

About Town
Members of the American League...

Church Social
By Men's Club
A program of nearly 20 numbers...

Homes in Elizabeth Park Tract
Is Completed
Robert J. Smith has completed...

Harvard Road
Is Completed
The new highway opens up...

Meets Brother
For First Time
Former Resident Here...

Agree to Prohibit
Giving Any Credit
Under Repeal Bill
Warring Governments...

Disaster Strikes Royal Oak-Artist's View
This is an artist's conception...

British Repulse Nazi
Attack on Scotland;
No Word of Damage
Several Bombs Dropped...

Local Society
To Celebrate
Christopher Columbus Society...

Expect 200 Delegates
At League Assembly
State Convention Being Held...

Officers Selected
By Scotia Lodge
Helen Davidson Lodge, No. 88...

Won't Admit
Getting False
U. S. Passport
Washington, Oct. 16-17-18-

Communist Refuses
Information to Dies
Committee on Papers He
Got for Russia Trips.

Finns' Mission
Compromise Is Seen
With Finland, Turkey
Moscow, Oct. 16-17-18-

Passikivi Returns to Helsinki
After Refusing
To Be Drawn Into Orbit
of Soviet Russia.

Nazi Claim
Cruiser Hit
By Torpedo
Say Same Submarine
Which Sank Royal Oak...

Parish Supper
WED., OCT. 18, 6:30 P. M.
South Methodist Church...

Manchester
Date Book
Tonight.
Oct. 14 Annual banquet...

Athena Victim
On Visit Here
Miss Susan Benson, of 421...

World Union
To Aid Peace
Wellesley, Mass., Oct. 16-17-18-

Court to Pass
On Trust Suits
Washington, Oct. 16-17-18-

Chinese Storm
Jap-Held City
Kill Soldiers, Destroy
Ammunitions Stored.

Massucci Gets
Year and Half
Called 'Bird of Prey'
And 'Buzard' by Federal
Judge; Deny Bill.

Try to Avert
Chrysler Row
Mediators Hasten Efforts...

Notice of Public
Hearing
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The Hose Company Jrs. are...

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# State K. P. Convention Opens Here Tonight

**300 Delegates and Members of 65 Subordinate Lodges to Be Present; Elections Tomorrow.**

The 75th annual convention of the Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias of Connecticut will open this evening in Orange Hall at 8:30. Melvin G. Cox of this town, Grand Chamberlain of the Grand Lodge, will open the convention. A dinner for Grand Chamberlains of the Lodge, members of the executive council and delegates and their wives from the 65 subordinate lodges will be held in the Masonic hall at 9 p.m. The committee on credentials will meet at 8:45 o'clock in the state theater to register delegates to the convention.

It is expected that about 300 officers, delegates and members of the grand lodge will attend the banquet, Joseph Robinson will be the toastmaster at the convention banquet. After the banquet there will be an entertainment in High School.

Convention Tomorrow  
The convention proper will open tomorrow morning at 8:30. George S. Brooks of Rockville will be advanced to Grand Chancellor. Other officers are expected to be advanced on rank today, leaving the vacancy of outer guard, for which office there will be the only contest in the incoming slate.

There will be a meeting of the Past State Chiefs of the Pythian Sisters this afternoon in Hotel Sheridan. The Pythian Sisters convention will open tomorrow morning in Odd Fellows Hall.

**Press Officers**  
Presiding officers of the Grand Chamberlain, Rev. George S. Brooks, Rockville; grand president, Elmer Lounsbury, Hartford; grand keeper of records and seals, Edward F. Aspinwall, grand master of ceremonies, Korn Duram; grand master of arms, Frank E. Larson; grand lodge secretary, Harold Cooper; grand guard, Chester J. Bruner; grand outer guard, John Wronowicz; grand chamberlain, Morris L. Robin, Waterbury; sub-

# Robert Shields 80 Years Old

## Relatives and Friends Gather to Celebrate The Happy Occasion.

Relatives and friends of Robert Shields of 28 Griswold street, honored his 80th birthday, Robert Shields was born in Portadown, northern Ireland, on Oct. 16, 1869, and came to this country in 1886 and attained a young man and obtained employment in Cheney Brothers dress-making firm. He was retired and pensioned in 1914.

He said this country could no more avoid being affected by the policies of foreign governments than an individual could be "neutral" in the midst of a smoldering conflict.

Restraint by business men to prevent "unjustifiable" price increases during the war in order to preserve our established economic, social and political order was urged today by Rev. Fabian, general manager of the National Retail Dry Goods Association.

Unjustifiable price increases in commodities, he contended, would lead to war, increasing wages, the upward movement of wages, until we shall have built up a great and insupportable tower which inevitably will again come crashing down to destroy our economic balance and produce additional years of depression and misery.

