

Obituaries

Mrs. Floyd S. Post
Mrs. Eva Brookman Post, 79, of 99 Main St. died Monday night at Manchester Memorial Hospital. She was the wife of Floyd S. Post. Mrs. Post was born June 13, 1896 in Meriden and lived in East Hartford before coming to Manchester 25 years ago. She was a member of Second Congregational Church, Welcome Hebrew Lodge of East Hartford, and Manchester Senior Citizens. She and her husband would have observed their 50th wedding anniversary April 12. She is also survived by a son, Robert S. Post of Manchester; a brother, Walter Brookman of East Hampton; two sisters, Mrs. Herbert Lassen of Milford and Mrs. Jack Mazza of Mattitah, Fla.; four grandchildren and three grandsons. The private funeral is Thursday at Holmes Funeral Home, 400 Main St. The Rev. Dr. Felix Davis, pastor of Second Congregational Church, will officiate. Burial will be in Hillside Cemetery, East Hartford. Friends may call at the funeral home Wednesday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. The family suggests that any memorial gifts may be made to the Memorial Fund of Second Congregational Church.

School board adopts use policy

Manchester's Board of Education has revised a policy on rental of school facilities which, in most cases, hikes fees charged for community use of the schools. The school board, after a lengthy discussion Monday which pushed its meeting past the usual 10 p.m. adjournment, voted 8-0 for the new policy. Albert Harris, who had questioned the legality of some of the policy restrictions, abstained. Most of the discussion and uncertainty dealt with administrative guidelines which listed five types of activities prohibited in school facilities. Prohibited are activities: "Promulgating any theory or doctrine subversive to the laws of the United States or any political subdivision thereof"; "Advocating governmental change by violence"; "Any activity that may be injurious to the buildings, grounds and equipment of the school"; "Any activity with program content of questionable social value." The concern of Harris and a minority of the other board members were the first and last items. Subversive theories or doctrines might not be desirable but it might not be legal to prohibit them, under constitutional free speech guarantees, Harris said.

Area Spree stores to close

About 20 employees will be affected when the Spree toy store on Broad St. closes within a month. The decision to close the Broad St. store and stores in East Hartford and Enfield by the Zayre Corp., which operates the small Spree chain and the Zayre discount department stores

chain, was unexpected, a spokesman for the local store said. Managers of the stores first heard of the decision Monday, the spokesman said. The employees, hopefully, will be absorbed by Zayre stores, he said.

Man allegedly steals \$316,000

LONDON (UPI) — Noel Theodore Richard Jr. was waiting in a London jail early today to be deported to Connecticut to face larceny charges in what the FBI says may be the largest cash theft in that state's history.

Richard, an armored car service guard from Jewett City, Conn., allegedly stole \$316,000 from the safe of his employer, the International Armored Service of Waterford, Conn., and confessed to customs officials on arrival Monday at Heathrow Airport.

April vacation intact; subject to weather

Manchester public schools are scheduled to close June 22 unless bad weather forces further cancellation of classes, School Supt. James Kennedy told the Board of Education Monday night. The schools have been closed four times this school year due to bad weather, Kennedy said. It two or more days are lost due to weather,

administrators will have to consider canceling part of the April school vacation, he said. There's a limit to how far school days can be extended in June, he said, mentioning legal requirements and other factors such as start-up of summer school and summer employment of students and staff. It appears the April 12-16 vacation will remain intact, though, Kennedy said. He also said the Manchester High School graduation ceremony is likely to be held either Monday, June 21, or Tuesday, June 22. The date hasn't been set, pending arrival of spring and reduced chances for more weather closings.

Card of Thanks
In our recent bereavement we found comfort in the love and support of friends. The memory of your kind words and prayers will be treasured. The family of Harvey R. Beavie, Jr.

In Memoriam
In loving memory of Sara M. Noble, who passed away five years ago today. Each leaf and flower may whisper, "The evening sun may set, but the memory of you will never be forgotten."

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The car exhaust gas, carbon monoxide (CO), which also is a cigarette smoke pollutant, reduces the amount of oxygen the blood can carry. And the availability of blood oxygen is especially important to heart disease victims, whose damaged hearts need all the oxygen they can get. Not surprisingly, then, when U.S. environmental health researcher Dr. Einar Anderson subjected heart pain (angina) patients to CO levels similar to those in polluted urban areas, the patients' endurance levels dropped and their chest pains increased. Evidence that environmental factors do aggravate the symptoms of technologic (blockage) heart disease...

NOW conference set
HARTFORD (UPI) — The National Organization for Women says it is expected between 1,000 and 2,000 delegates to attend a Hartford conference next week. The Eastern Regional Conference of NOW, set for

March 12-14, will be held at the addresses by Karen DeCrow, the group's president, and former NOW president Wilma Scott Heide. The delegates will be entertained by a feminist rock band, "The Deadly Nightshade," and feminist comic Ivy Bottini.

Correction
The Herald incorrectly listed in the Manchester Community College calendar Monday two courses to begin Thursday, March 11. "Basic Practical Celestial Navigation" will be at 7 p.m. in Room HR 216. This course was largely omitted from the printed calendar.

Behavior Modification in "Dieting" is \$17.50. It begins Thursday at 1:30 p.m. in HR 216.

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Also questioned was the "social value" item in the list of prohibitions. School board members asked who and what would determine "social value." Few of the questions were answered, and it appeared the policy was finally adopted largely to get it out of the way. The policy revision had been on the board's agenda for three meetings. The new schedule of fees in the policy includes increases for all facilities — auditoriums, gyms, classrooms and conference rooms — except for a decrease in the rental fee for junior high gyms (\$100 to \$75). School officials say rental of school facilities has provided between \$7,000 and \$9,000 a year in revenue. A total of \$8,000 is predicted for 1976-1977. In other business Monday night, the Board of Education: • Established a new elementary school remedial reading position, to be funded through June by state grants. In personnel matters, the board voted to fill the new position immediately and also approved five resignations and two leaves of absence for teachers. • Approved extended field trips

Massachusetts man killed in car crash

The special, spark-free rescue tool of the Manchester Town Fire Department helped extricate a Worcester, Mass. man from a car after a crash Monday about 2 p.m. on Rt. 21 in East Hartford near the Main St. exit. However, Thomas J. Duszak, 31, was pronounced dead on arrival at Hartford Hospital soon after. East Hartford fire officials said they believe Duszak was dead before their arrival on the scene. The man had been pinned inside his car when the engine and steering column crushing his chest, fire officials said. Manchester and Glastonbury fire fighters were called to assist. Police said the crash occurred as his car was traveling at "a high rate of speed" north on Rt. 2. Manchester's rescue tool cut through the windshield posts as the men peered back the roof. The tool then pulled the steering column away.

One of the men in the maroon car brandished a shotgun, but those in the car quickly drove off in the ensuing confusion with the prisoners still in the state vehicle. No injuries were reported. State and local police said a search for the 1964 Ford Galaxie which state police said was apparently stolen in Bristol.

Jail break attempt foiled in Hartford

HARTFORD (UPI) — Four men, one carrying a shotgun, apparently attempted to stage a jail break outside the Hartford Correctional Center today. First reports from state police said a maroon car containing the four men rammed a state vehicle that was loading several prisoners near the DeWitt Street jail about 8:15 a.m.

Fire calls
Manchester
Monday, 1:04 p.m. — small grass fire on Beechbub Rd.
Monday, 2:19 p.m. — assault at accident in East Hartford. (Town)
Monday, 7:30 p.m. — small chimney fire at 31 Gardner St. (Town)
Today, 5:15 a.m. — malfunction in alarm apartment in Talcutville Rd.
South Windsor
Monday, 2:43 p.m. — electric fire on Eastview Ter.

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FRANKFURT, West Germany — Police today lowered \$389,000 in a briefcase to a terrorist who stormed a courtroom here, barricaded himself with two hostages in a back room and threatened to shoot them if his demands were not met for nearly 48 million ransom and a plane to Cuba.

BOSTON — American officials today awaited arrival of a 278-foot Soviet fishing trawler seized 120 miles southeast of Nantucket Island Tuesday for violating regulations governing the taking of lobster from the Continental Shelf.

BOSTON — It is "unrealistic" to believe the United States could engage in a limited nuclear war with the Soviet Union, or any other communist country, Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass., said Tuesday prior to a speech at Boston University.

ISLAMABAD, Pakistan — Prof. David Pibeam of Yale University said today he has discovered a complete human-type lower jaw eight to ten million years old, considered by experts to belong to earliest man. He found the jaw in Pakistan's Punjab province.

The weather

Partial clearing this afternoon with high in the mid 30s. Partly cloudy tonight, lows in the 20s. Thursday, cloudy with chance of snow flurries, high in 30s. National weather forecast map on Page 20.



Herald photographer Steve Dunn had this surrealistic view of Downtown Main St. Tuesday night, with magnified snow flakes and criss-crossing tire tracks giving the illusion of much more severe weather than occurred. The sanding truck is southbound, as are lots of people who have had it with winter storms.

Highly touted storm fizzles; no one is really disappointed

By SOL R. COHEN
Herald Reporter
Forewarned and forearmed, Manchester-area residents woke up this morning with cries of "Lafayette, we are here" — ready to do battle with what weather forecasters had hinted could be the storm Lafayette and the Blizzard of 1988 occurred this week in March.

The biggest casualty in Manchester was the ice and snow budget, already strained to opened their doors to find 2 or 3 inches of soft, powdery and disintegrating snow — easy to manage and no deterrent to usual business and school activities.

The snow began about 3:30 Tuesday afternoon and ended this morning before dawn. Police activity was the heaviest between 5 and 7 p.m. Tuesday with about half a dozen fence-benders reported and with no serious accidents.

The biggest casualty in Manchester was the ice and snow budget, already strained to the breaking point by last week's sleet and freezing rain. In trouble is the highway department's overtime account. George Ringstone, acting superintendent of highways, said the accounts for chemicals and for contracted vehicles are still in the black.

Only town vehicles and personnel were utilized Tuesday night and today, with 10 crews and trucks sent out at 6 p.m. to 14 at midnight and with a cutoff to 13 today — all on plowing, cleaning and sanding operations.

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Reagan sees need for 'miracle' in Illinois President Ford, Carter win favor in Florida

MIAMI (UPI) — President Ford won a fourth straight primary Tuesday in Florida and Ronald Reagan, his fading challenger for the GOP nomination, conceded only a "miracle" could prevent another loss next week in Illinois. Jimmy Carter, the former Georgia governor, ended George Wallace's iron rule of Dixie in the Democratic primary and immediately proclaimed himself the front-runner for his party's nomination. Sen. Henry M. Jackson ran third.

State officials woo New York investors

HARTFORD (UPI) — Gov. Ella T. Grasso and an entourage of state officials today to convince New York city investors to buy \$100 million in Connecticut state bonds.

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Directors ask HRC to define affirmative action plan role

The Board of Directors Tuesday night asked the Human Relations Commission to return in 60 days with a definition of its role in the town's Affirmative Action Plan.

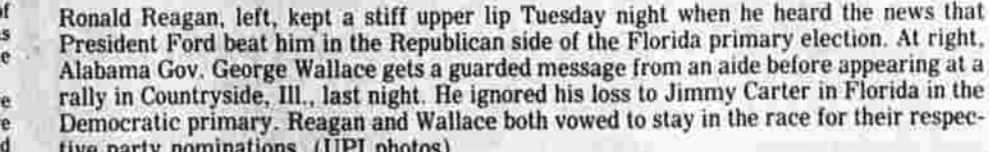
The board also asked the town manager's office to present a revised draft of the Plan at the same time. An Affirmative Action Plan provides equal employment prohibiting discrimination because of race, color, religion, sex or national origin. It demonstrates to all interested parties that the employer is taking active measures to guarantee nondiscrimination.

The first draft of the Affirmative Action Plan was submitted to the state for comment and to the Human Relations Commission for its information July 17. The Human Relations Commission was asked at that time by Assistant Town Manager Charles McCarthy to play a major role in monitoring the plan.

Town Manager Robert Weiss told the Board Tuesday night that there are no legal requirements established by Congress for a municipality to have an Affirmative Action Plan but there is an implication in a variety of federal regulations concerning general revenue sharing, community development block grants and sewer grants that a community exercise affirmative action. The adoption of such a plan demonstrates that "we as a town are acting in good faith," he said.

"We recommend an Affirmative Action Plan. If the town doesn't have one, it might be forced upon us and

Florida primary's leading runners-up
Ronald Reagan, left, kept a stiff upper lip Tuesday night when he heard the news that President Ford beat him in the Republican side of the Florida primary election. At right, Alabama Gov. George Wallace gets a guarded message from an aide before appearing at a rally in Countryside, Ill., last night. He ignored his loss to Jimmy Carter in Florida in the Democratic primary. Reagan and Wallace both vowed to stay in the race for their respective party nominations. (UPI photos)



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Directors ask HRC

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action as well as the banks in which the town deposits funds. "I think this costs lots of dollars and limits our scope," she said.

Concerned with the unemployed in Manchester, the directors do not favor Manchester's tie-in with the Hartford labor market.

Director Vivian Ferguson said that there is a concern in the community about local people who are out of work. "We have to be responsible to our own community," she said.

Directors John Thompson called it a "two-way street" as a greater number of people working in Hartford's industry comes from the suburbs.

Frank Livingston, a member of the town's Human Relations Commission and director of employment relations for the Connecticut Natural Gas Corp., recommended that the

town adopt an Affirmative Action Plan. "If the commission ever had a charge brought against the town by an employer, it would be directly in our duty to go to the town manager or Board of Education.

He also stressed that there was no communication between the Human Relations Commission and the town. The only contact is its meetings with McCarthy, he said.

With the commission monitoring the plan, and investigating each complaint, only unresolvable problems would be brought to the board for a decision, he said.

If the board allowed the commission to handle all Affirmative Action complaints, monitoring could be done quarterly, Livingston said.

Pact to define role of MCC at new center

By DOUG BEVINS



Illustration photo by Bevins

In other reports to the Board of Education Monday night: Jean Zurbrigen, learning disabilities coordinator for Manchester schools, announced plans for a second series of in-service workshops for elementary teachers at Buckley School and Highland Park School.

Ms. Zurbrigen said the workshops, due to start next week, are designed to help classroom teachers recognize and cope with mildly handicapped students.

The workshop program started as an experiment last year in Wadell School and Nathan Hale School and has proven successful.

Davis Wiggin, director of athletics for town schools, showed a film and described plans for a "movement exploration" phase of physical education in primary grades (Kindergarten to Grade 3).

Wiggin said the "movement exploration" and traditional physical education programs have the same result, but the newer type of program allows children to learn at their own pace and acquire more confidence in their ability.

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prepared model for a sanitation code which will enable the board to better enforce its existing public health code.

"It's frustrating," Dr. Turek said, "when you go back several times to a private dwelling or a restaurant to follow up on recommended procedures and find the condition unchanged."

At best, she said the violators can be called in to a hearing by the board and have the regulations spelled out to them.

"There is no legal stick, as such, by which the board can prosecute health code violators and get them into

Globe Hollow

court," Dr. Turek said.

The Advisory Board of Health will meet March 24 at 2 p.m. in the hearing room at the Municipal Building to discuss the restaurant licensing ordinance which was explained to local restaurateurs recently. To be licensed, restaurants will be required to submit plans of their restaurants showing work and food preparation areas. Dr. Turek told the board local restaurateurs do not fear licensing.

She said, however, upon inspection, some eating places will have to revise existing plans which show food preparation areas next to "dirty activity" areas.

Reads winning essay

Karen Walker, right, goes over her winning Bicentennial Time Capsule essay with Mrs. Patricia Kodes, co-chairman of the Bicentennial Time Capsule Committee.

Bicentennial essay winner is announced

Karen Walker, of 33 Thayer Rd., a junior at Manchester High School, is the winner in the first of a four-part series Bicentennial essay contest.

Her subject was "Message to Manchester, Year 2076; Manchester Life, Now and Then," the subject for all entrants in the contest.

The essay will be placed in the Bicentennial time capsule with other winning essays in Center Park on Thanksgiving Day.

The second in the essay contest series is open for all Manchester residents between the ages of 18 and 30.

The essay should be made 200 words long, written or typed, and postmarked not later than April 15. Entries should be mailed to the Time Capsule Committee, in care of Mrs. Patricia Kodes, 47 Stephen St.

Board tables discussion of proposed pay raises

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U.S.-Soviet power play rejected

WASHINGTON (UPI)—Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger Tuesday strongly rejected a suggestion that the United States join the Soviet Union in pressuring France and West Germany to restrain their exports of nuclear technology.

Referring to such an action as "blackmail" against two important U.S. allies, Kissinger said the United States and the Soviet Union, explicitly directed against France and Germany — that's a very grave step!

"A heavy handed approach is only likely to accelerate their nuclear autonomy," Kissinger told Sen. Abraham Ribicoff, D-Conn., at a hearing of the Senate Government Operations Committee.

But Ribicoff was not satisfied, saying the United States was limited in acting to restrain the spread of nuclear technology and the acquisition of nuclear weapons by other countries.

"If you are unwilling to act with the Soviet Union," Ribicoff charged, "you ought to teach the whole concept of detente into the sewer."

Kissinger drew laughs when he responded: "There is a great activity in that direction as it is."

Betty Ford campaigns in Southern California

LOS ANGELES—First Lady Betty Ford stayed up past midnight with a bunch of movie stars Tuesday night, joining them in a tribute to film director William Wyler as one of America's great actors.

Mrs. Ford, who opened a three-day California campaign tour on behalf of her husband, made only passing mention of his victory Tuesday in the Florida Republican primary.

Surrounded by the stars of Hollywood and accompanied through the evening by Wyler and dancer Fred Astaire, Mrs. Ford greeted and embraced dozens of stars including Charlton Heston, Barbara Streisand, James Stewart, Gene Hackman, Henry Fonda, Jennifer Jones, Walter Pidgeon, Myrna Loy and Gregory Peck.

"When I was a girl I never dreamed I'd be meeting you in person," she said in a brief tribute to Wyler, who became the fourth winner of the American Film Institute's Life Achievement Award.

"As a high school girl I dreamt of

New fire truck engine may cost \$12,000

The Town Fire Department may have to spend \$12,000 to replace the engine in its 1967 American-LaFrance aerial truck.

The truck has been inoperable since yesterday afternoon, Fire Chief John Rivosa said. No decision has been reached on whether to overhaul the engine or to replace it with a new diesel engine, which would bring operating and costs down, Rivosa said.

If the engine is overhauled, Rivosa wants to be sure that it will operate without further problems, he said.

The cost of replacing the truck would be about \$125,000, he said.

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Linear park group to meet Thursday

The Hookanum River Linear Park Committee will show slides of the Hookanum River area Thursday at 8 p.m. in the hearing room at the Municipal Building.

Persons interested in the development of the area for hiking trails and recreation are invited to attend.

The slides, many of them taken by Sylvian Otlara, are being shown to attract interested persons or organizations to assume responsibility for maintaining a specific area of the Hookanum River banks.

Also, anyone interested in working with the committee on linear park plans is invited to join.

Theater schedule

UA East 1 — "Give 'em Hell Harry" 7:15-9:30
US East 2 — "Winterhawk" 7:15-9:30
UA East 3 — "My Man Friday" 7:15-9:30
Vernon Cinema 1 — "Lucky Lady" 7:09-9:10
Cinema 2 — "Alice Doesn't"

Live Here Anywhere? 7:30-9:30
Burnside 1 — "Man Who Would Be King" 7:09-9:10
Burnside 2 — "3 Days of the Condor" 7:15-9:30
Showcase Cinema 1 — "Cuckoo's Nest" 1:30-7:00
Cinema 2 — "Alice Doesn't"

Fire calls

Manchester
Tuesday, 12:53 p.m. — Smoke investigation at 264 Hackmatack St. (Town)
Tuesday, 2:46 p.m. — Smoke investigation at 18 Oak St. (Town)
Tuesday, 3:12 p.m. — Small oil spill at 51 Russell St. (Town)
Tuesday, 8:12 p.m. — Chimney fire on Shady Lane, Bolton

Wadsworth
Tuesday, 4:34 p.m. — Grass fire at 839 Avery St.

Lolland Courts
Tuesday, 3:58 p.m. — Clothes dryer fire on Brookside Lane, Vernon

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The flowering tree trail is a continuation of the Memorial Tree program adopted several years ago by the environmental and beautification committee of the Greater Manchester Chamber of Commerce.

Plans were coordinated with Richard Sullivan, representative of the State Department of Transportation Roadside Development and Parks Superintendent Ernest J. Turck.

Participating plans for the fall 1975 memorial tree plantings include locations at Wadell and Keeney Street Schools.

Anyone interested in supporting the Memorial Tree Program may send a check for \$5 or more made out to the Memorial Tree Program and addressed to the Greater Manchester Chamber of Commerce, 257 E. Center St.

Trees are planted each spring and fall in memory of loved ones. Acknowledgement cards are sent to the families.

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U.S.-Soviet power play rejected

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Opinion

Hartford police actions having an adverse effect

Whatever merits their cause may have, the recent actions taken by Hartford's police to dramatize that cause are bound to have an adverse effect.

Our concern goes beyond the economic aspects of the issue. The weekend "stall-in" and picketing to delay and frustrate citizens coming to Hartford for the World Cup Tennis matches did more to undo the good image of the men in blue as the citizens' protector than any other recent action we can think of.

The image has been particularly difficult to cultivate among our young people and police forces everywhere suffer from the Hartford force's ill-conceived confrontations over the weekend.

We cannot help but wonder what impact the sight of off-duty police officers hampering traffic flow and, if reports are true, scratching up cars will have on youngsters going to the tennis games. It is hardly a scene that inspires one — young or old — to turn to a policeman for help.

We understand the frustration of the policemen and we are sure the Hartford council would be more than willing to



Scene from here

By Sol R. Cohen

Ah, togetherness

Togetherness is back and not a minute too soon. Just when the prophets of doom and gloom were proclaiming gleefully there's a breakdown in family life, along came the supermarkets, in-



The leaning tobacco shed on Hillstown Rd.

advently showing us how to cement our relationships. They did it with their coupons, that's how — their coupons for free items or for cut-price items, all with this coupon and \$5 or \$7.50 or \$10 or \$15 or what you've spent in that particular store.

What's happening is that husband and wife now are shopping together — marching down the aisles together, heads held shelf-high and coupons in hand, then driving to another store and still another, coupons in hand and eyes shelf-high, buying up all those goodies.

The fact of the matter is that one person alone just can't handle it anymore. Gone are the good old days when one went to the supermarket with a loaded cart, checked out the groceries, loaded the car and drove home.

Now it's reconnoiter and it's bargain-hunting. You take one or two or three aisles each, coupons clutched in hand, and you meet at the check-out counter to compare notes and to add up the savings. Or, if an item is out, to get a raincheck and to come back another day to reconnoiter and do battle, with togetherness guaranteed.

Love is never having to say, "I'm sorry, the store was out of it."

In San Francisco last week, it was togetherness of a different kind, it was togetherness of three sisters in a triple-ring ceremony by three sailors from the same Navy ship.

Can you imagine the coupons they'll use and the crowded aisles when they go marching along together.

In New York City meanwhile, it was the lack of togetherness that won a woman \$40,000 and her husband \$2,500. They sued the state for im-

properly releasing a mental patient from a state hospital.

The day he was released, he punched the woman in the mouth (and several others too) as they waited for a train in a subway station. It was for no reason, he told authorities, he just felt like it.

The husband claimed his wife hadn't kissed him since the way she used to. The wife claimed she suffered from pain and suffering, not to mention loss of togetherness.

The judge saw it their way and they sealed their paddy with a kiss.

In Greenland last month firemen fought a blaze aboard a freight plane and created togetherness of a different sort, even though they doused the flames in minutes.

Sub-zero temperatures caused the water and foam they used to freeze solid. Togetherness resulted when the plane was anchored to the runway.

Togetherness was the order of the day last week in Luckenbach, Texas, attended the spool National Non-Bicentennial Day.

They cheered the Buy-Centennial Bad Taste Awards, intended to point up the commercial abuse of the American Bicentennial.

The winners' Bicentennial beer cans, a red, white and blue casket, a bison named "Bicentennial" and a dog named "Bicentennial" owned by the City of Omaha, and a tri-colored prophylactic.

Just how much togetherness can one take?

