

The weather

Partly sunny today, high in mid 20s. Fair tonight with low 5-10. Wednesday fair with high in 20s. Snow probability 10 per cent through Wednesday. National weather forecast map on Page 11.

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State

HARTFORD—Judge John A. Speziale, chief judge of the Superior Court, who ruled "a grave injustice" was committed in convicting Peter Reilly for the death of his mother, was nominated Monday to the Connecticut Supreme Court by Gov. Ella T. Grasso. He will succeed Associate Justice William P. Barber of Putnam May 6, when Barber reaches the mandatory retirement age of 70.

HAMDEN—The Connecticut State Labor Council, AFL-CIO, says it will oppose banning throwaway beverage containers despite a report showing no real difference between beverage prices in states with and without them. The opposition is based on the fear of the loss of jobs in the bottling industry in the state.

HARTFORD—Legislation to exempt families with incomes below the federal government's poverty line from paying state sales taxes has been introduced by State Sen. George Guidera, D-Wilton. He thinks it could be by giving identification cards to those eligible for the exemption.

Regional

PROVIDENCE, R. I.—William Bailey, the convicted felon barred from the Rhode Island House, faces extradition to Michigan on theft charges and a \$938.54 tax lien filed Monday by the Internal Revenue Service. Bailey's lawyers, including activist William Kunstler, plan to seek a delay in the extradition so the Providence Democrat will have more time to fight for his House seat.

BUZZARDS BAY, Mass.—A 100,000-gallon oil spill from a barge which grounded in icy waters at the mouth of the Cape Cod Canal is threatened to ruin shellfishing beds along some of New England's most picturesque coastline. About 1,000 gallons of the oil was burned off Monday by the Coast Guard.

National

CHICAGO—The Rev. Jesse L. Jackson has urged President Carter to develop some type of "energy stamp program" to protect those who can't afford to pay heating bills during cold weather. He also asked utilities and heating oil suppliers not cut services because of lack of payments.

NEW YORK—Cardinal Terence Cooke of the archdiocese of New York Monday issued an appeal for donations of blankets and warm clothing to help the poor and elderly withstand the freezing weather gripping the state.

PHILADELPHIA—Attorney Richard Sprague wants the Pennsylvania Supreme Court to reconsider granting former United Mine Workers President W. A. "Tony" Boyle a new trial in the Yablonski murders.

WASHINGTON—World arms sales have reached the greatest level in history and the government says the United States leads the pack. The survey noted that the world total expenditure for arms in 1975 was \$340 billion in 1966, the first year of the survey, the total was \$279 billion.

International

WINNIPEG, Man., Canada—A tenement building some City Council members demanded be torn down because it was a fire trap was destroyed in a fire that killed eight persons and injured 18 others Monday night.

TOKYO—Vice President Walter Mondale, ending 10 days of talks with major American allies, said today the United States will gradually withdraw its ground forces from South Korea but "does not intend to turn its back on Asia."

House considers bill to ease energy crisis

WASHINGTON (UPI) — A bill designed to ease the pain — but not cure the ailment — of the winter's natural gas shortages passed the Senate nearly unanimously and was ready today for House consideration.

The measure, requested by President Carter in hopes of easing critical shortages, was called up in an emergency atmosphere that congressional leaders hoped would get it quickly to the White House.

The House had a separate version to consider as well, one approved by its Commerce Committee. Leaders hoped to win enactment of the Senate bill, but were prepared to call up the second version if they failed to win approval for voting on the original under a rules suspension.

Carter's emergency bill, changed little by the Senate, would allow the President to order one interstate pipeline to share gas with another, so home heating and other essential uses are protected, and would allow pipelines to bid for emergency gas from producers at whatever price will get the gas.

The Senate refused to put a lid on the prices of those emergency purchases.

The House Commerce Committee bill required a ceiling of approximately \$2 per thousand cubic feet for emergency gas, compared with the national ceiling of \$1.44.

Unregulated state prices vary widely, but sometimes are over \$2. Some members accused producers of holding back gas in expectation of higher prices.

"I have evidence that producers in Texas and other states are deliberately withholding gas," Rep. John Seiberling, D-Ohio, told the House.

"There is, indeed, a deliberate withholding of natural gas from the marketplace, in an effort to force deregulation of that gas ... It is the natural gas companies themselves

who are bringing this country to its knees," said Sen. Howard Metzenbaum, D-Ohio.

