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MANCHESTER, CONN., FRIDAY, APRIL 1, 1938

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PRICE THREE CENTS

HARTFORD POLICE PROBING MURDER ON WINDSOR ST.

Elderly Man's Body Found On Rear Veranda With Head Battered; Death Might Have Followed Quarrel.

Hartford, April 1.—(AP)—An elderly habitue of east side rooming houses was found murdered this morning on a rear veranda at 313 Windsor street.

The man was Alex Martus, about 65, who had been in Police Court many times on charges of drunkenness. He had no definite address.

His body was found about 6:30 a. m. by Policeman Daniel W. McCarthy. The man's head had been battered, apparently by the brick that lay, broken in three pieces, a short distance away on the first floor veranda.

Demanded Quarter One man was standing, the other lying on the veranda, Tony said. He heard the standing man say: "Well, I brought you here and I want my quarter."

Detective Sergeant James Kennedy and Detective William Henegay were assigned to investigate.

U. S. TO CONSTRUCT SUPER BATTLESHIPS Work To Be Started This Year But It Will Take Five Years To Complete It.

Washington, April 1.—(AP)—The Navy hopes to start work before the end of the year on two of the super-size battleships contemplated with lifting of limits of the London treaty.

President Roosevelt and the Navy high command have yet to decide finally on the second, third, fourth and fifth of the new class.

Teacher Heroine of Tornado



Esther Olson, school teacher shown recuperating in bed, was one of the heroines of the tornado which struck Columbus, Kas. She calmly directed her pupils to safety during the storm, and stayed to search for debris for survivors after being injured. With Miss Olson is her mother, Mrs. Elida Olson.

REBS SEIZE POSITIONS DOMINATING KEY CITY

Saragosa, April 1.—(AP)—Insurgent commanders announced today they had seized the positions dominating Lerida, key city in north-eastern Spain, and that occupation of the provincial capital assured them a clean up of the Segre river valley.

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DEFEAT A VOTE TODAY ON REORGANIZATION BILL

Protests To Halt Debate In House; Speaker Bankhead Believes Action On Measure May Be Put Over Until Next Week; Flood Of Telegrams Continues.

Washington, April 1.—(AP) Angry protests against attempts to choke off debate on the administration's reorganization bill tied the House today into a Parliamentary knot.

Speaker Bankhead conceded it was "possible" action might be deferred until next week and Chairman O'Connor (D., N. Y.), of the Rules committee was one of those asking the legislation's managers to "stop all attempts to jam the bill through."

Representative Sweeney (D., Ohio), his face flushed, stopped efforts to limit debate. Chairman Cochran (D., Mo.), of the Reorganization committee asked that debate close in five hours.

When Sweeney objected to that, Cochran attempted to limit debate to today's session. Sweeney hotly objected to that, too.

Both sides agreed it was early to tell the effect of the protests, which were reaching the Representatives in the midst of the most turbulent debate held in the House this year.

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HOOPER WARNS TRENDS IN U. S. FAVOR FASCISM

Sees Planned Economy As "Infection" From Totalitarian Systems Abroad; Against All Alliances.

New York, April 1.—(AP)—The United States, says Herbert Hoover, should avoid alliance with other democratic nations against Fascist powers, and at the same time be wary lest Fascism take root in this country through "planned economy."

Some people build confidence hope upon it. But every phase of the picture should harden our resolves that we keep out of other people's wars. Nations in Europe need to be convinced that this is our policy.

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WARNING SIGNS BIG AID IN CONTROL OF TRAFFIC

Highway Commissioner Assets Standardization of Signs is Most Progressive Step Taken Towards Automobile Safety.

By JOHN A. MACDONALD, State Highway Commissioner. When one stops to consider that in 1937 there were only four automobiles in the entire United States...

Warning Signs. The most progressive step taken for traffic control by the use of signs, the standardization of all warning and directional signs adopted by the American Association of State Highway Officials...

Pavement markings play a very important part in the control of traffic. These traffic lines are placed only on curves where there is a sharp change in direction...

