

Manchester Evening Herald

Manchester—A City of Village Charm

MANCHESTER, CONN., WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4, 1945

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The Weather
Forecast of U. S. Weather Bureau
Light rain tonight, ending early Thursday. Thursday, cloudy with occasional showers; Friday, clear; Saturday, clear; Sunday, clear.

About Town

Leonard H. Nickerson of 34 Spruce street received news last night of the death of his sister, Mrs. Henry Barber. Mrs. Barber, who died yesterday afternoon following an operation. Mrs. Barber was formerly a member of the local Nazarene church and will be remembered by many of the town-people. Besides her husband she leaves one daughter, Ruth.

Veteran Dies

John Dirgo, son of John Dirgo, Sr., of 36 Apple Place (above) was killed in action in the Meuse-Argonne campaign. He was a member of the 7th Field Artillery, 1st Division, and was serving with the 3rd Battalion. He was 34 years old at the time of his death.

Dies in Action

James F. Civello, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Civello of 124 South Main street (above) was killed in action in Germany on March 18. A graduate of Manchester High school in the class of 1940, Sgt. Civello was former captain of the MHS golf team and head cadet master at the Manchester Country club. He was a member of the famed 7th "Lightning" Division and went overseas with that unit on Nov. 19, 1944.

Rogers Paper Name Changed

The Rogers Paper Manufacturing Co., with a plant at Oakland and Mill streets here, will henceforth be known as Rogers Corporation, by action of its stockholders. It was announced yesterday. "Materials manufactured by Rogers and the uses of these materials have been developed far beyond the narrow description given them by the old name of the company, which was founded in 1832," executive explained. "Continued research aims at additional developments and Rogers activities have for some time included conversion of materials into finished forms by our fabricating division," it was said.

Dies on Iwo

Pfc. Victor J. Skoskiak of Providence, R. I., formerly of Manchester, was killed in action on March 9, 1945 on Iwo Jima, North Pacific theater. He was a member of the 9th Marines. Pfc. Skoskiak was born in Manchester and attended local schools. His wife, Mrs. Allison Mca Skoskiak lives in Providence. Two brothers, Joseph and William Skoskiak, the latter of Westbury, R. I., as well as sister, Mrs. James Skoskiak, of 25 Griffin Road, survive.

Arthur Benoit Now Missing

Pfc. Arthur L. Benoit, of 43 Fairfield street, has been reported missing in action in Germany, according to a War Department report received by his brother, Oliver Benoit, of that address. The date of the action in which the local man was reported missing was March 14.

Local Service Man Fighting in Germany When Report Made

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Mythic Review, Woman's Benefit Association

The Mythic Review, Woman's Benefit Association, will meet tonight at eight o'clock in Odd Fellows hall. After the business session a rehearsal will take place for the play "The Merchant of Venice" which will be presented at the Odd Fellows hall on Saturday afternoon, April 7. A refreshment will be served by Mrs. Lillian Carlson and her committee.

The Junior League Will Meet

The Junior League will meet this evening at 7:30 at the Episcopal Lutheran church. Work will be on scrap books for the service center.

Members of Lady Roberts League

Members of Lady Roberts League, Daughters of St. George, are reminded of the monthly meeting this evening in the Episcopal Lutheran Temple, and the school of instruction at Ansonia tomorrow.

Mrs. Helen Carter of 4 Drive G

Mrs. Helen Carter of 4 Drive G, Silver Lake Homes, Manchester, who was seriously injured when she was struck by a car in Kenney Park, Hartford, Sunday, March 25, is recovering rapidly in Manchester Memorial hospital.

Mrs. Rosa Hatak of Norman

Mrs. Rosa Hatak of Norman street, is visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. and Mrs. Leonard Hill, in Hyde Park, N. Y.

Private William B. Rivers

Private William B. Rivers, of 130 Eldridge street, will graduate on April 21 from the Ordnance School at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland, where he has been taking special engine course. He is married to the former Miss Marie McCaughey.

Mrs. T. W. Benson and three

Mrs. T. W. Benson and three-month-old son, James T. Benson, to Houston in Lincoln, Missouri morning for Florida, to John M. Benson, who is with the Coast Guard at St. Augustine. Mrs. Benson was the former Miss Doreen Thompson.

