The U.S. Navy is flying a new generation of weapon in Maine’s skies. The “Tomahawk” cruise missile can pack a 1,000-pound nuclear warhead. It is estimated that a loaded Tomahawk can do 15 times the damage of the atomic bomb that ravaged Hiroshima.

Last fall a group of Portlanders looked skyward. On the horizon, they saw more than just another nuclear weapon. They saw the Tomahawk. The Tomahawk was undermining arms-reduction talks between the U.S. and the Soviet Union because the U.S. wouldn’t put the Tomahawk on the bargaining table. The U.S. had a technological edge with the weapon and wouldn’t give up that edge. Not wanting to lose an advantage—the U.S. was escalating the arms race.

Disliking what they saw, four local peace groups pulled together to form the Coalition for the Cruise Missile Referendum. They wanted to shoot down the cruise missile in Maine, and they chose the statewide ballot as their weapon. The result was Question 2, “Do you favor stopping cruise missile tests in Maine?”

Governor McKernan and the Navy point to the question’s shortcomings. They say that since the referendum question is non-binding, it doesn’t detonate. They also say that the question abuses the referendum process—instead of changing statutes, it’s goal is to change the minds of the powers that be.

Meanwhile, the Navy is aiming a Tomahawk cruise missile from one undisclosed location in Maine at an undisclosed target, also in Maine. And the coalition hopes that on November 7 voters will join them in taking aim at the cruise missile.
UPDATES

Maline Mall smoking policy called "ludicrous"
Smoking banned in malls, hospitals

A new law has made smoking in malls both in the State of Maine illegal. Only those with a permit can smoke in the mall's smoking area. As a result, many malls have had to ban smoking altogether. The new law is aimed at reducing exposure to secondhand smoke for mall workers and visitors.

"This is a step in the right direction," said the mayor of the city where the mall is located. "We are trying to make our community healthier and safer for all." The mayor went on to explain that the city had received numerous complaints from people who were unable to enjoy the mall because of the smoke.

The new law also applies to hospitals. "We have seen a significant decrease in hospital-related asthma cases since we banned smoking," said the chief executive officer of one of the city's hospitals. "This is a win-win for our patients and our community." The hospital has seen a drop in the number of people who need to be admitted for asthma-related conditions.

The new laws have not been without controversy, however. "This is a violation of our right to choose," said a smoker who was caught by the mall's security personnel. "I have a right to smoke, and I will not be denied that right." The mall's management responded that the laws are in place to protect the health of all mall visitors and employees.

City rejects bid to reopen Starcade

The City of Portland has rejected a bid to reopen a closed arcade. "We cannot allow this to happen," said the mayor. "The arcade was closed for a reason, and we are not going to reopen it without proper safeguards to protect our community." The bid was submitted by a local business owner, who claimed that the arcade could be a valuable asset to the community.

"We are committed to protecting the health of our residents," said the mayor. "We have seen a significant decrease in asthma-related cases since we closed the arcade, and we are not going to reverse that decision." The decision was made based on feedback from the community and medical professionals.

The decision has been met with mixed reactions from the community. "I am disappointed," said a local resident. "We need something to do in our community." Others were pleased with the decision, saying that it was the right one for public health.

Aldermen allegedly dealing drugs

Several elected officials in the city have been accused of dealing drugs. "This is a serious situation," said the mayor. "We are taking it very seriously and will investigate thoroughly." The officials denied the allegations, saying that they were being unfairly targeted.

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"We are committed to finding solutions," said the city manager. "We will continue to work hard to ensure that our city is stable and secure." The city has implemented financial austerity measures and is planning to increase revenue through strategic planning.

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Environmental protection and improvement

On Nov. 7, the voters of this state face an opportunity to reaffirm their support for environmental protection and improvement. Free land in exchange for a "package of all of the above," or any package that includes the kinds of improvements that we are seeking. These kinds of improvements are:

- Restoring and improving our beaches, lakes, streams, rivers, and other bodies of water.
- Curtailing our pollution of the waterways.
- Stopping or reversing the loss of wildlife.
- Improving our air quality.
- Protecting our wetlands and forests.
- Improving our public health by reducing pollution to our drinking water.
- Improving the quality of our lives by providing clean and safe environments.

We are all aware of the problems that we face, and we know that we can make a difference. But we need to act now, before it's too late.

Support recycling programs

If voters approve Question 44, the $5 million bond issue to support recycling programs, Maine will take a step forward in the battle to protect our environment. The funds will be used to develop recycling programs in all 16 counties of the state.

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Restoring the American dream

The American dream of having a safe, affordable place to live has been eroded by the high cost of housing in too many parts of our society for too many families, and by the steady decline of the federal government's role in providing affordable housing. The American dream is that everyone deserves a decent place to live.