# Returns from Trip, Snow in the West

Edward J. Murphy returned last night from a 10 day trip to St. Paul, Minn., after having attended the national convention of the National Retail Dry Goods Association. In St. Paul he called on Dean St. Purinton formerly of 237 East Center street, who is now located in St. Paul as manager of P. W. Grant store. It snowed in St. Paul on three different days while he was there and on a visit that was made by the delegation as a side trip they found snow three inches deep.

# Parade of RADIO VALUES

**Shurline Ginger Ale, 10c**  
quart bottle  
**Franco-American Spaghetti, 25c**  
1 lb.  
**Delight Dog and Cat Food, 25c**  
1 lb.  
**5-Ounce Cans Peas, Peaches, Pineapple, etc., 3 cans, 25c**

# Police Board Makes Survey

## Accompanied by Chief Gordon Members Consider Traffic Hazards.

To get a clear picture of the various points in town that constitute traffic hazards, the police board today accompanied by Chief Gordon and several members of the board, made a survey of the city streets. The board was accompanied by Chief Gordon and several members of the board, made a survey of the city streets. The board was accompanied by Chief Gordon and several members of the board, made a survey of the city streets.

# First Killing Frost of Year

A heavy killing frost, the first of the season, laid over Manchester early this morning at thermometer readings of 37 and 28 were reported in various sections of the town. This drop to below freezing did not come without warning, for last night the mercury dropped steadily, but many automobiles left yesterday afternoon with 18 fenders to help the simple warning, found their engines frozen this morning.

Traffic lights were also a subject of the afternoon tour. One place where a traffic light is considered is at the junction of Main and School streets where there is a considerable school traffic. The multi-colored junction of Broad, Main and School streets also is a place where a traffic light is considered. A pedestrian was killed at this junction by a motor vehicle last night. An important rehearsal of all taking part in the Old Fellows banquet was held in the town hall last night at 7:30 in the Odd Fellows hall.

Ever Ready Circle of King's Daughters has set the date of Wednesday, October 20, for its fall rummage sale, to be held from 9:30 to 4:30 in the East store of the Coughlin building. Depot Street.

# Collector Hunt Reports Receipts

Tax collector George Hunt of the South Manchester Fire District will be at No. 4's house on School street until 9 o'clock today to collect the tax that is now due. Interest will be charged after he closes the office tonight.

# Finns' Mission Plans Further Russian Talks

Dr. Paasikivi stepped from his train at 9:30 a. m. (2:30 a. m. here) to be greeted by government officials while a crowd of several thousand stout men in the background.

# Honor Vets Of 4th Estate

## Thomas Ferguson, S. W. Challenger to Be Guest at Banquet Tonight.

Two 50-year veterans of the newspaper game in Connecticut will be guests at a dinner in the Hotel Bond, Hartford, tonight when leading members of the fourth estate gather to pay them honor. They are Sidney W. Challenger and Thomas Ferguson, of the Manchester Evening Herald. Both began their newspaper careers at approximately the same time and both have completed a half century of service in the field of journalism.

Attending from Manchester in addition to Mr. Rogers will be Malcolm Molan, editor in chief of The Herald, who also serves on newspapers with both Mr. Challenger and Mr. Ferguson, and Ronald H. Ferguson, son of the local publisher, Fred H. Ferguson. The dinner party has been arranged by James L. McGovern, of the Hartford Post, who is president of the Associated Press Connecticut circuit, and Wilbur K. Rogers, president of the Bond Hotel Corporation, himself a former newspaper man and head of the Connecticut publicity organization.

# Excursion Buses Back from Fair

The 30 persons who took the bus excursion that left Manchester at 6 o'clock Saturday morning with a stop-over in New York for the World's Fair until 8 o'clock Sunday night, returned last night. Those who took the one day excursion, which left the K. of C. home on Monday morning, returned last night. The bus trip to and from New York was made without mishap.

Welland, Ont., Oct. 18 (Canadian Press)—Stewart Nightwelder, 25-year-old Buffalo, N. Y. mechanic, failed to hold his head under the water in the tub until he was notified Sunday by his mother, Mrs. Nightwelder, who telephoned him. A Supreme court jury which ignored a plea of insanity.