Y. M. C. A. Notes. April 1. 4:00—Bookings gymnasium period with Robert Brannick.

Standardization of signs. The location of the various warning signs is very important. If it is a sign that requires immediate attention, it should be placed where it can be seen in time to take proper action.

To All Who Are Interested In Starting A Systematic Saving Account or a profitable investment we recommend the following:

1st—The purchase of any number of installment shares at one dollar each that require monthly payments of one dollar per month per share.

2nd—The purchase of single payment shares for which you pay one hundred dollars each with no further payments required.

3rd—Dividends are added to both of the above semi-annually and during the forty-seven years we have been operating we have never declared less than four per cent dividends.

The Manchester Building & Loan Association, Inc. 955 Main Street. Operated Under Local Management Since 1881.

FIVE BASKETS AWARDED AT POPULAR MARKET

Largest Crowd Yet in Present As Prizes Are Drawn; Those Who Won Valuable Gifts.

Five baskets were given away absolutely free last night in the Building. The largest crowd to assemble in the Popular Market for prize drawings was on hand at 8 o'clock drawing time last night.

State Traffic Commission. The legislature of 1935 created a State Traffic Commission which was given full authority to regulate traffic on the trunk line highways...

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WARD'S Cooperate With Conn. Highway Safety Week. Wards New 1938 Riverside Tire is the BEST.

The Safest First Quality Tire in Riverside 25 Year History! Safest for 1938—rolling speeds and grinding stops! It's a tougher tire...

HOW DO WARDS DO IT? How can Wards sell better quality tires for less? Because it costs manufacturers less to sell Wards...

LIBERAL TRADE-IN allowance for your old tire... means extra savings to you.

Montgomery Ward. 824-828 MAIN STREET. TEL. 5161. MANCHESTER.

REPLACE THE OLD FURNACE

SPECIAL PRICES DURING APRIL AND MAY. Heating and air-conditioning systems operate without dirt or odor and heat former hard to heat rooms evenly and at just about 1/2 the present cost.

Attention Boys! FREE! A BAG OF AGATES WITH EACH \$1.00 PURCHASE AT Franklin Gas Stations.

TYPEWRITERS. ALL MAKES SOLD - REPAIRED RENTED - EXCHANGED. We have an excellent engineering service available, and will advise you correctly as to the best and most reasonable type of installation you require.

TO GET SPECIAL PRICE ON REPLACEMENT. Sign and mail this coupon to Dublin & Co., Inc., 185 Ann Street, Hartford.

ALL RECONDITIONED AND GUARANTEED. These cars are the "cream of the crop." Lease, and good from season to season. We'll wear you never saw finer used cars anywhere.

Schaller Motor Sales Inc. 185 ANN STREET, HARTFORD, CONN. 06103.

BELL'S SCOTCH. ROYAL REGENT 8 YEARS OLD fifth 2.09. 12 YEAR OLD fifth 2.99.

Red Crown Gin. 90 PROOF fifth .89. MADE BY ONE OF THE NATION'S LEADING GIN DISTILLERS.

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Johnnie Walker Scotch fifth 2.38. HOLLYWOOD CLUB CALIFORNIA WINES full 39.

TRUCK IS MILED ON EAST CENTER ST.

Heavy Rains Leave Construction Area In Bad Condition; Big Vehicle Struck 4 Hours.

666 COLDS AND FEVER. New and Improved. Try "Rub-N-Tum" World's Best.

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RECOMMENDS CUTS IN PHONE RATES

Federal Official Reports To Congress That Unnecessary Costs Be Eliminated.

Washington, April 1.—(AP)—Federal Communications Commission today that the Bell Telephone Company could reduce its rates 25 percent by eliminating unnecessary high costs.

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SAYS GIRLS CAN'T COOK

Tusculum, Ala.—(AP)—Lewis C. Davis, the University of Alabama's first candidate for graduation in home economics, says his female classmates can't cook.

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HIGHLAND PARK

There will be the usual dance at the Highland Park Community club on Saturday night, April 2nd.

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SYMPHONY GROUP IN CONCERT HERE

Hartford Orchestra Will Appear Under Sponsorship Of Teachers' Club.

On Tuesday evening April 5th, starting at 8:15, the Hartford Symphony Orchestra, unit of the state-wide WPA Federal Music Project...

