

ABOUT TOWN
The Amaranth Sewing club will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at 177 Center street...

WEDNESDAY - THURSDAY - FRIDAY SPECIALS AT KLEIN'S MARKET AND DELICATESSEN

Our Good Fresh Ground HAMBURG, lb. 19c
Small Sausage, 29c
Native Veal Chop, 25c

ARE YOU PROPERLY BREAKING IN YOUR CAR?
"CAREFUL DRIVING AT MODERATE SPEED IS NOT ALL THAT IS REQUIRED."

THOS. MCGILL, JR.
Painter and Decorator
126 Cedar Street Phone 6887

PINEHURST SPECIALS FOR NATIONAL RETAIL GROCERS' WEEK - DIAL 4151

Blue Label TOMATOES
3 No. 2 cans 39c
3 No. 2 1/2 cans 49c

FOR YOUR BUILDING AND REPAIR WORKS CALL WM. KANEHL
General Building Contractor
419 Center St. Phone 7778

Pinehurst Meat Department
GROUND BEEF 2 lbs. 55c
Pork to Roast Rib, 28c lb. Loin, 23c lb.

Pinehurst Fruits and Vegetables
NATIVE POTATOES peck 29c
Cauliflower - Fresh Peas
Beets Green Beans Tomatoes

The regular monthly meeting of the Chester Fire Department will be held at 8:30 in the State Armory...

GREAT WINDOW SHADE SALE
High grade Holland Shades. Made to order and hung on your windows, complete 60c

HIGH QUALITY PAINTS-VARNISHES
Indoors! Outdoors! Decorating Paints for Greater Beauty

Children's Unionsuits
Forrest Mills Make. Regular 79c. Sizes 3-4 Years. 39c

DRUG SPECIALS
16 Oz. Rubbing Alcohol 14c
50c Williams' Shaving Cream 25c

HOUSEWARE SPECIALS
Biltmore Storage Chests
Have Odor retainers, metal locks, handles and metal corners. 69c

St. Joseph's Day DANCE
Thursday, March 19
Turn Hall North Street
Merry Cavaliers Admission 25c.

FOR PIES! Blue Label Water Pack SOUR CHERRIES
Pitted for Pies 3 No. 2 cans 39c

IDEAL FINANCING ASSOCIATION, Inc.
261 Main Street
Over W. T. Grant Store Phone 7281

Walter N. Leclerc Funeral Director
330 No. Main St. Manchester

TRY KOPPERS NOW
\$12.75 Per Ton Cash. Order From L. T. Wood Co.
51 Bissell Street Phone 4496

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Pinehurst Bed Pillows
Filled with all new feathers, 21" x 27", bound edges, and covered with a C.A.

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AVERAGE DAILY CIRCULATION for the Month of February, 1938 5,793

ITALY REFUSES TO JOIN IN SANCTIONS AGAINST GERMANY

League Debates Rhine Crisis
Duce's Envoy at London Parley Makes Official Announcement; Other Powers in Deadlock.

MAJOR PARTIES SPENDING FAST FOR CAMPAIGNS
Figures Show a Pace Four Times Greater Than in 1932; Democrats' Collections Slow Up.

THOUSANDS MAROONED BY JOHNSTOWN FLOOD
Many Homes Without Light, Gas, Heat; Outside Help Asked; Water Begins to Recede.

OLD ARMY HEADS BACKING FUHRER
Commanders Under Former Kaiser Approve Occupation of the Rhineland.

FLIERS DESCRIBE STATE CONDITIONS
Hartford Pilots Tell of Scenes of Desolation in the Flooded Areas.

HEALTH MARKET
STEAK lb. 35c
Cube Steak lb. 35c
HAMBURG 2 lbs. 33c

ADVERTISE IN THE HERALD-IT PAYS

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THE WEATHER
Forecast of U. S. Weather Bureau, Hartford
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PAINTERS' SUPPLIES STORE THREATENED Blaze Breaks Out in Edwin Johnson's Store in Johnson Block Today.

Fire of undetermined origin broke out about 10 o'clock this morning in the workshop at the rear of Edwin Johnson's store, formerly John J. O'Brien's, in the Johnson Block but the flames were

TO REBUILD CHAPEL IN NORTH COVENTRY Building Committee Is Appointed; Get Material Gift from Town.