# Manchester Date Book

**Tonight**  
Oct. 18—Fathers' convention of Knights of Pythias and Pythian Sisters here.

**Oct. 21**—Légion cabaret dance at Rainbow, in Boston.

**Oct. 21**—Dance of Private Duty Nurses Association at Country Club.

**Oct. 28**—Hallow's party and dance at Country Club.

**Nov. 1-3**—Hobby Show at Emmanuel Baptist church, support of Dorcas society.

**Nov. 5**—High School From.

**Nov. 10**—Mixed show and dance of King David Lodge, Halter street school.

**Nov. 21**—Lecture "Romance in Where You Find It," A. H. Blackington, Holiday street school, Educational club.

# Experiment Seen Changing Corn Planting Methods

In Farm, Ill., Oct. 16—An experiment which might revolutionize planting of the nation's corn fields because of its promise to increase production of the grain, was conducted here today.

The corn was drilled in rows only 28 inches apart, half the usual distance. The hills in each row were only 18 inches apart, with a single kernel of corn planted four inches deep in each hill, instead of two or three kernels.

Careful Cost Records Kept  
Careful cost records have been kept by Plater and cooperating machinery companies. He said cost of preparing the seed bed, exclusive of seed, was \$17.71 an acre, in machine cost, use of land, taxes and depreciation. He said the corresponding cost under the old method was \$4.31 an acre.

# 'Mercy Death' Again Is Issue

New York, Oct. 16—Lodging of a homicide case against a 26-year-old unemployed soda clerk accused of drowning his stepson in a bathtub.

Patrolman Walter Ciolek said the stepfather, Lawrence Rosa, 25-year-old Buffalo, N. Y. mechanic, failed to hold his head under the water in the tub until he was notified Sunday by his mother, Mrs. Rosa, who telephoned him. A Supreme court jury which ignored a plea of insanity.

# STATE TOMORROW AND WED. HOLLYWOOD'S RED-HEADED GIRL IN A STORY OF FLAMING YOUTH!

**Manucci Gets Year and Half**  
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The U. S. mails in his extortion attempt.

# OWEN 'PETE' WARREN Is Now Service Manager For MESSIER-NASH, Inc.

Mr. Warren is well known in Manchester having been with General Motors For a Number of Years.

# Plans to Train More Surgeons

Philadelphia, Oct. 16—Plans to train 600 more American surgeons each year, to give the average American the highly skilled surgery which has long been largely the province of the rich and the indigent, were announced by the American College of Surgeons today.

The plan is a three-year system of super-training in surgery which it is hoped will ultimately raise the crop of completely trained surgeons yearly to 600 or more and spread them into the rural districts throughout the country.

The college announced the names of 381 hospitals including five in Canada, which have been approved for this kind of training. The move sets up an official medical standard in surgery, to replace voluntary training methods of the past which produced many surgical supermen but at the expense of a large number of patients.

Three years study of surgical training problems presented today's selection of the 381 institutions. This list is not fixed and it is expected to grow as the idea of better-trained surgeons spreads. One new principle of the training will be to broaden the surgical knowledge of men who specialize in restricted fields of surgery.

Indiana Pair Seeks  
Insurance Record for All  
Classes of Planes.  
Muncie, Ind., Oct. 16—Their first aim accomplished, Roy and Kelvin F. Baxter, 23, of Richwood, Ind., are seeking to set a new world's endurance record for all classes of airplanes. The pair, who started on their flight last night the 343 hours, 46 minutes and 30 seconds mark of Humphrey Moody established the high plane endurance record at Springfield, Ill., in August.

# OPEN HOUSE Tuesday Evening 7 to 9 America's Greatest Sale WARD WEEK No Merchandise Will Be Sold Tuesday night. MONTGOMERY WARD

Colts Bargain Again  
Los Angeles—Fifteen police cars dashed up to a fur shop and 10 officers, answering a burglar alarm, filed out with drawn guns. As they started to break in a door, it lifted all right boys, he said, "there's no burglar in sight. I turned in the alarm to see how long it would take the police to get here."

# 60,840 Persons Killed In 8 Months in 1939

Atlantic City, N. J., Oct. 16—The National Safety Council reported today that 60,840 persons were killed in accidents in the United States during the first eight months of 1939.

Accidents in factories, on construction sites and in places of business resulted in death of 8,900 workmen. Railroad, air line, bus and other "public" accidents cost 11,000 lives. Statistics for both classes also represented a drop of four per cent from last year's toll.

This report was given as 29 deaths per 100,000 passengers-mile. The council reported the death toll for all types of accidents remained about the same as last year because of a heavy increase in "home" accidents. The council said 21,600 persons died from falls, burns and other preventable accidents in their homes.

The council reported safety campaigns had been very effective in cities where automobile fatalities had dropped in 1938. Automobile fatalities actually were one per cent in rural sections. Pedestrian death rates dropped six per cent as compared with one per cent for non-pedestrian fatalities.

The domestic airplane passenger death rate reached a new record low during the first six months of this year, the council said. The rate was given as 2.9 deaths per 100,000 passenger-miles.