The Senate voted its bill 91 to 2 in the first night meeting of the year Monday. The two "no's" were Sen. John G. Tower, R-Tex., who objected to the bill's reach into the states, and Sen. James Abourezk, D-S.D., who wanted to strengthen that reach.

Supporters could not promise the bill would do much. The most it could do is shuttle some gas to the highest-priority uses such as homes and hospitals.

"It's not going to increase our natural gas supplies by one cubic

foot," Sen. Lloyd M. Bentsen, D-Tex., said.

Sen. James McClure, R-Idaho, said, "If we pass this bill, the best you could expect is to spread the shortfall around, so that more people share in the shortfall."

"It is going to hurt some states and help other states, but I think it will make a contribution for the emergency," Sen. J. Bennett Johnston, D-La., said.

Several senators argued for long-term lifting of federal price controls on gas, but did not fight for it as an amendment, in the interests of the emergency bill.

Weather at a glance

By United Press International

Here, at a glance, are the latest developments in the energy crisis and the weather situation:

— The Department of Health, Education and Welfare said states under certain circumstances may divert existing HEW funds to help poor families meet skyrocketing heating costs, starting today.

— The number of workers laid off because of energy shortages has reached about 2 million — 1 million in Ohio alone.

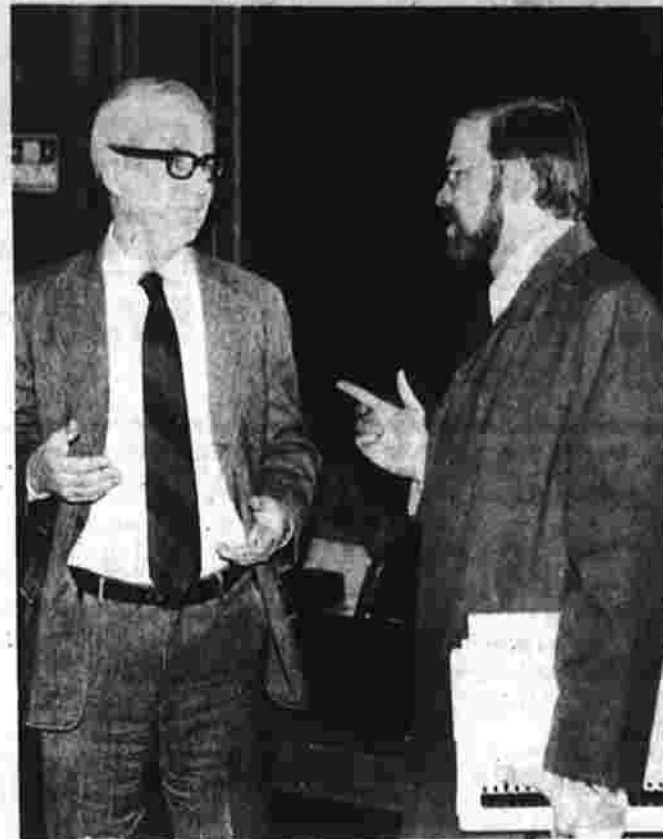
— A new storm dumped more snow on western New York State Monday.

with 15-foot drifts reported in Watertown. Snow removal equipment was being airlifted to Buffalo by the National Guard.

— Up to 13 inches of snow hit parts of Texas Monday and lesser amounts closed roads over wide areas of Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi and Louisiana. The snow reached into northern Florida.

— Alabama Gov. George Wallace ordered state workers to begin a four-day, 10-hour-a-day work week to save energy.

— Temperatures remained well below normal throughout the East, Midwest and South.



Discuss Penney project

Charles Wichern, left, manager of the J.C. Penney Co. catalog construction division, talks with Larry Noone, a director of the Eighth Utilities District, about the proposed Penney development in Buckland. District directors met Monday night with Town and Penney officials to discuss the proposed industrial park, which would include the Penney catalog distribution center. (Herald photo by Pearson)

Buckland utilities to be assured by Town-8th District agreement

By GREG PEARSON

Herald Reporter

An agreement shall be worked out between the Town of Manchester and the Eighth Utilities District to ensure the J.C. Penney Co. that it will be provided with adequate services, Town Manager Robert B. Weiss said Monday night.