Members of the Second Congregational church of North Coventry voted last night to rebuild the chapel hall which was destroyed by fire last week. A building committee composed of Floyd Standish, chairman, Franklin Orest and Walter Haven was appointed to bring in plans for the new building.

HOSPITAL NOTES Admitted yesterday: William Alton of Wadsworth...

OPEN NAVY RECRUITING STATION IN HARTFORD After a lapse of several years the United States navy will resume recruiting activities in Hartford, Connecticut.

Local Stocks ON STOCK MARKET Serious Floods in the East Are Responsible; Dulness Marks Most of Session.

New York, March 18.—(AP)—Serious floods in Pennsylvania and some nervous selling in today's stock market.

NO PENSION DATA AVAILABLE YET Number or Amount to Be Awarded Not Disclosed; Over 50 Investigated.

No information of the number of Old Age Assistance pensions which will be awarded to Manchester persons has been received by Town officials.

U. S. DEBT REACHES NEW HIGH LEVEL Shoots Up by 945 Millions to 31 Billions; New Figures Released.

Washington, March 18.—(AP)—America's public debt shot up abruptly \$945,443,700 today to the first high level of \$31,447,106,037 as new figures on the big March borrowing appeared on the Treasury statement.

BUILDING ACTIVITIES IN FEBRUARY LIGHT Permits Include Garage Addition and House Alteration, Report Shows.

Building activities during February consisted of a \$1,000 addition to Henry A. Schaller's garage at 634 Center street and a \$50 alteration to the home of Frank Frachoy at 130 Spruce street.

POLICE COURT Roger R. Doucher, 21 of 107 Putnam street, Hartford, pleaded guilty in Police Court this morning to operating an automobile with defective brakes.

LOOK! What You Get For Your Money! RUBBER HEELS 25c For the Entire Family. ATTACHED. Have Your Shoe Repairing Done NOW And Save Money! SAM YULYES SHOE REPAIR SERVICE

MAHIEU'S Thursday Specials Kradsale DeLuxe Green Aspirin, No. 2 size 17c Graham Crackers, Unwedded Bakers, 10c size 8c

SETBACK RIVALRY BITTER; TEAM QUITS Coast-to-Coast Insists on Following Rules Originally Adopted in Matches.

The first game in the series of the Coast-to-Coast football team and the Oak Street Tavern team at the Oak Street Tavern last night did not even get started before it came to an end.

WINNERS AT CARD PARTY ON MONDAY Affair in St. Bridget's Parish Hall Sponsored by Holy Name Society and Dramatic Club.

The winners at the St. Patrick's card party and entertainment held in St. Bridget's hall Monday night were: Best card player, Mr. J. J. Welch; bridge women, Mrs. James J. Welch and Mrs. Mary Jones.

Manchester Date Book March 18—Three acts comedy. March 19—Night of the Community Players at West Memorial.

WAPPING The Wapping Federated Workers will hold their regular meeting at the Community church house this week.

RECREATION CENTER Items of Interest Wednesday The Maccohee girls' tap dancing class will be from 8:45 to 9:15.

NEW FLOOD WORKY IN NEW ENGLAND (Continued from Page One) and ice was piled up three to five feet thick on the highways.

FRADIN'S New Dresses—Suits—Coats—Hats That Express Spring In Every Line and Detail. ADVERTISE IN THE HERALD—IT PAYS

KEITH'S Where you can afford to buy good furniture. "Pull Easy" Twin Spring-Up—A New Style Number by SIMMONS

The J.W. HALE CORP. MANCHESTER CONN. National Retail Grocers Week Specials in the SELF SERVE and HEALTH MARKET. FLOUR 25c, TOMATO JUICE 9c, BAKING POWDER 25c, COFFEE 25c, GRAPEFRUIT 4 for 23c, APPLES 6 lbs. 25c, RADISHES bunch 4c, CUCUMBERS each 9c, FRESH FISH STEAK COD lb. 10c, MACKEREL lb. 10c, HERRINGS lb. 10c, HALIBUT lb. 25c, CLAMS 2 qt. 25c, OYSTERS pt. 29c, LAMB CHOPS lb. 29c, Lamb Stew lb. 12c-15c, STEAK lb. 39c

Swing into Spring in a Suit with Beautiful Wool Cuffs \$24.95. Beautiful Material and Tailoring. Other Suits \$10.75 and upward.

