

### News summary

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**State**  
**HARTFORD** — State Commission on Hospital and Health Care investigators plan a probe of recent nursing home sales to see if they have caused unnecessary rate increases.

**LITCHFIELD** — The state intends to retry Peter A. Reilly for manslaughter instead of murder in the 1973 slaying of his mother. State's Attorney John A. Bianchi said Wednesday. Reilly was convicted of manslaughter in 1974 but was granted a new trial.

**Regional**  
**BOSTON** — A Suffolk County grand jury and a Portland, Maine, grand jury indicted four persons in connection with a series of bombings, including those at a Boston National Guard armory and Logan International airport.

**CONCORD, N.H.** — Gov. Meldrim Thomson was scheduled to announce today he will seek a third term, while two federal agencies look into charges he used federally paid energy office employees to lay the groundwork for his campaign.

**National**  
**Ronald Reagan** campaigns in New Jersey and Pennsylvania for uncommitted Republican delegates, while President Ford plans to return to the campaign trail this weekend with a visit to the Connecticut GOP convention.

**NEW YORK** — Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass., says he will not tour the country campaigning for Jimmy Carter because he will be too busy in Massachusetts trying to get re-elected to the Senate.

**MINEOLA, N.Y.** — A 6-year-old Long Island boy,

### Independent voters lose challenge

**HARTFORD (UPI)** — A three-judge federal panel has ruled that independent voters have no constitutional right to vote in primaries.

The judges said Wednesday political party membership does not over-

burden independents who want to vote in primaries.

They dismissed a lawsuit brought by Nathra Nader, father of consumer advocate Ralph Nader, and Albert C. Snyder, both registered independents.

The judges said if the plaintiffs speak for a large number of independents, they should ask the legislature to change existing law.

The decision said party enrollment in Connecticut imposes "absolutely no affirmative party obligations on the voters in terms of time or money and it does not even obligate him to

vote for the party's position or candidates."

The decision was written by U.S. Circuit Court Judge Robert P. Anderson. Concurring were Chief U.S. District Court Judge T. Emmet Clarke and District Court Judge M. Joseph Blumenfeld.

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## Ford-Reagan delegate battle dominates GOP convention

**KANSAS CITY, Mo. (UPI)** — Republicans, hunted by the Watergate scandal and a dwindling American constituency, open their 131st national convention still torn between two warring conservatives, President Ford and Ronald Reagan.

Even as the convention is gavelled into session today at futuristic Kemper Arena, Ford finds himself scrapping with the former California governor over the fewer than 100 uncommitted delegates who hold the elusive key to a first-ballot presidential nomination Wednesday night.

Although he and his political advisers insisted victory was theirs, Ford was fighting the most serious challenge for nomination that any incumbent GOP president has faced in this century, and still struggling to gain control of his own party.

Hours before the showdown began, and months after his first primary election, the UPI delegate count showed Ford falling a tantalizing five votes short of the 1,130-vote majority he needs to win on the first ballot.

Reagan, tanned, relaxed and seemingly confident he would ultimately prevail, probed for

## Nutmeg delegates prefer Baker for second spot on GOP ticket

**KANSAS CITY, Mo. (UPI)** — Sen. Howard Baker, R-Tenn., is the vice presidential choice of Connecticut's Republican National Convention delegation, state GOP Chairman Frederick K. Biebel said today.

Biebel told a morning Connecticut caucus a poll of the 35 delegates and 33 alternates showed Baker was among the top five choices of 43 of them. Biebel said Baker was the first choice of 21 delegates and alternates.

Biebel said only 28 delegates and 25 alternates — 54 of the 68-person delegation — completed his vice presidential poll.

Biebel said the second choice of Connecticut's delegation was Secretary of Commerce Elliot Richardson, named by 28 persons and the first choice of seven.

Treasury Secretary William Simon was named by 23 delegates and alternates and sine made him their first choice.

## Not everything was up to date in Kansas City for newlyweds

**KANSAS CITY, Mo. (UPI)** — New Jersey alternate delegate John W. Markert didn't think much of the preparations for his honeymoon, referring to delegation leader Thomas Keen. "They moved all that stuff in and forgot the bed."

Keen, who married just before the Republican National Convention and his state's delegation wanted to surprise him with a special suite in Kansas City.

The Breckenridge Inn readied its most luxurious quarters. The run-of-the-mill furnishings were replaced with the exquisite, and plush rugs covered the floor.

Markert walked his bride into the honeymoon suite, looked around and quickly ran down the eight flight of stairs to the main lobby.

"Where's the Keen, Where's the Keen," he screamed, referring to delegation leader Thomas Keen. "They moved all that stuff in and forgot the bed."

## The weather

Mostly sunny, cooler, less humid today. High upper 70s to low 80s. Clear tonight, low around 60. Sunny, pleasant Tuesday, high upper 70s. National weather forecast map on Page 13.

The two disagree on the issue of

## Sleith heads special gifts drive for Bicentennial music shell

William H. Sleith of 32 Wyllys St., founder and former president of Iona Mfg. Co., has been named honorary chairman of the Bicentennial Band Shell Fund Drive Committee.

Sleith will be involved with the special gifts phase of the drive along with Theodore (Ted) LaBonte, general chairman of the campaign.

An active participant in the town's civic and business affairs, Sleith is a

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Spanning the generation gap

Bill Wood, 80, of 260 Woodland St., tosses a Frisbee with Danny Whorf, 7, of 20 Center St., during the Senior-Youth Day activities at Center Springs Park Sunday afternoon. The annual event is a part of the Summer Activities in Manchester program and included other games and activities and climaxed with a picnic lunch. Despite threatening rain, an estimated 150 people turned out for the event. (Herald photo by Dunn)

## GOP platform too conservative for two Connecticut delegates

**KANSAS CITY, Mo. (UPI)** — The Republican National Convention platform as drafted is too conservative for Connecticut Republicans, two state platform committee members said Sunday.

