



# NATION/WORLD

## Iraq decries air embargo

Both sides in the Persian Gulf crisis are demonstrating their resolve, the United Nations ordering states to close their airspace to Iraqi cargo and Baghdad throwing more troops and hardware into the spiraling desert buildup.

But a largely successful embargo against Iraq could be undermined by Iran, Syrian President Hafez Assad left Tehran on Tuesday after an unsuccessful attempt to persuade Iraq's leaders to adhere strictly to the embargo, Syrian sources said.

Saddam Hussein was still talking tough. In a message to Americans broadcast on Tuesday, the Iraqi leader told them President Bush was sending their sons to a war more terrible than Vietnam.

The lack of prospects for resolution of the nearly 8-week-old crisis helped drive up oil prices to nearly \$40 a barrel. Today, stock prices further tumbled 4.75 percent in Tokyo — 28 percent since Iraq invaded Kuwait Aug. 2.

Oil prices are about double what they were before Saddam seized Kuwait and increased his share of world crude to 20 percent.

Some U.S. analysts said Tuesday that gas prices at the pump may exceed \$2 a gallon if a shooting war breaks out.

At the United Nations today, West European foreign ministers were expected to denounce the Iraqi raids earlier this month on diplomatic compounds in Kuwait.

Thirteen foreign ministers cast their countries' votes in the 15-member U.N. Security Council.

American, British, French and Turkish soldiers facing Iraqi forces in the Persian Gulf region.

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Tuesday to approve the air embargo. Only Cuba voted no.

Iraq's ambassador, Abdul Al-Abbari, snubbed out of the meeting, calling the resolution "an act of war."

The United States and Soviet Union both indicated U.N. military action could be in store unless Saddam quits Kuwait.

"War is not a desirable option, but it is one of the options contained in the U.N. Charter," said Soviet Foreign Minister Eduard Shevardnadze.

The Charter envisages the possibility of further individual and collective measures," said Secretary of State James A. Baker III.

The resolution prohibits that use of force but calls for searches and embargoes of aircraft. It also calls for halting Iraqi shipping and freezing Iraqi assets overseas.

Only a few suppliers from North Korea, Cuba, Libya and possibly Yemen, Sudan and Jordan have been flown in to Baghdad since the invasion, according to Western officials.

The Security Council already has authorized military enforcement of a sea embargo. The air embargo is largely symbolic, since most trade with Iraq is by land and has already been halted. Iraq's only major export is oil.

Iraq has sought a way around the embargo by seeking better relations with Iran — its bitter foe in the 1980-88 war — and reportedly attempting to exchange oil for food.

President Assad, according to sources, said in from the Arabian Sea.

## Huge troop reduction projected

STOCKHOLM, Sweden (AP) — The United States expects to reduce its 300,000 troops in Europe by at least a third over the next five years — but does not plan a total pullout, the American ambassador to NATO said today.

"There are very important opportunities for reducing our forces and for restructuring them" in the changing Europe, William H. Taft IV told journalists at the end of a brief visit to neutral Sweden.

"We expect to see, within the next five years, a reduction of at least a third of U.S. troops in Europe, from 300,000 to 200,000," Taft said.

"If things go well, we could see further reductions."

He also said that other countries in the North Atlantic Treaty Organization are considering a U.S. request to send ground troops to join

to the Mediterranean.

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NEW MONEY — An employee of the Frankfurt Bundesbank holds bundles of new 100 mark bills which will be put into circulation Oct. 1. The notes depict Clare Schumann, a famous 19th century piano player.

## Vendetta blamed in poisoning

AUBURN, Wash. (AP) — A 14-year-old girl took revenge on two playmates by inviting them to a picnic and serving them a peanut butter and jelly sandwich and grape drink laced with poison, police say.

The mother of the 14-year-old girl told police she was shocked to find her daughter had laced the sandwich with rat poison.

The girl told friends she got the idea of putting rat poison in the sandwich from the movie "Heathers," an R-rated black comedy featuring teen-age murder and a tight clique of popular girls, King County police said.

Other girls invited to the picnic and croquet party were aware that a sandwich had been laced with rat poison and some grape drink had been mixed with a household cleanser, police spokesman Tony Burt said Tuesday.

The incident involved girls from at least three families Sept. 16 and was being investigated as a possible criminal assault, police said.

Detectives were awaiting results of food tests before deciding whether to seek criminal charges in juvenile court, Burt said.

An 11-year-old girl had a stomach ache after taking several bites of the sandwich and a 9-year-old vomited after sipping the drink, police said.

None of the children was identified.

The dispute erupted partly because one girl apparently hid a videotape of "Heathers" and then

## Senate OKs amendment on abortion counseling

By WILLIAM M. WELCH  
The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The Senate voted to nullify administration rules that prohibit federally supported family-planning clinics from offering abortion counseling or information.

By a vote of 63-35 Tuesday night, the Senate approved an amendment requiring the clinics to provide "information and counseling concerning all legal and medical options" to pregnant women who ask for it, including "pregnancy termination."

The Department of Health and Human Services issued the no-counseling rules in 1988 during the Reagan administration and the Bush administration continued them.

They have been debated by the opposing sides of the abortion issue and legal challenges are pending before the Supreme Court.

The clinics, many of which are operated by Planned Parenthood Federation of America, receive federal money to provide health care and family planning services for the poor.

The amendment was added to a Senate bill that extends the life of the family planning program, established 20 years ago by Title X of the Public Health Service Act.

The clinics would still be prohibited from using federal money to perform abortions.

The Senate rejected, 58-34, an administration proposal to scrap the program and replace it with block grants to the states, a move that would have handed the issue to each of the states.

Other amendments to the bill were pending.

Opponents of abortion opposed the amendment reversing the administration's regulation, arguing



CAPITOL HILL VISIT — South African President F.W. de Klerk, center, is escorted through the Capitol Tuesday by Senate Minority Leader Robert Dole, left, and Senate Majority Leader George Mitchell. De Klerk is seeking to convince congressional leaders that he is serious about his commitment to establish a non-racial system in his country.

## De Klerk: racial rule ending in South Africa

By GEORGE GEDDA  
The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — South African President F.W. de Klerk says the new system he envisions for his country will ensure that no racial group — black or white — will ever be able to achieve political domination again.

De Klerk said he foresees a new system in which there will be a sharing of power within the executive branch, thus guarding against any concentration of authority.

During his three-day visit, the first by a South African head of

granted to one person.

Never again, he said, should there be a situation in which a powerful executive, regardless of color, is "in a strong position to suppress" South Africans of different races.

"I want to say here today that the time has come to realize that apartheid is really something of the past," he said at a National Press Club luncheon.

As proof, he said more than 100 discriminatory laws and regulations have been removed from the statute books.

## Fuel economy bill dead

By H. JOSEF HEBERT  
The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Sponsors of a bill that would require sharp increases in automobile fuel economy say they will try again next year to get the measure passed after hitting a roadblock in the Senate.

The Senate refused Tuesday to limit debate on the bill, which would have required the automakers to attain a fleet fuel economy average of 40 miles per gallon by the year 2001.

The measure then was withdrawn from consideration.

The vote was 57-42 in favor of invoking cloture, or limiting debate, but 60 votes were required.

The minority (of senators) won a small and short-lived victory, Sen. Richard Bryan, D-Nev., said after the vote. "We will be back next year."

The auto industry had vigorously fought the legislation, claiming it would force them to build only small cars and to the demise of the six-passenger family sedan.

Environmentalists and the bill's sponsors disputed the claim and argued that industry would develop technologies to increase gas mileage and still provide a broad range of car

size.

Bryan said he was heartened by the fact that a majority of the senators voted to advance the bill, although not enough to cut off debate.

