



Examine stamp catalogue

Francis J. Gamache, president of the Manchester Philatelic Society, Inc. shows a copy of the 1977 Scott's Standard Postage Stamp Catalogue to Robert E. Biaga, assistant to the librarian. The society recently presented full sets of the catalogues to the Mary Cheney and Whiton Memorial Libraries. (Herald photo by Dunn)

Auditors warn against reorganization

HARTFORD (UPI) — State auditors are warning massive reorganization of Connecticut's state government could create more problems than it solves. Republican Henry Becker and Democrat Leo Donohue told the legislative Government Administration and Policy Committee Tuesday they support the "basic concept" of state government reorganization. It can be constructive, they said, if done right. But the two expressed doubts over the Filer Commission's recent controversial report recommending Connecticut's 210 state agencies, commissions, departments and boards be merged into 17 superagencies. "When a state has a problem it doesn't know how to cope with, the answer is often reorganization," Becker said. Donohue agreed. "The problem with reorganizing is that it gives problems a few more years to get worse while you're reorganizing," he said. Both said they "don't happen to agree with the magic" of superagencies and that "rearranging furniture and putting new names on the doors" does little to help the state and only puts off badly needed reform. Becker warned the legislature had nothing to gain by adopting the Filer commission recommendations in their entirety. He said the superagency approach would result in "lump-sum budgeting" which would give the governor more power and lawmakers less. Proponents of the Filer Commission report have said the

superagency structure would give the governor a better handle on what is going on in the state. With fewer agencies, the governor would have to talk to fewer commissioners to find out what each department was doing. But the auditors said this approach has not worked in the Department of Environmental Protection and the Department of Transportation, both formed a few years back by combining and replacing several old agencies. "It doesn't matter how many buttons the governor has on her phone," Donohue said, attributing the quote to Becker. "What matters is if the person on the other end knows what to do." They repeatedly emphasized they do not believe in upholding the status quo for its own sake.

Hearing set on 'good samaritan' bills

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CCM pushing legislation to require cost impact

NEW HAVEN (UPI) — The Connecticut Conference of Municipalities is pushing legislation that would force the state to attach a municipal cost estimate to each piece of proposed legislation. The cost estimate on legislation already in effect in 10 states, would tell a city or town how much a proposed law would cost the municipality to carry out. CCM, composed of municipal officials from around the state, is pushing for adoption of such a law

here, complaining state legislators have been forcing the cities to carry out programs they can not afford. Richard Blackstone, CCM president and the mayor of East Hartford, said Tuesday each proposed bill now must specify how it would affect state finances. He said there was no reason why such studies should not be done for local governments. He said the proposal would probably cost about \$50,000 for the legislature's Office of Fiscal Analysis to hire additional staff to do

About town

Manchester Chapter, Parents Without Partners, will have an orientation meeting for new and prospective members tonight at 7:30 at the home of Art Steele, 560 Vernon St.

The Disabled American Veterans Auxiliary will meet tonight at 7:30 at the VFW Home.

Store owners plan to protest liquor price law changes

HARTFORD (UPI) — Package store owners apparently worried a legislative move would raise the minimum price markup on liquor could hurt their livelihood say they will converge on the Capitol to protest the plan. Frank Raffa, president of the Connecticut Package Stores Association, Tuesday called on his members from around the state to appear before a legislative hearing on the issue Thursday at the Capitol.

But she has supported State Tax Commissioner Gerald Heferman's recommendation that some form of minimum markup remain to protect small businesses from corporate giants.

Raffa said at the hearing lawmakers would be given the results of a study showing Connecticut liquor prices as competitive with those of neighboring states.

Philatelists donate stamp catalogues to local libraries

The Manchester Philatelic Society, Inc. recently presented full sets of the 1977 Scott's Standard Postage Stamp Catalogue to the Mary Cheney and Whiton Memorial Libraries. The club, which was founded in 1959 and incorporated as a non-profit organization in 1965, has a membership of 110 persons. The club meets on the second and fourth Tuesdays from 7 to 10 p.m. at Mott's Community Hall, 587 E. Middle Tpke. The club's annual show, MANEX, will be April 23 and 24 at Manchester High School.

Precious firewood

HARTFORD (UPI) — Firewood supplies in Connecticut are dwindling as hoarding furnaces and preparing for more frigid weather. The city's largest source of firewood, the Otis Heath Mission, ran out of firewood Friday afternoon and won't reopen for business until further notice.

Theater schedule

Burnside Cine 1 - "Carrie," 7:25-9:20
Burnside Cine 2 - "Shout at the Devil," 7:00-9:10
Vernon Cine 1 - "Carrie," 7:10-9:10
Vernon Cine 2 - "Shout at the Devil," 7:20-9:30
UA Theater 1 - "The Exorcists," 7:15-9:15
UA Theater 2 - "Mondo Magic," 7:10-9:10

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CDA allocations

(Continued from Page One) proposal to establish a legal aid service for the town's low-income and elderly. Mayor Matthew Moriarty indicated that he did not feel there was much support on the board for this proposal. But Nancy Carr, executive director of the Manchester Area Conference of Churches (MACC), said that she feels such a service is needed. She said that she deals with at least two to three persons per month who need low-cost legal aid. Presently, she calls on local attorneys who provide the service at no cost. "They give their time for free, but it's an imposition," she said. In another matter, Director Carl Zinsner proposed that the board voice its opposition to a state income tax. The proposal was tabled with all the Democratic directors voting to table and Republicans Zinsner and Vivian Ferguson voting against the taxing action. The third Republican, Paul Witthide, was absent.

Police report

An East Granby man was being held under a \$5,000 bond today on charge of being a fugitive from justice. Gary Babcock, 27, was arrested last week by Manchester Police on charges of criminal impersonation and making a false statement in an incident involving his brother, Michael Babcock, 30, also of East Granby who was also charged with hindering prosecution and looting an operator's license. Gary Babcock is wanted by Vermont Police in Bennington County on a warrant charging him with forgery. The charge goes back to an incident in which an alleged bad check was issued in July 1973. He was to be presented in Common Pleas Court 12, East Hartford, today on the fugitive charge. Also arrested Tuesday was Richard E. Hedman, 43, of South Windsor, charged with issuing a bad check. The incident allegedly occurred at Sears in Manchester in March 1976. He was released under a \$250 nonsurety bond for court appearance Feb. 28.

Police report

Police were investigating a burglary at My Tyre Man, 357 Broad St., which occurred sometime Monday night or early Tuesday. About \$200 in cash and some oil and gas receipts were taken from a cash box. A burglary attempt was reported at Stairway to Beauty, 963 Main St., but nothing was found to be missing early today. Another burglary was reported in the second floor of the former Gran's building in the Parkade. A calculator valued at \$15 was found to be missing from the Aetna Insurance Co. building. A burglary attempt was reported at Stairway to Beauty, 963 Main St., but nothing was found to be missing early today.

Tuesday hearing set on food for needy bill

HARTFORD (UPI) — A public hearing has been scheduled on a bill to allow the Department of Social Services to spend \$1 million to pay food bills for needy families. The legislative Human Services Committee Tuesday also set for public hearing a bill authorizing use of up to \$250,000 as emergency fuel bill payments. The Department of Social Services earlier was granted a \$1 million appropriation to pay food bills with the money to be raised by a new lottery program expected to begin in March. The appropriation depended on whether the lottery actually produced \$1 million. The newest food bill proposal would authorize the department to use up to \$1 million for food payments even if the lottery program failed to produce that much. Social Services Commissioner Edward Maher, unexpectedly brought the bills to the committee's attention Tuesday. Discussion on the proposals took up all of the committee's afternoon session and forced postponement of the scheduled agenda. Rep. Joan R. Kemler, D-West Hartford, argued the food bill should either be killed or the legislature should repeal the previous authorization for use of lottery funds. "What has happened in effect is the department has been given permission to use \$1 million twice. We should repeal the lottery bill," she said.

Old photos and maps wanted for Hockanum River program

The Hockanum River Linear Park Committee is looking for old photographs and maps of the river and the surrounding area to use in a slide program which is now being prepared. Those having such pictures or maps are asked to call John LaDonato, 646-7277, and he will arrange to have photographs taken of the items at the home of the owners. Dr. Robert Smith, also a committee member, said Tuesday night that the first edition of the slide program will be available late this spring for use by local organizations and civic groups. Sylvian Oltara, instructor of photography at Manchester Community College and former Herald photographer, is the

photographer for the project. The next walk along the river is planned for March 20 from Adams St. to N. Main St. and return. It is scheduled to begin at 9 a.m. at the Wards Mig. Co. parking lot on Adams St. near the river. A cleanup is scheduled for April 17. The trails which have been and are being opened in the Linear Park is for the walking and not for motor-cycles or other vehicles. Dr. Smith said that grading and seeding of land near the river in the Adams St. area is being planned for this spring. "Ten years ago the river was nothing but a sewer trap, and now it is being brought back to life. Fred Machie Jr., who has been busy breaking up log jams along the river last fall and this winter, told the committee Tuesday night.

Gov. Grasso answers critics on rev-share to towns issue

HARTFORD (UPI) — Gov. Ella T. Grasso, in an angry response to criticism she has broken a campaign pledge to give all federal revenue sharing funds to local governments, today said economic realities had prevented that goal. "We know we can't have everything. Fiscal realities have a habit of intruding on intentions," she told a Capitol news conference, claiming her intention to pass through all those dollars had been a "goal, not a promise." Mrs. Grasso was responding to strong criticism of her administration lately by municipal officials who say she hasn't met the campaign pledge to pass through all of the state's about \$27 million in revenue sharing funds.