NATIONAL RETAIL GROCERS' WEEK SPECIALS APPLE BUTTER jar 18c. Large 2 1/2 Size Can (1 lb., 14 oz.) Shurfine Sliced or Halves Pork and Beans 10c can, PEACHES 2 cans 39c. PINEHURST MEAT CALVES' LIVER 1/2 lb. 35c, SCOTCH HAM 1/2 lb. 25c. PINEHURST GROCERY, Inc. 302 Main Street, Manchester, Conn.

N. Y. Stocks New York, March 18.—(AP)—1:15 stocks: Adam Exp. 12 1/2, Air Corp. 15 1/2, Alameda 14 1/2, Allied Chem. 18 1/2, Am Home Prod. 12 1/2, Am Int'l 21 1/2, Am Smelt. 8 1/2, Am T & T 16 1/2, Am Wat. Wks. 9 1/2, Anconia 34 1/2, Armour 29 1/2, Athol 75 1/2, Automobile 100 1/2, Aviation Corp. 7 1/2, Bendis 20 1/2, Beth St. 56 1/2, Borden 28 1/2, Case (11) 132, Cerro 81 1/2, Chrysler 95 1/2, Col. Carb. 115 1/2, Col. Gas 125 1/2, Com'l Solv. 39 1/2, Com. Gas 35 1/2, Cont. Can 81 1/2, Del. L. & W. 19 1/2, Del. Port. 144 1/2, Eastman 21 1/2, Elec. & M. 7 1/2, Gen. Elec. 39 1/2, Gillette 17 1/2, Gold Bond 77 1/2, Herby 77 1/2, Int'l Harv. 84 1/2, Int'l Nickel 49 1/2, Int'l P. & O. 49 1/2, John-Man 214 1/2, Kennecott 28 1/2, Leigh V. Coal 2 1/2, Low's 48 1/2, Lorrillard 23 1/2, McKesson 105 1/2, Nat. Cash Reg. 27 1/2, Nat. Dairy 24 1/2, Nat. Distill. 32 1/2, N. Y. Cent. 35 1/2, N. Y. Contr'l. 27 1/2, North Am. 27 1/2, Penn. R. R. 11 1/2, Phila. R. G. & T. 2 1/2, Pub. Serv. 44 1/2, Radio 43 1/2, Reading 43 1/2, Rem. Rand 21 1/2, Rockwell 23 1/2, Seaford 23 1/2, Sears Roeb. 47 1/2, Smith 21 1/2, South Ry. 23 1/2, St. Brands 166 1/2, St. Oil Cal. 44 1/2, St. Oil N. Y. 69 1/2, Tex. Corp. 69 1/2, Timmer Roll 8 1/2, Transamer. 48 1/2, Un. Carbide 45 1/2, Union Pac. 122 1/2, Unit. Air 22 1/2, Unit. Corp. 7 1/2, Unit. Gas Imp. 21 1/2, U. S. Ind. Alco. 31 1/2, U. S. Smelt. 25 1/2, U. S. Steel 60 1/2, U. S. Chem. 60 1/2, West Union 89 1/2, Woolworth 21 1/2, Yonkers 21 1/2, Yonkers & B. 21 1/2, Yonkers & B. (curr.) 21 1/2

FLIERS DESCRIBE STATE CONDITIONS (Continued from Page One) The tagging waters in the Farmington river valley. A man and a boy were cruising on the crest of the flood waters on Highway 1 in the Farmington valley, Westmore section and the New Hartford area bordering the crest of the Farmington river, had been completely inundated, the flyers reported.

Quotations-- Just as soon as you get a uniform you can expect to find a lot of motor vehicles at a speed in excess of 50 miles an hour.

make Annie. VICTOR McLAGLEN "FORCED LANDING" ENDS TONIGHT "NEXT TIME WE LIVE" AND "ANOTHER FACE" STATE

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The Poet's Column THE APPROACHING STORM The dying sun, In a sea of red; Creeping shadows, Night just ahead.

NASAL CATARRH VICKS VAPOR-NOL. VICKS VAPOR-NOL. NORTON SHOE STORE. POLLY PRESTON PRESENTS The New Spring Fashions. Glorious new styles, superb quality...compelling price.