Bicentennial chief outlines progress

Lee Roderick

WASHINGTON — Seventy countries are involved in helping to commemorate America's Bicentennial, including 25 which have established their own Bicentennial organizations. More than 25 Indian reservations are officially involved in the national effort. And nearly 10,000 American communities have Bicentennial programs featuring at least one "permanent contribution toward improvement of the quality of life as we enter the third century."

Those highlights of Bicentennial progress are in a report just given to Congress by John W. Warner, head of the American Revolution Bicentennial Administration (ARBA). In submitting the report to the House Appropriations Committee, Warner requested nearly \$2 million to finance the winding down of ARBA's activities and to fund it for nine months ending on June 30, 1977, as provided by law.

The former Secretary of the Navy, who was drafted to spearhead the federal government's Bicentennial efforts in the spring of 1974 after Bicentennial planning had become more a bickering affair than a partnership, noted that "the controversy" and the Bicentennial should arouse controversy — has now shifted to national problems affecting the whole of the Bicentennial."

"...We strongly believe that the Bicentennial will not go down in history — as some more vociferous critics portend — as a gigantic commercial rip-off. Yes, we as individuals find some of the advertisements, souvenirs and memorabilia distasteful and denigrating to the dignity of the Bicentennial," said Warner.

"But the greater danger, by far, would be for ARBA, under the guise of government authority, to step in and selectively try to stop the manufacture and sale of certain items. We do not have such legal authority, nor should we have it. Such arbitrary action would abridge one of our freedoms — freedom of choice."

The foundation of the grassroots Bicentennial effort, said Warner, is comprised of the Declaration of Independence, the Constitution and the Bill of Rights. "From this will spring the mandate for our Nation's third century," said Warner, "that our form of government was laid down correctly following the Revolution, and it can carry us through another century provided the promises, the hopes and aspirations set forth therein are fulfilled for all of our citizens."

United States being flooded with heroin

WASHINGTON — They found the body of a 13-year-old white girl stashed in a trash can just inside an alley off a downtown street in Washington.

The girl's arms were punctured with the marks of hypodermic needles. She had died of an overdose of heroin. Narcotics detectives traced the source of the drug all the way to a wholesaler in New York City, who owns two Rolls Royces and a yacht, lives on Park Avenue, and spends three months a year on the Riviera.

But the cops couldn't dig up a shred of evidence that would stand up in court. The wholesaler had too many well-paid friends in high official places.

The story is told to introduce some bad news. The United States is still being flooded with heroin, despite greatly increased efforts to reduce the illicit trafficking. Pushing dope is still big business — according to some official sources an operation that grosses as much as \$3-billion a year.

That figure is not necessarily

Andrew Tully

exaggerated. Heroin seizures in a "normal" year have a street value of about a half billion dollars, and officials grudgingly admit that this represents only about 12 per cent of the junk coming into the country. For example, 200 kilograms of pure heroin is worth \$22-million on a New York street. As adulterated "fixes" for addicts, those 200 kilograms are multiplied to bring in a total of about \$50-million.

As a Customs officer put it: "Hell, if you're one of the big bosses the heroin racket is like having a piece of Exxon."

They call it stuff, smack, horse. For the addicts, heroin is the king of the copouts. It takes them out of their senses, often miserable world with its frustrations and constant challenges. It produces a feeling of exhilaration known as a rush. And then, as the elation wears off, there is the "nod-out" produced by the drug's narcotic effect which sends

the victims into a drowsy and tranquil state for several hours.

At least, that's the way it is in the beginning. As the body develops tolerance for heroin, the victim finds he needs a new fix every few hours.

The beginner sniffs his horse. But as he pursues his habit, he notices he's not getting the kick he needs. So he turns to the needle. This is more complicated. The heroin has to be cooked; the addict puts some horse and some water in a spoon or bottle cap and holds a lighted match under it until the drug dissolves. He then draws the solution into a hypodermic syringe and injects it, either just under the skin (skin popping) or into a vein (mainlining). Mainlining produces an immediate rush.

Quitting cold turkey is a horror. As one addict described it: "Your joints move involuntarily. You jerk and twitch and you just can't control your body, and this goes on for four or five days. After, for about 15 days, you can't sleep and you're gagging all the time you cough up blood because you can't eat, and that's all there is to cough up."

25 years ago
Helen Bartok, rolling with the Cravats entry in the Cheney Bros. Women's Bowling League, compiles a 160 single, the highest score by a woman in local competition this season.

Donations to the 1951 Red Cross Fund-Drive total \$9,311.55 with two days remaining before the half-way mark of the campaign.

10 years ago
Existing businessmen of the North End are given priority for forming a corporation for the development of a shopping center in their renewal area and are invited to a meeting to explore the proposal.

Yesterdays

Year	VERBAL (Mean)			MATH (Mean)		
	Number Tested	MHS Mean Score	Nat'l Mean Score	Number Tested	MHS Mean Score	Nat'l Mean Score
66-67	162	479	461	152	483	466
67-68	173	477	463	171	471	464
68-69	156	466	457	155	472	464
69-70	121	463	457	145	473	456
70-71	130	455	449	132	462	452
71-72	134	477	451	144	477	448
72-73	140	466	446	179	473	443
73-74	116	466	447	148	473	442
74-75	140	450	437	164	457	433

S.A.T. scores compared

Chart distributed by Manchester School Supt. James Kennedy compares mean Scholastic Aptitude Test scores of Manchester students to the national results from 1966-1967 through 1974-1975.

The chart, part of Kennedy's memo outlining educators' evaluation of students, reflects the two parts of the standardized test: Verbal and mathematics. The results are further divided by sex.

Kennedy, who was prompted by questions from budget-minded town directors, said the chart shows that while both local and national means have declined over the years, Manchester's mean scores continue to exceed the national mean scores.

The local results also exceed the statewide means, which were not on the same chart. Complete nine-year scores for

Connecticut weren't available, but the figures for 1973-1974 and 1974-1975 were:

1973-1974 — Verbal, 454 for boys and 450 for girls. Math, 499 for boys and 462 for girls.

1974-1975 — Verbal, 443 for boys and 440 for girls. Math, 492 for boys and 450 for girls.

Kennedy pointed out that the one exception to the local decline compared to the national decline in scores is girls' mean score on math.

The Scholastic Aptitude Tests are voluntary in Grades 11 and 12. About 40 to 50 per cent of those students choose to take the tests, Kennedy said.

The S.A.T. has been the standard college entrance exam but in recent years its use for that purpose has been declining, Kennedy said.

Open forum

Lutz benefit

To the editor:
The Lutz Junior Museum extends its appreciation and thanks to the members of the Jaycee Wives for their current efforts on our behalf. They are presently preparing for their fourth annual Joker Is Wild Casino Night, the proceeds of which will benefit the museum. These funds will be used, among other items, to purchase a series of United States history exhibits and school loan materials.

On Saturday March 13, 8 p.m. at the American Legion Hall, the Jaycee Wives will open the doors to their casino night. It is our hope that many people will support this group and their endeavor. In doing so, they will also be supporting the museum.

Once again, we thank these women for their generous attitude and interest in our organization.

Sincerely,
Pamela A. Salomon
Director

Let each decide

Did Christ resist change? No! He was changed! Religious quotations are freshly used in opposition to pornography, morality, bias or rigid response conditioning, was is showed down our and our children's throats. "Sexuality was endowed to man/woman as a gift to be treasured, enjoyed, and possessed."

Dateline 1776

By United Press International
BOSTON, March 10 — Gen. Howe ordered all inhabitants to turn in their woolen and linen goods to keep them from falling into the hands of the Americans. Any who refused to do so, he warned in a proclamation, would be treated as rebel partisans.

Exploratory drilling off Cape Cod coast set to start in April

Scout news

Troop 27

Boy Scout Troop 27 recently had a Court of Honor and its annual banquet at St. Mary's Episcopal Church.

Inducted into the troop as scouts were Steven Kahner, Jeffrey Waggoner, Michael Michaud, Arthur Jasper, Dean Collins, Sean Manley, Mark Colbath, Douglas Mitchell, and Mathew Nielson.

Lee Garity, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Garity, of 28 Englewood Dr., and James McDonough, son of Mr. and Mrs. Owen McDonough of 48 Lyness St., received Eagle Scout badges, the highest honor in Boy Scouting, which was reported in an earlier issue of the Herald.

Other advancement awards went to Brian Colbath, Life Scout; Scott Christensen and Jeffrey Cone, Star Scout; William Sarez, First Class Scout; Kevin Byrne and Russell Smith, Second Class Scout; Scott Carone, John Anton, William Spaulding, Russell Smith, Dean Russell, James McKenna, Steven Kahner, Jeffrey Waggoner, Tenderfoot.

A service pin was awarded Frank Emis, a member of the troop committee, for 20 years of continuous service to scouting. William Wright received a Scout Lifeguard badge and William Spaulding, a Den Chief's cord for working with Cub Scout Pack 7.

Troop 126

Boy Scout Troop 126 presented awards and badges earned by members of the troop since September at a recent Court of Honor at Emanuel Lutheran Church.

David Millis received the Eagle Bronze Palm, which he earned by completing five merit badges in addition to those required for the Eagle award. He is the first member of Troop 126 to earn a Palm award.

Advancement awards also were presented to Ralph Ley and Neal Mon, Life Scout; James Adams and Paul Johnson, Star Scout; and Russell Jensen, Tenderfoot.

Pack 251

Chambers, Scott P. Custer, Todd M. MacFarlane, Ryan K. Woodcock, one gold and silver; John J. McCarthy, one gold and three silver; Edward S. Clara, Brad J. Pelligrini, one gold and two silver; Jeffrey Hennequin, one gold and one silver. Timothy Edwards was awarded his Wolf badge.

Webelo activity awards went to Steven M. Beaulieu, Bart W. Carlson, Michael A. Roux, and John G. Tice.

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Oil companies are expected to begin drilling an exploratory hole in the Atlantic Outer Continental Shelf about 75 miles from Cape Cod, Mass., in early April, an Interior Department spokesman said Tuesday.

It will be the second test hole drilled off the East Coast by a group of 31 oil companies. The first is still under way in the Baltimore Canyon, about 80 miles off the New Jersey coast.

The companies are spending millions of dollars on the exploration in order to get information to help them bid later this year for federal offshore oil and gas leases.

A mid-Atlantic lease sale now is tentatively scheduled for May and a

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"North Atlantic" sale off New England is planned this August.

The second test will be drilled from the Sedco J, a semisubmersible drilling vessel about the size of a football field on which crewmen work and live and helicopters can land. The huge, triangle-shaped rig will move to Georges Bank, off New England, after its 140-man crew completes work on the Baltimore Canyon test hole in late March or the first week of April, the spokesman said.

"They should begin in the Georges Bank area around early April," he said, and drilling there is expected to take about four months to complete. The test will cost about \$9 million and is planned in about 140 feet of water.

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Board creates new teaching position for elementary remedial reading

Manchester's Board of Education voted Monday night to create a new professional position — remedial reading teacher for elementary grades — using state funds from the Comprehensive Employment Training Act (CETA).

The CETA money will pay for the new staffer through June. School Supt. James Kennedy said, and the position will be continued in 1976-1977 if more CETA grants come to Manchester.

Awarding of grants for 1976-1977 is "most probable," Kennedy said. After voting to establish the position, school board members wasted no time in appointing someone to the job.

Interviews had already been conducted, so the school board approved the appointment of Mrs. Deana Kauffman, a former Manchester resident, effective Tuesday.

Mrs. Kauffman earned her B.S. degree in 1970

from Bethany Nazarene College in Bethany, Okla. She received her master's degree in reading education in 1974 at the University of Missouri. She has had 5½ years of teaching experience in Kansas City, Mo.

Other personnel matters voted by the school board Monday night included five resignations and two leaves of absence for teachers. The actions were:

- Mrs. Nancy Clon, a second grade teacher at Bowers School now on leave of absence, resigned effective immediately. She taught at Bowers for four years.
- Mrs. Joan Inguanti, an elementary teacher in Manchester for four years and now on leave of absence, resigned effective immediately.
- Mrs. Brenda Paullo, a part-time speech and hearing clinician for the last year, resigned for personal reasons effective March 12.

• Mrs. Cecilia More, a fifth grade teacher at Verplank School, resigned for retirement, effective at the end of the school year. Her resignation was approved with special recognition for her 19 years as a Manchester teacher.

• Richard Sollanek, a physical education teacher at Manchester High School, resigned for retirement, effective at the end of the school year. The board approved the resignation with special recognition for Sollanek's 30 years as a Manchester teacher.

• Mrs. Arlene Glancy, a learning center teacher at Martin School, granted a maternity leave of absence for the 1976-1977 school year.

• Mrs. Patricia Jones, a third grade teacher at Bentley School, granted a maternity leave of absence for the 1976-1977 school year.

Both Mrs. Glancy and Mrs. Jones aren't tenured, school administrators said.

so the leaves of absence that a position is available are conditional on the basis after the leave.

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Town tax collections 95% of estimate

Tax receipts equating 95 per cent of 12-month estimates have been paid into Manchester's General Fund as of Feb. 29, a report by James Turck, collector of revenue, indicates. Manchester's fiscal year still has four months to go. It ends June 30.

With \$541,686 of it collected during February, the General Fund has

received \$14,105,118 in taxes, compared to \$14,784,457 estimated. Collections to other funds as of Feb. 29 show the Town Fire District Fund with 96 per cent of estimates already in, the Water Fund with 52 per cent, the Sewer Fund with 53 per cent and the Special Downtown Taxing District Fund with 105 per cent.

Estimates for the last one year was \$9,375 but it has received \$9,364 to date, thanks to back taxes collected on the property at 811-821 Main St.

Receipts to the General Fund from all sources as of Feb. 29 equaled 87 per cent of estimates, with \$10,715,193 in and \$21,414,361 estimated.

Prosecutor favors special unit to police illegal gambling

By PETER A. BROWN
HARTFORD (UPI) — The top prosecutor for the Statewide Organized Crime Investigative Task Force says a unit to police legalized gambling should be created so his men can focus on underworld ties to illegal gaming.

Austin J. McGuigan, Ells T. Grasso's plan for a 16-member squad, Tuesday said his men now spend much of their time looking into violations of legalized gambling statutes.

"The effective investigation and protection of the integrity of parimutuel gambling requires a lot of our manpower," he said following an appearance before the legislature's

Judiciary Committee. "It's clear we could conduct an effective campaign against high-level organized crime if we were not performing that function," he added.

Mrs. Grasso asked for authorization for the unit following last fall's Bridgeport jail a lai scandal. She also has recommended restructuring the Commission on Special Revenue, which controls legalized gambling — about \$40,000 a year — should be borne by the Commission on Special Revenue.

McGuigan also argued without granting immunity.

broaden state immunity laws. Existing laws restrict prosecutors to granting immunity only in gambling, election, drugs and violent crimes cases.

The proposal also would change the type of immunity used. Present laws require transactional immunity — meaning no evidence can be used against a person granted immunity — and the proposed change would only bar prosecutors from using evidence provided by the immunized persons themselves.

"If you look at Watergate you'll see government never could have developed their cases without granting immunity," McGuigan said.

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McCall lobbies for bottle ban legislation

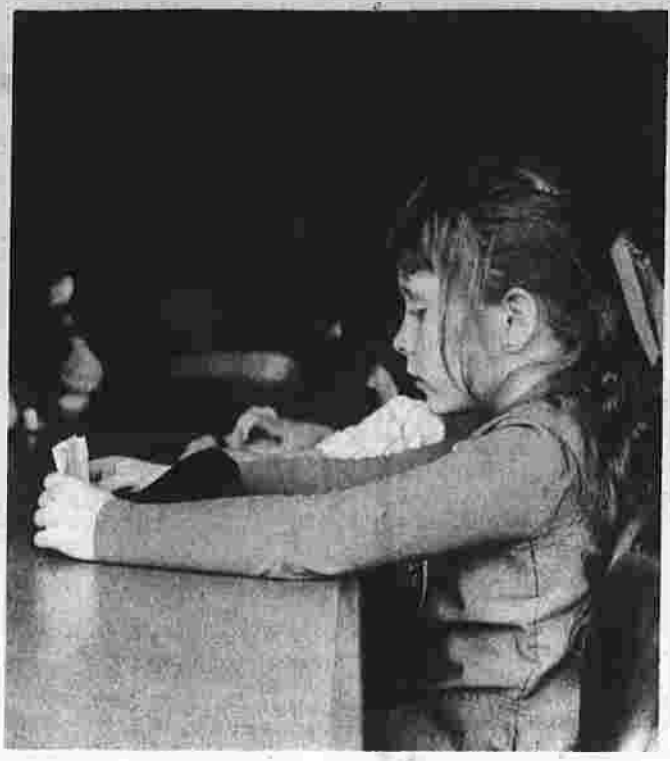
HARTFORD (UPI) — Lawmakers seeking to have Connecticut ban non returnable bottles Tuesday brought former Oregon Gov. Tom McCall to the Capitol to lobby for it.

Oregon is one of two states — Vermont is the other — that have passed such legislation, which he said would do more than just clean up the environment.

"This is a tremendously vital piece of legislation because it will take us from a wasteful throwaway society to one where we husband our resources," he told a news conference.

McCall refuted claims by critics of the bill that it would mean a rise in unemployment.

He said in Oregon there had been a total increase in jobs, although the legislation had caused a readjustment of the economy.



Daisy, Daisy

Newcombe urges health warning on liquor bottles

HARTFORD (UPI) — Former baseball star Don Newcombe Tuesday said bottles of booze should carry warnings like cigarette packs, advising drinkers they could become alcoholics like him.

"I'd like to see alcoholism prevented before it gets to the point where it necessitates treatment centers," Newcombe said in a Capitol news conference kicking off Connecticut's Alcohol Information Month.

Newcombe, one of baseball's first black pitchers and the winner of the first Cy Young Award after a 27-win season in 1956, said his alcoholism broke up his sports career and nearly his life.

Alcoholism is "the worst drug problem in the nation," he said, and bottles of hard liquor, beer and wine should carry warnings excessive drinking is dangerous to the health of drinkers and those around them.

Newcombe has been touring the nation speaking about alcoholism, especially to youths, as a consultant for the National Clearinghouse for Alcohol Information. "I let them see me, an athlete who allowed alcoholism to destroy my career," he said.

Scouts light torches

About 800 Girl Scouts and leaders representing Manchester-Bolton's 50 troops will gather in Center Park Friday at 4:30 p.m. to rekindle the flame of freedom on the Girl Scout's 64th birthday.

Mrs. Gerald Ford, the nation's first lady and honorary president of Girl Scouts, lit the symbolic torch of freedom honoring scouts around the world at the national convention in Washington, D.C. The six regional chairmen lighted similar torches, giving each council president a lighted candle. They returned to their local councils with the candles.

The flaming torch, used as a sign of freedom, will be lit at exactly 5 p.m. by the United States Girl Scouts around the world.

Mrs. Bernice Oppel, Manchester-Bolton Association chairman, will be assisted by Mayor Matthew Moriarty Jr. in lighting a taper. Leaders will extend the flame to the scouts and everyone will join in celebrating two birthdays, Girl Scouts of the United States, 64th and America's 200th. Parents of girls and the public are invited to participate with the girls in lighting freedom flames.

Manchester Square Dance Club will conduct an advanced workshop Thursday from 7:30 to 10 p.m. at Martin School.

Religious education declines

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The number of Roman Catholic children receiving no formal religious education has more than doubled in the last decade, a study prepared under the auspices of the U.S. Catholic Conference said Tuesday.

According to the study, the number grew from 3.1 million in 1965 to 6.6 million in 1974, 43.5 per cent of the more than 15 million Catholic young people in elementary or secondary schools.

More important than the numbers, according to Catholic officials, is that percentage of those reached with formal religious education has dropped. The 43.5 per cent in 1974 was contrasted with 77 per cent in 1965.

But Bishop William E. McManus of Chicago said that, while 4.6 million is "far too high a number of Catholics to be out of touch with the Church... no other nation of the world" has as successful a program of "truly voluntary religious education in full-time Catholic schools and out-of-school religious education programs.

The study showed, however, that the decline in parochial school enrollments was not being offset by a growth in enrollment in out-of-school religious instruction programs.

"For several years it has been evident that registration in Catholic elementary and secondary schools has been decreasing in dramatic proportions," the study said. "Less generally known, although suspected by many, is the fact that attendance at out-of-school (parochial) religious education programs has not been falling in ratio to the decline in Catholic school attendance.

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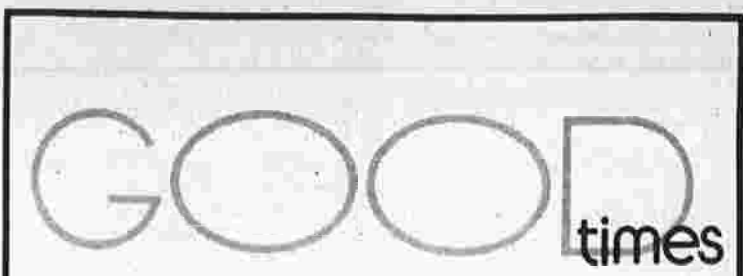
The Philadelphia Zoological Garden is the oldest zoo in the U.S. and was opened to the public July 1, 1874. The World Almanac recalls that year its feature attractions were a bear pit and lion house. Recently the zoo opened a new reptile house for more than 300 species of animals, ranging from a 3-inch banded gecko lizard to an 11-foot, 485-pound American crocodile.

Bell invented the telephone in 1876 — or did he?

By PAUL E. SCHINDLER Jr., BOSTON (UPI) — Alexander Graham Bell has a claim on invention of the telephone similar to that of Christopher Columbus on the discovery of America. He may not have been first and alone, but his was the discovery that stuck — mostly because of the muscle of his backers. Columbus had Queen Isabella. Bell had the banking know-how of a group of New England capitalists. But Bell had problems with his backers. They nearly throttled his invention at birth and would have killed it years later had a reorganization not been forced upon them. Ironically, considering efforts by Italian groups to preserve Columbus' status as America's discoverer, the Italian Historical society disputes Bell's right to the title, "Father of the Telephone." The group claimed last month the phone was invented by Antonio Meucci and said a stamp honoring him will be issued by Italy. A stamp honoring Bell was issued in Cambridge today. On March 10, 1876, Bell's assistant, Thomas Watson, heard the first words on the telephone. Fifty years later he recalled them as "Mr. Watson, come here. I want you." He said the inventor had spilled battery acid on himself. Bell's journal, written two days later, didn't mention the acid and showed a slightly different quotation: "Mr. Watson come here — I want to see you." Either way, the device Bell patented Feb. 4, 1876, would not transmit a human voice, according to testimony in the patent case which dragged on until the Supreme Court decided it 12 years later, in Bell's favor. But the device Elisha Gray of Chicago registered a few hours after Bell also had not transmitted a voice. Gray warned inventors he was

working on a telephone device by filing what is known as a " caveat." Bell was refused the right to look at the caveat but was told its general principle. He shifted his work along similar lines and created the first working telephone, tested in two attic rooms at 5 Exeter Place. The group of capitalists which backed Bell intended he should improve telegraphy. They tried to dissuade him from his work on the telephone. Finally realizing the value of his invention, they reorganized into a telephone company on Aug. 1, 1877. Thirty years later, the company was near financial ruin. It was saved by the monetary muscle of J.P. Morgan and the management philosophy of Thoms Vail. Vail believed telephone competition was wasteful and suggested companies be given exclusive franchises in particular areas. He

also said public regulation of phone companies was a good idea. The company slogan for many years, "One Policy, One System, Universal Service," was Vail's idea, and meant he wanted phone service all over the country, available to all, at a price they could afford.