The Senate action came as the Environmental Protection Agency opposes, led by Sen. Donald Riegle, D-Mich., maintained that the tougher fuel economy standards could not be achieved unless manufacturers stopped making a full line of family-size cars.

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2.8 million barrels of oil a day. Environmentalists also had lauded the bill as the best way to conserve energy and reduce demands for Middle East oil.

"Today the gas guzzlers won and they're popping the champagne corks in (Iraqi leader) Saddam Hussein's palace," said Daniel Becker, a lobbyist for the Sierra Club.

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# STATE



**SAFE SEAT** — U.S. Rep. John Rowland's son, R.J., sits on his father's feet as Rowland and First Lady Barbara Bush conduct a news conference in Southington.

## First Lady helps Rowland efforts

During a news conference before her speech, Mrs. Bush refused to get drawn into making a critical comment about the third gubernatorial candidate, former Republican U.S. Sen. Lowell P. Weicker Jr., who's running for governor under his newly created Connecticut Party banner.

"I'm here for John Rowland," she said. "We have the best man."

She said she did not believe Rowland would be hurt by Weicker, who consistently drew support from Republicans as well as Democrats and unaffiliated voters, until his defeat in 1988 when he was seeking a fourth Senate term.

She said Rowland and the president were friends and recalled that Rowland was the first congressman to publicly endorse Bush when he began his quest for the 1988 Republican presidential nomination.

"We don't forget things," she said.

"George feels that the governors across the country are where the action is and he wants to see John Rowland the next governor of Connecticut," Mrs. Bush said, adding that she expects the campaign to be a positive one.

"Forget the negative part," she said.

When she was asked why she was out on the campaign trail, she said simply, "He asked me. I'm always amazed when people ask me to campaign."

She deflected questions about Iraq President Saddam Hussein — "That's a dreadful man," she said — and her son, Neil Bush, who's been caught up in the nation's savings and loan mess.

### In Brief . . .

**DANBURY (AP)** — Actor and director Robert Redford will come to Danbury next week to endorse Democrat Toby Moffett's congressional campaign in the 5th District, the Moffett campaign announced Tuesday.

"Toby Moffett was a friend to the environment before it was fashionable," Redford said in a statement. "Washington needs more legislators who are committed to protecting the environment."

Redford, known for his roles in "The Candidate," "All The President's Men" and "Hush," and "The Sandlot Kid," has been an outspoken advocate for the environment in the past two decades.

"As the original author of acid rain legislation and founder of the group that originated the Superfund concept, Toby Moffett has played a significant role in developing standards to safeguard the environ-

## Report urges budget office changes

**HARTFORD (AP)** — A consultant hired by a commission studying ways to improve government efficiency in Connecticut says the Office of Policy and Management should give up several of its functions so it can do a better job of overseeing and evaluating the performance of the rest of state government.

KPMG Peat Marwick, a national consulting and accounting firm, delivered its recommendation Tuesday to the Commission to Study the Management of State Government as part of a preliminary report on the policy and management office.

The report also said the policy office should develop a new way to rate agencies' performance and should integrate that system into the state budget process.

Also, it said, the state should move from an annual to a biennial budget to give the executive and legislative branches more time to evaluate programs.

A final report is due next month, and probably will differ in some respects from the one issued Tuesday.

Anthony V. Milano, who has headed the policy office since its creation 13 years ago, said he did not agree with everything in the report, although he called it "a good blueprint for the '90s."

There was little criticism in the report of the office's performance; the consultants gave most of their attention to organizational and procedural issues.

Stanley Schoenfeld, a representative of Peat Marwick, said that the OPM's performance evaluation program was part of the office's original mission and should be an area in which a lot of attention is concentrated in the future.

The office collects statistics on agencies' performance, sets goals for the new year and includes those numbers in the governor's annual budget recommendation to the legis-

## Hung jury is declared in state teacher slaying

**By PETER VILES**  
The Associated Press

**NEW HAVEN** — More than four years after a West Haven teacher disappeared, a jury found itself hopelessly deadlocked over whether to convict a 33-year-old French immigrant charged in her death.

Judge William L. Hadden Jr. declared a mistrial Tuesday after the jury, for the second straight day, said it couldn't reach a unanimous verdict in the rape and murder trial of Fabrice Sauvoux.

Sauvoux, a former pastry chef currently imprisoned for an unrelated sexual assault conviction, faced charges of murder, felony murder and rape in the death of Barbara Ann Russo, 40, an art teacher at West Haven High School.

New Haven State's Attorney Michael Dearington said he had been told by reporters that the jury was split evenly, with six members voting for acquittal on all counts and six for conviction.

Dearington said he has not yet decided whether to seek a second trial. He acknowledged that it was a difficult case because the prosecution had no physical evidence linking Sauvoux to the killing. The state's strongest evidence was testimony from an inmate who said Sauvoux discussed the killing while in prison.

"I'll have to think about it and discuss it with the (victim's) family," Dearington said. "I'll also have to develop some sense of how the jury felt about it."

Sauvoux was disappointed in the verdict, according to his lawyer, James Swaine.

"As I understand it, it was six-six down the middle," Swaine said. "My inclination is that there will be another trial."

Russo was last seen June 14, 1986.

## State auditors asserting agencies shifted funds

**HARTFORD (AP)** — State auditors claim the departments of Public Safety and Veterans' Affairs improperly shifted money into special accounts in apparent attempts to circumvent the legislature.

Auditors Leo V. Donohue and Henry J. Becker Jr. said Tuesday that the actions violated state fiscal laws and gave the departments the ability to spend more money than approved by the legislature because the lawmakers had no control over the accounts.

The actions represent an emerging pattern of attempts by executive-branch officials "to get out from under the legislature's appropriations process," Becker said.

The auditors said about \$1 million has been improperly diverted into that account since the fiscal year began July 1. If the practice is not stopped, the auditors said, it could cost the state \$6 million in revenue and allow the department to overspend its budget by an equal amount.

DPUC subsequently invested the money it transferred in certificates of deposit and money-market accounts without obtaining the required authorization from the state treasurer and comptroller.

Bernard R. Sullivan, public safety commissioner, said Tuesday he had begun an internal inquiry into what happened and whether it violated any law or established procedures.

"I don't want anybody here circumventing legislative intent on our budget," Sullivan said.

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### Poor

"People don't realize how poor you have to be to get welfare," Beaujeu said. Initially, the father will collect unemployment benefits, but the family's budget will be squeezed and they may end up selling the car to qualify for assistance to help pay bills or rent. Recipients can own a home, but to receive AFDC (Aid to Families with Dependent Children) or General Assistance benefits, the government takes a lien on the property. So, no longer is it just the poor who are seeking aid. It's also the middle-class and lower middle-class. Said Carr of MACC, "Folks really were living up to the bill thinking that the '80s would continue...just working their heads off to have all

### Gulf

Bush is "placing you in a critically embarrassing situation...on the edge of a bottomless abyss," by defending undemocratic governments like those of Kuwait, Saddam said. Although Bush told the Iraqi people his administration had no quarrel with them, Saddam said. "We have evidence that President Bush was himself involved in the Iran-gate or Iran-Contra conspiracy against Iraq in 1986 when he was Reagan's vice president." As vice president, Bush was privy to the Reagan administration's decision to sell weapons to Iran — which was at war with Iraq — in an effort to win freedom for American hostages held by pro-Iranian radicals in Lebanon. Congress, too, was involved in a conspiracy against Iraq long before the Aug. 2 invasion, Saddam said. Lawmakers wanted to impose economic sanctions against his country, under the influence of the powerful "Zionist" lobby of Israel's supporters, he said. He challenged Bush, again, to an international television debate, adding, "If Bush has truth on his side, why should he evade debate?" Iraq desires peace, but one that is based on a broad resolution of all the region's problems, Saddam said. He repeated his call for a peace conference to resolve Israel's 23-year occupation of Arab lands, Syria's 14-year occupation of Lebanon, and Iraq's claims to Kuwait.

