





Local Parade On April 9th

On That Date Veterans Groups Will Celebrate Army Day

President, Botany Hill, Passaic, N. J., and a past national commander of the order, has been appointed national liaison representative by General Omar N. Bradley, Army Chief of Staff, between the Department of the Army and the Military Order of the World War.

Text of Proposed Security Alliance

(Continued from Page One) jointly by means of continuous and effective self-help and mutual aid, will maintain and develop their individual and collective capacity to resist armed attack.

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Senate's Rent Bill Attacked

(Witnessed from Page One) The parties hereby establish a council, on which each of them shall be represented, to consider matters concerning the application of this treaty.

Will of Local Man Is Filed

Leonard Richman Bequeaths \$2,000 to Hospital, Church, Home

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Hamilton Standard Propellers Division of United Aircraft Corporation recently received diamond-anniversary pins from the

Phone Call Saves Life

Message from Maine To Hartford Police Prevents Suicide

Bolton

Edward Minnium, Extension Vegetable Specialist, will address the meeting of Tolland County vegetable growers Monday evening, March 21, at Bolton Center church parish room at 7:45.

Siom Kills Off Its Dogs

Bangkok—In past years all a sick dog here could do was to wander hopelessly, waiting to get killed by an automobile driver.

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Stoppage Hits River Traffic

(Continued from Page One) brief periods to prevent undue delay in the movement of traffic.

Haddassah Group To Present Film

The Manchester Chapter of Haddassah will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday, March 22 at 8 p. m. at Temple Beth Shalom.

AS ALWAYS Art Webster's Barn Dances

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Mr. Bob's Service

Mr. Bob's Service is a well-known aviation, having served as an official timer and secretary for the National Aeronautic Association from 1923 to 1929.

Local Residents To Attend Clinic

Mr. and Mrs. Edward D'Agostino of the Manchester Cleaners will be included in a large group of foreign service establishment workers

Lane Succeeds Senie on Staff

Washington, March 18.—Senator Brian McMahon (D-Conn.) has announced the appointment of John Lane of Norwalk, Conn., to his staff.

Marlborough

At the special town meeting Monday night which was largely attended it was voted to accept the revised budget of the Board of Selectmen and the Board of Education and levied a 24 mill tax on the town.

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Snow Covers State Today

(Continued from Page One) while northern New England should expect a heavy fall night spread generally to the north.

Education Bill Approval Seen

(Continued from Page One) health services to children in public and non-public schools.

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upon the frontal method toward world government, they are eternally right in an respect. It is progress of economic and political union, and not the progress of an expedient military union, which carries all hope of security.

**Author Of 'Iron Curtain'**  
 How powerful can a propagandist be? Well, if he is diabolically clever enough, there is apparently no limit to his power.

Take, for instance, the power after death of Hitler's chief, the late Joseph Goebbels. It is credited with being stage manager for his own and Hitler's last days in Berlin. It was his diabolical consciousness that led Hitler close to an ending which would fit in with the later establishment of Nazi myths.

And, along with his own propaganda to plant the seeds of propaganda which would spread and flourish after his own death.

In one instance, he did even better than he dreamed. He prophesied that the day would come when the western world would realize that Hitler had been right, and when the western world would admit that what it should have done was join Hitler in a war on Russia. And in the course of explaining, he went on to say that if the war then being fought ended in defeat of Germany, Russia would drop an 'iron curtain' across Europe.

Goebbels' ghost didn't have to wait many months for the one of the world's greatest statesmen, Mr. Winston Churchill, to pick up his propaganda phrase and re-issue it to the world as his own. And whereas the western world might not have accepted it directly from Goebbels, it did accept it from Mr. Churchill.

So Goebbels' poisoned brain has done pretty well, dominating the world's thought long after his death.

It is true, of course, that the 'iron curtain' phrase would never have been adopted if Russian actions had not seemed to fit it. But it is also true that the phrase 'iron curtain' has been a very handy phrase in its existence, and his ghost can still take a bow.

**Housing Seen Fire Hazards**  
**Jorgensen Cites Kenyon College Blaze in Support of His Appeal**

Hartford, March 18.—(AP)—President Albert N. Jorgensen says about 3,000 University of Connecticut students are still living in temporary war housing dormitories which present serious fire hazards.

The university president cited the recent Kenyon college dormitory fire in support of a plea to the legislative finance committee yesterday to approve a \$4,500,000 bond issue for dormitories on the Storrs campus.

Governor Bowles has recommended that \$4,000,000 institutional building program be allotted to the university.