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MHS alternate education program said successful

An alternate education program at Manchester High School, started this semester and proposed as a full program next year, has had surprising success, says William DiYeso, one of two teachers leading the program. DiYeso, who helped organize the program with teacher Susan Hardy, said about 25 of the 31 sophomores enrolled in the special class have shown progress. Three of the students who haven't been "reached" were to be suspended this week, DiYeso said. DiYeso said the participation of 25 of the students is "tremendous" because all of the students in the program have had poor attendance records. A few had been school truants, he said. Describing the program, DiYeso said school hours are flexible for each student although 4 1/2 hours of school are required each day. Formal classes account for just 45 minutes of the school day, he said, and the rest of the time is spent on individual projects. DiYeso said he and Ms. Hardy have had to make unusual adjustments to teach the alternate education class, because of its lack of structure. But the effort has been rewarding, he said. DiYeso, explaining the program to the Board of Education, said he has been trying to get the alternate students involved in community service activities, but plans have been hampered by instructions to "keep it quiet." He said, though, that half a dozen of the students started a volunteer program at Bentley School this week, helping teachers with a "special problem group" at that elementary school. Also in the works, DiYeso said, is a cable television show about the future of education. School administrators describe the alternate education class as a program to respond to students whose needs aren't met by traditional programs. Selection of students is based on several criteria: Students with a poor self-image; potential dropouts; students with lack of motivation, direction and drive; students with high rate of absences or tardiness; students unable to function in a regular classroom; students with skill development below their ability. The program, estimated to cost an extra \$12,000 in the 1976-1977 year, emphasizes "survival skills" and stresses basic curricula in social studies, language arts, reading, science and mathematics.

White's appearance in court, while was taken to another facility. One of the three men, wielding a pump-action shotgun, jumped out of the stolen car after it hit the station wagon, but was called back by the others who then sped off.



Sunset in West Germany

As the sinking sun's rays play on the quiet waters of this lake near Hannover, West Germany, silhouetted families enjoy a stroll on an almost spring-like evening. They are crossing wooden bridges that traverse the Steinhuder Meer. (UPI photo)

Only 27 Vermont voters cast ballots in primary

MONTPELIER, Vt. (UPI)—About 27 per cent of eligible Vermont voters cast ballots in the March 2 primary, according to the official results released Tuesday by the secretary of state's office. A total of 72,020 of the eligible 265,000 Vermonters voted in the non-binding primary won by President Ford on the Republican ticket and by former Georgia Gov. Jimmy Carter on the Democratic slate. The vote is not binding on the selection of delegates to the national political conventions this summer. The delegates will be chosen at state conventions this spring. According to a report of the canvassing board Tuesday, Ford had 27,014 votes, and former California Gov. Ronald Reagan, 4,892. In the Republican race, Reagan was a

write-in candidate. There were a scattering of 232 other votes in the GOP race. In the Democratic contest, Carter had 16,235 votes; Sargent Shriver, 10,889; Fred Harris, 4,805; and Ellen McCormack, 3,324. There was a scattering of 3,462 votes among write-ins on the Democratic ticket. Margaret Wright of Watts, Calif. had 965 votes on the Liberty Union ticket. The Liberty Union is the state's third political party. A scattering of 150 votes was made on its ticket. In addition, there were 284 scattered write-ins with no party designation. Among the write-in candidates, Rep. Morris Udall, D-Ariz., received 1,235 votes and Alabama Gov. George Wallace, 916.

Advisory board names patient advocates

Five volunteer patient advocates have been selected by the Manchester Advisory Board of Health to work with patients in convalescent homes and their families. Dr. Alice Turek, town health director, told the board Tuesday that five Manchester women have completed a 30-hour training course qualifying them to provide services involving patients' rights, physical and social needs, and to report any problems noted in patient care to the Board of Health. The five advocates are: Mrs. Shirley Rayburn, a certified social worker aide; Mrs. Jean Giguere, a teacher; Mrs. Valerie Boland, R.N.; Mrs. Anita Cunningham, R.N.; and Mrs. Shirley Pagliuca, piano teacher. Mrs. Rayburn and Mrs. Giguere have been assigned to The Meadows Convalescent Home. Mrs. Boland to Crestfield. Mrs. Cunningham to Manchester Manor, and Mrs. Pagliuca to Green Lodge, Holiday House and Laurel Manor. As volunteers, their length of service is unlimited.

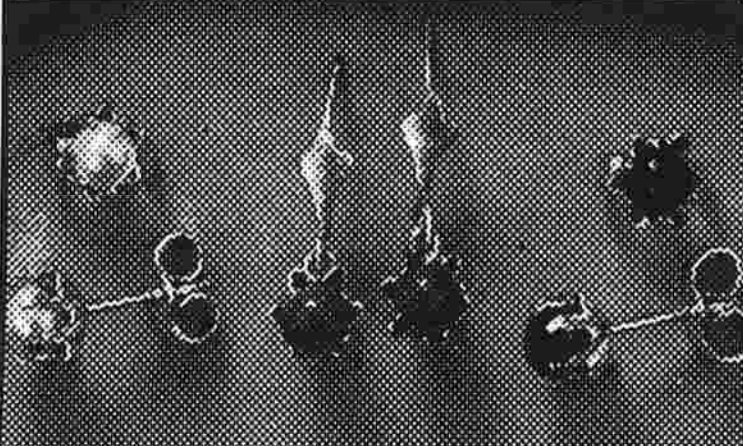


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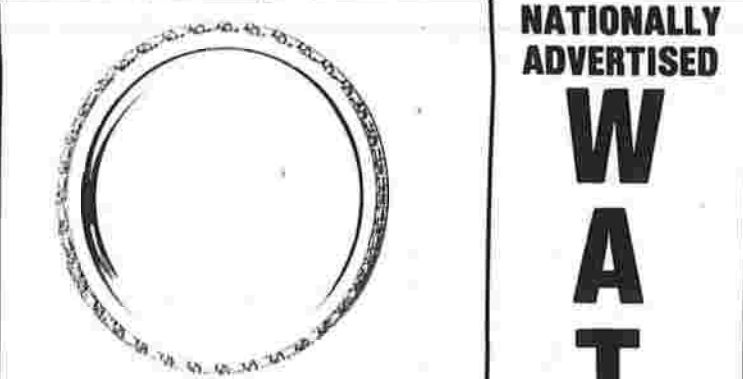
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Manchester hospital notes

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MHS Spanish Club field trip to Puerto Rico is approved

The Manchester High School Spanish Club, which had planned a February field trip to Guatemala, is trying again.

The February school vacation trip was canceled after the severe earthquake in that country. The club is now planning an extended field trip to Puerto Rico.

The club's plans, approved by the Board of Education Monday night, call for a six-night, seven-day trip from April 9 to 16. About 30 students and two chaperones plan to go.

The school vacation week starts April 10, so the club and its two teacher-chaperones will miss one day of school. Educators said the

reason for that travel plan is the reduced airfare on Fridays.

While in Puerto Rico, the Spanish Events Club at Manchester High School. The trip, which will take two school days, will involve about 44 students and two chaperones. The itinerary includes visits to Congress, the State Department, the West German Embassy, the Voice of America, and several museums and other public buildings.

The Manchester High School Ski Club weekend trip, April 9 to 11, to Killington, Vt. The trip by bus is planned for 40 to 50 students and two chaperones. If it doesn't snow, they won't go.

Police report

Arrests made or summonses issued by Manchester Police included:

- Elroy A. Harrigan, 35, of East Windsor, charged on a warrant Tuesday afternoon with two counts of third-degree larceny (shoplifting) at Liggett Rexall Parkade Drug Store. Court date is March 29.
- Peter M. Weiss, 20, of 71 N. Lakewood Circle, charged on a warrant Tuesday afternoon with breach of peace. Police said the charge stems from a Feb. 14 disturbance at a check. Court date is March 29.
- Robert S. Crosby, 23, of West Hartford, charged at 1:45 a.m. today with following too closely and failure to obey a red light. The charges were lodged after a two-car accident at Center and Broad St. involving Crosby's car and a vehicle driven by Michael Hall, 30, of 40 Earl St.

Minor injuries were reported. Court date (not required) is March 30.

• Augusto N. Velez, 31, of 11 Bank St., charged Tuesday afternoon with fourth-degree larceny (shoplifting) at Liggett Rexall Parkade Drug Store. Court date is March 29.

• Theft reported to Manchester Police St. The clothing was taken from an automobile parked near Mott's Shop-Rite Supermarket, Spencer St.

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Methane gas explosion kills 15 coal miners

PARTRIDGE, Ky. (UPI) — The bodies of 15 miners trapped 5 1/2 miles underground when a methane gas explosion ripped through a mine near this eastern Kentucky village were found early today. The mine had been cited for high concentrations of methane gas.

Nine were killed in the explosion and six apparently suffocated from a mixture of heavy smoke and methane, said Kentucky Department of Mines and Mineral Resources Commissioner Harrell Kirkpatrick.

The explosion occurred Tuesday at the Scotia Coal Co. mine, a subsidiary of Blue Diamond Coal Co., near the Virginia border and about 40 miles from Hyden, Ky., where a methane gas explosion killed 38 miners five years ago.

Kirkpatrick said six of the miners apparently were not killed instantly. "Nine of them were found in different spots and there were six who evidently were not killed instantly," said Kirkpatrick. "They were able to partially barricade themselves."

The six men apparently attempted to use a heavy tarpaulin called brattice cloth used in all mines to form an air pocket after an explosion.

The Mining Enforcement and Safety Administration said in Washington late Tuesday that the explosion had been caused by a pocket of methane gas.

The administration had previously cited Scotia for methane levels of 5 to 15 per cent. A methane level of more than 5 per cent is considered dangerous, the administration said.

Kirkpatrick said an investigation would be launched today to determine the exact cause of the explosion.

Conflicting testimony heard in Gold trial

WATERBURY (UPI) — A Superior Court jury heard conflicting testimony Tuesday as to whether shoeprints found at the home of Irving and Rhoda Pasternak matched the shoes of Murray R. Gold, on trial for their murders.

McDonald said the discrepancy resulted from his having examined full heel prints, while the FBI had only a partial heel print to study.

Gold, 42, a Forth Hills, N.Y., stockbroker, is accused of the stabbing deaths of Irving Pasternak, 71, a prominent local attorney, and his wife, Rhoda, 66. The Pasternaks were Gold's former wife's parents.

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Democrats to meet tonight

Manchester's new 80-member Democratic town committee meets tonight to organize and to elect its officers for 1976-78, with all incumbents expected to be re-elected.

The meeting is at 8 p.m. in the Municipal Building Hearing Room.

The present officers and with no opposition at this writing are Ted Cummings, chairman; Dorothy Brindamour, vice-chairman; Mary LeDuc, secretary; and Paul Phillips, treasurer.

The new town committee will serve to March 1978. Elected Jan. 21 at caucuses in all 10 voting districts, it has 10 new members — 7 filling vacancies and 3 replacing 3 incumbents defeated Jan. 21.

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It's a paper Bicentennial quilt

Shawn Smith, left, and Ricky Correia, Grade 3 students at Robertson School, display their class Bicentennial project — a cardboard and yarn quilt. Each patch depicts a patriotic or historical theme designed by individual class members. The 50 patches represent each letter of the alphabet and the four state symbols — flag, flower, bird and animal. (Herald photo by Pinto)

Democrats urge more spending Congressional report scores Ford budget

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Congress' Joint Economic Committee said today President Ford's budget would weaken recovery from the recession, leave unemployment high and continue inflation at 6 per cent.

The committee's Democrats called instead for higher government spending, temporary jobs programs for a million persons and a voluntary price-incomes policy to reduce inflation gradually to 4 per cent in 1977.

Committee Republicans, in a minority report, said the proposed program "requires more of the excessive spending and huge deficits which contributed heavily to our bout with inflation and recession in the first place."

Chairman Hubert Humphrey, D-Min., in a statement accompanying the report said:

"The administration's restrictive budget proposals would weaken — and perhaps interrupt — recovery. We are at a crossroads in economic policy. We can move forward toward prosperity and price stability or we can stagnate and suffer 7 to 8 per cent unemployment and 6 per cent inflation until the next recession comes along."

He said federal spending would be higher under the Democratic program but the increased tax revenues it would generate would mean the deficit would be little if any larger.

Hankin committee Republican Clarence Brown of Ohio said: "The next 12 months will see sustained economic growth with record numbers being added to job rolls if we are able to follow the path to fiscal responsibility being charted by the administration."

Here are the committee's other major recommendations:

- A voluntary price-incomes policy to hold down inflationary price and wage increases.
- Continuation of current tax cuts at least through 1977 and additional tax cuts if the economy appears to be slowing down.
- No Social Security tax increases.
- The Federal Reserve Board should conduct monetary policy to avoid any substantial rise in short-term interest rates and encourage reductions in longer term rates.
- Emergency jobs legislation should provide one million additional temporary jobs.
- General revenue sharing should be extended.

Nursing home executives indicted

PROVIDENCE, R.I. (UPI) — A Providence County grand jury has indicted two Rhode Island nursing home corporations and two Connecticut executives on charges of obtaining state Medicaid funds under false pretenses in 1973 and 1974.

The 24-count indictment Tuesday names Alliance Medical Inns-Bristol, doing business as the Silver Creek Manor in Bristol, and Warwick Convalescent.

Since the alleged fraud, the second facility was sold to another group which had nothing to do with the indictment, the state attorney general's office said.

George L. Weil of Milford, Conn., who was treasurer of two homes, and John A. Penzotti of Bridgeport, Conn., vice president in charge of financial affairs, also were named in the indictment.

It charged \$212,314.40 was obtained under false pretenses in 1973 and 1974. Other charges included conspiracy and filing false statements.

It was the second case handed down by the grand jury this month involving alleged fraud by Rhode Island nursing homes.

"This office fully intends to continue its attack against crime whether it be on the street or in the executive suite," said Attorney General Julius C. Micheloni.

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The Herald's 1976 automobile giveaway, sponsored by the Retail Trade Commission of the Greater Manchester Chamber of Commerce, area auto dealers and 52 local merchants, is off and running.

The first of the weekly drawings leading to next month's grand drawing was conducted earlier this week. The weekly winners — one from each of the 52 participating Herald advertisers — are listed below.

Winners of the weekly drawings have their names entered for the April 3 grand drawing. The winner in the grand drawing will then spin a roulette wheel to select which of 12 new cars will be the prize.

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- K Mart: Martin Fredrickson, 3 Ashworth St.
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Obituaries

Fearvante J. Vicki, 64, of 380 Main St. was dead on arrival this morning at Manchester Memorial Hospital after apparently suffering a heart attack while operating a snow blower at his home. He was the husband of Mrs. Anna Verminski Vicki.

Mr. Vicki was born May 11, 1911 in Italy, son of Mrs. Palmira Vicki of Manchester and the late John Vicki, and had lived in Manchester most of his life.

Before his retirement a year ago, he was employed by the Connecticut Gaining Commission. He formerly was the proprietor of the Bassell St. package store, now known as Fuller's Package Store, for a number of years. He also conducted an electrical appliance store in Manchester for a number of years. He was a charter member of Manchester Lodge of Elks and served for several years as a trustee of the lodge. He was a former member of Campbell Council, KofC, and Bishop McMahon Assembly, Fourth degree, KofC.

Other survivors are two sons, John E. Vicki of Manchester and Gerald F. Vicki of Milford, Mass.; a brother, Frank J. Vicki of Glastonbury; a sister, Mrs. Irene Hartland of Manchester; and seven grandchildren.

The funeral is Friday at 9:30 a.m. from the John F. Tierney Funeral Home, 219 W. Center St., with a Mass at St. Bridget Church at 10 a.m. Burial will be in St. James Cemetery, Hartford.

Friends may call at the funeral home Thursday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

Leonard J. Wetmore, 61, of 427 Burnham St., president of Wetmore Power Equipment Inc. of East Hartford, died Tuesday at Hartford Hospital. He was the husband of Mrs. Margaret Howat Wetmore.

Mr. Wetmore was born in Rutland, Vt., and lived in East Hartford for several years before coming to Manchester 13 years ago. He founded the equipment company in 1964, serving as its president until his death. He was an Air Force veteran of the Korean Conflict.

He was a past president of the Lawnmower Dealers Association, and a member of the Blacksmiths Association of Connecticut, Officers Club of Connecticut and East Hartford Lodge of Elks. He also belonged to Orient Lodge of Masons, East Hartford, and was a 32nd degree Mason.

Other survivors are three sons, Ronald Wetmore of Manchester, David A. Wetmore of East Hartford and Leonard J. Wetmore of Norton, Mass.; a daughter, Mrs. Nancy Lombardo of Glastonbury; his father, Joseph Wetmore of Miami, Fla.; a sister, Mrs. Lera Couch of Miami, and five grandchildren.

The funeral is Thursday at 1 p.m. at Rose Hill Funeral Home, 580 Elm St., Rocky Hill. Burial will be in Rose Hill Memorial Park, Rocky Hill.

Friends may call at the funeral home tonight from 7 to 9 p.m.

The family suggests that any memorial gifts may be made to the American Cancer Society, 292 S. Marshall St., Hartford.

Mrs. Joseph Z. Babineau, 79, formerly of 125 Blufffield Dr., died Tuesday night at Manchester Memorial Hospital. She was the wife of Joseph Z. Babineau.

Mrs. Babineau was born Sept. 23, 1896, in Boston, Mass., the daughter of the late William and Minnie McNaughton McCain, and lived in Manchester many years. She was a member of the Manchester Senior Citizens.

She is also survived by a brother, Frederick McCain of Brighton, Mass. The funeral is Friday at 8:30 a.m. from the John F. Tierney Funeral Home, 219 W. Center St., with a Mass at 9 a.m. at the Church of the Assumption. Burial will be in Holy Cross Cemetery, Malden, Mass.

Friends may call at the funeral home Thursday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

Mills E. Lambert, ROCKVILLE — Mills E. Lambert, 66, of 97 High St. died Friday at his home.

Mr. Lambert was born May 19, 1909, in Champlain, N.Y., and moved here three years ago. He was a retired machinist.

He was a communicant of St. Bernard's Church, a member of the 65-Club of Rockville.

Survivors are two sons, Gerald E. Lambert of Ellington and Daniel G. Lambert of Rockville; two daughters, Mrs. Edward Goslow of Plattsburg, N.Y., and Diane C. Lambert of Rockville; three brothers, Gordon Lambert and John Lambert, both of Plattsburg, and Roy Lambert of Youngstown, Ohio; three sisters, Mrs. Blanche Gooley, Mrs. Grace Filson and Mrs. Evelyn Nelson, all of Plattsburg, and nine grandchildren.

The funeral is Friday at 9:15 a.m. from the White-Gibson-Small Funeral Home, 65 Elm St., Rockville, with a Mass at 10 a.m. at St. Bernard's Church, Rockville. A spring burial will be in St. Mary's Cemetery in Champlain, N.Y.

Friends may call at the funeral home Thursday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

Frank A. DeNezzo, 75, of 122 Highland Ter., Worthington, Ohio, formerly of Manchester, died Wednesday at Riverside Hospital, Worthington. He was the husband of Mrs. Katherine M. DeNezzo.

Mr. DeNezzo was born in Hartford and before his retirement was employed as an inspector by the Connecticut Motor Vehicle Department.

Other survivors are two daughters, Mrs. Mary Egan of Manchester and Mrs. Abram Jean Ottolenghi of Worthington; two sons, Miss Minnie DeNezzo and Mrs. Jennie Rossi, both of Hartford; 12 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren.

The funeral is Thursday at 10 a.m. at St. Michael's Church, Worthington, at 10 a.m. Burial will be in Walnut Grove Cemetery, Worthington.

Calling hours at the Rutherford-Corbin Funeral Home, 515 High St., Worthington, are Thursday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

Joseph Harrison, 74, of Boston, formerly of Manchester, died Monday night at Massachusetts Rehabilitation Hospital, Boston.

Mr. Harrison was born in Rockville and lived in Manchester and Hartford before moving to the Boston area 28 years ago.

Survivors are a sister, Mrs. Charles McCarthy Sr. of Hollywood, Fla., formerly of Manchester; and several nieces and nephews.

The funeral will be at Holmes Funeral Home, 400 Main St., at the convenience of the family. Burial will be in East Cemetery.

There are no calling hours.

Michael A. Devine, COVENTRY — Michael Angelo Devine, 29, of Homestead Dr. died Monday at St. Francis Hospital, Hartford, from injuries suffered about 13 weeks ago in a fall while working. He was the husband of Mrs. Theresa Wick Devine.

Mr. Devine was born in Pawtucket, R.I., and had lived in Coventry for the past three years. He had been employed by the Greise Advertising Co. of West Hartford.

Other survivors are a son, Stephen Michael Devine of Coventry; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Devine of Jamestown, R.I.; and a sister and three brothers in Rhode Island.

The funeral is Friday with a Mass at St. Mary's Church at 10 a.m. Burial will be in St. Mary's Cemetery.

The Pater Funeral Home, 456 Jackson St., Willimantic, is in charge of arrangements.

There are no calling hours.

Mrs. Doris Disney, FARMINGTON (UPI) — A funeral is planned Friday for Mrs. Doris Disney, who wrote 47 mysteries, many of them set in Connecticut. She died Monday in Fredericksburg, Va., at the age of 68.

She was a past president of the "No Nest of Kin," was based on the 1944 Hartford circus fire in which 189 persons died. The book's plot centered on "Little Miss 166," an unidentified child of about seven who died in the fire but whose body was never claimed.

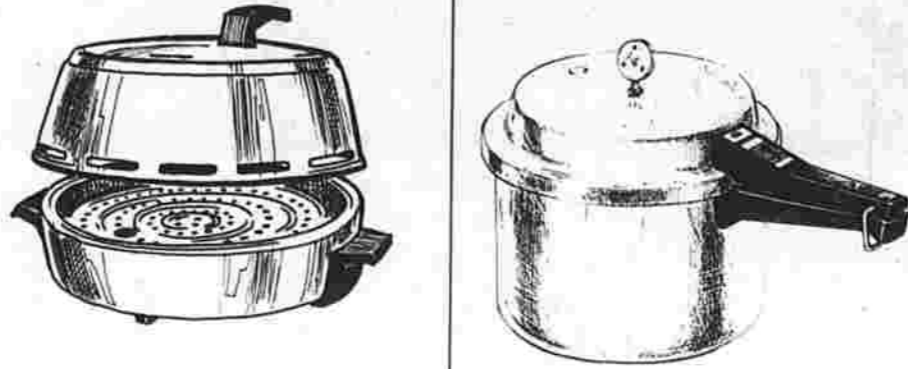
Mrs. Disney told interviewers she spent years writing in her school composition books, but her first manuscript, a mystery, was not published until she was 25 years old.

Her last book, "Winfred," will be published in April. Among her other books are "Heavy Heavy Hugs" (1922), "Look Back on Murder" (1950), and "Family Skeleton" published in 1959 and titled under the title "Stella."

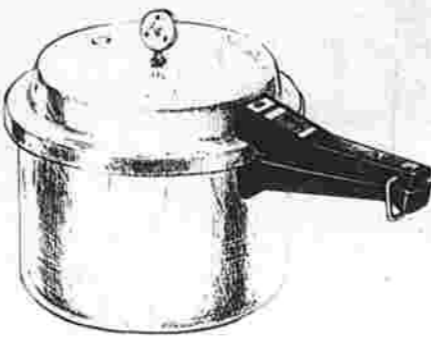
Mrs. Disney was born in Glastonbury and lived in Farmington, Bristol and Plainville. In 1969 she chaired Plainville's Charter Revision Commission.

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Lang of Fredericksburg, Va., and two sisters, Elizabeth Miles and Mrs. George Tolve, both of Bristol.

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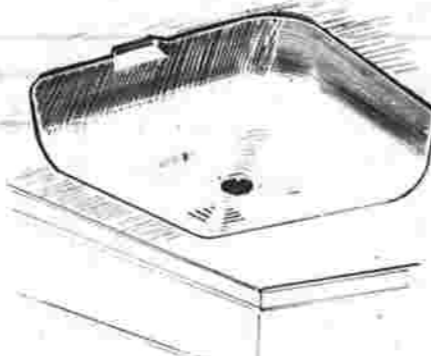
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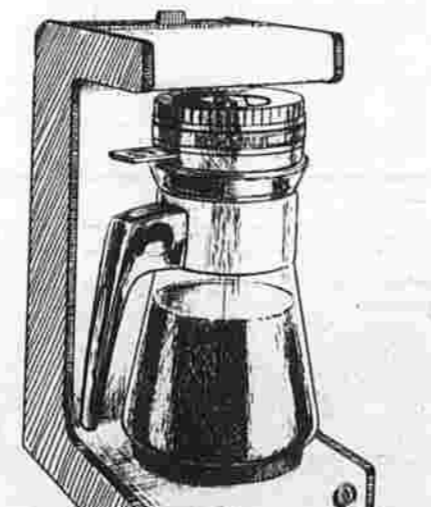
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East disappointed with 18-5 record

By LEN AUSTER Herald Sportswriter

Strange as it might seem East Catholic was disappointed with its 18-5 record for the 1975-76 basketball season. So says Coach Stan Ogrdnik.

