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PRICE THREE CENTS

STONINGTON HIGH CLASSES DISMISSED

Striking Students Claim Only 123 Attended Short Session As They Picketed School—No Disorders.

Stonington, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Stonington High school sessions ended today at 12:30 after short classes were held through the morning by the students attending, despite the picket line of "strikers" outside.

The school officers asserted that at the time of dismissal 240 students had been present and 184 absent. The striking students claimed that only 123 students had been allowed to go to school, 207 were outside and the remaining 64 who included the eight industrial students suspended Saturday as ring-leaders in a strike over the dismissal of the athletic coach, absented themselves from the scene.

Constables On Scene At 12 o'clock Principal Quackenbush notified the three constables who, with two constables, were at the school all the forenoon, that he intended to dismiss school at 12:30 and would like protection for those pupils attending. Six special officers were summoned and one assigned to each school bus. On the first trip the buses took out pupils who had attended school and the others had to wait until the buses returned before being taken to their homes.

Sympathetic Strike Early in the session five Fitch High school pupils from Groton appeared on the scene and offered to (Continued on Page Eight)

SAAR SITUATION IS AGAIN TENSE

British Official Shoots a Native in Quarrel—London Starts an Investigation.

Saarbrücken, Saar Basin Territory, Dec. 17.—(AP)—The shooting of a Saarbrücken native in a violent quarrel with a British official, which has caused a new investigation of the Saar situation, was reported today.

Ever of hostility growing out of the presence of English troops at the administrative jobs at police headquarters reached the boiling point early yesterday when Captain James Justice, the third British officer recruited for the Saar police, an English lord, and a German girl were mobbed and beaten.

RED ACTIVITY CONTINUES IN NATION—GREEN

Labor Leader Asserts That Soviet Envoy's Pledge Has Not Been Kept—No Danger Now.

Washington, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Belief that Communist activity in this country has continued unabated despite assurances exchanged when the United States recognized Soviet Russia, was expressed today before Congressional investigators by William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor.

Testifying before the special House committee studying allegedly un-American activities, the labor leader was reminded that when Russia was recognized Maxim Litvinoff promised that the Soviet would not sponsor Communist movements in this country.

"The situation is just as bad since the Litvinoff pledge as before," asked Thomas Hadwick, committee chairman.

Helping Communists "There is no doubt about that," Green replied. "We have been given recognition to the Soviet Union, and doing a lot of things that I think are helping the Communists along."

He submitted documents to support his contention that Communist organizations were attempting to "undermine trade unions and gain control of the labor movement."

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ANNOUNCE HUGE PLAN TO HELP UNEMPLOYED

Attorney Is Arrested In Urschel Kidnaping

Denver, Dec. 17.—(AP)—The arrest of Ben Laake, Denver attorney, on a charge of complicity in the Charles F. Urschel kidnaping, was announced today by Harold Nathan, assistant chief of the Bureau of Investigation of the Department of Justice.

Laake has been indicted, said Nathan, with James C. Mathers, Oklahoma city attorney, for "illegal participation in the latter's arrest in Utah of a woman named Urschel."

Laake, who appeared as counsel for Urschel after his arrest in Denver, also represented a group of suspects in the \$60,000 kidnaping of Charles Roestker, second in command of the Alcatraz prison, San Francisco, for the \$200,000 abduction in 1933 of Urschel, Oklahoma.

"The division," said Nathan, "has suspected for a considerable period that his (Laake's) relations to various members of the underworld with whom he has been associated have been more intensive and extended than those based upon the legitimate duties and responsibilities of an attorney in a civil case."

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SCHEME WOULD PROVIDE SIX YEARS PUBLIC WORKS BUDGET WITH TEN BILLION DOLLAR RESERVE FUND—IS RESULT OF SURVEY MADE BY PRESIDENT'S BOARD

Washington, Dec. 17.—(AP)—A gigantic plan for America's natural resources, proposed to President Roosevelt as a means of distributing "human wealth" through the Nation's land, water and mineral wealth, which included these salient points:

1—A six year public works budget with a ten billion dollar reserve fund and stimulation of "extraneous" public works by the failure to coordinate public works.—Federal, state and local.

2—A program to create 75,000,000 acres of submarginal or hard-to-cultivate lands at the rate of 5,000,000 acres annually.

3—An expansion of subsistence homesteads to a further decentralization of industry.

