeld, Scott Burrell and Chris Smith (game-high 21 points) were converted into a reverse lay-in by Henefeld and three Smith charity tosses. That was in the middle of a 13-0 run by the Huskies to start the game.

Seton Hall didn't get its first point until 14:50 remained on a free throw by freshman Terry Dehere. Dehere (14 points on 4-for-13 shooting) scored the Pirates' first bucket seven minutes into the opening half.

"I could say we didn't play well," Carlesimo said, "but a lot of it was cause and effect. They just played a lot better than us. And it wasn't just one person."

UConn forced Seton Hall into 22 turnovers, which it turned into 28 points. "I think tonight is as hard as we've played defense in the last 2-3 weeks," Calhoun said after the Huskies' 12th consecutive home victory. "We came and flat out played. We didn't have many lapses. And the offense, because of the defense, takes care of itself."

Three steals in the opening three minutes of the second half allowed UConn to stretch the lead to 44-26 with 16:58 left. The widest margin UConn enjoyed was 24 points.

Was this UConn's best defensive effort in awhile? "It would say so," answered sophomore Dan Cynulik (8 second-half points). "We came out and pressed and it

was one of my dreams and it came true. And then I just started going crazy."

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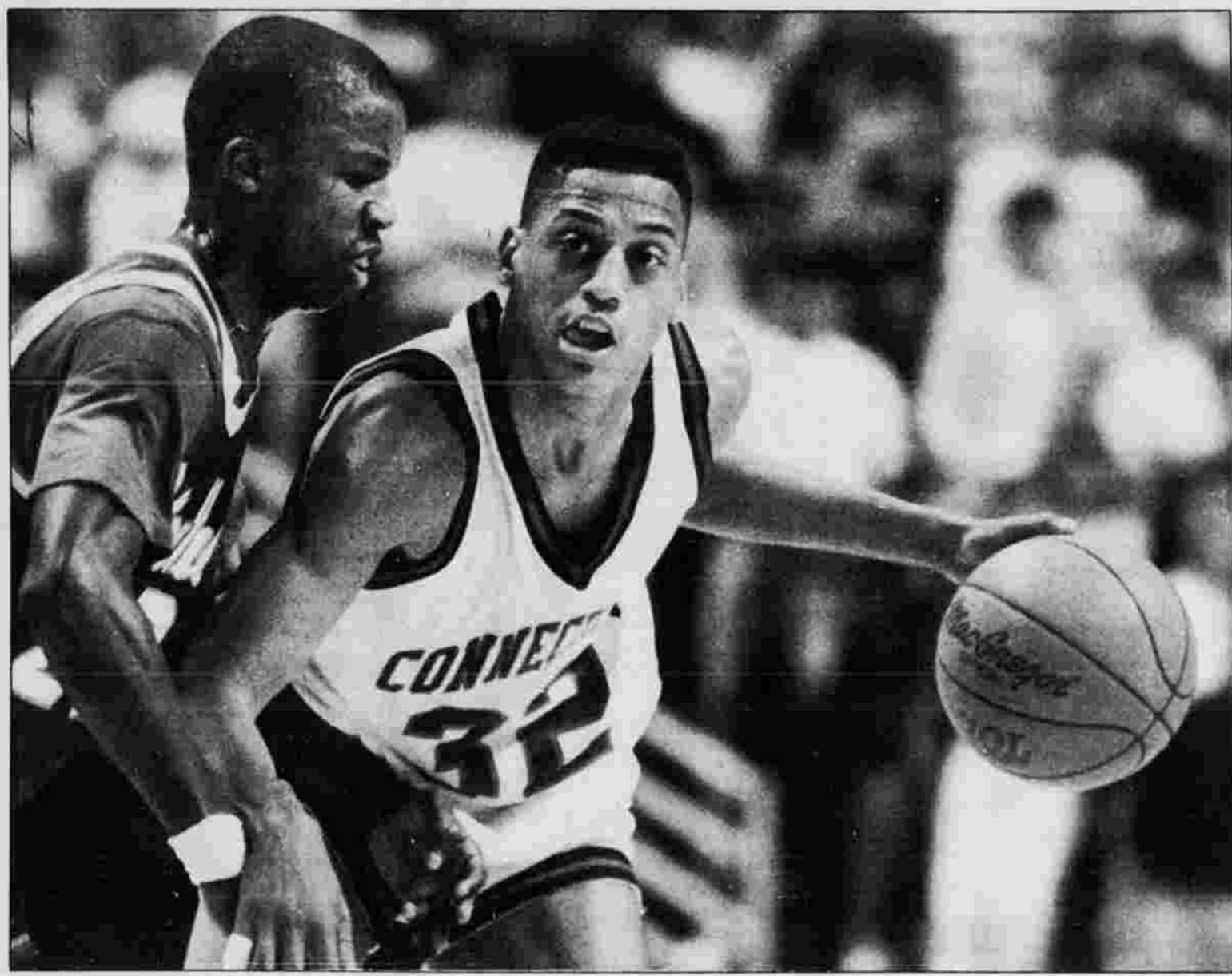
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IN CONTROL — UConn's Tate George has the basketball as he wards off Seton Hall's Oliver Taylor during Saturday night's Big East Conference clash at the Gampel Pavilion. George, the lone senior on the Husky squad, was honored in pre-game ceremonies in his final regular-season home game. The Huskies won, 79-57.

