

SCOREBOARD

Basketball: NBA standings. Atlantic Division: Boston 41, Philadelphia 38, New York 37, New Jersey 35, Miami 27. Central Division: Milwaukee 33, Chicago 30, Indiana 26, Detroit 26, Cleveland 25.

WESTERN CONFERENCE: Midwest Division: San Antonio 41, Utah 35, Portland 32, Dallas 31, Denver 27. Pacific Division: Phoenix 26, Lakers 25, Golden State 23, LA Clippers 22, Seattle 22. NBA standings: Dallas Mavericks 41, Phoenix Suns 38, Houston Rockets 37, San Antonio Spurs 36, Portland Trail Blazers 35.

NBA results: Bucks 106, Hornets 91. Milwaukee 106, Charlotte 91. Suns 105, Cavaliers 83. Hawks 121, Spurs 109.

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SECOND BEST? How NBA teams did after losing in the final round of the playoffs. Philadelphia 76ers: 1979-80 (62-20), 1980-81 (46-36), 1981-82 (65-17), 1982-83 (54-28), 1983-84 (62-20), 1984-85 (67-15), 1985-86 (42-40). Houston Rockets: 1986-87 (57-25), 1987-88 (69-19), 1988-89 (63-19). Boston Celtics: 1986-87 (57-25), 1987-88 (69-19), 1988-89 (63-19). Houston Rockets: 1985-86 (42-40), 1986-87 (57-25), 1987-88 (69-19), 1988-89 (63-19).

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Sartor fears well drilling request. Ed Board sets next year goals. Historic group approves mill change. Coventry delays kennel lease. Local/Regional Section, Page 7.

Town mastery scores at all-time high

By SCOTT B. BREDE, Manchester Herald. MANCHESTER — Despite recent controversy over the town's elementary mathematics program, its 1990 Manchester Mastery Test were an all-time high, according to results released this morning. Ninety-six percent of the town's sixth-graders, whom parents pointed to as not being able to complete some problems on the 1989 test, scored above the state remedial level. That figure is up from 85 percent in 1989.

Alan Chesterton, who is in charge of the district's curriculum, said the scores reflect the town's math program, which is now in place in grades K-6, and requires students to reason logically instead of focusing on heavy computations. Although Chesterton's scores were released today, Chesterton said he is still awaiting state scores, so he cannot compare them with other towns. The test is given each year to fourth-, sixth- and eighth-grade students around the state in the end of September. Meanwhile, the percentage of scores above the state remedial level on the writing section of the test went down by a percent for fourth graders [87 percent] and for sixth graders [83 percent] from the previous year.

Chesterton said he could not explain the decrease, other than to say the students may have misunderstood the question asked. A heavy emphasis is placed on writing in the elementary schools, he said. Ninety-four percent of eighth-graders scored above the remedial level on the writing sample, up from 1989's 87 percent. On the reading part of the test, fourth graders scored the same [90 percent] as they did in 1989, sixth-graders went up 9 percent to 91 percent, and eighth graders improved to 94 percent.

Judge clears election board

By BRIAN M. TROTTE, Manchester Herald. MANCHESTER — Superior court judge has ruled that the Election Review Committee of the Eight Municipalities District did not violate state Freedom of Information laws when it did not keep records of its meetings. The ruling by Judge Norris O'Neill overturns a Freedom of Information Commission opinion that stated that the election committee was a formal committee as defined by law and was fully subject to state statutes governing such bodies. In his ruling, O'Neill said that since the election committee was not a permanent subcommittee of the Eight Municipalities District it was not subject to those laws.

South Africans killed

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — A resurgence of black factional fighting has left at least 17 people dead after several days of relative peace during the Christmas holidays. Police said 14 black men had been killed in fighting in Natal Province over the past 24 hours in one of the worst waves of violence in recent weeks. South African police said they had arrested 200 people in Natal, including 120 on Christmas and the New Year holidays. The violence came as police outlined plans for a new anti-apartheid strategy, including support for political groups and public demonstrations. The violence came as police outlined plans for a new anti-apartheid strategy, including support for political groups and public demonstrations.

Iraqis cope with embargo, food rationing

By DILIP GANGULY, The Associated Press. BAGHDAD, Iraq — The cost of food at Saddam International Airport looked at the passenger's bulging bags and sacks of 'kubutzah' — Arabic for bread. The man nodded. The officer let him pass. Another passenger on the Iraqi Airways flight from neighboring Jordan was pushing a trolley laden with four tires. The trolley smiled and let him pass too. Five months after the United Nations clamped an economic embargo against Iraq, people are coping. Although there is no sign anyone is starving, it is signs around the country that Iraqis are coping. Although there is no sign anyone is starving, it is signs around the country that Iraqis are coping. Although there is no sign anyone is starving, it is signs around the country that Iraqis are coping.

MS&G said nearing sale of ready mix operation

By BRIAN M. TROTTE, Manchester Herald. MANCHESTER — Officials of Manchester Sand & Gravel Co. say they expect to reach an agreement to sell their Manchester ready-mix concrete plant within the next week and submit the plan to a bankruptcy court. Steven Thornton, president of the company, told investors the company they are being sold to a new group of investors. The sale agreement is a non-compulsion stipulation that MS&G, its affiliated companies, Chapter 11 protects companies from their creditors while they restructure their debts and attempt to return to financial solvency. "We are very close to an agreement," Thornton said.

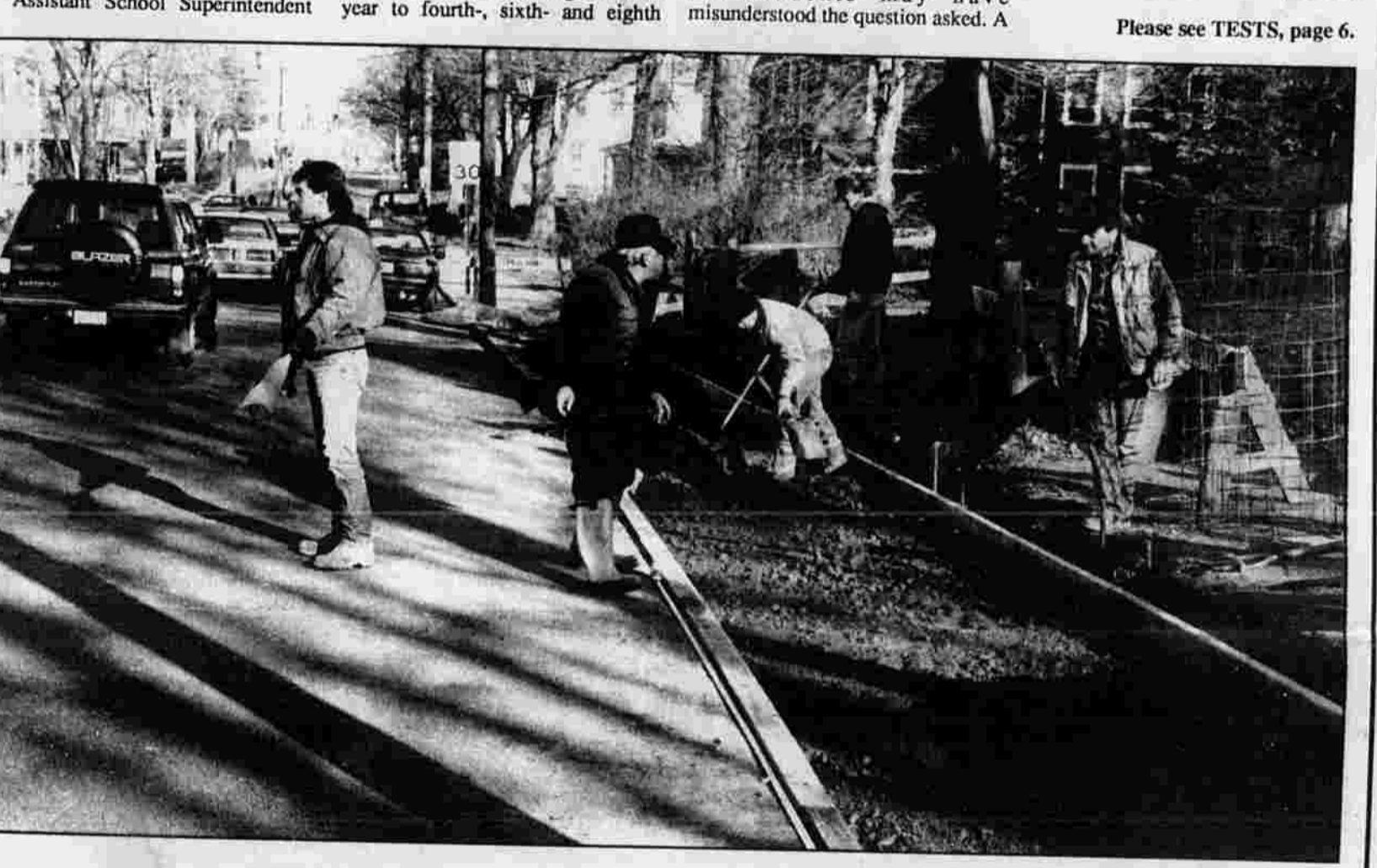
Jobless rate shooting up. The report came just as the unemployment rate rose to 11.2 percent in December, the highest since February 1982. The report also showed that last month, layoffs fell by 76,000, a more moderate decline than the 126,000 job loss in November. Hardest hit in December was manufacturing, which has been losing jobs since August.

What's News

Agent reveals drug dealings. BOSTON (AP) — A former federal drug agent pleaded guilty to helping run a cocaine pipeline from Florida to Boston. Edward K. O'Brien, 45, of Hometown, Va., pleaded guilty Thursday in U.S. District Court to conspiring to possess more than five kilograms of cocaine with intent to distribute. O'Brien, formerly of Springfield, Mass., was a special agent of the Drug Enforcement Administration from 1972 until 1989, when he was suspended without pay. In 1989, O'Brien was appointed resident agent-in-charge of the DEA's Springfield office, a post he held until May 1988.

Groups against men-only clubs

HARTFORD (AP) — The state should stop the use of a 21-year-old state law to force men-only social clubs across Connecticut to open their doors to women, civil rights and women's groups say. "They know where the clubs are and they know this is the law," said William Olick, executive director of the Connecticut Women's Center. The state Department of Liquor Control filed charges last month against six social clubs in Winsted and Torrington, saying the clubs violate the state's 1969 Public Accommodations Act by not allowing women to become members.



LAST JOB — Workers from S. Aleria & Sons, Manchester's sidewalk contractors, rush to finish the last sidewalk replacement job of the season on Spruce Street Thursday. The weather is getting too cold to continue concrete work.

Calendar

- Today: Boston Marathon. East Coast at Norwich University. East Coast at Wesleyan University. Saturday: Boston at Colgate. Sunday: Boston at Middlebury. Monday: Boston at Middlebury. Tuesday: Boston at Middlebury. Wednesday: Boston at Middlebury. Thursday: Boston at Middlebury. Friday: Boston at Middlebury.

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# NATION/WORLD

## Iraq studying Bush's offer for dialogue

By BRIAN MURPHY  
The Associated Press

The diplomatic scramble to head off a possible war in the Persian Gulf shifted today to tiny Luxembourg for a European Community conference, while President Bush awaited word from Iraq on an offer for talks.

Meanwhile, military forces in the Gulf region have exceeded 1.1 million troops and continue to grow. The Pentagon this week plans to begin vaccinating U.S. soldiers against germ warfare.

The offer by Bush on Thursday for "one last attempt" at peace was welcomed by world leaders and drew oil prices to their lowest levels since shortly after Iraq's Aug. 2 invasion of Kuwait.

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Congress will remain in session throughout January, canceling a planned three-week recess.

"They keep asking me, 'Will there be war?' said Rep. Hamilton Fish, R-N.Y., recalling questions from constituents. "What's going to happen?"

The United Nations has set a Jan. 15 deadline for Iraq to withdraw from Kuwait or face the threat of war.

European Community officials predict the 12-nation trade bloc will seek direct talks between Luxembourg Foreign Minister Jacques Poos and his Iraqi counterpart, Tariq

important step," said King Hussein of Jordan, who visited British Prime Minister John Major in London on Thursday.

