

Manchester Evening Herald

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About Town

Revenue Collector Samuel Nelson stated today in view of the recent decision of the State Supreme Court, any veteran who had been on the list of 1947 and had proven his claim by having their discharge papers recorded in the office of the Town Clerk...

Heard Along Main Street

Do you want to make your Christmas tree and pine branches longer lasting and more resistant to fire? A local group of men suggests two methods which will keep the pine needles moist and give the effect of frost or freshly fallen snow...

Kiddies Party At Hospital

Children's Ward Gaily Decorated for Christmas Social. There were stars in the eyes of the youngsters in Children's Ward of the Manchester Memorial hospital yesterday afternoon as 14 of them with their mothers happily enjoyed a Christmas party given for them by the nurses in Children's Ward.

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Clamp Nutcracker Operation on Fledgling Indonesian Republic After Taking Capital In Lightning Moves; Top Leaders of Republic Almost No Resistance. Batavia, Java, Dec. 20. (AP)—Dutch forces, clamping a nutcracker operation on the fledgling Indonesian republic, raced unchecked through Central Java today after taking the capital, Djakarta, in lightning moves.

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HOME TOWN NEWS

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Intervention Viewed Useless in Indonesia

Plan to Unify Federal Units Against Spies. Administration Seeking to Put 20-Odd Intelligence Agencies Under Single Control. Washington, Dec. 20. (AP)—The administration not only aims to tighten laws against spying but also seeks to put the government's 20-odd intelligence agencies under unified control.

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Self Defense Given Reason For Shooting

In defense of her life against an attack by the sergeant who was in the room with her, Mrs. Ybarbo... The sergeant was angry because she was not afraid to say anything to him... Mrs. Ybarbo took the stand wearing the same dress she had on the night of the shooting...

About Town

A program of familiar Christmas carols will be played from the tower of the South Methodist church on the case Memorial... Mrs. Ybarbo was charged under the German law which makes it a capital offense to kill a member of the occupying forces...

Fighting Reported Close to Tientsin

(Continued from Page One) North reported Red guerrillas in a surprise raid had struck at a chowmen-Some street fighting was reported in the southern city... Nationalist commanders already forced to draw in their armor...

Obituary

Deaths
Mrs. James K. Oliver
Mrs. Anna Veronica Oliver, wife of James K. Oliver of 400 Woodbridge street, died yesterday at Memorial hospital...
Funerals
Funeral services for William Wilson Johnson, chief boatwain of the U. S. Navy, will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the Waterbury funeral home...

Plan to Unify Federal Units Against Spies

(Continued from Page One) Success of the plan, the government said, will depend on full cooperation with other countries in western Europe and the commonwealth... The French have criticized the bill-lightening in the British parliament because, they say, it does not include provisions for a wide range of luxury goods such as wines and fine textiles...

Storm Causes Traffic Jams

By The Associated Press
Cape Cod, Mass., Dec. 29.—A second snow storm of the winter with only one death attributed to the 12 to 16 inch blanket which pelled the state for more than 20 hours... The storm which at times threatened to equal that of Dec. 28 and 27 last year caused the usual traffic jams but did not disrupt rail and bus service to anywhere near the extent of a few minor traffic accidents were reported but with the exception of one at Canton which took the life of a Westfield, Mass., woman, no serious injuries were reported...

Self-Service Incident Puts Doctor \$5 Ahead

Los Angeles, Dec. 29.—(AP)—An incident broke into a doctor's office at night, removed a patient from the office, and left a \$50 bill in payment... Dr. Nelson A. Young reported that the self-service incident took place at his office but some fresh blood was spilled... Dr. Young, who is \$5 ahead since his fee is only \$5 for such a service...

Thining of Blind Dog Saves Mistress in Fire

Gloucester, N. J., Dec. 29.—The thining of a blind dog yesterday warned the animal's mistress that her house was on fire... Mrs. Anna McLaughlin, 60, was awakened by the whining of her pet, "Tippie," and summoned help by making her way to a bedroom window... A passerby, Samuel Cahill, helped Mrs. McLaughlin downstairs and then called firemen who confined the blaze to the dining room...