# Local Man Hurt In City Traffic

William Varnet of 385 Middle turnpike east in at the Hartford hospital where he was taken after an automobile accident Saturday evening in Hartford. An ambulance driven by Rocco Valente was proceeding on Main street, passing the Hartford hospital, when, according to the Hartford police, the car was knocked down. He was taken to the hospital, where he was treated. He was injured, when he was knocked from the side of the ambulance.

# FOR YEAR ROUND COMFORT—New Portable STUDIO CHAIR

The new portable studio chair is the most popular piece of furniture in your home. Use it as a chair for bringing, reading and relaxing in a comfortable hot sleeping chair or as a chair in the living room. The new portable studio chair is made of light weight strong material and is easily moved. Acceptable for living room.

Pay \$1 Down - \$1 Per Week  
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### Pinhurst Fresh Vegetables

Summer Squash... ea. 10c | Green Beans... ea. 10c

Broccoli... bunch 17c | Cauliflower... bunch 17c

Beets & Carrots... bunch 17c | Decker's Spinach... bunch 17c

Really Fine Quality, Good Cooking. Native Wapping Potatoes, 3 lb. peck.

### BENDIX HOME LAUNDRY

Washers - Sinks and Dryers. We fast to do any thing but hang your wash on the line.

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Beautiful Large Console  
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To Give Talk On Literature
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About Town
The Hustlers Group of the Wesleyan Guild will hold an all-day meeting tomorrow at the Holy Method church.

Chevalier Club Picks Officers
Carle Cumberly Elected To Head Meritorious Branch of De Molay.

News From Manchester's Neighbors
Stafford Strings
Willington
Over 200 Delegates Present at Concordia Church; Highlights of Two Day Program.

Trade School Evening Term
To Register at Once; To Start on Oct. 30.

What It Means
What Happens to Rumania May Decide Red-Nazi Rivalry

Plans Research On Industries
Development Commission to Study Present Setup, Potentialities.

HALE'S SELF SERVE AND HEALTH MARKET
TUESDAY SPECIALS
Double 24c Green Stamps Given With Cash Sales

Father Byrnes to Address Catholic Ladies Tomorrow Evening.
Mrs. Walter F. Gorman is chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements for the meeting of the Catholic Ladies' Guild tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

Chevalier Club Picks Officers.
Carle Cumberly, 25, of 100 Main street, was elected president of the Chevalier Club of De Molay.

Dr. Brooks Is Slated For High K. P. Office
To Be Chosen at State Convention of Order; Rockville Lodges to Send Big Delegation.

Stafford Strings
Maurice M. Murray of Edgewood street was appointed borough tax collector for Stafford Springs by the court of burgesses.

Trade School Evening Term.
Registrations are now being received at the local Trade school for the annual evening school courses and Director John G. Schmalzer urged all who wish to enroll to do so as soon as possible.

What It Means.
By Morgan M. Beatty, Washington, D. C.
Stalin's do about Rumania is a little as to who gets the best of the bargain in eastern Europe.

Plans Research On Industries.
Harford, Oct. 16.—An extensive research program to determine the state's present industrial status and its potentialities for the future is being prepared by the Connecticut Development Commission.

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Application Made For N. End Permit
The official notice on the tavern license application for permit to sell at 215 North Main street.

Blanks Received For Examination
The examination to be taken by supernumeraries of the Manchester Police Department.

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either by bomber or submarine. This may be so but it is yet to be conclusively shown. The Royal Oak, to be sure, was an old ship, but it is not to be assumed that she was in service at this time without having been recon-ditioned and provided with the modern appliances for protection against submarine attack. Yet she went down; and more than two-thirds of her crew went with her.

Washington Daybook

Washington—All international law authorities seem to be against it, but the United States and its Pan-American associates probably can expect belligerents to observe within limitations the 30-mile band of territorial water estab-lished as a safety zone.