MHS open house Thursday

Manchester High School will hold a program of studies open house for parents and students Thursday at 7:30 p.m. The program will begin with a general session in the high school cafeteria where the MHS curriculum will be discussed briefly. Afterward, Democratic platform will have an opportunity to discuss course offerings, requirements and course content with representatives from each department as well as administrators and counselors.

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It's good for railroads

The first drop of Alaskan oil has yet to flow through the hundreds of miles of pipeline from North Slope fields to the port of Valdez, thence by tanker to Oregon and California ports. But petroleum experts are already worried about what they are going to do with the 1.2 million barrels a day of oil Alaska will begin producing in mid-1977.

Thoughts

We hear a great deal about love today, although perhaps every era has heard equally in different ways. But the common notion of love is not truly love, for it equates love with merely pleasurable feelings and is basically a selfish attitude. True love is all that St. Paul long ago exalted in his first letter to the Corinthians (cf. Chapter 13). A careful examination of that chapter will reveal that love is the gift of self and can be equated with sacrifice.

Yesterdays

25 years ago
Town planners okay zone change for Trust Co., North Branch.
Spokesman for insurance agents denies they will resume work Monday.

Is U.S. ready for self-government?

WASHINGTON — So it's been cold enough for you? So Pennsylvania had to close all its public schools, and more than 500,000 workers were laid off across the country because of the fuel shortage?

An owlsh editor's notebook

Uncle Julius says the President's honeymoon with press must still be in bloom. When we were told recently that Carter wears longjohns no White House reporter turned out a story to tell us whether the unionist was red or some other color, or if it wasn't a two-piece model, what kind of tailgate it had.



Open forum

Reader urges public support of MHS athletic program

To the Board of Education:
We, the parents and friends of MHS athletes, have attended three of your board meetings, and have quite forcefully expressed our displeasure about some of the existing programs and facilities.

Firewood needed at Charter Oak

To the editor,
We are writing this letter in hopes that those Manchester people who have been enjoying skating at Charter Oak as much as our family has will join with us in bringing a log with them every time they skate.

Dworkin letter challenged

To the editor,
In response to Mr. Dworkin's letter of the 31st,
I've read your letter with interest and amusement.
Do you sincerely believe that the development in the Buckland area is going to be a serious deterrent to all mankind? You would make it appear as though we (all of Hartford county) may perish if this were to take place.

degrees are colder today. We know for sure that 25 degrees above today is at least 40 per cent colder than 25 degrees in the late 1930s when we could ice skate like Sven von Sitzmarck.

Of course it worked swell in the summer when Grandpa would buy an ice cream soda if the reading got past 90. Again a match would help.

The energy crisis is double-barreled in that something has to be done immediately and something has to be done for the long pull.

One of the things President Carter is considering is a four-day week. A Senator friend, who wishes to remain anonymous (he got re-elected last year) says he's all for it and will work the extra day each week even if it is a hardship because he's for anything that will solve the energy crisis.

The main hangup that Congress has is that they are afraid to try something new for fear that it might not work. What do they do, they keep trying to make something that hasn't worked work. That something is nothing — and nothing is what Congress has done since the Arab Oil Embargo.

It seems what the energy industry proposes is not acceptable to many congressmen and what many congressmen propose is not acceptable to the industry.

Maybe, just maybe, we ought to try something that may not be particularly acceptable to either, but keeps the consumer warm enough for good health, factories running and inflation under control.

Corrupt special. If windfall profits are immoral, why isn't it immoral get elected to public office on someone else's coattails?

rectify these problems.
Much has been said about budget and money. Certainly the athletic budget has to keep pace with other school needs. Athletics is a necessary part of school life.

Every member of this board is a winner. You "won" election to your present position. Dr. Kennedy just recently "won" a new three year contract. We all want to win.

Manchester's young athletes have the talent to win. Let's support them, teach them, expand their abilities, help them grow and finally, win or lose, let them hold their heads high because they were given 100 per cent support and gave 100 per cent of themselves in return.

Your indulgence on one last point, please. At your December meeting, Dr. Kennedy suggested that we want winners at any cost. That we want our athletes teams run as they are in college or the pros. Very definitely not true.

However, given that raw talent, he should be able to teach them the game, promote a desire to win, instill

honest. I believe your whole story is that you are afraid that the development in Buckland may hurt the Shopping Parkade and thus your business. You may be right. But, did it bother you when the start of the Shopping Parkade could have very well hurt Main St.?

Let's face it, Mr. Dworkin, changes are made and will be made regardless of you and I. Hopefully all will be for the best.
If people with your thinking prevailed, I wonder how far this country would have progressed.



Mr. and Mrs. George Smith of 607 Woodbridge St. are shown with the note they received personally last week from Alex Haley, author of "Roots." (Herald photo by Pinto)

Couple meets author of best selling 'Roots'

Little did Earl and Georgiana Smith of Manchester dream that while they were on a mid-week vacation last week in Lacomia, N.H., that they would not only see, but talk with the author of the most widely discussed book in the nation today.

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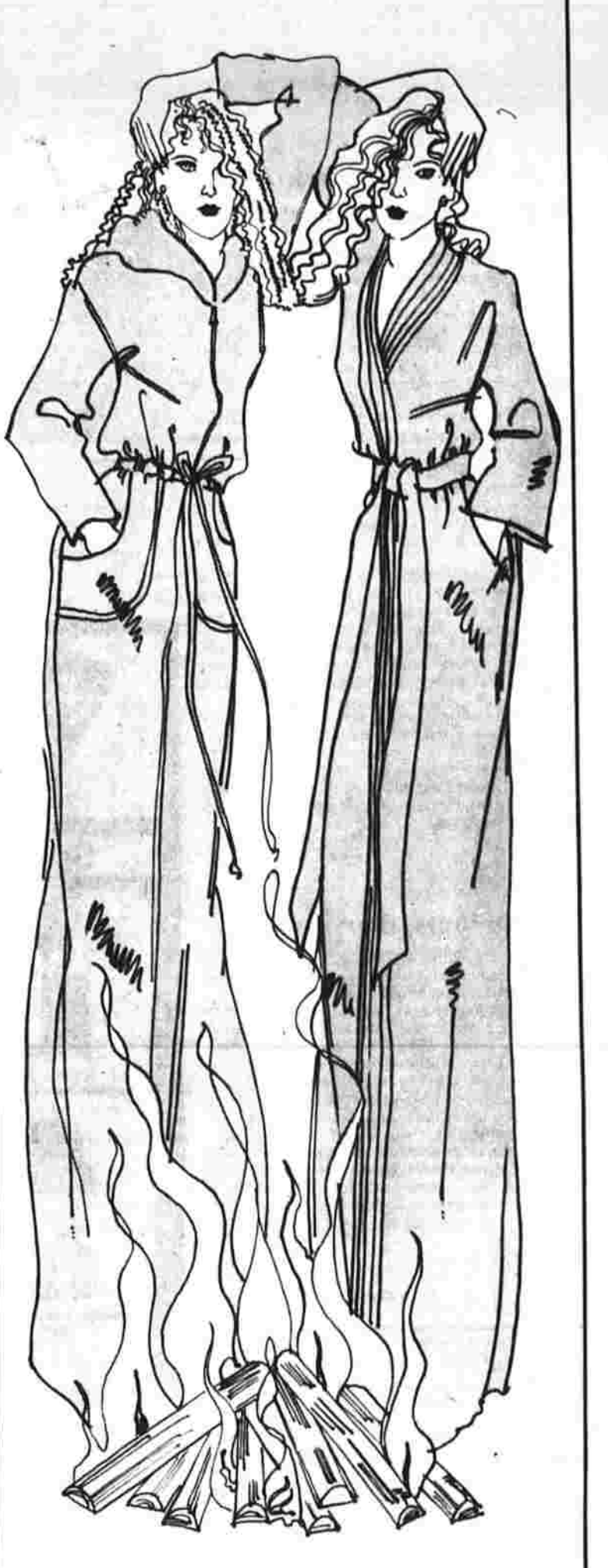
Bill would add vision care to Medicare

HARTFORD (UPI) — Legislation to include vision care services under Medicare has been introduced by Sen. Abraham Ribicoff, D-Conn.

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Notice is hereby given of the certification of party-endorsed candidates of the Republican Party for nomination to the Municipal Offices specified below to be filled at the Municipal election to be held on May 2, 1977, in the Town of Bolton.

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DECA helps with inventory

Monday at 6:30 a.m., 48 Manchester High School students arrived at Caldor at Burr Corners Shopping Plaza to work on the store's inventory.

The students were from the school's Cooperative Occupational Educational Program (COEP) and the majority of them are enrolled in the Distributive Education phase. Distributive Education is designed to build future leaders for marketing and distribution.

William Keith of Caldor trained the students last week at the school in inventory-taking procedures.

Unaffiliated voters dominate 66 towns

FAIRFIELD (KPI) — A Fairfield University study says 66 of Connecticut's 169 towns are dominated by unaffiliated voters, but 55 of them went Republican in the Ford-Carter election.

The "unaffiliated" towns outnumber the 56 predominantly Republican towns and the 47 predominantly Democratic towns, said Laurence I. Graham, research associate at Fairfield University's Graduate School of Corporate and Political Communication.