Fire Destroys Durham Home

Durham, Dec. 29.—A family of six, including four children ranging in years from six to 12, was made homeless here last night when fire destroyed their home... Mrs. Hildy Dale and her children were forced to flee from the flames shortly after 11 p. m. on the night of the fire... Mrs. Dale and her children were taken to the Middlebury home of Mrs. Dale's mother...

Seek Advice On Witnesses

(Continued from Page One) returned by a New York grand jury... The grand jury returned indictments against 12 Communist party leaders on grounds they conspired to overthrow the U. S. government... Mrs. Ybarbo testified that she was sitting on the floor with her arms around her neck and the sergeant was hitting her...

Two Face Charges Over Car Theft

Because they engaged in a little argument over a meal check at the Acadia restaurant here early yesterday morning, two men today were facing charges in connection with the theft of a car in Windsor, an offense which was laid to them... The "lark" group is part of the "lark" group which is part of the "lark" group...

Fast Skyrider Model Developed

San Bernardino, Calif., Dec. 29.—(AP)—A new model of the Skyrider, a fast version of the Skyrider, is being developed by the Skyrider Aircraft Corp. of San Bernardino... The new model is being developed by the Skyrider Aircraft Corp. of San Bernardino...

Russians Firing In Air Lift Lines

Berlin, Dec. 29.—(AP)—Russian aircraft firing was reported today in the Hamburg-Berlin corridor in instrument panel reduction... Soviet authorities noted that the Allied Air Safety center here that their fighters should be shooting at toward targets at Perleberg, the direction and time were specified... High fog blotted out the sun in Berlin today but British and American cargo planes carried on the air lift without interruption...

Show Sympathy For Indonesians

Tokyo, Dec. 29.—(AP)—Dutch military action in Indonesia today prompted many Japanese to conclude that western powers were subsidizing the principles on which Japanese war criminals were convicted... Many Japanese expressed sympathy for the Indonesians. Government officials, newspapermen and students pointed out their belief that the Dutch action paralleled what the Japanese had done... The attack, said one spokesman, "is just like backing up what Japan did." A student expressed the opinion that "this is the same old strong old weak philosophy."

Bishop Budlong's Brother Is Dead

West Hartford, Dec. 29.—(AP)—The Rev. C. Montagu Budlong, bishop of West Hartford, brother of the Rev. Frederick G. Budlong, bishop of the Episcopal diocese of Connecticut, died Sunday at Hartford... Mr. Budlong was in charge of boys' and men's clubs in various New York suburbs and served as a trustee of the Episcopal diocese of Connecticut, died Sunday at Hartford... He leaves his widow, Mrs. Isabel Church Budlong, his only child, and a sister, Mrs. Mabel Budlong.

Skull Fracture Fatal

West Hartford, Dec. 29.—(AP)—George R. Budlong, 23, of Windsor, died Sunday in a Hartford hospital from a skull fracture sustained in an automobile accident Friday... The 23-year-old son of the Rev. C. Montagu Budlong was struck by a car driven by Mrs. Mary Wold, 56, also of Windsor...

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Music Competition Planned

Geneva.—(AP)—Geneva's fifth international music competition will take place from Sept. 19 to Oct. 2, 1949, the organizing committee decided recently... Prizes totaling 11,000 Swiss francs (\$1,070) will be awarded to the best performers in singing, piano and woodwind and string instruments... Musicians of all countries between the ages of 15 and 30 of either sex are eligible to compete.

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Bus Drivers Given Raise
15 Cents Hourly Increase Retroactive to Last April 1

New Haven, Dec. 20.—Approximately 2,000 employees of the Connecticut Company were informed over the week-end that they had been given a Christmas increase of 15 cents retroactive to last April 1.