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Daily Radio Programs

WTIC Travelers Broadcasting Service Hartford, Conn. 7:00 A. M. Eastern Standard Time. Monday, October 16. 4:00—Backstage Life. 4:15—Stella Dallas. 4:30—Life and Sade. 4:45—Midnight. 5:00—Girl Alone. 5:15—The O'Neill. 5:30—Jack Armstrong. 5:45—Little Orphan Annie. 6:00—News and Weather. 6:15—Edging Casey's Football Roundup. 6:30—Jack Say's Ask Me An- other. 6:45—Lewell Thomas. 7:00—Fred Waring and orchestra. 7:15—Love and Mystery. 7:30—Inside of Sports with Jack Stevens. 7:45—Championia. 8:00—Tommy Riggs, Betty Lou. 8:30—Alfred Hitchcock's radio ches. 9:00—Dr. O. 9:15—Templeton Time. 9:30—Contented Program. 10:00—The Hedding and Com- pany. 11:00—News and Weather. 11:15—When Day Is Done—Larry Hurd, baritone; Bud Hinkle, pianist. 11:45—Al Donahue's orchestra. 12:00—Tommy Dorsey's orches- tra. 12:35—Silent. 1:00—Silent. 6:00—Blue Grass Roy. 6:25—News. 6:30—Francis Cronin, organist. 6:45—Morning Glory. 6:50—News, Weather. 7:15—Dope O'Day. 7:30—Radio Kasar. 8:45—Rhythm of the Day. 9:00—The Women. 9:15—Fido. 9:30—Gretchen McKinlin. 9:45—Office of Government Re- ports. 10:00—The Man I Married. 10:15—John J. White. 10:30—Just Plain Bill. 10:45—The Woman in White. 11:00—David Harum. 11:15—Lorenzo Jones. 11:30—The Road of Life. 11:45—The World of News. 12:00—Merry Melody News and Hints. 12:15—Day Dreams. 12:30—Your Family and Mine. 12:45—Singing Stars. 1:00—News, Weather. 1:15—Books—Sarah Wheeler. 1:30—The Story of Intimate Ap- parel. 2:15—The Story of Ellen Blair. 2:30—The Career of Alice Blair. 2:45—Meet Miss Julia. 3:00—The Story of Mary Martin. 3:15—Ma Perkins. 3:30—Pepper Young's Family. 3:45—The Guiding Light.

Three More Vessels Sunk

German Sub Raiders Attack British and Two French Ships. By The Associated Press. War on the seas entered its seventh week with the disclosure Sunday of the destruction of three more Allied ships. The British Royal Mail line steamer Lochovon, a German submarine raiders sank the crew of 56 of the Lochovon and approximately 350 passengers and sailors from the British islander.

Powerful Bomb Nazis' Weapon

'Thermite' Missile Generates Thousands of Degrees of Heat. Boston, Oct. 16.—An incendiary bomb capable of leveling large areas of steel and concrete buildings, which a foreign corres-pondent said he believed, Germany possessed, was described last night to a Ford Hall Forum audience.

Expect Storm To Move East

Tropical Disturbance Will Miss Bermuda Forecasters Assert. Jacksonville, Fla., Oct. 16.—(AP)—A tropical storm whipped up heavy seas as it moved northward in the Atlantic off Bermuda today on a path expected to take it east of the British island.

Writing It Out There has been much speculation as to the ability of the population of belligerent nations to sustain their emotional stability under the stress of the enormous dislocations resulting from modern warfare. Judging from our reports almost of them—British, French, German, even the desperately aggrieved Czechs and Poles, to say nothing of the Bal- tic peoples, appear to have main- tained their reason and self con- trol better than some of our eye- witness Americans. Persons who climb onto the soapbox and put themselves on record as Colonel Lindbergh and Senator Landon have within the last three days given the impression that they have been looking on at a tragedy that was too much for them and have gone suddenly—let us say tem- perately—batty.

Technology Costs When the New England Tele- phone Company, some years ago, asked the state of Massachusetts for authority to raise rates to pay for the installation of the dial sys- tem, it was met with a storm of protest with thousands of switchboard operators and make some more profit, there was a storm of pro- test, not unaided with jerry built laughter at the enormous costs of the request. The permission to raise rates was not granted, an- economically sound, able to feed its own money in the reconstruction of its system instead of its cus- tomers' cash.

Turkey's Defiance The apparent defiance of Rus- sia by Turkey—recently indicat- ing that she would not accept Rus- sian refusal to take orders from Mos- cow as to abandoning her under- standing with Great Britain and France—is accompanied by a Turkish reminder to Stalin that 2,000,000 Turks could be aligned against any Russian aggression. Russia has the tradition of one victory over Turkey, away back in 1878-79. A victory of sorts. But at that time Turkey was the most woefully misgoverned and demoralized country on the face of the earth—worse, a good deal, than Russia. Under-armed, under- supplied, short of ammunition and equipment, the Turks made a brilliant display in the field. They put up at Pleven and Shkpa Pasa.

Children Go to School. Paris, Oct. 16.—(AP)—French children went back to school today with gas masks and防毒面具. The children were in their traditional bag of pencils, paper and books. Classes began this morning in many cities and towns after a delay from the normal start of the reopening because of the war.

When Lindbergh intersects in a discussion of our foreign relations a broadcast declaring that the time is sure to come when we must demand that all European nations shall accept of this principle—meaning of course that Britain must abandon the last tenuous fragments of her empire over Canada, and that Senator Landon demands that we grab England's West Indies possessions in lieu of defeated war debts—while she is engaged in her fight with Hitler, and sim- ply represent only that part of the American people who have been jugged out of their equilib- rium by the social and political earthquake overseas.