Kuwait, he said, was part of Iraq under the Ottoman Empire until the British took control of the country in 1899. He called for "the return of Kuwait to the fold of Iraq, its motherland from which it was long severed, and usurped, like an infant separated from its mother."

He repeatedly attacked the credibility and integrity of the al-Sabah family which ruled Kuwait for nearly 250 years until the invasion.

Kuwait's leaders were "busy amassing wealth and women," he said. So profligate were the rulers, that a Kuwaiti prince once wanted to marry a young woman only to find out she was his daughter, Saddam said.

### Jammed

may be brought in the case, but said because the airwaves were misused, the Federal Communications Commission has some jurisdiction. Its penalties would be stiffer than charges relating to endangerment and disruption of local police, Wood said.

### 8th District meets tonight

MANCHESTER — Directors of the Eighth District will meet tonight at 7:30 in Don Willis Hall to consider whether to go forward with installation of a sanitary sewer in Holland Township at the same time the road is to be reconstructed to a state project.

Twenty-seven of the residents who would ultimately be assessed for the cost of the sewer opposed the project at a hearing Sept. 18 and none spoke in favor.

If the directors approve the project, district voters will decide whether to appropriate funds for it. It has been estimated that the cost, about \$686,000, would be about \$250,000 less if the work is done while the road is being reconstructed rather than after.

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The portrait presented is one of average, working-class citizens feeling the crunch of the foundering regional economy. And it's not just those requesting formal assistance. "Even people who are making \$20,000 a year are not doing well," said Dorothy Grady, Human Services Administrator for the town of Coventry. When people come to Coventry's food bank for the second time, they are required to receive budget counseling, Grady said. They are asked questions about the type of phone service they have, where they buy their clothes, if they drink or smoke, and all of their other expenditures. The advice she gives is for them to pare down their possessions and

### Senkow

ing codes as written. The selectmen effectively ended the dispute when they passed an ordinance allowing sheds 16 feet-by-12 feet or smaller to be constructed without a permit. The selectmen also had charged that Senkow was abusive in dealing with the township. Senkow's work week also became a point of contention this summer when it was cut from 40 to 30 hours. Senkow had been working Monday through Thursday, including Monday nights, when the Town Hall is open late. But in July, the town told him to work on Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and finish the remaining hours on Tuesday and Thursday. Senkow charged that the new schedule was unfair because it still required him to work four days a week. He had wanted to work extra hours on Monday so that he could have both Tuesday and Thursday free to take a second job.

Landers said she did not ask for the investigation. She said that if that constitutes a conflict, a lawyer would be in conflict every time a public employee is a witness in a case in which the lawyer represents a client. She said the lawyer may not know in advance who will be a witness. Landers said allegations that her husband is delinquent in landfill fee payments is hurting her practice.

## Bush compromise is likely

By JIM LUTHER  
The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — President Bush may be willing to compromise on his call for a capital gains tax cut, the main sticking point in talks to slash the federal deficit, Republican members of Congress who met with the president said today. Instead of reducing the rate on capital gains taxes, Bush might accept other incentives to economic growth, the lawmakers said. "He might be willing to look at alternatives in the growth area," said Senate Minority Leader Bob Dole, R-Kan., as he and other GOP lawmakers left the White House. Dole and House Republican Leader Robert Michel already have said they would be willing to put aside Bush's proposal to cut the capital gains tax rate in order to get a budget agreement. Without an agreement by Monday, the start of the new budget year, the government faces a possibility of mass disruptions of services and furloughs of tens of thousands of employees. Rep. Newt Gingrich, R-Ga., No. 2 House Republican, said one of the incentives Bush might be willing to accept was a proposal to establish so-called enterprise zones, which would provide tax breaks for businesses in poor urban and rural areas. "He's willing to negotiate every item that's been advanced," said Sen. Thad Cochran, R-Miss., when asked if Bush was now ready to bargain on the question of capital gains. Both Michel and Dole said they would be willing to put the capital gains cut in order to get an agreement to slash the budget deficit over five years by \$500 billion. Asked by reporters about the GOP defections, Bush refused to answer. Earlier, negotiators at Congress and the White House claimed some progress early today in their talks.

### Landers

an opinion from the Ethics Commission on whether Landers, a lawyer, was in conflict when she voted to reject a police union contract because she questioned the testimony of the arresting officer, a police union member, in a case involving the arrest of one of her clients. The Police Department is conducting an internal investigation into the matter. Landers said she did not ask for the investigation. She said that if that constitutes a conflict, a lawyer would be in conflict every time a public employee is a witness in a case in which the lawyer represents a client. She said the lawyer may not know in advance who will be a witness. Landers said allegations that her husband is delinquent in landfill fee payments is hurting her practice.

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gains, Darman scoffed. "Don't be ridiculous." Just before the bargaining resumed Tuesday evening, Michel signaled a willingness to drop the capital-gains cut, which has been a top priority of President Bush since his 1988 campaign.

## More children affected by AIDS

GENEVA (AP) — By the year 2000 at least 10 million children will likely be infected with the AIDS virus, while another 10 million will be orphaned by the immune-stripping disease, the World Health Organization says. Most victims will be in the Third World, where AIDS will become a major child killer, Dr. Michael Merison, a WHO official, said Tuesday. That would reverse progress made in improving health through vaccinations and other child care programs. WHO forecast that HIV, the Human Immunodeficiency Virus that causes AIDS, will spread to 25 to 30 million people by the year 2000. Previous projections of 15 to 20 million did not take children into account, a WHO statement said. The U.N. agency estimates that 8 to 10 million people, including 3 million women of childbearing age, may already be infected with the virus. Merison told a news conference that WHO only recently started compiling statistics on childhood cases because of the upsurge in infection among women, and hence their offspring, was still relatively new. AIDS destroys the body's immune system. The HIV virus is spread through sexual contact, shared syringes and contaminated blood. It often is transmitted from a mother to her unborn child, although

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occasionally can be spread through the mother's milk during breastfeeding. Merison, head of WHO's anti-AIDS unit, said 30 percent of infants born to infected mothers were HIV-positive, and four-fifths of those young sufferers died before age 5. Of the remaining 70 percent, many were likely to become orphans, placing a huge strain on the scarce resources of poor countries, he said. He added that scientists did not know why so many children escaped infection from their mothers. The WHO statement said that an estimated 400,000 children have developed severe AIDS symptoms since the epidemic began a decade ago. Nearly 90 percent of the cases were in sub-Saharan Africa. The statement said that during the next 10 years, the disease is expected to push up infant mortality rates by 50 percent in parts of Africa. In addition to the young victims, 800,000 adults are also thought to have contracted the disease, the statement said. Merison said that in some urban areas of Central and Eastern Africa, the virus may have affected one in four adults. Only 283,000 AIDS cases have been officially reported to the Geneva-based WHO because of widespread under-reporting by its member countries.

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GROUND BREAKING — State and local officials joined members of the Housing Authority of Manchester Tuesday for the groundbreaking of a new elderly congregate housing complex in town.