At the same time some 750 employees of the Connecticut Light and Power Company were informed that they too would participate in the award made by a three-man Board of Arbitration.

The Connecticut Company and its subsidiaries will employ 1,500 drivers and 500 maintenance men. The C. L. & P. award does not apply to the maintenance men of that company as they are not being to the union involved.

Highest in New England
The increase raises the hourly rate of bus drivers to \$1.50, the highest in New England and equal to the rate paid drivers of "Chicago Properties," the highest.

The decision of the arbitrators is binding upon the companies, ends a dispute which has been pending since the expiration of the old contract last March 31. The three-man board took over as the dispute became stalemate when the union demanded 30 cents hourly increase.

The board consisted of Judge Kenneth Wynne of the Superior court as the neutral member; David E. Fitzgerald, Jr., attorney for the Amalgamated Association of Street, Electric Rail and Motor Coach Operators; and Harry A. Piler, general solicitor for the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad of which the Connecticut company is a subsidiary.

Files Dissenting Opinion
All three mediators agreed the award with Piler filing a dissenting opinion.

Commenting on the award last night Richard J. Bennett, vice president of the Connecticut company said that as an economy measure "some services" of the company would have to be curtailed. He added that the number of passengers using buses has been dropping during the past two years because of the increasing number of automobiles.

The company, Bennett said, had been operating at a loss for the past several months and now with the estimated \$700,000 needed yearly to effect the 15 cents per hour increase the company's financial burden would be increased.

Bennett asserted that the award is not supported by the evidence which was presented at the hearing early last month. However, he said, "the company will abide by the decision of the arbitrators."

Sanitation Engineer Dies
Chester, Dec. 20.—John Dewitt Lassen, 46, of Chester, died Sunday in Hartford hospital after a brief illness. A sanitation engineer for the Food and Dairy Club work. He leaves his widow, a son, two daughters, his wife, two brothers and a sister. Funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at the First Congregational church here.

Seeking Bids On Road Jobs
Projects Include Construction of Bridges in Hartford Meadows

Hartford, Dec. 20.—State Highway Commissioner G. Albert Hill today called for bids on several projects, including the construction of two bridges in Hartford North Meadows.

Bids were asked on continuing improvements on U. S. 44 including 3,315 feet cement pavement on South Main street, Winsted and a 150 foot steel beam bridge over the Still river.

Other bids asked are on a four-foot Federal aid project on North street, Southfield where about 13,196 feet will be surfaced with bituminous macadam.

In North Stonington it is proposed to construct a 12 by 20 foot culvert at Green Fall river on Ashtabula street and Montville turnpike in Salem and Montville also be modernized with plans calling for 120 feet of bituminous concrete pavement in four sections.

A state aid project in Stamford and Darien calls for a 24-foot span bridge over the Nonamuck river, and a town aid project in Groton is for 2,162 feet of storm sewer on West Atlantic avenue.

They were: Prof. Thomas G. Bergin, to head the Department of Spanish and Italian in place of Prof. E. Soltau Ross, who resigned the post; Prof. Stephen B. Jones, chairman of the department of current academic year.

Also named were John N. Hazard as visiting professor of geology, and a lecturer in the current academic year.

Prof. Hurd, as research associate in transportation, with the rank of associate professor.

Albert E. Dimond, as lecturer in plant physiology with the rank of associate professor.

Washington PTA To Sponsor Party
The December meeting of the Washington School Parents Teachers Association will be held Tuesday evening at the West Side Recreation building.

A special Christmas program has been planned for the boys of Christmas, a play, will be presented by the fourth and sixth grades. Ralph Lundberg, noted Manchester artist, will sing a few Christmas selections and also lead the audience in a Carol Communion paper company on Parker street where a chimney fire was scattering sparks over a wide area. The blaze was extinguished before any damage was caused.

No Rush Now To Evacuate
Only 10 Per Cent of Available Space on Vessel Has Been Taken

Shanghai, Dec. 20.—The U. S. J. C. Breckenridge, the last comfortable evacuation ship out of Shanghai, is scheduled to leave December 30 with only 10 per cent of her available accommodations taken.