But despite that, the 35 Connecticut delegates were expected to vote to adopt it in accordance with the strategy of President Ford's aides not to light over the platform.

All of Connecticut's delegates are committed firmly to Ford, who appeared close to gaining the remaining few delegates needed to give him the nomination over former California Gov. Ronald Reagan.

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**HARTFORD** — State auditors today blamed the state Department of Transportation for bungling procedures on a highway construction job on Rtes. 25 and 8 in Bridgeport and Trumbull which cost taxpayers more than \$680,000. DOT failed to hold public hearings or obtain local approval to acquire land in Beardley Park in Bridgeport and Fairchild Park in Trumbull and the errors were corrected only after more than seven months delay.

**National**  
**PHILADELPHIA** — Health officials have begun random sampling of tourists and conventioners who registered at Philadelphia hotels after July 1 in an attempt to track down the cause of the "Legionnaire's disease." In all, 25 persons have died of the mysterious malady.

**Regional**  
**BOSTON** — Mrs. James Weeks says her son, a Roman Catholic priest imprisoned in Argentina, is just a good priest and a man of God. The Rev. James M. Weeks, 62, was arrested Aug. 3 and no

**International**  
**PHILADELPHIA**, Guadeloupe — French authorities have evacuated 130,000 residents from the area surrounding a smoke-belching volcano expected to erupt with the force of several atom bombs.

**Beruit, Lebanon** — Christians battling leftists in Lebanon's central mountains warn them to surrender or be forced out.

**TOKYO** — Former Premier Kakuei Tanaka, the rags-to-riches politician who headed Japan's government from 1972 to 1974, was indicted today on a charge of accepting a \$1.67 million bribe from the Lockheed Aircraft Corp.

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### Dobkin to head Mercer campaign

Former Republican Town Chairman M. Adler Dobkin has been named campaign manager for Marion Mercer, candidate for the Republican registrar of voters.

Mrs. Mercer, and Frederick E. Peck, Republican registrar since 1960, will face each other in a Sept. 7 primary for the position. It is the first primary for a registrar of voters post in Manchester history.

Dobkin said that time has come for a new approach to the job and that Mrs. Mercer's ability to organize and to work with people will be a great asset to the Republican party.

Mrs. Mercer also named Atty. Scott Clendaniel treasurer and Carl A. Zmoss head of publicity.

One person named to Mrs. Mercer's campaign committee was Barry Botticello, who had been a third candidate in the registrar's race. Botticello withdrew his name



Adler Dobkin before the vote by the Republican Town Committee for the registrar's position was taken.

Others named to the campaign committee were Nathan Agostinelli, Francis DellaPera, Sandra Taylor, Mary Jayne Crandall, Louise Cronin, William Diana, Robert Stawitsky, Anita Murphy, William Schaller, Sara Dennison, Frank Gakeler, Rudolph Pjero, Celeste Sheldon and Harriet Haslett.

Mrs. Mercer was selected for the registrar position by a 44-18 vote of the town committee. Peck, however, petitioned for a primary.

If he needed signatures from five per cent — 413 — of Manchester's registered Republicans by Friday, Aug. 13. He obtained a total of 788 signatures by Friday's 4 p.m. deadline.

The primary will be held Tuesday, Sept. 7, from noon to 8 p.m. Registered Republicans in all ten of Manchester's voting districts will be eligible to vote.

### Sunday School class loses clash with women's lib

PLAINS, Ga. (UPI) — A small Sunday School class clashed with the demand of a presidential campaign and the women's movement, and lost.

For years, as in many other churches, the Plains Baptist Church has divided its Sunday School classes by age and sex.

And for years, about 14 men, including Jimmy Carter, attended the men's Bible class in an upper room at the white frame church.

That is, until June.

As Carter clinched the Democratic presidential nomination, reporters, including women, and tourists surged into the class.

First, the deacons tore out a wall to increase the size of the room. Then the class was moved to a junior high assembly room as almost 100 men and women crowded in. A few weeks ago, the class was moved to the basement.

About three weeks ago, the class officers or the church's deacons of different groups — decided to enforce the old rule that the men go to the men's class, the women go to the women's class.

Most, but not all, reporters have chosen to skip Sunday School after attending a time or two. One or two women reporters tried to attend were turned away the previous two Sundays.

Carter told reporters he didn't mind having women present, but he believed the church officials had acted within their authority.

With Carter's approval, press secretary Jody Powell called Pastor Bruce Edwards and Clarence Dodson, class teacher for 10 years, after midnight Saturday.

Powell explained the women were members of the pool of reporters selected to cover an event on behalf of the others when space or other considerations prevent all from attending.

If they were barred from attending the women would be at a professional disadvantage, said Powell, following the theme of a telegram of protest sent by the Washington Press Club.

Dodson said he told Powell, "you work it out and we'll go along."

Helen Dewar of the Washington Post and Judy Woodruff of NBC attended the class Sunday, the only women among the 40 present.

Carter acknowledged their presence with a smile as he walked in. It was understood that Carter would not have attended Sunday's class if the problem had not been resolved.

"We're not antiwomen," Edwards said after the worship. "This is new to us. We try something. If it doesn't work, we try something else."

### Two trends may be helping Jimmy Carter's campaign

OLD SAYBROOK (UPI) — Jimmy Carter's campaign for the presidency may be helped by two trends among Americans: growing conservatism and a religious revival, says pollster George Gallup.