NORTON'S 4 Dolly Preston 5. AAAAA to EEE SIZES 1 to 12. 847 Main St. Rubimov Bldg. Slumber King Studio Couch by SIMMONS \$39.50. Keith's Opposite High School South Manchester \$15.50

BRIGIDAIRE with the MOTHER-MINSTER. KEMP'S Frigidaire Sales and Service. 3 Other Outstanding Simmons Values. An Innerspring Mattress of Finest Quality. \$29.50 Worth \$10. More.

Your Innerspring Mattress Needs A Proper Spring Underneath. New Simmons Coil Spring Is Specially Built For Innerspring Mattresses. INTRODUCTORY TRADE-IN OFFER. Regular Price \$18.95. Allowance for Your Old Spring \$4.00. Net Cost \$14.95.

KEITH'S Where you can afford to buy good furniture. "Pull Easy" Twin Spring-Up—A New Style Number by SIMMONS. \$59.75. See the new BRIGIDAIRE with the MOTHER-MINSTER. KEMP'S Frigidaire Sales and Service.

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HE HIGH SCHOOL COURSE

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HOLD ASSEMBLIES TO EXPLAIN CURRICULUM

Principals Explain Courses to All Under-Classmen; New Courses Available; Parents Invited to Confer.

The Manchester High School curriculum for 1938-1939 was explained to all under-classmen during assemblies on Monday. Principal Edson M. Bailey conducted the assemblies for sophomores, juniors, and seniors, while Vice-Principal Chester Robinson spoke to the freshmen.

The following items were made clear in order that students may intelligently make their own selection of courses.

For the first time in the history of the school, a new course in foreign language, unless students have ability to show that they are capable of doing college work, they were told to select another course.

There are four ways of getting into college of better, 2 college courses, 1 college course and 1 college course.

A Nurses' Preparatory course is being offered for the first time in the history of the school. It is a four-year course and is offered at the university and college. It is a four-year course and is offered at the university and college.

CHOCOLATE TOWN MODERN 'UTOPIA'

Hershey, Penn., Fills Sir Tom Moore's Requirements; Hershey's Goal Attained.

Imagine if you can, a modern Utopia such as Sir Thomas Moore conceived—a perfect community, such is the community of Hershey, Penn., the "Chocolate Town" of Lancaster, Pa. described in a pamphlet which is on display in the Reference Room. It is the fulfillment of a goal which had its beginning about thirty years ago in what he says, "It isn't very hard to learn to play it well."

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ART ASSEMBLY SHOWS FAMOUS PAINTINGS

Program in Form of Broadcast; Famous Pictures Dramatized; Gardner Acts As Announcer.

The Art Assembly given by the Art department of Manchester High School this afternoon depicted several of the most famous and better known pictures by means of tableaux.

The program was given in the form of a broadcast, with Gardner acting as the announcer.

The first tableau was the famous painting of the French people in the streets of Paris during the Revolution. The second tableau was the famous painting of the French people in the streets of Paris during the Revolution.

FOREMOST COACHES THINK SYRACUSE STAR IS LEADING HOPE AT DISTANCE BUT TEMPLETON FAVORS EASTMAN, WHO IS TOPS AT THE '800'

By ALAN GOULD

New York, March 17 (AP)—With one exception, America's leading track coaches named Syracuse as the favorite to win the 800-meter race at the Olympic trials in Berlin.

The exception was Templeton, who favored Eastman.

Eastman was named by the majority of the coaches as the favorite to win the 800-meter race at the Olympic trials in Berlin.

PICARD IS CHOICE TO RETAIN CROWN

Favored to Win Charleford Open for Other Golf News.

New York, March 17 (AP)—Henry Picard, the Charleford, Pa. professional, is favored to retain his title in the Charleford Open golf tournament.

Picard is the defending champion and is favored to win the tournament.

The tournament is being held in Charleford, Pa. and is one of the most important events in the golfing world.

LOCAL SPORT CHATTER

From Danvers and Jim Foley

The baseball season is upon us, and already there are signs of a good one. The Bluefields team is expected to be a contender for the championship.

The football season is also getting underway, and the teams are expected to have a very successful one.