Graham said his study showed the lowest percentage of Connecticut voters turned out for the Ford-Carter presidential election than for any other presidential election since records began to be kept in 1877.

The overall turnout of Connecticut's registered voters for the Nov. 2 election was 84 per cent. Bethany had the highest percentage of voter participation with 92.4 per cent while East Haven had the lowest participation with 70.5 per cent.

Of the state's 169 towns, all 56 Republican towns went to Ford in the 1976 election, 28 of the Democratic municipalities went to Carter and among the unaffiliated towns, 11 went to Carter and 55 to Ford.

Graham said the "top ten" towns with the highest voter turnout were Bethany, Somers, New Canaan, Woodbury, Avon, Norfolk, Simsbury, Glastonbury, Wethersfield and Southbury.

It was the first time Somers, New Canaan, Woodbury, Avon, Glastonbury and Southbury ranked within the top ten towns.

The ten towns with the lowest voter participation in the 1976 election were Deep River, Griswold, New London, Norwich, Groton, Brooklyn, New Haven, Hartford, Plainfield and East Haven.



Checking crystal pieces

Joanne Wohlgenuth and Susan Tash, members of the Distributive Education Clubs of America (DECA) at Manchester High School are checking the crystal pieces Monday at Caldor during the store's annual inventory. (Herald photo by Pinto)

Death penalty re-instated

TRENTON, N.J. (UPI) — The New Jersey state legislature has passed a bill to revive the death penalty but Gov. Brendan Byrne may hold off signing to pressure the legislature into passing a reform of the state's penal system.

The Assembly overwhelmingly approved a compromise version of the capital punishment bill by a vote of 58-16. The State Senate adopted the measure by one vote on Jan. 11.



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Israel adopts abortion law

JERUSALEM (UPI) — The Israeli parliament has passed the nation's first legalized abortion law, despite fierce opposition from religious factions.

The bill, pending for more than two years, came to the floor of parliament (Knesset) Monday with little warning to members. Less than half of the 120 Knesset members were present for the slow-of-hands vote.

The law, to take effect in one year, allows abortions in cases of danger to the woman's physical or mental health, rape, incest, likely birth defects and when the mother is unwed.

Final approval for abortions still must come from a committee of two doctors and a social worker.

More than 300 persons opposing the measure on religious grounds demonstrated outside the Knesset when the vote was taken.

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Giles suggests criteria for PWA fund eligibility

A community's unemployment and income levels should affect the awarding of monies through the Public Works Employment Act, according to Jay J. Giles, director of public works. And Giles plans to say so in a letter to U.S. Rep. William Colter, D-First District.

Rep. Colter recently asked for suggestions from area administrators on how to improve the Public Works Employment Act, which provides federal monies for local construction and repair projects.

The program came under fire when it announced in December the projects that would receive funding during the first round of the program. Three of Connecticut's most affluent communities — Westport, West Hartford, and Greenwich — received funding, while most towns, including Manchester, received nothing.

There is a possibility that the program will receive continued funding, and, because of this, Colter asked for suggestions to improve the distribution of funds through the program.

Giles said that he will suggest a "point scale" system to measure a community's unemployment rate and average-income level.

Communities whose unemployment level is above the national average should receive points on a graded scale, Giles said. Those with unemployment below the national average should have points taken away on a graded scale, he said.

Giles said that the first phase of the Public Works Employment Act designated that 30 per cent of the funding go to communities with unemployment rates below the national average. Thus, such towns as West Hartford, Westport, and Greenwich received funding.

Giles proposed a similar scaling system to measure the average income in the community. Towns with lower average incomes would receive more points, while those with higher average incomes would receive fewer points, he said.



Chapel tabernacle blessed

The Rt. Rev. Msgr. Edward J. Reardon, pastor emeritus of St. James Church, blesses a lamp and tabernacle in the chapel of Manchester Memorial Hospital. The monsignor presented the lamp to the chapel, and the tabernacle is a gift to the hospital from the Ladies of St. James in honor of Msgr. Reardon. (Herald photo by Pinto)

CPR course scheduled

The Town of Manchester Fire Department is sponsoring a training program in cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR).

The two-session course, developed by the Heart Association, is open to the public without charge and will be held Thursday and Friday, Feb. 10 and 11, from 7 to 10 p.m.

CPR training includes not only how to restore breathing and heartbeat by means of heart massage and mouth-to-mouth resuscitation, but also teaches how to recognize cardiac arrest and heart attack, and what emergency measures to take should they occur.

Registration is limited. Persons interested in participating in the program should contact the Manchester Red Cross, 648-5111, not later than Tuesday, Feb. 8.

Two couples complain about winter road care

Winter road care drew complaints from two Manchester couples at Tuesday's directors committee session.

A Vernon St. couple said that their street and Greenwood Dr. are plowed too narrowly. They also said that they have suggestions to make about the sanding, plowing, and salting of town roads.

A Brent Rd. couple complained that they have to wait too long after a storm for their road to be cared for. They said that after a recent storm they had to wait ten hours for the road to be sanded.

Another man had a non-winter complaint. He said that he felt the town should not be getting into the "real estate business" by developing the proposed industrial park. Vivian Ferguson, a member of the Board of Directors, presided over the session.

St. Mary's adopts budget at annual parish meeting

The congregation of St. Mary's Episcopal Church adopted a parish budget of \$122,560 for 1977 at the parish's recent annual meeting.

Parish officers, who were elected at the annual meeting, are L. Michael Gatzkiewicz and Michael Parsons, wardens; Bernice Cobb, Margaret Dwyer, John Faulds, John Johnston, Donald Sisco, vestry members for three years; Robert Reault and Archibald Stuart, vestry members for two years.

Also, Robert Lathrop, treasurer; Gertrude Manchester, assistant treasurer; Florence Bickley, clerk of vestry; Polly Heard, assistant clerk of vestry; Sisco and Parsons, delegates to Diocesan Convention and Hartford Deanery; Arthur Bodin and Mary Jane Cross, alternates to Diocesan Convention and Hartford Deanery.

Also, Leonard Anderson, Jeanne Low, William Lander, Karen Fedorchak, Susan Grant, delegates to Manchester Area Conference of Churches; Enrico DeMatto, Walter Hamilton and Stuart, delegates to M.S.A.C. (Manchester Interfaith Action Committee); Jeanne Low, Marge Reed, Carol Kittle and Audrey Young, delegates to Church Women United.

Public records

Warranty deeds
Richard C. Harmon to Robert Wolverton, property at 141 Eldridge St., \$36,250.
David A. Saporito and Cathleen A. Saporito, both of Ipswich, Mass., to Richard A. Gustafson Jr. and Joanne S. Gustafson, property at 69 Harlan St., \$37,500.

Paul J. Rossetto and Robert F. Blanchard to Philip J. Sullivan Jr., property at 55 Nutmeg Dr., \$52,500.
Raymond J. Murphy and Barbara W. Murphy to Joseph F. Scheibnigler and Wilma E. Scheibnigler, property at 118 Henry St., \$38,500.

Harry G. Freschlin and Carol R. Freschlin, both of Hobe Sound, Fla., to Crawford C. Allen Jr. and Norma P. Allen, property at 94 E. Eldridge St., \$61,600 conveyance tax.
John R. Hansen and Elinor D. Hansen to Herman M. Frechette, Albert R. Martin, and Gerald P. Rothman, property at 124 Oxford St., \$46,200 conveyance tax.
John R. Hansen and Elinor D. Hansen to Herman M. Frechette, Albert R. Martin, and Gerald P. Rothman, property on Strickland St., \$11 conveyance tax.
Lawrence J. Jamatis and Emille J. Jamatis to George W. Saulnier and Hilda J. Saulnier, property at 42-44 Washington St., \$44,250.

Quitclaim deeds
Society for Savings, Hartford, to Paul J. Rossetto and Robert F. Blanchard, property on Nutmeg Dr., no conveyance tax.

Trade name
Blanche Hochberg, 14A Ambassador Dr., and Rhea K. Rubins, 512 Spring St., doing business as A-2 Enterprises, 14A Ambassador Dr.

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'Women's Weekend' set at MCC Women's Center

The Manchester Community College Women's Center will sponsor "Women's Weekend" Friday and Saturday.

On Friday at 7:30 p.m., there will be a program by "The Blue Spruce Poets" in the MCC Student Center lounge. The four women poets, all practicing published poets, will read their own works which represent a wide range of backgrounds, live experiences and viewpoints.

The public is invited. The admission is nominal.

A full afternoon of workshops will begin at noon on Saturday followed by a potluck at 6 p.m. Tickets good for one or all of the four workshops are available Saturday at the MCC Student Center.

The workshops deal with the following subjects: Women's health care, noon to 1:30 p.m.; food consciousness, 1:30 to 3 p.m.; Hatha yoga, 3 to 4:30 p.m.; theater games for women, 4:30 to 6 p.m.

For the potluck supper, women with last names beginning with A to H bring salad and rolls, I to P bring a main dish (casserole type), and Q to Z bring dessert.

Further details are available by calling the Women's Center at 646-4900, extension 286 or 232.

LJM sponsoring lecture on solar energy Feb. 16

The Lutz Junior Museum, 126 Cedar St., will sponsor a lecture entitled "Solar Energy—An Ecological Alternative" on Feb. 16, at 8 p.m. The program is for museum members and the public.