Weiss, speaking at a meeting of the District Board of Directors, said that the Town and the District should begin work soon on reaching such an agreement about fire protection and sewer services.

"We have to reach an agreement in

advance that, whoever is responsible, the service will be rendered," Weiss told the group of about 50 District residents who met at Whiton Library to ask questions of Town and Penney officials.

Buckland Penney wants to locate a two-million square foot catalog distribution center, which would be part of a 393-acre industrial park proposed for Buckland, the section of town involved in the fire jurisdiction case between the Town and the District.

A state Superior Court decision ruled that the District has authority

over the Buckland section, but that decision has been appealed by the Town to the state Supreme Court.

The ruling by the Supreme Court would be the final one concerning the rights to fire jurisdiction in the area. With the right of fire jurisdiction also goes the authority for sewers.

Weiss stressed that, aside from the fire jurisdiction case, the Town and District have been able to resolve differences.

"If there's a fire and we need you or you need us, we both are there. We're both interested in what's best for the community," Weiss said. Thus, he expects an arrangement can be reached to ensure Penney of fire protection and sewer service.

Atty. John LaBelle, who represents the District, said Monday night that sewer installation for the park, which would probably have to be done before the fire jurisdiction case is resolved, could be handled by the Manchester Economic Development Commission EDC.

He said that the EDC could act as a private developer and apply to both the District and the Town for the right to build the needed sewers.

The EDC would pay for the cost of building the sewers and then would turn over the authority for the lines to either the District or the Town, depending on the outcome of the fire jurisdiction case.

LaBelle said that the District could enter into such an agreement without a vote of the entire District. Such a vote would be required if the District itself was installing sewers in an authorized area.

Penney approves

In response to a question from District Fire Chief Granville Langard, Penney officials said that the firm has no worries about being served by a volunteer fire depart-

ment, should the District win the fire jurisdiction case.

"We look for fire protection. If you give it to us, that's fine," Charles Wichern, of the firm's construction department, said.

James Dunne, an attorney with Penney's real estate leasing department, said his company is aware of the litigation.

"We're sure the problems are going to be resolved. We're just going to require adequate fire protection and sewer services," Dunne said.

Other items mentioned Monday night included:

• Weiss said that the park will have "no negative impact on taxes" and should result in a net profit for the town.

Betty Sadloski, president of the Manchester Property Owners Association, questioned whether the cost of park development would boost taxes, but Weiss said that tax revenues from the park will offset these costs, probably in less than seven years.

• Penney officials spoke optimistically of locating in Manchester.

An appeal of the zone change needed for the park was mentioned only briefly, and George Fratt, Penney's manager of catalog expansion, said, "We're looking forward to coming here."

Reactions

District officials were pleased with the meeting.

Larry Noone, a District director, said, "It helped clear the air. Things were said tonight that hadn't been said before."

Another director, Gordon Lassow, called the meeting "excellent" and said that he was pleased with the public statement by Weiss about the Town and District working together.

Auditor sets town surplus at \$393,518

The Town of Manchester has just under \$80,000 available for appropriation at the close of 1976, according to figures released Monday by the town auditor.

The town had a total of \$393,518 available at the end of the 1975-76 fiscal year, Jerome I. Baskin and Co., the town auditor, reported in a letter sent to Mayor Matthew Moriarty, Town Manager Robert B. Weiss, and Treasurer Roger Negro.

This surplus, combined with a surplus from previous years totaling \$366,839, gave the town a total General Fund surplus of \$760,357 at the end of the 1975-76 fiscal year, according to the report.

Much of this money, however, was used in budgeting for this fiscal year and in the payment of excess liabilities and reserves over amounts due from other funds.

The net surplus available on Dec. 31, 1976 was listed as \$78,818.

Thomas S. Moore, the town controller, explained that this year was the first time the town had budgeted the surplus before it had been audited.

He said that in past years, the surplus had been verified by audit before it was used in the budgeting.

He said that the two methods are just "different approaches" to the budgeting of the surplus.

"I don't think either method is better than the other. You can still only use the surplus once," he said.

State utilities set priorities in event of gas shortage

HARTFORD (UPI) — The Public Utilities Control Authority today was presented a contingency plan for curtailment of natural gas service that would make homeowners virtually the last category to have their service cut back.

The PUC was studying the plan, submitted by the Southern Connecticut Gas Co. for all natural gas suppliers in Connecticut, and later in the day was expected to vote on whether to adopt it.