Actual Needs \$3,800,000  
 Dr. Jorgensen told the committee that immediate needs actually could come to \$3,800,000. He said he would ask approval of the figure by the legislative appropriations committee, which is now considering the governor's program.

In addition, Dr. Jorgensen said a \$4,500,000 self-liquidating bond issue would be needed for dormitories and athletic buildings.

He said that next fall the Storrs campus will have about 1,500 more students because of transfers from other campuses.

A committee member asked how large the university should be at the time of the bond issue.

Dr. Jorgensen replied: "I state university should be ready at any time to take care of all the qualified students who need admission to attend a private university."

**Open Forum**  
 Wants Action  
 As we all know the school situation in the town of Vernon has been discussed for many months. The progress of the Vernon School Committee has been delayed due to the many obstacles which confronted them, for example, the uncooperative attitude of the Vernon Board of Finance. The Finance Board's failure to give immediate attention to the appropriation for architect's fees will cause great concern if we are too late with our school plan when applying for a state grant. Since they have had ample time to approve of this application, can they give any specific reason for this unjustified delay? This delay has caused great anxiety to parents in Rural Vernon as their children are attending schools which are antiquated and unsafe.

It is the concern of every taxpayer in the Town of Vernon to see that some action is taken immediately as everyone will benefit by the state grant given to communities having their school plans and specifications ready. This grant will pay for the construction of a new school building and the final payment of our two new schools in the Town of Vernon.

In fairness to all a special meeting should be called by the chairman of the Finance Board to approve the appropriation for architect's fees. When can the citizens in the Town of Vernon expect action from the Finance Board?

Sylvia Wilson

**Filibuster Hit In Scott Talk**  
**Republican Chairman Asserts Fight 'Phony as \$7 Bill' in Address**

New Haven, March 18.—(AP)—The whole Senate filibuster fight was as "phony as a \$7 bill," says Republican National Chairman Hugh Scott.

In an address at the Yale Law school last night, Scott charged the national Democratic administration with never intending to put through its civil rights legislation.

He said it was well-known a filibuster over civil rights was inevitable and asked why the administration made no effort to begin its fight between Jan. 3 and Feb. 28 when, he said, the Senate was "doing nothing significant."

Scott asserted the filibuster could have been broken without damage to legislation if it had been the administration's aim.

He said President Truman and his lieutenants would have the country believe that the filibuster is responsible for the failure of Congress to write a civil rights program.

"If the Truman administration has any specific bill to carry out

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**Free Dental Service Close to Breakdown**  
**British Dentists in Revolt at Recent Government Order Reducing Fees Payable**

By Edwin Shankle (Last of Series)  
 London, March 18.—(AP)—Britain's free dental service under its state health program is creating and approaching a breakdown as its spokesmen for the British Dental Association.

One key reason, they say, is that the dentists themselves are in revolt: They are protesting a recent government order which reduced by one half dentists' fees payable under the "national health service" in excess of \$1,600 monthly. Dentists agree their incomes now are higher than before the service became effective, but they resent the "arbitrary cut."

More Crowded Than Before  
 The situation is made more acute in the restricted country of Great Britain. Dentists' waiting rooms are estimated 50 per cent more crowded than before. The Health Ministry estimates that 10 million persons will take advantage of the service annually. But there is a serious shortage of dentists. A government dental committee reported 30,000 vacancies could be used without saturation an increase of 8,000 over the present number.

Because of what it described as "the urgency of the situation," the Ministry of Health took steps to cut dentists' incomes.

Assembled in the House of Commons, the British Dental association immediately blamed the Ministry of Health and announced it will put the case before the public and Parliament.

In Parliament, a Socialist dental surgeon, Dr. John Baird, said the government's regulation cutting dentists' incomes would hurt the "black market in dentistry." Priority dental services already have broken down, he said, and the general service also will fail if the regulations are enforced.

The British Dental association agrees the free dental service in the schools for children up to 15 years of age, regarded under the health service as a priority, was in danger of collapse and in many areas already was unavailable.

The reason, a spokesman said, was that dentists giving treatment in the schools were not adequately paid and the higher incomes for the success of health services for general care was drawn away.

When remuneration for dentists was settled, it was decided a dentist would work 23 chairside hours a week. If he worked more, it was felt there would be a danger of lost efficiency. The association based on those hours worked out at a gross income of \$15,200 a year. An estimated 52 per cent of that, however, goes to the dentist's operating expenses, giving him a net before taxes of about \$7,600.

The Ministry of Health said it found some dentists were working long hours giving them gross returns in some cases as high as \$20,000 to \$40,000.

It estimated 20 per cent of the profession was earning more than \$18,200 gross yearly. The ministry spokesman said that by having returns over the average, overwork would be discouraged and efficiency would be maintained.