The king was scheduled to hold meetings today with officials in France, Germany and Italy to discuss the Gulf crisis.

News of Bush's offer pushed oil prices to \$24.90 a barrel, the first time it fell below \$25 on the New York Mercantile Exchange since Aug. 3. Crude oil closed Thursday at \$25.48, down \$1.01.

The EC and Bush administration officials have said they will demand complete withdrawal from Kuwait in any possible talks. On Thursday, Iraqi President Saddam Hussein reiterated that peace initiatives must also include the Palestinian-Israeli conflict.

Iraq, meanwhile, is reportedly bolstering its troop strength in and around Kuwait.

Pentagon spokesman Pete Williams said Thursday that Iraq has added about 20,000 troops and more artillery to the area, bringing to 530,000 the estimated number of Iraqi soldiers in southern Iraq and Kuwait.

Williams also announced the U.S. force in the Gulf stands at 335,000 and is expected to reach about 430,000 by month's end. The Pentagon said 245,000 troops from allied nations are also in the area.

The Pentagon plans to begin in-oculating troops in Gulf against complete withdrawal from Kuwait, which Iraq is known to be developing. Low stocks of the vaccines delayed the inoculation program, Williams said.

Turkey has strengthened air defenses and sent more tanks and armored vehicles to its border with

Iraq in response to a reported Iraqi troop buildup, the Istanbul daily Hurriyet newspaper reported Thursday. Turkish military officials have not commented on the report.

At the United Nations, Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar said he planned today to meet Iraq's U.N. ambassador, Abdul Amir Al-Anbary, "in order to explore all possibilities to avoid a military confrontation."

Elsewhere, Libyan leader Moammar Gadhafi on Thursday hosted a meeting of leaders from Egypt, Syria and Sudan to discuss peace efforts.

The foreign ministers of Iran, Turkey and Pakistan ended talks on Thursday in Islamabad, Pakistan, with a call for the 46-member Organization of the Islamic Conference to mediate a peaceful end to the Gulf crisis.

## Higher postal rates expected from ruling

By RANDOLPH E. SCHMID  
The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Higher postage rates are moving closer to reality today as the independent Postal Rate Commission issues its opinion on how much it should cost to mail a letter.

A nickel increase, to 30 cents, and a whole raft of other hikes, were requested by the U.S. Postal Service last March.

If the process follows its normal course, the current 25-cent letter rate could be replaced by early February, after a lifetime of 2 years and 10 months.

When he asked for the increase, Postmaster General Anthony Frank said he expected the agency to lose \$1.6 billion that year. But staff cuts and increased use of automation kept the loss well below that: the post office ended the last fiscal year \$874 million in the red.

However, the law that established the Postal Service — and ended its taxpayer subsidy — requires it to break even over time.

Rate increases have been in a three-year cycle in recent years. The Postal Service operates at a surplus in the year after a rate hike, breaks even the following year and posts a loss the third year, when it asks for higher rates.

When the Postal Service asks the independent rate commission for an increase, commission staffers spend the next few months listening to testimony, reading legal and accounting reports and preparing its opinion, typically a document that runs 1,000 pages or more.

If the commission agrees with the original request, or suggests changes that are acceptable to the Postal Service, new rates can be put into effect within a few weeks.

## Retail figures signal times

By JOYCE M. ROSENBERG  
The Associated Press

The nation's largest retailers knew that shoppers' worries about the economy and the Persian Gulf overshadowed their holiday buying spirit. Now they know how bad the damage was.

After examining sales reports, some retailers — including Sears, Roebuck and Co.; J.C. Penney Co. Inc.; May Department Stores Co.; and Carter Hawley Hale Stores Inc. — said Thursday their December sales were lower than December 1989.

Even Wal-Mart Stores Inc., the discount chain usually able to weather tough times, had a relatively sluggish month. Specialty apparel stores, particularly Gap Inc., fared better.

In some cases, modest gains were limited by the effects of inflation.

Economists have forecast the recession will continue well into this year, dimming retailers' hopes for a business turnaround.

"Consumer confidence is as low as I have seen it in more than 20 years," said Kenneth Macke, chairman of Davison Hudson Corp. "We are not optimistic about the first half of 1991."

Sears, the nation's largest retailer, announced Thursday it will eliminate 2,000 jobs to maintain its profits. Sears began sending employees pink slips this week and will have more layoffs by June 1 to eliminate administration and operations positions at its 863 stores, spokesman Gerald Buldak said.

Retailers expect more holiday shoppers to be difficult. After Iraq invaded Kuwait in August, sharp increases in oil prices — combined with gloomy economic forecasts — alarmed consumers.

Storeowners reported during the season that shoppers were buying very cautiously, seeking the lowest prices and cutting back on the number of gifts they bought.

Many retailers slashed prices in the final days of the season.

"As soon as retailers broke their prices and put in their discount prices, that's when consumers responded," said Thomas J. Tashjian, an analyst with Seidler Andec Securities Inc. in Los Angeles.

But the lute rush was not enough to save the season for many retailers. Moreover, the steep markdowns were expected to take a heavy toll on retailer earnings at a time when stores hoped to make half their annual profits.

Sears said December sales at its stores open at least a year fell 0.3 percent, while the company's overall sales rose 1.4 percent. Sears characterized its holiday sales as below expectations.

Sales from stores open at least a year also known as same-store or comparable store sales — provide a more accurate assessment of a retailer's performance than overall sales because new stores tend to have extraordinarily strong sales that can skew results.

Pennysaid same-store sales fell 0.3 percent, while its overall take rose 1.5 percent. May reported same-store sales dropped 0.7 percent, with overall sales rising 0.5 percent, while at Carter Hawley Hale, same-store sales slipped 3.7 percent and overall sales fell 1.7 percent.

## U.S. team heads unique mission in Vietnam

By BRYAN WATSON  
The Associated Press

BANGKOK, Thailand (AP) — U.S. specialists have begun an unprecedented quest for Vietnamese government documents to determine the fates of more than 2,200 Americans missing from the Vietnam War, a U.S. official said Friday.

The team left Bangkok for Hanoi Thursday and was to immediately begin meetings with Vietnamese officials, said James Williams, a spokesman for the U.S. Embassy in Bangkok.

An earlier Pentagon statement said it marked the first time a U.S. government team had traveled to Vietnam to try to expand U.S. access to Vietnamese archives.

Previous visits focused on resolving specific cases among soldiers missing in action, or MIA.

The U.S. contingent is led by Rear Adm. Michael McDevitt, head of the East Asia and Pacific section of the Pentagon's Office of International Security Affairs. Early in the nation's history, the letter rate varied and was applied to each sheet of paper.



**CHEERLEADER IMPERSONATOR** — Charles Daugherty, left, appears with his attorney Kent Gray before a judge Thursday in Colorado Springs, Colo. Daugherty, 26, who masqueraded as a female cheerleader at a high school pleaded guilty to criminal impersonation.

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## Computer helps solve murder

By MICHAEL FLEEMAN  
The Associated Press

LOS ANGELES — Twenty-seven years after the bloody beating and strangulation of a drug-store waitress in Hollywood, a computer identified fingerprints found at the crime scene and police made an arrest.

Vernon Robinson, 45, was arrested in Minnesota on Dec. 27 in the 1963 slaying of Thon Rose, a 43-year-old waitress beaten and strangled to death with a silk stocking in her Hollywood apartment.

Robinson, a maintenance worker, was linked to the slaying by fingerprints found in the apartment near three decades ago and recently run through a computer that matched them with his prints from a 1965 arrest.

He was arrested in his Minneapolis apartment by Los Angeles police Detective Mike McDonough said Thursday.

"He was kind of stunned," McDonough said. "He refused to make any statement of any kind."

The Rose murder was cracked using the Automated Fingerprint Identification System, a sophisticated system containing prints from state and some local law enforce-



**WADING AROUND** — David Hibbs waded through flood water from the Ohio River after checking his property along Riverview Drive in West Point, Ky., Thursday afternoon. Hibbs owns several houses in the area, which he said have been flooded three times in the past 15 years.

## Small firms' hopes dim over prospects

By JUDY FAHYS  
Herald Tribune Bureau

WASHINGTON — Small businesses see dismal prospects when they look ahead to the next three to six months, according to the latest survey by the National Federation of Independent Business.

"Small business confidence is in a free fall," the half-million-member trade group said recently as it announced that the most recent "Index of Small Business Optimism" showed its biggest decline since the summer before the 1980 recession.

Nationally, deteriorating market conditions alone cannot explain the reasons for the grim outlook, said William C. Dunkelberg, chief economist for NFIB and dean of the Temple University School of Business and Management.

NFIB's latest survey covers July through October, and may reflect a concern about the federal budget situation, which was resolved in November, and uncertainty about the Persian Gulf situation, he said.

About 43 percent of the 832 firms responding to the survey said they expected conditions to become "worse" or "much worse," according to NFIB. That stands in stark contrast to the 22 percent registered in the previous quarter survey and the 14 percent offering the same response only a year ago in October, 1989.

"The bleakest assessment on record occurred in July, 1979, when, in a condition of runaway inflation and slower growth, a net 42 percent believed the economy would improve in the next three to six months," Dunkelberg said.

Overall, the businesses said they believed it was a poor time to expand, expecting deteriorating sales and credit conditions. In response, the businesses said they planned for negative employment and inventory, as well as less capital outlays.

"The gloom in these expectations was compounded by an accelerating number who planned price increases," Dunkelberg said.

Actual third quarter performance results were mixed, though. Sales and earnings declined sharply between July and October, falling to their lowest levels since the last recession.

Yet, inventory saturation remained unchanged from the previous quarter, current job openings remained reasonably high, capital spending was stable and rates for short-term loans remained unchanged.

Based on those conditions, businesses appear to be responding to pressures beyond the economy itself, said Dunkelberg, noting confidence began to tumble in August, when Iraqi President Saddam Hussein's troops invaded Kuwait.

In Oregon, the gloominess is not as deep, though. Ruth Kahn, Oregon program manager for the state's small business office.

Ruth Kahn, the Oregon governor's small business program manager, agreed that small business operators may reflect a concern about the situation in the Persian Gulf.

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## U.S.: Rebels killed Americans in Salvador

By GEORGE GEDDA  
The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The State Department suspects leftist rebels executed three American servicemen in El Salvador but is awaiting the outcome of an investigation by a U.S. forensic team before making a final judgement.

The incident Wednesday could have an impact on future U.S. aid levels to the Salvadoran military. President Bush is expected to decide next week whether to release \$42.5 million in such aid set aside by Congress last fall.

The three Army crewmen were flying on a routine mission from San Salvador to Honduras when their helicopter was struck by gunfire, State Department deputy spokesman Richard Boucher said Thursday.

There are differing versions as to what happened next.

The helicopter landed in a controlled fashion. Nevertheless, all three U.S. servicemen had apparent gunshot wounds to the head and two of them had no other apparent wounds.

Privately, a U.S. military source said there was no doubt that the three Americans were victims of an execution. But this account was contradicted by the FMLN rebels, who said they found the bodies of the Americans inside the aircraft after it hit the ground.

An eyewitness said two of the Americans were alive when the helicopter landed and that the rebels showed no sign of wanting to harm the crewmen. The eyewitness, however, was not present when the Americans died.

Associated Press photographer Mike Stravato, who visited the crash site, said the helicopter clearly crashed, and did not land safely.

"I shone off a tree and it looks like it bounced at least once," he said.

The bodies were recovered by the Salvadoran armed forces and taken to San Salvador, the Pentagon said.

A U.S. military forensic team arrived in El Salvador on Thursday to investigate the deaths and would perform autopsies today, said U.S. Embassy spokeswoman Pamela Cory-Archer. The bodies will be flown to Andrews Air Force Base, Md., near Washington on Saturday.

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**CASH: DON'T LEAVE HOME WITHOUT IT** — Patrick Marandola, a deli owner in Kingstonsville, R.I., says he will not accept checks from any credit unions following the closing of 45 banking institutions statewide. Marandola estimates that 20 percent of his customers pay with checks from the credit union where his own account is locked up.

## AIDS ban repeal sought

WASHINGTON (AP) — Health and Human Services Secretary Louis Sullivan has endorsed a proposal to drop infection with the AIDS virus from the list of diseases that may keep travelers and immigrants out of the United States.