Charges for depreciation and depletion of steel plant equip- ment and properties averaged nearly \$5 per ton of finished product produced in 1938, an increase of nearly 50 per cent over depreciation and depletion charges for 1937. More rapid obsolescence of steel plant equipment in recent years as a result of technological progress, and the installation of more expensive equipment, has increased the rate at which plants and equipment de- preciate. These have been ma- jor factors in raising deprecia- tion and depletion charges from \$3.85 in the 1935-36 year to an average of \$4.25 in 1937-38.

Stupid The British Admiralty's reply to the invitation of the Pan-Am- erican Republics to all belligerents to restrict their operations to wa- ters outside of the neutral zone adopted by the Panama confer- ence is not what might reasonably be expected. It is high hat. It is stupid. In the manner of a pedagogue who in an infant class it in- forms the pupils that the defini- tion of territorial waters which the admiralty still thinks a view not at all universally ac- cepted in this country. It is stupid. The stupidity of the answer lies in its failure to recognize the fact that the validity of such a zone as the Panama conference established depends not at all on the recognition by the British or German admiralties but in the power and will of its creators to enforce it, and the further fact that it would be very much to the

Verdict Seeking Escaped Convicts. Windsor, Vt., Oct. 16.—(AP)—State troopers searched outlying sections today for Vermont state prison convicts who threw a warning rope over a 25-foot brick wall last night and hauled themselves to freedom. The convicts, Charles Reed, 32, of Pittsford, and Howard Brock, 28, of Ferrisburgh, were serving sentences for grand larceny.

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Radio Day by Day

Eastern Standard Time. Mutual Broadcasting System will carry a 15-minute description of the almost entirely new moon from an airplane Oct. 28, beginning at 10:30. In the plane and at the microphone will be Dave Driscoll of CBS, Dr. William B. Mason, Jr., F. Truett Davidson and Hans Christian Andersen of the Astro- nomical Museum of Natural History.

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Hale's Store to Mark Its 64th Anniversary

To Celebrate the Event by Holding a Five Day Sale in All Departments of Store. The J. W. Hale Corporation will observe its 64th anniversary...

Won't Admit Getting False U. S. Passport

First time a passport ever had been issued to Bedacht was May 10, 1933, when the witness had told of the North American Committee to Aid Spanish Democracy.

The Hale and Day store on Charter Oak street, now occupied by the Charter Oak Grocery and Auto Supply Company...

The Destruction of the J. W. Hale Block

In April, 1908, fire destroyed the town's largest department store. Picture above shows the ruins of Hale building...

N. Y. Stocks

Table listing various stocks and their prices, including Adams Exp, Air Transport, and Am Rail.

Local Stocks

Table listing local stocks and their prices, including Aetna Casualty, Am Hardware, and Am Rail.

Rural Pastor Guest Speaker

Rev. George B. Gilbert Entertains Members of Local Kiwanis Club. Rev. George B. Gilbert of Middletown...

Weddings

Camposco-Salvatore. Rev. William J. Dunn, rector of the Holy Trinity church officiated at the marriage...

Public Records To Attend Meet Of GOP Women

Application for a marriage license has been filed by Dominick Dowling, printer, of Rockville...

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Nazis Claim Cruiser Hit By Torpedo

With completion of occupation of the German zone in Poland, it is reported that a British submarine torpedoed a German cruiser...

Overnight News Of Connecticut

Middleton-Mrs. Sarah A. Middleton, widow of Joseph H. Middleton, died at her home...

Decline To Comment

The British Admiralty declined today to comment on reports that a German submarine sank the British battleship Repulse...

Carried Plane Paris

Los Angeles, Oct. 16.—(AP)—The British military aircraft carrier, the RFA Latham, carried a supply of aircraft...

THE MANCHESTER PUBLIC MARKET. Tuesday Corned Beef Special. Rib or Navel Corned Beef... 12c lb.

JOAN OF ARKANSAS

By Jerry Brondfield. Joan saw that only in class that Friday. He had even called her during the week...

4H Club Elects Officers for Year

This month 4-H Clubs all over the United States start their annual year. The British Institute of Journalists and managing editor of the Belfast Telegraph...

Yugoslavs Report Surplus for Year

Belgrade, Oct. 16.—(AP)—The Yugoslav government reported today it had ended the 1938-39 fiscal year with a surplus of 200,000,000 dinars...

Gallogly Appeals To Texas Governor

Austin, Tex., Oct. 16.—(AP)—Austin Richard Gray Gallogly, 30, has appealed to Gov. James V. Van Meter for clemency...