Three Objections Offered  
 When the situation of dentistry was first discussed the British Dental association objected for three reasons:

1. Restrictions on clinical freedom. More than 200 dentists work a day by a government committee.

2. It established a system of priority treatment only to the age of 16 instead of which the association regarded as the "best period," and over and above that guaranteed free treatment for all. The association favored priority treatment up to 21.

3. Payment on an itemized scale of fees was "illogical and not in the best interests of the service or the patient." It meant some dentists would be overpaid, others underpaid—depending on their operating expenses.

The British Dental association, therefore, advised its members not to join the service.

But, when the government signed up, a spokesman said, "make they were making such a low scale of fees before the act they couldn't resist."

**Sisters Seek House Title**  
**Ask Superior Court to Declare Quit Claim Deed Recorded Void**

New Haven, March 18.—(AP)—The sisters of the late Frank B. Snow of Meriden are trying to recover title to a house at 123 Cottage street, Meriden, which their brother quit claimed to his housekeeper a few months prior to his death.

Snow's sisters, Mrs. Lydia Snow Davis of Hammond, Ind., and Mrs. Cora I. Leath of New Haven, asked the Superior court yesterday to declare void the quit claim deed, which was recorded last Dec. 28 by Laurence J. Knowlton of Meriden, the housekeeper.

The plaintiffs charge in their suit that the defendant "induced" his brother to convey title to her "without giving" no adequate consideration for the deed. They also charge she "falsely represented" to their brother that she would marry him.

Deed Recorded After Death  
 Snow died last Dec. 23, and the sisters charge Miss Knowlton, with a representative of the Probate Court, took the deed from Snow's safe deposit box and recorded it in the Meriden land records five days later.

The plaintiffs claim "they were

**Enter Exhibits In Spring Show**  
**Local Flower Enthusiasts Taking Part in Big Hartford Event**

The Hartford Spring Show is now open to the public in the West Hartford Armory, 836 Farmington avenue, (formerly Troop B Armory), and will continue through Tuesday, from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m., including Sunday. There are beautiful gardens, outdoor living rooms, plants, flowers, flower arrangements in niches and in period rooms, and many other interesting exhibits.

Several members of the Manchester Garden Club are taking part in the show. Miss Mary O. Chapman is making entries in the horticultural section of the show, as well as a flower arrangement in the garden of the section Saturday.

Other members who will have flower arrangements in the section are Mrs. Ellen Buckley, Tuesday; Mrs. Joseph F. McVeigh, Friday; Mrs. George A. Reynolds, Saturday; Mrs. William E. Egan, Monday; Mrs. Walter B. Bryant, president of the local Garden Club, is co-chairman of the Federated Garden Clubs section, and has charge of entries.

**Tonight's Program At the Nazarene**  
 The A Cappella Choir and Trumpet Trio from Eastern Nazarene College, located in Waltham, Mass., will present a concert of sacred songs at the local Church of the Nazarene tonight at 8:00 o'clock.

The choir of forty voices is under the direction of Mrs. Esther Williamson, professor of voice at the college. Their program will be a combination of familiar hymns and A Cappella favorites and will be as follows:

Hymns of Adoration. To Thee We Sing, Jesus Precious Treasure, Bless Thou the Lord, O Thou in Whom Presence, selections by the Trumpet Trio.

Hymns of personal testimony. O Lord a Thousand Tongues, He Hideth My Soul, Peace, Sweet Peace, Last in the Night, Ready, That They Might Know Him, Selections by the Trumpet Trio.

Hymns of Christian Zeal, Beautiful Savior, Keep the Faith, They That Sow in Tears, A Mighty Fortress.

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**"Atlantic Union"**  
 As we pointed out recently in discussing the approaching formation of the Council of Europe, the first international political organization in which delegates are supposed to be popularly elected and to vote their own personal convictions—the world's impulse toward world government is expressing itself through many channels. No one knows which channel may do most to lead toward the goal; all may play their part.

Now, in this country, another channel has been opened toward the same goal.

This is the formation of the "Atlantic Union Committee," headed by former Supreme Court Justice Owen J. Roberts, who has devoted much of his time since retiring from the bench to the question of promoting some degree of world government.

The formation of the Atlantic Union Committee is obviously timed to coincide with the approaching North Atlantic Defense Pact. It is a proposal for a limited federal government in which the "North Atlantic members" would be the original members.

This proposal contrasts with the proposals of United World Federalists, who believe that any world government must start with universal membership, with the benefits and appeal of world government being dependent upon secure and amiable relations between all nations.