The proposal was called for in expectation that President Carter's emergency natural gas plan would hurt Connecticut. Officials say the state is in relatively good shape now

compared to the rest of the country.

Carter's plan, now before Congress, would give the federal government power to divert natural gas from areas where it is relatively plentiful to those where the need is greatest.

Southern Connecticut Gas Chairman Richard Bowerman said the unified approach, adopted by his firm, Northeast Utilities and Connecticut Natural Gas Corp., was generally similar to the priority list set by the Federal Power Commission.

Under the priority system proposed for Connecticut, the first to lose service would be those customers with alternate fuel

sources. Large industrial plants would lose service next, followed by smaller commercial customers. The last on the list would be residential customers and then hospitals and vital government services.

The PUC asked for the unified plan after hearing the three utilities present separate proposals Monday.

The unified-plan would be implemented when the utilities felt it was necessary to make available natural gas for its highest priority customers. Under the proposal the firms said they would "whenever possible" notify the PUC three days in advance of any cutoff.

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About town

New parent classes sponsored by the Family Oriented Childbirth Information Society (FOCIS) will be held on Feb. 9 at 7:30 p.m. in conference room "C" of the Manchester Memorial Hospital. A registered nurse will conduct the class which will feature the film "The Newborn."

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Rehearsals of the Chorus of Emanuel Lutheran Church were canceled during February.

Estelle Carpenter Circle of Community Baptist

Mayfair Y Club will meet Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. in Cronin Hall of Mayfair Gardens. All Mayfair residents are invited.

Manchester Grange will meet Wednesday at 8 p.m. at Grange Hall. Members are asked to bring items for an auction.

An adult Bible study is scheduled Wednesday at 10 a.m. at Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church.

Theater schedule

Burnside Theater 1 — "Carrie" 7:25-9:20
Burnside Theater 2 — "Nickelodeon" 7:15-9:15
U.A. Theater 1 — "The Enforcer" 7:15-9:30
U.A. Theater 2 — "Mondo Magic" 7:10-9:10
U.A. Theater 3 — "Never A Dull Moment" 7:00-9:25
"Caballeros" 8:45
Vernon Cine 1 — "Carrie" 7:15-9:15
Vernon Cine 2 — "Nickelodeon" 7:20-9:30

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Cleaner state to be AARP topic

Howard Travers of the Southern New England Telephone Co. will present a program entitled "Toward a Cleaner Connecticut" at Wednesday's meeting of the Connecticut Northeast Chapter of the American Association of Retired Persons. The meeting will be at the K of C Hall, 138 Main St., at 1:30 p.m.

LEGAL NOTICE

Town of Bolton Official Notice
Board of Tax Review
The Board of Tax Review of the Town of Bolton, Connecticut, will be in session in the Bolton Town Hall, 222 Bolton Center Road, on the following days during the month of February:
Feb. 17, 1977, 8 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.
Feb. 18, 1977, 9:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

LEGAL NOTICE

PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION
TOWN OF ANDOVER, CONNECTICUT
At its January 24, 1977 meeting the Andover Planning and Zoning Commission approved the following petition:
A six (6) lot subdivision as shown on a plan entitled "Plan of Subdivision of Land of Whitney T. Hastings — Skinner Hill Road — Bishop Lane, Andover and Coventry, Connecticut — January 1977 — Scale 1" equal to 1/4" = 1 foot." The plan is on file in the office of the Town Clerk. Dated this day of January 24, 1977.
Mary Keenan,
Chairman
Planning and Zoning Commission

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Area bulletin board

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The Andover Board of Finance has called a special meeting tonight at 8 at the Town Office Building...

The Andover Grazers 4-H Club will meet tonight at 7:30 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lariviere...

Bolton

The Public Building Commission will meet tonight at 7:30 at the Community Hall to interview an architect...

The Conservation Commission will meet Wednesday at 8 p.m. at Herrick Memorial Park to continue work on a draft of local inland wetlands regulations...

United Methodist Church trustees will meet tonight at 7:30 at the church. The executive committee of the new Bolton-Vernon United Methodist Women's Club...

The Bolton Scholarship Fund Inc. will meet Thursday at 7:30 p.m. at the Bolton High School Library.

Coventry

Brian A. Fish, a Coventry High School senior, has been named the local General Mills Leader of Tomorrow for 1976-1977.