Despite tough times, George made it through

By Len Auster
Manchester Herald

STORRS — There was a time when the thought of Tate George receiving a standing ovation for his final home game in a University of Connecticut basketball uniform seemed almost absurd.

The 6-5, 21-year-old out of Newark, N.J., had more than his share of run-ins with Husky coach Jim Calhoun over the years.

Sometimes those "discussions" became quite heated — and always one-sided. There was speculation about him taking his talents elsewhere.

But there George was Saturday night at midcourt at the Harry A. Gampel Pavilion receiving a standing ovation from the sell-out crowd of 8,302 as the only senior on the Husky squad in his final regular season home game.

"Yeah, I meant a lot," said George, surrounded by a horde of media in a room adjacent to the Husky lockerroom. "Four years of ups and downs, and the yelling and screaming. The first year I didn't think I'd make it this far."

Jail sometimes seemed a preferable alternative to his relationship with Calhoun. Even just a year ago he lost his position in the starting lineup. But he overcame that, and was one of the big factors as the Huskies prepped for their Wednesday night showdown with Georgetown with a suffocating 79-57 victory over Seton Hall.

"I learned to know when he yells and screams, there's a different Tate George looking at him. I don't look at it as him, he's wrong or I'm right. I get through the volume and get to the core," the Husky co-captain said softly.

George, who holds the school record for number of games played, now at 119 and counting, pulled even with Cory Thompson (1979-82) on the career all-time steal list at 179 as he had two against the Pirates.

The 20th Husky to go over the 1,000-point mark for his career, George added 13 lattes on 5-for-8 shooting from the field. He didn't start out so well, his first shot being an air ball. That followed an errant pass.

George admitted to being emotional at the outset. "It was tough to calm down. Smitty (Chris Smith) left the same thing. We both threw a brick for our first shot. But we got it going (13-0 lead) and got the timeout, we just said let's calm down and play."

"It was a great way for Tate to end his home career at Connecticut," Calhoun said.

George, who holds four of the top five single-season Connecticut assist marks and the career record, too, handed out five more against the Pirates, leaving him four shy of eighth place on the all-time Big East list. He has 271, with former Husky Karl Hobbs (1980-84) just ahead at 275.



STATE OPEN CHAMP — Manchester High's Aaron Dixon became the first wrestler in school history to capture a State Open title on Saturday night.