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By Our Budget Plan AT HALF PRICE NO EXTRA CHARGE. We Carry a Full Line of... Sheaffer's Pens, \$2.75 up.

Complete Line of Hamilton - Waltham - Elgin - Bulova Watches. Complete Line of Hamilton - Waltham - Elgin - Bulova Watches.

PAULARD ELECTRIC RAZORS. No Blade, No Leather, No Blades.

ONE ACCOUNT. Outfits All The Family ON SILBEROS WEEKLY CREDIT PLAN.

3 Pc. Furred Suit \$19.95. Mother, Dad, Sis and Brother can be dressed in the finest of style this Spring and Easter and "Charge It" all together on one SILBEROS account.

Men's Suits and Topcoats \$19.50. Ladies' Silk Dresses \$3.95 and up.

Kane's Shoe Store. 705 MAIN STREET. JOHNSON BLOCK. Our Shoes Are 100% American Made!

Society Maid Hosiery 54c pair. Join Our Hosiery Club Every 13th Pair FREE.

LADIES' SILK DRESSES \$3.95 and up. Others As Low As \$12.95. Worsteds - Chalk Stripes.

For The Best Deal In Town - SEE OLSON. TRADE IN YOUR PRESENT CAR FOR ONE OF OUR SAFE USED CARS.

OLSON MOTOR SALES. Plymouth and Chrysler Dealer. 127 Spruce Street. Tel. 5215-3064.

WELDON'S Specials on timely DRUG NEEDS. Tooth Powder 35c, Milk of Magnesia 34c, Haley's M. O. 67c.







### COUNTRY CLUB TO OPEN GOLF SEASON TOMORROW

Emer "Ricky" Anderson Assumes Duties As Pro; Links Reported In Fine Condition; Plan Extensive Program Of Activities.

With John G. Kohnman at the helm as president and Emer "Ricky" Anderson as professional, the Manchester Country club launches its 1958 season tomorrow when the local 18-hole course, regarded as one of the finest in the state, will be opened officially to the public.

Anderson, who began his career at the Manchester Country club in 1957, has been in charge of the course for several weeks and it is reported to be in the best condition for some time. Anderson is a professional and is known to his club members as a steady hand.

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### Louis to Seek Quick Kayo Over Thomas

#### Play Two Games Tonight In Playoffs of Rec League

Two games that are expected to be exciting and dramatic will take place at the East Side Rec League tonight. The two teams are the "Reds" and the "Blues".

#### Training Camp Notes

By ASSOCIATED PRESS  
New Orleans, Ala. (AP)—The Philadelphia Athletics, Philadelphia Phillies and New York Yankees are expected to start training camps in the next few days.

#### APostoli and Lee to Clash Tonight

Middleweights in Return Bout Over Fifteen-Round Route at The Garden.

#### WRESTLING

By Associated Press  
Hartford, Conn.—Stanley Pinto, 170, New Hampshire, and Jimmie Kowaly, 172, Ohio, will meet tonight at the Hartford Athletic Club.

#### Sunset Ridge Golf Course

OPEN FOR THE SEASON  
April 1 (SILVER LANE ROAD)

#### Highway Safety Can Only Be Brought About Through The Cooperation Of The Motoring Public. TIRES

#### Clearance of SPRING HATS

Regular \$3.50 and \$2.95  
Now \$2.35  
Glenney's

#### ONE BALL SWEEPSTAKE

TONIGHT - Friday April 1st  
Murphy's Alleys

#### Desire Sweet Peas

3 lbs. 25c	Desire Pineapple	2 cans 35c
3 lbs. 25c	RALSTON POSTO	2 cans 35c
3 lbs. 25c	Harmony Golden Corn	1 can 21c
3 lbs. 25c	Desire Golden Corn	3 bars 10c
4 cans 25c	P. & G. SOAP	7 bars 25c
4 cans 15c	OXYDOL	2 pkgs. 37c

### Local Sport Bobby Jones Rated 32-1 As Augusta Open Starts

#### RISKS HIS CROWN IN 15-ROUNDER AT CHICAGO TONIGHT

Augusta, Ga., April 1—(AP)—There was a smacking knock when Bobby Jones, the defending champion, was defeated by Byron Nelson in the 15-hole playoff at the Augusta National Golf and Country Club today.