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LOCAL TEAMS GIRD FOR COURT TUSSELE

Ironmen and Boilermakers to Stage Annual Fracas This Friday Night.

The Ironmen and the Boilermakers are expected to have a very exciting game on Friday night.

The game is being held at the local gymnasium and is expected to be one of the best of the season.

The Ironmen are the defending champions and are expected to have a very strong team.

Rangers Retain Chance To Gain Playoff berth

Beat Blackhawks 4-2, As Cubs Down Canadians 1-0, Tilt Sunday Will Settle Issue if Boston Loses to Maple Leafs Tomorrow

San Antonio—The Pirates were expected to start Leroy Brown as pitcher today. The game is being held at the local stadium and is expected to be one of the best of the season.

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TRAINING CAMP NOTES

By ASSOCIATED PRESS

St. Petersburg, Fla.—It looks as if American League pitchers will be in the thick of the pitching war when the season opens.

The pitchers are expected to have a very successful season and are expected to be one of the best of the season.

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NEW TOPS JACKSON TAKES LEAD IN THE CAN-AM LEAGUE SCORING AS TEAMS PLAY FINAL CONTESTS.

By ASSOCIATED PRESS

New Haven, Conn., March 18 (AP)—Providence opposed Philadelphia tonight on the latter's ice in a Canadian-American hockey league game.

The game was held at the local arena and is expected to be one of the best of the season.

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BLUEFIELDS DROP PLANS FOR AN ENCLOSED FIELD

Club Decides Project Unfeasible at Present Due to High Cost; Fencing Nebo Still in Doubt; High School Would Benefit Most.

The Bluefields Athletic Club has decided to abandon its plans for an enclosed field.

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EDITORIAL

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DISPLAY OF PAMPHLETS IN REFERENCE ROOM

Subjects Range from Character Analysis to Child Labor.

The Reference Room of the school is now displaying a collection of pamphlets on various subjects.

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TRIP TO SUNNY FLORIDA A MEMORY TO STUDENT

While dwellers in New England are treating themselves into colds and parading knee-deep through veritable ponds, they wonder how it would be in Florida, the sunny South.

The trip to sunny Florida was a very successful one and is expected to be one of the best of the season.

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LITERARY

"THUMBING TO BRISTOL"

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NEW DOPE BOOK IS OFF THE PRESS

Handy Baseball Reference Guide Offers Facts About Game in Convenient Form.

The new edition of the Dope Book is now off the press.

The book is a very interesting one and is expected to be one of the best of the season.

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**CHAMBER URGED
ALMANAC CHANGE**
Sought to Have Manchester Included in List But Request Was Denied.

A recent news item in The Herald which pointed out that Manchester is not listed in the 1936 edition of "The World Almanac" in the column of municipalities of the United States with 2000 or more inhabitants has drawn a reply from R. E. Hegel, executive vice-president of the local Chamber of Commerce, who states that he has repeatedly but without success sought to remedy this omission.

The item said that it was several years ago that E. J. McClain, then executive head of the Chamber, wrote to the publisher of the reference book in this regard but his complaint was given no attention.

Hegel corresponded with the "World Almanac" editor, R. H. Lyman, asking that Manchester be listed as its population placed at 22,192 persons.

Mr. Lyman's reply to Mr. Hegel's request would be very glad if I could get a clear table of the population of places in Connecticut which would please all your gentlemen. I could not find it necessary to take the figures of the United States Census and carry them as Urban Places in the United States Having a Population of Over 2,000.

This table was for the World Almanac of 1935, and I do not see how it can be made to include Manchester and its population of 22,192. I do not know what the census has covered this matter. I am frankly puzzled. I am not warranted in adding places to the census report more than those which are in New York state, and I dare say in Connecticut. It is difficult to understand the distinction drawn between towns, townships, incorporated villages, etc. If you can let me know I can get a State publication that will put me right in regard to this matter. I shall be very glad to get it.

Mr. Hegel also wrote to the Bureau of Vital Statistics of the state for a list of population in Connecticut and forwarded this list to Mr. Lyman.

ABOUT TOWN

Memorial Lodge K. of P. will meet tonight in their meeting hall on Galloway street. The second degree rank is to be conferred on a class of candidates and the rank team is asked to be present.