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NHL standings

Wales Conference		Patrick Division	
W	L	T	Pts
NY Rangers	27	15	51
NY Islanders	26	16	50
Pittsburgh	20	20	40
Washington	20	20	40
Philadelphia	20	20	40
Edmonton	20	20	40
Calgary	19	21	38
Winnipeg	18	22	36
St. Louis	17	23	34
Chicago	16	24	32
Minnesota	15	25	30
San Jose	14	26	28
Los Angeles	13	27	26
San Diego	12	28	24
Phoenix	11	29	22
Colorado	10	30	20
Utah	9	31	18
Arizona	8	32	16
San Jose	7	33	14
Los Angeles	6	34	12
San Diego	5	35	10
Phoenix	4	36	8
Colorado	3	37	6
Utah	2	38	4
Arizona	1	39	2

Wales Conference

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Edmonton	18	12	36
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Arizona	6	24	12

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Orlando	10	39	27.5
Atlanta	9	40	26.2
Indiana	8	41	24.9
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Memphis	6	43	22.3
San Antonio	5	44	21.0
Dallas	4	45	19.7
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Utah	1	48	15.8

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FOCUS

Dear Abby

Abigail Van Buren

Coffee drinker angers smoker

DEAR ABBY: I am an adult woman whose mother-in-law is always telling me how bad smoking is for me. Every time you have something in your column about smoking, she clips it and mails it to me. I read your column every day and she knows it — but she sends these articles anyway.

The point is if my mother-in-law didn't have any bad habits of her own, I would be touched by her concern about my health. But she drinks coffee all day long. Everybody knows that coffee is a health hazard, so look who's talking. I wish people would clean up their own backyards before criticizing someone else's.

Abby, please print something about the dangers of too much coffee. And thank you for not using my name or town.

DEAR ME: The most important ingredients in coffee, which accounts for its popularity, is caffeine — a drug that stimulates the central nervous system and provides that "lift" most coffee drinkers enjoy. It's also a morning wake-up and a quick pick-me-up during the day.

Most physicians agree that an excess of caffeine can cause insomnia, irregular or rapid heart-beat, upset stomach, high blood pressure and nervousness.

Obviously, habitual coffee drinkers hurt only themselves, while habitual smokers (unless they never smoke in the presence of others) offend — and possibly harm — those around them.

DEAR ABBY: "No problem" is getting to be a replacement for "You're welcome." This irks me. I didn't mean to be a "problem."

JANE IN SUN CITY WEST, ARIZ.

DEAR JANE: Apparently it doesn't take much to irk you. In response to "Thank you," "You're welcome" acknowledges, rather stiffly, that "thank you" was in order.

"No problem" is a less formal way of saying "Aw — it was no big deal."

DEAR ABBY: Albeit a very late but heartfelt response to "Alone in Wichita, Kan.," who caught herpes from her husband? Please let her know that she is not alone.

Having herpes made it easy for me to say "No," I never let it keep me from dating and having a normal social life, but if it came to the point where sex was the question, I would ask myself if I knew this person well enough to tell him that and they generally did.

If the answer was no, I said no to sex. I felt that way about any man who was interested in me as a person would stick around anyway — and they generally did.

I was not promiscuous. I was healthy, attractive young woman who was divorced at 24 and had only one relationship at a time. So, please tell "Alone" that there are plenty of right people out there who will not let a little thing like herpes stand in the way of a loving relationship. I know, I was lucky enough to find one. We've been happily married for four years.

ALIVE AND WELL IN GEORGIA

Dr. Gott

Peter Gott, M.D.

Food allergies change over time

DEAR DR. GOTT: I have severe allergic reactions to several common foods, and these allergies have changed over the years. Can you provide information on the mechanism of allergic reactions and advise why they might change over time?

DEAR READER: Food can cause an allergic response by triggering a complex series of chemical reactions in the body. The reaction begins in the mast cell, which is part of the immune system and exists in most body tissues. When mast cells are stimulated by an allergen, they secrete several substances, including histamine, that affect receptors in the walls of blood vessels.

The receptors cause the blood vessel walls to become overly permeable, fluid, proteins and cells from the bloodstream easily leak into surrounding tissue. This causes swelling, itching and inflammation in the skin, as well as rhinitis (runny nose), asthma, nausea and diarrhea. If the response is severe enough, anaphylaxis (shock) can occur.