"There is unquestionably a sharp shift to the right," Gallup said, citing the defeat of liberal candidates in primaries, the record high support for the death penalty and rising demands for better discipline in schools.

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"And it would not be going too far to say that we are in the first stages of a religious renewal," he predicted. He said young persons don't care for organized churches but they are very religious.

His findings were the result of putting together numbers of polls of the U.S. electorate he has conducted in the past few months, Gallup said in a weekend broadcast interview with radio station WJLB.

### Police report

A weekend break into an Olcott St. apartment resulted in the loss of \$1,125 worth of items.

Police said entrance was gained through a ground level living room window. Among the items reported missing were a television set, a movie camera and projector, a piggy bank containing \$250 in silver dollars, and a gold ring.

Police reported three other thefts from homes over the weekend.

A color television and a small amount of money were taken from an Imperial Dr. apartment Saturday, police said. The missing items were valued at \$200. Police said a portable television and a jewelry box were removed from the apartment but both were found outside the building.

A Brookfield St. resident slept Saturday while \$55 was taken from his home, police said. Entrance was gained through a screen door that was cut, police reports said.

A Jarvis St. home was robbed of \$50 in cash and a diamond ring, according to police. The theft was reported Saturday.

Police also received a further report on items taken from a Hawthorne St. home Thursday. Police said \$1,600 was worth of items, including a valuable coin collection, a watch and a walkie-talkie set, were stolen.

Two thefts of motor vehicles on Saturday were reported by police.

A 1972 Ford Galaxy, owned by Edward A. Blivish, of 446 Center St., was taken from a lot off Henderson St. An auto owned by an East Hartford resident, Dennis F. Foley, was stolen from E. Center St.

In another auto-related theft, police said a tape player, valued at \$200, was taken from a car owned by Scott Des Rosier, of 27 Terry Dr.

Six motorists were issued summonses over the weekend. Kevin J. O'Connell, 19, of East Hartford, was charged with disregarding a stop sign and operating while his license is under suspension. Court date is Aug. 24.

Richard M. Guinness, 16, of 82 Tracy Dr., was charged with failing to grant the right of way following a Sunday morning accident at the intersection of E. Middle Tpk. and Parker St. Court date for Guinness is Aug. 31.

Police also reported the arrest of Robert H. Hargrey, 40, of 44 Hawthorne St. He was charged with threatening and third-degree assault.

His court date is Aug. 30.

A motorcyclist involved in a Sunday morning accident on Hartford Rd. received minor injuries, police said. Gary R. Colby, of 404 Summit St., was treated for lacerations at Manchester Memorial Hospital and released.

### Three captured

BROOKLYN (UPI) — Three inmates who fled the Brooklyn Correctional Center Sunday were captured in a nearby barn on Rt. 6 about three hours later.

Peter Kelbart, 18, of Killingly; Alex Konak, 18, of Sterling, and Joseph Hughes, 23, of Worcester, Mass., were reported missing about 2 p.m. and were found in the barn about 4:55 p.m. by state police.

### Governor's daughter

OLD SAYBROOK (UPI) — Susanne O. Grasso, 21, daughter of Gov. Ella T. Grasso, received minor injuries in a weekend auto accident state police said Sunday. Miss Grasso, of Windsor Locks, was injured when her auto was struck in the rear by another car on Boston Post Road Saturday night. She was treated and released from the Shoreline Clinic in Essex.

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### MACC news

**Anne Flynn**

The third annual Evening of the Performing Arts sponsored by the conference will be Saturday, Oct. 23, at Bailey Auditorium.

The theme for the evening in this Bicentennial year will be to draw on the various heritages that have contributed to our country and to highlight the music and arts that have been popular over the years in America.

Groups that have been asked to perform (all but a few are duos) are: the Beethoven group, Irish step dancers, comedy team of Charles and Susan Piese, Manchester Pipe Band, Manchester High School Round Table Singers, Gilbert and Sullivan Singing Savoyards, woodwind ensemble from the Civic Orchestra, folk dance group from Footprints, a community art center and the combined bell choir from several local churches.

The planning committee include: Ronald Fountain, who will serve as master of ceremonies and is working on patrons; Beatrice Bagley, handling tickets; Clinton Hendrickson, publicity; Gloria Kjelson, in charge of contact people in the MACC churches; Shirley Stager, artistic consultant; and myself, working on patrons and general coordination. Roger and Marci Negro are acting as stage managers and directors.

Last year, the Evening of the Performing Arts was a financial success, bringing almost \$1,000 into the MACC treasury to support our programs and work done throughout the community. It also was a most enjoyable evening for those who love a variety of the arts. The evening was possible because of the many gracious performers who were willing to share with all of you their talents to help raise money for the conference.

Much of the money received was through the generosity of those who were our patrons for the evening — we had over 100. In September, we will be asking people to be our patrons and sending letters to many, but we cannot reach everyone. If you wish to become a patron for the evening and help support the work of MACC you may send a check for \$10 (contributing patron) or \$25 (supporting patron) to: Evening of the Performing Arts, Box 733, Manchester.

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**Opinion**

**Bicentennial progress for older Americans**

In 1976, at the time of the first census of the United States, less than 10 per cent of the new nation's four million citizens were 50 years of age or older. Less than 200 years later, one out of four Americans — some 54 million — are in that age group.

The nation is currently celebrating the Bicentennial of the Revolution which led to its establishment. But older Americans can also celebrate a more recent revolution of their own.

In addition to the striking increase in their numbers, "revolutionary changes in their status have created for the first time in our history an awareness of their part of their identity as members of a distinct group with common needs and goals," states the 1975 annual report of the nation's largest insurer of senior citizens for auto, death and life policies.

Only 20 years ago, the report notes, it was virtually impossible for persons over 65 to obtain health insurance at reasonable cost to protect themselves against the financial consequences of illness or injury.