## Complex is lauded at groundbreaking

MANCHESTER — An elderly congregate housing project to be constructed east of Washill Gardens by the Housing Authority of Manchester is "the best possible use of tax dollars," state Housing Commissioner John Parandrea said Tuesday. Parandrea was among a number of state and town officials who participated in a ground breaking ceremony Tuesday for the project, which will cost about \$2.5 million and will provide 37 apartments for frail elderly. The project will be constructed by Center Star Construction Co. of

## Bunnell slams Herbst during Coventry visit

MANCHESTER — Eastford Republican Dean Bunnell, who is challenging incumbent Democrat Marie Herbst of Vernon for the state 35th Senatorial seat, went on the attack against Herbst during recent campaigning here. "The recurring theme I hear among people is concern about the financial trouble the state is in," Bunnell said. "Marie Herbst can be directly tied to those problems. She voted for those budgets," Bunnell said. Bunnell, 35, is second selectman in Eastford, but a newcomer to the larger political arena. Herbst is a seasoned politician, having served as mayor of Vernon for more than 10 years, and who is running for her third term in the Senate. Herbst is a popular candidate. Even Coventry Republican Michael Cleary praised her. "Marie has done a lot for the town," said Cleary, who manned the GOP booth at the fair. However, Cleary, who is a campaign coordinator for GOP gubernatorial candidate John G. Rowland, says he does support Bunnell. "It's time for a change," Cleary said. Bunnell, like Rowland, says state government is too big and money can be saved by cutting state jobs at the middle management level. For example, he said, there are 18 deputy commissioners in the state Department of Transportation — an excess, Bunnell said. Bunnell, an electrical designer, also said government efficiency could be improved by "a cooperative approach to problem solving."

## Students taught recycling

MANCHESTER — In an effort to extend the life of the town's terminally ill landfill, students around Manchester will be separating recyclable items from the rest of their trash starting Oct. 1. "This will be a good head start to get people familiar with the process of separating their trash," said Ray Demers, the business manager for the Board of Education. Tobacco Valley Sanitation of South Windsor, the firm which handles the school system's garbage disposal, will be giving new dumpsters to each school. In exchange, the sanitation company will have to make fewer pick ups for the garbage because the dumpsters won't be filling up as fast. In Demers office, the program has already started. "Where I used to have just one garbage can, now I have three," he said. Demers said he believes the project will be a success.

## Rules changes debated

MANCHESTER — Possible changes in the rules under which the Board of Directors operate were discussed by three town directors Tuesday, but they made no firm decisions on what changes to recommend to the board. The rules are being studied by a committee made of Republican directors Geoffrey Naab and Landers with Democratic Director Stephen Cassano as the minority member. Cassano was unable to attend the meeting Monday. Naab attended the meeting and offered suggestions. The directors agreed that the rule setting up the order in which the directors conduct their business should be changed and will require thorough study. One possible change would be to allow public discussion of items on the agenda for the meeting before taking up communications to the board in order to allow the public to speak earlier.

## Eighth District jobs discussed

MANCHESTER — A committee of Eighth District Directors Tuesday began a study to update job descriptions for district workers with a review of the rate-maker position. The committee does not plan to make any final decisions on what recommendations it will make to the Board of Directors until it has studied all eight jobs, but it did draw tentative conclusions about the form of the job descriptions and it

## Career guidance plan for students is set

MANCHESTER — A program designed to give students better focus when facing the future is being started at Manchester High School. Before, most career development plans centered on students planning to go to college, but the new Student Education Plan (S.T.E.P.) will pay equal attention to those pupils jumping directly into the work force after graduation, said James Spafford, the high school's priority director. The need for such a program was noticed after a team from the New England Association of Schools and Colleges came to the high school in March of 1989 and discovered that non-college bound students were being overlooked as far as career planning was concerned. Under the S.T.E.P. program, students will get immediate career training upon their induction to high school, said Richard Gagliardi, the director of career and vocational education for Manchester, who is helping design the program. During the first few months of high school, sophomores will be given tests to find out their career interests, Gagliardi said. The tests will provide the students with some direction to what careers would best suit their interests, he said. Each year, the students will be reassessed to account for their changing interests and goals. Currently, staff members are trying to finish such a test, which should be given to sophomores sometime in October, Gagliardi said. Once students have determined their career goals, plans of attaining those goals will be made. "We're going to put together a plan so that students can use the curriculum to the best of their interest," Gagliardi said. One of the main features of the program is that with the anticipated operation of the business community, students will receive actual hands-on knowledge in their areas of interest, Spafford said. Under the plan, sophomores will be getting job shadowing experience. That is, they will spend part of a day with someone in their field of interest. Juniors will actually work at various jobs, and seniors will get an even more comprehensive look at careers through internships and job study programs where students work without being paid. "The plan is dependent on the business community for their support," Spafford said, describing the plan as a blueprint for students to achieve their career goals. A Career and Vocational Education Advisory Committee, made up of representatives from businesses around the area, has been set up to establish a plan of action to meet the S.T.E.P. program's needs. David Frost, the high school's career guidance department head, said the program's flexibility will be its main asset because it will give students the ability to make career decisions no matter what field they go into.

## Non-profit fundraising strategies detailed

MANCHESTER — For non-profit organizations trying to raise money, matching the group's need with potential donors concerned about similar issues is one of the keys to success, according to Joseph Burns, the director of a non-profit agency established to help other non-profits. "There's no such thing as simply trying to raise money," said Burns. Bake sales and spaghetti dinners are good for generating interest or potential volunteers for a specific charity, Burns said, but organization planning for larger events is more beneficial. Burns, the director of a New Haven-based group DATA, an acronym for Development and Technical Assistance Center, is holding a free seminar for non-profits entitled "Finding Funding." He gave a small sampling of some of the information which will be presented at the seminar, scheduled from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Arbers at Hop Brook Auditorium on Oct. 2. "Non-profit organizations trying to raise money should begin by looking for other area organizations with the same types of interests so it can broaden its base," Burns said. The next step would be to raise public consciousness of the need for the money, especially donors who would appear most sympathetic with the cause, he said. To do that, the group may issue a newsletter or press release. As an example, Burns said a homeless shelter would be wise to get in touch with church groups, appealing to their humane and philanthropic nature. The larger the organization involved in any fund-raising effort, he said, the more tentacles it will have to reach out to more areas of a community or region. At the seminar, which Burns said would be more like a workshop, participants will have the opportunity to evaluate their own fund-raising programs.

## Amston Lake issues concern residents

MANCHESTER — Two town residents said they are concerned about possible Amston Lake zoning changes as the Planning and Zoning Commission continued to sort through the issues Tuesday night, in preparation for a public information workshop next week. Resident Frank Schroll said he is worried that, having waited for the installation of sewers, he would now not be permitted to convert his property for year-round use. "The current regulations require that all health codes be met in order to convert," said Town Planner Michael Rourke. "That probably included sinking a well for year-round water supply." Currently, the public water supply at Amston Lake provides water from April through October. Building codes are now such that there is no distinction between seasonal and year-round construction. In answer to a query from a Jenning Road resident, Rourke pointed out that a pre-existing non-conforming structure that has burned may be rebuilt within six months as it was. After six months, a new application is required and the new building standards apply. The question of conflicts of interest has arisen several times in recent months. The directors agreed that the rule setting up the order in which the directors conduct their business should be changed and will require thorough study. One possible change would be to allow public discussion of items on the agenda for the meeting before taking up communications to the board in order to allow the public to speak earlier.

## MHS meeting

MANCHESTER — The Committee for the Manchester High School Addition will meet tonight at 7:30 p.m. in the Board of Education Building on 45 North School St. The committee will discuss the distribution of a brochure about the upcoming town referendum to expand the high school. At tonight's meeting, the committee will also brainstorm other ideas to give publicity to the Nov. 6 referendum.