In order for food to provoke an allergic reaction, the mast cells must be sensitized — coated with a protein antibody that is specific for a certain food substance. A suspect food may fail to cause a consistent allergic response if it is not eaten in sufficient quantity or if it is eaten with other foods that delay digestion. Often, when a reaction occurs, the food itself may not be to blame; rather, a person may be responding to an additive, such as sodium benzoate.

People can be examined for food allergies by an elimination diet, food testing in the skin. This investigation should be undertaken only by an allergist. Prevention is the best approach to food allergy. Those substances to which a person reacts must be avoided. If an unexpected reaction occurs, use of antihistamines (with or without cortisone) may abort the attack or lessen its severity. Desensitization shots are ordinarily not effective in treating food allergies.

Food allergies sometimes undergo "antigenic drift," meaning that the foods provoking a reaction may change. Some allergies may disappear, over time without treatment, while others become a problem. The reason for this is not known.

PEOPLE



The Associated Press

PRESIDENTIAL TUNA — President and Mrs. Bush met backstage at the Kennedy Center last month with Joe Squires, left, and Jason Williams, right, the cast of "Grator Tuna." The play, a two-man, two-dozen character spoof on small-town Texas life, was performed before the nation's governors at a White House dinner Sunday.

Sex, not race, controversial part of Lee's new movie

NEW YORK (AP) — Spike Lee says sex, not race, will generate a lot of heat in his new film, "Mo' Better Blues."

"The audience may squirm," Lee said in the March 5 issue of People magazine.

The \$10 million film starring Denzel Washington is about a trumpet player torn between his love of music and his desire for two women, a singer played by Cyndia Williams and a Harlem schoolteacher played by Lee's sister, Joie.

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Her advice to Maples? "If you are having an affair, it's going to end, darling. It doesn't turn into love and marriage."

Young speaks at church

CEBARTOWN, Ga. (AP) — Andrew Young, who is trying to become Georgia's first black governor, took to the pulpit at a First Baptist church where the whites were the Sunday regulars and the blacks were the guests.

The service at the First Baptist Church was a twist on the decades of white politicians' preaching at black churches, with white visitors sitting in the pews.

Young, a former ambassador to the United Nations and a former Atlanta mayor, is a Congressional minister.

He took his text from Paul's letter to the Ephesians: "For he is our peace, who has made us both one, and has broken down the dividing wall of hostility."

During the sermon, Young spoke of a "transformation of our politics" that has worn out the metaphor of America as a melting pot.

In 1848, the Second French Republic was proclaimed. In 1870, the first New York City subway line was opened to the public. The race, run by pneumatic power, was a failure; it was not until 1904 that the city's present subway system opened.

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Frank Zappa to guest host on 'Focus' series

By Jay Sharbutt
The Associated Press
NEW YORK — And now, for something completely different. Frank Zappa, the rock star whose heart belongs to Dada, tonight begins a three-day stint as guest host of a TV show — on cable's Financial News Network.

His forum: FNN's "Focus" series. But the topics won't be the state of rock, his 25 years of innovation and playful experiments in music, or any kind of music at all. They are, however, in the Zappa tradition, eclectic.

Tonight's show concerns four opportunities for U.S. business in the Soviet Union. He taped the segments during a trip five weeks ago to Moscow, Paris and Czechoslovakia, where he met the country's new president, Vaclav Havel.

One segment, he says, details how Tass, the official Soviet news agency, has been an operation that could be a Soviet TV news source, offering Western TV outlets its reports from the U.S.S.R., East-European countries and elsewhere.

They're trying to find Western consumers for the product of their audio-

Sylvia Porter

Worker safety gets attention

The Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) is back in business. OSHA, the agency that has primary responsibility for work-site safety in 29 states that is covered by state regulations, languished somewhat during the Reagan years. But an infusion of money — \$15 million for new employees this year alone — has breathed new life into the agency.

Labor Secretary Elizabeth Dole says it's just the beginning of a new commitment to the safety of workers on the job. Renewed emphasis is being placed on such matters as making sure that the air in work places is safe to breathe, the water safe to drink.