But no final decision has been made on the matter because Sullivan's agency still must get comments from the State and Justice departments, said the official who disclosed the action Thursday night.

The official spoke on condition of anonymity.

Sullivan's action was made possible by last fall's immigration bill, which reversed 1987 legislation making infection with the human immunodeficiency virus, or HIV, which causes AIDS, automatic grounds for exclusion from the United States.

The immigration bill left to the secretary the decision of whether to drop HIV infection from the list of diseases that may keep travelers and immigrants out of the United States.

Everybody with AIDS is by definition infected with HIV, but many people infected with HIV do not have AIDS, though they likely will develop it eventually.

The virus is transmitted generally through sexual contact or use of infected blood.

Sullivan has said he saw no reason to exclude people from the United States because of AIDS, and his action Thursday had been expected.

The issue became controversial last year, when organizers of the international conference on AIDS held in San Francisco learned of the 1987 exclusionary provisions.

The Immigration and Naturalization Service twice acted to dilute the exclusion.

## Estrogen, despite risks, helps women live longer

### Hormone could raise risk of cancer

By LEE SIEGEL  
The Associated Press

LOS ANGELES — Estrogen pills help older women live longer by preventing heart disease, strokes and broken bones — advantages that outweigh the health risks, a study published today said.

"The evidence is quite strong and consistent that overall mortality is reduced among estrogen users," epidemiologists from the University of Southern California said in the journal Archives of Internal Medicine.

Previous research found women are more likely to get breast and uterine cancer if they take estrogen pills to relieve hot flashes and other menopausal symptoms.

For the average postmenopausal woman, the new findings show "the longer you're on estrogens, the longer you live," despite the cancer risk, said Dr. Ronald Ross, who co-authored the study.

If the typical older woman doesn't take estrogen to replace her body's dwindling supply of the sex hormone, "your life is shorter because you get more heart disease" and strokes, said Dr. Brian Henderson, the study's chief author and director of USC's Kenneth Norris Jr. Comprehensive Cancer Center.

However, Ross cautioned that for certain women, such as those prone to breast cancer, the risks of using the hormone still might outweigh the benefits.

Women who were still taking estrogen and had done so for at least 15 years had death rates 40 percent

lower than non-users, which translates to 2½ years of extra life, he said.

Doctors in the United States write about 20 million estrogen prescriptions a year. Estrogen replacement therapy started as a way to decrease menopausal symptoms including hot flashes, vaginal dryness and headaches.

Studies later prompted doctors to prescribe it to prevent heart disease and osteoporosis, the bone-brittleness ailment that makes elderly women prone to fractures. In the 1970s, researchers found that estrogen increased the risk of cancer of the breast and the endometrium, or lining of the uterus.

The new study dealt only with estrogen, not the least common estrogen-progesterin pills. The hormone progesterin is believed to reduce the risk of endometrial cancer, but also may reduce estrogen's benefits and possibly increase the breast cancer risk, Ross said.

Somewhat surprisingly, the study found no increase in breast cancer deaths among estrogen users, although such women were three times more likely than non-users to die of relatively uncommon endometrial cancer. However, the overall death rate from all cancers was no higher for estrogen users than for non-users, Henderson said.

That may be because estrogen-caused cancers are less aggressive than other cancers or because women who use estrogen visit their doctors more often.

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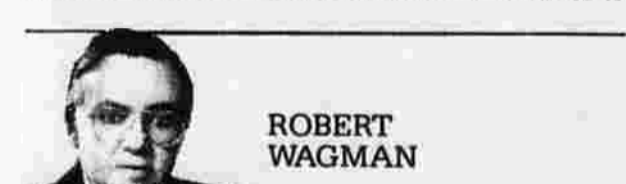
# OPINION

## Does Bush want friend as CIA chief?

WASHINGTON — According to White House sources, President Bush would like his old comrade James Lilley to replace William Webster as head of the Central Intelligence Agency.

Bush is said to be unhappy with the CIA's performance since he took office. He reportedly wants an intelligence professional at the CIA's helm, Lilley, currently U.S. ambassador to China, is a career intelligence agent. He was CIA station chief in Beijing when Bush was a U.S. representative there.

Webster, a former federal appeals judge from Missouri, headed the FBI from 1978-87. He was named to



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his present position after former CIA head William Casey's death as part of an attempt to control the CIA after some of the cover operation excesses of the Casey years.

Webster appears to have won the respect of the most at the CIA, and of the intelligence committees on Capitol Hill. However, he is not liked at the Pentagon because he has challenged their intelligence estimates. Reportedly he is not held in high regard by some influential staffers on the National Security Council.

The White House has a problem, though. Webster apparently likes his job and would be reluctant to leave. Given Webster's standing on Capitol Hill, Lilley might have a hard time winning confirmation if Webster is obviously forced out.

One possibility would be to name Webster to a judgeship. However, since he has already served on the court of appeals, the only judgeship he might want would be on the U.S. Supreme Court. There is some speculation that he could be named again to the court of appeals with a promise that he be given the first available Supreme Court seat.

Even if Webster steps aside gracefully, Lilley might still have confirmation problems. Critics say he is too close to the Chinese leadership and has not been sufficiently critical of the crackdown on students and dissidents.

Is a new job also in the offering for Britain's Margaret Thatcher?

According to White House sources, while new Prime Minister John Major was in Washington, the British sounded out President Bush and Secretary of State James Baker on whether the United States might consider appointing Mrs. Thatcher to the presidency of the World Bank.

Officially, the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, the World Bank is actually an arm of the United Nations. It gets a majority of its funds from the United States. Traditionally the United States names the World Bank president while the European nations name the head of the International Monetary Fund (IMF). The United States has always used this power to name an American, but no law or regulation requires it. Given the long, close relationship between Thatcher and Washington, the British reportedly were curious if Bush might consider naming a non-American.

The present World Bank head — former Republican congressman Barber B. Conable Jr. — was a compromise choice put forward by new Secretary of State Jim Baker in 1986 after GOP conservatives and moderates could not agree. When his present term expires next year, Conable will be 68. He has not publicly indicated whether he is interested in a new term.

"I would call it a preliminary feeler," said one White House source. "No one can directly ask and ask. It was much more polite and indirect. One question was if we knew of Mr. Conable's intentions, and another, if we would consider supporting a non-American. It was just whether Conable is going to retire, and if we might consider a non-American, that Mrs. Thatcher might be interested."

The job pays \$250,000 per year and includes a lavish entertaining budget as well as a large home in Georgetown. It also offers a major world platform for an activist president. Conable has been content to be an administrator. Mrs. Thatcher would undoubtedly use the position more aggressively.

The departure of Education Secretary Lauro Cavazos has left a sour taste in many mouths here and still has tongues wagging.

The White House had been upset with Cavazos for some time, unhappy that he was not a more forceful advocate of administration education policies, and unhappy that he was not more of a team player. However, as the highest ranking Hispanic in government, those opposed to him needed an excuse to shove him out the door.

Insiders say that excuse came in the form of a yet-unreleased Education Department Inspector General's report. It was said to be highly critical of Cavazos' management of his travel budget and office funds, and of the role his wife was playing in Education Department business.

Insiders say Cavazos was called to a meeting with White House Chief of Staff John Sununu and told to resign. He returned to his office and faxed back a terse one-sentence resignation. Told that this was unacceptable, he expanded his note, but refused to include the traditional thanks to the president and office funds, and of the role his wife was playing in Education Department business.

By Washington standards, his final letter was rude and angry. It reportedly left Sununu seething.

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## Integrity on the court

By JOSEPH WALKER

It was the last little league basketball game before Christmas, and my team of fifth-graders was playing with unusual spirit and enthusiasm. Reporter Webber appeared likely his job and would be reluctant to leave. Given Webber's standing on Capitol Hill, Lilley might have a hard time winning confirmation if Webster is obviously forced out.

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My player quickly pointed to his opponent. The other youngster began to protest, then looked at his coach, then at the ref. "Yeah, he's right," said the lad softly. "It went off me. Their ball."

The ref nodded, and pointed in the direction of our basket, indicating that the ball would be in our possession. The other team's coach charged onto the floor.

"No way!" he shouted. "That went off the ref player!"

The ref calmly shook his head. "Your player said he knocked it out. Red ball!"

The other coach, a fierce and fiery competitor, looked at his player incredulously. "Is that right?" he asked.

The boy favored for a second. Then he braced himself. "Yeah," he said. "The ref asked, and I told him."

The other coach stood, hands on hips, and stared at his player for a long moment. Then he barked a sharp command. "Call a time out!"

The boys walked slowly toward their coach and formed a huddle around him.

## Customer service worsens

WASHINGTON — In Wisconsin, a respected catalog sales firm disappoints thousands of customers by failing to ship their Christmas orders on time. Intended recipients of holiday gifts get humorous but not especially satisfying holiday greeting cards that claim "Santa got stuck in the chimney."

In Oregon, another highly regarded direct marketing company discovers that a new computer system has thoroughly mangled its records. Even after Christmas, it cannot determine whether its over shipped orders received more than two months before the holiday.

In New York, the nation's largest telecommunications company promises members of the armed services dispatched to the Middle East that they can place free calls to their families and friends back home. In the weeks prior to Christmas, however, the firm mistakenly bills those who were called.

At a time when management consultants and corporate executives are stressing that the quality of service provided to consumers could be crucial to business success in the 1990s, the experience of the recently concluded holiday season suggests that the chasm between rhetoric and reality may be wider than ever.

Indeed, there are disheartening signs that the level of service offered to customers of firms large and small is deteriorating even as the nation's economy becomes increasingly oriented toward service rather than manufacturing functions. Some recent examples:

Lands' End of Dodgeville, Wis., long a leader in the direct marketing industry, suffered financially throughout much of 1990 because of stale catalog offerings. In early autumn, however, it expanded its line of merchandise — and found itself unable to meet customer demand for the new products in the year's closing months.

The firm realized too late that many holiday orders were hopelessly snarled inside a new computer that cost \$15 million and required 200 years to install. Nevertheless, on the day before Christmas, Williams optimistically assumed that only "a couple of thousand orders" were affected.

Two days after Christmas, however, Williams estimated that the number of holiday gifts still not delivered was

## Pentagon mum on body bags, coffins

By JACK ANDERSON and DALE VAN ATTA

WASHINGTON — The Pentagon is eager to announce in grand numbers just how many tanks and troops and airplanes it has arrayed in all their terrible might against Iraq. The Pentagon will speak in less-specific, less grand terms about how many U.S. soldiers could die if war breaks out in the Persian Gulf.

But what the Pentagon won't say is how many body bags and coffins it has stockpiled in Saudi Arabia to handle those casualties. That information is "classified."

The truth is that U.S. strategists don't want to endanger the already shaky patriotic spirit of Americans gearing up for war. While the Pentagon will talk about the clean and shiny implements of war that will assure a victory, it has repeatedly hedged on releasing information that would bring the human cost of that victory front and center in American minds.

"That kind of information" doesn't need to be splashed around in print during the holidays, one House Armed Services Committee staffer told us. "No one wants to hear it."

"No one wants you to hear it," would be more accurate.

A Pentagon spokesman told our reporter Paul Parkinson that logistical information about body bags, coffins and other preparations to handle the dead is "classified." He explained that by releasing the numbers, the Pentagon would "give the enemies an advantage."

Documents we have obtained show that one Marine mortuary unit and two Army Reserve mortuary units have been deployed to Saudi Arabia, but the specific number of people in those units, and the number of casualties they can handle is "classified."

The men and women of those units would clean, dress and prepare the bodies of dead soldiers for return to the United States.

Other advance work for the dead has included the installation of several large refrigeration units to preserve bodies in the heat of the Saudi Desert until they can be flown home.

One Pentagon source went so far as to tell us that there is a world-wide stockpile of 63,000 body bags in the Pentagon and that they are "not marked for use in Operation Desert Shield or how many have already been shipped there."

He also said that the Pentagon has a stockpile of 4,000 metal caskets that can be used and reused for ferrying bodies home, but would not say how many are already on the scene in Saudi Arabia.

When outspoken Air Force Chief of Staff Gen. Michael Dugan was fired for having loose lips, one of his more candid comments was this: "The American people will support this operation until body bags come home."