KEMP'S, INC. Clothes sprayer and pin bag with every washer purchased this week-National Washer and Ironer Week.

Favor Quitting Sentiment Strong in State to Go Home Following Neutrality Vote

Washington, Oct. 16.—(AP)—The sentiment was strong in the Senate today for voting on the neutrality bill...

Deaths Last Night

Belfast—John Bayers, 59, president of the Belfast Institute of Journalists and managing editor of the Belfast Telegraph...

Quotations

We should concentrate on making democracy work at home and this maintain our civil liberties...

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It is my duty to say all those things that Stalin may tomorrow betray Hitler and return to collaboration...

EVERYBODY'S MARKET. Sugar 10 pounds 61c. Lard Rath's 2 pounds 19c. Lux Flakes package 21c.

Motoring Home Out of the War

Article No. 7. I work up at 8:30. Nine-thirty. And I had left a call at the hotel desk for 6:30...

Ward's Sales To Make Jobs

James Blair, manager of the Montgomery Ward store, announced today that he was adding to the store's selling force in preparation for the Ward Week sale...

War Making Immigration To United States Harder

Immigration from the countries involved in the present war has been made much more difficult...

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ANEMIA. The healthy person must have the required amount of red blood cells...

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Hungary Holds 140 Outlawed Nazi Members

Hungary holds 140 outlawed Nazi members... The anniversary of the founding of the Cristoforo Colombo Society...

Compromise Seen With Finns Turks

Compromise seen with Finns, Turks... The Russian press has been desirous for some time to reach an agreement with Hungary as a result...

About Town

About town... The first German general... The first German general... The first German general...

Try to Avert Chrysler Row

Try to avert Chrysler row... A strike threatened the corporation... The Chrysler Corporation...

Local Sport Chatter

Local sport chatter... The writer neglected to publish his predictions for the week-end...

Baldwin Wants Cut in Grants

Baldwin wants cut in grants... The chief executive disclosed the latest step in a general study of state aid...

Receives High Masonic Honor

Receives high masonic honor... Fred Ayer Verplanck, of 23 Wood Street, has been elected...

Funerals

Funerals... Mrs. Catherine Sullivan... The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Sullivan...

Chinese Storm

Chinese storm... The Chinese storm... The Chinese storm...

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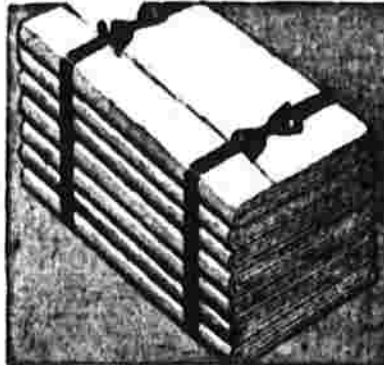
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**NEWPORT SHEETS**

Slight oil spots, uneven hems or slight misweaves.

reg \$1.29	81x108	97c
reg \$1.19	81x99	87c
reg \$1.00	63x99	77c



These slight irregularities will not impair the wearing qualities. These sheets have no sizing or dressing and will wear for years.

Fineweave  
**Percal Pillow Cases**

45" x 36" - 45" x 36"  
Guaranteed for at least four years' wear. Made of fine quality percale.

**5 for \$1.00**



Regular 29c 22" x 44" Cannon  
**Bath Towels**

Fine quality absorbent Cannon towels with colored borders in blue, gold, green, orchid and peach. Buy plenty at this price.

**4 for \$1.00**

Pure Linen  
**Dish Towels**

Fine quality linen towels in two-tone borders.

**5 for \$1.00**



Reg. 59c Hand Blocked 50x50

**Lunch Cloths**  
**2 for \$1.00**

Smart new designs in colorful floral patterns. All color combinations.

50 x 68	79c
57 x 78	\$1.19

Floral Pattern  
**Chenille Bedspreads**

**\$2.97**

A smart new pattern in two-tone floral pattern on white grounds.  
Blue, gold, green, orchid, peach, rose, all white, du-bonnet.



Innerspring and Beautyrest  
**Mattress Covers**

Protects your new mattress and makes your old mattress new. Made of good quality unbleached cotton cloth with seams all bound and with rubber buttons. Full, 3/4 and single bed sizes.

**\$1.00**

**Priscilla Curtains**

48" Pin Dot Priscilla Curtains  
43" Pussywillow Dot Priscilla Curtains

Beautiful curtains for every room in the house. **99c pr.**

In spite of rising prices we are able to offer these outstanding values at remarkable savings as this merchandise was purchased months ago in anticipation of this event. These items represent but a small part of many savings in all departments.