OSHA inspectors typically fall into two groups: safety inspectors and industrial hygienists, and until now the former have outnumbered the latter in most regional offices.

But the majority of new hires, again in most offices, are hygienists. Why? In the last few years, OSHA says, the presence of hazardous materials in work places have come to present a threat to workers that rivals other safe conditions. Those more traditional OSHA concerns include hazardous placement of equipment, lack of eye and hearing protection, and the like.

This is important to you as if, of course, you are a worker or a business owner. But it is also of concern if you invest in corporations.

Especially important is the increase in those who will inspect work sites for contamination. Unlike many hazardous job situations, which can be brought into compliance with safety laws fairly easily and inexpensively, removal of hazardous materials is a big project that could cost a lot of money.

The government is not alone in its concern. A number of companies, called environmental consultants, have gone into business to do, in essence, what the OSHA inspectors will be doing.

A business owner who in good faith believed his work place was completely safe can face truly shocking liability awards if the site turns out to be contaminated and employees are made ill. More and more materials are coming under scrutiny, involving an ever-growing range of manufacturing processes and building products.

Lobbyist Paula Parkinson, whose alleged relationship with Delaware Rep. Thomas Evans cost him his congressional seat, also was played for Playboy by Cynda Williams and a Harlem schoolteacher played by Lee's sister, Joie.

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Today In History

Today is Monday, Feb. 26, the 57th day of 1990. There are 308 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history: On Feb. 26th, 1919, Congress established Grand Canyon National Park in Arizona.

On this date: In 1802, one of the great figures of French literature, Victor Hugo, was born in Besancon.

In 1815, Napoleon Bonaparte escaped from the Island of Elba to begin his second conquest of France.

In 1846, "Buffalo Bill" Cody was born near Denver, Iowa.

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TV Topics

visual department," Zappa says. And, he says, "they'll shoot your story to order. Tell them what you want, they'll shoot it."

Tuesday's show will be a chat with the owner of Manhattan's Le Cirque, a restaurateur where Robin Leach's kind of people dine. On Wednesday, Zappa will interview former CBS newsmen Daniel M. Pines, now a commentator on National Public Radio, about news as a business.

Zappa, who once described himself as a "composer-slash-businessman" despite his rock roots and such gonzo classics as "Wasele's Kipped My Flesh," concedes some may think it weird he's appearing on FNN.

"I think part of the reason people think it's so odd is the name of the venue," he says of FNN, which says it is seen in 33 million homes and offices. "Financial News Network sounds pretty gay and corporate."

After Wednesday, Zappa plans to return to North Hollywood, Cal., and finish editing the tape he shot in Czechoslovakia, where he has a joy following, during that nation's curious process of liberalization.

The focus, he says, will be made into a one-hour show that Great Britain's ITN network has bought for showing on London's Channel Four in June, just before Czechoslovakia's presidential elections.

His show will be part of a six-hour extravaganza called "The Evening of Revolutionary Entertainment," he says.

Like his music videos, Zappa's Prague program eventually will wind up for sale, distributed by a Chicago company called MPI Inc. His TV marketing company has a somewhat more interesting name.

It's called Honker Home Video, he says, solemnly explaining: "It's named after my nose."

Crossword

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down words.

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Celebrity Cipher puzzle with a grid and clues for names.

Arlo and Janis puzzle with a grid and clues for names.