Joel Gordes, representative of the Solar Industries of Waterbury, will present the program.

The discussion will include solar energy as a viable source to be harnessed as well as how individuals can use energy in their present homes. A question and answer period will follow.

Anyone interested in attending the program is asked to register by calling the museum, 643-0940, on or before Feb. 11. Refreshments will be served.

Board okays two retirements

The Pension Board Monday approved pensions for two retiring town employees.

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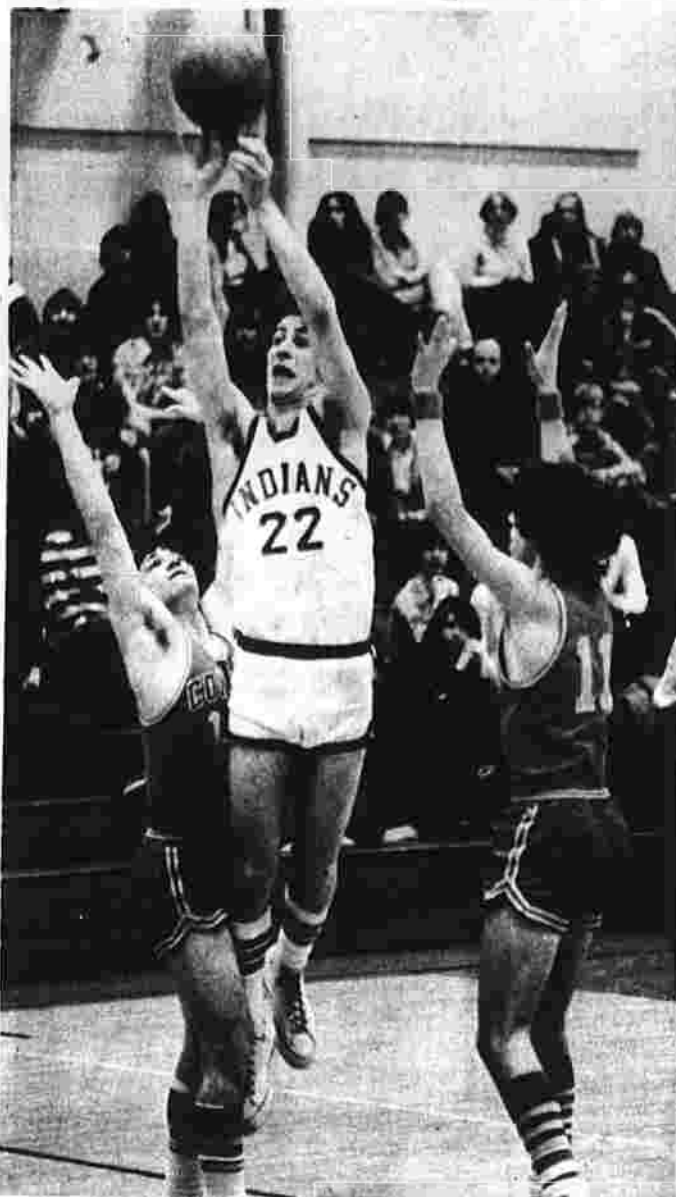
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(Herald photo by Dunn)

John Pisch gets off basket try for Indians. Conard defenders are Matt Sinatro and Ted Calabrese.

Indians post triumph, increase lead in CCIL

By EARL YOST Sports Editor
Leading by 18 points two minutes into the second period, Manchester High saw the margin cut to three in the first minute of the second half but regrouped and went on to post a 16 point 64-48 victory over Conard High.

The smallest crowd of the season, 502 - including 142 youngsters who were guests of the school, watched the CCIL battle at the Clarke Arena last night.

CCIL standings

Team	W	L
Manchester	11	2
Penny	9	4
Simsbury	8	5
Windham	8	5
Hall	7	6
Conard	6	7
Ferni	5	8
East Hartford	4	12
Enfield	1	12

Eagles finish strong and rout St. Bernard

By LEN AUSTER Herald Sports Editor
When you have height but fail to use it rebounding you're going to wind up trailing. That's what happened to East Catholic's basketball team at the half last night in Uncasville.

airborne Carlson, off an in-bounds feed from Pete Thompson under the hoop, gave East the lead for good at 6-1 of the stanza.

markers with the latter also handing out five assists. Floor general Thompson was credited with dishing out eight assists for East, now 12-4 over-all.



(Herald photo by Dunn)



Herald angle
Earl Yost Sports Editor

Newest Rec staffer
Newest full-time member of the Recreation Department staff is Mike Crispino. The former East Catholic High athlete and C.W. Post grad replaces Laura Danfield as department supervisor.

Program booming
Just over 1,000 Manchester youngsters have signed up to participate in the Recreation Department's summer soccer program. Carl Silver reports that 800 signed up for the first two nights which means once again that there will be more boys and girls playing soccer in Manchester next summer than Little League baseball.

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Wethersfield upsets Penny

By BILL MEAVOY Correspondent
Eight points in overtime by Bill Rumley keyed a Wethersfield High double overtime triumph against homeunderstanding Penny High, 70-64, in CCIL basketball action last night in East Hartford.

The first half belonged to Penny with the Knights opening up a 13-point edge at one stage and leading 35-20 at the half.

Wethersfield (70) - Molloy 5-22, 12. Rumley 10 5-25, Sims 2 5-9, Oliveira 2 0-4, White 7 0-4, 14, Grodowski 2 2-6, Totals 70-64.

Hornets celebrate first hoop victory

By RICH TULLER Correspondent
Big Karl Grabowski netted only seven points but four came in the last minute and the final two came one second before the final buzzer sounded as previously winless East Hartford High upset Hall High, 43-42, in CCIL basketball action last night in West Hartford.

The win was the Hornets' first after 12 setbacks while the loss drops the Warriors to 7-6 in the league and 8-6 over-all.

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Cheney loses 10th
Two key performers were missing from the lineup last night as Cheney Tech dropped a 71-57 Charter Oak Conference basketball decision to Portland High of the Highlanders' gym.

140 figure skaters eye Olympic gold

HARTFORD (UPI) - Today's opening round of the 1977 United States Figure Skating Championships will begin the quest by 140 young hopefuls for a trip to the 1980 Olympics.

The nation's best amateur figure skaters will compete in senior, junior and novice divisions over the next four days at the Hartford Civic Center, culminating in an "exhibition of champions" Sunday.

Forfeits hurt Tech matmen

Forfeiting two weight classes and possibly the meet yesterday was Cheney Tech's wrestling team, going down to a 38-29 defeat at the hands of Rham High in Hebron.

and Loren Gardner picked up individual victories for Cheney.

East grapplers bow to Bulkeley

Seeing its record slip back to the 500 mark at 5-3 yesterday was East Catholic's wrestling team, bowing to unbeaten but twice-titled Bulkeley High, 20-18, at the Eagles Nest.

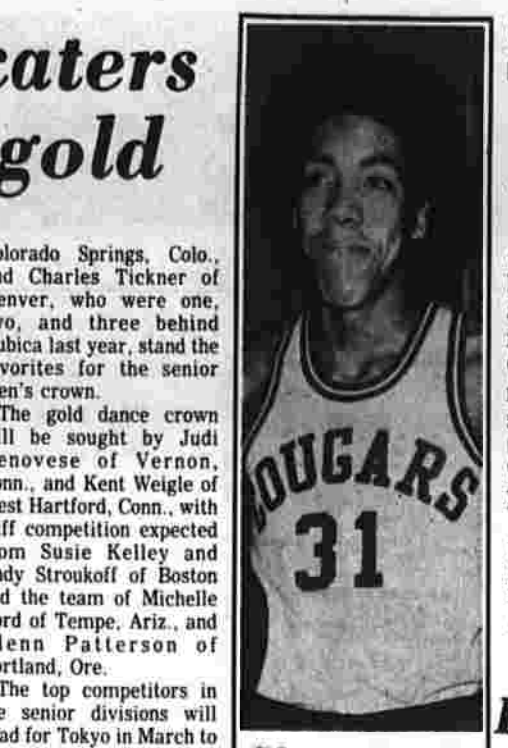
NEW YORK (UPI) - Washington added 19 and 18 points respectively. Chicago's Wilbur Holland led all scorers with 24 points.

Pacers nip 76ers

The adaptable Knight, although forced to fill in at guard with Indiana, still is the third leading scorer in the National Basketball Association and on Tuesday night he notched a game-high 35 points to carry the Pacers to a 110-108 home-court victory over the Philadelphia 76ers.

Immediately following the contest, Indiana acquired high-scoring guard John Williamson from the New York Nets and announced that Knight would be returned to the front court.

Portland (71) - Fitzgerald 10 1-3, Turner 6 1-2 13, Hubbard 4 0-3, Manning 3 3-6, McGinn 3 0-6, Gohle 5 0-10, Anderson 1 0-2, Vargas 1 0-2, Totals 71-57.



Plays tonight
Mike Robinson will be in the Manchester Community College lineup tonight when the locals host Mitchell at 8 at East Hartford, Conn.

Locas traded
CINCINNATI (UPI) - The World Hockey Association's Cincinnati Stingers traded center Jacques Locas to the WHA Calgary Cowboys for future considerations.

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Sports slate

Wednesday BASKETBALL Mitchell at MCC, 8:30. Hockey Manchester at Enfield, 8:30. Wrestling Manchester at Hall. Friday BASKETBALL Manchester at Westfield, 8. East Hampton at Cheney Tech, 8. Simsbury at Penny. East Hartford at Enfield.