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### Fish favorites

- Honey-mustard seafood kabobs 3 Tbsp. honey 2 Tbsp. beer 1 1/4 tsp. stone-ground mustard 1 1/4 to 1 1/2 pounds halibut, swordfish, salmon or shark 1 cup bite-size cantaloupe pieces (optional) Oil or vegetable spray for grill rack. Combine honey, beer and mustard in a shallow baking dish. Add fish cubes and marinate 20 minutes or cover and refrigerate up to 2 hours, turning occasionally. Thread fish cubes and melon onto skewers. Brush hot grill rack with oil, or remove and coat with cooking spray. Place kabobs on grill 4 to 6 inches above hot coals. Cook, basting frequently, for 2 to 3 minutes per side for a total of 6 to 7 minutes or until fish begins to flake when tested with a fork. Makes 4 servings. Grilled fish steaks with corn salsa 4 tsp. lime juice 1 Tbsp. vegetable oil 1/4 tsp. bottled hot pepper sauce Six 6-ounce swordfish, tuna, shark, salmon or halibut steaks, 3/4- to 1-inch thick 2 cups frozen corn, thawed 1/2 cup bottled salsa 1 to 3 tablespoons chopped fresh cilantro Oil or vegetable cooking spray for grill rack. Line wedges for garnish. Warm corn or flour tortillas. In shallow baking dish, combine lime juice, oil and pepper sauce. Add fish and turn to coat all sides. Marinate 20 to 30 minutes, turning once. Combine corn, salsa and cilantro, set aside. Brush hot grill rack with oil, or remove and coat with cooking spray. Place fish on grill 4 to 6 inches above hot coals. Cook with lid or tent with foil. Cook, turning frequently, for a fork, allowing approximately 10 minutes cooking time per inch thickness of fish. Serve fish with corn salsa, lime wedges and warm tortillas. Makes 6 servings. Fish steaks with potatoes and peas 1 1/2 pounds (about 16) small red potatoes, boiled until just tender 2 Tbsp. olive oil 1 Tbsp. fresh dillweed or 1 teaspoon dried dillweed 1/4 tsp. pepper Four 6-ounce tuna, halibut, shark, or swordfish steaks, 3/4- to 1-inch thick 2 cups frozen baby peas, thawed 1 cup finely chopped lettuce 1/2 tsp. minced onion 1/4 tsp. salt 1/4 tsp. pepper Oil or vegetable cooking spray for grill rack. Cut potatoes in half and thread on skewers. Combine olive oil, lemon juice, dill and hot pepper in small bowl. Brush on fish steaks and potatoes; reserve. Combine peas and lettuce, onion, salt and remaining 1/4 tsp. pepper in a bowl. Divide among four 9-inch-square pieces of heavy-duty aluminum foil. Fold and seal securely. Place fish steaks on grill 4 to 6 inches above hot coals. Add cooking skewers and packets of peas with lid or tent with foil. Cook, turning frequently, just until fish begins to flake when tested with a fork, allowing about 10 minutes cooking time per inch thickness of fish. Transfer to hot plates. Makes 4 servings. Scalloped Pasta Salad 8 ounces pasta, broken into 4-inch

## What's new at the supermarket

By Bonnie Tandy Leblang and Carolyn Wyman

**Peanut Butter Snickers.** 40 cents per 1.76-ounce bar. Bonnie: This new Peanut Butter Snickers is lots higher in fat and slightly higher in calories than regular Snickers. The peanut butter variety gets 57 percent of its 280 calories from fat, compared to regular Snickers' 270 calories and 43 percent fat.

If that weren't enough, the Mars Co. has added the questionable preservative propyl gallate to the new version. The best long-term study suggested that this antioxidant might cause cancer in laboratory animals. If you reach for a candy bar, the original Snickers is a better choice.

Carolyn: In a frenzy to make more money off their old franchises, new variations on old candy bars and candy bar-inspired ice creams are hitting the market these days at an incredible pace. But few candy bars are as versatile as Snickers. The Snickers ice cream bar actually tastes better than the original candy bar, and some people will feel the same way about this new Peanut Butter Snickers candy bar.

Peanut Butter Snickers is softer and richer than the original Snickers — containing mainly peanut butter instead of peanuts (although there are some peanuts in it, too). It contains nougat but no caramel. People

who eat Snickers mainly for the peanut taste should love it. So should fans of peanut butter and Reese's Peanut Butter Cups.

Hershey's Chocolate Shoppe Toppings. Hot fudge sauce and double chocolate fudge. \$1.69 to \$2.29 per 18- to 18.5-ounce glass jar.

Bonnie: Hershey's Chocolate Shoppe toppings are richer and more calorie-dense than Hershey's regular chocolate syrup. The toppings are thick sauces made mainly from milk, cocoa and lots of sugar, the syrup, mainly cocoa and sugar. This makes sense, since the syrup is designed to be mixed in milk and the toppings to be spooned over ice cream. These toppings also contain preservatives and emulsifiers.

If you can afford to add extra calories on top of those already in ice cream, you might like to try making your own sauce without additives. Just melt bitter-sweet chocolate with some butter, then stir in half-and-half or milk. For those concerned about their fat and calorie intake, a scoop of unadorned frozen yogurt is a healthier choice.

Carolyn: Pouring chocolate syrup over ice cream is no longer enough — not for consumers used to the rich, thick sauces served in today's gourmet ice cream parlors. This probably explains why the company with the most popular chocolate syrup has just come out with two

new ice cream toppings in microwavable glass jars. The hot fudge sauce is similar to (although slightly thinner than) the sundae sauce Hershey's used to sell in yellow cans. So I recommend the hot fudge. But the double chocolate fudge sauce is neither particularly

chocolately, thick or fudgy. In fact, it doesn't seem much different than significantly less expensive, plain old Hershey's Syrup.

Bonnie Tandy Leblang is a registered dietitian. Carolyn Wyman is a junk food fanatic. Each week, they critique new food items.

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**HAD ENOUGH IN BANGOR, MAINE** DEAR ENOUGH: There is nothing ill-mannered about picking up a cup of soup and drinking the broth. You just quote me, and I hope you do.

**P.S. A bowl would be a different story.** DEAR ABBY: While you were on vacation, one of your returns (about diminishing memories in older folks) brought to mind this story:

Two elderly ladies who had not seen each other in many years met one day on the street. They were both delighted, and being in front of a restaurant, one of them suggested that they go inside to visit over a cup of coffee.

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## FOCUS

### Dear Abby

Abigail Van Buren

### Parents on drugs risk child's life

DEAR ABBY: I am a pastor, but please don't identify my church or location. About four or five years ago, a woman who attends this church came to me complaining because her 10-year-old son (I'll call him Michael) had been stealing. She said he was even stealing the marijuana she and her husband had hidden away for their own use.

Yesterday, I officiated at Michael's funeral. He was 22 years old and had many friends and a loving family. There is much speculation about whether Michael's death was a suicide or an accidental overdose of drugs.

Abby, please print this to let parents know that their use of drugs can have a devastating effect on their children.

SAD PASTOR: Thank you for sharing your personal experience in an effort to stress an important point. Parents may tell their children, "Don't do as we do, do as we say." But the children who bear the brunt are those whose parents have set the best example by their own actions.

DEAR ABBY: My sister and I were eating dinner in a cafeteria where we could pick whatever we wanted to eat. I selected a cup of soup with very thin noodles in it, but it was mostly broth.

After I had eaten the noodles, I picked up the cup and drank the broth. Well, my sister bawled me out and it was ill-mannered to drink the broth that way. She made such a fuss, I felt just terrible. I am 72 years old and my sister is 76. She has bossed me around all my life, and I finally decided I had had enough. Please tell me if she was right to criticize me.

HAD ENOUGH IN BANGOR, MAINE DEAR ENOUGH: There is nothing ill-mannered about picking up a cup of soup and drinking the broth. You just quote me, and I hope you do.

P.S. A bowl would be a different story. DEAR ABBY: While you were on vacation, one of your returns (about diminishing memories in older folks) brought to mind this story:

Two elderly ladies who had not seen each other in many years met one day on the street. They were both delighted, and being in front of a restaurant, one of them suggested that they go inside to visit over a cup of coffee.

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## PEOPLE

President and Barbara Bush have agreed to donate their organs to science when they die, and the first lady has also signed a living will.

"I had a dog I loved put down, because I didn't want the dog to suffer," Mrs. Bush said in the Oct. 30 issue of Woman's Day. "I would certainly hope someone would do the same for me."