Hebron

The Board of Tax Review will be in session Wednesday from 9:30 a.m. to noon, Feb. 8 from 7 to 9 p.m., and Feb. 12 from 9:30 a.m. to noon in the Town Office Building.

Rham High School has received a Certificate of Commendation from Hebron's Bicentennial Commission...

Vernon

The Vernon Square Dance Club will have its annual dance Feb. 5 at the Vernon Elementary School, Rt. 30, from 8 to 11 p.m.

The Health and Mental Health Committee of the Vernon Junior Women's Club will sponsor a Red Cross Bloodmobile visit Wednesday from 1 to 6:30 p.m.

The board meeting for the Vernon Junior Women's Club will be tonight at 7:45 at the home of Nancy Parker, Overbrook Rd.

FRANK'S Supermarkets advertisement with logo and 'SAVE SUNDAY SAVE AMERICA' slogan.

Vernon council to air block grant use

The Vernon Town Council will conduct two public hearings tonight. The first will be on a federal Community Development Act block grant...

The Planning Commission will recommend the council authorize Mayor Thomas Bennett to sign a grant application for the block grant of \$25,000 to be allocated as follows...

Rockville hospital sees growth, success

Rockville General Hospital was more widely used, and successfully treated more people in 1976 than ever before, Donald B. Caldwell, president of the board of trustees, said today.

The care of people, not statistics, is the principal interest of the hospital, Caldwell said. He added that a few numbers, in terms of people, are of significance.

Caldwell said two of the newer services at the hospital, the renal dialysis and the maternity clinic, grew rapidly. The maternity clinic, which had 25 visits in its first year in 1974, had 804 visits in 1976.

The renal dialysis unit was introduced in January 1975 and services all of northeastern Connecticut. Patient visits increased from 1,689 to 2,939. Caldwell said though 1976 was a good year for the hospital and its patients, the hospital didn't escape its share of problems.

One of the stated purposes of the commission is to curb rising health-care costs. We agree that there must be progress in this area. We do not agree with the cost commission's method of obtaining its goal which, we feel, completely ignores the quality of the health care to be provided.

He said the hospital's proposal to add two floors to the Bissell building, to provide additional beds and provide a new area for the pediatric department, was turned down by the commission although the project was strongly recommended by consultants.

Vernon charter discussed Ex-mayors differ on setup

One former Vernon mayor thinks the town is ready for a full-time mayor, while another thinks the opposite.

Thomas McCusker, a Democrat who served as the first mayor after the consolidation of the town's governments more than 10 years ago, and Jack Grant, a Republican who followed him in office, spoke to the Charter Revision Commission Monday night.

Former Mayor Frank McCoy, who followed Grant and served three terms, asked the commission for more time to prepare a statement. He will appear at a future meeting. McCusker doesn't think the town is ready for a full-time mayor.

He said there shouldn't be any penny-pinching in the position of director. "A true professional is needed," he said. He said the mayor's job should be...

He thinks along with a full-time mayor there should be a good finance officer and an ombudsman, but no director of administration. The ombudsman, he said, could listen to all of the "flak" and pass it on to the mayor.

He said, however, that he would be happy with a "ceremonial" mayor and a strong director of administration. Both former mayors said they would be opposed to a town manager form of government because a town manager is not elected. They feel he wouldn't be close to the people he serves.

Grant would like to see the term of the mayor limited to two, two-year terms and McCusker doesn't think there should be any limit on the terms. He said if a mayor doesn't do a good job he isn't re-elected.

Commission chairman Seymour Lavitt asked McCusker if he feels the town is at a point where it needs more professionals than volunteers and McCusker said, "absolutely not."

The commission meets each Monday at 7:30 p.m. in the council room of the Memorial Building.

Coventry land purchase voted by Town Council

By LINDA LOVERING Herald Correspondent

The Coventry Town Council decided Monday night to buy 22 acres of land at Rt. 31 and Talcott Hill Rd. as a site for the proposed central town facility. The negotiated purchase price is \$42,000.

The decision is subject to approval by the Planning and Zoning Commission, Inland Wetlands Agency, town sanitarian, and a Town Meeting.

The land - with 850 feet frontage of Rt. 31 and 1,000 feet frontage on Talcott Hill Rd. - is the site for the proposed facility for a town garage, police department and parking area for school buses and town vehicles.