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185-14	\$22.50	\$19.00	2.02
195-14	\$23.50	\$20.00	2.20
205-14	\$24.50	\$21.00	2.38
215-14	\$25.50	\$22.00	2.56
215-14	\$26.50	\$23.00	2.74
225-14	\$27.50	\$24.00	2.92
235-15	\$28.50	\$25.00	3.10

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Whalers lose wild one

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (UPI) — The game had everything it was supposed to have: revenge, action, and suspense. And the Birmingham Bulls got the better of it, beating the New England Whalers, 4-3, in a World Hockey Association game.

The Bulls got revenge since they hadn't beaten New England in four tries this season. Most of the action came in the form of penalties — 122 minutes worth in the first period alone. And the game was a see-saw battle with the winning goal standing for the last nine minutes.

New England and Birmingham are fighting for a playoff spot in the WHA East, and Bulls coach Pat Kelly already has playoff fever.

"Our guys played like they were in the seventh game of the final series," he said. "We could easily end up in second place when this is all over, but for now all we see is fourth place."

The last time the two teams met, plenty happened. Two days after the Whalers and Coach Harry Neale left town, warrants for Neale's arrest were sworn out by three Bulls fans who charged Neale assaulted them with a hockey stick near the end of the fight-marred game. Neale was arrested in Birmingham.

Jack Carlson came to the Whalers and Coach Neale's aid and both teams poured out on the ice. When order was restored, 102 minutes in penalties had been handed out.

The Bulls scored first on a power play goal by Tim Sheehy. New England

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South Windsor five gains tourney berth

Qualifying for the State Basketball Tournament last night was South Windsor High with an 81-61 CVC victory over arch-rival Rockville High at the Rams' gym. It was the Bobcats' seventh straight win.

In other area contests, Coventry High belted Bacon Academy, 51-44. Rham High fell to East Hampton, 76-63. Bolton High succumbed to Rocky Hill High, 56-39, and the Ellington High was routed by defending state Class M champ Middletown High, 87-36.

Scott Waters pumped in a game-high 29 points for South Windsor, now 8-0 in the CVC and 10-4 overall.

Swimmers dunked

After winning its first three meets, Manchester High's swimming team dropped its second straight yesterday, 103-67, to Concord High in a makeup date in West Hartford.

Brian Benito won the 200-yd. freestyle in three minutes and 43.4 seconds, the only individual winner for the Indian tankers. The 400-yd freestyle relay team was also victorious.

Results:

200-yd. medley relay: 1. Concord, 2. Concord, 3. Manchester, 4. Bolton.

200-yd. free: 1. P. P. Berry (C), 2. Michael (M), 3. D. Berry (C), 2:00.8.

200-yd. IM: 1. McGanley (C), 2. Perry (C), 3. Wasylyuk (M) 2:09.3.

50-yd. free: 1. Schmelter (C), 2. Bismay (C), 23.1.

100-yd. breast: 1. Perry (C), 2. Wasylyuk (M), 3. Brophy (C) 1:04.5.

400-yd. free relay: 1. Manchester, 2. Manchester, 4:10.

Basketball

MARK GARDELLA pumped in 24 points. Bruce Hene and Bob Capra 16 pieces and Clay Henece and Clay Henece 14 in leading Dubuoy Electric to an easy 76-52 win over the first-place team.

Leperance last night at 11:30, Rice Ramonado had 10 points and Bob Whitesell eight for the team.

Bob Blass had 23 points, Don Coppen 13, Al Lodger 11 and Jack Lawrence 10 as three 3's topped the Buzzards, 83-74. Tim Bazzano (18), Jay Conway (13), Ron Sirois (12) and Ed Kovacs were best for the Buzzards.

Swimmers dunked

After winning its first three meets, Manchester High's swimming team dropped its second straight yesterday, 103-67, to Concord High in a makeup date in West Hartford.

Brian Benito won the 200-yd. freestyle in three minutes and 43.4 seconds, the only individual winner for the Indian tankers. The 400-yd freestyle relay team was also victorious.

Results:

200-yd. medley relay: 1. Concord, 2. Concord, 3. Manchester, 4. Bolton.

200-yd. free: 1. P. P. Berry (C), 2. Michael (M), 3. D. Berry (C), 2:00.8.

200-yd. IM: 1. McGanley (C), 2. Perry (C), 3. Wasylyuk (M) 2:09.3.

50-yd. free: 1. Schmelter (C), 2. Bismay (C), 23.1.

100-yd. breast: 1. Perry (C), 2. Wasylyuk (M), 3. Brophy (C) 1:04.5.

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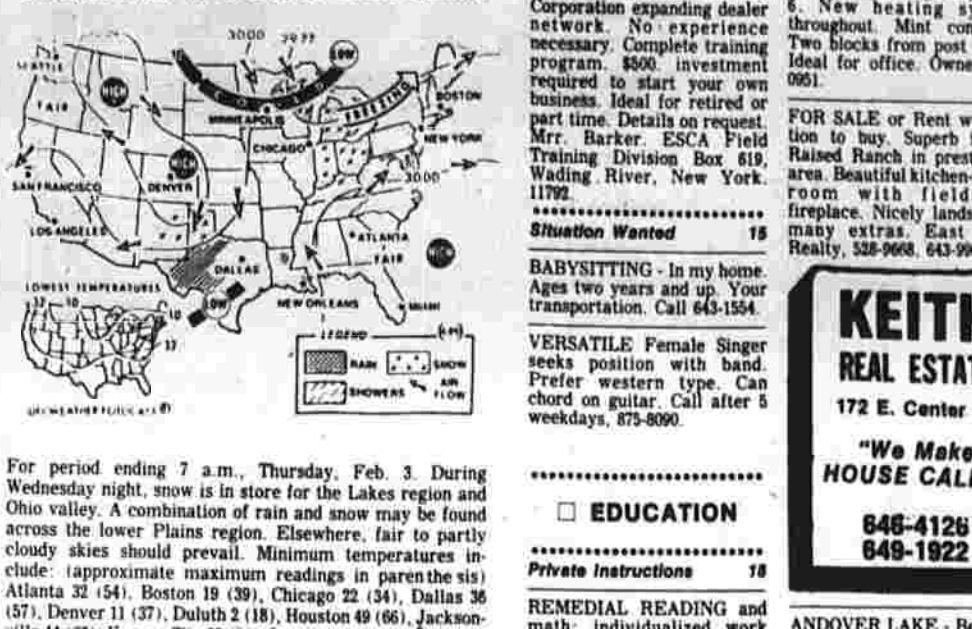
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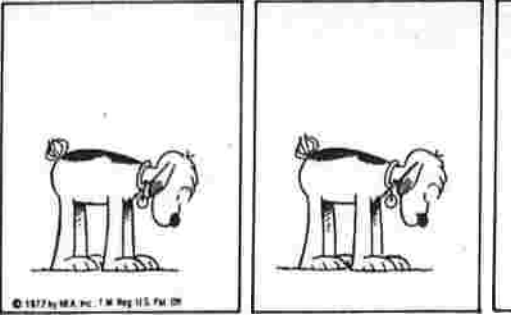
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Dear Abby

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: Our daughter is 29 and was looking forward to happily be her fourth marriage. But she's terribly upset because our rabbi has suggested that she go to another rabbi for this ceremony.

DEAR ABBY: Joel and I had gone steady for two years and things were going great until six months ago. Then he suggested that we both start dating others.

DEAR ABBY: I've had my hair grown out and lost the weight I gained. I should give him a call. My question: Do you think I should let him go and try to lose weight just to please Joel? Or should I tell him that I am not going to make myself over for him?

DEAR WALT: Only you can make that decision. Now that you know what it will take to get Joel back, it's up to you to decide whether he's worth the effort.

DEAR ABBY: My mother is a widow. I am going to town for a family wedding. She lives a great distance from here. Mom has always stayed with me, and she wants to this time. She has a live-in boyfriend, and she won't come without him. Furthermore, she wants me to put them up together in my home.

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Business beauty sought in Vernon

A program, "Business for Beauty," designed to motivate businesses to improve their appearance, is being adopted by the Conservation and Garden Committee of the Vernon Junior Women's Club.

The club will conduct its program under the auspices of the General Federation of Women's Clubs and the Cities Service Co.

The primary purpose of the program is to convince Vernon businesses that simple landscaping and other steps can give their firms a new look.

To assist businesses, the club has a "Business for Beauty Idea Book,"

containing practical tips on landscaping and other ways of improving the appearance of business property.

Businesses entering the program will be recognized with certificates of commendation. One local firm will be singled out for additional recognition and go into state competition. State winners then enter regional and national competition.

The contest will end with the naming of six national winners, who will be given a trip to Washington, D.C., to attend an awards dinner.

Cash grants totaling \$6,000 will be distributed among clubs sponsoring the national winners.

Fries fellow

Ernest H. Fries Jr. of Manchester, has been named a fellow, Life Management Institute (FLMI). He is office manager for the Hartford agency of Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada.

Fries completed the Life Office Management Association insurance education program which offers a broad course of study of life insurance management and concepts. To qualify for the fellowship, a candidate must pass a comprehensive three-hour examination in each of seven basic subjects, and a six-hour examination in management principles and a specialized field of interest.

Fries is a graduate of Texas A&M University. He lives at 141 F. Tudor Lane, with his wife, Cheryl, and their son.