Furnace Repaired

A furnace that had been repaired by Mr. J. J. Fitzpatrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Fitzpatrick of 107 Spruce street, was reported missing in action in France on Dec. 16, 1944. He now is a prisoner of war of the Nazis, his parents were informed yesterday in a card sent by his son from the German prison camp of Leizewald.

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Tall Cedars Plans Made
Program for Ladies' Night Complete; To Have Several Guests

Suggests Two Peace Parleys To Draw Map
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TOPS FOR QUALITY PEPSI-COLA
HOSPITAL EXPENSE IS NO LONGER A DRAIN ON THE FAMILY INCOME!

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PLAYING STARTS AT 8:15

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Jonathan Logan
Here's Jonathan Logan's adorable sephum... its shirred cap-type sleeves... its "Breath of Spring" look for you. Sizes 9 to 15 \$12.95

Sign Contract On Lease of 'Y'
75 Young Women to Occupy Building During Summer Months

Weddings
DiSimone-McKee
Announcement is made of the recent marriage of Miss Dorothy McKee, daughter of Mr. 201 Hamilton St., to Mr. 201 Hamilton St., to Mr. 201 Hamilton St.

Widow's Appeal
Mrs. E. J. O'Brien, widow of the late E. J. O'Brien, has filed a petition for the appointment of a guardian for her minor children.

Urges Observing Army Day
Raymond E. Baldwin last night issued a statement urging all citizens pause during the day to pay tribute to the armed forces and adopt a firm resolve to back them up by staying on vital war jobs.

Get More Comfort For Standing Feet
With An Ice-Mint Treat
Don't let tired, burning sensitive feet stand on a little ice-mint and feel better.

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Keep your home in tune with Spring. Keith's offers you a host of values designed to make your brighter, more comfortable and easier to live in, at money-saving prices.

ATTENTION! MOTHERS
Just Arrived! A Shipment of Infant Shoes
These Will Be Rationed May 1st Get Yours While They Last

Hospital Notes
Admitted yesterday: Rosemary Datta, 25 Laurel street; Joseph Borla, 54 Homestead street; Mrs. Flore Cole, 100 South Coventry street; Mrs. Gladys Wilson, 75 Wells street; Mrs. Nellie Griffin, Haven; Mrs. Doris Willis, 44 Henry street; Mark Farley, East Hartford.

STATE NOW PLAYING
O'BRIEN vs DURANTE
MUSIC FOR MILLIONS
LATE SHOW SHOWS SAT. SUN. 9-10
FRIDAY SAT. SUN. 10-11
ON STAGE

COVER-UP Job
Spirit Lifters
LADY IN WAITING
MADONNA PASSIONS
What your madcap is to your face is to your figure. In this style, Agony-Dance is achieved by neckline interest and other details.

Classic Boy Coats
Casual, young, smooth. In all LASTING WAITING. Madonny Passions. All sizes up to 14. \$24.98 up

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Platform rocker with mahogany finish arms and base. Springs in steel. \$29.75
Kneehole Desk in 1825 country design. Mahogany finish. Ample drawer space. \$34.50

Burton's... for best
Here's Jonathan Logan's adorable sephum... its shirred cap-type sleeves... its "Breath of Spring" look for you. Sizes 9 to 15 \$12.95

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NATIONALLY ADV. FELT BASE RUGS \$5.95
Bright felt base by Armstrong. Quaker and Bird. \$12 size. Good values. Open Thursday 7:30 P. M. Closed Wednesday At Noon.

Rev. Woodruff Club Speaker

Former Local Pastor Lectures Before Professional Women Here

Dr. Watson Woodruff, former pastor of Center Congregational church and now pastor of the Congregational church at Avon, was professional women's club speaker at a meeting of the Professional Women's Club last evening.

Dr. Woodruff's address was "The League of Nations and the League of Women." He said he believed there were three reasons why the League of Nations did not succeed.

Through many people think of the League as a failure, said the speaker, it has not actually been a failure. He said the League was a failure because it was not a League of Nations.

Rockville Mayor Makes Annual Appeal

Rockville Executive in Letters, Asks Support For Salvation Army.

Rockville, April 4.—(Special)—Mayor Raymond E. Hunt is honored at least fifty patches on his coat.

It is reported that absentees in schools have reached alarming proportions. "Thousands of children both in town and country are unable to leave their homes."

Two Grass Fires Here Yesterday

What Can You Spare That They Can Wear?

