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**Back to The People?**  
It has come to be editorial and commenting routine to welcome the news of a Congressional recess with the same observation that the Congress will have an opportunity to get back to the people and check up on its own conduct.

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**Connecticut Yankee**  
By A. H. O.  
This is a pre-Christmas aside to all who share the desire of being family heads. We deserve the privilege of having a sympathetic little chat among ourselves with no interference from the distaff or the juvenile side of things. None of us family heads would, for the world, have these other know exactly how we feel about the whole thing. But perhaps, comparing notes, we can manage things a little more smoothly next year.

**The One Complaint Missing.**  
The main impetus for the threatened railroad strike lies not in the economic distress of the railroad workers, who are relatively well paid, but in their feeling, perhaps their fear, that some one else is getting more out of this war than they are. They think others are getting higher wages; they see no reason why they shouldn't too.

Carried to its ultimate conclusion, this feeling could make every last American wage earner start a campaign to get himself just as much money as the most skilled overtime worker in the highest wage defense industry. And the ultimate conclusion would go far beyond that if we are going to demand absolute equality in war gain, there are some ten million men in the armed services who have no right to be left out of the slightest reason in the world why they should take the man and pay him \$50 a month and take another and give him much more than that a week.

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Brown stamps A and B in Book Four good through January 1 with stamps L, M, N and P. Stamp R will be good December 26, 1941.

**Green Stamps**  
Green stamps A, B and C in Book Four good through December 26, 1941. Stamp D, E and F good through January 20, 1942. Stamp G, H and J will be good January 1 to February 20, 1942.

**Sugar**  
"Sugar" stamp 20 in back of Book Four will be good through January 15 for five pounds. Do not confuse with stamp 20 in front of Book Four.

**Shoes**  
Aeroplane stamp number one in Book Three valid for one pair indefinitely. Stamp 18 in Book One still valid for an indefinite period. To control the black market, loose coupons cannot be accepted except with a small order.

**Fuel Oil**  
Period One coupons valid to January 4. Period Two coupons valid to February 8. Class four worth ten gallons, class five worth fifty gallons. Period Three coupons will become valid January 4.

**Head**  
Now is the time to save oil. Before the coldest weather oil supply prospects are still uncertain.

**Open Forum**  
A Christmas Thought  
By Annie Russell Atkinson  
Christmas! What wonderful magic the word holds for both the young and the old. At once happy thoughts brighten our horizon, the spirit of good cheer takes possession of our hearts and mind, even if the clouds above are dark and lowering and sad-faced sorrow is lifted above the present circumstances; joy that follows the light of hope and the promise of a better day, which has depressed us in planning for the future and anxiety which has those who are less fortunate than we are, the divine blessing, enriches our spirits.

**Strike Time Week Away**  
(Continued from Page One)  
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### Rationing News

By Anthony F. Arpaia, Director  
Office of Price Administration

At this writing, we have plenty of rationing stamps on hand... and that's not in fact, only a few stamps have been issued so rapidly in the last few months that the government has nearly all out for the purpose of moving it faster from crowded coaters to your table.

With one card and stamp we can make mistakes... particularly in the case of stamps A, B and C. It is most of us. One of these has recently brought to my attention that it contains the stamp stamps in Book III.