Two millionth policy

Last week a Hartford insurance agent delivered the two millionth ordinary life policy of Phoenix Mutual Life Insurance Co. James T. Farrell, III, a Phoenix Mutual agent with the Hartford Agency, presented the policy of Johanna H. Karbonic, of Manchester, a respiratory therapist at Hartford Hospital.

Phoenix Mutual, now 126-years-old wrote its first policy in 1851, while called the American Temperance Life Insurance Company. The policy was written for John Hale of Glastonbury. It took 97 years for the company to write its one millionth policy, in 1948. It has taken only 29 years to reach the two million mark.

Bus passes

The Connecticut Department of Transportation recorded the highest monthly sale in January of monthly bus passes for use on Connecticut Transit buses in the Hartford, New Haven and Stamford areas since the program was introduced in May 1975.

James F. Shugrue, transportation commissioner, reported that 4,833 passes were sold for use in January. The previous record was in May 1976 at 4,855. The current amount is double the passes sold for the first month of the program.

The bus pass sales averaged 438 for 1976, over 1,000 more a month than the last eight months of 1975.

Shugrue attributed much of the success of the pass sales to savings and loan associations, banks, insurance companies and retail stores which make them readily available to employees and customers.

The passes are available in the area at the Heritage Savings and Loan in Manchester, First Federal Hartford and Pratt and Whitney in East Hartford.

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Business

Vernon man invents swim aid

Paul J. Gingras, of Vernon, has invented a learn-to-swim aid for toddlers and beginners designed to eliminate any fear of water they may have. The device is made of two cylindrical floats attached by a flexible band of canvas or similar material. His invention, called "Swim Eze," is now being introduced to manufacturers with the help and guidance of the Raymond Lee Organization and is covered by a patent application pending in the U.S. Patent Office.

Gingras' "Swim Eze" can be very inexpensively manufactured. The band can be plastic or canvas, and the floats can be styrofoam or cork. In use, the swimmer-to-be merely lays across the band which will then conform to the outline of his body. The two floats align themselves along the ribs, leaving the arms and feet free for paddling and kicking. With Gingras' device, a person can learn to swim quickly and, most importantly, safely without fear of the water.

Wins award

Cile Decker, Realtor associate for Richards & Kehma, Realtors in South Windsor, was honored at a meeting of the Greater Hartford Board of Realtors for her excellence in sales for the month of December, 1976. She was presented with a Champagne Award for a sales volume in excess of \$100,000.

Midas raising charity funds

Jack Greene, owner of the Midas automotive Muffler Shop at 285 Main St., is raising funds for the 1977 campaign of the National Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults. Greene is participating in a nationwide effort by Midas dealers now through March 1.

Block opens new office

H&R Block has opened a new facility at 989 Sullivan Ave. in The Colony Shops in South Windsor. Mrs. Dorothy Trusch of South Windsor has been appointed office manager. Former Block clients from the South Windsor area are advised that their files will be forwarded to the new facility if they call three days in advance. The office is open 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Friday and 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday.

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People



A Smith & Wesson revolver handle becomes a thing of beauty with its permanent engraved leaf and floral pattern done by a petite Belgian woman.

(Herald photos by Dunn)

With hammer and chisel

Belgium native engraves guns

By JUNE TOMPKINS

Herald Reporter

If you own a Winchester rifle or a Smith & Wesson hand gun with an engraved stock, you may be lucky enough to have one engraved by a petite young Manchester woman who brought her art here from her native Belgium.

It's hard to believe that Denise Thirion has been tap-tap-tapping her fine chisel around curly-cue designs for 22 years.

What prompted Denise to become an engraver? She always liked and was good in drawing and design all through school.

"Whenever I talked about continuing art study after graduating, my parents objected. They said that was no way for a girl to earn a living," says Denise.

Her future took its direction during a Christmas visit to some cousins who were engravers. Her interest in engraving developed when she was shown samples of their work and told of their training.

For this type of work, Denise's parents approved. Her career began when she entered the training program at the National Factory near her hometown of Liege. Browning rifles, machine guns, ammunition, industrial machinery and appliances were made at the factory which employed about 10,000 people.

The first six months of Denise's training were devoted to drawing. Her sketch book is full of designs including leaf and flower patterns, letters, animals and bird designs.

The following six months of her training were spent learning actual engraving techniques on small brass plates. Her first work involved simple assignments like engraving a trigger guard. Those who progressed were advanced within a few months to engraving the full metal stock of the gun.

Denise has several small square steel plates which show samples of her best engraving which she has displayed in gun shows at Chicago and in California. Denise's factory job ceased after marriage and children, but the fac-

tory was so busy that job assignments were given her to do at home. Her home has been her own little factory ever since.

Her move to America came as the result of a work slow-down in Belgium.

"Americans were our biggest customers, so I decided to come where the demand and the money were," she says.

That was six years ago this April. Besides working on custom orders, Denise engraves for Smith & Wesson hand guns, Winchester and Remington rifles.

Her eight-hour work day sometimes stretches into nine or ten hours in a corner of her kitchen where she works at her portable workbench. It's no sit down job, and sometimes she complains that her legs and feet bother her more than her eyes.

She often forgets to wear her glasses which she had for about a year.

To the untrained eye, all her chisels look alike. But she explains that some are for delicate shading effects, and some are for cutting deep lines. When she wants to do a shading effect, she uses a plastic hammer which gives a lighter touch to the chisel.

Does she ever make mistakes? "Oh, yes, occasionally, but I try to incorporate the mistake into a design," Denise says. Looking at some of her work, it is difficult to tell whether a particular curly-cue is in error or on purpose.

How long does it take to engrave a gun? "I can do a gun a day if the design isn't too complicated," she says. She added that a good day's work in Belgium was nine guns a day using a very simple design.

Her present business is about equally divided between mass production and custom orders.

Of her two children, her son Dominique, 16, is the more artistic. He draws airplanes and cartoons. Although her daughter, Joelle, 13, doesn't show any artistic inclinations yet, she shows pride in her mother's

work when she invites friends in to "see what my mother does."

As confining and tedious as Denise's work might seem to be, she loves engraving and works on new designs while watching television.

One of Denise's favorite sources of inspiration is found on a wall-hanging in her kitchen near her work.

Here is a fragment from "Desiderata" by Max Ehrmann: "Keep interested in your own career, however humble... and whatever your labors and aspirations, in the noisy confusion of life, keep peace with your soul."



Denise rubs away the filings as she examines her handiwork.



Denise Thirion studies a design which she is reproducing by engraving on the stock of a hand gun. With quick raps of the hammer on a delicate chisel held in her left hand, the design takes shape.

Customer in crossfire
Grace picked the worst possible moment to enter a neighborhood market. A holdup was under way, and the manager had just decided to shoot it out with the robber.



The manager, she said in court, "had no right to endanger the public by resorting to gunfire."

In another case, a store that had been frequently robbed hired private guards to set up a daytime stakeout. Here too, in an exchange of bullets, a customer was injured.

About town
Manchester clergy will have basketball practice tonight at 9 at Concordia Lutheran Church.

Your neighbor's kitchen
Cold days bring warm thoughts of delicious food and the following recipes should bring favorable response from your family.



Early American Meal
3 cups milk
1 1/2 cups sugar
1 bottle Certo
Measure 4 cups chopped fruit into kettle.

DR. LAMB
Hormone help for hypoglycemia
hypoglycemia out can also be many other things without having a blood test for confirmation at the time of the symptoms.

DEAR DR. LAMB - I would appreciate any information you might be able to give me concerning hypoglycemia.

DEAR READER - Prednisone is a hormone from the adrenal cortex. It belongs to the cortisone group. These hormones tend to cause the body to convert amino acids from protein into glucose.

If you read my column frequently you will know that I do not think the diagnosis of hypoglycemia should be made unless a low blood sugar level is demonstrated at the time symptoms are observed.

All Stop & Shops open Sunday 9 am-5 pm

Stop & Shop promotional offers including Fab Laundry Detergent 99¢, Gold Medal Flour 39¢, White Cloud 49¢, Red Rose Tea Bags 99¢, and Chunk Light Tuna 29¢.

It's sneezin' season! Choose your favorite cold remedy for your family. Stock up on these specially priced cold fighters!

It's "my store" to more people... because of all-week specials! Shop anytime through Saturday closing...

Stop & Shop "Great Beef" Shoulder Roast \$1.09/lb. Round Tip Roast \$1.39/lb. Shoulder Beef Steak \$1.39/lb.

Fresh Pork Shoulder 69¢/lb. Picnic. Fresh Pork Butts 89¢/lb. Fresh Ham Shank Half 89¢/lb.

Beef Liver 49¢/lb. Corned Beef Brisket 99¢/lb. Corned Beef Brisket 1.19/lb. Beef Bologna 99¢/lb.

Stop & Shop brings you the new meatier Ground Beefs. Fresh Ground Beef 69¢/lb.

On second thought... The art of cooking grits. One morning soon after we moved to Mississippi our neighbor invited us over for Sunday brunch.

McIntosh Apples 79¢/3lb bag. Large Slicing Tomatoes 59¢/lb. Fresh-Thick Crust Cheese Pizza 69¢.

Our Extra Lean Ground Beef has only 14% fat... we've lowered its price! We've also reduced the amount of fat in our basic Ground Beef from 28% to 26%.

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PINEHURST STOUFFER SALE. Put a Few Packages in Your Freezer. MACARONI and CHEESE POTATOES AU GRATIN 59¢/pkg.