The slowing down of evacuation from here is apparently due to growing confidence locally. The panic of last month has died down considerably.

Out of 600 Filipinos in Shanghai, 400 have expressed a desire to stay here. Two hundred and fifty will sail for Manila next week.

About 150 White Russians, unofficial reports said, are to be flown to a resettlement camp in Japan shortly.

To Evacuate 885 Jews
The freighter Wooster Victory is due here tomorrow to evacuate 885 Jewish residents of Shanghai to Palestine. This is the first group movement of Jews to Palestine from China. The ship will sail Friday.

Chinese newspapers, meanwhile, published reports that privileged persons in Nanking were being given top priority on trains and planes for the movement of their belongings to the south. Shun Pan reported that officials at Hengyang were told to meet four important planes passing through on their way to the south. When the planes landed, the newspaper said, they contained no passengers but seven automobiles.

Waterbury, Dec. 20.—Detective Lieut. Joseph McCarthy and George Gooding said today that James McCarthy, Jr., 24, of this city, had been arrested on a charge of negligent homicide. The charge against McCarthy resulted from an automobile accident last Nov. 21 in which Ann Collins, 22, and Francis J. Larkin, 21, both of Waterbury, were killed.

Torrington Historian Dies
Torrington, Dec. 20.—Elizabeth B. Gayford, Torrington historian, died last night in Charlotte Hungerford hospital after a brief illness. She was a native of this city and a graduate of Mr. Holyoke college. She leaves a brother, William of Hamden.

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FRESH FRUIT and VEGETABLES
YELLOW GLOBE TURNIPS lb. 3c
SWEET JUICY TANGERINES 2 doz. 49c

Rockville Snow Rulings Now in Effect
Rockville Household Reminded They Must Clear Sidewalks

Rockville, Dec. 20.—(Special)—Rockville in common with other parts of Connecticut, was visited with snow all day Sunday which caused householders to remember the two new ordinances recently adopted by the Common Council.

The first was that a fine of not more than \$50 can be imposed upon any person who fails to clear their sidewalks within three hours after snow or sleet has fallen, or within three hours after sunrise. And that in case of an injury suffered by a person who falls upon or is struck by snow or sleet, the person responsible for the removal of the snow, if found guilty of violation of the ordinance may be fined not less than \$50 and not more than \$200.

Several accidents due to slipping were reported to the police on Sunday. Shortly before noon two automobiles were slightly damaged in a collision at the corner of Union and West streets, when an auto operated by Raymond M. Quinn, 17, of 37 Elm street, Danielson, entering the intersection from West street, and an auto operated by John C. Mack of 65 Village street, Rockville, being operated west on Union street, collided into each other.

Sunday afternoon an auto operated by Michael Olier, 16, of 48 Mountain street, skidded and struck a Connecticut Company Bus operated by Philip J. Frazier, 26, of Hartford. Numerous cars were stalled on the American Mill Hill without chains, and a section of the fence was knocked down at one point, this being Tuesday.

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The annual Christmas party for the members of the Rockville Lodge of Elks will be held this evening at eight o'clock at the Elks Home. There will be an oyster bar, buffet lunch and entertainment. Each one attending will bring a small gift.

The Cradle Roll of the Baptist church will hold its Christmas party at the parsonage, 84 Orchard street, from 2:30 to 4 p. m., with mothers and youngsters invited.

The church and Sunday school Christmas party will be held in the vestry of the church on Wednesday at 6:30 p. m.

Sunday School Party
The annual Sunday school party of the Vernon Methodist church will be presented this evening at 7 o'clock at the church. Members of the church school will present the play, "What the Star Saw," with advertisement.

A gift to give . . . you can't decide . . . You'll find it right at Frickner's.

Irene Dunne Will Receive Honor
Hollywood, Dec. 20.—The National Conference of Christmas and Jews has named Irene Dunne as the person "who does most to stand among peoples of all faiths."