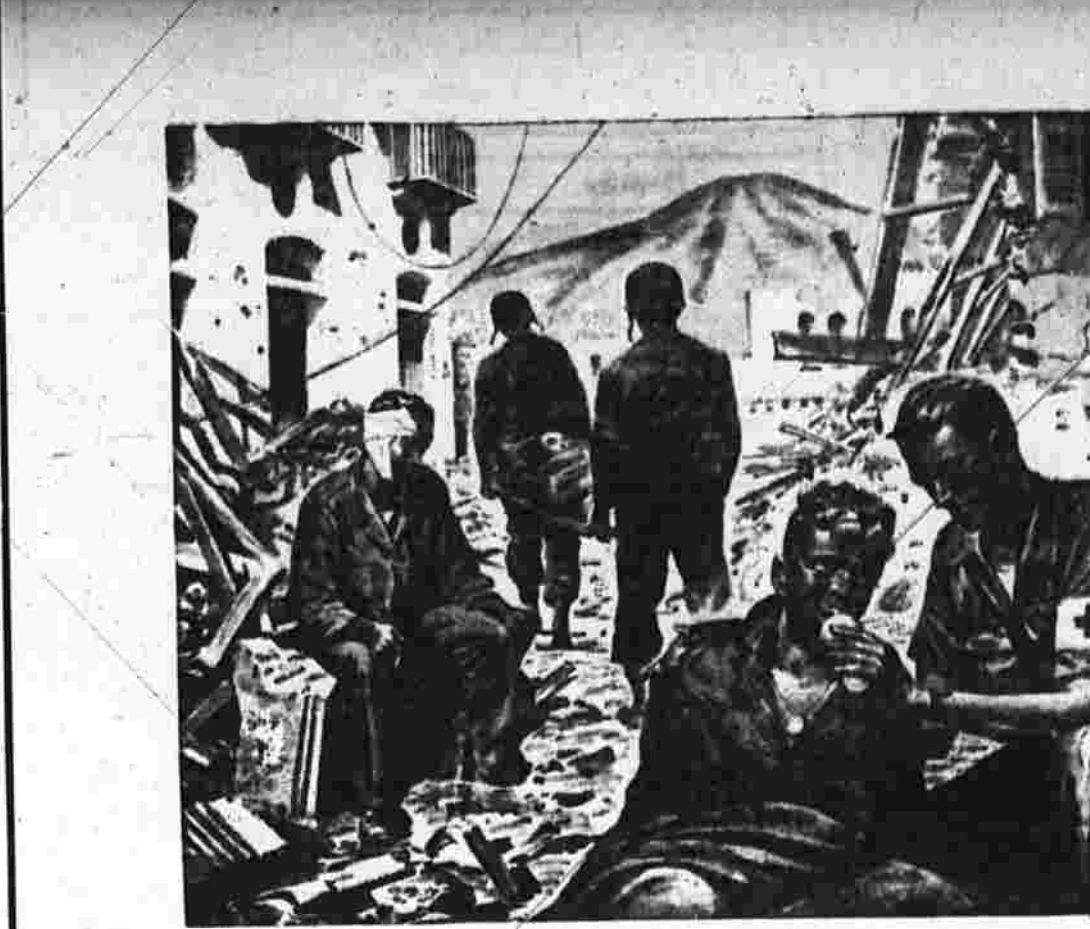
**Anti-Tank Unit Plays Big Role Minus Armor**  
(Continued from Page One)  
Special air defenses of the entire campaign... every one of the 18 companies was shot down. Lieut. William Kramer of Chicago, together with Staff Sergeant Robert W. Southard of Rockville, Conn., led their platoon in taking over the beach defenses of a small island in the group, while Lieut. Robert Bergin of Prockville, N.Y., and Staff Sergeant Wilbert Eades of Rockville, did a similar job with their platoon on another island. The foot of the anti-tank company took up positions as anti-aircraft gunners.

**High Losses Seen Within Ninety Days**  
(Continued from Page One)  
The 90-day period would have two obvious possibilities: A winter rise in the pace of battle, or a springtime invasion with the Allies prepared to suffer terrific losses in the first lightning stroke. Espionage will be in 90 days, and the war news argues against an invasion before then.

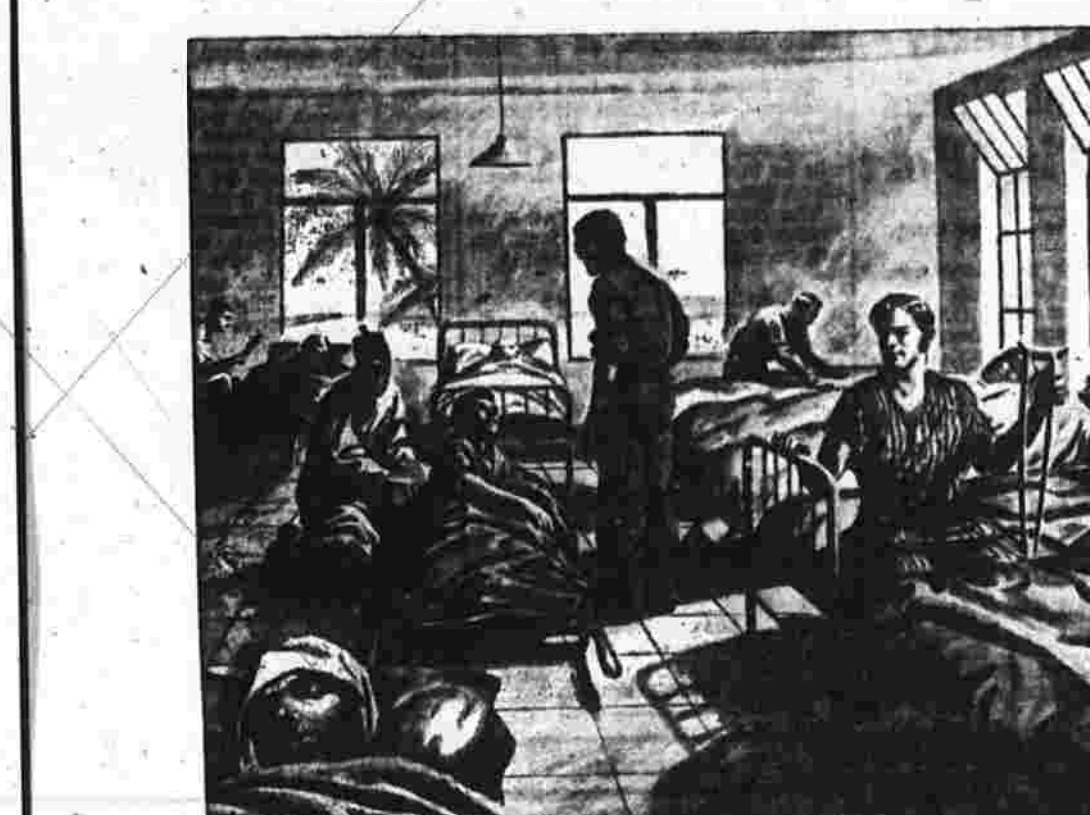
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**Small Fire Gets Out of Control**  
Boys skating on a small pond at Homestead Park yesterday afternoon at 3:30 set a small fire along the edge of the pond and in the country in all directions. The boys were in the pond when the fire broke out. Neighbors called in a still alarm to the Manchester fire department. It was feared that the blaze might spread to some buildings near at hand.