Since the enlargement of the Social Security system, enactment of Medicare and widespread employee pension programs have given today's older persons economic security unknown to any previous generation.

Federal legislation has brought greater stability and reliability to the pension

systems of private industry and now provides tax-benefit encouragement for individual retirement plans.

State and local governments have also initiated programs to aid older persons, perhaps the most important of which are property tax relief laws enacted by more than 40 states.

These and other advances have enabled more of the current generation of older Americans — though, of course, not all of them — to conserve their assets, remain homeowners and maintain financial independence.

Perceptions and definitions of the term "older person" have changed. Fostered by such organizations as the American Association of Retired Persons and the National Retired Teachers Association, a new concept of aging has emerged, and with it a new understanding.

Just as 200-year-old America is still considered young, chronological age need not categorize an individual. Our society is increasingly aware of the uniqueness in each of us that defies and rejects arbitrary classifications.

Perhaps the key to the character of today's older Americans is found in the word "independence," says the insurance company. "They reject the notion that others know what is best for them. They are part of the process of determining their role in society today, and they will insist upon exercising their right to determine their own future."

**ALMANAC**

By United Press International  
Today is Monday, Aug. 16, the 229th day of 1976 with 137 to follow.  
The moon is approaching its last quarter.  
The morning stars are Jupiter and Saturn.  
The evening stars are Mercury, Mars and Venus.  
Those born on this date are under the sign of Leo.  
Robert Kingling, originator of the major world circus, was born Aug. 16, 1897.

On this day in history:  
In 1896, the north country gold rush began. Gold was discovered in the Klondike region of Canada's Yukon Territory.  
In 1948, baseball Hall-of-Famer Babe Ruth died in New York City of cancer.  
In 1971, New York stocks broke a 197-year price and volume record in response to President Nixon's wage-price-freeze announcement the day before.

**CONVENTIONS IN CRISIS**



**6. The Republicans: 1964**  
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There was no effective opposition to the Goldwater drive and it was to be the conservatives' convention all the way. At last, the American voter was going to be given "a choice, not an echo."  
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There were 18 in our party to Wichita: Coach Hubert Humphrey carried 44 bats; Jackie Hedlund, Manager Bill Kelly, mascot Jackie Hedlund, myself, and the ballplayers, Walt Ford, Herman Corrie, Johnny Green, Dick Cobb, Cliff Keeney, Mike Saverick, Nonny Zazzaro, Mike Griswold, Tony Bernhe, Cal Lyles, Jackie May,  
Harrisburg, Pa., there seemed to be a long delay at the station, and cars were being added to our train.  
Naturally, we had become pretty good friends with the conductors; they knew we had a semi-pro ball club going to Wichita.  
We inquired about the added cars, and the conductor said, "Oh, we have a surprise for you: the Red Sox are coming in after a series in Washington, and they are going to St. Louis with us."  
That's all we needed; once the train was under way, Vic Taggart, Jackie Hedlund and myself went back to find the Sox. Many of them had sacked in for the night, but we did find Johnny Pesky, Dom DiMaggio and Birdie Tabet in the corridor, explained who we were and where we were going.  
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By the time breakfast rolled around, I guess everyone on the Sox knew they had the Connecticut team with them. There were more greetings exchanged in the dining car, because our game had an EXTREMELY long time eating... Jackie Hedlund got to meet Ted Williams, and we can still see Ted patting Jackie's head.  
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## Opinion

### Bicentennial progress for older Americans

In 1976, at the time of the first census of the United States, less than 10 percent of the nation's four million citizens were 50 years of age or older. Less than 200 years later, one out of four Americans — some 54 million — are in that age group.

The nation is currently celebrating the Bicentennial of the Revolution which led to its establishment. But older Americans can also celebrate a more recent revolution of their own.

In addition to the striking increase in their numbers, "revolutionary changes in their status have created for the first time in our history an awareness on their part of their identity as members of a distinct group with common needs and goals," states the 1975 annual report of the nation's largest insurer of senior citizens for auto, death and life policies.

Only 20 years ago, the report notes, it was virtually impossible for persons over 65 to obtain health insurance at reasonable cost to protect themselves against the financial consequences of illness or injury.

## ALMANAC

By United Press International  
Today is Monday, Aug. 16, the 229th day of 1976 with 137 to follow.  
The moon is approaching its last quarter.  
The morning stars are Jupiter and Saturn.  
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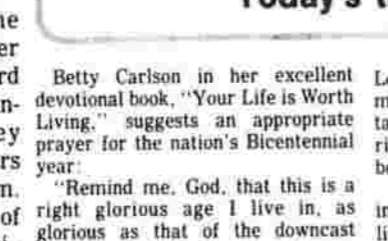
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WELL, THANK YOU  
—BYE.

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# Vernon births decline 33 per cent

A pupil population study prepared by Daniel Woolwich, chairman of the Board of Education's school population study committee, reveals a 33 per cent decline in births in the town of Vernon from 1969-1974.

"Based on Connecticut State Health Department statistics we can expect a decline in the kindergarten population," Woolwich said. The chart prepared by Woolwich and his committee indicates movement into Vernon, up to 1972, such that enrollments in kindergarten exceeded births but since that time births have exceeded enrollments in kindergarten.

At the kindergarten through Grade 5 level, committee figures show the staff and pupil population is consistent with a reduction in staff correlated to reduction in pupils. Over the period from 1969 to 1975, the pupil population reduced each year with 3,973 in 1969 down to 2,165 in 1975.

At the Middle School level, the population increased over the same period from 1,482 to 1,581 an increase of 99 pupils.

Staff size cut  
At the high school there was also an increase in the numbers of pupils.