#### Eagles and Tigers Gain Easy Tourney Victories

Former Opens Defense of RAMBLERS VICTORS OVER EAGLES, 3-2

Manchester entries came through with flying colors in the opening round of the annual Y.M.C.A. tournament. The Eagles and the Tigers were the winners.

#### WDCR

525 Hartford, Conn. 1530  
Eastern Standard Time

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### BROOK CLEANSING FACES LONG HOLIDAY

#### Laundry Waste Dumping Not Thought Health Menace: Question Powers.

At Monday's meeting of the Board of Selectmen, the Board expects to receive from the town Board of Health a report on conditions of the Brook.

#### WTC

Travelers Broadcasting Service  
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### POPULAR FOOD MARKET AND SELF SERVE GROCERIES

#### WEEK-END SPECIALS

Smoked SHOULDERS 1 1/2c  
ROASTING VEAL 1 lb.  
VEAL LEGS 19c lb.  
LAMB LEGS 19c lb.  
SAUSAGES 15c lb.  
BACON 15c lb.  
PORK 18 1/2c lb.  
FOWL 59c each

#### STAR AND TIP-TOP SPECIALS

SPECIAL SALE ON SWIFT'S PREMIUM LAMB!  
Swift's Premium Lamb Legs lb. 27c  
Rib Lamb Chops lb. 25c  
Loin Lamb Chops lb. 35c  
Sliced Bacon 1/2 lb. cell. pkg. 17c

#### SWIFT'S PREMIUM BEEF STEAK SALE

Top Round or Cube Steak lb. 30c  
Sirloin or Short Steak lb. 35c  
Boneless Pot CHUCK lb. 19c  
BUTTER 28 1/2c lb.  
EGGS 21c doz.  
FRESH FRANKFURTS 29c  
MINCED HAM 2 lbs. 25c  
AM. BOLOGNA 25c  
SALT PORK 10c  
HAMBURG  
PURE LARD  
Stewing VEAL 10c

#### Chase & Sanborn Coffee lb. 24c Maxwell House Coffee lb. 25c Kellogg's Corn Flakes pkg. 6c

#### OUR MODERN AGE

By W. J. DAVIS  
PUBLIC OPINION  
The growing feeling in the world of today is public opinion. It is the most outstanding problem of our time.

#### GRANT HAS OPERATION

Houston, Texas, April 1—(AP)—Bryan (Bilby) Grant of Atlanta, Ga., the country's fourth ranking tennis player, underwent an operation for acute appendicitis early today.

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Commander George M. Big... of the tent and official...

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Smoked SHOULDERS 1 1/2c  
ROASTING VEAL 1 lb.  
VEAL LEGS 19c lb.  
LAMB LEGS 19c lb.  
SAUSAGES 15c lb.  
BACON 15c lb.  
PORK 18 1/2c lb.  
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Sliced Bacon 1/2 lb. cell. pkg. 17c

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Top Round or Cube Steak lb. 30c  
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ABOUT TOWN

Attorney Herman Tuley is spending a few days in Washington, D. C.

The Veterans Association will meet this evening at 8 o'clock in the Army and Navy club. All delegates are requested to attend.

The card party which was to have been given this evening by the Buckingham Ladies Aid society has been postponed on account of the death of Mrs. Herbert Mitchell.

Superintendent Maurice E. Sherretz, of the Norwich District, will speak at the Happy Hour service at the North Methodist church Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, following the customary hymn-sing.

Group No. 1 of the Memorial Hospital auxiliary will meet Monday afternoon at the clinic building on Haynes street. Mrs. W. W. Bells will be in charge.

Manchester Assembly, No. 15, Order of Rainbow and the advisory board, has been invited by Rev. Feris E. Reynolds, to attend the service Sunday morning at the Second Congregational church. Rainbow Girls are requested to meet at the church at 10:30. Those desiring transportation should call Jack Trutter, chairman of transportation, or the mother advisor, Mrs. Wallace Robb.