WHOLE BOTTOM ROUNDS. Which include the Eye and Rump Oven Roasts, as well as nice Center Cut Bottom Rounds, USDA Choice all... \$1.49/lb.

LIBBY'S TOMATO JUICE 39¢. GRAPEFRUIT JUICE 39¢. C&C COLA 49¢. INSTANT DRY MILK \$1.99. MAYONNAISE 79¢.

ORANGE JUICE 6 95¢. BANQUET 89¢. FAMILY CENTER - 214 SPENCER ST. MANCHESTER.

Holly Farms Chicken Jamboree!



ADVERTISED ITEM POLICY

Each of these advertised items is required to be readily available for sale at or below the advertised price in each A&P Store, except as specifically noted in this ad.

When you start with the best chicken you end with the best chicken.

A great bird begins with basics. Like picking its parents. Knowing whether it was properly fed. And how long it took from plucking to platter. All raised by our own growers in carefully controlled surroundings, fed our own balanced diets, inspected by our own veterinarians and processed in our own plants. The largest poultry processing complex in the world.

Now's the time to buy chicken during our big Chicken Jamboree. And Holly Farms is the chicken to buy. It's bred and fed to be plump and juicy. It's always U.S.D.A. Inspected. And every piece is always Grade "A" (or it doesn't reach our stores). Shipped chilled, never frozen or packed in ice, so you're not paying for a lot of absorbed water. And it's dated for freshness right on the package. If you haven't tried Holly Farms Chicken before, now's the time. Look for the bright red and yellow ribbon emblem that identifies every package of Holly Farms Chicken. It's the one to pick to be sure.

HOLLY FARMS FRESH

Whole Breasts

HOLLY FARMS U.S.D.A. GRADE "A" CHICKEN

89¢

lb.

FAMILY PAK HOLLY FARMS - FRESH

Chicken Parts

Mixed Fryer Parts

CONTAINS: 2 BREAST QUARTERS, 2 LEG QUARTERS, 2 WINGS, 2 NECKS, AND 1 BACK

39¢

lb.

HOLLY FARMS FRESH

Whole Cut-Up Chickens

53¢

lb.

HOLLY FARMS U.S.D.A. GRADE "A" CHICKENS (Part of Back Attached)

Leg Quarters

59¢

lb.

HOLLY FARMS U.S.D.A. GRADE "A" CHICKENS

Chicken Legs

79¢

lb.

HOLLY FARMS FRESH

Whole Chickens

43¢

lb.

HOLLY FARMS FRESH

Split Chicken

53¢

lb.

CHICKEN DRUMSTICKS

89¢

lb.

SPLIT BREASTS

89¢

lb.

CHICKEN THIGHS

79¢

lb.

FAMILY PAK DRUMSTICKS

89¢

lb.

WHOLE CHICKEN QUARTERED

53¢

lb.

CHICKEN LIVERS

79¢

lb.

HOLLY FARMS FRESH

Chicken Breast Quarters

WING & PART OF BACK ATTACHED

59¢

lb.

Family Size Sale! A&P

Buy The Large Size And Save!



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PORK PICNIC

Fresh Pork Shoulders

79¢

5-7 lb. size

MARCO BY SALVATORE

Hot or Sweet Italian Sausage

89¢

SOLD IN 5-LB. BOXES ONLY

WATER ADDED

Smoked - Whole Cooked Hams

79¢

(16-19 LBS.)

CONTAINS NOT MORE THAN 23% FAT

Lean Ground Beef

79¢

3-lb. pkg. or more

FRONT CUTS ONLY

Gunsberg Corned Beef Briskets

79¢

BONELESS AND LEAN

A&P - 100% PURE BUTTER

Self-Basting Hen Turkeys

58¢

(12-14) LBS.

HILLSHIRE FARM

Polish Sausage

\$1.19

lb.

MISS FANCY

Shankless Smoked Shoulders

79¢

PORK PICNICS

VEGETABLE SALE

Del Monte

- Cut Green Beans 16 oz.
- French Style Green Beans 16 oz.
- Whole Kernel Corn 17 oz.
- Creamed Style Corn 17 oz.

3 cans 89¢

HALF CASE OF \$3.99 12 CANS

WHITE BATHROOM

Dovelette Tissues

89¢

6 320 ct. rolls

A FULL CASE OF

C&C Cola

\$2.99

24 12 oz. cans

GARDEN FRESH GREEN

Del Monte Sweet Peas

\$1.00

3 17 oz. cans

MARVEL - LARGE SIZE - WHITE

Sliced Bread

\$1.00

3 20 oz. lvs.

DELICIOUS - RED

Hawaiian Punch

77¢

half gallon jug

JANE PARKER

Apple Pie

59¢

FRESH BAKED 22 oz. size

CHICKEN NOODLE SOUP

Campbell's

\$1.00

5 10 1/2 oz. cans

DAIRY COUNTRY

Cheddar Cheese

\$1.79

random weight

WASHINGTON STATE

Delicious Apples

39¢

RED OR GOLDEN

EXTRA FANCY

Yellow Onions

\$1.39

5 lb. bag

ONE - 50 CT. PKG.

A&P Book Matches

FREE

SAVE 25¢

ONE-50 CT. PKG. A&P BOOK MATCHES

FREE

SAVE 10¢

ALL PURPOSE GOLD MEDAL FLOUR

5-lb. bag

SAVE 20¢

A SUPERB BLEND - RICH IN BRAZILIAN COFFEES

Eight O'Clock Bean Coffee

1-lb. bag

SAVE 60¢

A SUPERB BLEND - RICH IN BRAZILIAN COFFEES

Eight O'Clock Bean Coffee

3-lb. bag

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Q. I did not apply for Social Security disability benefits when I had my first stroke 15 months ago because I thought I would return to work. Then I had another stroke and now cannot walk. Can I collect any back benefits?

A. Back benefits can be paid up to 12 months from you apply, but they cannot start earlier than the sixth full month of disability. You should call or write your nearest Social Security office immediately for information about applying for benefits.

Q. How much more of my wages will go for Social Security contributions in 1977, compared with 1976? A. If you earn \$15,300 or less in 1977, your Social Security contribution will be at the same rate as in 1976. If you earn over \$15,300, you will pay a little more because the taxable base is \$16,500 for 1977. A worker with wages of \$16,500 or more will pay \$70.20 a year more in contributions.

Q. I'll be 65 in a few months and I'd like to apply for Social Security retirement benefits, but I still work part time. How much can I earn before losing checks? A. You can earn as much as \$3,000 for 1977 and get your full Social Security benefit for every month you neither earn more than \$250 nor do substantial work in your own business.

Q. My mother just had a major operation, and since she still needs skilled care, her doctor is transferring her from the hospital to a skilled nursing facility. He has arranged for an ambulance to take her to the facility. Will Medicare pay for the ambulance?

A. Medicare's medical insurance can help pay for ambulance transportation only if (1) the ambulance, equipment, and personnel meet Medicare requirements, and (2) transportation in any other vehicle could endanger the patient's health. Under these conditions, medical insurance can help pay for ambulance transportation from a patient's home to a hospital or skilled nursing facility, between hospitals and skilled nursing facilities, or from a hospital or skilled nursing facility to a patient's home.

Q. I thought that as long as I was receiving care from a participating hospital or health facility, Medicare would pay for my care. My neighbor says this isn't always true. Is he right? A. Under the law, Medicare cannot pay for care that is not reasonable and necessary for the diagnosis or treatment of an illness or injury, even if the care is provided by a hospital or other health facility participating in Medicare. See "Your Medicare Handbook" for a list of major services and supplies for which Medicare generally does not pay. If you don't have a copy you can get one at any Social Security office.

SOCIAL SECURITY

Duplicate bridge

Center Bridge Club Jan. 28 at the Masonic Temple - Mrs. Paul Burton, Norman Whitney, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Morris, first, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crawford, Mrs. Marion Haines, Mrs. Glenn Prentiss, second.

WALDBAUM'S Food Mart BEEF BONANZA! HERE'S YOUR CHANCE TO STOCK YOUR FREEZER AND REALLY SAVE! It's All U. S. D. A. Choice And Every Cut Guaranteed To Be Tasty, Tender!

Bottom Round Roast \$1.19, Semi-Boneless Chuck Roast 89c, Top Round Steak \$1.69, Semi-Boneless Chuck Steak 89c, Chuck Roast \$1.09, Shoulder Roast \$1.29, Top Round Roast \$1.29, Sirloin Tip Roast \$1.39, Back Rump Roast \$1.39, Rib Roast \$1.29, Rib Roast \$1.49, Fresh Briskets 89c, Fresh Briskets \$1.49, Hormel Sizzlers \$1.79, Italian Sausage \$1.19, Sliced Bacon \$1.19, Child Mild Franks \$1.79, Bolognese or Cooked Salami \$1.89, Beef Branks \$1.19, Boneless Ham \$1.99, Dutch Fry Breaded \$2.39, Thigh & Drumstick \$2.39, Fried Chicken \$2.39

Come To Food Marts Italian Food Festival!