**Warning Is Given On Fire Hazards**  
Chief Albert Foy again gives warning at Christmas time. He points out care should be taken when an electrical candle is in windows during curtains. He also says as we join in the Christmas season, we should be careful of fire hazards. He also says as we join in the Christmas season, we should be careful of fire hazards.



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South Pacific—Christmas, 1943



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English Channel—Christmas, 1943

# Merry Christmas, everybody?

THIS YEAR, when you wish everybody Merry Christmas, think of the millions of American boys who aren't having such a merry time.

Think of the wounded soldiers in Italy, the half-frozen sailors on the Atlantic, the marines in Jap-infested jungles, the American captives behind Nazi barbed wire —

You'll find it a little easier to think about them if you're doing everything you can do to help the cause they're fighting for.

How can you help?  
By buying extra War Bonds.  
Buy extra Bonds for Christmas gifts.  
Buy extra Bonds for the boys overseas.  
Buy extra Bonds for yourself and your family.

# FOR PEACE ON EARTH ★ BUY WAR BONDS

WATKINS BROTHERS, Inc.

This advertisement prepared under the auspices of the U. S. Treasury Department and the War Advertising Council.



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Automobiles for Sale 4
Dogs—Birds—Pets 41
Household Goods 51
ROOMS FURNISHED house, garage, fireplace, oil burner, situated in the Green section...

Ellington
Mrs. G. F. Berry
Mrs. A. R. Rockefeller
Edward Lanz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lanz of Rockville road, is a patient in the Hartford hospital...

Marlborough
Mrs. Howard Lord
332 E. East Hampton
A number of people have received cards from Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Christiansen who are wintering in St. Petersburg, Fla. Local school closing for the Christmas vacation...

Hebron
Miss Marie Natalie Jones, daughter of the Commissioner of Domestic Animals, Claude W. Jones and Mrs. Jones, is a graduate of Arnold College of New Haven, Conn...

Will Open Ponds To Ice Fishing
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College Set
The Manchester Homes Corporation to John McCarthy et al. property on Hawthorne street. William F. Johnson to Harold F. and Mart T. Dugas of East Hartford...

LANK LEONARD
By Mrs. Anne Cabot
As practiced on red flannels and for lined overalls—just a whole lot prettier! This is a new pattern with a flamboyant red rose and green leaves...

The Doctor's Daughters

By FAITH BALDWIN
Chapter XXIX
Crisis for Nancy
could have arisen above her. She put her hand on his arm...

Sense and Nonsense

The Doctor was visiting Sambo's wife to deliver her twelfth offspring. While riding along with Sambo he saw a duck in the road...

Hold Everything

Apply—A chap who boxes for fun.
The whiff-poor-will nearest to the birdlife in this country was not selected by any state...

Red Ryder
No Press Now
Maybe you can't make a milk prairie out of a cow's ear, but a silk stocking certainly improves a calf.

Funny Business
Jim looked for his car, bewildered. Nancy, he thought, running out, as fast as could. His young face was set and miserable...

Boots and Her Buddies
Ab-h-h-h!
When she kissed him this evening she picked up something else. When she kissed him she had not been the whom she embraced.

Side Glances
BY GALBRAITH
The "Squander Bug" does on Christmas shopping cruises, like a chief, buy an awful lot of pocketbooks in the mad scramble...