Apparently the Pentagon and the White House now fear that the American people's support would wane if they knew how many empty body bags had been sent home.

It was expected in November that President Bush had been sobered by the top-secret casualty estimates the Pentagon gave. Those figures say that as many as 100,000 Americans could die in the first week of a war with Iraq, and as many as 300,000 could be dead if the war lasted 20 days.

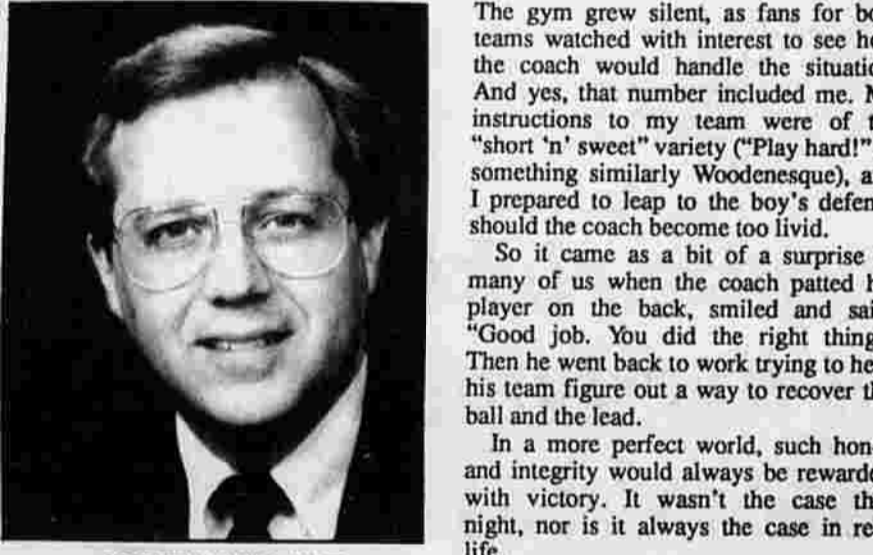
Iraq's Saddam Hussein has rightly figured that America has no stomach for that many deaths in a war to reclaim Kuwait and its oil. He is counting on America's soft-heartedness as part of his own battle strategy. For his part, Saddam is not hampered by similar sentiments. His own casualty estimates tell him to expect 10 Iraqi deaths for every one American soldier who dies.

**Military-industrial complexities**

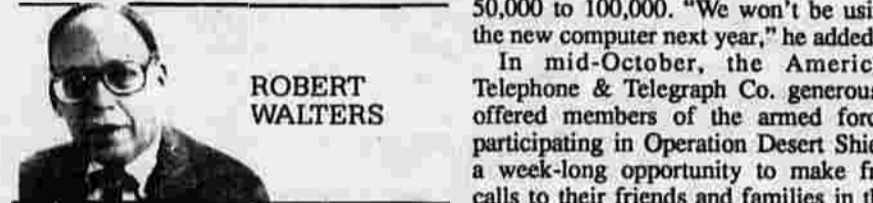
The Central Intelligence Agency estimates that 60 percent of all machinery produced in the Soviet Union is defense related. That means that there is more than one superpower with a military-industrial complex struggling to stay alive. American defense plants will lose billions of dollars if Congress terminates the Soviet Union as no longer a threat. So the Pentagon issues dire warnings that the Soviets still have a terrible arsenal and that the arms race is not over. Meanwhile, on the other side of the world, Soviet Defense Minister Dimitri Yazov is saying the same thing about America.

**Mini-editorial**

Some words of wisdom about American presidential campaigning were uttered recently by someone you should know. Michael Dukakis, using statistics from a Harvard University study, noted that each candidate can expect 9.8 seconds on the nightly news each day. Dukakis said, "If this thing is reduced to which one of the two candidates can say something that is the clearest, we're done, then we've got a problem." We do indeed.



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# MS&G

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would also be bound by the non-competition clause for two years from the date of the sale agreement. Thornton told the court that the clause has been described to the prospective buyer but the buyer was not concerned about the limitation.

The agreement also includes a clause that MS&G and its affiliate, Monson Sand & Gravel, provide Roncari with 10,000 tons of sand for the concrete plant in each of the next five years.

During the course of the agreement Roncari will buy the sand at 90 percent of the list price, which is currently \$5.50 per ton. Both sides may agree to cancel the sand contract with 12 months notice.

Thornton described the sand contract as a mutual agreement where Roncari needed the sand for the concrete business and MS&G wanted a "foot in the door" at Roncari. However, Roncari was "insistent" about the non-competition agreement, Thornton said.

MS&G and Monson Sand and Gravel each produce about 85,000 tons of sand a year. Thornton said the deal would bring in an extra \$50,000 a year for his company.

There is also a section in the contract that states that if MS&G is unable to supply the entire 10,000 tons of sand in any year and Roncari has to purchase the sand from another company, MS&G must pay Roncari any difference in price.

MS&G has been attempting to downsize its operations since filing for bankruptcy. The company at first attempted to find a single buyer for all its satellite concrete operations. But when several "near deals" fell

through, MS&G began to market the plants individually. The company suspended its ready-mix concrete operations in 1989. However it will remain in the sand and gravel business.

The Enfield plant is being sold for \$100,000 and its 8.75 acre site, off Shaker Road, is being sold for \$450,000. The five cement mixers are being sold for a total of \$250,000.

Judge Krechevsky did deny a motion that would have allowed MS&G to sell off excess assets, such as old trucks and other equipment, worth less than \$15,000. Bankruptcy laws normally require court approval prior to the sale of any assets of an insolvent company.

But the motion by Attorney Barry Feigenbaum argued that the court had the discretionary power to grant the request. However the judge said that specific rules in the bankruptcy code forbade him from granting such a motion.

"Unless you have a court decision you can show me, I won't enter your motion," Krechevsky said. The judge gave Feigenbaum until Jan. 10 to show a similar precedent.

MS&G owes its creditors about \$18.4 million, while its assets total only \$17.6 million, MS&G's primary creditor is the Bank of New England, the parent company of the Connecticut Bank & Trust Co.

Other major creditors include: Glass Falls Cement Co. Inc. of New York, \$1 million; Blue Circle Atlantic Inc. of Atlanta, \$950,000; Ticon Concrete Inc. of North Branford, \$430,000; The Balf Co. of Newington, \$330,000 and Desario Sand & Gravel Corp. of Storm, \$290,000.

# FOI

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not bound by the 1983 law detailing the responsibilities of such committees.

O'Neill cited FOIC Executive Director Mitchell Pearlman's own testimony on the law in his testimony that "the problem we were facing and trying to address in the bill is for standing committees."

O'Neill's decision states that it quotes Pearlman's testimony "to show the agency's own interpretation of the statute at its very start."

O'Neill said Pearlman's testimony further interpreted the law as relating to subcommittees made of members of an agency. The elections committee consisted of only one member of the Eighth District Board of Directors and three citizens from the district.

Pearlman said today that he will recommend the commission appeal the decision at its next meeting, Wednesday, Jan. 9.

The appeal stems from an April 1989 FOI complaint, by Eighth District resident Perry Dodson, against the elections committee, which considered changes in the way the district voters elect their officials.

In his original complaint, Dodson charged that during the committee's meetings from Sept. 7, 1988 to Nov. 14, 1988 no formal minutes were kept. When he requested minutes from the meetings he was given an informal account of the meetings compiled from the notes kept by District Director Elliot Burns Landers, who was committee chairman.

But Dodson found the notes to be inadequate, and asked the FOIC to order the committee to supply him with full minutes of the meetings.

FOIC Hearing Officer Gloria Schaffer heard Dodson's complaint and ruled in his favor on Oct. 25, 1989. Schaffer ordered the committee to reconstruct its minutes for the meetings in question and to follow the rules regarding the keeping of minutes in the future.

The Eighth District directors voted to appeal the decision in November 1989 and the appeal was

filed in early December.

In its appeal, the district said that the committee acted solely as an administrative staff fulfilling the function that agency employees routinely perform which was "never intended to be subject to freedom of information meeting and record keeping requirements."

Attorney John D. LaBelle, the district's legal counsel, argued that the work done by the volunteer members of the election committee would have been done in a larger government by full-time paid administrators who would not be subject to the provisions of the Freedom of Information Law.

"We will have plenty of chicken, even in the desert, to eat and Pepsi to wash them down," said another official.

In Baghdad, a city of 4 million people, there are no visible shortages, except for the rationed items of rice, sugar, flour, cooking oil, beans, tea, milk powder and detergents.

Shop windows display a cornucopia of goods, which the Iraqis say are from their 19th province — Kuwait.

On sale on a recent day were green asparagus from New Zealand, luncheon meat from Holland, Swiss milk chocolate, green peas with carrots from Spain, mango pickles from India, caviar from Iran, and hot pepper sauce from the United States.

Nearly all the containers carry the markings of a Kuwaiti importer.

"We are managing," said an Iraqi father of three children. "So long as the government continues to give us subsidized food it is OK."

"If that stops, we do not know what to do," he said on condition of anonymity, like other Iraqis, who fear government reprisals.

An Iraqi adult's monthly allotment of rationed goods is 2 ounces of tea, 26 ounces of sugar, about 3 pounds of rice, about a half pound of beans and 11 pounds of wheat.

"It is not enough, so we are trying to eat less," said the Iraqi father.

"We love bread made of flour, but now the government is giving us bread made of half barley and half flour," he said. "It tastes bad, but what can we do?"

# Sanctions

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U.S. presidential spokesman Martin Fitzwater said Thursday that the United States had concluded sanctions alone would not force Saddam to withdraw from Kuwait.

"We don't have months and days and years. We have a United Nations deadline that represents the thinking of the entire world that enough is enough. Time's up," Fitzwater said.

The U.N. Security Council authorized the use of force against Iraq if it does not leave Kuwait by Jan. 15.

CIA director William Webster said Wednesday that Iraqi industry had been hard-hit, with more than 90 percent of imports and 97 percent of exports shut off.

But in congressional testimony he said there was no guarantee that economic hardship would lead to internal unrest or compel Saddam to change his policies.

During a 280-mile journey from Baghdad to the village of Judyayidat Ar'ar on the Saudi border, none of a dozen factories along the way appeared to be in operation.

Stray dogs and camels roamed outside locked cement, fertilizer and fertilizer factory gates.

"They are all closed now, there is no raw material to run them," said an Iraqi official.

But some food mainstays are still available at roadside desert stands.

"We still have plenty of chicken, even in the desert, to eat and Pepsi to wash them down," said another official.

In Baghdad, a city of 4 million people, there are no visible shortages, except for the rationed items of rice, sugar, flour, cooking oil, beans, tea, milk powder and detergents.

Shop windows display a cornucopia of goods, which the Iraqis say are from their 19th province — Kuwait.

On sale on a recent day were green asparagus from New Zealand, luncheon meat from Holland, Swiss milk chocolate, green peas with carrots from Spain, mango pickles from India, caviar from Iran, and hot pepper sauce from the United States.

Nearly all the containers carry the markings of a Kuwaiti importer.

"We are managing," said an Iraqi father of three children. "So long as the government continues to give us subsidized food it is OK."

"If that stops, we do not know what to do," he said on condition of anonymity, like other Iraqis, who fear government reprisals.

An Iraqi adult's monthly allotment of rationed goods is 2 ounces of tea, 26 ounces of sugar, about 3 pounds of rice, about a half pound of beans and 11 pounds of wheat.

"It is not enough, so we are trying to eat less," said the Iraqi father.

"We love bread made of flour, but now the government is giving us bread made of half barley and half flour," he said. "It tastes bad, but what can we do?"

# Jobless

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slumping for months.

Factory payrolls fell by 33,000, the government said, bringing manufacturing job losses since December 1989 to nearly 600,000.

Within the manufacturing sector, employment in motor vehicles and equipment was up by 20,000 in December, reflecting the return of some auto workers from temporary layoffs. However, automobile employment was still about 55,000 lower than it was in mid-1990.

Construction suffered again, too, losing 28,000 jobs in December to reflect a continued deterioration in the housing market. Since last spring, that industry has seen jobs tumble by close to 300,000.

The service-producing sector, which also has been hit by the slumping economy in recent months, lost 21,000 jobs. That was in large part because retail trade lost

50,000 jobs in December, after seasonal adjustments, with half of the decline in general merchandise stores.