Not taking anything away from the team which worked hard and diligently from start to finish, one question lingers. How much better would the Eagles have been if 6-2 senior guard Bill Moffett could have played? Moffett was geared for an exceptional season but a stress fracture in pre-season put a halt to any aspirations he might've had.

"It's not an excuse but before the season we said Moffett was the one player we could least afford to lose," insists Ogrdnik. "All year we would have liked him to draw the opponent's top man. I don't pass out accolades easily but I will say he is the best defensive player I've ever coached. His loss hurt. We missed him even when we won 14 in a row. His loss was devastating but it's no excuse. The kids played tremendously without him and I'm proud of the swiftness they pulled together and through adversity but I think we would've accomplished more (with Moffett)."

East won its first 14 outings before running into South Catholic, which by the way has reached the Class L Division finals Saturday against Warren Harding at the New Haven Coliseum. The Eagles rebounded to win their next two but were off and on the rest of the way before being ousted from tournament play by lightning-quick Crosby High of Waterbury.

"We lost our edge at some point of the season," assessed Ogrdnik. "I don't know when. Maybe when we were hit by the flu. I really don't know. East prior to its second meeting with Northwest Catholic was hit by the bug which stuck around for about two weeks.

"The Eagles will lose to graduation only 6-5 center John Lusa with all other varsity performers returning for another shot. Complacency, however, won't be a problem. "If we kept on rolling as we've early may not be one of our problems. To a man all feel they could do better. We still have a lot to prove. All a coach asks is they play hard and they did all year. I think we did establish ourselves as one of the top teams in the state," viewed East's eight-year coach.

Lusa paced East scoring with 406 points (17.7 average) and also in rebounding with 283 caroms. Six-foot

four junior forward Gary Carlson was rumerup in both departments with 237 points (11.3) and 226 rebounds. Pete Thompson, 5-10 playmaker, handed out 151 assists to lead in that category.

What's East's future? "I feel we have unlimited potential next year which started to be realized this year. Next year everybody will be a year older with one more year of experience and I feel all will come back better players," Ogrdnik remarked. "We do lose Lusa, who in every close game we seem to need to make every key play, but I feel we'll have maybe more than one player who can assume the role next year.

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Record noted

The Manchester Board of Directors at Tuesday night's meeting passed a resolution commending Manchester High basketball coach Doug Pearson for a job well done.

Pearson, in his second season at the helm led the Indians to a 21-3 record, the 1411 championship and to the quarter-finals of the Class LL Division in the State Tournament.

B's sign British player

HARTFORD (UPI) — Bobby Thompson, a top British defenseman, has been signed by the Hartford Bicentennials of the North American Soccer League.

Thompson, 31, recently played for the Lazio team which he captained and was chosen its most valuable player in 1974. The Bies announced his acquisition Tuesday.

The center-back played most of his career with the Wolverhampton Wanderers beginning in 1961 and has appeared in eight England international cups.

Thompson is expected to help the greatly inexperienced defense that saw the Bicentennials suffer through a 6-17 season last year, including an 11-game losing streak.

Bicentennial President Robert Darling said the team suffered further off-season woes when their most valuable player, Franz Smuda, decided to return to Poland "where he is something of a national hero."

In hiring the six-foot, 170-pound Thompson, Darling said the team wanted "an impact-type player that would make the fans sit up and take notice that we are serious about bringing a serious contender to Hartford this season."

Rudi Schiffer, acting general manager for the Bicentennials, noted the acquisition by the other league teams of top strikers from Europe and said Thompson's job will be "to stop the best in the league."

Thompson said he was looking forward to playing in America even though the caliber is not as good as European play. He also doesn't regard Pete, the international superstar now with the NASL's New York Cosmos, as anything more than "just another player."

Thompson said his style of play regards all opponents as equally tough but beatable. "I can't start to worry about them. Let them worry about me," he said.

"I guess we will start as a dark horse, but I think we can progress into a contender," he said.

Schiffer also announced top English striker Malcolm Smith, 22, on loan to Blackpool, has agreed to play for the Bicentennials this year, and Thompson will return to England to try and recruit several other First Division players.

Currently working out in the Bicentennial camp is Kris Michalik, veteran Polish First Division player, and Gerry Sulzar, former goaltender of the Cosmos.

Pro basketball

Los Angeles (UPI) — Pitcher Tommy John, idled by an elbow injury since 1974, Tuesday signed a 1976 contract with the Los Angeles Dodgers.

John hurt his elbow pitching on July 17, 1974. At that time the southpaw was 13-5. He had surgery to repair the ruptured tendon in his left elbow and missed the entire 1975 season.

FOXBORO, Mass. (UPI) — Head coach and general manager Chuck Fairbanks will notify New England Patriots ticket-holders this week of an extension of the renewal deadline for all 1976 accounts from March 15 to April 12.

Anthony leading

AKRON, Ohio (UPI)—Defending champion Earl Anthony, Tacoma, Wash., has a commanding lead this week in the Professional Bowlers Association money winnings list and threatens to make a runaway of the title.

Anthony, who won his second straight title Saturday, has earned \$51,000 in eight tournaments this year. He added \$14,000 to his earnings with a victory in the \$100,000 AMP Dick Weber's 5 Star Open at Tamara, Fla.



Otto Moore of Jazz blocks basket try. Celtics' Tommy Boswell couldn't get ball to hoop.

Herald angle

Earl Yost Sports Editor

From ring to court

Overtime Manchester fighter Billy Corcoran is now a tennis teaching professional in Metairie, La., and one of his star pupils is Jimmy Taylor, the former blockbusting fullback with the Green Bay Packers in the NFL.

Corcoran writes that one of his friends asked why he gave up boxing and the Silk Towner replied, "I quit because of my hands. The referee kept stepping on them."

Corcoran, a handsome young man, was a better than average club fighter. When a clipping on the death of Bobby March, another local man, reached Corcoran, he took pen in hand and forwarded a letter.

Both fought several times on the same card and often sparred in training sessions here.

One of Corcoran's most memorable fights was against Johnny Lyzak of Boston. Both fighters went to elementary school in Hartford and took up boxing under the watchful eye of former world featherweight champion Louis "Kid" Kaplan as part of the community center program in Hartford.

Corcoran reported Taylor, who teamed with Paul Hornung and Bart Starr to propel the Packers into the limelight under the late Vince Lombardi's coaching, was still in great shape with fine reflexes and very competitive. Tennis will do that for a man, young or old.

Baseball men in news

Two major league baseball men with local connections have been in the news recently. Jay Johnstone, born in Manchester, came up with a new lease on life last year with the Philadelphia Phillies and wound up as one of the team's leading hitters. Johnstone has signed his 1976 contract and is anxious to start spring training at the Phil's camp in Clearwater, Fla. Ernie Johnson, who played professional basketball in Manchester and who pitched in the majors with the Milwaukee Braves, Atlanta Braves and Baltimore Orioles, has moved up from the No. 2 to the No. 1 spot with the Braves' telecasting crew. Johnson has been in radio and teevee work with the Braves since he retired as an active player nearly a decade ago. He succeeds Milo Hamilton who moves over to broadcast for Pittsburgh.

Skip Carey, son of Chicago White Sox announcer Harry Carey, will team up with Johnson in describing the Braves' play on the field. Tallwood Men's Club will launch golf tournament play March 20 with the Easter Classic at Mike and Karney Ovan's 18-hole course in Hebron. Nick Pahlolis is the club president. A full eight month schedule has been arranged for members. Since Minnesota Viking lineman Ed White won the NFL arm wrestling championship he has received 2,000 challenges. The 6-2, 175-pound guard won \$10,000 in the competition among NFL players. White's biceps measure 16 inches and 20 inches

Jazz has Celtics' number after seven futile tries

By EARL YOST Sports Editor

One game doesn't make a season and that's fortunate for the Boston Celtics. The NBA's Eastern Division leaders looked like also-rans last night as the last place New Orleans Jazz of the Central Division broke a two-year victory drought and wound up with an impressive 117-99 victory.

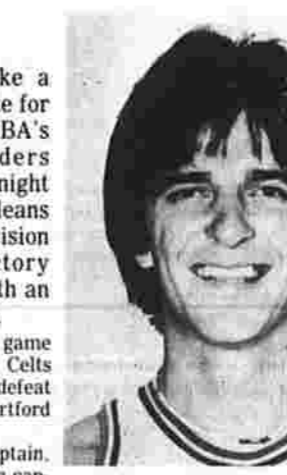
Playing the fourth straight game without John Havlicek, the Celtics were going down to their third defeat before 11,230 fans at the Hartford Civic Center.

Boston, without its floor captain, was like a ship at sea without a captain. Seven straight times the Jazz left before Boston in previous meetings and for a time last night it appeared the Celt mastery would continue with an 11-point lead in the third period.

Then the roof fell in. Pistol Pete Maravich more than lived up to his reputation. The slick passing, sharpshooting guard threw in 37 points, handed off 11 assists and grabbed 11 rebounds.

"Movement was all it was," Bitch Van Breda Koff of the Jazz said. "It was a great game for us, the beating Boston and doing it on the road," he added as he puffed on a large green cigar which was given him by Red Auerbach, Celtic general manager.

"When we move the ball, we play our best game. Coming out to meet the ball was all the difference, plus the third period play of Bud



PIPETE MARAVICH

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Baseball spring drills appear long way off

NEW YORK (UPI)—The heavy snow falling outside was symbolic.

Spring...and the opening of the baseball training camps...still appear to be a long way off.

The calendar says there are only four weeks to the opening of the major league baseball season, but there continues to be no breakthrough in negotiations between the players and the owners over a new basic agreement.

The two sides met for the 26th time Tuesday and the sub-freezing weather outdoors was indicative of how it went in the office of Marvin Miller, executive director of the Players Association. Raised voices and obscenities echoed throughout the room as each side remained cold toward the other.

"About the only thing the two sides

could agree on was to head to warmer climates to continue negotiations. In an effort to better inform the players as to what's going on, the two sides agreed to meet with all the player representatives at Tampa, Fla., Thursday.

The players representatives will hold their own joint meeting Thursday then meet jointly with the Players Association and the Player Relations Committee. The next negotiation meeting between the PA and PRC is Friday at St. Petersburg, Fla.

The owners, who had been accused of slowing their own negotiations until an appeals decision was handed down on the Andry Messersmith-Dave McNally reserve clause ruling, took a third strike on that issue Tuesday.

Shortly after their meeting broke up, the Players Association's stand on the reserve clause was strengthened by the 8th U.S. Circuit

Court of Appeals, which upheld earlier arbitration and court decisions on the matter.

The two stumbling blocks in the negotiations, Miller said, are the reserve clause and retroactivity. The owners say a new collective bargaining agreement would take precedence over individual contracts already signed, prohibiting players from becoming free agents under court interpretation of the renewal clause.

The Players Association says it does not have the right to bargain away a player's rights. If it did, it should therefore like to negotiate with the association could be sued by the players.

The Players Association has offered a plan whereby it would ask signed players to waive their rights, but thus far the owners have balked at such a proposal unless it included the reserve clause as well.



New look Chicago White Sox baseball uniforms

Former major leaguers living in the Chicago area modeled the new Chicago White Sox home and road uniforms yesterday for owner Bill Vecek. From left, Bill Skovron, Mo Drabowski, Jim Rivera, Vecek, Dave Nicholson and Dan Osinski. The shorts are designed for hot weather home games.

Kapp finishes stay on witness stand

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI)—Joe Kapp has finished giving testimony in his own damages trial in federal court against the New England Patriots and the National Football League. Until the defense wheels in its big guns in a couple of weeks, little of substance can be expected.

In baseball, such a period is called the "dog days," meaning it's the middle of August, the local team has dropped out of the race and the players are merely going through the motions and praying for the end of the season.

Kapp was on the stand a total of 17 1/2 days, and while the defense took its best shots at him, the former star quarterback came through unscathed. In fact, veteran court observers said he put on "a helluva performance." By his own admission, Kapp said he thought he more than held his own.

"I know they are trying to paint me

as some kind of money-hungry player who wasn't interested in anything but himself," Kapp said, "but when you strip away everything else all I ever wanted to do was play football."

It seemed all right for everyone else—all the clubs I ever played for—Mr. (Pete) Rozelle and the others to have attorneys advise them but as soon as I showed up with an attorney they thought something was wrong—that I was interested in litigation rather than playing football. In fact, at one point Mr. Rozelle told me my attorney had done well by me but was giving me bad advice when he told players not to sign the standard player contract."

Kapp is seeking unspecified damages from the Patriots and the NFL, claiming he was lked out of training camp in the summer of 1971 on orders from Rozelle, the NFL commissioner, because he refused to sign the standard player contract on the advice of his attorney and thus was prevented from honoring a three-year contract with the Minnesota Vikings. Kapp is trying to prove Kapp was not in-

terested in honoring that agreement and he put himself out of football by refusing to sign the standard player contract.

Three experienced defense attorneys, James McKay of Washington, D.C., William Wilms of New York and former San Francisco Mayor Joseph Alioto— took their best shots at Kapp while he was on the stand and none was able to shake him.

Now, Kapp's attorney is down to presenting portions of depositions taken from Patriots owner William Sullivan and Rozelle. Nothing is expected to come out of either deposition except for a minor contradiction here and there.

The defense has promised to bring both Sullivan and Rozelle to San Francisco to testify in person when they get to their turn. Another one of its key witnesses is expected to be former General Manager Jim Finks of the Minnesota Vikings. Kapp played for Finks at Minnesota and earlier at Toronto in the Canadian Football League.

Carlton Fisk signed but wants new pact

DURHAM, N.H. (UPI)—Jim Town, a junior forward from Massachusetts, has been named the Yankee Conference Player of the Year.

Town and Mike Pyatt of Massachusetts also highlighted the first-team Yankee Conference all-star squad. The awards were announced Tuesday.

"On the team with the Massachusetts duo are Tony Hansen of Connecticut, Stan Wright of Rhode Island and Paul Wholey of Maine.

Connecticut, ECAC New England regional champion, placed two players on the second team: center John Thomas and ECAC tournament MVP Joe Whelan. The field was sounded out by Mark Donoghue of UMass, Warren Pehrman of Vermont and Bob Warner of Maine.

BOSTON (UPI)—Carlton Fisk says he signed a renewal agreement with the Red Sox for this season but still hopes to negotiate a better contract.

The hard-hitting catcher is in his option year. Since he and manager Lynn, Rick Burleson, Denny Doyle and John Balaz, Clairborne said "progress is being made" in negotiations with attorney Jerry Kapstein, who is representing Fisk, Lynn and Burleson.

"We have discussed multiyear contracts for the three of them," Clairborne said. "We also have mentioned one-year contracts. It's up to them. But the length of the contracts isn't an issue.

Fischer Jim Willoughby signed his contract Tuesday.

Bowling

BARBARA—Barbara Siefert 203-523, Anne Noyes 183, Linda Gustafson 191, 178-522, Ginger Younkas 177-189-513, Gail Shimatis 188-176-504, Barbara Algren 482, Pat Tweedy 487, Chris Pierce 507, Dolly Dawood 476, Dottie Mathes 489, Rosemary Thibodeau 471, Mary Ann Mikoliet 453, Lori Jones 454, Joanne Dey 461.

SILK CITY—Ron Carone 203-511, Clay Nivison 201, Ron Nivison 204-543, Bello Masse 207-208-607, Gary Cockerhan 204-526, Brian Hoyington 222-554, Bob Oppelt 534, Dan Humiston 528, Jack Kryskowski 504, Dale Bauer 510, Gerry

Neipsic dines Friday

Neipsic Tennis Club members will gather Friday night at the Manchester Country Club to receive their awards for the 1975 season and to hear Bill Mott speak.

A social hour is listed at 6:30.

CINCINNATI (UPI)—Pitcher Pat Darcy signed his 1976 contract with the Cincinnati Reds Tuesday.

Knights Election of officers will also take place. Mott, of Holden, Mass., is executive director of the New England Lawn Tennis Association, previously directed the U.S. Tennis Tournament office in New York City.

Whalers set for drive

The New England Whalers take a long look down the road to another Eastern Division championship as they start the longest home stretch of the season this week.

As the battle for first place in the Eastern Division starts its stretch run the Whalers find themselves in a position where they play nine of their final 13 games in the friendly surroundings of the Hartford Civic Center.

And to make matters more interesting most of the remaining games are against Eastern Division rivals.

The stretch drive opens tonight when the Whalers host Phoenix, led by Boston native Robbie Florek who has become the highest scoring American born hockey player in the history of major league hockey. He recently broke

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Gym exhibition

Thursday night at 7 at East Catholic the girls' gymnastic team will put on an exhibition show.

Included will be a tumbling demonstration, dance and whip routine and routines on the four common positive areas— uneven bars, balance beam, floor exercise and vaulting.

There will be an admission with proceeds going to buy new gymnastic equipment.

Larry Pleau's WHA record

Larry Pleau's WHA record of 87 points in a season by an American. The NHL record was established by former Whaler Tommy Williams.

Before the week is out the Cleveland Crusaders will be in town on Friday night for a crucial Eastern Division battle.

The Connecticut State indoor boys 16 and under singles and doubles championships will be held for the third year at the Manchester Racquet Club this weekend.

Thirty-two boys from New England area will be competing for the crown. This year's draw is strong because it helps decide who may play in national tournaments.

The top 30 players in the rankings for 16 years olds are scheduled including Greg Macko of Manchester, Tim Bierman of West Hartford and Alan Leathers of Avon.

Tournament play begins at 4 p.m. Friday with the singles and doubles final Sunday afternoon at 2. Tennis enthusiasts are welcome to take this opportunity to view New England's finest Junior players in action. Call the Manchester Racquet Club for any additional information.

Sports Open Forum Legion replies to field rejection

Dear Earl,

I should like to respond to your article in the March 3 edition of The Herald: "Moriarty Field out for Legion."

On Feb. 19, 1978, this writer, on behalf of the Manchester American Legion baseball committee, wrote to Carl Silver, assistant recreation director, requesting use of Moriarty Field for the 1978 Legion baseball season. This formal request is no different than any previous request in past years. Within my letter, I requested a confirmation by March 11.

It is somewhat disheartening to learn of the reply via the news media. I should therefore like to give readers some facts about the Manchester baseball program.

Post 102 has expanded its program within recent years in order to give every Legion player an opportunity to play more frequently. We feel that this type of program gives a boy a better opportunity to improve upon his capabilities, not only to prepare himself for future years in the high school program but to further advance him in college and into professional sports.

Within the last two years we have taken our squad on weekend trips to Vermont and Massachusetts. May I point out that each adventure has had an average cost of \$500. We want to continue to promote such a program in order that every boy gets the opportunity to play A.L. baseball and get him the broadest exposure possible.

Up until three years ago our home field had always been Mt. Nebo (now Moriarty Field). In the past three years we have played at three different fields: Manchester, H.S., East Catholic and last year back to Mt. Nebo. We are sincerely grateful to East Catholic for its generosity in this private field.

In your article you stated Legion officials went over to Moriarty Field. When we were denied use of Mt. Nebo we went to then Mayor Thompson and asked that our case be

heard. We were asked to submit a schedule to the town manager which was done and within a short time thereafter we received permission to use Mt. Nebo for our 1975 season.

This is January, we approached Mr. Silver about our upcoming season and in the course of the discussion it was pointed out that a written request would be forthcoming. The question was asked if he foresaw any problems and the answer was no as to the use of Moriarty Field.

The facts are identical this year with the exception Mr. Silver chose to go to the city officials first without even extending the courtesy of speaking to us concerning any possible problems. We were reported in your article for use of the field are correct. Obviously not every game is played at

the schedule finalized within the month.

We support any town sponsored baseball program, in fact we have even donated uniforms to the program. It is this Field and Manchester H.S. East Catholic is private, graduate to Legion ball. Any such program serves Field is the most suitable for our program for the following reasons: Our records show that we are able to get best attendance from Moriarty Field, so vital that we make a significant contribution within the playing field is adequate. There are electrical outlets Recreation summer for a public address system. The Legion is funded by Legionnaires, proud to have introduced Matt Moriarty Sr. who has been our gracious sponsor for so many years, locally to Moriarty Field. It is

with great pride that we play other Legion teams both in Connecticut and throughout New England under the name of Moriarty Field.

We have nothing but praise for the Recreation Department, cooperation in the past years. We feel that the root of the problem lies with lack of playing facilities. It would appear that the main thrust in recent years has been to expand the softball fields. I would hope that the citizens of Manchester and the elected officials would now direct their attention to the youth and young men of this community who wish to play baseball.

A means of resolving these problems would be to erect lights at Moriarty Field and refurbish the field. Secondly, construct a new field to handle the intermediate programs.

We appeal to your readers and the citizens of Manchester to continue to support the Manchester American Legion baseball program. We ask that the Manchester citizen sign the petitions circulating through the community so that we may return to Moriarty Field.

We are prepared to take our case to the Board of Directors in order that our case may be heard.

Very truly,
Robert W. Donahue
Manchester American Legion Baseball Chairman

Scoreboard

WHA				
East	W	L	T	Pts
Cincinnati	21	25	1	63
New England	23	33	6	62
Cleveland	22	32	5	61
Indianapolis	26	27	3	55
West				
W	L	T	Pts	
Phoenix	32	27	6	70
San Diego	32	30	4	68
x-Minnesota	25	4	4	64
Canadian				
W	L	T	Pts	
Winnipeg	46	21	2	94
Quebec	42	23	4	82
Calgary	34	30	4	72
Edmonton	24	41	5	53
Toronto	16	5	3	33
x-Ontario	14	26	1	29
x-Team disbanded				
Tuesday's Results				
Calgary 7, Quebec 4				
Winnipeg 5, Toronto 2				
Houston 3, San Diego 2				

Whalers add trio

The New England Whalers added three experienced defenseman Tuesday when they obtained the WHA rights to Ron Bussink of the defunct Minnesota Fighting Saints. Bussink has agreed to terms with General Manager Ron Carlson, the youngest of the three brothers, who is a 6'3, 190-pound center who is rated the best of the hockey playing Carlson brothers. He is currently playing for Johnston in Me. Bussink is a defunct Hockey League. Last season with Johnston in 70 games he scored 20 goals and added 58 assists for 88 points.

The veteran Huck was the star of the Bruins' scoring with 17 goals and 32 assists for 49 points in 52 games.

Basketball

Scott Cheney tossed in 17 points and John Connally 14 to lead Allied Builders to a 34-19 win over First Hartford Realty last night at the East Side Rec. Steve Gerrick had six markers and Bill Calhoun five for the losers.

Sean Kearns, Mike Oleksinski and Tony LaPointe each scored in eight points to pace Automatic Comfort to a 30-28 win over Manchester last night at the East Side Rec. Steve Gerrick had six markers and Bill Calhoun five for the losers.

Warren Lamma poured in 28 points, Vie Lactic 26 and Herb Gronow 13 to lead UAC Harcus to a 102-84 victory over the Bears last night at Hilling Junior High. Rick Kearney had a game-high 40 points for Tello followed by Dave Hart (14) and Brad Miller (12).

Bogner's upended the Bruins to a 92-75 win with Ron Rioran putting the winners with 46 points. Kent Smith and Frank Brown added 14 and 10 tallies respectively to the winning total. Bruce, Clay and Phil Hence had 18, 16 and 16 points respectively for Duhaldo.

Chris Parker had a fantastic night last pouring in 25 points to lead Community Y to a 37-33 win over VFW at the Community Y.