A close race is taking place in the second half of the British-American club chess league. The last matches played, Perardown defeated Eastville and Litchfield topped Glenavon, both scores being 3 to 2. The standing now is: Duxbury, 15; Glenavon, 15; Litchfield, 15; Perardown, 12. H. Truman was high scorer in the last match with 10/16.

The regular meeting of Washington L. O. L. will be held in Orange Hall this evening at 7:30. The Orange degree will be worked on a class of candidates.

A son was born this morning to Mr. and Mrs. George E. Long, of 19 Clinton street, at Mrs. Howe's Maternity Home, Wadsworth street.

The Ladies' Guild of St. Mary's Episcopal church will meet in the Guild room on Parker street, Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. The hostesses will be Mrs. Sidney Elliott and Mrs. Thomas Graham.

The regular meeting of Mary C. Keeney Camp, Daughters of the Veterans of the Civil War, will be held in the state armory tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Following the meeting a St. Patrick's social will be held.

The Married Couples Club of the Second Congregational church will meet in the church at 7:30 Friday evening. The program for almost nothing will be in charge of Rev. and Mrs. Ferris Reynolds and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Robertson.

The Nalton Hale Fife and Drum Corps and the advisory board will meet in Orange Hall at 7 o'clock tonight for the election of officers and to perfect organization.

The train due at the Manchester railroad station at 10:15 this morning was 45 minutes late. This is due to the necessity of the high water in the Connecticut river which is 25 feet over on the bridge to get it right.

W. W. Robertson of the Oxford Soap Company, was much interested in the report of the flood of the Connecticut river. He said that he knew several business men in that city. Mr. Robertson also visited the city and said this morning that the business section is located in a valley and that the business streets is not more than 25 feet above the water level when at its normal height. The residential section, he said, is on the bluffs.

**ORDERS NO POLITICS
IN WPA DISCHARGES**
Harry L. Hopkins, Administrator, Writes State Officials and Project Foremen.

Washington, March 18.—(AP)—Harry L. Hopkins today wrote all WPA state administrators that no person should be employed or discharged on the ground of his political or non-support of any political organization.

The Works Progress boss, whose administration has been charged with political activities by Republicans and Senator Hold (D., W. Va.), said in his notice that he would investigate every district office and delivered to the foreman of every project.

**SEEKING DETAILS
OF LABOR POLICY**

ed if the loss in employment was not substantially due to introduction of automatic equipment.

Gifford replied that he was not charged with responsibility but there were other factors, including a decrease in telephone construction.

Revenue Drops
Becker said revenue of the company declined from \$1,070,000 last year to \$884,000 this year. This is approximately equivalent to a decline from \$224,000,000 to \$223,000,000 in the payroll.

"Your dividend rate has remained at 3 1/2 a share since 1928," he told Gifford. "You have continued to pay about 4 per cent. on your investment since 1928. Is that a proper demonstration of your stock ownership?"

Gifford answered that the dividend rate had been cut but it probably would have been necessary to reduce hourly wage rates. Because the hourly rate was not reduced, he added, workers benefited from continuance of the dividend.

"No one could be more unhappy than I am about laying people off," Gifford said.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

New York, March 18.—(AP)—Panic broke in London today as Britain in dollars, others in cents.

Great Britain demand, 4.97 1/2; cables, 4.84 1/2; 60 day bill, 1.61 1/2; France demand, 6.64 1/2; cables, 6.44 1/2; Italy demand, 7.99 cables, 7.98.

Belgium, 16.99; Germany, 40.50; Reg. Travel, 28.00; Reg. Convul, 21.50; Poland, 86.40; Norway, 24.90; Sweden, 25.60; Denmark, 19.00; Finland, 211; Portugal, 13.25; Spain, 13.77; Portugal, 4.34; Greece, 55 1/2; Poland, 15.00; Czechoslovakia, 4.7; Hungary, 2.31; Austria, 18.80; Hungary, 20.70; Rumania, 76; Argentina, 33.75; Brazil, 8.00; Tokyo, 28.30; Mexico, 30.00; Hongkong, 23.25; Manila, 27.25; New York in New York, 90.25 1/2; New York in Montreal, 100.25.

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**E. MIDDLE TURNPIKE
SEWER AS WPA JOB**
When Plans Are Completed Approval of State Administrator Will Be Asked.