Featherproof  
**Pillow Ticks**  
**4 for \$1.00**

Re-cover those old pillows now. Blue and white striped pillow ticks that are guaranteed feather-proof. Regularly 29c each.

70" x 90" All White  
**Sheet Blankets**  
**79c**

Keep warm this winter. Buy several at this low price. Extra large size, 70" x 90".

Regular 25c, 36" Fast Color  
**Punjab Percales and  
Printed Poplins**  
**6 yards \$1.00**

2,000 yards of new percales and printed poplins in large and small designs. Guaranteed washable.

Regular 39c, New Fall  
**Scotch Clan Plaids**  
**3 yards \$1.00**

For skirts, dresses and jackets. Beautiful patterns in authentic Clan plaids. Also wool-like checks and spun rayons.

Regular 29c, New Fall  
**Wash Fabrics**  
**4 yards \$1.00**

A beautiful range of Scotch Clan plaids for children's and girls' wear. Fast colors and a large range of patterns.

**Basement Specials**

59c FLOWER VASES in mat white pottery. 9-inch vases in a variety of shapes and sizes. Plain and embossed. Anniversary Price **25c**  
\$1.29 FLOWER VASES, Gibson Girl design. Anniversary Price **50c**  
\$1.98 TABLE LAMPS, decorated pottery with shades to match. New designs. Anniversary Price **\$1 69**  
BOUDOIR AND VANITY LAMPS in Glass or Maple. Also Pin Up Lamps, all fitted with attractive shades. Anniversary Prices: **\$1 00, \$1.25, \$1.49**  
\$1.29 DECORATED WOOD SALAD BOWL SETS. 10" bowl with wood fork and spoon. Anniversary Price **\$1 00**  
\$1.29 HOSTESS TRAYS, hardwood decorated with plain center cheese board, 14" tray. Anniversary Price **\$1 00**  
TABLE MAT SETS of pressed cork with painted designs. 13-piece sets in gift box. **50c**  
8-Piece Coaster Set in gift box. **25c**  
\$1.00 WASTE BASKETS, porcelain enameled inside and outside in colors. Anniversary Price **50c**  
RADIATOR COVERS, heavy steel. Walnut or Ivory finish. 9" wide adjustable to 34". Anniversary Price **69c**  
\$1.25 HANDLED BASKETS for fireplace or use as a magazine basket. Comes filled with treated pine cones which burn with colored flame. Anniversary Price **\$1 00**

**39c Lion Brand Rayon Underwear** Anniversary Special  
Tailored garments in Step-ins, Flare Panties, Band Panties, Vests. Tea Rose color. **29c each**

Special Purchase  
**BRAND NEW  
FALL HATS**

**94<sup>c</sup>**

FOR ANNIVERSARY ONLY

Hundreds of Hats in this sale. Big variety of sport and dressy styles - snap brims - rollers - turbans - pill boxes - berets and dozens of other fashions



Felts  
Antelopes  
Wool Jerseys  
Rayon Velvets  
All Head Sizes  
Black Brown And Colors



Hale's M. K. M.  
First Quality  
Ringless

**Silk  
Hosiery**

4-thread sheer chiffons or 7-thread service weight. Here is a stocking that we know from experience wears and looks well. Anniversary Special!

Regularly 69c

**2 pr. \$1.25**



Ladies'  
**Gloves**

Made in America. Leather and fabric combinations in smart slip-on styles in wanted new shades.

**89c pair**

**Hooverettes** Small, Medium, Large

Regularly 59c.

**2 for \$1.00**

**New Housedresses**

Printed percales, excellent quality and good styling. Sizes 14 to 44. **69c**

**Children's Dresses**

Reg. \$1.98, Sale price \$1.69

Reg. \$1.19, Sale price \$1.00

Reg. \$1.19, Sale price \$1.00

Reg. \$1.98, Sale price \$1.69

Children's Socks

Knee length socks, navy or brown with colored tops, latex at the top to hold them firmly in place. Sizes 6 1/2 to 8.

**19c pr.**

79c Kozy Kid  
**Sleepers**

Buttoned down front with drop seat and feet, for boys or girls. Sizes 2 to 8.

**69c**



**Marquette**

Taken from stock, the popular Marquette undebelt foundation garment, wide undebelt to give ample support—swanee top.

**\$2.95**

**Flannel Pajamas and Gowns**

Plain colors and floral prints - all full cut garments.

**97c**

**Print Aprons**

In cover-all and neckband styles. Ruffled or piped in contrasting braid. Fast colors.

**29c ea.**

"Velvet Grip"  
**Girdles or  
Pantie Girdles**

With drier or stretcher frame. Girdles—small, medium, large. Girdle and Drier. Both for

**89c**

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