NHL

Campbell Conference				
Pacific Division	W	L	T	Pts
Philadelphia	43	10	14	100
Los Angeles	37	17	14	88
Atlanta	29	20	10	68
NY Rangers	23	25	5	55
Smythe Division				
W	L	T	Pts	
Chicago	26	37	6	69
Vancouver	27	38	5	67
St. Louis	24	31	7	58
Minnesota	18	45	4	40
Kansas City	12	40	3	34
Wales Conference				
Norris Division	W	L	T	Pts
Montreal	49	9	10	108
Los Angeles	32	29	7	71
Pittsburgh	29	27	11	69
Detroit	20	28	11	69
Washington	8	50	9	25
Adams Division				
W	L	T	Pts	
Boston	42	13	11	95
Buffalo	36	19	8	84
Toronto	31	25	12	74
California	24	36	9	57
Tuesday's Results				
Atlanta 6, Vancouver 0				
Los Angeles 4, Los Angeles 1				
Eastern Conference				
Atlantic Division	W	L	Pct	GB
Boston	42	21	.667	50
Buffalo	36	27	.571	6
Philadelphia	37	29	.561	6 1/2
New York	32	34	.485	11 1/2
Central Division				
W	L	Pct	GB	
Washington	41	28	.592	2
Cleveland	37	26	.587	2
Houston	32	33	.497	7
New Orleans	29	35	.446	11
Atlanta	28	36	.438	11 1/2
Western Conference				
Midwest Division	W	L	Pct	GB
Milwaukee	25	39	.391	3 1/2
Detroit	25	39	.391	3 1/2
Kansas City	25	40	.385	4
Chicago	20	44	.315	9 1/2
Pacific Division				
W	L	Pct	GB	
Golden State	47	18	.723	—
Los Angeles	32	33	.492	15
Seattle	32	36	.476	16
Phoenix	33	37	.476	16
Portland	29	37	.439	18 1/2
Tuesday's Results				
Chicago 102, Seattle 101				
New York 101, Los Angeles 96				
New Orleans 117, Detroit 99				
ABA				
W	L	Pct	GB	
Denver	59	18	.768	—
New York	42	25	.622	8 1/2
San Antonio	39	28	.580	10 1/2
Kentucky	37	31	.544	14
Indiana	33	37	.471	19
St. Louis	30	38	.441	21
Virginia	12	57	.192	49 1/2
Tuesday's Results				
Denver 151, New York 112				
Kentucky 151, Virginia 114				

Unger new ironman

NEW YORK (UPI)—Garry Unger has not missed a game since he was first called up by Toronto in February, 1977. He is in the second year of his contract with the Blue Jays. Unger has 29 hits in 123 games, scoring 17 runs and 53 assists for 88 points. He is currently playing for Johnston in Me. Unger is a defunct Hockey League. Last season with Johnston in 70 games he scored 20 goals and added 58 assists for 88 points.

Pro hockey

Blues, for whom he now skates, from falling to the Islanders 4-0 as New York extended its unbeaten streak to nine games.

Unger should break the record tonight where it will be for him—Toronto's Maple Leaf Gardens.

Unger has returned to be benched—once when he had a broken finger and another time when he had an eye swollen shut with 17 stitches.

At Detroit, he broke his back in a swimming pool incident and missed the fall training camp—but was in uniform for the Blues.

In the World Hockey Association, Houston defeated San Diego 9-2, Calgary beat Quebec 7-4 and Winnipeg downed Toronto 5-2.

Flames 9, Bruins 0

Tom Lysiak tied a game scoring record with a goal and four assists to help goalie Dan Bouchard rack up his second career shutout. The Kings 6, Canucks 1

Butch Goring had two goals and Marcel Dionne added a goal and two assists to lift Los Angeles past Vancouver and move the Kings back into sole possession of second in the Norris Division. Dionne's goal was his 35th, three short of a club season record.

Andre Hines scored once and set up four other goals to push Houston past San Diego... Ron Chipperfield scored three goals to lead Calgary past Quebec... and Mats Lindh tallied twice to help Winnipeg eliminate Toronto from a possible playoff berth in the Canadian Division.

Dan Weinbaum scored three goals and Craig Atkins one in regulation for Realty. John and James Clark had two apiece for Wethersfield. With the teams unable to break the deadlock after two five-minute extra sessions, game officials decided on penalty shots.

Weinbaum and Bob Thain scored for Realty while John Clark was the lone scorer for the Canucks. Manchester goalie Ron Calabro turned away four shots. Wethersfield outshot the local entry, 30-18.

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Area police

Robert Wendus, 17, of 41 Range Hill Dr. was arrested on a court warrant Tuesday charging him with fourth-degree larceny in connection with a burglary March 3 at the Weatherlane Apartments. He is to appear in Common Pleas Court 19 in Rockville March 31.

South Windsor

A committee consisting of three town councilmen will screen applicants for town manager. Terry V. Sprengle will leave South Windsor after serving as town manager for 14 years to be city manager in Ames, Iowa.

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Area news

Andover Ellington Hebron South Windsor Bolton Coventry East Hartford Vernon

Muzio tops Baum 21-17 for Democratic party post

Vernon

Delegates from the 35th Senatorial District elected Benjamin Muzio of Stafford as interim state central committeeman Tuesday night. They defeated a motion to change the rules on the term of that office.

Muzio was endorsed by the delegates from Ashford, Brooklyn, Chaplin, Eastford, Pomfret, Somers, Stafford, Union, Willington, Woodstock, and two from Mansfield. Before the voting, Atty. Leo Fishery Jr. of Vernon moved for voting by secret ballot. His motion lost.

Town building vandalized

Bolton

A total of 24 windows in two public buildings and a business were smashed by vandals over the weekend. Jim Vitich, superintendent of buildings and grounds for Bolton Schools, said 18 windows were broken at Bolton Center School and five at Bolton High School.

At BCS a soccer post was also completely destroyed. Vitich said a 4 by 8 sheet of glass coats about \$82. Labor must be added to the cost. The Board of Education has \$900 in its budget for vandalism.



Bolton Ball leaders

Enjoying the annual Firemen's Ball Saturday in Bolton are two of the leaders that helped keep the annual event in Bolton, Madge and Ronnie Morra. Morra was chairman again this year.

Cattanach forms group to help pick principal

Hebron

David Cattanach, Superintendent of Regional District 4, has formed a 19-person committee to assist him in screening candidates for the principal designate position at Rham High School.

Field, Art, Social Studies; Barbara Wythe, Art, Stuart Gillespie, Music; Gloria Holbrook, Reading; Barbara Hartshorn, Special Education; Carol Mordavsky, Industrial Arts; Delia Adams, Guidance; Tom Julliani, Mathematics; Ronald Ouellette, Social Studies.

Children stay busy in Andover

The 10-member all star team in the three-town basketball league for Gilead, Andover and Hebron includes four boys from Andover. They are Don Dressel, Ricky Violette, Jason Wu and Ricky Hatchinson.

Wall murals Grade 6 recently completed wall murals on prehistoric life. They are hanging in the school's lower hallway.

Rockville hospital notes

Discharged Monday: Shirley Antonelli, Vernon Ave., Rockville; Jason Doodera, Albert Rd., Tolland; Mariel Gantony, Talcottville Rd., Vernon; Kathryn Mison, Meadow Lark Rd., Vernon; Gary Hoeggers, St. Mary's, Vernon; Jeanne Sabin and daughter, Summit Dr., Tolland; Joseph Tarcho, Stafford Springs.

Births Monday: A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Francis Fagan, Pleasant St., Rockville; a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lettner, Stafford Springs; a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Ouellette, Jolly Rd., South Windsor.

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St. Joseph's students capture top DAR essay medals

Mrs. Mary E. Kirkpatrick, historian of the Captain Noah Grant Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, presented DAR history medals to two students at St. Joseph's School Rockville, Saturday. Mrs. Kirkpatrick pins a medal on Karen Poulin as Donald Sava, the other winner, and Sister Joan, social studies teacher, look on.

Fewer students mean teacher cuts

East Hartford

Town schools will have a pupil-teacher ratio (PTR) of 15-1 in 1976-77.

The ratio, approved by the board this week, includes all students and all certified personnel below the level of assistant superintendent.

Local EMT training planned

Coventry

State Rep. Robert "Skip" Walsh, D-Coventry, called a meeting of Emergency Medical Service people from Tolland, Coventry, and Willington last week at the South Coventry Volunteer Fire Association.

Chief Roger Bellard and President Harold Crane hosted the session.

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Grasso bookkeeping proposal getting skeptical reception

Editor's note: This is the second part of a series on the problems Gov. Ella T. Grasso is expected to encounter with her budget next fiscal year. The third part will examine the alternative of cutting spending.

By PETER A. BROWN
HARTFORD (UPI) — Gov. Ella T. Grasso wants to balance next year's budget by making believe it is 13 months long.

Her critics say the budget — achieved through a bookkeeping device — is poor fiscal policy. She says it's a perfectly acceptable accounting practice.

At issue is changing the state's method of counting revenues, from the current policy of crediting the money when it is received in state coffers to when it is earned.

The shift to the so-called "accrual system" would enable the state to spend in the fiscal year ending June 30, 1977, some \$43.7 million dollars that will be collected the following month.

The administration's rationale is that since the taxes were actually earned during the first fiscal year they should be credited to that budget.

Extra month's revenue
The change would allow Mrs. Grasso to get 13 months of revenue into the 12-month budget.

In addition to the problems over the bookkeeping plans, Mrs. Grasso's projections about how much the state can expect in sales tax revenues during the year has come under scrutiny.

Also muddying the waters is uncertainty about the fate of Mrs. Grasso's plan to lengthen the work week of

state workers. She is counting upon passage of the measure by the legislature this year to save \$20 million next fiscal year.

Although logically it would seem Connecticut must someday be saddled with a year when only 11 months of revenues are available, that day will never come unless the state decides to reverse its bookkeeping policy.

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King George III, clad over his agreement on Jan. 7, 1776 with the German government in Brunswick for trained mercenaries to use in the colonies, wrote to his First Lord of the Admiralty, Lord Sandwich, "We must show these rebels that the British lion, that has been aroused, has not only his wonted resolution but has the added swiftness of a race horse." The World Almanac recalls.

Schorr vows to protect information sources

DURHAM, N.H. (UPI) — CBS newsman Daniel Schorr said Tuesday night he will protect his sources from a House of Representatives investigation.

The House Ethics Committee has been ordered by the CIA to Schorr and whether any action should be taken against Schorr. Schorr has admitted handing over a draft report from the defunct House intelligence committee on CIA covert activities to the Village Voice newspaper in New York.

"I think I'll come out of this all right," Schorr told an audience at the University of New Hampshire. "But I can't tell them where I got the report. There are some things you can't tell and the people who should understand that best are in the CIA."

One member of the audience said there seemed to be little support expressed by other broad-

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Welfare changes termed unlikely

HARTFORD (UPI) — Business groups wanting strikers prohibited from receiving public assistance and welfare advocates seeking increased benefits had their say, but both may have been "wasting their breath."

A bill to increase welfare benefits by 33 per cent to allow recipients to keep up with inflation received the expected endorsements from recipients and their spokesmen Tuesday before the Human Services Committee.

The plan to prohibit strikers from collecting welfare benefits was strongly backed by the Connecticut Business and Industry Association, which represents 2,800 firms in the state.

But both appear to lack the required legislative support and Gov. Ella T. Grasso has said she opposes them. Raphael Podolsky, representing Connecticut Legal Services, said despite the state's financial problems, failure to approve more money for welfare recipients would be tragic.

"It will be both shortsighted and tragic if the Assembly is permitted to use that financial crisis as an excuse to abandon the welfare system," Podolsky said.

Proponents of the legislation said the national recession has restricted state spending and left welfare recipients in the worst possible situation.

Last month, about 30 welfare mothers stormed out of a Human Services Committee hearing on the bill and into Gov. Ella T. Grasso's office in an effort to enlist her support.

Sen. Betty Hudson, D-Madison, a key committee member, said she expected

Banking on sales tax rise

The Office of Fiscal Analysis says Finance Commissioner Jay O. Tepper, the chief architect of Mrs. Grasso's budget, is banking too heavily on a sharp rise in sales tax revenues.

They say history shows the more than 10 per cent increase Tepper is predicting has never occurred without a sizeable drop in unemployment, which all sides agree is not on the immediate horizon.

Tepper, however, argues the release of pent-up buying dollars by those believing the worst of the recession is over would generate the sales to make up the difference.

"The next installment will examine how top legislative leaders think spending can be cut to balance next year's budget."

Student fees to increase

HARTFORD (UPI) — The Commission for Higher Education has approved a \$400 to \$500 increase in the annual fees paid by medical and dental students at the University of Connecticut Health Center. The measure was adopted Tuesday, but the commission postponed voting on 14 other proposed fee increases for UConn students.

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of the committee which is generally sympathetic to such legislation, "but it will be killed quickly in appropriations."

The Appropriations Committee is charged with cutting spending and has looked very critically at requests for more money because of the state's cash shortage.

The Connecticut Business and Industry Association, speaking for its 2,800 member companies, said a proposal allowing striking workers to qualify for welfare benefits would interfere with the collective bargaining process.

"There is no justification for providing welfare benefits to strikers or to those individuals who voluntarily quit their jobs, or to individuals who are discharged for misconduct," said Linda C. Klatt, CIBA's assistant counsel.

"These individuals are unemployed because of their own decisions or actions," she said. "Welfare is not designed to support those who have been gainfully employed, but have decided they no longer wish to work or have forfeited their jobs through their own misconduct."

Mrs. Hudson said she thought her committee would kill the bill, which Mrs. Grasso says she opposes because it fails to take into account the needs of strikers' families.

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Dear Abby

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: Please don't think I'm crazy, but I am a 56-year-old divorced grandfather who has fallen in love for the first time in my life.

I thought I was "in love" many times before, but those experiences were nothing compared to this. You will think I am crazy for sure when I tell you that the little lady who has me walking on air has been married and divorced four times!

It's not my style to live with a woman, Abby. I want to marry her. My friends think I have lost my mind to consider marrying a woman with such a poor track record, but I cannot describe the happiness I feel when I'm with her. I know in my heart that the feeling is mutual. It's not our fault that we didn't meet 45 years ago.

Do you think I'm crazy, and what is your advice? WALKING ON AIR DEAR WALKING: No, I don't think you're "crazy." I congratulate you on your compassion. I believe you sincerely love this little lady, and if the feeling is mutual, I say, go ahead and marry her. Sometimes it's the last key in the bunch that opens the door.

DEAR ABBY: My husband insists that he doesn't know where he belonged in this situation, and he asked me to ask you. His father's funeral, he walked with his mother instead of with me. His mother was well able to walk by herself, but my husband was at her side, "supporting" her.

I am not putting his mother down, but I just want my husband to know where you thought his place was at a time like that. DAILY READER DEAR READER: I think your husband "belonged" at his mother's side. But I see no reason why you couldn't have been alongside your husband, too.

DEAR ABBY: I have been married to a doctor for three years. We live in a nice neighborhood, and our neighbors are wonderful people, except for one thing: Whenever they call, I can't say I'm home because they would see both our cars. We've considered moving, but the same thing would probably happen wherever we went.

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Win at Bridge Arthur reviews opening lead

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Charles M. Schultz



HI, CHUCK! BROUGHT THE NEW FLAVOR OVER!

WHERE'S MY SWEETST? OUT IN THE BACK. YOU'RE STILL SURE YOU WANT TO TRADE?

Mickey Finn - Morris Wells



LOOK, LADY - MY WIFE AND I HAVE BEEN LIVING HERE FOR FIVE YEARS! YOU MUST HAVE HAD YOUR ROCK TO YOUR HEAD!

...I CAN'T THINK WHERE SHE IS... PHEW... BOW! I THINK I'VE FOUND IT! IT SEEMS MINERVA HAS SOME SORT OF LOSS OF MEMORY. SHE THINKS HER FATHER IS 27! I ALIVE. I THINK HER NAME IS STILL... WHERE SHE LIVED WITH HIM?

Priscilla's Pop - Al Vermeer



THIS YEAR I'LL REALLY MAKE THE CALL TEAM!

HOW CAN YOU BE SURE, STUART? I'VE GOT THAT GUT FEELING!

Captain Easy - Crooks and Lawrence



SEATTLEMAN MY DAUGHTER CAN IDENTIFY ME AS ZERKUS... THE MASTER JEWEL THEFT!

I CAN ONLY ASSURE AS I TOLD YOU I PUT THE MUMMY BACK IN THE CASE!

Alley Oop - Dave Graue



HOW MUCH LONGER DO WE HAVE TO TRAVEL ON THIS RAFT ME CAN'T NOT LONG, MISS MARY!

DO YOU HEAR THAT? FLAP FLAP FLAP!

The Flintstones - Hanna-Barbera Productions



WELL, I'LL BEAT YOU BARNEY!

HOLD ON! I'VE GOT A FEW MORE FOR BARNEY!

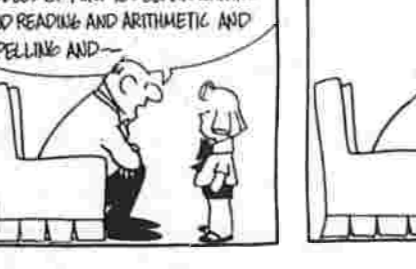
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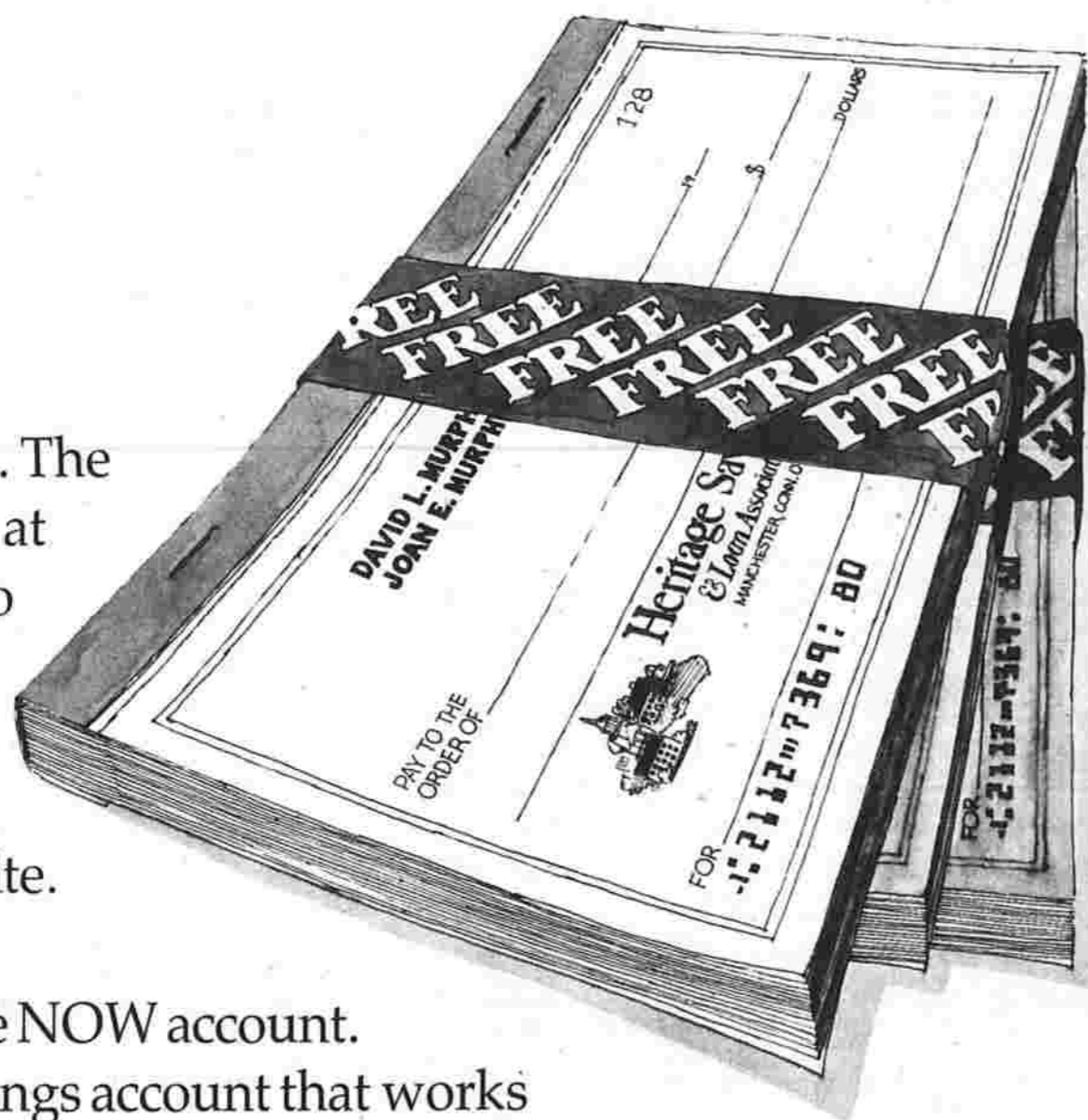
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At 73, she still enjoys her work

By BETTY RYDER
Family/Travel Editor

She laughingly refers to herself as "the grandmother of rug hooking," but at 73 (she'll be 74 in May), Mrs. Grace Fraser of 192 Hartford Rd. is living proof that age is only a state of mind.

A warm, friendly woman with grey hair and sparkling eyes, she found her niche in life 40 years ago and plans to stick with it a while longer.

Mrs. Fraser, owner of Fraser Studio, a firm that supplies rug making equipment, has lived in Manchester 35 years, having moved here from Bristol.

Her late husband, Harry, a native of Scotland came to the United States when he was seven months old and lived in Manchester all of his life.

"It all began when Harry started manufacturing a little machine to cut strips of fabric for making rugs."

"It had changeable rolls so the material could be cut into different widths depending on the type of rug one was making," she said.

The machine, which is a big seller in the United States and Canada, is currently shipped all over the world.

"We distribute three or four thousand a year," Mrs. Fraser said.

"Many of the Indians living in Canada use the machine to cut



leather strips for their moccasins and clothing apparel," she added.

When she first became interested in rug hooking, Mrs. Fraser went to Massachusetts where she trained with Pearl McGowan.

"That name probably doesn't mean much now, but she trained some of the top teachers, many of whom are still teaching rug hooking throughout the country," she said.

Today, Grace Fraser teaches braiding, needlepoint, and crewel, but as she explains "My main interest is rug hooking."

"I conduct rug hooking classes one day a week on Tuesdays from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. and try to limit the class to 10."

"The women bring a sandwich for lunch and I supply the beverage. Sometimes we make a real party out of it, and they bring cake or cookies," she said.

Recently the group played hooky from class for a short time and went to a "sugaring-off" at the home of Jeanette Skatowski of 35 Bush Hill Rd., who is one of Mrs. Fraser's students.

"Later we returned, had lunch, and got back to the business of rug hooking," Mrs. Fraser said smiling.

"Currently, the group is working on a Bicentennial project which they



Mrs. Fraser displays one of the rugs she made at her studio on Hartford Rd. (Herald photos by Pinto)



Designs of mountain laurel, the Connecticut state flower, are completed by Mrs. Fraser as part of her class's Bicentennial project.

Your neighbor's kitchen

By Betty Ryder

"We have an automatic potato peeler," Ed said, "but we have a young man who comes in and works the night before St. Patrick's Day at the Brass Key Restaurant at 225 Main St., Manchester, has been expressing their appreciation to their many customers on St. Patrick's Day.

This year will be no exception.

Plans are all ready under way for the sumptuous corned beef and cabbage dinner they will serve that day, along with selections from their regular menu.

It's a tradition now, and as Ed and Don explain it, "It's our way of saying 'thanks' to our customers for their patronage throughout the year. We try to keep the price minimal and the meal includes corned beef, cabbage, boiled potato, a roll and butter.

Obviously, Manchester residents appreciate their efforts for it is not unusual to have close to 350 patrons stop in to partake of the St. Patrick's Day repast.

"It takes about two full days of advance preparation," Don said.

"We use approximately 275 pounds

of corned beef (25 briskets averaging 11 pounds), 200 to 300 pounds of potatoes and 4 crates (24 heads each) of cabbage," he said.

"The brisket is cooked on the premises a day or two ahead serving time. On St. Patrick's Day, we heat it on the steam table and it's just right for slicing," Ed said.

White men have no hard and fast rules for cooking corned beef, they did say that an average 11-pound brisket should be cooked in water containing pickling spices (there come all prepared in a package) for approximately three hours or until tender.

"A great deal is lost in the cooking, so we usually end up with about 80 per cent of what we started with," Ed said.

"Instead of cooking somewhere in the neighborhood of \$1.20 per pound, the corned beef actually costs closer to \$2.40," Don added.

The Brass Key, which has a staff of four regular women and seven high school girls, usually takes on extra help when potato peeling times comes around.