4—Federal assistance to and control of the mineral industries to "minimize waste of natural resources, maintain reasonable wage standards and protect investments."

5—Survey looking to the development of power, irrigation and flood control in 17 watershed areas.

6—An end to heavy losses of soil caused by "uncontrolled erosion."

7—Better programs for "socially useful" public works and a "hump sum" from which the President could allot money under at least a six year plan.

FLIERS ALL OVER THE U. S. PAY TRIBUTE TO WRIGHTS

Hundreds of Planes Take to Air for Half Hour of 31st Anniversary of First Flight.

Washington, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Hundreds of airplanes pointed today to take the skies in a "winged half-hour" of tribute to those two pilots, 1903, and the anniversary of the first airplane flight, made at Kitty Hawk, N. C., on Dec. 17, 1903.

The first Lady's in action, so the White House grandchildren can look forward to a great Christmas. Here Mrs. Roosevelt is busily consulting Santa Claus in a Washington department store, with a lavish assortment of toys displayed for her choice.

White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., Dec. 17.—(AP)—A contest to determine the extent to which American commerce can go along with the Roosevelt administration began today as 80 business leaders began a "Business Conference for Recovery."

The executives met on the call of the National Association of Manufacturers and the Chamber of Commerce of the United States as an outgrowth of many separate meetings by the industry.

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NAVAL RACE TO BEGIN WHEN JAPS SCRAP PACT

On Next Thursday Tokyo is Expected to Abrogate Treaty—Its Navy as Powerful as U. S.

Washington, Dec. 17.—(AP)—A threat of a costly naval race among sea powers drew closer today as the capital awaited Japan's formal notice that it would abrogate the Washington limitation treaty.

On next Thursday or soon thereafter, Hiroshi Kato, Japanese ambassador, is expected unless unforeseen developments occur, to deliver to the State Department the official note that Japan intends to abrogate the treaty on December 31, 1936, said, however, that he had not been instructed to take this step.

When he does and word of his call on Secretary of State Hull has been reached, the tri-nation talks that had degenerated into a diplomatic stalemate since the 1935 naval conference are expected to end automatically.

The London naval treaty automatically expires December 31, 1936, and Japan's abrogation of the Washington pact means that beginning January 1, 1937, there will be no international agreements limiting naval strength.

American officials say that the United States and Great Britain have been working to bring about a new and powerful fleet, but that Japan has built up a fleet of 20 years old. Other types when they are over age limit at varying periods.

The United States now has 15 battleships. One already is over 20 years old at the end of 1936. When the treaty ends the United States will have 11½ war ships, and the British 12½ of 65,198 tons, and the Japanese 150 of 97,429 tons.

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FIVE CCC YOUTHS KILLED IN CRASH

Six Others Injured While On Skids on Ice.

Great Barrington, Mass., Dec. 17.—(AP)—An auto truck crash which killed five Civilian Conservation Corps boys was investigated today in Great Barrington by Army and state officials.

While they pursued their investigations the court arraignment of Ray Miller of Revere, driver of the truck, charged with dangerous driving, was postponed as he was confined to Fairview hospital with injuries.

Motor Vehicle Inspector John Malon announced that four Army officials from Fort Devens had come here to investigate.

The truck accident coming down Three Mill hill between the camp of Company 198 CCC and Great Barrington, where the youths had intended to attend services at St. Peter's Roman Catholic church. The highway was said to have been dangerous by a fall of hail and snow.

CONTINUE PROBE OF STATE'S MILK

South Coventry Dairyman Tells Federal Board Why He Quit Organization.

Hartford, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Continued dairy farmers' troubles during the past three years were related at the Federal Trade Commission hearing at the Federal building today by George H. Robertson, of South Coventry, who was dropped from membership of the Connecticut Milk Producers Association last March and served as president of the Farmers' National Association from its inception in 1932 until the annual meeting last week, when he declined a renomination.

Mr. Robertson testified that the Farmers' National Association composed partly of disaffected C.M.P.A. producers failed to get relief from the C.M.P.A. and began to get instructions from Legislators and commissioners of agriculture which led eventually to the establishment of the state milk control board.

The witness said in reference to those appointed to the control board by Governor Cross, "we felt we did not have the representation that the bill creating the board called for."

Mr. Robertson was asked if he was dropped from the C.M.P.A. as the result of being accused of derelictions.