In the area of social work, speech and hearing, and psychological examining, the staff-pupil ratio is remaining stable, Woolwich said, but in the area of guidance, the ratio is increasing slightly. Woolwich said, "We cannot anticipate any decreases in the (7.7.7) special education area because of federal and state legislation."

Future space needs  
As to future space needs, Woolwich said 75 single homes are in the planning stage in the Lake Street School area. He said at an estimated 1.2

children per home, there is the potential for 90 new students. He added that 58 two-bedroom apartments are in the planning stage at 5 children per two-bedroom apartment there is the potential for an additional 29 students. The committee also recommended that the business office establish a consistent procedure either computerized or manually reporting staff and adhere to it on a year-to-year basis.

St. Joseph Church, Rockville, parish grounds, Mammoth Outdoor Bazaar. All this week. Rides, booths, bingo, refreshments. Free Admission.—Adv.

The Rev. Bernard Killeen of St. James Church performed the double-ring ceremony. The altar was decorated with mixed white flowers. Mrs. Ralph MacCarone was organist.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of imported organza and Cluny lace edged with venise lace and designed with bib bodice, ruffled caftan neckline, fitted sleeves with angel wing cuffs, peaked waist with a full-flounced skirt trimmed with lace and extending to a full chapel-length train. Her finger ring was of imported silk illusion was attached to a Juliet cap trimmed with lace. She carried a bouquet of white roses, stephanotis, baby's breath and ivy.

Mrs. Charles L. Crockett of Vernon was her sister's matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Dorlene Brodeur of Vernon, the bride's niece, Miss Susan Kane of Manchester, the bridegroom's sister, and Miss Sherry Greenwood of Farmington.

Robert Kane of Manchester served as his brother's best man. Ushers were Charles Crockett of Vernon, the bride's brother-in-law; Blaise Brodeur of Vernon, the bride's nephew; and James Sorensen of Manchester.

A reception was held at the Manchester Country Club, after which the couple left on a trip to Montreal, Quebec, Canada. They will reside in Manchester.

Mrs. Kane is employed as a registered nurse at Hartford Hospital. Mr. Kane is an industrial arts teacher in the Manchester School System.

## Kane-Brown

Pamela Ruth Brown and Gregory Craig Kane, both of Manchester, were married Aug. 13 at St. James Church in Manchester.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Brown of 558 Spring St. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kane of 32 Linmore Dr.

The Rev. Bernard Killeen of St. James Church performed the double-ring ceremony. The altar was decorated with mixed white flowers. Mrs. Ralph MacCarone was organist.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of imported organza and Cluny lace edged with venise lace and designed with bib bodice, ruffled caftan neckline, fitted sleeves with angel wing cuffs, peaked waist with a full-flounced skirt trimmed with lace and extending to a full chapel-length train. Her finger ring was of imported silk illusion was attached to a Juliet cap trimmed with lace. She carried a bouquet of white roses, stephanotis, baby's breath and ivy.

Mrs. Charles L. Crockett of Vernon was her sister's matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Dorlene Brodeur of Vernon, the bride's niece, Miss Susan Kane of Manchester, the bridegroom's sister, and Miss Sherry Greenwood of Farmington.

Robert Kane of Manchester served as his brother's best man. Ushers were Charles Crockett of Vernon, the bride's brother-in-law; Blaise Brodeur of Vernon, the bride's nephew; and James Sorensen of Manchester.

A reception was held at the Manchester Country Club, after which the couple left on a trip to Montreal, Quebec, Canada. They will reside in Manchester.

Mrs. Kane is employed as a registered nurse at Hartford Hospital. Mr. Kane is an industrial arts teacher in the Manchester School System.



Mrs. Gregory C. Kane Taylor Photo

## Hints on Food Preservation

(Editor's Note: This article on food preservation was written by Mrs. Betty Pattison, home economist with the U.S. Department of Agriculture, University of Connecticut Cooperative Extension Service.)

Jellies, jams, preserves, conserves, marmalades and butters are similar products. All of them are fruit preserved by means of sugar, and usually all are jellied to some extent. Most of them provide a good way to use fruit not at its best for canning or freezing — the largest or smallest fruits and berries, and those that are irregularly shaped.

Jelly is made by cooking fruit juice with sugar. It is usually clear and is firm enough to hold its shape when turned from the jar. Jam is made by cooking crushed fruit with sugar. It is usually less firm than jelly.

Both jam and jelly need the right proportions of fruit or juice, pectin, acid, and sugar for a successful product. For successful cooked jams, jellies and such the following tips will be helpful. Jellies and preserves made in small quantities are most likely to be satisfactory. Work with not more than 10 cups of fruit or fruit at a time.

Use a kettle that will hold 4 to 6 times as much juice as you need. When making jelly, restrain juice in a second

jelly bag to make the jelly clearer. If you are using commercial pectin, add the sugar according to the recipe. Always follow the recipe exactly because time and quantity variations almost always bring failure.

Powdered pectin is added to the strained juice before heating. Heat rapidly, bringing to a full rolling boil — i.e., a boil which cannot be stirred down. Then add the sugar, bring again to a full rolling boil and boil for 1 minute.

Liquid pectin is added to the strained juice and sugar after the mixture is brought to a full boil. Stir constantly during heating. Add pectin, bring to a full rolling boil and boil for 1 minute.

Jellies and preserves made without pectin (like apple jelly) require less sugar per cup of juice than pectin-added products because they are cooked longer. The longer cooking needed to reach the jelly stage results in a greater cooking loss; thus fewer glasses of jelly. Choose 3/4 of the fruit at the ripe stage, 1/4 of it underripe when working without pectin. Making jellies without added pectin is not recommended for the beginner.