On second thought

By Jan Warren

"The other day my husband com-
pare electric bills with the men in come as quite a shock to you, but the tennis club locker room. When he your daughters wash their hair every came home he was bursting to tell day, too."

"And...twice on Saturdays," trilled "You're never going to believe Sara, who suddenly appeared in the this," he said, "but last month, kitchen her hair wrapped Aunt Jack's electric bill was twice the amount of ours. We've got the same size family. Our houses are about the same size. What do you think is the difference?"

"Hmmm," I said, "I'll bet that got one of those darn hair dryers."

"Wrong!" cried my husband, gave it to me last year on my "Jack has FOUR teen-age birthday daughters. Two more than we do, thank heaven for that small blessing!"

While I peeled the potatoes for dimer, my husband continued, "Jack blames the whole thing on his daughters' hair. They wash it EVERY day! What's more, every time they wash their hair, they dry it with the hair dryer in his ears and when he wakes up its still going."

My husband emphasized his next statement by slapping his hand on the counter. "I wouldn't allow that kind of nonsense in my house!"

position with Finast in West Hartford. Turn in to the door of the Brass Key for good eating," is the motto on the restaurant's menu.

And as a bit of encouragement to all, on the reverse side there is this message:

"Here is a man who —
"Failed in business — 1831
"Defeated in legislature — 1832
"Again failed in business — 1834
"Sweetheart died — 1835
"Had nervous breakdown — 1838
"Defeated in election — 1838
"Defeated for Congress — 1843
"Defeated for Congress — 1846
"Defeated for Congress — 1848

"The better the water, the easier it is to retain the green color and flavor," Don said.

The potatoes are started in cold water.

For the festivities, the restaurant is decorated in appropriate St. Patrick's Day motifs, and the waitresses compliment their uniforms with green hats and matching aprons.

Both Ed and Don admit to putting in long hours, but apparently enjoy their work.

At home, neither one does the cooking.

"We both have wives who are good cooks, so it's not necessary," Don said.

When he's not working, Ed enjoys watching his sons in their sports activities.

David, who is 15, plays basketball and baseball at Liling Junior High School. Danny, 17, is a student at Manchester High School and enjoys tennis and ice hockey," he said.

"We also have two daughters, Diane 17, who is at MHS, and Debra, 19, who is married to a serviceman. They have one child."

His wife, Joan, enjoys tennis and participates in various school affairs.

"With five children, it's hard to find time for much more," Ed said.

Don and his wife Mildred like to play duplicate bridge.

"We are big antique hunters," he said, "and Mildred takes lessons in caning, and cake decorating."

The Denleys have three sons.

Ken, who was active in the Drama Club when he was a student at Manchester High School, now is studying drama at Southern Connecticut State College.

Mark, now working in South Windsor, was graduated from Westworth Institute in Boston. He and his wife, Estelle, have one child, Mark Jr., a graduate of the University of Hartford. Don Jr. is training for a



Ed White, at left, and Don Denley, see just how many heads of cabbage will fit into the pot as they prepare their menu for St. Patrick's Day at the Brass Key Restaurant.

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Wedding

Ladd-Frazier

Paula Jeanne Frazier of Manchester and Richard Carl Ladd of Vernon, were married Feb. 21 at South United Methodist Church in Manchester.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Frazier of 65 Oliver Rd. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ladd of 296 Tunnel Rd., Vernon.

The Rev. Robert Edridge of South United Methodist Church performed the double-ring, candlelight ceremony. The church was decorated with pink and white carnations and roses. Mrs. Joyce Chandler was organist.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore an ivory knit jersey gown designed in Empire style with high draped neckline, long sleeves with deep cuffs of pearls and a flared over sleeve edged in maribou and A-line skirt terminating into a chapel-length train. She wore a matching ivory hood trimmed in maribou.

Mrs. Dana Martin of South Weymouth, Mass., was her sister's matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Charlotte Froh of Manchester and Mrs. Louise Kerin of Rockville.

Anthony Capella of East Hartford served as best man. Ushers were William Ladd of Vernon, the bridegroom's brother; and Gary Kuck of Kings Park, L.I., N.Y., the bridegroom's cousin.

A reception was held at The Colony in Vernon after which the couple left for Florida. They are residing in Northgate Apartments in Vernon.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Ladd are employed at Multi-Circuits, Inc. in Manchester.



Mrs. Richard C. Ladd

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Engaged



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The engagement of Miss Nancy Howena, 14-year-old daughter of David Bartholomew Banister, both of Manchester, has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Oppenheimer of 41 Main St.

The bride-elect was graduated from Rockville High School in 1975. She is employed by the Manchester Upholstering Co. and the Connecticut Bank & Trust Co.

Her fiance is also a 1975 graduate of Rockville High School. He just completed active duty with the U.S. Army at Fort Lee, Va. and is a member of the U.S. Army Reserve. He is employed by Pratt & Whitney Division of United Technologies Corp. in East Hartford.

No date has been set for the wedding.



Schaller Photo

The engagement of Miss Jill E. Ferguson of South Windsor to Dennis Hanson of Traverses City, Mich. has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Ferguson of 736 Avery St., South Windsor.

Mr. Hanson is the son of Clyde D. Hanson Sr. of Rodney, Mich. and Mrs. Harvey Kenney of DeWitt, Mich.

The bride-elect was graduated from South Windsor High School. She is currently attending the University of Connecticut.

Her fiance was graduated from Everett High School, Lansing, Mich. He is employed by Pratt & Whitney Division of United Technologies Corp. in East Hartford.

The couple is planning a July 21 wedding at Wapping Community Church in South Windsor.



Schaller Photo

The engagement of Miss Sally J. Ferguson of Hebron to Joseph H. Allard of Hartford has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Holland Jr. of Laura Dr., Hebron.

Mr. Allard is the son of Mrs. Helen Allard of Hartford.

The bride-elect is a senior at Itham High School and is employed part-time by Finast Supermarket in Manchester.

Her fiance was graduated from the American School of Welding in Springfield, Mass. and is employed by the Hayes-Te Equipment Corp. in Uxbridge.

The couple is planning a July 21 wedding.

Births

Wightman, Christopher John, son of Gary S. and Shirley Kirk Wightman of 38 Hudson St. He was born March 2 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. His maternal grandparents are Mrs. Constance Kirk and William Kirk of Florida. His paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wightman of 374 Summit St. His great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Leach of Orlando, Fla. and Elton G. Wightman of Windsor. He has a brother, Eric, 22, mo.

Kelly, William Preston, son of Elder Crawford and Gwendolyn Carr Kelly of 348 Channing Dr. He was born March 2 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. His maternal grandparents are Elder and Mrs. Joseph Carr of Charlotte, N.C. His paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. David E. and Laura M. Hurley Johnson of 34 Strawberry Rd., Ellington. He was born March 2 at Rockville General Hospital. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Hurley of East Longmeadow, Mass. His paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frithof J. Johnson of Springfield, Mass.

MacNeil, Teresa Maria, daughter of David E. Jr. and Olga Szykeruk MacNeil of 6 Ward St., Rockville. She was born March 2 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. Her maternal grandparents are Walter Szykeruk of Rockville and Mrs. Teresa Trugnow of West Hartford. Her paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. David E. MacNeil Sr. of Stafford Springs. She has a sister, Sonya Andrea, 7.

Sheeler, Aaron Lloyd, son of Patrick F. and Pamela A. Lloyd Sheeler of 142 Vernon Ave., Vernon. He was born March 3 at Rockville

General Hospital. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Lloyd of Chestnut Hill Rd., Hebron. His paternal grandfather is Harry Sheeler of Ambassador Dr., Hartford.

Chorette, Scott Mitchell, son of Galen and Sue Cadorette Chorette of 46 A Spencer St. He was born March 4 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. His maternal grandparents are Mrs. Ernestine Cadorette and Mitchell Damoise of 266 Channing Dr. His paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Fredrick Chorette of Enfield.

Johnson, Kevin David, son of David E. and Laura M. Hurley Johnson of 34 Strawberry Rd., Ellington. He was born March 2 at Rockville General Hospital. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Hurley of East Longmeadow, Mass. His paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frithof J. Johnson of Springfield, Mass.

Chetelat, Michal Lynn, daughter of Frank M. Jr. and Janice H. Vaughan Chetelat of 89 Barnside Ave., East Hartford. She was born Feb. 22 at Rockville General Hospital. Her maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Marvin W. Vaughan of Dunsmuir, Calif. Her paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Chetelat Sr. of Amundson, N.H.

Fortin, Jennifer Amanda, daughter of Edward J. and Scheren Skardon Fortin of 73 Cold Spring Dr.,

Vernon. She was born Feb. 28 at Rockville General Hospital. Her maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Skardon of Youngstown, Ohio. Her paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. O'Neil Fortin of Harwinton. She has three sisters, Holly Anne, Julie Christine, and Cheryl Marie; and a brother, Michael Edward.

Scata, Eric Michael, son of Greg and Meg Houle Scata of 107 Main St., Talcottville. He was born Feb. 29 at Rockville General Hospital. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Hector L. Houle of Stafford Springs. His paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Scata of East Hartford.

Barker, Michael Spencer, son of L. C. and Penelope Spence Barker of Mrs. 1923, Portsmouth Navy Yard, N.H. He was born Feb. 23 at Pease Air Force Hospital, Portsmouth, N.H. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Patrick G. Hallahan of 27A Thompson Rd. His paternal grandmother is Mrs. Opal Barker of Dresden, Ohio. He has two brothers, Erik S. and Matthew T.

Howard, Michelle Ann, daughter of Clinton and April Weitzel Howard of Kingsley Dr., Andover. She was born March 2 at Manchester Memorial Hospital. Her maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Spielman of Amston Lake. Her paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. MacDonald of North Coventry.

Civilians host N.E. Council

The Manchester Chapter of Civitan will host the New England Council meeting on Saturday and Sunday at The Colony in Talcottville.

On Saturday, there will be a dinner-dance with a social hour at 7, followed by dinner at 8. There will be dancing to the music of the Lenny Peiro Orchestra of Pennsylvania until 1 a.m.

Sunday's activities will include business meetings dealing mainly with youth activities on the high school and college levels.

Programs for the ladies will include a presentation by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Marsh of the Heart Association entitled "Palimony: Coronary Resuscitation, and a talk on "The Role of Woman Today" by Marian Roy of Manchester Community College.

Edward Gagnon, vice president of the local chapter, and program chairman, has announced that the distinguished guests will include C. Frank LePage, governor of the West Virginia District of Civitan; Dr. Gordon S. Taylor, International Zone vice president; Don Gorraline, District governor; and the current New England officers; and Mayor Matthew Moriarty Jr. of Manchester.

Tickets for the dinner dance will be available at the door.



(Herald photo by Pinto)

Cheerleaders take first place

The Assumption Junior High School cheerleaders won first place in the cheerleading competition for the Manchester Deanery on Feb. 29. Members of the team, who are all ready to enter the state competition on March 21 at Trinity College, are, from front row, left to right, Laura Dupuis, Lissa Canaperi; second row, Maureen Berryman, Jody Ricci, Mary Evans, Mona Doran, Sandy Keeney, Elizabeth Schae and Karen Evans; third row, Co-captain Sheila Dupuis, Linda Landry, Kelli Sullivan, Diana Flavelle, Margaret Sullivan, Capt. Teri Dandaneau.

MARC to hear Rev. Gengras

The Rev. Joseph Gengras, director of Alleluia House, will be guest speaker for the Manchester Association for Retarded Citizens on Thursday at 8 p.m. at Lincoln Center, 494 Main St.

Alleluia House, located in Bloomfield, is a facility that provides guidance to retarded persons of all ages in the use of leisure time, such as, recreational, extra-curricular and weekend activities.

The facility emphasizes programs dealing with the family as a whole and stresses parent-child, and brother-sister relationships.

The public is invited.

Serviceman

Roger L. Monat, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Monat of 10 Fox Hill Dr., Rockville, has completed recruit training at Parris Island, S.C. He attended Rockville High School and enlisted in the Marine Corps last August.

He will report to Camp Pendleton, Calif. for training in the infantry field.

Monat was promoted meritoriously to the rank of private first class upon completion of recruit training. He was also selected as honor man for his platoon.



The "Normal Nutrition Nut," a University of Connecticut student, chats with Marc Arasco, administrative resident at Manchester Memorial Hospital, about the need for sound nutrition.

MMH spearheads Nutrition Week

Employees, patients and visitors to Manchester Memorial Hospital are being made more aware of sound eating habits this week during National Nutrition Week being observed there.

Together with the American Dietetics Association, MMH is presenting several programs emphasizing the importance of good nutrition. A University of Connecticut student called the "Normal Nutrition Nut," is serving as coordinator of the week-long program.

Social Security

Q. My father is in the hospital again as a result of the second stroke in the past several years. Will he have to wait five months before he can get Social Security disability benefits, as he did the first time?

A. Not necessarily. Under some circumstances, people who get disability checks before can get benefits without the five-month waiting period if they become disabled again and cannot work. Your father should notify a Social Security office about his condition as soon as possible. If he's unable to do it, a friend or relative can.

Q. My wife had to be transported by ambulance from the hospital where she underwent her operation to another hospital in a nearby city for special treatments. Will Medicare help pay for the cost of the ambulance?

A. Yes, if the following conditions are met: (1) the ambulance, equipment, and personnel meet Medicare requirements; (2) transportation in any other vehicle would endanger the patient's health; (3) your Medicare carrier determines that the treatment is not available at the first hospital; and (4) the second hospital is the nearest one available for the type of treatment your wife required.

Q. I didn't sign up for Medicare's medical insurance when I turned 65 because I had never been sick a day in my life, and I felt that I had enough insurance to take care of the few doctors bills I was likely to have. I guessed wrong. Is it too late to get help from Medicare?

A. Medicare can't help you with any doctor bills you've already incurred, but it's not too late to get help for the future. People who do not sign up for the medical insurance when they're first eligible, or who cancel once, may enroll during the first three months of the year. You can get information about signing up for the Medicare medical insurance by calling or writing any Social Security office.

Q. I understand that jobs will probably be scarce for young people this summer, so I want to try to line something up early. I applied for a Social Security card and was told that it would take several weeks to get it. Why does it take that long?

A. It takes several weeks because an application for a Social Security number is screened at the central office in Baltimore to make sure a number has not been issued to the applicant previously. Even teenagers may have been assigned a Social Security number because of a bank account or some other reason.

Q. I worked three jobs last year — two of them part-time. Social Security was taken out of my pay on all of them, and I know I must have paid over 1 amount the law requires. How can I get back the surplus?

A. You can claim the excess contributions on your Federal income tax return. When you get your W-2 forms, add the Social Security contributions withheld by your employers. Then subtract \$24.85, the maximum Social Security contribution for 1975. The balance is your credit, which you can claim on your 1940 income tax return.

4-H's win awards

Several Manchester area 4-H'ers who participated in the 4-H Fair advertisement campaign, by selling sponsorship ads, have been rewarded for their efforts. The goal for the campaign is \$16,000. The salesman has turned in \$6,719 to date. The Kiwanis club award for the "second turns" was won by Mary Quinby of Vernon who turned in \$323.50. 4-H'ers assured of trophies for turning in \$100 or more, are: Scott Mosher, Martha Nowicki, and Vicky Nowicki, all of South Windsor; Jean McDermott, Keith Merritt, Robert Ferguson, and Fred Hughes of Manchester; and David Markie of East Hartford. Sponsorship sales people (under age 14) turning in seven or more sponsorships include: Jean McDermott, Manchester; Elaine Kasbata, Martha Nowicki, and Sheri Warner of South Windsor; and Mary Quinby of Vernon.

Pinocle scores

Manchester Top scorers in the March 4 Manchester Senior Citizens Pinocle Group game at the Army and Navy Club are Vincent Borello, 641, Al Gates, 552, Sam Schorr, 538, Alberta Colbert, 537, Archie Houghtaling, 534, John Galley, 525, Ernestine Donnelly, 522. The group sponsors a game each Thursday at 8:45 a.m. at the Army and Navy Club. Play is open to all senior citizens.

Non Senior Citizens Pinocle Club March 2 game are Bertha Gerich, 631, 700, Lena Piazza and Ann Morrell, 682, Mary St. Louis, 673, Sophie Boggian, 679, Ann Sengalis, 657, Joe Gessay, 650, Edward Quinn, 638, Alexina Moeau, 631. Top scorers in the March 4 tournament game are Frank Minor, 621, Bert Poggie, 593, Sophie Boggian, 587. The club will sponsor a game Thursday at 1:30 p.m. at the Vernon Senior Citizens Center, Park Pl., 679, Ann Sengalis, 657, Joe Gessay, 650, Edward Quinn, 638, Alexina Moeau, 631.

Today's thought

There is yet another balm for loneliness and it is to be found in giving and serving. "No man is an island," for all men are interdependent. By offering to others our time, our talents and unselfish service, we will find that in serving the needs of others, filling up their loneliness, our own isolation is broken. It takes effort, but its reward is fulfillment.

The elderly, who often seem most afflicted with this modern illness, are often the ones with most to give, for they have time, the wisdom of years, and patience born of experience — all marvelous qualities the younger world needs to share and can find only in those with the advantage of age.

Young people will find that, giving their abilities in the service of others especially the old, will discover that there really is no generation gap to isolate them. And all in the in-between years will find satisfying companionship the moment they seize the courage to offer themselves in service to others.

Lonely? There is no reason to be. God is always with you. Friendship is yours for the sharing.

Submitted by Rev. Robert W. Cronin, Pastor of St. Maurice Church, Bolton

Almanac

By United Press International Today is Wednesday, March 10, the 70th day of 1976 with 296 to follow.

The moon is between its first quarter and new phase. The morning stars are Mercury and Venus.

The evening stars are Mars, Jupiter and Saturn. Those born on this date are under the sign of Pisces.

American organist and composer Dudley Buck was born March 10, 1858.

On this day in history:

In 1862, the U.S. Treasury issued the first American currency, in denominations from \$5 to \$1,000.

In 1945, 859 members of the U.S. Air Force began incendiary raids on Japan in the waning days of World War II.

In 1964, Queen Elizabeth II gave birth to her fourth child, Prince Edward, third in line of succession to the British throne.

In 1969, James Earl Ray pleaded guilty to the murder of Dr. Martin Luther King and was sentenced to 99 years in prison.

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News for senior citizens

Hello everybody, we need some help. We are in dire need of a flatbed truck for the big Bicentennial Parade. We have tried a few places, but unfortunately they are already asked. So, if you know where we could possibly pick one up, please call our office so that we can check it out.

At a meeting last week, we had a fine enthusiastic turnout, and have some good ideas for a float, so now we hope someone will be able to locate one for us.

By the way, another interesting piece of news for you, especially those who haven't filed their income tax as yet. We have a few good top notch pros. Mr. and Mrs. John Dormer and Mr. Frank Morasco, here at our center every Monday afternoon from 1 p.m. until 3 p.m. volunteering their services to give you a helping hand.

Now here is some important news for you folks who are participating in our big Variety Show. This coming Sunday we are going to have two rehearsals, one from 2:30 until 5 o'clock for the chorus only. Then from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. it will be for all the individual or group acts. Those who will be there for both sessions are asked to bring some snacks, and

coffee and tea will be available.

Irish dance

While we are talking about things that will be happening soon, I might well tell you about our big Irish Dance on March 18. Some of the students from the Manchester Community College will have volunteered to serve the goodies for us, and I Messier, 126; Catherine Cappuccio, 125; Violet Dion, 124; Lyla Steele, 123; Hans Fredericksen, 122; Mina Reuther, 119; Dorothy Andrews, 118; Silvio Fortier and Wesley Frost, 117.

On Monday our bus driver was still out; however, we did have a nice turnout for our kitchen social games in the morning, and man it was a busy one for me. With it being Gloria's day off, and our bingo caller out, and me with two pickup trips with the minibus, I had to call for help and I want to thank Ceil Wandt for coming to my aid. She received a well deserved round of applause for doing a great job.

In the afternoon we had 14 tables for pinocle and the lucky winners were:

Jennie Fogarty, and Edward Sheslie, 678; Caroline Frederickson, 662; Fritz Wilkinson, 652; Cecile Benson, 650; Robert Schobert and Edna Russell, 649; John Gally, 647; Wesley Frost, 646; John Derby, 642; Bess Noonan, 637; Lee Steinmeyer and Grace Windsor, 636; and Mary Nackowski, 635.

with a 423 and the high single with a 168. In the Class B group, Elsie Fredholt was the high triple with a 377 and the high single with a 153. Then came Friday's report on our setback games where we had 48 players with the following winners: Peter Frey, 138; Bernadette Hasley, 135; John Gally, 128; Wilbrod Messier, 126; Catherine Cappuccio, 125; Violet Dion, 124; Lyla Steele, 123; Hans Fredericksen, 122; Mina Reuther, 119; Dorothy Andrews, 118; Silvio Fortier and Wesley Frost, 117.

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Now tomorrow is sort of a big day around here, especially for you men-folks. First we start with our social dance class in the morning. Then after a chicken dinner we'll be treated with an extra dessert. Lee Scott, Miss Manchester, and Mary Cadorette, Miss Connecticut, will pay a visit. They will be accompanied by Richard Lawrence who will show slides of last year's pageant. So come on out for this one, and make the girls happy.

One more call for any of you folks who would like to sign up for our Las Vegas trip. Better call this week to join the gang.

I have just received word that Anna Hoffman who has been recuperating at the Chesterfield Convalescent Home, in Chester, fell and broke her hip and is now a patient at the Middlesex Memorial Hospital in Middletown.

The staff and I send our sincere condolences to Floyd Post and his family on the loss of Eva, his wife, who passed away Monday night.

VFW Loyalty Day chairmen named

Edward Zikus and Mrs. Dorothy Kleinschmidt have been named chairmen for the 9th annual Loyalty Day program of the Manchester VFW Post and Auxiliary.

A "Miss Loyalty Day Queen" will be chosen at a dance sponsored by the post and auxiliary April 3 at the Post Home. The girl selected will represent them at the 26th annual state VFW Loyalty Day program in New London on the first Sunday in May.

Girls who are 16 through 21 years of age, never married and citizens of the United States, are eligible to participate in the contest and may contact any member of the Loyalty Day committee or the post home at 608 Center St. for details.

The Loyalty Day chairmen will be assisted by Edward Stickney, Wesley

About town

Our Lady of Hope Mothers Circle will meet tonight at 8 at the home of Mrs. Carol Kulpa, 124 Carriage Dr.

AGC official disputes prediction of unrest

WASHINGTON (UPI)—An official of the Associated General Contractors Tuesday disputed a prediction of "spite" strikes and violence in the construction industry as it prepares to negotiate 3,500 new contracts this year with the building trades unions.

James Sprouse, AGC executive vice president, said he does not believe the prediction of former Labor Secretary John Dunlop that the industry's labor-management relations will be "unmitigated hell" this year.

"Unmitigated hell?" he asked, in a report to the AGC members. "No more than usual."

He said contractors should expect a "moderately rough year" at the bargaining table, but

wages increases probably will not exceed the 8 per cent to 9 per cent pace set in 1975.

"Spite strikes? Violence?" he asked. "I don't think so." Dunlop's forecast of "unmitigated hell" was predicated on President Ford's recent veto of a controversial labor-backed bill known as "common situs picketing," which the AGC opposed. The AGC honored Ford today as it's "Man of the Year."

Ford's veto prompted Dunlop to resign, caused the unions to resign en masse from the industry. In labor-management committee and led building trades union officials to withdraw all campaign support from the President.

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MEA scholarship fair Saturday

Lida Duncan (right), a substitute teacher in Manchester, shows teachers Ann Kichar (left) and Roselle Schultz, a Manchester Education Association (MEA) vice president, the Bicentennial afghan she made for the MEA's scholarship fair March 13. The fair, scheduled from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Manchester High School cafeteria, will feature sales of jewelry, plants, baked goods, candy, books and records, and "white elephants." There'll also be a snack booth. All proceeds go to a scholarship fund for Manchester students.

State to lend \$10 million to Scovill buyers

HARTFORD (UPI)—The Connecticut Development Authority Tuesday agreed to lend \$10 million to a group of investors trying to buy the Scovill Manufacturing Co., Waterbury's largest employer.

Gov. Ella T. Grasso said she was "proud and gratified" the loan was approved, and hoped "this successful venture will serve as an impetus to the economic revitalization of the Waterbury area."