"No," he answered, "but my interest in trying to be on the committee of producers had not received favorable attention. I did not leave the C.M.P.A.," he added in attempting to correct the form of a question put to him. "I was told that 'Federal Attorney John W. Hill, drop, of Tennessee, commented: (Continued on Page Eight)

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BUSINESS LEADERS OF NATION GATHER

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FEDERAL MEN NAB DILLINGER CROOK

Trying to Link Up Joseph Burns With \$427,000 Armored Truck Theft.

Chicago, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Authorities today took very effective steps toward the destruction of the Dillinger gang. Joseph Burns, 33, once a lawless desperado of the Midwest, was arrested as he drank beer in the South. He met with a woman yesterday. And police sought to arrest from the streets two remaining members of the band—John Hamilton and Joseph Fox.

Reports unverified, were that authorities obtained some information from Burns during an all day questioning at an undisclosed address where he was taken immediately following his arrest. He is in Federal custody.

For several weeks Deputy Attorney General Edward Bruce of Indiana has been in Chicago working on the case.

The report made many other recommendations, covering increased land purchases and improvement of forests, parks and wild life refuge; land use, irrigation, grading, land extension, Indian policies and state and regional planning.

Secretary Ickes was of the belief the program would put every able-bodied man to work. Only the future will tell just what plans the President will make to Congress after studying it.

Nine Year Old Girl Alone On a Trip to California

Boston, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Irma, 9, of Portsmouth, N. H., is enroute to California to spend the Christmas holidays with her married sister.

She's making the 3,000 mile alone, by bus, and a large tag accurately reports to her overcast all the information necessary to her safe conduct from city to city.

WORKERS, BOSSES HOLD CONFERENCE

Leaders of Construction Industry in State Agree On Wages and Work Week.

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21 RACE HORSES KILLED IN BLAZE

Owners Believe Fire Was Set—Loss Is Estimated at Over \$60,000.

Toronto, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Twenty-one race horses, including White, owned by Frank E. Selke and Lutz Thorn, owned by Selke and Conn Smythe, manager of the Toronto ice hockey team, were killed today in a fire which broke out in a stable at the Toronto race track.

The first fire broke out in two unoccupied stables and was extinguished with little damage. While fire, stable half a mile away was seen in flames and Neil McArthur, caretaker, said that in all six fire were in various parts of the track.

The second fire discovered, many rushing back into the burning structure after being led to safety. Only one of the 21 was got safely away, but it was so badly burned that it had to be shot.

Figuring only vessels under age, the United States and Japanese figures show that in 1936 ends the United States will have 11½ war ships of 73,550 tons, and the British 12½ of 65,198 tons, and the Japanese 150 of 97,429 tons.

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Stores Open Until 9 O'clock Each Night Until Christmas

THEATRY BALANCE

ADVERTISEMENTS

BARGAIN HOUND
Holiday season - time when you see more people than ever to more places - more than ever to more people...

FLIM FLAM ARTISTS GET JAIL SENTENCE

Two of Three to Serve Sixty Days - Insufficient Evidence Against Third.

Local Stocks N. Y. Stocks

(Published by Putnam & Co., Central Bldg., Hartford, Conn.)

MODERATE TRADING IN STOCK MARKET

Prices Show Some Signs of Climbing Out of Rut - Cotton at Standstill.

JUNIOR I. O. O. F. WORK IMPRESSES 672 HERE

Largest Gathering in History of King David Lodge Sees First Junior Order in New England Instituted at Odd Fellows Hall.

SKIDS INTO TROLLEY, MOTHER, SON HURT

Ellington Woman and Boy at Hospital After Crash at Woodland Sunday.

NAZARENE CHURCH WINS IN CONTEST

Manchester's Attendance Is 97 More Than That of South Portland, Me.

'SHAMROCKS' HOLD 10TH ANNIVERSARY

Town Baseball Champions Hold First Get Together Since Winning Title.

ITCHING TOES Resinol

Burning sore cracked, swollen, itchy, and itchy. For Mother A Footstool KEMP'S, Inc.

Young boys take a great deal of pride in their haberdashery...

Two of three men arrested last week for allegedly working the short change game on a number of local merchants were sentenced to jail by Judge Raymond Johnson in police court today.

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That tired feeling... Many people are suffering from this tired feeling... It is due to a lack of energy and vitality.

ROCKVILLE WOMAN IS INJURED WHEN AUTO SKIDS

Mrs. G. Friedrich Is Taken to Hospital After Ward Street Accident.