Miss Barbara C. Cahoon of 20 Foster street, who is employed by the Traveler's Insurance company, had the misfortune to fall in Hartford yesterday, fracturing her ankle. She received X-ray and first aid treatment in the medical department of the company and is resting as comfortably as can be expected at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Geyer of 118 Oxford street, general manager of the Connecticut Milk Producers' Association and his wife, are moving from this town to Waterbury. Mr. Geyer plans to open a large milk processing plant at the southern end of Waterbury avenue, near what formerly was Capitol Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ochamer of 27 Pleasant street, have returned from a trip to Nova Scotia.

Miss Dorothy G. Denton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert O. Denton of 20 Middle Turnpike, West, returned Thursday from Wellesley College, Wellesley, Mass., for the spring holidays. Miss Glenna and Miss Dorothy Denton are registered at the Hotel Taft, New York City, this week-end.

All members of the Nathan Hale band are asked to be at the Orange Hall tomorrow night at 8:30 prior to their departure for Hartford to take part in an entertainment program. All members of both the 117 L.O.L. and L.O.L. are asked to meet at the same time. Devotion Lodge L.O.L. states that there is still some room left in the second bus. All members who have cars are asked to report at 8:30 and aid the committee on transportation.

The American Legion Drum Corps will hold a practice session tonight at the State Armory at 8 o'clock.

Thieves last night broke into the Army and Navy club on Main street and stole two sewing machines. The theft was noticed this morning when the club was opened.

Within the past month, it is reported that thieves have stolen 14 spare tires from cars parked in back of the Manchester Trust company on Purnell place.

Theodore C. Zimmer left this morning for New York where he is to close a transaction in connection with Long Island real estate.

Junior Maccabees of A. L. Brown Court are reminded of the meeting tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Baitch and Brown hall. It is important that all members of the drill team be present for practice, as the Junior Court will execute the floor work on the occasion of the 60th anniversary of Manchester Test No. 2, K. O. T. M., at the Masonic Temple, May 7. Mrs. John Derby, assistant director, will be in charge of the meeting tomorrow afternoon.

Rev. Gibson Daniels, secretary for Young People's work for Connecticut Congregationalism, will tell of the work at the Storrs Conference, and illustrate his talk by motion pictures. John Douglas will lead and music will be provided by the Lenten choir. Young people of Center church will be in charge of the evening's program.

FIRST THUNDER STORM CAUSES LITTLE DAMAGE

Electric and Telephone Services Interrupted in Outskirts; Repairs Effected.

The first thunder storm of the year crashed over Manchester early this morning, leaving in its wake disabled electric and telephone services, and in places resulted in badly hampered traffic conditions on the outskirts of the town.

Ground worms by the thousands were driven to the surface, and in places resulted in a few small holes. A transformer on a pole in the Manchester Green section was struck and all lights on Vernon street, part of Middle Turnpike, west, and in other sections of Manchester Green were put out of business.

The storm resulted in the bell in the Manchester Congregational church being sounded once when the lightning struck one of the wires of the fire alarm system, but no damage was done.

A war torn thoroughfare, as wash-out had, in places, caused in large holes. A ten ton truck was mired throughout the night just opposite the intersection of Hamden and East Center streets and was dug out early this morning. Other vehicles, going through rain and fog, narrowly missed falling into trouble among the many open ditches.

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BANK EXECUTIVE ON WESTERN TRIP

R. LaMotte Russell To Visit Father-in-Law At San Diego, Calif.

R. LaMotte Russell, treasurer of the Manchester Savings Bank, left this morning by train for the Pacific Coast where he expects to visit his father-in-law, Dr. A. E. Abrams in San Diego. Dr. Abrams was a well known Hartford physician who

made his home with Mr. Russell following his retirement. He now lives in San Diego and is over 80 years of age.

Mr. Russell will travel westward on the famous Santa Fe route to Los Angeles and possibly San Francisco before he returns three weeks hence.

A meeting of the Private Duty Nurses' Association will be held in the nurses' dining room at the Memorial hospital at 7:15 o'clock Monday night. All members are requested to be present.

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