The investors, headed by Charles Rubinstein, president of Chrysler Metals Co. of Plainville, have been negotiating the Scovill purchase for several months but they needed the loan to finalize the deal.

Last year, Scovill's 2,000 employees agreed to a new contract calling for no pay hikes in the next two years because the investors said they could not afford to buy the firm if salaries went up.

Scovill's owners warned they would shut the plant doors unless the loan was approved. The Connecticut Development Authority will raise the \$10 million by issuing state bonds.

Lawyer

People, who drink, wrote Shakespeare, "put an enemy into their mouths to steal away their brains." Are you legally responsible for what you do if your brain has been "stolen" by alcohol?

Generally speaking, so long as the intoxication was voluntary, you are indeed responsible. The drunken driver cannot escape blame for running down a pedestrian by claiming that he did not know what he was doing.

And in a defamation suit, the court rejected the defendant's plea that he was "under the influence" when he called a business rival a thief.

"Drunkness," said the court, "will not excuse slander."

The law's attitude is that we each have a basic obligation to remain sober. "It is a duty which everyone owes to society to preserve the inestimable gift of reason," said one judge. "If, by voluntary act, he temporarily casts off the restraints of conscience, he is answerable for any injury he may do to others."

On the other hand, the law also requires a sober person, in dealing with a drunk, to treat him with fair regard for his disability. For example:

A truck driver offered a ride to a man who was obviously intoxicated, allowing him to take a standing position on the open back platform. Within minutes the man fell out and suffered injury.

In due course a court held the trucking company liable for its driver's negligence. The court said the driver should have had better sense than to expose a helpless man to such evident danger.

And a city had to pay damages to a pedestrian who, while intoxicated, had fallen into an unprotected manhole.

"A drunken man," observed the court, "is as much entitled to a safe street as a sober one, and much more in need of it."

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About town

Calvary Church will have a prayer service for the nation tonight at 7:14 at the church, 647 E. Middle Tpke., followed by a Bible study.

The pastor-parish relations committee of South United Methodist Church will meet tonight at 7:30 at the church. The Sunday School staff will meet at 8:15 at the church.

The People Group, a community organization for singles, will meet Thursday at 8 p.m. at Mott's Community Hall. The meeting is open to all interested singles.

Lydia Circle of South United Methodist Church will meet tonight at 7:30 at the church. The Sunday School staff will meet at 8:15 at the church.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, will have a meeting tonight at 8 at the church, 447 N. Main St., which will include testimonies by students of Christian Science. The meeting is open to the public.

Ann Judson Circle of Community Baptist Church will meet Thursday at 9:30 a.m. at the church.

The Open Circle of South United Methodist Church will meet tonight at 7:30 for a work program at the church.

Emanuel Lutheran Church will have a Lenten service tonight at 7:30 in the church sanctuary.

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Every Tender Meat Morsel Guaranteed Delicious. U.S.D.A. CHOICE SEMI BONELESS Chuck Steak or Roast 68¢ LB. U.S.D.A. CHOICE BONELESS SHOULDER ROAST \$1.39 LB. GROUND BEEF 79¢ LB. Fresh Chicken Breast 89¢. Fresh Chicken Legs 79¢. Chuck Steak \$1.39. Top Blade Steak 98¢. Cube Steak \$1.58. London Broil \$1.49. Chuck Eye Pot Roast \$1.29. Chuck Roast \$1.19. Chuck Stew Beef \$1.29. Short Ribs of Beef \$1.99. Calves Liver 99¢. Veal Patties 69¢. Sausage Roll \$1.09. Italian Sausage \$1.69. Meat or Beef Bologna 79¢. Gem Beef Franks 89¢. Gem Daisy Roll \$1.59. Sliced Bacon \$1.59.

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WALDBAUM'S N.Y. STYLE DELI! Formula 73 Ham With Isolated Protein \$1.99. ROAST BEEF \$1.99. Cheddar Cheese \$1.89. Lox \$1.49. Pepperoni \$1.19. Beef Bologna \$1.39. FRESH... FRESH BAKED GOODS! WHITE BREAD 3 89¢. Assorted Donuts 75¢. English Muffins 2 89¢. Taliano Bread 56¢. Table Talk Apple Pie 99¢.

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Environmental education

On March 12, 1970, a group of approximately thirty-five concerned citizens convened to exchange information on environmental education programs in the state.

They called themselves "the teaching of human ecology, on all levels and dealing with local environments, is essential now."

Subsequent meetings have had little or no training in how to teach in the out-of-doors.

But to make use of any outdoor area is essential in establishing a child to his environment. Many interesting and exciting lessons can take place there.

These may help him to understand the environment in which he lives and on which he depends.

He begins to see the world as it is rather than as someone else says it is. He learns that he is an integral part of his environment.

What he does to the natural world will affect it directly. It brings him face to face with the problems of survival.

To date, only five states have made Environmental Education mandatory in their school systems.

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respect for the natural world must be taught. Children must learn to understand how they fit as inhabitants of the natural world.

To often, environmental education is taught on a fact-oriented basis with an occasional trip to a nature center. Many teachers have had little or no training in how to teach in the out-of-doors.

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IOH plans second swimathon Friday

The Instructors of the Handicapped (IOH) will begin its second annual swimathon Friday at 9 p.m. in the Manchester High School swimming pool and continue till Saturday at 9 a.m.

Participants are reminded to bring sleeping bags if they wish to sleep in the halls. Proceeds from the swimathon will benefit the IOH Pool Fund, established by IOH to finance a pool of its own.

Participants include swimmers who have received pledges of money per swim lap will be swimming alternately during the entire 12-hour period in 15-minute relays.

Games and music will be provided in the school gym for the times instructors are not swimming.

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About town

The executive board of Manchester Junior Women's Club will meet tonight at 8 at the home of Mrs. Vivian Trask, 86 Duane St.

The St. Mary's Episcopal Church will have the liturgy of spiritual healing Thursday at 10 a.m. and 7:45 p.m. at the church.

The prudential board of Center Congregational Church will meet tonight at 7:30 in the Robbins Room of the church.

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Business

Robert D. Sayles of Manchester has been promoted to service coordinator with the Southern New England Telephone Co.

Sayles joined the telephone company in 1962 as a lineman in Manchester. He was a communications manager before his recent promotion.

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SBM gets branch okays

The Savings Bank of Manchester, now operating 11 offices in five towns, has received the "green light" for its 12th office, in a new area.

Applications for a new branch in Ashford have been approved by the State Banking Department and the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp.

The new branch is to be located in an existing building at the junction of Rts. 44 and 4A in Ashford. Renovation of the building will begin soon with branch opening planned for early spring.

Tom Matrick, the bank's vice president of operations, said: "It's a new territory for us."

Matrick said SBM had studied the Ashford area for about three years before filing branch applications in January. The town's population has just reached a level where SBM thinks it warrants banking facilities.

SBM's last application for a new branch, in South Granbury, was denied by state banking officials last year.

The bank now has offices in Manchester, East Hartford, South Windsor, Bolton and Andover.

The annual meeting of stockholders is scheduled for 3 p.m. next Wednesday at The Colony, Rt. 83, Wallingford.

Among items on the meeting agenda are election of 15 directors and a proposed authorization of at least \$300,000 in capital notes.

Directors listed in the meeting proxy statement are the Rev. John Bahler, Roy C. Conyers, W. Harry England, Russell G. Hartmann, Robert F. Kahan, Solomon Keresky, Kloter, Ralph Lipman, George Scheitlin, Hannah L. Schneider, Lewis F. Semel, Troy and Walter Vogel.

A new career advancement program for Connecticut business personnel is to start March 22 at the University of Connecticut branch in West Hartford.

Registration information is available from the Office of Non-Credit Extension, Box 1508B, University of Connecticut, Storrs, Conn. 06268, telephone 486-3235.

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New store opens Friday

A new fashion specialty store — The Sandpiper — is scheduled to open Friday at Westfarms Mall, West Hartford.

The grand opening was announced by Phillip Davidson, president of D & L Stores and the Weatherwax stores, who also heads the new firm.

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ShopRite advertisement featuring various meat products like Beef Chuck Blade Steak, Ground Chuck, Pot Roast, and Pork Roast, along with fresh produce like Cherry Tomatoes and Chichory or Escarole.

Pinehurst Groceries advertisement featuring a variety of meat products including Pork, Bacon, and Beef, as well as fresh produce and other grocery items.

Stop & Shop advertisement featuring a wide range of grocery products such as Ground Beef, Beef Round Tips, Pork Loin, and various bakery items like cookies and bread.

Large vertical text on the right side of the page, possibly a page number or a large advertisement, including the number '10' and the word 'MARR'.

Spring Regional Police Academy opens

By DOUG BEVINS
Herald Reporter

The sixth spring session of the Manchester Regional Police Academy opened Monday at local police headquarters with the first group of 200 participants studying narcotics and the law.

Milton Camilleri of the drug control division, state Department of Consumer Protection, was the guest lecturer at Monday morning's opening class. He's one of several experts who will conduct classes during the 11 weeks of training.

A different group of

policemen will attend each week's 40-hour course at the Manchester Police training room. Besides local officers, the participants come from police departments in Coventry, East Windsor, Glastonbury, South Windsor and Vernon.

Security personnel from East Hartford's Pratt & Whitney Aircraft are participating in selected classes at the academy.

The current session is under the direction of Lt. Henry Minor and Sgt. Joseph Brooks of the Manchester Police Department.

It is funded through the local department's budget and by tuition fees from the participating out-of-town policemen.

The training academy was established in Spring 1971 with federal grants administered by the state Planning Committee of Criminal Administration. The grants have expired.

Besides the narcotics class, the academy program includes:

- Telephone investigations, dealing with telephone fraud cases and obscene calls, with Kent Hadley of the Southern

New England Telephone Co. as guest lecturer.

- Child abuse, taught by academy staff and personnel of the state Department of Child and Youth Services.
- Search and seizure laws and techniques, taught by Lt. Minor.
- Juvenile offenders, with Sgt. Patricia Graves of the local force and Al Goodale of the Juvenile Detention Center.
- Defensive driving, taught by Officer Harry Sargent of the East Hartford Police Department.
- Bomb and hazardous

device recognition, with Sgt. Richard Mulligan of the State Police Bomb Squad.

- Law enforcement arts, including demonstrations of the martial arts and special deterrent techniques, taught by officers of the Manchester and Glastonbury Police Departments and the Federal Bureau of Investigation.
- Motor vehicle and criminal law, taught by Sgt. Brooks.
- Federal firearms laws, with Special Agent Robert Hampp of the Bureau of

Alcohol, Tobacco & Firearms, U.S. Treasury Department.

- Alcoholism prevention and sensitivity, with Henry Jedrejczyk of the Council on Alcoholism.
- Firearms training, taught by officers from Manchester, Glastonbury and the FBI.

All classes are conducted at Manchester Police headquarters except the law enforcement arts demonstrations at the Manchester Teen Center and the firearms training at the Manchester Revolver Range.

Fire Safety

Remember to use large ashtrays and check for smoldering ashes between furniture cushions if you drop a cigarette on your sofa or chair. Always use a metal screen for your fireplace and have the chimney inspected annually. Keep matches and lighters out of the reach of small children. Allow an adequate air space around your TV or stereo to prevent heat accumulation. If the TV crackles or doesn't work properly have it checked; it may be a fire hazard. Keep portable heaters away from people and combustible materials. Follow these few common sense rules and keep your home a safe and happy home.

SSI starts third year

The Supplemental Security Income (SSI) program is in its third year, but Social Security officials believe there may still be some people in Manchester area who might be helped by the payments and have not applied.

The SSI program makes monthly payments to people with little or no income and limited resources who are 65 and older or blind or disabled. The first payments were made in January 1974.

About 510 people get SSI payments in Manchester Area, according to Sal Anello, Social Security manager in East Hartford. "But we believe there are others who may be eligible but for one reason or another haven't applied, and we would like to get in touch with them," he said.

"People with some other income and people living in another household may get reduced SSI payments," Anello said. This includes disabled children living with parents and people over 65 living in an institution or with children. "Even if the payment is only \$25 or \$30 a month, it can be a big help."

The first \$20 monthly income from Social Security, company pensions, veterans compensations, or workmen's compensation does not count against the SSI payment. Nor does the first \$65 a month earned from a job or employment.

"Eligible people with no other income at all can get a Federal SSI payment of as much as \$157.70 a month for one person and \$236.60 for a couple," Anello added.

People are allowed limited resources and they may still qualify for benefits.

"Limited resources means possessions worth up to \$1,500 for one person living alone and \$2,250 for a couple," explained Anello. Possessions that are not counted as resources may include a house, car, personal effects, household goods, and life insurance policies, depending on their value.

When applying, it's a good idea to have with you as many of the following as possible: a checkbook, any savings account books, stocks and bonds, life insurance policies, automobile registration cards, latest real estate tax statements if you own a home or any land, last year's tax return, W-2 forms, and evidence of all other income.

It may save time, too, according to Anello, if people applying for SSI payments know how much they have on hand and the value of their car.

"You should also have your Social Security card," he said. "Disabled or blind students 18 to 22 should have a school identification card, tuition receipts, or similar evidence of school attendance."

People can get information about applying for SSI payments by calling or writing any Social Security office. The East Hartford office is at 657 Main St. The phone number is 244-3717.

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Hawaiian Punch	46 oz can	47¢
Sunsweet Prune Juice	40 oz jar	59¢
Peanut Butter	18 oz jar	79¢
White Tuna	5 oz can	67¢
Penn Dutch Noodles	16 oz pkg	49¢

Ronzoni Elbow Macaroni or Spaghetti
1 lb pkg **39¢**

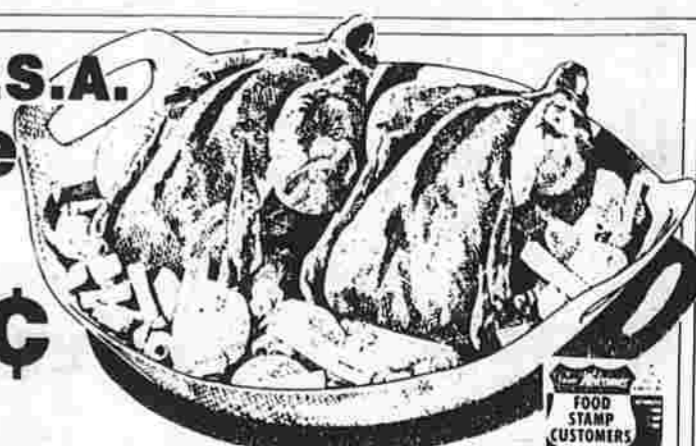
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Blade Steak	Beef Chuck, First Cut, Bone-In	48¢ lb
Shoulder Steak	or Cube Steak Boneless	1.58 lb
7-Bone Steaks	Beef Chuck Center Cut	68¢ lb
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Baked Ham 1.99 lb
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Green Cabbage	2 lbs	29¢
Chicory or Escarole	3 lbs	1.00
Red Radishes	1 lb	29¢
Salad Dressing Mirzem	12 oz	99¢
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Jade Plants 1 Inch Pots	1	1.49

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Appliances Also At These Sears Stores

AMHERST-HADLEY BRANFORD BRISTOL MERIDEN NORTHAMPTON OLD SAYBROOK ROCKVILLE SOUTHBRIDGE WARE WILLIMANTIC
Wearing Apparels and Some Home Fashions Not Available At Danbury, Greenfield, Keene - Wearing Apparels and All Home Fashions Not Available At Westfield

Sears



Save 27%
on Soft tops or
Pre-washed denims

7⁹⁹
Regular '11
Soft tops or
denim jeans

SAVE \$3 ... Soft tops

The big look of the season ... now at a low sale price. Gauzy polyester and cotton big shirts, natural color to go with just about everything. Assorted styles in Misses' 8-16.

SAVE \$3 ... Denims

A great buy on stylish pre-washed denims ... natural companions for the big tops. In soft, comfortable cotton. Several styles, with detailing. In Misses' sizes 8 to 16.



Save \$3 to \$5
Family casuals styled
for action!

7⁹⁹
Regular
\$10.99 to \$12.99
pair

Sizes Children's 10 to 3, Boys' 3½ to 7
Women's 5 to 10, Men's 7½-11, 12

- Crushably soft leather/nylon upper
- Padded topline for comfort
- Assorted colors
- Lined, padded tongue, leather eyelet band
- Treaded sole for great traction

Sears

SAVE \$3 to \$4
Pre-washed denims.
The look you work for
is already here

9⁹⁹
Regular '14 jeans

12⁹⁹
Regular '16 jacket

Here's the comfortable look and feel of pre-washed 100% cotton denims that have that lived-in look. These jeans are Sears Best. Designed to fit your life style with flared legs and wide belt loops. The waist-length jacket sports 2 chest pockets with flaps, front and back yoke and 1-button cuffs. Now on Sale at Sears.

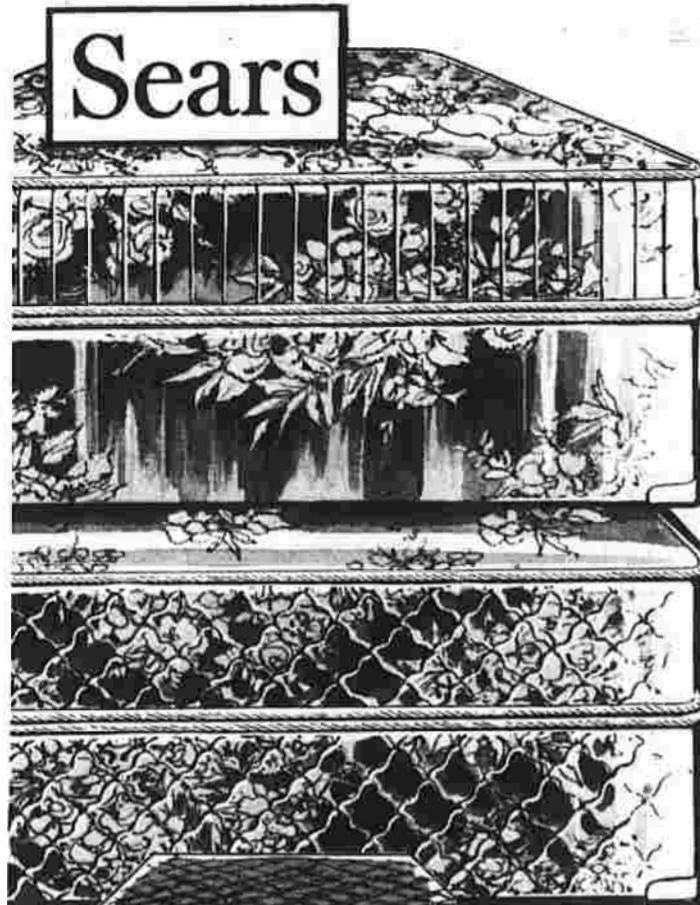
Jeans
Joint



SAVE \$2
Western-styled shirts Regular '11

Woven sport shirts to spark up all your casual looks. Loaded with popular styling like yokes and a trim fit. Perma-Prest* fabric of polyester and cotton. Sizes S to XL.

8⁹⁹



SAVE \$40

Sears-O-Pedic® Supreme super firm mattress

Innerspring or Polymeric Foam

Twin size, mattress or foundation

Regular \$149.99

109⁸⁸

Try this for super firm comfort! 900 innerspring coils (1250 coils in full). Or 6½-in. polymeric foam. Both feature sag-resistant construction. And luxurious, padded quilt tops. Now on Sale at Sears!

\$169.99 Full, mattress or foundation SAVE \$40 ... 129.88
 \$429.99 2 pc. Queen Set SAVE \$100 ... 329.88
 \$569.99 3 pc. King Set SAVE \$110 ... 459.88



SAVE \$30
Sears-O-Pedic® Deluxe firm mattress

Innerspring or Polymeric Foam

\$149.99 Full Mattress or foundation **119⁸⁸**
 \$359.99 2 pc. Queen Set **289⁸⁸**
 \$489.99 3 pc. King Set **399⁸⁸**

Twin Size mattress or foundation **99⁸⁸**
 Regular \$129.99

YOUR CHOICE CARPET SALE

SAVE \$2 sq. yd. on durable nylon pile carpet in 3 styles

- a. Opening Theme sculptured in 6 bright multi-color blends. Durable nylon pile is easy to clean. Don't miss this value.
- b. Lustre I plush, a shimmering look in 15 glorious colors. Made of nylon pile for long wear. It's luxurious.
- c. Directors Choice II shag has density of a plush for a great look and feel. Nylon pile in 10 solid and tone colors.

YOUR CHOICE
 Regular \$9.99

7⁹⁹
 sq. yd.

Use Sears Easy Payment Plan



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SAVE 15% to 25%

Ready-made draperies in your choice of 2 textures

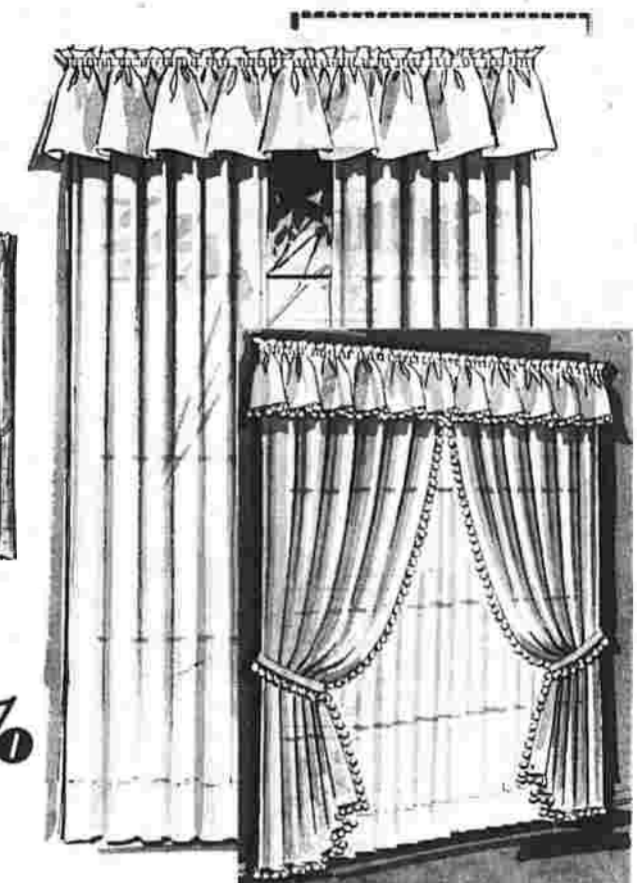
Regular \$14.99 and \$15.99
 48x84 in. long

11⁹⁹

Chico, open-weave two-tone casement draperies in 4 earth-tone colors. Easy-care cotton, rayon, acetate and polyester blend fabric that's machine washable. No ironing when tumbled dry.

Lyric, tweed-textured solid color draperies of 100% rayon. Choose from 5 hues! Ideal for casual or contemporary room settings. With acrylic foam back. Machine-washable.

Size: pair width and length	Regular Price	Sale Price
48x84 in.	\$12.99 to \$13.99	10.99
72x84 in.	\$27.99	23.99
96x84 in.	\$36.99 to \$37.99	31.99
120x84 in.	\$46.99	39.99
144x84 in.	\$55.99	47.99
96x84 in. One-way Draw	\$39.99	33.99



Easy-care panels and priscillas in many sizes and colors, ALL ON SALE!

Spindrift, semi-sheer panels of Dacron® polyester batiste, in your choice of 7 colors, 12 sizes. Rod-pocket tops, 5-in. hems. Regular \$5.09
3⁹⁹
 40x81-in. panel

Lorraine, billowy priscillas of semi-sheer Dacron® polyester batiste, in 2 colors, 6 sizes. Cotton ball fringe, attached valance. Regular \$14.99
11⁹⁹
 88x81 in. long

Other sizes also on sale at similar savings!



20 to 26% OFF Stained Glass bath fashions.

Bath Towels
 Regular \$4.99

3⁹⁹

Fringed cotton jacquard towels. Sheared on one side and looped on the other. Hand and guest towel, washcloth, bath mat also on sale.