To sterilize, put glasses in deep container, cover with water and bring to a boil. Boil 10 minutes; remove container from heat, leaving glasses in water. If using two-piece canning lids instead of paraffin and no further

processing is being done, heat lids and rings in water for 5 minutes. Remove from heat, leaving in water until ready to use. If you have questions about preserving jams, jellies, and such, or desire additional information on any other aspect of preserving foods, write or phone your extension home economist at the nearest field office of the University of Connecticut Cooperative Extension Service. Offices are located at Brooklyn, Norwich, Vernon, Haddam, Hartford, Wallingford, Bethel or Litchfield.

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Greasing the melon...

Jill Bianucci, life guard at Spring Pond in South Windsor, greases a watermelon for the 10 to 12 age group melon contest Saturday during the South Windsor Water Carnival.



working it to the goal line...

The watermelon is squirted up out of the water and out of the hands of the swimmers of both teams as they struggle to get it over the other team's rope. The teams played 20-minute periods. Winning teams in the different age groups shared with losers the fruit of the games.



and eating it

Keith Murray, 12, enjoys the fruit of the game. The carnival also included swim races, diving contests, treasure hunts, tire tube races, and two cavorting clowns.

## Swimmers to compete

**South Windsor**  
A six-member team, representing the growing number of competitive swimmers in South Windsor, will compete in Saturday's Connecticut Tournament of Champions at Pope Park in Hartford. They are: Sheila Duval, girls' 10 and under 50-meter freestyle; Regina Floc, girls' 11 and 12 50-meter freestyle, 50-meter butterfly; Gordon Young, boys' 11 and 12 50-meter freestyle and 50-meter backstroke; Kenneth Izkowski, boys' 11 and 12 50-meter freestyle; Chris and 100-meter freestyle; Chris and 100-meter freestyle; and Paul Cottle, boys' 15 to 18 50-meter freestyle, 100-meter backstroke, and 100-meter freestyle.

## Library talk needed

**Bolton**  
Minutes from recent meetings of the Library Board said better communications between the librarian and library staff were reported. The board recently discussed personnel problems with Raymond Woollett, librarian. The minutes said a large part of the problem appeared to be a lack of communications.

## Summer school called a success

**Bolton**  
A detailed evaluation of the town's 1976 summer compensatory program to provide assistance in reading and math was prepared for the Board of Education by Mel Anselis, program evaluator. A total of 39 students from pre-kindergarten through grade 6 took part in the program. Raymond Allen, school superintendent, directed it. The five-week summer program cost \$8,022 and was funded by Title I. There was no cost to the town. The program had six teachers and one paraprofessional aide. Five of the teachers each taught a

## Rockville Hospital notes

Admitted Friday: Della Bloch, Brady Hill Rd., Vernon; Kathleen Calaci, Thompson St., Rockville; Helen Daly, Ellington Ave., Rockville. Discharged Friday: Robert Allen, Baker Rd., Vernon; Mary Clayton, Kusley Rd., Tolland; Joseph Dwyer, Hany Lane, Vernon; Mrs. Susan Ellis and son, Browns Bridge Rd., Tolland; Mrs. Wanda Greene and son, Stafford Springs; Ernest Rehmer, Edward St., Manchester. Discharged Saturday: Mrs. Debra Carroll and daughter, King Ct., East Hartford; Charles McHughall, Olson Dr., Rockville; Cecile Ray, Campbell Ave., Vernon; Deborah Roth, Alpert Dr., Vernon; Martin Buge, Old Cat Hole Rd., Tolland; Mrs. Gay Smilgide and daughter, Sunny View Dr., Vernon.

## Area police

**SOUTH WINDSOR**  
Timothy Cote, 18, of 1853 Main St., Brian W. Smith, 20, of 19 Linden St., and Richard Paradise, 18, of 52 Walnut St., all of East Hartford, and Otis Butler Jr., 17, of 190 Abbey Rd., South Windsor, were all charged with breach of the peace Friday night after a disturbance in the parking lot of the South Windsor Police station. Paradise was also charged with criminal mischief. All four are scheduled to appear in Common Pleas Court 12, East Hartford, Aug. 30. Police are investigating weekend breaks. On Strong Rd. someone entered a home and took a color TV valued at \$400, a stereo, value \$400; jewelry and cash, \$150; and two portable radios, \$254. On Northview Dr. entry into a home was gained by forcing a screen. Several items were taken but the value has not been determined.

## VERNON

Jeffrey Vainwright, 16, of 107 High St., and Robert Moore, 19, of Talcottville Rd., both of Vernon, were charged Saturday with breach of the peace after a disturbance in a parking lot on Rt. 83. Both were released on \$250 nonreturnable bonds for appearance in Common Pleas Court 15, Rockville, Sept. 15. Raymond Spellman, 21, of 24 Thompson St., Rockville, was charged Saturday with operating under the influence of liquor or drugs. Court is Sept. 15. Robert Nelson, 34, of 1238 Hartford Tpk., Vernon, and Morgan Olin, 25, of Mile Hill Rd., Tolland, were charged Saturday with breach of the peace. Court is Sept. 15. ANDOVER John W. Dougan, Shoddy Mill Rd., Andover, was charged Saturday night with reckless endangerment and threatening in connection with a disturbance at his home. State Police said Dougan threatened to kill Raymond Joyner "if he saw him again." Police said Joyner aimed a shotgun at the two brothers and they left the apartment. Court date in Rockville was not given. COVENTRY Aloys M. Burnett of Lakeview Dr. was charged this morning with failure to yield right of way after a two-car accident at the intersection of Rt. 31 and Rt. 275. The driver of the other car was Brenda Frouk of Armstrong Rd. Both drivers were taken to Windham Memorial Hospital for treatment. Court is in Rockville, Aug. 27.