The construction of a sanitary sewer on East Middle turnpike serves nearly a score of homes in the vicinity, has been approved by the approval of the state administrator. Plans for the extension of present sewer mains are completed. The project will be submitted for the approval of the state administrator. Tentative plans call for extending the main from near the home of Selection John Jensen along the turnpike to Parker street and then on to the state armory. The sewer in the vicinity have caused considerable trouble by overflowing the sewer.

The advantage of continuing the sewer project was questioned by Selection David Chambers, during a meeting of the board Monday evening. He objected that they took work away from the tradesmen who are trying to make a living and get out of the charity role.

It was pointed out to him by Selection John Jensen, who said that the project workers would otherwise have to be supported by the town.

The system is an improvement from the old sewer system when shoes and clothes were shipped to the sewer in barrels and other articles were made out of town.

The plan is to purchase a 12-inch sewer pipe and to have it laid in a trench recently made by the WPA. The sewer will be laid in a trench recently made by the WPA. The sewer will be laid in a trench recently made by the WPA.

**FIND MAN NAILED
TO A WOODEN CROSS**
Lips Sewed Together and Coat Thrown Over Head to Muffle Groans.

Ocala, Fla., March 18.—(AP)—His lips were sewed together and his coat thrown over his head to muffle his groans, a man was found in a heavily wooded area near Ocala, Fla., today.

The man, who was found by a game warden, was lying on his back in a heavily wooded area. He was found by a game warden, who was hunting for a deer. The man was found by a game warden, who was hunting for a deer. The man was found by a game warden, who was hunting for a deer.

**VENIZELOS DIES;
GREEK STATESMAN**

zoules fled from the island south of Greece to Paris.

"Greece will never see me again," Venizelos declared as he took up his headquarters here.

He denounced the November, 1935, Greek plebiscite which resulted in the restoration of King George as a "bitter comedy," asserting only 20 per cent of the Greek people voted in favor of the king.

Former Premier Panagiotis Tsaldaris, a telephone lineman, was arrested in the restoration of King George as a "bitter comedy," asserting only 20 per cent of the Greek people voted in favor of the king.

After the revolt was crushed by the army, Venizelos fled to London, where he was joined by other Republican leaders, escaped to Paris, safe from the reach of the monarchist forces.

After King George was recalled to the throne, the monarchist party of Venizelos, granting him amnesty, there were reported reports that Venizelos would be permitted to return to his native island of Crete in exchange for an appeal to his adherents and their promise to support the new regime, but Venizelos always denied this.

ACTION, NOT TALK, NEEDED
Grafton, V. Va.—State, city and county police were holding a law enforcement conference when a holdup man obtained \$15 at a filling station two blocks away. The five-minute conference, and in five minutes blocked all roads. The robber got away.

CAPTAIN TO RESIGN

Waterbury, March 18.—(AP)—The captain of the Connecticut state police department here for 33 years said he was preparing to resign from the force at a meeting of the police board at 6 o'clock.

He is expected to be placed on the retired list, enabling him to draw half his salary of \$3,100.

Joseph E. McLean former superintendent, retired on pension at a special meeting of the board last week.

Both resignations were at the request of Mayor Frank Hayes.

**Baseball Fans Demand
Return of Girl Player**

Webster, Mass., March 18.—(AP)—The Bartlett High school basketball team appeared today in danger of losing its sex role attraction.

Nellie Twardzik, the comely 17-year-old girl basenowman, who made the school's last basketball season an overwhelming financial success.

It is said that Coach George Finnigan and the members of the school's athletic council have decided that their basketball team is no longer a team unless it has a girl player.

Coach Finnigan, who admits that Nellie merits a place on the team, said he would like to see her play. He said he would like to see her play. He said he would like to see her play.

Floods at a Glance

By ASSOCIATED PRESS.

Pittsburgh—At least twelve lives lost in floods engulfing city; hundreds homeless; millions in property damage; fire.

Boxford, Pa.—Hundreds of residents fleeing; roofs being blown off; houses being swept away; water reaching 10 feet deep.

Washington—President Roosevelt orders Federal agencies to mobilize for relief work.

Brighton, N. Y.—Surrounding valley flooded.