Freckles and His Friends
And That's That
I DON'T CARE IF YOU DO WANT TO TAKE TO HER? ... DOW, IT GETS FREEZING IN HERE!

Wash Tubs
Take a 'Chute Along
THEY WON'T GET OUT ALIVE WITH INFORMATION. THEY'VE BEEN TRAPPED IN THE FOREST BY PRODS...

Out Our Way
BY J. R. WILLIAMS
THE MANAGER OF THE STORE TELL YOU TO LOAD UP ON THE GROCERY ORDERS...

Our Boarding House
Major Hoople
HULLO YOU STUPES! DIDN'T YOU RECKONIZE OLD SANNY? I'VE GOT THE BEST PRESENTS OBTAINED AS A...

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Manchester—A City of Village Charm

MANCHESTER, CONN., FRIDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1943

(FOURTEEN PAGES)

PRICE THREE CENTS

About Town
Rheumatoid Walter Ferguson...

Has Authority Over Election
The Board of Selectmen of Manchester...

Observe 52nd Wedding Anniversary
Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bray of 13 Wadsworth street...



Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bray of 13 Wadsworth street will quietly observe the 52nd anniversary of their marriage tomorrow...

Giving Bonus To Employees
Hale and House Corporation Give Christmas Remembrance.

Mrs. Kavanagh's English Muffins
Leading Stores and Restaurants Throughout Manchester and the State of Connecticut

Average Daily Circulation For the Month of November, 1943
8,537

8th Army Seizes Vezzani in Drive; Dig Out Germans
Wet, Wintery Weather Handicaps All Operations on Entire Italian Front...

Allied Planes Hit at Japs' Supply Ships
Shooting Down at Least 14 Enemy Aircraft During Attacks; 20 Vessels Seen at Kwajalein.

Roosevelt Announces Eisenhower to Lead Forces for Invasion
No Reference Made to Future of Marshall; Selection Approved at Recent War Conference...

Pope Wants Just and Honest Peace
Prays 'This Will Be Last Christmas of War' in Message to World; Urges Planning Now.

No Herald Tomorrow
No issue of the Manchester Evening Herald will be published tomorrow, Christmas Day.

Yanks Throng Shrine to Pay Christ Honor
Americans of All Ranks Converge on Jerusalem and Bethlehem; Special Mass to Be Climax

Damage Set At \$750,000
Fire Wrecks Business Block Near Yale in New Haven Today.

Flash!
(Late Bulletin of the 27th Wire)
Soviet Pressing Forward...

New Threat Of Reprisals
Germans Broadcast Action Against Army Fliers.

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Partisans Also Occupy Area Close to Brest; Blast Power Plant.
London, Dec. 24.—(AP)—Partisans also occupied an area close to Brest, and blew up a power plant, it was reported today.

Announcement
In cooperation with the United States Fuel Conservation Program G. E. Willis & Son, Inc., now offer a complete insulation service to make your limited fuel supply last longer.

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PLEASE NOTE! WE WILL CLOSE AT 10 P. M. XMAS EVE.
DIANA'S TAVERN
208 Spruce Street — Between Maple and Oak Streets

SEASON'S GREETINGS
Best Wishes For A Very Merry Christmas And A Happy New Year
From The Manchester Convalescent Home and Staff

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"WHERE GOOD FELLOWS GET TOGETHER"
DINE AND DANCE
To the Lifting Tunes of DON MAC and HIS RHYTHM MASTERS
DELICIOUS FOODS — MODEST PRICES!
ROAST BEEF ROAST LAMB
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Our Kitchen Closes At 11 P. M.
39 OAK STREET TEL. 3894
Fine Wines — Liquors and Beer

LEE WATER-BLOC HATS
"THE PERFECT GIFT"
Give him a Miniature Hat in a Gift Box with a Gift Certificate and let him select his own style and size.
\$5
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Solon Urges Army Might Be Retained
Wadsworth Advocates Five-Point Program As Insurance to Maintain Peace in World.

Nazis Admit New Breaks In Defenses
Reds' Baltic Army Hitting Outer Lines at Vitebsk as German Tank Drive Stopped.

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Attack Brings Destruction of Capital Near Three-Quarters Mark.

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Federal Operation Of Railroads Prospects
New Offer by 15 Non-Operating Unions Adds Dash of Uncertainty To Labor Dispute.

Senate Races In 15 States Hold Control
Republicans Seek to Upset Democratic Incumbents; Any 12 to Be Sufficient Gain.

Seizure Date Not Set
The announcement said a date for seizure had not been set, but at one of his mediation conferences previously the president said he would move in 24 hours before the strike leading to be sure that employees had adequate notice.

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