"My doctor told me to make it very clear to your doctor — while you're well — that you don't want to be kept alive by artificial means if there is no hope for recovery," said Mrs. Bush, who signed the living will last year.

"If you don't make your own decision, you get a terrible emotional load on your family; you're saying, 'It's up to you to sign my death warrant' — that's unfair, cruel and unusual punishment."

Mrs. Bush also said her husband sheds tears over "touching, poignant things" but holds up in emergencies.

"He's not a crybaby like me, and he'd never cry during a crisis," she said.

What makes the president cry? "When George first saw our last child, Daro, he just put his hand up against the nursery window and tears streaming down his face," Mrs. Bush said.

The president insists on clearing the table after a meal, she said.

"I married a man who is a great help at bustling dishes out after a meal," she said. "Even when we just have pickup, I grab his plate to get it first, or he'll rinse it and put it in the dishwasher."

Rep. Joseph Kennedy said politics mucked up his personal life, but he never considered bailing out of public service.

"Politics is a great profession — an exciting, demanding, profession. But it takes a tremendous toll ... on your personal life," Kennedy said in an interview for the syndicated TV program "Personalities."

The Massachusetts Democrat and his wife, Sheila Rauch, filed for divorce earlier this month. Kennedy, 38, is the oldest child of Robert Kennedy, who was assassinated in 1968 during his bid for president. Kennedy also is the nephew of Sen. Teddy Kennedy, D-Mass., and President Kennedy.

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Therefore, my advice to the woman in your question is: See a urologist if loss of bladder control recurs. To give you more information, I am sending you a free copy of my Health Report "Bladder."

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DEAR READER: Unfortunately, chicken pox, a common childhood disease, can cause serious problems in a pregnant woman because the pox virus can pass from the mother's body through the placenta and infect the unborn child, leading to severe fetal malformation. This tragic situation is unreversible. This is why pregnant women must make every effort, if they haven't had chicken pox, to avoid contact with infected individuals.

Although the potential risk for your daughter is high, it is not a certainty. Perhaps she will be one of the lucky women whose baby will not suffer any consequences.

In any case, the child should carefully attend to her obstetrician's advice about follow-up and further testing. I assume your daughter will need fetal ultrasound examinations (to monitor growth and development) as well as an amniocentesis, a method by which a specialist can analyze the fluid surrounding the baby before birth to determine the presence of congenital anomalies.

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# BUSINESS



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...AND COUNTING — Traders sign as they buy and sell oil futures at the New York Mercantile Exchange. Crude oil is within striking distance of \$40 per barrel, twice the price before the Persian Gulf crisis.

## Bolton resident appointed an union

BOLTON — David Mitchell of Bolton, has been appointed to the position of chief steward of the Administrative and Residential State Employees Union (A&R), which represents more than 3,400 administrative workers in state agencies throughout Connecticut.

He replaces Beverly French, who retired in August. The chief steward has jurisdiction over the 65 stewards in A&R and is a full-time union position.

Mitchell began his state employment as a Connecticut Career Trainee with the Department of Labor in 1970 and was soon promoted to management analyst. In that capacity he joined the Department of Environmental Protection in 1974 and the Office of Policy and Management in 1979.

He and his wife Louise have two children, David John, 11 and Allia, 7.

## IN BRIEF

The nation's economy nearly came to a standstill in the second quarter, edging up a feeble annual rate of 0.4 percent, the government said.

Many of the nation's top economists believe a recession is imminent — if not under way already.

While White House spokesman Martin Fitzwater said "we don't believe we are in a recession right now," he acknowledged Tuesday's Commerce Department report on the gross national product "is certainly cause for concern. It's not good news."

Michael Milken's lawyers have revealed their strategy to keep him out of prison, portraying the convicted financier as a repentant, misunderstood genius who has benefited society and should be allowed to work with ghetto youth in a "purposeful punishment."

In a sentencing proposal released Tuesday, less than a week before a federal judge is scheduled to announce Milken's punishment in the biggest securities fraud case in history, the defense offered new insights into Milken's character.

The 44-year-old former junk-bond wizard for Drexel Burnham Lambert Inc. pleaded guilty to six felonies in April, capitalizing to government pressure after insisting he was innocent for nearly four years.

A huge Japanese electronics concern said it is negotiating to buy entertainment giant MCA Inc. in a deal valued at \$7 billion, the latest move in Hollywood globalization.

The proposal announced Tuesday by Matsushita Electric Industrial Co. also demonstrates anew the foreign craving for American trophy holdings.

The merger, if completed, would be the 1989 acquisition of Columbia Pictures Entertainment by Japan's Sony Corp. for \$5 billion, which includes the assumption of the company's debt, video equipment and audio and visual components under the brand names Panasonic, Technics and Quad.

Oil prices jumped as traders took profits from their dramatic surge and awaited developments in the Persian Gulf.

Light sweet crude fell 72 cents to \$37.53 per barrel Tuesday for November contracts on the New York Mercantile Exchange.

The drop pulled oil a little farther from the \$40 mark that many traders view as the next target. It represented just a partial retreat from Monday's rise, which had pushed prices up almost \$3 per barrel.

One major witness was allowed to testify in secret and one refused to appear voluntarily at a hearing begun on conflict-of-interest allegations against Neil Bush, the president's son.

Outside, the federal courthouse was surrounded by news media, security officers and protesters on Tuesday, the only thing missing was the code of all the attention. Neil Bush, 35, did not show up for the first day of what is anticipated to be a four-day proceeding before administrative law Judge Daniel J. Davidson. Officials said Bush had to be present only when he was to testify.

Eastern Airlines trustee Martin Shugra urged President Bush to help minimize the damage Iraq crisis-ravaged fuel hikes are doing to the airline industry and to his carrier's hopes for survival.

"The airlines cannot support the increased cost. Eastern cannot support the increased cost," Shugra said at Florida International University on Tuesday. "And the public cannot tolerate the increased burden in air fares."

Shugra called on the Bush administration to form a task force of officials of the airlines, oil companies, his administration and Congress to study and recommend actions on oil prices.

Moody's Investors Service downgraded the credit rating of Chase Manhattan Corp., citing concern about the deterioration of the bank's real estate loan portfolio.

Moody's, one of the two major credit rating agencies, said Tuesday that Chase's announcement Friday that it would have its dividend this quarter and boost its bad-loan reserves were positive steps for the nation's second-largest bank.

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MANCHESTER HERALD, Wednesday, Sept. 26, 1990—15

KIT 'N' GARDLE by Larry Wright

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PUBLIC HEARING  
BOARD OF DIRECTORS  
TOWN OF MANCHESTER, CONNECTICUT

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Directors, Town of Manchester, Connecticut, will hold a Public Hearing at the Lincoln Center Hearing Room, 454 Main Street, Manchester, Connecticut, on Tuesday, October 2, 1990 at 7:30 a.m. on the following:

- Approval to Education Special Projects — Fund 41
- Youth Services — \$39,812.00
- Police Services Grant — \$18,822.00
- Income from Vocational Evaluations at ROTC — \$10,000.00
- Release Time — Manchester Education Association President — \$18,822.00

To be financed by unappropriated General Fund revenue resulting from Public Act 89-342.