We have an opportunity in 1989 to begin the long process of restoring the American dream. The $30 million bond issue to support recycling programs will provide $15 million to fund a variety of affordable housing programs, and $15 million to fund a variety of affordable housing programs. We urge all Maine voters to support Questions #11, #12 as a prudent investment of state resources.

The dream of owning a home is fading for too many of our neighbors. Only 25 percent of Maine families have annual incomes above $25,000. By the year 2000, this figure may fall to 15 percent. The Federal Housing Administration (FHA) and the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) support mortgage programs, and the National Association of Home Builders has $200 million to fund a variety of affordable housing programs.

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Supporting recycling programs is especially important. Recycling is one of the few programs that has the potential to be expanded with minimal cost. By recycling, we can save resources and reduce pollution.

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**TAKING AIM AT THE CRUISE MISSILE**

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**Tomahawk skies**

The Tomahawk cruise missile, also known as the Harpoon, is a missile that dates back to 1952. The original design was developed by Northrop Corporation as a successor to the earlier test vehicles. The Tomahawk has undergone various improvements and modifications since its initial development. The cruise missile, with its ability to fly at low-level altitudes, can be particularly effective in avoiding detection by enemy radar systems. Tomahawk missiles are used by the United States Navy and the United States Army for various purposes, including precision-guided strikes on land targets.

**Tomahawk politics**

The Tomahawk cruise missile is a key weapon in the U.S. military's strategic arsenal. It has been used in a number of military operations, including the 2011 attacks on Libya and the 2017 deployments in Syria. The missile's ability to operate in a variety of environments and its precise targeting capabilities make it a valuable tool for naval and military operations. However, the use of cruise missiles has also sparked controversy, with debates about their legality under international law and their impact on civilian populations.

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**Register! Vote!**

You can vote in the local election on Election Day, but you can't cast it at the polls.

You must register to vote in your city or town hall. Bring a current U.S. passport, state or national driver's license, or an article of state identification that contains your name and photograph. You must be a resident of the state for at least 90 days before the general election.

The polls are open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. To get an absentee ballot, you can apply by phone and will receive it by mail. For more information, call 871-7232 for a ride.

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MORE CONCERTS UPCOMING

On Stage

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Sense

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Sense

The Amplifying, Don Melton

Listening Center Gallery, 152 Congress St., Portland. Call 772-0828.

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Monthly Lecture Series: An Evening With...The Great British Mystery Writers of the 1920s. The University of Maine at Orono, 105 North Street, Orono. Call 334-1888.

Sport

For Kids

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Getting Ready to Celebrate the Sea in September

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PORTLAND RECREATION

Aerobics Workshop

November 13th, 7-8 p.m., Russell Hall. Presented by St. John's Hospital. For more information, call 774-5264.
A competition seeking contemporary black and white photography about modern life in Southern Maine.

Criterions:
The judges will be looking for pictures that have something to say. Technical quality is important, but among equally excellent photographs the one with the strongest message will be chosen. Pictures that depict modern life in Southern Maine will do better than cliché shots of sailboats, lighthouses, barns and such.

Judges:
A panel of three judges will choose the winners. The judges are: Bill Cartmell, a Portland-based freelance photographer; Rachel Tanguay, a freelance photographer and photo instructor at the University of Southern Maine; and Betsy Evans, founder of Portland’s only photo gallery, the James Gallery on Pleasant Street and the Maine Museum, photographer and photo instructor at University of Southern Maine. The decisions of the judges are final.

Eligibility:
Anyone may enter except employees of Casco Bay Weekly and Just Black & White. Professional photographers may enter “personal work” — work which has not been made on assignment and which has not been published elsewhere or which may not have been published elsewhere prior to this competition and photographers must be able to grant one-time publication rights to Casco Bay Weekly in order for their entry to be eligible.

Deadline:
Entries must be at Just Black and White, 54 York St., by 5 p.m. Thursday, November 9.

Entries:
Photos may be any size up to 11×14", but must be mounted on 11×14" matboard. No matboard, unmounted, or framing will be accepted. These two entries, if both are duplicates, must be labeled as such. The entrants name, address and phone number as well as the title of the work if any must appear on the back of the mounting board. (Any identification on the front of the board will disqualify the entry.)

Photographs not selected may be picked up at Just Black & White until the end of December, 1989. Although care will be taken with all entries, neither Casco Bay Weekly nor Just Black & White will be responsible for loss or damage of any kind.

Awards:
Winners will be chosen. The winning photos will be published in the November 22 issue of Casco Bay Weekly and will be on display at Just Black & White through the end of the year. Each winning photographer will receive $50 in processing from Just Black & White and $50 in cash.