## Five teachers have no students

**East Hartford**  
School Supt. Eugene Diggs will report to the Board of Education tonight on the status of certified personnel for 1976-77. At least five of the 660 certified teachers received assignments for the coming school year. At present five teachers with continuing contracts do not have assignments. These include two elementary teachers, one homemaker teacher, one social studies teacher, and one librarian. At the high school level, openings are for math and work experience teachers. Three part-time positions are open at the Synergy School. In specialized areas, there is need for one special education teacher and reading consultants at the elementary level. However, he said personnel with limited certification in the secondary

## Scene of fatal may get repairs

**South Windsor**  
The portion of road in question is the hazardous section by Strong Sand Hill and Pierce Rds. and Sullivan Ave. The area was the scene of a fatal accident four years ago. The state's plan to improve a quarter mile of the road has been held up because of funding problems. Preliminary plans posted in Town Hall call for the removal of one house belonging to Felix Roman of 1250 Sullivan Ave. Construction would begin in about a year depending on public comments at the hearing. Residents may present written comments or exhibits at the hearing.

## New students to register

**Coventry**  
Registration for new students in Kindergarten through Grade 4 will be Tuesday and Wednesday, Aug. 24 and 25. At Coventry Grammar School it will be from 1 to 3:30 p.m. At Robertson School it will be from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Parents must make an appointment for registration and bring health and school records and birth certificates to the session. Two walking grounds supervisors were recently hired at a cost of \$500 to patrol the grounds of the Capt. Nathan Hale School and Coventry High School. Coverage will be daily from 4:30 to 11:30 p.m. until the end of August. They will log acts of vandalism, traffic violations, and rowdiness. They report to the police dispatcher when necessary.

**Hebron Midgets**  
HEBRON — There will be a meeting for parents of players in the Hebron Midget Football Association Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. at the Gilead Hill School in Hebron. The team is comprised of boys from Andover, Hebron and Marlborough.

**Grange meeting Friday**  
VERNON — The Vernon Grange will meet Friday at 8 p.m. in Grange Hall, Vernon. The Tolland County Chapter of the American Association of Retired Persons choral group will present the program.

**Bolton Midgets**  
BOLTON — Players for the town's midget football program are needed, said Gil Boissonneau, head coach. Boys who will not be 14 by Sept. 1 are eligible. To learn more, see Boissonneau any week night from 8 to 8 at Herrick Memorial Park.

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## Baseball's big loser accepted as winner

NEW YORK (UPI) — There was no champagne waiting for Andy Hassler in the Kansas City Royals clubhouse Sunday after he scored his second victory for the American League's Western Division leaders.

Hassler's new teammates are accepting one of baseball's all-time losers as a winner.

Hassler found a bottle of champagne — compliments of his teammates — waiting for him at his dressing cubicle Aug. 6 after snapping an 18-game losing streak spread over two years. There wasn't even a glass of water Sunday but it didn't matter to Hassler.

"That champagne was a one-time thing," said Hassler, who has a 211 earned run average in 46 innings since going from the California Angels to the Royals and is assured of being a starter for them the rest of the season.

"The big thing here is that people have confidence in me. You know you're not just a mop-up man."

"We always had confidence in Andy despite all those losses," says Manager Whitey Herzog. "He has a splendid arm and we felt that all he needed was a change of scenery."

Hassler allowed six hits and all three runs in seven

innings as the Royals defeated Detroit Tigers 7-3 and maintained their seven-game lead over the Oakland A's, who stretched their winning streak to nine games.

Amos Otis hit a two-run first-inning homer and Frank White had a pair of RBI to lead Kansas City's 12-hit attack.

The A's beat the Boston Red Sox 8-7, the Baltimore Orioles topped the Chicago White Sox 3-0, the Minnesota Twins shamed the New York Yankees 9-8, the Milwaukee Brewers downed the California Angels 5-3, and the Cleveland Indians scored 4 and 3-0 victories over the Texas Rangers in other AL games.

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## Standings

### NEW YORK (UPI) — Jerry Koosman became the darling of the New York Mets' fanatic followers in the first inning of his first Shea Stadium appearance in April of 1968.

As a 24-year-old rookie, Koosman pitched the 1968 home opener against the San Francisco Giants for the Mets and loaded the bases in the first inning without an out. Then the left-hander got of the jam in electrifying fashion by striking out Willie Mays and Jim Hart and retiring Jim Davenport on a foul pop.

After that, it was smooth sailing for Koosman as the Mets won their home opener for the first time ever, 3-0, and the talented rookie went on to compile an outstanding 19-12 record for the season.

But that was as close as Koosman has ever come to winning 20 games.

Finally, eight years later, Koosman was ready to reach the 20-game victory plateau, which seemed so inevitable then.

His 1-0 victory over the Cincinnati Reds Sunday

was Koosman's 15th of the season and, with nine more starts this season, chances appear good for him reaching the magic number of 20. Koosman has won nine of his last 10 starts and has allowed only 15 earned runs in his last 16 innings pitched.

Shutting out the Reds took only one hour and 55 minutes for Koosman, who had his task simplified a bit by Cincinnati Manager Sparky Anderson's decision to rest Pete Rose, Joe Morgan and Ken Griffey, three of the National League's top eight hitters.

Everything was working today," said Koosman, now 35-7. "I was in total command all the way."

Dodgers 7, Cubs 2. Don Sutton won his 14th game as the Dodgers scored all their runs in the fifth inning. Ron Cey drove in the first run, the second scored on a balk by Chicago pitcher Bill Bonham and Bill Russell singled home what proved to be the winning run. Rick Monday hit his 21st home run of the season for the Cubs.