\$9.99 Shower or Window Curtain 7.49
 \$13.99 Double Shower Curtain 10.49
 \$7.49 Rug, 24x36-in. 5.59
 \$10.49 27x48-in. Rug 7.79
 \$6.49 Contour Rug 4.79
 \$28.99 5x6-ft. Carpet 21.79



\$50 OFF

100% Solid-State
table model Color TV

Regular \$419.99
369⁹⁹

19-in. diagonal measure picture

This handsome table model color set is just right for whole family viewing! The dependable 100% solid-state chassis helps keep your set running cool for hour after hour of viewing enjoyment.

\$70 Off... our brightest picture color TV

19-in. diagonal measure picture

This set offers our brightest picture for clear, sharp color viewing! It has 100% solid-state chassis, and convenient one-button color tuning. Also in-line, super chromix picture tube for bright, true color.

449⁹⁹

Regular \$519.99

\$35-OFF

Sewing machine head
with 12 dial-stitches

\$145

Regular \$180

Dial 6 utility stitches: straight, zig-zag, blind hem, mending, shell, box — and 6 s-t-r-e-t-c-h stitches for the new fabrics. Built-in bottomholer, foot control, sewing light.

Kenmore Zig-Zag with
Stretch Stitch for Knits

Head Only

Such a low price for a machine with these stitches! Sews zig-zag and straight stitches, too, to sew, mend and darn. Built-in light. Foot control included.

\$98



SAVE \$30

Powermate[®]
Vacuum

149⁹⁹

Regular \$179.99. Adjustable beater-bar unit has separate motor, gets up embedded dirt. Cord-reel canister. Other deluxe attachments.

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3 cycles including permanent press

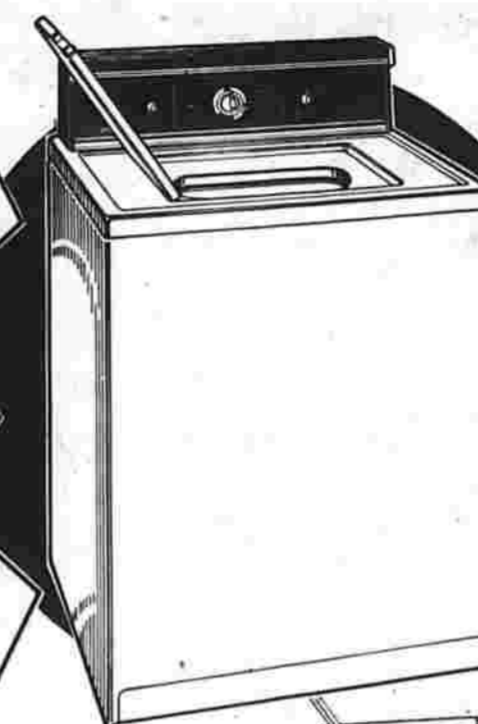
Large capacity makes washday easy for you

Heavy-duty motor and construction

Porcelain-enameled top and lid

3 wash/rinse temperature combinations

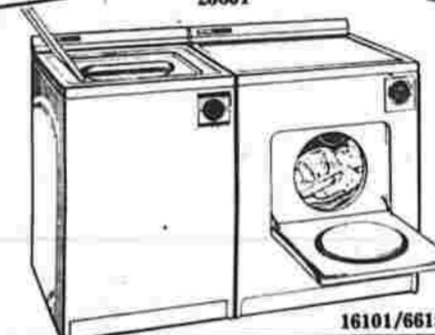
3 water levels for all size loads



Heavy-duty automatic washer

\$198

Short on floor space? This 24-in. wide washer fits in even tight areas! Has automatically pre-set temperatures. Heavy-duty motor.



Electric heavy-duty dryer

\$138

Heavy-duty dryer lets you dry clothes on heat or fluff pillows and blankets on air! Temperatures automatically set with cycle. Lint screen.

SAVE \$31.99

Kenmore
Large-Capacity
Washer with
3 water levels

Regular \$269.99
\$238

SAVE \$60 . . .

Frostless 19.2 cu. ft. Ice Maker
refrigerator-freezer

Regular \$559.99

499⁹⁹

Huge 13.5-cu. ft. refrigerator and 5.7-cu. ft. freezer! Select-O-Cube automatic ice maker for convenience. 3 adjustable shelves. Humidrawer* helps keep food fresh. Ice maker hookup is optional, extra.



Frostless 17.0-cu. ft.
refrigerator-freezer

\$348

• 12.4 cu. ft. refrigerator and 4.6 cu. ft. freezer will never need defrosting
• Deep door shelves, fruit-vegetable crisper
• Magnetic door gaskets help seal cold in



\$30 OFF
19.27-cu. ft. frostless
refrigerator-freezer

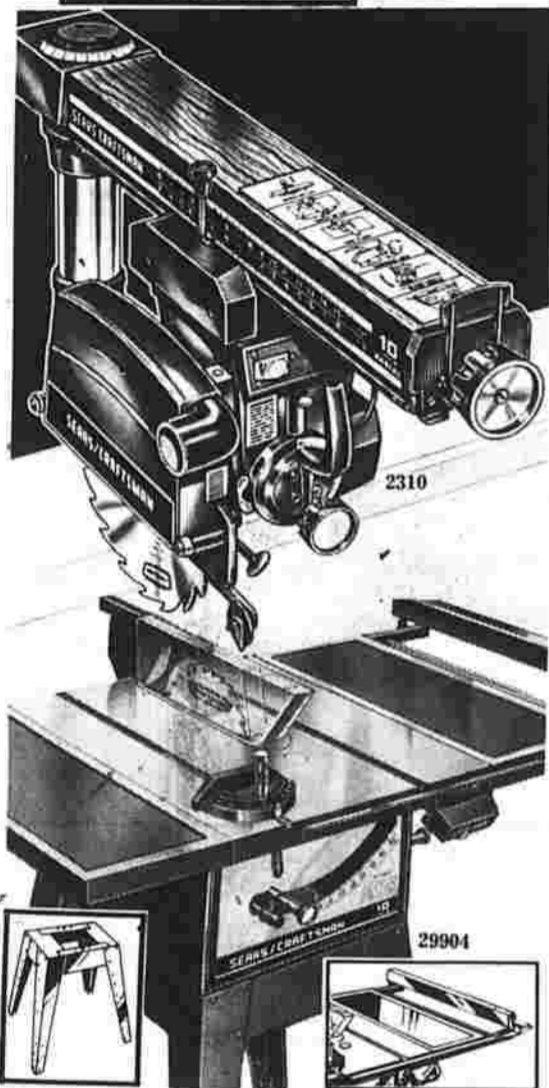
Regular \$469.99

439⁹⁹

Frost will never form in either the 13.56 cu. ft. refrigerator or the 5.71 cu. ft. top freezer sections! Roomy, with lots of door storage. Twin fruit and vegetable crispers and meat pan.



Sears NATIONAL HARDWARE WEEK SALE



SAVE \$120
Craftsman 10-in. Radial Saw

Regular \$379.99

259⁹⁹

Easy-to-reach controls and spacious work table help make this versatile saw simple to operate. 10-in. Kromedge® blade. Features work function chart, adjustable miter, bevel and in-out rip scales. Auto blade brake.

Radial Saw Handbook 5.99
 Sears 10-in. Radial Saw as Low as 199.99

SAVE \$90
Craftsman 10-in. Table Saw

Regular \$369.99

279⁹⁹

Powerful saw will really rip into tough stock! Outfit includes 10-inch table saw with large rip fence with a 26-in. capacity, powerful motor, 2 solid extensions and leg set. Partially assembled.

Table Saw Handbook 5.99

SAVE \$57.96 Craftsman 5-piece Saw Kit
 • 2 1/2" Working Head Set • Fold Down Attachment
 • 7" Adjustable Guide • 10" Fine Tooth Green Cut • 10" Circular Saw Blade
 Regular Separate Price \$117.95 **59⁹⁹**

\$27 OFF
8-Gal. Wet and Dry Home-N-Shop® Vac
 Regular \$87.98 **59⁹⁹**
 Vac has 4-gal. wet capacity and 9-bu. dry capacity. Polyurethane tank resists rusting, cracking and peeling. With nozzles, hose, extension.

\$30 OFF
1/3-HP Bench Grinder
 Regular \$89.99 **59⁹⁹**
 Keep a sharp edge on all your tools! 3500 rpm motor, 2 aluminum-oxide grinding wheels, gooseneck light, more.

SAVE \$4 \$19.99 10-in. blade pack **15⁹⁹**
SAVE \$3 \$22.99 caster set **19⁹⁹**
SAVE \$8 \$33.99 leg set **25⁹⁹**

SAVE 10% to 37%
Your Choice 249 Each

A. \$3.79 to \$3.99 assorted pliers
 B. \$3.49 1/2-in. drive 13/16-in. opening spark plug socket
 C. \$3.39 3/4-in. drive 13/16-in. opening spark plug socket
 D. \$3.39 1/2-in. drive 5/8-in. opening spark plug socket
 E. \$3.99 box end wrench set
 F. \$3.69 5/16x8-in. screwdriver
 G. \$2.99 quart white glue
 H. \$3.79 corner clamp
 I. \$3.29 sand and polish kit
 J. \$2.99 sawhorse brackets, pkg. of 2
 K. \$2.79 3-in. "C" clamp

Sears NATIONAL HARDWARE WEEK SALE
 Most Items At Reduced Prices

Craftsman Power Tool SALE

NOW ONLY 29⁹⁹ Each

\$42.99 Variable Speed Drill SAVE \$13

Match rpm to job requirement with smooth variable-speed performance! Develops maximum 1/2 HP. Double-insulated, too.

\$33.99 Handy Weedwacker SAVE \$4

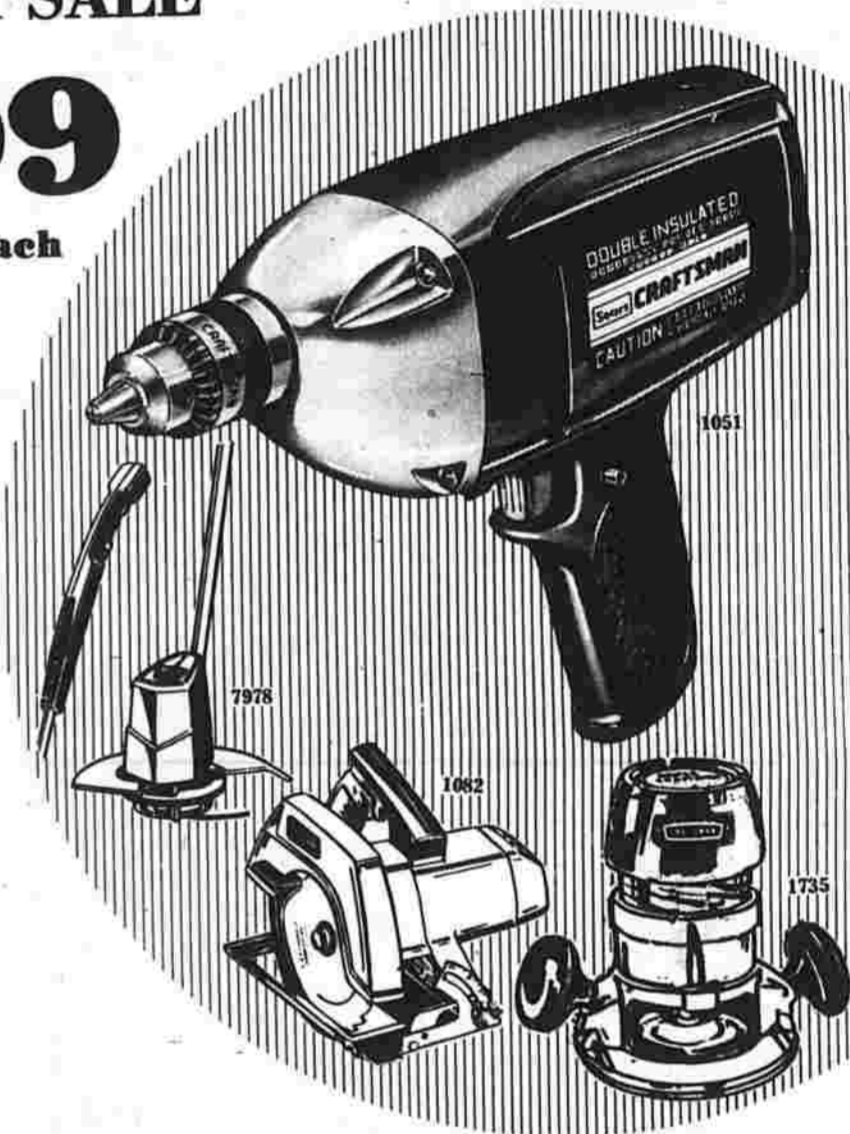
Craftsman Weedwacker trims heavy grass, weeds easily with heavy mono-filament line. Trims next to buildings, trees, under fences. Use vertically to edge along sidewalk.

\$42.99 7-in. Circular Saw SAVE \$13

Lightweight saw, heavy-weight performance! Develops maximum 1 1/2 HP. Handles 2x4's at angles from 90° to 45°. Sawdust blower.

Light-Duty Power Router VALUE

Develops maximum 1/2 HP. Spindle lock for easy bit replacement. Depth adjusts by 32nds up to 1 1/2-in. Ball bearing construction. Externally accessible brushes for easy maintenance. Router not exactly as shown.



SAVE \$2 10-pc. Bit Set Regular \$6.99 **4⁹⁹**
SAVE \$3 7-in. Comb. Blade Pack Regular \$11.99 **8⁹⁹**
SAVE \$15 17-pc. Router Bit Set Regular \$54.99 **39⁹⁹**
SAVE \$5 Router Work-Table Regular \$15.99 **10⁹⁹**

SAVE \$25
Craftsman 1-H.P. Router Kit
 Regular \$89.99 **64⁹⁹**
 Kit includes: router, edge guide, router bit, carrying case and instruction booklet. Router motor develops maximum 1 HP and no-load speed of 25000 RPM. Built-in switch in handle.

Lowest-Priced Craftsman 3/8-in. Electric Drill
 Sturdy 3/8-in. drill. Double-insulated ... no grounding needed. Develops maximum 1/5 HP.
9⁹⁹

Your Choice 5⁹⁹ Each

A. \$7.99 1/4-in. x20 ft. lock tape measure
 B. \$7.99 Craftsman 7-in. block plane
 C. \$7.99 Craftsman aviation torch kit
 D. \$7.99 Craftsman aviation snips
 E. \$9.49 Heavy duty 14-in. pipe wrench
 F. \$7.99 Craftsman 26-in. fine-cut hand saw
 G. \$10.99 Craftsman 26-in. 3-vial level
 H. \$9.49 Craftsman 16 oz. hammer
 K. \$8.99 Craftsman 2 pc. locking plier set

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SAVE \$20

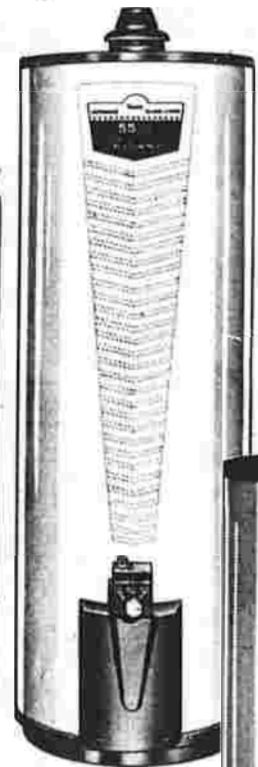


Hydro-Glass™
Jet Pump

Regular \$129.95

109⁸⁸ 1/2-HP

1/2-HP convertible jet pump is highly rust and corrosion-resistant. Jet sold separately, 36-gal.



SPECIAL PURCHASE
On Gas and Electric
Water Heaters . . .

Economizer, our new
Gas Water Heater

Sears
Low Price
30 gal. capacity

109⁹⁹

Double density insulation is twice as dense as our standard fiber glass insulation to help slow heat loss. "Flame with a brain" thermostat is automatic, helps keep up with water use rate.

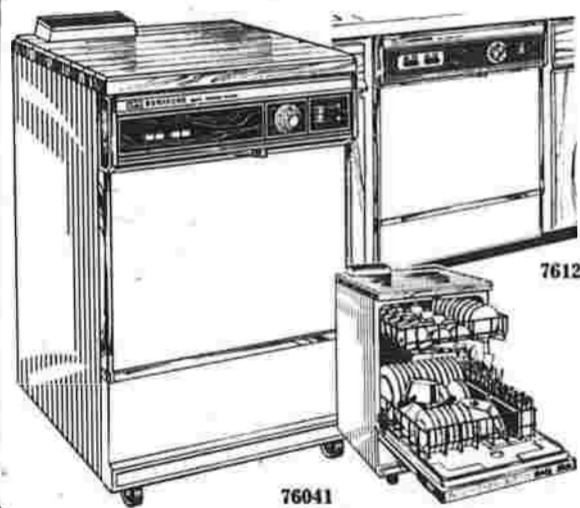
**Dual 21, Electric Water
Heater**

Sears Low Price

104⁹⁹ 42 gal.

Dual "J" shaped elements — lower for normal heating, upper for fast heating of water in top 1/4 of tank.

A special purchase, though not reduced, is an exceptional value.



\$30 OFF!

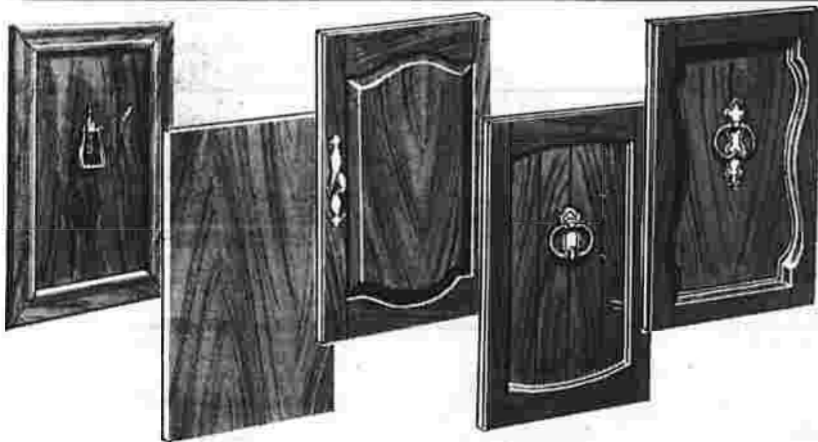
On 4-cycle dishwashers

Built-in, Regular *229.95

Portable, Regular *249.95

199⁸⁸ 219⁸⁸

Start enjoying the everyday convenience of pushbutton dishwashing now and save! You get a choice of light or normal wash, Sani-cycle with a 155° final rinse or rinse/hold. And there is forced air drying with a Power Miser drying temperature switch. Built-in model includes reversible front panels for a choice of white, black, copper-tone, tawny gold color or avocado. Built-in dishwasher installation extra.



SAVE

10% to 40%

**EVERY KITCHEN
CABINET ON SALE!**

Sears

**2nd TIRE
1/2 PRICE!**

When You Buy 1st Tire At Regular Price plus F.E.T.



Sears Highway Passenger Tire Warranty
Full Warranty for 10% of Mileage Specified
If you do not receive 10% of miles specified because of your tire becoming unserviceable due to failure apparently relating to the material or workmanship, normal road hazards or tread wearout, replacement or refund will be made, upon return, with no charge for mileage received.
Limited Warranty
If you do not receive the total miles specified because of your tire becoming unserviceable due to failure apparently relating to the material or workmanship, normal road hazards or tread wearout, we will exchange it upon return, for a new tire or give you a refund charging in either case, only the proportion of the then current selling price plus Federal Excise Tax that represents mileage used. Nail punctures will be repaired at no charge.

**Our Best Fiberglass-
Belted Tires**

28,000 Mile Warranty

SALE PRICES
ON 2nd TIRE
START AS
LOW AS . . .

19⁹⁷
A78-13
Blackwall
plus F.E.T.

DYNAGLASS BELTED Blackwall	PRICE 1st Tire	PRICE 2nd Tire	F.E.T. (Each)
A78-13	\$41	19.97	1.75
E78-14	\$44	21.97	2.27
F78-14	\$48	23.97	2.43
G78-14	\$50	24.97	2.60
G78-15	\$51	25.47	2.65
H78-15	\$54	26.97	2.87
L78-15 w/w	\$65	32.47	3.08

**NO TRADE-IN
FREE:
Mounting
Rotation**

**Our Lowest Priced Nylon
Cord Highway Tires. Prices**

Start As Low As **13⁹⁹**
6.00-12 B/W
Crusader . . . 12,000 Mile Warranty plus F.E.T.

Ask About Sears Credit Plans

SAVE \$8

Power Rated Sears 48 Battery

Regular *39.99 with trade-in

31⁹⁷ With Trade-in

Replace now...get excellent starting power plus reserve capacity for handling extra accessories. Choice of top or side terminals. Sizes to fit most American-made cars.

Sears 12-volt batteries (Group 24C, 24F, 22F) start as low as \$19.95 With trade-in



Battery performance characteristics rated for power according to Battery Council International standard.

Cold cranking power	Reserve capacity	Amp. hour capacity	Number of plates
410 amps.	115 minutes	67	66



Sears **march**
value
days

It's high time for short sheer stockings

3 for \$1

Sears Price
You stand to gain a lot in the way of looks and comfort with our ankle highs. One size. Rich tones. At Sears.

Sears march value days

Sale Ends Saturday, March 13, 1976



SAVE 17%
Men's T-shirts or briefs

Regular \$4.49 **3⁶⁹** pkg. of 3

T-shirts or briefs. Blend of cotton and polyester for comfort and long wear. At Sears.



SAVE \$1.20
Sears girls' sweatshirts

Regular \$5.99 **4⁷⁹**

Long sleeve, hooded sweatshirts in pastel colors. Muff pocket. 7-14. In many colors.



SAVE 30%
Sears assorted vac bags

Regular \$1.29 **99^c** pkg.

For all Kenmore and other vacuum cleaners, including: Electrolux, Hoover, Eureka, Whirlpool and many others.



VALUE
Flower and garden seeds

Available Only At Larger Sears Stores **6^c** pkg.

Choose from many different varieties. Helps save on grocery bills! Many varieties of seeds.



SAVE \$1.50
Linen-look vinyl shades

Regular \$4.49 **2⁹⁹**
37 1/4" wide, 6' long

Sears Sentry shades are deeply embossed heavy-gauge vinyl. Wipes clean. Other Sizes Also on Sale



SAVE \$11
23-Channel citizen band

Regular \$99.99 **88⁸⁸**

23-channel mobile citizen band two-way radio has positive/negative ground.



SAVE 20%
Propane cylinder

Regular \$1.17 ea. **97^c** ea.

Fits Sears torches, most other makes. Holds 14.1-ounces by weight. On Sale.



SAVE \$15
1.9-cu. in. gas saw

119⁸⁸ Regular \$134.95

Automatic and manual oiling. 1/4-in. Oregon chipper chain, 12-in. guide bar unattached.



'Law

Manchester Policeman
Policeman Isidro Torre
Wednesday at the Man
during spring sessions
and demonstration of
academy, which opened
from six towns in the

Business of service

HARTFORD (UPI) — Bus
spokesmen, wearing labels u
lawmakers to "repeal 7 per ce
business services," testified in
after wave that striking the
would spur the state's a
economy.

The representatives, of every
from employment agencies to
dealers, Wednesday urged
legislature's Finance Committe
pass Gov. Ella T. Grasso's pl
repeal the 7 per cent levy on bus
services.

"We are hopeful the repeal o
tax will be the start of the revit
tion of the Connecticut constru
industry," said Robert Werm
Norwalk, speaking for the Su
tractors Association of Connect

"Similarly, since lea
economists feel that a healthy
struction industry means a he

News

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HARTFORD — B
Brunelle, 17, today cyni
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that state officials refuse
pay because he is under a

STAMFORD — Dr. Mic
Sveda, discoverer
cyclamates, says an indef
government report
marketing of the chem
sweetener is comical.
report said the commi
studying the chemical c
not say for sure whe
cyclamates are capable
causing cancer in human
was disclosed that rats use
tests which led to the 1969
were not fed cyclamates a
but a mixture inclu
saccharin.

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WESTON, Mass. —
short, sharp earthquakes
recorded in the southern
of Massachusetts about
a.m. today, according to
Weston Observatory. No
injuries or property da
were reported, but r
stations in Rhode Island
Massachusetts rece
numerous calls from
cerned residents.

AUGUSTA, Maine —
constitutional ban on