Birmingham, N. Y.—City prepares for flood conditions.

Buffalo, N. Y.—City digs out of snowdrifts.

Raleigh, N. C.—Hundreds of school children in western part of state marooned by snowdrifts.

New Hartford, Conn.—Dozens of buildings reported swept away when dam in Farmington river collapses.

Wheeling, W. Va.—Thousands along Ohio river leave homes when waters rise above flood stage. City expects food and inundation of Wheeling island.

Williamsport, Pa.—Some 3,000 families move to safety.

Cumberland, Md.—Overflow of James flood street.

Harrisonburg, Va.—Winds in higher ground than the rest and there was not much water there two hours after the dam burst but the roads outside the center were covered with water from two to five feet deep.

The water was still rising in the roads at 10 a. m. There was an unconfirmed report that the Otis, Pa., dam had burst and, his wife thought that flood waters from it were reaching New Hartford.

No Lives Lost

A check up shortly before noon indicated that no lives had been lost in New Hartford. One elderly man named Carpenter who had been at the home of neighbors, where he had a party, was found dead in a room. The breaking of the Greenwood Dam released millions of gallons of water down the valley, sweeping away the houses in places with a depth of 10 feet. The water was still rising in the roads at 10 a. m. There was an unconfirmed report that the Otis, Pa., dam had burst and, his wife thought that flood waters from it were reaching New Hartford.

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Country Club Taxed to Capacity for Annual Affairs Last Night.

The 57th annual ball and the 49th anniversary of the Hibernian Club, was held in the Manchester Country Club last evening. The gathering taxed the capacity of the club and proved a big success. The arrangements in charge, headed by the club's executive committee, were successful in making a liberal and enjoyable evening. The Hibernian Club, president of the division, headed the reception committee. The dancing was furnished by the orchestra of the club. The Hibernian Club, president of the division, headed the reception committee. The dancing was furnished by the orchestra of the club.

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(Continued from Page One)

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REPUBLICANS TO MEET

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"It will be a routine meeting," Chairman Lewis E. Goodell of Bethel said today. "The purpose is to receive reports from the committees and to make arrangements for the annual meeting."

Mr. Goodell said the organization now has 18 clubs. The executive committee are the county chairman and vice chairman and one member at large from each county.

**PLAYERS OBSERVE
BIRTHDAY TONIGHT**

Will Present "The Old Soak" As Fifth Anniversary Offering.

The Community Players will celebrate their fifth anniversary tonight with the presentation of "The Old Soak" in the auditorium of the Whittier Memorial Library. The twenty-fifth full length production of the local dramatic group since its organization in 1931, tonight's play will be given for the benefit of the club which plans to increase its facilities for future offerings.

The curtain will rise on the first act at 8:30 tonight. Several good seats will be available for purchase at the door of the auditorium. Alfred E. Howe, chairman of the group, will be in charge of seating. Members of the club will usher.

The cast consists of Carl Curbury as Clem Hawley, the "Old Soak"; Faith Fallow as Matilda, his wife; Elizabeth Crawshaw as Lucy, their daughter; William Lattigens as Clemmie, their son; Karl Keller as Cousin Webster Parsons, the village banker; Victor Lewis as Tom Grogan, their son; and Joseph Handley as the hired girl, and Joseph Handley as the hired girl.

The action takes place in the town of New Hartford. The "Old Soak" causes his family considerable trouble as a result of his drinking habits. At the end with a solution for the troubles of all those concerned except the banker.

**BANKRUPTCY NOT EFFECT
FINE FOR BOOTLEGGING**

New Haven Man Seeks Discharge in Federal Court Sentence

Hartford, March 18.—(AP)—John P. Plautko, Bridgeport, regards a 120-day fine for bootlegging as a "death" from which he seeks a discharge in bankruptcy.

Unfortunately for him, United States District Judge Charles C. Hinckley does not agree.

"Nor does Assistant United States Attorney George H. Cohen agree," says Plautko. "Of course, it is absurd."

The court today issued a bench warrant for Plautko's appearance to show why he has not paid the fine.

He pleaded guilty February 21 to a violation of the Federal Prohibition Act in New Haven in 1935. He was fined \$100 and sentenced to 120 days in jail.

At least 17 persons lost their lives in the crash of the boat.

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