The Labor Department blamed the big hit on retail trade on employers' decisions not to hire as much staff as usual for the Christmas shopping season. Over the past three months, employment in retail trade has fallen 150,000.

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When Brophy Abern converted the mills into apartments a few years ago, the Cheney Commission recommended that the apartment building be mixed with retail stores.

But with a 9-1 vote to approve the change Thursday, the commission yielded to failure of such a plan.

Vivian Ferguson, who was elected commission chairman at the meeting, said she never thought the stores would prosper due to their location.

Edward Kloehn, a veteran member of the commission, was the only one to vote against the plan, saying he thought more time was needed to make a decision, especially with the number of new members.

The commission and Brophy Abern should have done more to find out why businesses didn't fare well in the mill. Kloehn said after the meeting.

The commission also elected veteran members Beverly Malone as vice chairman and Alex Urbanetti as secretary.

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## Well drilling request worries Town Manager

By RICK SANTOS  
Manchester Herald

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# Debate strong in Bolton schools hearing

By DAVID LAMMEY  
Manchester Herald

BOLTON — At the first of two public hearings on proposed school building projects, Superintendent of Schools Richard Packman and members of the Board of Education stressed the urgent need for passage of the Jan. 28 referendum.

"We have a window of opportunity until June 30," Packman said Thursday night, indicating that almost 60 percent of the cost of the \$10.75 million K-12 project will be reimbursed by the state if the project is filed by June 30.

"But if the project is not approved until after that time," the reimbursement rate will drop," Packman said.

potentially causing the town to lose millions of dollars in state aid.

"Bolton will never see a 59.52 percent reimbursement again," warned James Marshall, chairman of the board. However, several in the audience of approximately 40 town residents disputed the feasibility of the K-12 building plan, and others doubted the projected enrollment figures presented by the Board.

Charles Holland, chairman of The Neglected Taxpayers, wondered if it would make more financial sense if the Center School was renovated instead of being abandoned.

The present K-12 project plans include making additions and renovations to the K-4 school, and vacating the Center School in favor of the resulting K-8 facility. Board members explained that in an April 1989 study,

they had investigated two different building schemes. The first scheme involved renovating the Center School, among other additions and renovations.

The second scheme is the present one, and was deemed the better of the two for financial as well as practical reasons.

But one townsperson said he found it "hard to believe" that renovating the Center School would cost more than the present plan.

Anwar Hossain, project architect, defended the estimate, saying that the state provides funds only for "new construction or code violation corrections," and the present plan would be reimbursed at a higher rate than the plan to renovate the Center School. That, among other factors, made the present plan the more affordable one.

Besides, pointed out Board member Sally Lessard, merely renovating the Center School would in effect eliminate six classrooms, while the present plan is adding six. The difference between the two plans, she added, was 12 classrooms.

Another townspeople doubted the accuracy of the board's enrollment projections, claiming that "forecasting beyond five years is pie in the sky."

Board member Barry Stearns replied that the board made four studies of projected enrollment, and according to their figures, the K-12 student population by the year 2010 will be 1000, 300 of whom will be high school students (grades 9-12).

It was those projections, in addition to the code violations, that initiated the project studies, according to board members.

# Kennel lease deal delayed by council

By JACQUELINE BENNETT  
Manchester Herald

COVENTRY — The Town Council voted Thursday to delay signing a lease with Camelot Kennels for six months after holding a public hearing at which residents opposed leasing the facility.

The council vote was 5-0, during the meeting at the Town Office Building with a stipulation that a citizen committee be formed to find short- and long-term solutions to the local dog pound problem and to preserve the health and safety of the dogs.

Council members Peter Halverson and Stephen Clarke were absent. "At budget time it really has come down to 'dogs or teachers, a fire truck or a dog pound,'" there is a sentiment out there that a dog pound is not considered a high priority issue," said council member Frederick Johnson.

As a result he said the town faces a crisis situation with the state breathing down its neck due to the poor condition of the current pound located in the rear section of the town landfill on Route 31 in South Coventry. Water there is contaminated and the building is in disrepair, not up to state standards.

Johnson said a new pound has been in the town's long-range capital improvement plan for over five years, but each year has been cut as the budget faced the axe. The estimated cost is \$75,000.

Residents of Swamp Road however were not convinced that the solution should be the temporary relocation of the pound to Camelot Kennels, 394 Swamp Road, owned by Richard Sypek.

"The issue is fairness and responsibility. It is not fair to have a dog pound in any residential neighborhood because of the noise, odor, threat of animals, and loss and [impact of] devaluing of the property. No matter how much revenue it brings in, it's not fair," said Robert Pruitt of Frog Road.

"Everybody has the same fear,



Reynold Photo/Manchester Herald

**PLAYING WITH DAD —** Five-year-old John Logan throws a stone onto the ice at Sautler's Pond Thursday as his brother, Ethan, 3, debates tossing a piece of wood. The boys were

with their father, Josh, who said the family recently moved to Manchester.

# Calve

Not every one of Calve's memorable experiences is so scary. One incident, which is often the source of great humor, involves Calve and Lt. Oreville Cleveland. The two went out to look for a man suspected of stealing a car. They spotted him on Bissell Street, chased him over a fence, and into someone's back yard.

"We followed him through the back door, through the kitchen, through the living room — where a family of three watched TV, and out the front door," Calve said. "That night we never got a call asking what was going on." He jokingly theorizes the family was watching a police show and were so engrossed with the program that they thought the action in their living room was merely part of the show.

"We still joke about it," Calve said, referring to himself and Cleveland, who landed into the office several times during the interview to deliver bits of friendly harassment to his soon-to-be former colleague.

"Such bantering is well-received by Calve, who acknowledges he often is responsible for creating a comical atmosphere.

"An office can become very mundane, and I like to inject a little bit of fun," he said. "I just do things my way. I get the job done, and I have a little fun doing it."

However, he observed that during his career a police officer's job has become less fun as it has become more bureaucratized.

"Back when I came on, we used to tell the bad guy that he's got to get out of town by sunset," he said. "I'm joking, but the methods allowed went back to the cowboy era."

But today, officers are bogged down by the extensive training and strict guidelines when they do go out on the beat, said Calve, who holds an associate's degree in law enforcement from Manchester Community College.

Uplifting laws — rather than flexible guidelines — too often determine an officer's actions in a given situation, such as when to make an arrest following a domestic dispute.

"Why don't they just hire robots," he asked. "But we're not robots, and the people we deal with are not robots. You can't treat people like robots. You need the human element."

Calve continued: "I hope I have enough common sense to sway a little. I like to work with people, and I don't talk to them but listen to them and then talk if there's something to say."

Very soon, he will have the opportunity to use his communicative skills — plus his detective skills — as an insurance investigator for the Penobscot Agency. The firm, which is contracted by insurance com-

pany to investigate claims, is based in Bangor, Maine.

However, Calve, who lives in Coventry, said he will not be making the short commute from there to Scarborough to go to work each day. Instead, he will be working and living in Cambridge.

"I can't stand the cold winters here," Calve stated as one reason why he is leaving the force. "I want to go somewhere where the weather's warm, and I'll feel better."

The balmy temperatures in the sunshine state will help alleviate some of the arthritic pain he feels as a result of a job-related injury.

In December 1986, he severely strained his back after misjudging lead he made into a building on Hartford Road. He made the leap after discovering a suspicious open window in the building, which at the time had been occupied by Gunver Manufacturing Co.

Although he attempted to ignore the injury at first, a superior asked him to have it checked out that night.

"I'm lucky for that," he said, noting that the injury was quite serious and in the years since he has developed severe arthritis along with other back problems.

Besides his medical condition, Calve justified his retirement from police work by saying, "I think also that I realize that it's time to move on and let somebody younger take over for me. At age 50, even a police officer in top physical shape isn't 18."

Capt. Brooks — who joined the force at the same time as Calve — said that although Calve's friends here will be saddened by his leaving, they should be happy that he is leaving the job with his life, a goal for all police officers.

"On the downside, we're going to lose a unique personality," Brooks said. "He's not irreplaceable. Certainly there's someone who can do his job, but no one's ever going to be like him."

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# RECORD

## About Town

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### Alliance for Mentally III

The Alliance for the Mentally III of Manchester will meet on Jan. 7 at Genesis Center, 105 Main St., at 7 p.m. For more information, call Edna Jacobs at 643-6697.

### Manchester retirees meet

The Manchester Municipal Retirees Association will meet Tuesday at 7 p.m. at First Federal Savings Bank, Manchester, Mary Casey and her committee are in charge of refreshments.

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## Current Quotes

"The campus should be a place of discipline. You're not going to have much discipline if people are rip-near-drunk on weekends." — Bob Hochstein, spokesman for The Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching, about drinking on college campuses.

"We have taxed our economy the way old-time doctors tried their patients, and with similar results." — Massachusetts Gov. William Weld in his inaugural address.

"The secretary has tried... to coerce us and threaten us and do everything else possible to force us to give away an asset. And people don't give away assets worth \$100 million." — MCA Inc. President Sidney Sheinberg, responding to U.S. Interior Secretary Manuel Lujan's proposal that MCA's Japanese buyer turn over the concessions in Yosemite National Park to the government.

## College Notes

### Student listed in Who's Who

Edward Scheinblum, son of Marilyn and Paul Scheinblum, 56 Strawberry Lane, Manchester, has been selected to be listed in the 1990-91 edition of Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges.

Scheinblum is a junior at Franklin Pierce College, Ringe, N.H.

## Births

SCHMIDT, Jocelyn Marie, daughter of Jeffrey K. and Janet Richter Schmidt of Cheever, was born Sept. 26, 1990, in Hartford Hospital. Her maternal grandparents are E. Kristine Richter and James H. Richter of Scotland, Ariz. Her paternal grandmother is Eida Schmidt of 97 Delmont St., Manchester.

## Correction

America's Funniest People will conduct a local search for comedians today until 6 p.m. at Center Court in the Pavilions at Buckland Hills Mall, Manchester. The search will continue Saturday from noon until 7 p.m. at Meriden Square Mall in Meriden. Incorrect information supplied to the Herald and published in earlier editions said Saturday's search also would be held in Manchester.

## Lottery

Here are the latest lottery results from around New England:

<b>HARTFORD</b> Cinema City — The Raffle House (R) Fri 7.10, 9.45; Sat and Sun 120, 9.45, 7.10, 9.45. — Vermont & New (PG) Fri 9.45; Sat and Sun 1, 242, 7.45. — The Racers Down Under (D) Sat and Sun 115, 3.00. — To Sneeze With Wings (R) Fri 7.20, 9.50. — Crystal Via (R) Fri 7.15, 9.50; Sat and Sun 128, 4.15, 7.15, 9.50.
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<b>Northern New England</b> Daily: 6,6,8. Pick: 4,7,5,1,6.
<b>Rhode Island</b> Daily: 0,4,6,0. Lot-O-Bucks: 1,2,14,12,3.

## Weather

**REGIONAL Weather**  
Saturday, Jan. 5  
Aloft weather forecast for daytime conditions and high temperatures:



## Deaths

### Evans receives service medal

Staff Sgt. Steven C. Evans, son of James B. and Mildred Evans of 140 Stillfield Road, Manchester, has been decorated with the Air Force Commendation medal.

He is a communications-computer systems programming specialist at Langley Air Force Base, Va. The medal is awarded to those individuals who demonstrate outstanding achievement or meritorious service in the performance of their duties on behalf of the Air Force.

Evans is married to the former Carol Ball of Calaway, Fla. He is a 1979 graduate of East Catholic High School.

## Death Notices

### Anna W. Rosenbeck

Anna W. Rosenbeck age 89 of 52 Smith St. died Wednesday, Jan. 2, 1991 at Torrington Extend A Care. She was the widow of the late Fire Captain Walter F. Rosenbeck who died in 1976. Mrs. Rosenbeck was born April 5, 1901 in Torrington, daughter of the late Jacob and Anna (Stupp) Winzler and was a resident here all her life. She was a communicant of St. Paul's Lutheran Church. She is survived by a daughter, Audrey Pastorello of Torrington; two sons, Paul F. Rosenbeck of Litchfield and Robert A. Rosenbeck of Hartwinton, a sister, Dorothy Winzler of Manchester, 7 grandchildren, 3 great grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews. The funeral will be held Saturday, January 5, 1991 at 9:30 A.M. at St. Paul's Lutheran Church. Burial will be in Hillsdale Cemetery. Friends may call at the Gleason Mortuary Friday evening, January 4, from 7 to 9 P.M. Memorial contributions may be made to the Scholarship Fund at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Charles St., Torrington, CT 06790.