- Approval to Special Grant — Fund 61 existing Account 871, Drug Investigation — \$625.50 to be financed by forfeiture payment already received.
- To consider the adoption of an Ordinance amending an Ordinance adopted by this Board on August 7, 1990 which authorized the purchase of properties for the purpose of highway improvements to be made to Toland Turnpike from \$13,100.00 to \$15,200.00. (A copy of the Ordinance may be seen in the Town Clerk's Office during business hours.)
- Additional Appropriation to Police Department — Special Services — \$18,822.00 to be financed by a State Grant.
- Approval of an Agreement reviving certain sections of the Collective Bargaining Agreement between the Town and Local 1465 and Ordinance reviving certain sections of Chapter 13 of the Code of Ordinances as they pertain to Police pensions and insurance benefits. (A copy of the proposed agreement may be seen in the Town Clerk's Office during business hours.)
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All public meetings of the Town of Manchester are held at locations which are accessible to handicapped citizens. In order to facilitate their participation at meetings about contact the Town at 647-3123 one week prior to the scheduled meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

William E. FitzGerald, Judge of Probate

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## Bridge

**A tough choice for West**  
By James Jacoby

In tournament competition it has become somewhat the vogue to play quite weak one-trump openings. The more conservative purveyors of this method specify that their weak one-trump openings (10-12 tricks) occur only when they are not vulnerable, but there are more dangers. The advantage of course is that opponents with strong hands sometimes do not have precise methods of describing their strength. The disadvantage is that the bid can occasionally lead to a very large penalty.

However, note what happened when East struck with his weak one-trump. South doubled, but West was able to pre-empt with three spades. Eventually South settled in four hearts.

When the spade jack was led, declarer put in dummy's queen and ruffed East's king. When he played a diamond to dummy's 10, East took the ace and returned a diamond. Declarer cashed dummy's ace of spades, ruffed and tried to ruff a club. But West came in with the lowly four of hearts. So East put up the king, and declarer took the ace and played his last club. Curiously, West ruffed with the queen of hearts, that was just five tricks to the defenders.

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## SPORTS

### Thoughts Aplenty

Len Auster

### Cold, hard fact is sports may face some cuts

COVENTRY—These are not the best of economic times. All you have to do is check the business and real estate pages of most newspapers and the reality snafus you squarely in the face.

Anyone who doesn't see the reality either has their head buried in the sand, or isn't breathing. A cold, hard fact out in Coventry is the very existence of the sports program is coming under question in light of the rejection of the proposed town budget by the voters for a fourth time.

Patrick Flaherty, chairman of the Coventry Board of Education, in an article in the Herald last week said, "It is not something I want to do. It is not something that I'm in favor of. But we may have to cut the full sports program if we are forced to make another cut."

That bit of news stunned several individuals. "We got some phone calls today with people asking where the meeting," Charlene LaFreniere, high school secretary who served for three years as the school's director of athletics, said Tuesday morning. "There was no meeting. I guess some parents just wanted to get together."

Flaherty is not an advocate of cutting sports at the high school, or anywhere. "I supported the budget that was defeated. My stand has been voted down four times," he said. "But he's just looking at hard reality. 'It (sports) is in no more danger, or no less, than any other program," he said. "A lot of things are being brought up."

"The problem is there will be just so many things mandated by the state, or by labor contracts (which we have to cost). Where we will be forced to make cuts, we have little discretion."

Rich Page, who took over the reins of director of athletics at the high school in addition to his coaching duties, says athletics plays a big role for the students at Coventry High School.

"We have 33 percent of the students here out for athletics. That's an incredible number," Page said. "Athletics means an awful lot in a small school such as Coventry which doesn't offer a lot. For a lot of kids, it plays a role in the way they develop socially and getting used to competition."

Society is certainly competitive and this helps in their development. And I'd say athletics enhances the academics at Coventry High. We have stricter rules than the CIAC to stay eligible. If a kid wants to play here, they have to stay eligible and I think a lot of kids stay eligible to play, and wind up graduating."

This is not the first time the sports program in Coventry may get hit by budgetary constraints. Back in 1981-82 and '82-83, junior varsity sports were not funded.

"It wasn't because of lack of interest. It was cut because of lack of money," LaFreniere recalls. "We formed a booster club and I paid for officials. We had volunteer coaches and had parents drive (the players) to the games. It was a disaster, liability-wise. It worked; it kept the programs going. But it wasn't good," she added.

Junior varsity sports were reinstated, and funded by the board of education, in 1983-84, LaFreniere said.

"I just think this has become a political football," Page said. "I don't think people are voting with their heads. People are thinking they're not getting their money's worth. But it's gotten to a point where they're starting to hurt the kids. But if the town council wants \$250,000 from the schools, I see the sports program being in jeopardy."

Page notes the athletic budget at the high school is seven-tenths of one percent of the entire budget, roughly \$5,700 for balls, bats, uniforms, medical supplies, etc. Flaherty, however, adds that figure doesn't include another \$60,000 to \$70,000 for officials' fees, transportation and coaches' salaries.

"If we cut the sports programs, it's not something I want to do," Flaherty says. "My support of athletics at Coventry High School is pretty clear. I would say it is likely some cuts in the athletic program (will be made) but unlikely the cancellation of programs at all schools. Everything is going to get hurt."

"What I'm trying to say is this is not a time to panic. But the grim reality is there is less money for everything and it's not just the athletic program won't be affected in some way."

And that is just the harsh reality in these difficult economic times.



HEAD BALL — Bolton High's Luke Morford, left, and Coventry High's Randy Letts go high for the ball during Tuesday's game in Coventry. The Bulldogs won their first of the year, 1-0.

### Coventry left frustrated as Neil stars for Bolton

BOLTON — If it was, indeed, Brian Neil's last game in goal for the Bulldogs was not an auspicious one, he left a lasting impression.

The Bolton High senior netminder, who is scheduled to undergo arthroscopic surgery Friday, repelled Coventry High at every corner as the Bulldogs prevailed, 1-0, Tuesday afternoon in Charter Oak Conference East Division boys' soccer play.

Neil was credited with 14 saves as the Bulldogs won their first of the 1990 season, moving to 1-0-1 in the CCC East and 1-2-2 overall. "Brian had a great game," Bolton coach Ray Boyd said.

Coventry's goal was scored by a senior, 27-8, a statistic Boyd disputed. "As far as ball control, they controlled the field," he said, "but I didn't think there in one. One Bulldog misfired, but Chris Blaise didn't miss, putting it solidly into the back of the net."

"We both had scoring opportunities. We were fortunate to take advantage of one," Boyd said.

Leveque, Ed Bogun, Paul Sauer, Luke Morford, Mark Bluffin and Owen Smealstead tied in yeoman work for Bolton at the defensive end.

Coventry, 1-1 in conference play and 1-4 overall, did some solid work from the midfield up, but couldn't finish, a common problem for scholastic clubs. They've scored just three goals this year. Sophomore Jeremy Haynes, John Vincent, who just returned to the lineup and Haynes again each had fine chances in the first half for Coventry, only to be denied by the fine play of Neil in goal.

"We don't have anyone with the skill to finish in front of the net," Plaster said. "People are not in the right places, not anticipating crosses. Some of the openings we had today, I can't believe we didn't take."

### No justice in 1-1 tie

By JIM TIERNEY  
Manchester Herald

HEBRON — Sometimes there is justice and other times...  
Totally dominant, in terms of shots on goal (24-3) and territoriality, the RHAM High boys' soccer team found itself in a peculiar situation with less than six minutes left in Tuesday afternoon's Charter Oak Conference match with visiting Cheney Tech.

The Sachems trailed, 1-0.

With 5:23 left, Chris Keegan's centering pass was deftly one-timed into the back of the net by Greg Young and RHAM gained a 1-1 tie.

RHAM is now 0-1-1 in the COC and 1-2-1 overall. Cheney is 0-0-2 in the league and 0-1-3 overall. RHAM hosts Vinal Tech Friday at 3:30 p.m. while Cheney entertains Coventry at 3:30 p.m.

"It was a match of lost opportunities for RHAM."  
"I'm just frustrated," RHAM coach Mike Zotta said. "I told our kids it's a win for them and an absolute loss for us. It's the worst start we've had in 10 years. This is a game where there really is no justice at times."  
On the other side, Cheney coach Frank Niederwerfer was pleased with the effort of his inexperienced club.