There was no indication on how long it would take for the town to buy the land, but Town Manager Frank Connolly said officials would move quickly.

Officials are hoping to obtain federal funding for the facility under the Public Works Employment Act.

In other business Monday night, the Town Council: Appointed Claire Connelly as a full member of the Planning and Zoning Commission (PZC). Mrs. Connelly is a member of the Republican Town Committee and the Parks and Recreation Commission and was active for many years in the Democratic party.

The council vote on the appointment was 4-2, with Jack Myles and Douglas Whipple voting for Todd Cook, Democrat, who was re-appointed a PZC alternate instead.

The expected appointment of James LaRock as a PZC alternate was delayed. Appointments made Monday night, along with the anticipated naming of LaRock, will fill all vacancies on the PZC.

Bolton prof given grant for research

A Bolton professor has been named co-recipient of a 1977 faculty research grant at Central Connecticut State College, New Britain.

Dr. Leiland J. Stoppeworth of 1020 Bolton Tpk., was selected for the award in a program sponsored by the CCSC Alumni Association.

Drs. Stoppeworth and Andrea Johnson, members of the CCSC Department of Human Services and Special Education, will conduct a project on teachers' feelings of adequacy in dealing with behavior problem children.

A member of the CCSC faculty since 1972, Dr. Stoppeworth has his Ph.D. and M.A. degrees from the University of Connecticut and his B.S. degree from St. Francis Seminary, Milwaukee, Wis. Author of a book and several articles, he is a specialist in education of the emotionally disturbed child.

Dr. Stoppeworth is a member of the New England Children's Mental Health Task Force, headquartered in Boston, the Council for Children with Behavior Disorders, Council for Exceptional Children, and Phi Delta Kappa, an honorary society for professional educators.

Donald J. Slater, 40, and Paul G. Iasiello, 30, both of Hartford, pleaded guilty to a charge of second-degree kidnapping, reduced from first-degree kidnapping, in Tolland County Superior Court Monday.

The two were charged in connection with the abduction and sexual assault on a 16-year-old East Hartford boy last August.

The pair also pleaded guilty to first-degree robbery and carrying dangerous weapons in a motor vehicle. State's Atty. Donald B. Caldwell recommended an effective 15 to 40-year jail term for Slater and an effective one to three-year prison term for Iasiello.

Slater also faces a 25-year prison term for violation of probation in connection with an unrelated robbery conviction in another county. Caldwell recommended the 15-30-year term to be consecutive with the other term.

The two men were arrested in August by State Police after a 16-year-old youth was found bound and gagged inside a van near Exit 106 on I-86.

Plainfield results

Table with columns for candidates and results for Plainfield, including names like Slater, Iasiello, and others.

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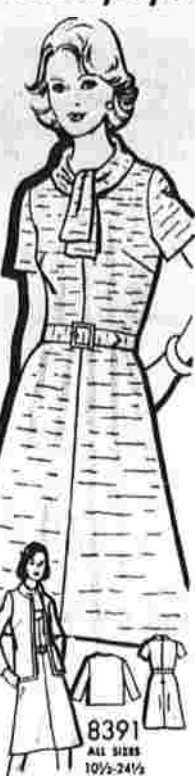
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Dear Abby

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I am a 31-year-old single man. I started seeing a 19-year-old waitress, and we got serious. She said she was on the Pill, but somehow she turned up pregnant. I promised to marry her, but I kept putting it off until it was too late for her to get an abortion, so she had the baby. I admit I gave her a hard time, saying I wasn't sure the baby was mine. We ended up in a big fight, and she told me to get lost.

Dear Abby

DEAR ABBY: You told CANADIAN that it wasn't considered proper to mop up every last drop of gravy with a piece of bread. This brings back memories. When I first went to Washington, D.C. as the late Franklin Roosevelt's secretary, I often dined informally with him and Mrs. Roosevelt, and was appalled to see Eleanor mop up her plate with a piece of bread on her fork!

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DEAR WORKED: Congratulations! You're super good in one-to-one relationships today, even though early indications are gloomy. It should be a profitable day if you keep your cool.

Win at Bridge

By ROLAND HILL

DEAR ROLAND: Assuming that your recollections are accurate, just because a famous lady fractures a rule of etiquette doesn't change the rule, but it probably will serve as an app to other "suppers."

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