### Helen (Thompson) Elliott

Helen (Thompson) Elliott, 92 formerly of Manchester, died Dec. 22, 1990 in Masonic Home and Hospital, Wallingford. She was the widow of J. Elmer Elliott. She was born in Rockville, July 11, 1889, daughter of the late George and Edna Thompson, and lived most of her married life in Manchester before moving to Wallingford. She was a member and Deacon Emerita of Center Congregational Church. She was chosen Burial's Women of the Year in 1964. She was a life member of the Women's Auxiliary of the Manchester Memorial Hospital and Manchester Women's Club. Active in the Red Cross during both World Wars and chaired the Reed Mobile Canteen in Manchester for over 35 years. Also a Past Mother Advisor to Manchester Assembly of Rainbow for Girls and a member of Grand Cross of Color of CT Rainbows. She is survived by two daughters, Janet Temple of Sterling, MA and Beatrice E. Dunas of Rockville, and a son, James E. Elliott, Jr. of Deep River, seven grandchildren and eight great grandchildren. Burial will be private and a memorial service will be held at a later date. Memorial contributions may be made in her memory to Center Congregational Church, 111 Center St., P.O. Box 847, Manchester, CT 06040, of the OES Endowment, c/o Grand Chapter of CT, 301 Main St., Clinton, CT 06031, or the Masonic Charity Foundation of CT, P.O. Box 10, Wallingford, CT 06492. Holmes Funeral Home, 400 Main St., Manchester, CT is in charge of arrangements.

### John T. Donahue

John T. "Jack" Donahue, 73, of 305 Porter St., Manchester, died Thursday (Jan. 3), at Manchester Memorial Hospital. He was the husband of Barbara Calhoun Donahue, born in Windsor Locks, he had lived in Manchester for over 60 years, and had been employed at United Technologies for 40 years, having retired as the supervisor of over-haul and repair. He was a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II, a member of the Knights of Columbus, Manchester, and was formerly active in many of the area square dance clubs and bowling leagues. Besides his wife, he is survived by two daughters and sons-in-law, Leslie and Robert Letendre of Wallingford, Kerry and Bryan Murphy of Fairfield; a brother, George Donahue of South Windsor; three sisters who are the widow of the late Eugene Drango of Coventry, and Jean Krause, California; four grandchildren, Michael, Mark, Cheryl Yavinsky, and Elizabeth Yavinsky; brother, Joseph Donahue; and a sister, Grace McDermott. Funeral service will be Saturday, 8:15 a.m., from the John F. Tierney Funeral Home, 219 W. Center St., Manchester, followed by a mass, 9 a.m., at St. James Church. Burial will be in St. James Cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home today, 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Assn.

## Obituaries

### Irving Johnson

HADLEY, Mass. (AP) — Irving M. Johnson, who sailed around the world seven times in his schooner-ermine Yankee and wrote and lectured about the experiences, died Wednesday of Parkinson's disease. He was 85.

Johnson joined the Merchant Marine and made his first voyage around Cape Horn on a square-rigger bound from Germany for Chile in 1929.

During World War II, he was a Navy commander aboard a survey ship that mapped approaches to South Pacific islands. He also supervised diving expeditions to retrieve enemy codes and charts from sunken Japanese ships.

His 18-month-long trips around the world were made with amateur crews between 1933 and 1958. He filmed the voyages and collaborated with his wife, Elsie, on eight books and 13 articles for National Geographic.

The magazine produced two television films of the trips out of Gloucester, and in collaboration with the Mystic Seaport in Connecticut, a film of Johnson's life.

Rev. Kyle McGraw, South United Methodist Church, Manchester.

## Police Roundup

### Woman rescued

A Manchester police officer rescued a woman this morning from her apartment after she was overcome by smoke from a fire in the basement of her West Center Street home.

When Officer Edwin Ciolekoff arrived at the 5:30 a.m. fire and kicked in the door to the second floor apartment at 142-144 W. Center St., he found 35-year-old Cindy Perez lying semi-conscious on the floor. Perez had been overcome by thick smoke from the fire and was confused.

Ciolekoff carried Perez outside the building and placed her in his cruiser. Perez reportedly refused any medical treatment.

Police say the fire started in the basement of the building near the furnace and caused only minor structural damage though there was heavy smoke.

## Today In History

Today is Friday, Jan. 4, the fourth day of 1991. There are 361 days left in the year.

**Today's Birthdays:**  
Actor Sterling Holloway is 86. Actress Jane Wyman is 77. Former CIA director William E. Colby is 71. Actor Sorrell Boyce is 61. Miami Dolphins football coach Don Shula is 61. Former heavyweight boxing champion Floyd Patterson is 56. Actress Dyan Cannon is 54. Opera singer Grace Bumbry is 54. Maureen Reagan is 50.

**Today's Highlight in History:**  
On Jan. 4, 1855, Dr. William W. Grant of Davenport, Iowa, performed what's believed to have been the first appendectomy. The patient was 22-year-old Mary Gurnea.

**On this date:**  
In 1809, Louis Braille, inventor of a reading system for the blind, was born in Coupvray, France.

In 1821, the first native-born American saint, Elizabeth Ann Seton, died in Emmitsburg, Md.

In 1896, Utah was admitted as the 45th state.

In 1948, Britain granted independence to Burma.

In 1951, during the Korean conflict, North Korean and Communist Chinese forces captured the city of Seoul.

In 1960, French author Albert Camus died in an automobile accident at the age of 46.

In 1965, poet T.S. Eliot died in London at the age of 70.

In 1965, President Lyndon B. Johnson outlined the goals of his "Great Society" in his State of the Union Address.

In 1987, 16 people were killed when an Amtrak train bound from Washington to Boston collided with Conrail engines approaching from a side track in Chase, Md.

In 1989, two U.S. Navy F-14 fighters shot down a pair of Libyan MiG-23 fighters in a clash over international waters off the Libyan coast.

The government of Iran said it was studying the latest U.S. proposals for resolving the hostage crisis.

Five years ago:  
Sen. Gary Hart, D-Colo., announced he was not running for re-election, and strongly hinted at a possible run for president in 1988.

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Stumped? Get answers to clues by calling "Dial-A-Word" at 1-900-444-3535 and entering access code number 1084...

CELEBRITY CIPHER Celebrity Cipher consists of five categories of people, past and present. Each letter in the cipher stands for another letter. Today's cipher depends on...

THE PHANTOM by Lee Falk & Sy Barry... GOING TO BLOW UP THE VILLAGE WITH OUR OWN MEN IN IT, YOU ARE AN ANIMAL!

HAGAN THE HORRIBLE by Dick Brown... HERE, SHERT! HOW LONG HAS IT BEEN SINCE HE WAS FED?!

ALLEY OOP by Dave Gross... WHERE'D THAT FROM, ANNYWAY? HE'S THE SAME HORRIBLE THAT LEFT US TALKING!

ROBOTMAN by Jim Meddick... DOCTOR, I DREAMT THAT YOU WERE ARRESTED ON 4 COUNTS OF FAULSIFIED DATA AND FURNING FEAR!

THE NEW BREED

When Jimmy finally cleaned his room he found a skeleton, three baseballs and Amelia Earhart.

SPIDER-MAN by Stan Lee... IT'S HARD TO TELL IN THE DARK, BUT I'M SURE I SAW SOMEONE UP ON THAT ROOF!

JUMBLE THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME... UNSCRAMBLE THESE FOUR JUMBLE words to form one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

THE BORN LOSER by Art Smeaton... EATON CATCHING THE FISH!

THE GRIZWELLS by Bill Schorr... HE ATE HIS HAT... HE ATE HIS WORDS...

FRANK AND ERNEST by Bob Thaves... NO TWO ALIKE? EH? WELL, AT LEAST WE KNOW WE'VE GOT JOB SECURITY!

PHIPPS by Joseph Parris... DOCTOR, I DREAMT THAT YOU WERE ARRESTED ON 4 COUNTS OF FAULSIFIED DATA AND FURNING FEAR!

BLONDIE by Dean Young & Stan Drake... WOW! LOOK! THERE MUST BE THREE HERE ON THE GROUND!

ARLO AND JANIS by Jimmy Johnson... MY REPORT ON DENMARK... DENMARK IS A REALLY NEAT COUNTRY!

WINTHROP by Dick Cavell... I GOTTA GO... WHY? IT'S SO EARLY... I KNOW... BUT I'M THE ONLY ONE HERE!

ERNE by Bud Gross... FROM TODAY ON, ARLO IS MY OFFICIAL TASTER! I'M SURE HE'LL KNOW NOT TO EAT IT!

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WOMEN'S VIETNAM MEMORIAL—Sculptor Eileen Rose Barry of East Islip, Long Island, poses with her winning design of a statue of a woman to be built alongside the Vietnam Memorial in Washington D.C. She will refine her proposal and submit it for final judging.



# MANCHESTER PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT PROGRAM SCHEDULE



## WINTER/SPRING 1991

The Manchester Parks and Recreation Department announces its Winter/Spring 1991 Program Schedule. For specific registration information please check the sections listed.

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OFFICE LOCATION:	Center Springs Park 39 Lodge Drive Manchester, CT 06040
<b>HOURS:</b>	Monday to Friday 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. (Please call the Mahoney Recreation Center after work hours for information.)
<b>Phone Numbers</b>	
Main Office	647-3084/3085
Leisure Programs	647-3089
Mahoney Recreation Center	647-3168 (after 6 p.m.)
Community Y	647-3164 (after 8 p.m.)
East Side Recreation Center	647-3163 (after 6 p.m.)
Nike Tykes Preschool	647-3179 (during operation hours)
Parks Department	647-3222
Cancellation Phone	647-3083
<b>Staff</b>	
Carl Silver	Director of Parks and Recreation
George Murphy	Supervisor of Parks
Laura Dunfield	Recreation Supervisor
Scott Garman	Recreation Supervisor
Cathy Hopperstad	Recreation Supervisor
Eliabeth Mielczak	Recreation Supervisor
Janice O'Neill	Assistant Recreation Supervisor
Lisa Gagnon	Secretary
Anita Milewski	Clerk
Paul Mounoz	Preschool Director

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**General Policies**  
1. All participants must possess a current Recreation Membership Card in order to participate in program offerings or to use Town recreational facilities unless it is stated otherwise. Manchester Senior Citizens who possess a Gold Card or proof of age are exempt.  
2. Non-residents are welcome to participate in leisure programs and adult organized sports, however, a Non-Resident Recreation Membership Card is required.  
3. Recreation Card Memberships are not required for trips or special events.

**Recreation Membership Cards**  
**MANCHESTER RESIDENTS:** Proof of residency is required and card is valid for one year from date of issue. Entries bearing to the use of all recreational facilities and to participate in Parks and Recreation Department activities.  
Youth (17 yrs and younger) \$4  
Adult (18 yrs and older) \$12

**NON-RESIDENTS:** Entitles the bearer to participate in leisure programs and adult organized sports only.  
Youth (17 yrs and younger) \$86/month \$12/year  
Adult (18 yrs and older) \$246/month \$36/year

The Manchester Parks and Recreation Department reserves the right to revoke membership privileges of persons in violation of Department rules and policies.

**Refund Policy**  
Refunds will be issued for programs cancelled by the Parks and Recreation Department only. Exceptions will be made in emergency situations upon departmental approval.

**Aquatics**  
**EAST SIDE RECREATION CENTER (ESR) 22 SCHOOL STREET**  
**MANCHESTER HIGH SCHOOL (MHS) BROCKFIELD STREET ENTRANCE**  
**POOL REGULATIONS AND POLICIES:** Use of pools is restricted to Manchester residents. Recreation Cards are required of all swimmers and are available at both pools. Children under 52" tall must be accompanied by an adult unless they can swim proficiently both on their back and front.