Police Captain Richard E. Shea is investigating an accident which occurred on Ward street, yesterday at the intersection of Ward street and the intersection of X-ray pictures of Mrs. G. Friedrich.

Floor of Police Station Swept by a Society Girl

Rockville, Dec. 17.—A special session of the Rockville Court was held Saturday afternoon with Judge John E. Fitts on the bench.

TWO KILL SELVES OVER THE WEEK-END

Deaths in State — Minister Is Asphyxiated.

Three Others Meet Violent Deaths in State — Minister Is Asphyxiated.

Highland Park Pupils in Program Tomorrow

Christmas Entertainment to Be Held in School Assembly Hall—Aids Milk Fund.

The pupils of the Highland Park school will present a Christmas entertainment tomorrow evening at the school assembly hall.

LOCAL BOY IS GIVEN TRYOUT FOR BROADCAST

Frank Avignone to Take Part in CCC Act to Be Heard Wednesday Night.

Hartford, Dec. 17.—(AP)—Talented from the Civilian Conservation Corps camp of the state may be heard in connection with a broadcast of "A Radio Salute to the CCC" to be heard over station WIC Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock.

TALKING IN BILLIONS

The report of the National Resources Board, the thunder of which Secretary Perkins sought frightened nobody—but it will. For that matter, no immense are its conceptions that they evidently have fringed the question of fiscal, or enough of its members to wage into the report an admission that "formidable obstacles" stand in the way of public work.

IN NEW YORK

New York, Dec. 17.—To the average playgoer, a producer is little more than a name on the theater program. Nobody pays the slightest attention to an author except on that night when a few personal friends may set up a cry for his appearance.

You May Be the Winner This Week \$500. CHRISTMAS CONTEST

Advertisement for a Christmas contest with prizes of \$500, \$250, and \$100. Includes details on how to participate and list of last week's winners.

WALL ST. BRIEFS

New York, Dec. 17.—Shipments of pneumatic mailings in October totaled 3,009,714 units, reports the National Manufacturers Association.

CONNECTICUT COLLEGE HOP HELD SATURDAY

Annual Sophomore Dance Has Many Unusual Features—Christmas Decorations Motif.

WEEKLY CARD PARTY CHAIRMEN SELECTED

Mrs. Nelson L'Heureux and Thomas Dannerhead Committee for St. James' Church.

for FEWER Colds for SHORTER Colds

At the first warning signs of a cold, use Vicks VapoRub, the mother standard in treating colds.

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Advertisement for the Mixmaster food mixer, highlighting its usefulness and ease of use.

LAMPS \$1.75 and up KEMP'S, Inc.

Advertisement for lamps and other home goods, including handkerchiefs, ski suits, and bathrobes.

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GREATER VOLUME OF TRADE HERE
Hale's and House's Say Business Has Already Passed the 1933 Total.

With a weak remainder from Christmas, the J. W. Hale company and C. E. House and Son today predicted a much greater volume of business during the current holiday season than last year.

COLORED BELLHOPS PLAY AT THE REC THIS WEEK
Red Radman's Band of 11 Pieces Recalled in Annual Low Admission Fee.

Red Radman and his colored band of 11 pieces will be recalled in the annual low admission fee at the Grange Sewing Club.

FEDERAL MEN NAB DILLINGER CROOK
With supervising Captain John C. Bussch for the Friday night work at the bank.

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SEEKS HOTEL BILL FROM BAY STATE
Sheridan's Manager and Attorney Go to Northampton to Press Claim.

Attorney George Lesner with Mrs. Julia Trancy, manager of the New Hotel Sheridan, 18 Northampton, headquarters of the state police, presented a bill of \$100,000 claimed to be due to her from the Massachusetts state police.

14 MANCHESTER BOYS CERTIFIED FOR CCC
Fourteen Manchester boys certified for entrance to the Civilian Conservation Corps beginning January 1, 1935.

Answers Debunkers
Allen French's Massive Book Gives Details of Events in 1775-76.

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Everybody's Market Impresses Shoppers
The new Everybody's Market caused a mild sensation in town as it opened for business.

St. Margaret's Circle
Santa Claus Will Distribute Gifts at Party in K. C. Rooms Tomorrow.

SAAR SITUATION IS AGAIN TENSE
The Saar situation is again tense as a result of the recent developments.

Funerals
Mrs. Hattie Burke, who died at the Manchester Memorial hospital, will be buried tomorrow.