Braves 3, Cardinals 2. Phil Niekro pitched a six-hitter to raise his record to 15-4 for the Braves. Niekro also drove in a run with a sacrifice fly in the second and Darrell Chaney followed with a squeeze bunt single for another Atlanta run in the inning.

The Braves scored their third run in the eighth on Rod Gilbreath's triple and Tom Paciorek's sacrifice fly. Joe Ferguson had a solo home run for the Cardinals.

Giants 9, Phillies 5. Ken Reitz's sacrifice fly drove in the go-ahead run and Darrell Evans' second homer of the game, a three-run shot, capped a five-run, ninth-inning rally to give the Giants the victory over the Phillies. Greg Luzinski homered for the Phillies.

Pirates 6, Expos 1. Willie Davis drove in three runs and Ted Kubiak led in leading the Padres past the Expos. Tom Griffin gained credit for his seventh victory in 11 decisions. Earl Williams drove in the Expos' only run.

Pirates 8-3, Astros 6-0. Doc Medich won his first game since June 16 in the game with relief from Kent Tekulve.

## League leaders

National League			
Player	Team	Games	Pct.
Madrick, Ch	Ch	409	.337
Griffey, Cin	Cin	406	.333
Posler, Cin	Cin	429	.331
Oliver, Phil	Phil	413	.327
Crowd, S.L.	S.L.	401	.326
Morgan, Cin	Cin	333	.324
Maddix, Phil	Phil	384	.323
Rose, Cin	Cin	478	.318
Robinson, Pitt	Pitt	319	.317
Gerrom, Cin	Cin	349	.308

American League			
Player	Team	Games	Pct.
Mc Rae, KC	KC	392	.327
Le Flore, Dt	Dt	429	.326
Carew, Min	Min	428	.325
Bostick, Min	Min	318	.324
Garr, Chi	Chi	400	.318
Munson, NY	NY	442	.310
Carty, Cle	Cle	392	.310
Staub, Det	Det	402	.307
Lynn, Bos	Bos	381	.316

### Monday's Games

Atlanta (Morton 2-9) at Cincinnati (Norman 11-3), N

San Diego (Sawyer 8-10) at St. Louis (McGlothen 10-10), N

Chicago (R. Reuschel 10-8) at Houston (Dierker 10-10), N

(Only games scheduled)

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Player	Team	Games	Pct.
White Sox 3-0, the Minnesota Twins shamed the New York Yankees 9-8, the Milwaukee Brewers downed the California Angels 5-3, and the Cleveland Indians scored 4 and 3-0 victories over the Texas Rangers in other AL games.			

West				
Player	Team	Games	Pct.	
Kan City 70	45	600	—	
Oakland 64	53	547	—	
Minnesota 59	49	131	—	
Texas 56	60	478	14%	
Chicago 49	66	428	21%	
Calif.	50	48	424	21%

### Monday's Games

Cleveland 6-3, Texas 4-0

Baltimore 3, Chicago 0

Minnesota 9, New York 8

Kansas City 7, Detroit 3

Milwaukee 5, California 3

Oakland 8, Boston 7

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In addition to publicizing events and activities individually the college hopes that the calendar will serve as a reminder of all that is available at Manchester Community College.

The MCC staff looks forward to seeing you on campus and at the various events. Call 644-2337 for further information on any of the activities.

Tuesday, Aug. 17  
Speakers — Kay and Kim Milling, "Growing in Marriage," 7:30-9:30 p.m., Women's Center.

Wednesday, Aug. 18  
Speaker — Kathryn Hutchinson, "Legal Rights for Women," 7:30-9:30 p.m., Women's Center.

Friday, Aug. 20  
Duplicate Bridge — Open & Novice, 7:45 p.m., Main Campus Student Center.

Monday, Aug. 23  
Open Registration — General Fund, 9 a.m.-7 p.m., Main Campus Student Center.

Open Registration — Community Service, 2-7 p.m., Administration Building, Main Campus.

### About town

Manchester WATES will meet Tuesday at the Italian-American Club. Weighing in will be from 7 to 8 p.m.

Manchester Chapter, SPESQUA, will meet tonight at 7:30 at the Community Outreach Center Annex of Manchester Recreation Center. The meeting is open to all area men interested in singing four-part barbershop harmony.

A neighborhood coffee hour is scheduled for Tuesday at 11:30 a.m. at the Community Outreach Center, 64 Church St.

### Pinchle scores

Top scorers in the Manchester Senior Citizens Pinchle Group game Thursday at the Army & Navy Club are John Gally, 590; Paul Schuch, 582; Lee Steimwyer, 568; Audrey Durey, 562; Caroline Frederickson, 559; Ben Monahan and Gladys Seider, 507; Martin Bakstan, 506.

The group sponsors a game each Thursday at 9-5 a.m. at the Army & Navy Club. Play is open to all senior citizens.

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**Blalock wins, Wheeling golf**

WHEELING, W. Va. (UPI) — After seven years on the LPGA tour, cool, pigtailed Jane Blalock has all but erased the word "fear" from her vocabulary.

"I seem to play better under pressure," she said. "The pressure was there Sunday when her four-foot birdie put on the 18th hole of the Spotted Golf Course put her into the sixth sudden death playoff of her career — this one in the \$50,000 Wheeling LPGA Classic against third-year pro Pat Bradley. And for the fifth straight time, Blalock triumphed, picking up the \$7,000 top prize after one hole of one-to-one competition with her less experienced rival.

On the first hole of the playoff, a par four, Blalock, 30, reached the green in two shots. The former school teacher from Highland Beach, Fla., calmly putted 55 feet to within inches of the hole and casually dropped it in for the par.

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