**RECREATIONAL SWIMS**  
Open Swims: M, T, W, F 7:30-8:30 p.m. ESR; M, W 8:30-9:30 p.m. F 8:30-9:30 p.m. Sat 10 a.m. noon. Adult Swims: M-F 6:15-7:30 p.m. M, T, W, F 8:30-9:30 p.m. ESR; M, W, F 9:30-10 p.m. T, Th, F 9:30-10 p.m. Sat, noon-2 p.m.

**LEARN TO SWIM PROGRAM**  
Registration and Class Dates: Registration will be held at East Side Recreation Center from 8-9:30 p.m., Mon-Fri, on the following dates: Dec. 17-Dec. 21 for classes held Jan. 7-Feb. 7, and Feb. 11 for classes held Feb. 18-March 21. Fee is \$4 per 10 lesson session. Class schedule (ESR): BEG. 2 Mon/Wed, 6:30-7:30 p.m. BEG. B Tu/Thu, 6:30-7 p.m. BEG. A Mon/Wed, 7:30-9 p.m. ADV. BEG. Tu/Thu, 7-7:30 p.m. INTERMEDIATE Mon/Wed, 7:30-8 p.m. SWIMMERS Tu/Thu, 7:30-8 p.m. ADULT BEG. Tu/Thu, 8-8:30 p.m. PRESCHOOL CLASSES (I.O.H. POOL): Children who are under 52" tall and who are 3 yrs of age and older. Tu/Thu, 8-8:30 p.m. or 6:30-7 p.m.

**WATER SAFETY INSTRUCTORS**  
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Registration is now in progress for the Winter Session of Nike Tykes. Some classes may be filled at the time of publication. Registrations for the Spring Session will be held on the following days and times:  
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Tennis Two Thursday, March 21, 10 a.m. to 12 noon  
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Nike Tykes is located at 255 Garden Grove Road in Tarrytown, New York. Our qualified and caring staff are: Terry Mounoz, Recreation Director; Kelly Lolo, Sue Nolin, Sue Maurer, Linda Donn and Dine Sheehan Burns.  
If you require additional program information, please call the Department at 647-3089.

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DAYS: Tuesdays and Thursdays  
WHO: Infants ages 12 to 24 months with a parent or grandparent.  
DATE: Wednesday or Friday  
TIME: 10:15 a.m. to 11 a.m.  
DAYS: Wed. Jan. 30 to April 3  
(12 wk) Fri. Jan. 11 to April 26  
Spring: Wed. May 3 to June 7  
(6 wk) Fri. May 3 to June 7  
FEE: Winter \$29; Spring \$15  
LOCATION: Center Springs Park Lodge

**CLASS: WEE TWO**  
DESCRIPTION: You and your toddler will have fun learning new songs, rhymes and crafts, and share story time together while meeting new friends. A perfect way to introduce your toddler to our Nike Tykes program.  
DAYS: Mondays  
WHO: Preschoolers ages 2 to 2 years 6 months with parent or grandparent.  
DATE: Monday 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. or Thursday 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.  
DAYS: Winter: Mon. Jan. 7 to April 22  
Thurs. Jan. 10 to April 4  
Spring: Mon. April 29 to June 10  
Thurs. May 2 to June 6  
FEE: Winter \$39; Spring \$20

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DESCRIPTION: Your active two year old will enjoy learning songs, rhymes, and creative crafts while developing and enhancing their communication and socialization skills.  
DAYS: Mondays Wednesdays Thursdays  
TIME: 12:30 to 1:30 p.m.  
DAYS: Winter: Wed. 1/16, 1/23, 1/30, 2/6, 2/13, 2/20, 2/27, 3/6, 3/13, 3/20, 3/27, 4/3, 4/10, 4/17, 4/24, 5/1, 5/8, 5/15, 5/22, 5/29, 6/5, 6/12, 6/19, 6/26, 7/3, 7/10, 7/17, 7/24, 7/31, 8/7, 8/14, 8/21, 8/28, 9/4, 9/11, 9/18, 9/25, 10/2, 10/9, 10/16, 10/23, 10/30, 11/6, 11/13, 11/20, 11/27, 12/4, 12/11, 12/18, 12/25, 1/1, 1/8, 1/15, 1/22, 1/29, 2/5, 2/12, 2/19, 2/26, 3/5, 3/12, 3/19, 3/26, 4/2, 4/9, 4/16, 4/23, 4/30, 5/7, 5/14, 5/21, 5/28, 6/4, 6/11, 6/18, 6/25, 7/2, 7/9, 7/16, 7/23, 7/30, 8/6, 8/13, 8/20, 8/27, 9/3, 9/10, 9/17, 9/24, 10/1, 10/8, 10/15, 10/22, 10/29, 11/5, 11/12, 11/19, 11/26, 12/3, 12/10, 12/17, 12/24, 12/31, 1/7, 1/14, 1/21, 1/28, 2/4, 2/11, 2/18, 2/25, 3/4, 3/11, 3/18, 3/25, 3/31, 4/7, 4/14, 4/21, 4/28, 5/5, 5/12, 5/19, 5/26, 6/2, 6/9, 6/16, 6/23, 6/30, 7/7, 7/14, 7/21, 7/28, 8/4, 8/11, 8/18, 8/25, 8/31, 9/7, 9/14, 9/21, 9/28, 10/5, 10/12, 10/19, 10/26, 11/2, 11/9, 11/16, 11/23, 11/30, 12/6, 12/13, 12/20, 12/27, 1/3, 1/10, 1/17, 1/24, 1/31, 2/7, 2/14, 2/21, 2/28, 3/6, 3/13, 3/20, 3/27, 4/3, 4/10, 4/17, 4/24, 5/1, 5/8, 5/15, 5/22, 5/29, 6/5, 6/12, 6/19, 6/26, 7/3, 7/10, 7/17, 7/24, 7/31, 8/7, 8/14, 8/21, 8/28, 9/4, 9/11, 9/18, 9/25, 10/2, 10/9, 10/16, 10/23, 10/30, 11/6, 11/13, 11/20, 11/27, 12/4, 12/11, 12/18, 12/25, 1/1, 1/8, 1/15, 1/22, 1/29, 2/5, 2/12, 2/19, 2/26, 3/5, 3/12, 3/19, 3/26, 4/2, 4/9, 4/16, 4/23, 4/30, 5/7, 5/14, 5/21, 5/28, 6/4, 6/11, 6/18, 6/25, 7/2, 7/9, 7/16, 7/23, 7/30, 8/6, 8/13, 8/20, 8/27, 9/3, 9/10, 9/17, 9/24, 10/1, 10/8, 10/15, 10/22, 10/29, 11/5, 11/12, 11/19, 11/26, 12/3, 12/10, 12/17, 12/24, 12/31, 1/7, 1/14, 1/21, 1/28, 2/4, 2/11, 2/18, 2/25, 3/4, 3/11, 3/18, 3/25, 3/31, 4/7, 4/14, 4/21, 4/28, 5/5, 5/12, 5/19, 5/26, 6/2, 6/9, 6/16, 6/23, 6/30, 7/7, 7/14, 7/21, 7/28, 8/4, 8/11, 8/18, 8/25, 8/31, 9/7, 9/14, 9/21, 9/28, 10/5, 10/12, 10/19, 10/26, 11/2, 11/9, 11/16, 11/23, 11/30, 12/6, 12/13, 12/20, 12/27, 1/3, 1/10, 1/17, 1/24, 1/31, 2/7, 2/14, 2/21, 2/28, 3/6, 3/13, 3/20, 3/27, 4/3, 4/10, 4/17, 4/24, 5/1, 5/8, 5/15, 5/22, 5/29, 6/5, 6/12, 6/19, 6/26, 7/3, 7/10, 7/17, 7/24, 7/31, 8/7, 8/14, 8/21, 8/28, 9/4, 9/11, 9/18, 9/25, 10/2, 10/9, 10/16, 10/23, 10/30, 11/6, 11/13, 11/20, 11/27, 12/4, 12/11, 12/18, 12/25, 1/1, 1/8, 1/15, 1/22, 1/29, 2/5, 2/12, 2/19, 2/26, 3/5, 3/12, 3/19, 3/26, 4/2, 4/9, 4/16, 4/23, 4/30, 5/7, 5/14, 5/21, 5/28, 6/4, 6/11, 6/18, 6/25, 7/2, 7/9, 7/16, 7/23, 7/30, 8/6, 8/13, 8/20, 8/27, 9/3, 9/10, 9/17, 9/24, 10/1, 10/8, 10/15, 10/22, 10/29, 11/5, 11/12, 11/19, 11/26, 12/3, 12/10, 12/17, 12/24, 12/31, 1/7, 1/14, 1/21, 1/28, 2/4, 2/11, 2/18, 2/25, 3/4, 3/11, 3/18, 3/25, 3/31, 4/7, 4/14, 4/21, 4/28, 5/5, 5/12, 5/19, 5/26, 6/2, 6/9, 6/16, 6/23, 6/30, 7/7, 7/14, 7/21, 7/28, 8/4, 8/11, 8/18, 8/2



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High School Roundup

# Bolton five rolls to its second win

BOLTON — Racing to an 18-2 lead after one quarter, Bolton High "over looked back as it toppled Valley Regional, 74-67, Thursday night in non-conference boys' basketball action.

The victory improves the Bulldogs to 2-3 for the season while Valley is winless at 0-5. Bolton's next game is Saturday at 7:30 p.m. against Charter Oak Conference foe Bacon Academy in Colchester.

"We jumped out to a big first-quarter lead with fullcourt pressure and some nifty passing," Bolton coach Craig Phillips said.

Bolton's lead was 43-23 at the half and it maintained that margin after three periods at 57-37.

Brian Neill had a steady game for the Bulldogs and totaled 14 points, Paul Sauer had a strong defensive game and contributed seven points. David Holler led Bolton with 28 points with Chris Anderson in his best outing of the year, pouring in 15 markers.

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Bolton High Photo/Manchester Herald

## OUT IN FRONT

Manchester High's Jessica Marquez has the basketball as she drives to the basket in Wednesday's game against South Windsor at Clarke Arena. Among those watching the game were Bolton High's Brian Neill and Paul Sauer.

PHAM's next game is Monday against Bacon Academy in Colchester. East Lyme held a 22-13 halftime edge.

In Brief . . .

### Chapulis gets MVP award

MANCHESTER — Bill Chapulis of Newman Lincolnton-Mercury will receive the league's most valuable player award Saturday night as the Greater Hartford Twilight Baseball League will hold its awards dinner Tuesday night at Willie's Steak House.

The dinner is set for 7 p.m.

Chapulis led the league with 11 home runs. He was 34-for-92 with a .370 batting average.

Other award winners are Stu Strong as player of the year; Tom Kirby of the Vernon Orioles and Scott Corcoran of the Capitols as tournament co-MVP; Brian Marshall (400) as batting champion; Scott Reinhold of Society for Savings as rookie of the year; and the Capitols who won the regular season and tournament titles for the second year in a row.

### Holowaty to be honored

WILLIMANTIC — Eastern Connecticut State University baseball coach Bill Holowaty has been named Diamond Sports Company national coach-of-the-year by the American Baseball Coaches' Association (ABCA).

The national award is the second in the 22-year coaching career for Holowaty, who led ECSU to the 1990 NCAA Division III championship last June. Holowaty also received the award when Eastern won its first national title in 1982.

The Mohawk, N.Y., native will receive the award at the ABCA national convention Saturday in New Orleans.

### Yale five tops Fairfield

FAIRFIELD (AP) — Ed Petersen scored 23 points, including 14 in the first half, to lead the Yale Bulldogs to a 60-52 victory over Fairfield on Thursday.

Yale used a slow, deliberate pace and took a 26-23 halftime lead. But the Stags closed the score to 32-30 with 15:35 left in the second half with Scott Sytales's 5-foot jumper.

The Bulldogs controlled the remainder of the game, pushing their lead to 58-45 with 11 minutes left. Dean Campbell had 11 points and eight rebounds for Yale, which improved to 4-5. Kevin George had 16 points for Fairfield (4-5) and Drew Henderson had 10.

Sanders claims harassment

FORT MYERS, Fla. (AP) — Football and baseball star Deton Sanders said he was harassed by a Florida Highway Patrol auxiliary trooper south of Fort Myers because he and two other black men were driving an expensive car.