Byrona Shouras, film executive and a director of the conference, announced Feb. 4 as the date of which the actress will formally receive the award at a New York luncheon.

Shouras said yesterday that Miss Dunne has been active in charitable and religious moves for many years. She recently aided in establishing a new school in Los Angeles for Negro children.

The ancient Colosseum at Rome is believed to have seated 43 to 50 thousand spectators and to have provided standing room for 20 to 25 thousand more.

Donald Richards, Christmas angel, Marian Andrews; Cherub, Laura Madden; Betty Sunshine; Three Wise Men, Carl Tyler, Jr., John Olander, Carl Fredericks; Shepherds, Walter Ross, Jim McGuire, Michael Byrne.

At Hospital
Superintendent of Public Works George B. Milne, who was taken ill on Friday, is a patient at the Rockville City hospital.

Announcement
Mr. and Mrs. Francis Miller of 33 Grove street announce the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy Irene, to Reno J. Beaulieu, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Beaulieu of Ellington. They are to be married January 22.

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Advertisement for Michaels watches featuring various models like Bulova, Hamilton, Elgin, Longines, and Binnus. Includes text: 'MAKE THAT Christmas Watch A REFLECTION OF YOUR OWN GOOD TASTE' and 'SELECT YOUR CHRISTMAS GIFT TODAY'.

Advertisement for WIOR'S JEWELERS featuring 'The Christmas Gift of Distinction BULOVA Diamond Set Watches'. Includes text: 'AMERICA'S GREATEST WATCH VALUES' and 'Dignified Terms'.

Address Given By Educator
Head of University Is Speaker at Meeting of Kiwanis Club

Assuming that no institution in the country has expanded as rapidly as has the University of Connecticut in the past few years...

During the business meeting, George Jorgensen, president of the Kiwanis club, presided.

Weddings
Pierce-Armstrong
Miss Natalie Louise Armstrong, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Armstrong of West Hartford...

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Inspection of the new fire apparatus recently purchased by the city of Manchester...

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Dutch Forces Race Unchecked Through Java
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inland swiftly toward Bukittinggi (also known as Fort de Kock) and last week covered about 70 miles.

The Java advance by the Marines of Tjepke also was a swift one which drove 50 miles since the landing. The march was through rugged country.

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High Court Will Not Interfere In Japs' Cases
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"We are satisfied that the tribunal sentencing these petitioners is not a tribunal of the United States," said the opinion given in the case of the first seven Japanese.

The appeal of the original seven was argued before the Supreme court last Thursday and Friday.

Christmas Party of Textile Union
Santa Claus distributed gifts to 350 children at a Christmas party held at the Textile Union...

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Soap Company Gives Bonuses
Orford Firm Was One of First in Nation to Follow This Practice

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Fifth Graders Give Program

Manchester Green Pupils Also Hold a Christmas Sale

Stormy weather was no camper to the high spirits of pupils of the fifth grade at Manchester...

The Christmas program presented in front of the school...

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Cleveland Browns Romp Over Buffalo Bills, 49-7

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Willie's Upset Balch's 45 to 38 and Italians Romp Over Cleaners By Score of 49 to 23

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Guards Passing Thrills Fans, Dazzles Giants

Locals Score Easy 43-23 Win at Army Before Small Crowd; Play Hurricanes Saturday

Probably the most interesting part of the game came in the final minutes...

Local Chapter News

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About Town

Robert Charles Barrett, U.S.N. son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Barrett...

The Epworth League of the South Methodist church will sing the Christmas carols...

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Inman of Henry street are on a route by automobile to Tulsa, Okla.

St. Benedict's Mothers Circle had an enjoyable meeting...

Miss Jean Handley has arrived home for the Christmas vacation...

Daughters of Liberty, No. 125, L. I. O. A., are reminded of the Christmas party...

Election of officers will be the main event tonight at the regular meeting of John Mather Chapter...