The United World Federalists believe that anything less than a true world government would merely be a prolongation of present world division.

Mr. Roberts and his associates, on the other hand, believe that the only practical start that can be made now is a union of countries which are already democratic and experienced enough in self government within themselves to be able to enter into the special and procedure of a federal government.

This committee, Mr. Roberts says, favors the Atlantic Defense Pact, but believes it cannot keep the peace of the world in the long run, which is true enough. That peace, he says, will require a federation of "the civilized people" which can expand.

Another associate in the Atlantic Union movement, former Under Secretary of State Will Clayton, says this:

"There is only one way to stop Russia short of war. Democracy must be made to work in all those lands which are still free. In economic terms, democracy works best and common sense tells us more to wear and better homes in which to live.

"This thing standard of living can only be realized in the modern world by releasing the world's productive capacities through striking off the shackles of economic nationalism, and by reducing armaments."

So the pressure toward world government—the pressure of destiny and common sense alike—bursts out in one more movement.

The leaders of Atlantic Union want immediate action. They want this present session of Congress to debate a resolution which would authorize President Truman to appoint United States delegates to a constitutional convention which would explore the possibilities of the federal union they suggest. They say, in other words, trying to strike within the iron of nations is still hot. The North Atlantic Defense Pact proposes military union. They want to add economic and a degree of political union to that military link.

Whether or not they have hit

**Bill to Block Dam Is Killed**  
**Dam Is Killed**

Hartford, March 18.—(AP)—A bill intended to block the Hartford Metropolitan Board's Hogback dam project was killed yesterday in the House of Representatives.

The committee turned thumbs down on the measure after giving it a second hearing yesterday. It would have established a commission on water resources to study the need for any sort of dam before permitting its establishment.

The measure was presented by a legislator from Litchfield county, who has aroused bitter opposition. He said the dam would be a "booby trap" for the state.

At the meeting Sunday night, Mr. Goebel said he was not a dam builder, but he was a dam breaker. The public is invited to attend the meeting which will start at 6:30 p. m. at the Central Jersey Public Utilities committee.

**Circle to Sponsor Social on Tuesday**  
 St. Marcellus Circle, Daughters of Isabella is planning a social evening on Tuesday at the K. of C. Home.

There will be an apron sale starting at 6:30 o'clock. Following that, there will be card playing with prizes for the winners. The sale will also be a door prize, and the home made quilt will be raffled off later in the evening. Members are reminded to bring stubs for the raffle.

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**League Speaker Is Announced**  
 Cecil Goebel, a native of British Guiana, will be the guest speaker Sunday evening at the North League meeting in the South Methodist Church.

Mr. Goebel, who spent his high school years in British Guiana and his college education at Haverwick College in Orem, Utah, New York, is now doing graduate work at Wesleyan University in Middletown where he is assistant professor of chemistry.

The Metropolitan district's bill to authorize construction of the Hogback dam is still pending in the Assembly.

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Woman Observes 105th Birthday

Bridgeport, March 18.—(AP)—Mentally alert, but a bit irritated because she has to wear glasses for reading, Mrs. Maria Yankovic, 105, observed her 105th birthday today at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Agnes Marsh.

Wapping

Thursday night the third in a series of mid-week Lenten services was held at the home of Mrs. Howard Metzger, 12 Pleasant Valley road. The meeting was in charge of Rev. Dr. Praser Metzger. The meeting will be held at the church Friday evening, at 7:30 p. m. The Lenten supper will be served by the United Workers and at 7:30 p. m. the movie "King of Kings" will be shown in the church auditorium. Anyone interested in helping with the supper please contact Mrs. Harold DeJong or Mrs. Marshall Bickel.

Local Specialist Author of Article

Optometry will "no doubt" develop into the new science of things, it is predicted by Dr. J. Gerhart, local eye specialist. Dr. Gerhart, who maintains office in Manchester and Hartford, makes his statement in an article appearing in the March Optical Journal and Review of Optometry.

Day-Old Chick Survives Blaze

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TO DO ONE THING WELL

The chief objective of everyone should be to do one thing well. Your doctor accomplished this objective when he spent years of his life in preparing himself to care for you when you need medical attention. How foolish, then, to depend on others. When illness comes to you or any member of your family consult your physician without delay. Be sure that he is a licensed M.D. from an accredited school of medicine. Then bring your prescriptions to us for expert compounding.

Personal Notices

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Manchester Date Book

Tomorrow Veterans of Foreign Wars, annual banquet, 8 p. m., VFW Home, Manchester Green. Annual Ladies' Night of Fall Colors at the local Army.