Sanders, a defensive back and kick returner with the Atlanta Falcons and a free-agent baseball player who spent time with the New York Yankees last season, said the trooper had no reason to stop him Thursday.

"I'm riding along with two friends, there was a traffic jam caused by a wreck, so we couldn't have been speeding, and we got pulled over," Sanders said from his Fort Myers home after the incident.

Highway patrol spokesman Lt. Malcolm Rhodes said the trooper made the stop because the man driving Sanders' car, Richard Fain, was speeding. But Fain, a Fort Myers native and former defensive back at the University of Florida, was not charged with speeding.

After talking to everyone involved in the incident, Rhodes said, the FBI "decided there were no grounds for filing charges and allowed Fain to drive away in Sanders' Mercedes convertible.

### Yugoslavia wins Hoptan Cup

PERTH, Australia (AP) — Monica Seles and Goran Pripic both won singles matches, then combined for a victory in mixed doubles as Yugoslavia defeated the top-seeded United States 4-0 in the final of the Hoptan Cup team championship.

Seles beat Zina Garrison 6-1, 6-1 and Pripic rallied to down David Wheaton 4-6, 6-3, 7-5. The two then combined to beat the Americans 8-3 in the mixed doubles, which was reduced to one professional set.

### Wadkins leads ToF event

CARLSBAD, Calif. (AP) — Lanny Wadkins, adjusting to a chilly rain, opened up a 3-stroke lead after the first round of the Tournament of Champions, the kick-off event on the PGA Tour.

Wadkins made the most of his back-nine opportunities in compiling a 7-under-par 65 in La Costa in the first competitive round of the 1991 season.

Tom Kite and Chip Beck were tied for second at 68. PGA champion Wayne Grady was next at 69. Greg Norman led a group at 70 that included David Little, Fred Couples, John Huston and Wayne Levi.

Frank Beard had to struggle back from a triple bogey to produce a 69 that tied the 13 seniors playing in a separate but simultaneous competition. Bruce Crampton was second at 70 and Lee Trevino third at 71.

## Well-tutored Belfour to get refresher course

By The Associated Press

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### ON THE CHIN

Boston goalie Andy Moevo (35) has the puck on his chin after making a save while Vancouver forward Greg Adams zeroes in for a rebound in their game Thursday night at Boston Garden. The Bruins beat the Canucks, 8-3.

Development," he said. "Now he's coming back to see what else he has to do."

"He's never really let up," Blackhawks coach Mike Keenan said. "He plays with a lot of confidence and determination. He's a good athlete."

Blues 8, Nordiques 7: In a game featuring 92 shots, a league high this season, Brett Hull scored on a deflection with six minutes to go as the Blues snapped a three-game losing streak. It was Hull's 59th goal, tops in the NHL, in 40 games.

"I was tooting trumpets in the days before," Hull said. "I was tooting trumpets in the days before."

Maple Leafs 3, North Stars 3: With Toronto closing in on fourth-place Minnesota, the North Stars should have been happy with the tie. But they blew a third-period lead.

Doug Shekden, whose tripping penalty led to Minnesota's go-ahead goal, was in the penalty box for 4:20 in regulation.

Dave Gagner early in the third period, stoned by tipping in Dave Reid's floating shot with 4:20 left in regulation.

Jon Casey preserved the tie for Minnesota with 10 seconds left in regulation when, prone on the ice, he kicked out Dave Eilat's close-in attempt.

Hull leads Campbell voting

MONTREAL (AP) — St. Louis Blues right wing Brett Hull set a record in leading the voting for the NHL All-Star Game in Chicago on Wednesday.

Hull, the son of hockey Hall of Famer Bobby Hull, received 432,879 votes, the most since fan balloting for the NHL All-Star Game began six seasons ago.

Joining Hull up front will be Los Angeles Kings teammates Wayne Gretzky and Luc Robitaille. Gretzky led the Campbell elections with 218,797 votes. Robitaille, a left wing, got 168,963 votes.

The starting defenseman will be Chris Chelios of Chicago and Al MacInnis of Calgary. Chelios was the conference's top vote-getter among defensemen with 128,094 and MacInnis was second with 194,109.

Calgary's Mike Vernon will be the starting goaltender. He received 135,381 votes.

### Canada still in the running

REGINA, Saskatchewan (AP) — Jarrovi Varvio scored with 15 seconds left to give Finland a 5-3 tie with the Soviet Union and keep Canada's gold-medal hopes alive.

The Soviets overcame a 4-0 deficit and took a 5-4 lead on Pavel Bure's third goal of the game. But the Finns got a chance to tie when the Soviets were called for having too many men on the ice with two minutes remaining.

Varvio wound up from the blue line and blasted the puck into the Soviet net — setting off a celebration in the Finnish Canadian crowd.

The Soviets could have wrapped up the gold medal by beating the Finns, but now must beat or tie the Canadians on Friday to capture the championship. The Soviets remain atop the standings with a 5-0-1 record, two points ahead of Canada (4-1-1).

### Olajuwon knocked out of game

HOUSTON (AP) — Houston center Akeem Olajuwon was carried off the court on a stretcher after colliding with a Chicago Bulls center Bill Cartwright in the third quarter of the Rockets' 114-92 victory.

The accident occurred under the Rockets basket with 3:32 left in the third quarter. Rockets trainer Ray McChesne said Olajuwon was struck on the side of the face and knocked unconscious after Cartwright inadvertently elbowed him.

### IN BRIEF . . .

NFL All-Pro team named  
NEW YORK (AP) — Bruce Smith and Derrick Thomas, the NFL's top tacklers, Jerry Rice, the league's leading receiver, and Barry Sanders, the No. 1 rusher, were named The Associated Press All-Pro Team.

Smith, Buffalo's pass-rushing defensive end, trailed Thomas, Kansas City's star second-year linebacker, 20-19 in sacks this season. Both were runaway leaders at their position in voting by a panel of 80 sports writers and broadcasters.

Rice, the fourth player in league history to catch at least 100 passes in a season, had exactly that number for the San Francisco 49ers, good for 1,502 yards and 13 touchdowns. He led all players with 78 votes. Smith was next at 77.

Joining Rice on the All-Pro team from the defunct champion 49ers were quarterback Joe Montana, outside linebacker Charles Haley and safety Ronnie Lott.

Detroit's Sanders, who won the rushing title with 1,304 yards, was paired in the backfield with Thurman Thomas of Buffalo.

Also on the offensive team were receiver Andre Rison of Atlanta, tight end Keith Jackson of Philadelphia, tackle Anthony Munoz of Cincinnati and Jim Lachey of Washington, guards Bruce Mathews of Houston and Randall McDaniel of Minnesota, center Kent Hull of Buffalo, kicker Nick Lowery of Kansas City and kicker returner Mel Gray of Detroit.

The defensive team also had Reggie White and tackle Jerome Brown of Philadelphia, nose tackle Michael Dean Perry of Cleveland, inside linebackers Michael Taylor of Cleveland and John O'Neil of Pepper Johnson of the New York Giants and John O'Neil of Miami, cornerbacks Rod Woodson of Pittsburgh and Albert Lewis of Kansas City, safety Joey Browner of Minnesota and punter Stan Landeta of the New York Giants.

Patriots to get No. 1 pick  
NEW YORK (AP) — The worst record in the NFL this season paid off for the New England Patriots with confirmation that they will have the No. 1 choice in April's college draft. The Patriots finished 1-15, two victories better than Cleveland, which gets the second selection.

Atlanta, Denver, the Los Angeles Rams and Phoenix each finished at 5-11, but Atlanta gets the No. 3 pick because its 1990 opponents had the poorest record among those teams.

### Shofner gets new position

CLEVELAND (AP) — Jim Shofner will not return as Cleveland Browns coach but will be the team's director of player personnel.

Shofner's duties under the newly created position will include evaluating players currently on the team as well as those in the NFL and in the college ranks, team owner Art Modell said in a release.

Shofner, 55, became interim coach in November after Bud Carson was fired.

The Browns finished the season with a 3-13 record, the franchise's worst. Shofner took over with seven games remaining. The Browns won only one of those games, edging Atlanta 13-10, and were outscored 227-100 in the seven.

### TSN says Georgia Tech No. 1

ST. LOUIS (AP) — The Sporting News named Georgia Tech, the nation's only undefeated Division I-A college team, its champion for the 1990 season.

Georgia Tech (11-0-1) defeated Nebraska 45-21 in the Citrus Bowl game on New Year's Day and edged Colorado (11-1-1) for the top spot in voting by TSN editors. Colorado beat Notre Dame 10-9 on New Year's Day night in the Orange Bowl.

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### Off-target Famer Appling dead

ATLANTA (AP) — Luke Appling, a 310-hitting Hall of Fame shortstop with the Chicago White Sox who homered off Warren Spahn at age 75, was eulogized for his demeanor off the field as much as for his achievements on it.

Appling died of a suburban Atlanta hospital Thursday. He was 83.

He stayed in baseball throughout his life, coaching with the Atlanta Braves from 1976 through 1990.

"He was a true Hall of Famer on and off the field," said Braves general manager Bobby Cox. "Even in his 80s, Luke retained an outstanding enthusiasm for the game of baseball. As much as anyone I've known, Luke lived a very, very happy life."

"He's going to be missed tremendously just because of his career attitude," said Bill Carmin, baseball's home run king and executive vice president of the Braves. "Everybody loved him, not just in the organization, but everywhere in baseball. I never saw Luke Appling have a bad moment."

He had his first season in 1936, when he led the White Sox to the World Series. Appling hit over 300 home runs, set two batting titles and set major league records for longevity at shortstop.

Appling was admitted to Lakeside Community Hospital in his hometown of Cumming, in Atlanta's northern suburbs, Wednesday night with an aneurysm, and swelling of the aorta, the main artery leading from the heart. He died during surgery early Thursday.

Born April 2, 1907, Appling broke in with the White Sox in 1930, after less than a season in the minors.

He had his finest season in 1936, when he led the American League with a .388 batting average — highest ever for a shortstop — and drove in 128 runs. He won a second batting title in 1943, batting .328, and narrowly missed another in 1940 when he hit .348, four points behind Joe DiMaggio.

But perhaps his most famous hit came in 1982 when, at the age of 75, he homered off Warren Spahn in an old-timers game at Washington's RFK Stadium.

"That home run gets more attention than any homer, or even any hit, that I ever had," he recalled four years later. "It's pretty amazing."

Known as "Old Achs and Pains" for consistently complaining to teammates about his ailments, Appling was named an American League all-star seven times.

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# Lakers try to prove they belong

By DICK BRINSTER  
The Associated Press

By winning five NBA titles in the 80s, the Los Angeles Lakers proved they were the best. Now, three seasons removed from his last championship victory celebration, Magic Johnson says the Lakers are simply trying to prove they belong among the league's elite.

"We needed this game to prove to everybody and to ourselves that we can still play with the best," Johnson said after the Lakers beat Portland 108-104 Thursday night. "We're still here. We're not going anywhere."

But where they are — third in the Pacific Division, 6½ games behind the Trail Blazers — tells most of the story. The loss marked the first time the new king of the West had been beaten consecutively in rolling to a 27-5 start.

"I think they wanted this game more than they wanted anything in life at this point," Portland's Clyde Drexler said. "It was just another game on the schedule."

"I don't think we overlooked them. I just think they came out playing a better game."

Big talk. Perhaps. But nobody in the visitors' dressing room was calling him names.

"I don't know how we can catch them," Johnson said of the Trail Blazers. "It's not impossible, but that's not our goal right now."

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## UNDER PRESSURE

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Bucks 97, Mavericks 87: Ricky Pierce scored 15 of his 28 points in the fourth quarter as streaking Milwaukee led the Bucks to a 97-87 victory over the Lakers and remain unbeaten at home.

Bullets 118, Hornets 108: Bernard King scored 46 points and keyed a 10-2 fourth-quarter spurt as Washington handed Charlotte its 13th loss in 14 games.

Knicks 135, Nuggets 108: Gerald Wilkins matched his season high with 25 points and caught them, Johnson said of the Trail Blazers. "It's not impossible, but that's not our goal right now."

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