When Minutes Count Have your duplicate telephone book...

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- BOXED JEWELRY \$1.00 1, 2, 3 STRAND PEARLS \$1.00 CHILDREN'S HANDBAG \$1.50 LADIES' FAILE HANDBAG \$2.98 LADIES' PLASTIC HANDBAG \$2.98 LADIES' GENUINE LEATHER HANDBAG \$2.98 LADY BUSTON BILDFOLDS \$2.00 to \$5.00

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- GIRLS' SKIRTS \$1.98 to \$5.98 BLOUSES \$1.98 to \$3.98 SWEATERS \$1.98 to \$3.98 DRESSES \$2.98 to \$4.98 COTTON JERSEYS \$1.98 to \$2.98 WOVEN JERSEYS \$1.98 to \$2.98 FUR EAR MUFF \$1.98, \$2.98 CHUBBY DRESSES \$4.98 GIRL SCOUT UNIFORM \$6.50 GIRL SCOUT ACCESSORIES (Second Floor)

Cotton Shop

- COTTON BLOUSES, 32 TO 40 \$1.98 to \$3.98 RAYON BLOUSES, 32 TO 40 \$3.98 to \$7.98 SKIRTS \$2.00 to \$5.00 HOUSE DRESSES \$3.98 to \$10.95 SWEATERS \$1.98 to \$3.98 TURTLE NECK JERSEYS \$1.98 to \$2.98 SKI SUITS \$19.98 to \$25.00 RAYON CREPE DRESSES \$7.98 to \$15.98 SKI PANTS \$10.98 to \$17.98 MARIE DRESSLER DRESSES Size 12 to 14; 12 1/2 to 24 1/2; 37 1/2 to 51 1/2; 38 1/2 to 52 1/2; 37 1/2 (Second Floor)

Electrical Dept.

- POPULAR BRANDS, AUTOMATIC POP-UP TOASTERS \$15.95, \$22.50 WAFFLE BAKERS \$11.95 to \$19.95 COMBINATION GRILL AND WAFFLE MAKERS \$11.95 to \$24.95 POPULAR BRAND AUTOMATIC TOASTERS \$16.95 to \$29.95 CLOCKS \$4.75 to \$15.75 POPULAR BRAND IRONS \$3.95 and \$9.95 VACUUM CLEANERS \$24.95 to \$19.95 PORTABLE ROTARY IRONERS \$49.95 to \$99.50 TABLE BROLLERS \$19.95 AND UP

STORE OPEN EVERY NIGHT UNTIL 9 The J.W. HALE CORP. MANCHESTER CONN. Green Stamps Given With Cash Sales

Danger Seen In Increase Of Taxation

Chamber of Commerce Official Declares Tax Boost Might Bring 'Inflationary Revolt'

Washington, Dec. 21.—(AP)—A tax boost now might touch off an 'inflationary revolt,' a Chamber of Commerce official declared today.

Eire Becomes Free Of Ties to Britain

Centuries-Long and Often Bloody Struggle For Freedom Comes To Peaceful End Today

Dublin, Dec. 21.—(AP)—Eire became a free and independent republic today, Ireland's centuries-long, and often bloody struggle for freedom came to a peaceful end as President Sean T. O'Keefe signed Eire out of the British Commonwealth.

Favors Shift In Methods

Mundt Wants Fairer Hearings for Un-American Group Witnesses

Ives Opposes Most of Plan

Washington, Dec. 21.—(AP)—Prime Minister John A. Costello's government is expected to announce today that it will change its methods to insure fair hearings for future witnesses and accused persons.

Murder Charge Reduced

Mrs. Wilma E. Yharbo is excused from court room in Nürnberg, Germany. She was originally charged with the murder of her husband, Sgt. John Yharbo of Col. 2d, who was shot in the Philippines.

Death Threat Told to Court

A picture of the Soviet Communist, Maj. Gen. Alexander Koltsov, was shown today in court in the trial of a German spy.

Two Guests Die in Fire

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