Group Chosen On Seal Sale

Mrs. John M. Hyde, the former Mrs. Betty Boyd, of 450 Main street, is chairman of the Manchester committee conducting the annual Seal Sale.

South Coventry

Proceeds of \$570 were realized by the local Class of 1948 as a result of their setback party Wednesday evening in the auditorium of the Nathan Hale Community Center.

Andover

The annual meeting of the First Ecumenical Society will be held at the home of Mrs. Helen Neumann, home service representative, will be in charge. Food prizes and cash books will be awarded.

Lutz to Lead Cedars Event

Will Be Master of Ceremonies at Tomorrow's Annual Ladies' Night

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The Farm Bureau Mutual Automobile Insurance Company of Columbus, Ohio, the 3rd largest mutual insurer of cars in the U. S., can reduce your automobile insurance costs. For full information, call FRED T. BAKER

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Investigate RUSCO ALL METAL SELF STORING COMBINATION SCREENS AND STORM SASH

State to Open Sub-Station Here

A sub office of the Department of Motor Vehicles will be opened here in the state armory to give local service on renewal of drivers' licenses.

Ruth French

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Used in the treaty itself, and the provisions could just as readily apply to any other region of the world. But the State Department has declared officially that it is a regional defense arrangement created by the United Nations and the growing fear of war in Europe.

In terms of American foreign policy, the treaty is to be seen as a shield for the multi-billion dollar European recovery program. The amount of that program is to give the people in Europe a greater security and to advance the economic reconstruction of the western nations.

In the view of some diplomatic authorities it remains to be seen whether that kind of result will be quickly forthcoming. There has been much speculation here and there in western capitals about what counter-moves Russia may make.

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### Clearing Site For New Store

With the granting today to the Broad Street real estate interests a permit for the removing of a house from 112 East Center street, work will start on clearing the large vacant lot which will be occupied by a large new Atlantic Pacific market.

It is reported that the new store will be started early in the spring and construction will be completed in 90 days.

Members of the Post have been invited to be guests of the American Legion Auxiliary on Monday evening when the auxiliary will hold a joint luncheon in honor of the 30th anniversary of the founding of the American Legion.

But, of the actions Congress has taken in opposition to his recommendations, Mr. Truman said, it is an independent branch of government.

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### Truman Declares Dixie Solons Not Good Democrats

Not necessarily, Mr. Truman replied. Does he still see hope for the enactment of any of his civil rights proposals at this session.

As for his attacks in Congress, he attributed them to the three-party system in Congress, but he still has hope, he said, that Congress will see the light.

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### Praise Courage Of the English

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Greater Hartford Actor Organizations Preparing for June Festival.

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### Schools Group Plans Session

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About Town

Interesting movies were shown to the members of St. John's Youth Organization at a short meeting last night...

All members of the Manchester High school graduating class of 1949 who have not yet mailed their return cards regarding the class reunion are urged to do so as soon as possible.

The North Methodist church groups will hold a meeting and first rehearsal for the annual show on Monday evening at 7.30.

Mrs. C. X. Hutchinson of Burnside is the guest speaker at the North Methodist church worship service Wednesday evening...

Town Manager George Wadell will speak to the Manchester Association of Women Voters at the Mary Cheney Library at 8 o'clock on March 22.

Patrick Madden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Madden of 128 Bial street, appeared as guest bagpipe soloist at radio station WJL on St. Patrick's Day...

All members of the Siper Club are requested to meet at the club house, Sunday afternoon...

There will be a rehearsal for the show at the Church of the Nazarenes at 7.30 p. m. on Saturday...

The Trinity Past Noble Grand Association will meet with the Mayflower Hotel on Tuesday...

Henry H. Agnew of 64 Waterfall street has been placed on the rector's list for the end of the first semester at Morris College.

There will be an All State Youth Conference at the Church of the Nazarenes on Saturday...

The Board of Administration will hold its quarterly meeting at 8 o'clock at the Emmanuel Lutheran church.

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SABLE DYED SQUIRREL CAPE \$229.00 GREY CHINESE KIDSKIN CAPE \$169.00

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Western Berliners On Spending Spree As Change Looms

Authoritative Sources Assert United States, Britain and France To Halt Use of Soviet Sponsored East Marks Tomorrow

Berlin, March 19.—(AP)—An impending move in Berlin's currency war sent western Berliners off on a buying spree today.

Washington, March 19.—(AP)—Rent control backers, rushing to meet a March 31 deadline, predicted today the Senate will approve a 12 to 15-month extension, providing State junking.

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President Truman ending war and flying back to Washington today, U.S. investigators trying to uncover story behind shooting of two UN military officers in southern Siam yesterday.

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