Italy Plans to Gather Gold for a War Chest
Rome, Dec. 17.—(AP)—A war chest of gold to be used in the event of a military emergency is being gathered in Italy.

ON RESUME TALKS ON NAVAL AFFAIRS
But U. S. Will Leave Most of Discussions in Hands of Britain and Japan.

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MANCHESTER DATE BOOK
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TIGER RISE, CARD RUSH GIVE FINEST YEAR TO BASEBALL
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SPECIAL ATTRACTION
LOU REDMOND AND HIS
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 Friday Evening, December 21.
 School St. Box, 209-1230.
 Admission 25c including checking.

ABOUT TOWN
 Past Chief Daughters of Helen Davidson Lodge, No. 88, Daughters of Scotia, will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Margaret Brown of 20 Arch street.

Postmaster Frank E. Crocker, who has been ill at his home for the past two weeks, has returned to duty.

Bridge - Whist
Setback
TONIGHT
 St. Bridget's Hall
 Door Prize:
 ELECTRIC PERCOLATOR
 Admission 25c.
 Refreshments.

BRIDGE - WHIST SOCIAL
 Tuesday, December 18, 6 P. M.
BUCKINGHAM CHURCH
 Ladies' Aid Society
 Prizes! Refreshments!
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SPECIAL!
 4-Lb. Chickens to Roast or Fry 29c lb.
 Fixed ready for your pan.
BIRDSEYE
 Frosted Peas 25c
 Frosted Spinach 23c
 Frosted Strawberries . . 27c

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 521 Main Street Telephone 8286
 W. J. Davis, Prop., holder of City and Guilds, London, and Fleischman's U. S. A. diplomas for baking.
Real Home Type Baked Goods
 Genuine English Xmas fruit cakes, puddings, mince tarts and pies, Scotch shortbread, oat cakes, California cheese cakes, variety bread, rolls, cookies and pies, almond paste made to order, Wedding and Birthday cakes to order. Order your Xmas baked goods early to avoid disappointment.
 We Will Also Have Fruit Bread.
 The best ingredients used. Buy baked goods direct from store.
 Turkeys Stuffed and Roasted.
 Open Until 9 P. M. Thursday Till Monday.

The auxiliary to Moss Tyres Post, British War Veterans, will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in "Tinker" hall. The auxiliary are requested to appear at 7:15 to audit the books presented to the business session.

The Women's Home Missionary society of the North Methodist church will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock with Mrs. C. J. Blach of North Main street. A special program in planned and all women of the church will be welcome to attend. Mrs. Rosa Brookings will give a talk on "Truce".

Marion Mortuary, manager of the First National Stores on North Main street, who suffered a broken collar bone while playing football on Thanksgiving day, has fully recovered from the injury and is again back at work at the store.

HEALTH SPOT SHOES
 A. M. LERNER, D.S.C.
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Just 300 for it!
 Modeled after U. S. Army Fighting Grade Aviation Fuel. GUARANTEES quicker starting - higher "m-knock" - lower oil consumption. Cooks instead of heat emitting.
 Colonial Esso Station
 Cor. Main and Bissell Streets
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HALES SELF-SERVE GROCERY
IT PAYS TO WAIT ON YOURSELF!
Double S & H Green Stamps
Given Out In All Departments Tuesday Only!
 1 Lb. SAUERKRAUT All 33c
 1 Lb. FRANKFURTERS For
 Grote and Welgel's fresh, fancy frankfurters and silver glass sauerkraut.
BUTTER Fresh "Fairbury" 2 lbs. 65c
TEA Hale's Supreme 1/2 lb. 25c
MIXED NUTS Fancy 2 lbs. 37c
PEELS Orange, Lemon, Citron lb. 27c
POTATOES Fancy, Number 1 bushel 59c
 Peck, 15c. Will cook white and mealy.
Endive Fresh 3 lbs. 21c
Soup Bunches Fresh bunch 7c
Oranges Florida's doz. 23c
Tangerines Large doz. 15c
 Order your Christmas basket now for a needy family or a sick friend. Fruit and grocery baskets attractively selected at low prices.