ITALIAN TOMATOES 69c, TOMATO PASTE \$1.39, Ronzoni Spaghetti \$1.79, Spaghetti Sauce 79c, TOMATO SAUCE 27c, Blue Label Green Beans \$1.19, Glad Trash Bags \$1.99, Delta Towels \$1.49, Lincoln Drinks \$1.69, Progresso Soups \$1.49, WINE VINEGAR \$1.49, Spaghetti & Meatballs \$2.89, Chef-Boy-Ar-Dee Beef-A-Roni \$2.89

CRISP-CALIFORNIA ICEBERG LETTUCE 39c, BROCCOLI RABE 59c, Fresh Cauliflower 69c, Navel Oranges 7.5c, White Grapefruit 4.5c, Fresh Avocados 3.5c, Tangelos 98c, Fresh Garlic 98c, Hood's Ice Cream 69c, Heinz Regular or Crinkle Cut Deep Fries 69c, Coffee Lightener 4.89c, Fried Chicken 1.99, Pot Pies 4.5c, Macaroni & Cheese 79c, Potatoes 49c, Coffee Rings 79c, PIZZA 99c, Chiffon Margarine 59c, Vita Herring 79c, Zing Swiss Gruyere 59c, American Cheese 1.09, Cottage Cheese 1.09, Kosher Pickles 75c, Swiss on Rye 89c, Cheddar Cheese 1.29

Food Mart Bread 3.97c, English Muffins 3.97c, Apple Turnovers 1.09, French Bulky Rolls 55c, Fresh Dairy Delights: Chiffon Margarine 59c, Vita Herring 79c, Zing Swiss Gruyere 59c, American Cheese 1.09, Cottage Cheese 1.09, Kosher Pickles 75c, Swiss on Rye 89c, Cheddar Cheese 1.29

410 WEST MIDDLE TPKE. Manchester

Pinocle

Top scorers in the Manchester Senior Citizens Pinocle Group game Jan. 27 at the Army and Navy Club are Ann Fisher, 60, Joe Windsor, 60, Ella Sturtevant, 59, Gladys Seelert, 59, Betty Daniel, 57, Kate Frey, 57, Rene Maire, 56, Violet Dion, 55, John Galley, 54, Mike Haberstein, 54, Al Freda, 53, and Martin Bakstein, 53. The group will sponsor a game Thursday at 8 p.m. at the Army and Navy Club. Play is open to all senior citizens.

Cub Scout News

At the January meeting of Cub Pack 47, James Moroney of Hamilton Standard Division of United Technologies Corp., Windsor Locks, gave an explanation and demonstration of the moon-walk suit and life-pack used by the astronauts. A movie describing the upcoming space shuttle program was also presented and discussed. Den J was in charge of deeping and closing ceremonies, and Den G prepared refreshments. Awards earned in recent weeks were presented by Dubmaster James Moroney to Jeffrey Larkin, Bear badge; Matthew Gilmond and Steve Patarni, Wolf badges. Arrowpoints went Kenneth Munnery, gold, Aaron Burkack and Brian Spans, silver. Webelos activities badges went to Mike Shuruk, Eric Martin, Scott Knowlton, Shawn Killodins, Larry Smith and George Chambers. Scott Knowlton received the Webelos colors, and Aaron Burkack and Devin Donahue, Boy Scout service pins. Announcement was made of the Blue and Gold Banquet, Feb. 13. All scouts and their families are urged to attend.

Of consumer concern Snow thrower dangers

According to a Consumer Product Safety Commission report, an estimated 22,000 persons were treated in hospital emergency rooms throughout the nation during the last winter season for injuries associated with snow throwers. In addition to the risk of amputation of hands and fingers, persons trying to unclog the discharge chute, the snow thrower can also propel objects which may endanger the operator or passerby. Here are some of the danger spots on your snow thrower: Transmission Clutch - Accidental startup of machine "in gear" can cause injury to operator or bystander. Attachment Clutch - Accidental engaging of clutch can cause sudden blade startup while operator is unclogging machine, making adjustments or repairs. Fuel Tank and Lines - A gasoline explosion can be set off by a spark from spark plug, or a hot muffler, cigarette or other ignition source. Exhaust - The exhaust gets hot and can cause burns on contact. Gas leaks or spills can lead to explosion.

VA news

Q - Are veterans with military service after World War II and before the Korean Conflict eligible for home loan benefits? A - Since Oct. 1, 1976, those whose active duty occurred after July 25, 1947, and prior to June 27, 1950, who served more than 180 days under conditions other than dishonorable or discharged with less service for a service-connected disability, are eligible for home loan benefits. Q - I was retired on disability from the Army. Am I eligible for outpatient care at a VA hospital? A - Any person retired from the U.S. armed forces by reason of disability or longevity, is entitled to outpatient treatment at a VA facility. Q - What is the purpose of VA's vocational rehabilitation training? A - Vocational rehabilitation assists the service-disabled veteran acquire new vocational skills to help overcome the handicap of his disability. Q - My husband was killed in Vietnam, and I have since remarried. My present husband wishes to adopt a son from my first marriage. What effect would this have on my son's entitlement to VA benefits? A - The natural child of a deceased veteran retains entitlement to VA benefits even if subsequently adopted. A step-child of a deceased veteran would lose his entitlement if he were adopted.

Finast Supermarkets: Finast Soda 59c, Wortz Saltines 39c, Richmond Tomatoes 89c, Finast Tea Bags 95c, Finast Hot Cocoa Mix 1.19, Elbow Macaroni 2.11, Sutton Bay Purple Plums 49c, Richmond Grape Jelly 77c, Finast Frozen Food Values: 1/2 gal Ice Cream 79c, Richmond All Flavors 79c, Finast Cheese Pizza 99c, Glazed Donuts 79c, Green Beans 1.00, Coffee Lightener 1.00, Bahquet Cream Pies 55c, Finast Strawberries 69c, English Muffins 4.99, Big Round Top Bread 3.99, Finast Fresh Donuts 2.99, Raspberry Danish 99c, Sunrice fresh Dairy Values: Mrs. Fiberts Margarine 2.89, Cream Cheese 75c, Cheese 1.35, Finast Fresh Milk 1.37, Befit Milk 1.29

EKO ETERNA-Dior Muffin Stainless Steel TABLEWARE: Teaspoon 39c, EKO ETERNA COOKWARE: 1 Quart Open Saucepan 2.99, 6 Qt. Covered Saucepan 10.99, 2 Qt. Double Boiler (8 Cover) 10.99

MVD INFO

Q. Last week you advised me on how to avoid accidents by keeping my car in condition through periodic checkups. Are there additional tips on more frequent checks? A. Yes, we call them AS-VOU-START CHECKUPS. The driver of a vehicle should check the car before driving. Many of these are done unconsciously by simple observation or by becoming aware of a peculiar noise or vibration that wasn't there when the car was last driven. For example, a casual observation of the tires before getting in the car may point out such obvious problems as worn-out tires, a tire low on air, or a tire with a bubble in the sidewall. Inside the car, a casual glance at the gas gauge will tell the driver whether he should fill the tank so as to avoid running out of gas on the highway. An oil pressure light slow to go out may indicate a serious potential engine problem. Applying the brakes before engaging a driving gear will give an indication of whether the brakes are operating normally. A problem will still develop while the car is being driven. More about that at another time. (Questions may be sent to MVD INFO, Department of Motor Vehicles, 60 State St., Wethersfield, Conn. 06109. Motor Vehicle Department offices are open Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, 8:30 to 4:30; Thursday, 8:30 to 10:30; and Saturday, 8:30 to 12:30.) Despite owner-driver observations and preventive maintenance services, a problem will still develop while the car is being driven. More about that at another time.

Morton Frozen Dinners 3\$1, Clorox Bleach 49c, 5-lb Bag Finast Sugar 68c

Welch's Tomato Juice 63c, Del Monte Chunk Tuna 48c, Campbell's Chicken Noodle Soup 18c

Genuine Rock Cornish Hens 49c, Fully Cooked Smoked Hams 79c

3 Breast Qtrs w/bks, 3 Leg Qtrs w/bks, 3 Wings, 3 Necks, 3 Giblet Paks 39c, Fresh Box-o-Chicken 39c, Chicken Leg Quarters 49c, Fresh Best of Fryer 59c, Shoulder Steak 1.19, Smoked Shoulder 89c, Shoulder Roast 99c, Colonial Ham 1.49, Cube Steak 1.59, Smoked Butts 1.29, Blade Steak 1.49, Ham Portions 1.79, Porterhouse Steak 2.49, Ham Steaks 1.59, Underblade Roast 1.39, Ham Steaks 1.99, Skirt Steak 1.49, Smoked Hocks 69c, Sliced Beef Liver 39c, Smoked Neck Bones 59c, Calves Liver 89c, Beef Tongue 1.39

Chicken Legs 59c, Ground Beef 79c, Thighs 75c, Drumsticks 85c, Lean Chuck 89c, Breasts 89c, Ground Round 1.19

Fresh Iceberg Lettuce 3\$1, Temple Oranges 15.11, Grapefruit 5.11, Anjou Pears 10.79, Fresh Celery Hearts 5.99, Potatoes 5.79, Fresh Yellow Onions 3.59, Finast Popcorn 1.29, Philodendrons 4.29, Assorted Plants 7.99, Potting Soil 7.99, Plant Pots 8.99, Plant Hangers 4.11, Finast Bird Food 9.99, Bird Seed Bells 6.99, Imported Swiss Cheese 1.99, Mr. De I Bologna 1.09, Mr. De I Olive Loaf 1.39, Genoa Salami 1.99, Mr. De I Salami Sticks 1.49, Cheddar Cheese 1.99, Fresh Salads 4.99

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