"We got a little lucky," Niederwerfer said. "The first half they (RHAM) had a couple opportunities and didn't convert them. He (Cheney goalie Matt Marcotte) played a decent game. He made a couple mistakes and we got lucky."

At the 18-minute mark of the first half, RHAM blew a golden opportunity. With Marcotte out of the goalmouth, Steve Hartill's point-blank eight-yarder hit off the bottom of the crossbar and bounded out.

Earlier, Young nailed a shot off the left post and Beaver sweeper Keithphone Keopje then made a back save on goal line.

Meanwhile, Cheney couldn't get anything going offensively and the first half ended in a 0-0 tie.

"I got the ball and got away. I think that carried over into the second half," Niederwerfer said. "Our kids had a little more confidence about themselves. You see, we don't have much offense. We played well through the midfield. They're just inexperienced kids. That's what's hurt us in every game, a lack of offense."

Cheney stunned RHAM at 2:15 of the second half. A corner kick by Bob Goulet traveled through a maze of RHAM defenders and found the foot of Jon Anderson, who turned and banged home an eight-yarder into the left corner of the net.

Cheney stopperback Jason Gagnon played a superb game, especially in the second half with the Beavers guarding their lead.

"That was his best game by far," Niederwerfer said of Gagnon.

Three minutes after Anderson's goal, Marcotte made a sliding save on Young, which freed up goal.

"It was a magnificent save," Zotta said.

Cheney endured a tremendous amount of pressure by RHAM until Young's equalizer.

Mark Westhorn, Ray Bell, freshman Roger Nichols and Craig Albert played well for RHAM.

"I can't pick one spot in the game where we played badly," Zotta said. "My gut feeling is once the team gets together, we're going to be a very, very dangerous team. We're going to score a lot of goals."

### Red Sox fallen on hard times

BOSTON — Just a couple of weeks ago, the Boston Red Sox welcomed a daily check-in of games remaining.

That was when they appeared to have a comfortable lead over Toronto in the AL East.

Now, after three consecutive losses, six in the last seven games and nine in the last 11, the Red Sox are hoping that time doesn't run out on them.

"We've made a little hurt on ourselves — unless we get some help from the Midwest," Boston manager Joe Morgan said Tuesday night after a 5-2 loss to Greg Swindell and the Cleveland Indians.

The Red Sox got their wish as the Brewers rallied for an 8-4 victory over Toronto in Milwaukee.

That left the Blue Jays with an 84-71 record and seven road games remaining. Boston is 82-72, 1½ games behind Toronto with eight games remaining, all but one at home.

"We've got Toronto three games this weekend. What more do you want?" Morgan said almost defensively. "It's worse come to worse, you still gotta look at the big dogs in front of you and beat them."

"It's frustrating," said Boston slugger Mike Greenwell. "We had an excellent hallday and we're capable of winning these games."

"We went out there to win; it just didn't happen," said Mike Marshall in a last-season acquisition from the New York Mets.

Morgan, who led the Red Sox from a nine-game deficit to the AL East title after being named manager on July 4, 1988, always has downgraded "Morgan's Magic" for that comeback. Instead, he has a golden horseshoe given him by a couple of Boston fans from Maine. And he planned a wall-banging in the clubhouse today.

"It's about time to slap that thing up there," Morgan said.

The Red Sox may need more than one horseshoe to break out of their slump against the Indians.

Cleveland, which had finished higher than fourth since 1976 and as high as third since 1968, 15-4 in September, including 7-1 in their last eight games and 11-2 in their last 13.

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**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)** There is a possibility today to do what you may be able to do in some manner from serving as a mediator in bring two parties together who each need what the other can offer.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 31)** Your financial trends are presently running in

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** Changes and shifting conditions tend to work for your benefit today, even those induced by factors over which you have no control, against them. Try to be equally as cooperative and flexible where they are concerned.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** Compromises will be proposed to readjust positions today in order to accommodate you. Try to be equally as cooperative and flexible where they are concerned.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** Your possibilities for fulfilling your ambitious aims are bright today, especially if you are motivated by what it means for you materially. Self-interest will be served.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** Your popularity as a high point at this time and the possibility of inspiring others to new mental feats. Be a team player.

**ANIES (March 21-April 19)** Focus your mental and physical efforts today on meaningful goals that have thus far eluded you. Today you might be able to make up for lost time where achievements are concerned.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** Take a serious look at the thoughts and suggestions presented to you by associates today. You should be able to imbue these ideas into something advantageous for immediate use.

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## Len Auster is sports editor of the Manchester Herald

### MHS appoints Dave Blanchard

MANCHESTER — Manchester High School has announced the appointment of Dave Blanchard as varsity baseball coach.

Blanchard, who has been the junior varsity coach the last two years, replaces Don Race who resigned following the 1990 season.

Race was the Indians' varsity coach for 10 years, finishing with a career mark of 117 wins and 95 losses. His clubs took runner-up honors in the CCC East in 1987, '88 and '89.

Blanchard is a math teacher at the high school. He also coached the junior varsity baseball team at Griswold High and is currently the head baseball coach for the Jewett City American Legion team.

"We welcome Dave with his great enthusiasm," Manchester director of athletics Mike Simmons said. "Dave has experience and determination to continue the success of Manchester High School baseball."



IN PURSUIT — Bolton High's Dave Mortimer, left, and Coventry High's Josh Walters go after the ball during Tuesday's game. Mortimer, in a reserve role, had a strong game for the Bulldogs.

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High School Roundup

MHS girls' swimming remains in unbeaten ranks

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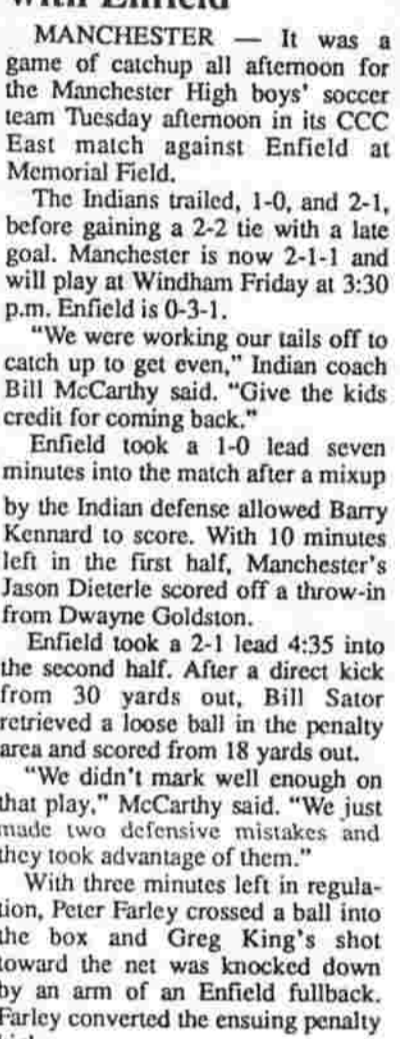
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HOLDING THE FORT — Bolton High goalie Brian Neil stretches toward the ball as teammate Bryan Levesque (11) offers some help in Tuesday's game against Coventry High. Neil was a standout in goal as the Bulldogs won, 1-0.

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EC swimmers are beaten

STORRS — East Catholic High swam its girls' swimming mark dip to 0-4 as the Eagles fell to E.O. Smith, 14-52, Tuesday afternoon at the Brundage Pool on the University of Connecticut campus.

St. Joseph nips East boy runners

MANCHESTER — It was almost as close as it could be at St. Joseph of Trumbull nipped East Catholic, 26-29, Tuesday afternoon in ACC boys' cross country action at Wickham Park.

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advantage of them."
The closest Coventry did come was in a two-minute span after intermission. Robb Topfuff put a header off the left goalpost after a free kick from Chris Lanciano on the left wing.

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