HALES HEALTH MARKET
 Double Green Stamps
 On These Specials Tomorrow!
Fresh For Tuesday!
CALVES LIVER lb. 25c
Spare Ribs Fresh lb. 12c
Sauerkraut Fresh lb. 5c
Bacon Sugar Cured lb. 25c
Beef Stew Fresh lb. 15c

John Mather Chapter, Order of Daughters, will hold its regular meeting tonight at 7:30 at the Masonic Temple. Election of officers will take place and all members are requested to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Hobby of 66 Henry street will celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary with an informal reception at their home Saturday, December 22. They will be at home to their friends between the hours of 3 and 8 p. m.

An anniversary mass was celebrated in St. James's church this morning for the late Robert Donnelly.

Mrs. George F. Borst, superintendent of the beginners, will entertain the little ones of both departments at a Christmas party at the Second Congregational church Saturday afternoon from 2 to 4 o'clock. A Christmas tree, and a visit from Santa Claus is promised. Mothers are also invited.

The third in the series of setback parties by the Highland Park community club will take place tomorrow night at the clubhouse. A door prize of a Christmas turkey will be awarded, besides the usual three cash prizes. Home made refreshments will be served.

Charles Keller of Philadelphia will preach at the Gospel Hall, 413 Center street, tonight at 7:45, and on Thursday and Friday, nights, Joseph Pearson of Manchester, N. H. will be the speaker. Both men have been here a number of times, and it is hoped many old friends and new ones will turn out to welcome them. These meetings are open to all.

The contract for the revaluation of property in Manchester, at a cost of \$14,500, has been signed by James J. and J. M. Clemmishaw of the J. M. Clemmishaw Company. Mr. Clemmishaw is now in Cleveland, his home, and plans to remain there over the Christmas holidays. He will return to get the papers of a Christmas tree and a visit from Santa Claus is promised. Mothers are also invited.

Members of the American Legion auxiliary are requested of the meeting tonight at the State Armory. Also that a grocery shower will take place for the Christmas welfare work. At 7:30 a meeting of the joint committee from the auxiliary and legion will be held to plan for the county meeting.

Miss Marion Yelton, 51 Tamworth street, Manchester, a member of the Freshman class at the University of Vermont, has become a member of the Women's Athletic association by winning the required number of points.

The Mtaph group of the Wesleyan Guild will meet tomorrow evening with Mrs. Ernest Moseley of 133-East Center street. Work will be on sitting peanuts.

The Professional Girls club will meet tomorrow night in the Rockline room of Center church house. A Christmas party will follow the business and each member is requested to provide a useful ten cent gift for the exchange.

A group of members of the Salvation Army will sing Christmas carols for the first four nights this week. Tonight the carolers plan to visit the West Side.

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Cunning little sheers and prints for little toddlers, 1 to 3 years. Some have panties. \$1.98.



The daintiest little baby dresses for wee, wee babes. Hand made and hand embroidered. Up to 1 year. \$1.00.



For little men 2 to 6. Fine broadcloth suits. Matching or contrasting pants. Special, \$1.00.



Keep them warm in a woolly baby huggling. Zipper closing. \$2.98. With hood, \$3.98.



Give something practical. A wool chinichilla coat set. Warmly lined. Pink, blue, white. 1 to 3. \$2.98.

Gifts for Baby

For 37 years and as many Christmases Hale's Baby Shop has been serving Manchester's young ones. For 37 years Hale's Baby Shop has been held in high esteem for beautiful, quality, dependable children's apparel. For a gift that will be appreciated this season, come to Hale's Baby Shop for they've everything for precious youngsters—clothes, gift items, toys, nursery needs.

Tots' Heavy Wool Bathrobes
 Keep them warm as toast in these heavy warm bathrobes of all-wool. Gay little prints and solid tones. Just like mother and big sister wear. 2 to 6 year sizes.
\$1.98

A Big Seller!

"Cinderella" PANTY FROCKS

Carries A Gift Free—Paper Doll, Paints, Brush and Base



All For **\$1.19**

Are we selling these gift sets this Christmas? It has proven to be one of our biggest values. Just think of it. A lovely "Cinderella" frock in a solid color party organdy or a tailored sheer in a fine check or dot at \$1.19. A full range of pastel shades. Sizes 2 to 6 years.

And with this dress comes a paper doll dressed in the same frock as the little girl who will wear it. Paint set, brush and base complete at \$1.19.

2-Piece Cunning Knit Suits
 He'll look too cute for words in one of these natty little sweaters and panty knit sets. Fine woolen in pastels and dark winter tones. Sizes 2 and 3 years.
\$1.98
 Other Sets, \$2.98.

Babies' and Children's Sweaters

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