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TV Tonight

6:00PM (3) (8) News (C) (1) Growing Pains (C) (2) Mr. Belvedere (C) (3) 35 (6) News (C) (4) T.J. Hooker (C) (5) Family Ties (C) (6) Long Arm & Far Away: Frog and Toad Together (C), Part 2 of 2 (C) (7) Three's Company (C) (8) Decades (C), Part 2 of 2 (C) (9) World Today (C) (10) World Today (C) (11) Decades (C), Part 2 of 2 (C) (12) Decades (C), Part 2 of 2 (C) (13) Decades (C), Part 2 of 2 (C) (14) Decades (C), Part 2 of 2 (C) (15) Decades (C), Part 2 of 2 (C) (16) Decades (C), Part 2 of 2 (C) (17) Decades (C), Part 2 of 2 (C) (18) Decades (C), Part 2 of 2 (C) (19) Decades (C), Part 2 of 2 (C) (20) Decades (C), Part 2 of 2 (C) (21) Decades (C), Part 2 of 2 (C) (22) Decades (C), Part 2 of 2 (C) (23) Decades (C), Part 2 of 2 (C) (24) Decades (C), Part 2 of 2 (C) (25) Decades (C), Part 2 of 2 (C) (26) Decades (C), Part 2 of 2 (C) (27) Decades (C), Part 2 of 2 (C) (28) Decades (C), Part 2 of 2 (C) (29) Decades (C), Part 2 of 2 (C) (30) Decades (C), Part 2 of 2 (C) (31) Decades (C), Part 2 of 2 (C) (32) Decades (C), Part 2 of 2 (C) (33) Decades (C), Part 2 of 2 (C) (34) Decades (C), 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Bridge

The bidding gives a clue. By James Jacoby. When the opponents have bid two suits, double is for takeout. Many experts therefore believe that bidding either of the opponents' suits should simply be a natural overcall.

Astrograph

Your Birthday Feb. 27, 1990. Four friends will play important roles in your affairs in the year ahead as you will in theirs. These arrangements will be mutually beneficial and good things could result.

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Manchester Herald

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Milk delivery business goes sour

Competition kills door-to-door firm

By Dianna M. Talbot Manchester Herald



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When Susan Newman returned to her Manchester home from vacation last week, she noticed the milkman had failed to bring her usual four quarts of Dairi-Maid milk. "Oh, well," she thought. "He must be sick."

But when Dick Webster, a 22-year Dairi-Maid employee who had delivered milk and dairy products to her home for the past 10 years, did not show up at her 104 West Center St. residence later in the week, she called Dairi-Maid.

To her surprise, she found that Webster was out of work and the 54-year-old dairy distribution and delivery service, started by the town's historical farming Keene family, was going out of business.

"It used to be a terrific convenience," she said. "I don't know of any other dairies in the area. I guess I'll just have to stop and pick up the darned stuff."

Charles F. Greenbacker, president of Dairi-Maid, said that until Feb. 17 his firm supplied milk, orange juice, eggs, cottage cheese, sour cream and other dairy products to area grocers and about 400 town residents who received home delivery.

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SORRY TO GO — Charles Greenbacker, president of Dairi-Maid Inc., which is going out of business, said he is sorry to see the town's dairy firm fold. He said he hopes larger area firms will pick up his remaining customers.

Shoppers get taste of mall Wednesday

By Nancy Foley Manchester Herald

Sage-Allen plans to become the first store to open in the new mall at Backland — at 9 a.m. Wednesday. Two other anchor stores will also open this week, without advertising or fanfare.

Susan Scherer, vice-president of sales promotions for Sage-Allen, called the opening a "sneak preview" that is being fully advertised.

The store is completely ready to handle a store of customers, she said. The feeling among store officials was, "We're ready. Let's get on with it," she added.

The official grand opening and special events are not scheduled to begin until Saturday, however.

Steiger's will open on Thursday and G. Fox is tentatively scheduled to open Friday.

Rex, the masked king of Carnival who presided over the parade on Saturday night, said he was pleased to see the mall's opening.

Sage-Allen will officially open Saturday and G. Fox and Steiger's will hold their grand openings on March 7.

The mall includes two other major department stores, Sears and D&L, and 105 other tenants. Ninety percent of the tenants are scheduled to open on March 14.

The three anchor stores with scheduled grand openings plan a number of special events.

Sage-Allen will hold Cher and

Street paraders kick off Mardi Gras

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Costumed revelers danced from bar to bar at the break of dawn today and parade clubs set out in an early kickoff of Mardi Gras, the bawdy, boozey blowout of pre-Lenten parades, street parties and carousing.