War brings unspareable torments to children. The following are just a few quotations from letters received from relief workers in Europe:

"In every class there are children who own but one shirt or dress. The child has to stay home while his mother washes and dries this single garment."

From Italy: "One coat of one of the boys had at least fifty patches on it."

From Holland: "It is reported that absentees in schools have reached alarming proportions."

Immunization Clinic

The next Immunization Clinic will be held on Tuesday, April 11th from 3 to 4 o'clock at the office of the Rockville Public Health Nursing association with Dr. E. H. Metcalf in charge.

There will be two applications heard for change of name only. Magdalen Mori Vunk and Vunk, both of 15 Chestnut street, this city and a reputation case, Hill, Rockville, is secretary.

The Suburbanites group of the Ladies Aid of the Vernon Methodist church will hold a supper at the church this evening.

Guest Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Tertius Van Dyke, dean of the Hartford Seminary will occupy the pulpit at the Union Congregational church next Sunday morning.

Now Ready Our Beautiful New Line of Mother's Day Greeting Cards

Nice Cards like these will be scarce later. We suggest an early selection to avoid disappointment.

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Reports Given On Red Cross

Success of War Fund Drive Elates Directors At Their Meeting.

That the Manchester Red Cross War Fund drive had gone over the top was the gratifying announcement made on Monday by Herbert Howe, drive chairman.

Eighteen directors were present at the meeting, with chairman Dr. Eugene M. Davis presiding.

Water Safety chairman, William Bachner, stated that a lot of swimming is going on, and that an effort is being made to have every High School Senior boy take a course of pre-education swimming.

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8 Ton Hydraulic Jacks \$3.95

SPREADER 4.95

6.00 x 16... \$17.00

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Volunteers Wanted!

Donnelly's Jewellers

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GET A NEW HY-POWER QUIET MUFFLER

PRECISION MACHINES FOR SALE

MANCHESTER'S United National Clothing Collection

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Seeking Peace, Not Votes
President Roosevelt's new decision that the United States will not join Russia in asking three votes in the general assembly of the proposed world organization does not alter his Yalta policy.

Speed The Drive!
Covering all Manchester in one afternoon, which is going to be the demand for the United Nations Clothing Collection this Sunday, is an ambitious project, which is going to call for some efficient work on the part of the general public.

Louis Armstrong Heads Stage Show
Louis "Satchmo" Armstrong, the famous trumpet player, will head the cast of the new stage show, "The King of Jazz," which is to be presented at the Manchester Theatre on Friday night.

Open Forum
Race Prejudice
To the Editor:—Race prejudice at the present is causing quite a lot of embarrassment and is a real danger to the peace of the world.

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WORK GARDEN
By Henry L. Price
Spring, according to the almanac, does not officially arrive until March 20, but that does not mean that the gardeners can wait until then to do any work.

To Lead Groups In Folk Dancing
Fun for everyone is promised on Tuesday night, when E. Eddy Nadel, famous folk dancing instructor and leader, will be at the Center church, Irene Miling, president and Marion A. Munson, adviser.

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Not Enough Facilities To Care for Veterans
Judge advocate of the Connecticut department, Veterans of Foreign Wars, expressed support for a measure extending veterans' priority in the National Housing Act.

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Music for Millions Delightful Show
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These Stores Are OPEN— THURSDAYS and SATURDAYS 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. The J.W. HALE CORP. MANCHESTER CONN. C.E. HOUSE, SON, INC.

Now AT WAR! United Aircraft News A REPORT OF PERFORMANCE AT HOME AND ABROAD

Propeller Output Tops Half-Million World Production Record Set By Hamilton Standard and Its Four-Licensee Team

Engine Goes "Through Hell" FAIRFIELD, Ohio—"Take care of this engine, it has been through Hell."

Men's Union Suits Summer Weight 55.00 Button-on shoulder. In light weight style!

Montgomery Ward Advertise in The Herald—It Pays

Meat Will Be Short After Nazis Beaten

Meat will be in short supply after the Nazis are beaten, according to a report from the War Relocation Authority.

Senate Approves Proposal to Hike Legislators' Pay

The Senate today approved a proposal to increase the salaries of state legislators.

Deaths

Deaths in the city of Manchester, including a young child and an elderly woman.

Funerals

Funeral services for a local resident, including a family service and a public funeral.

Wins Bronze Star

A local soldier has been awarded the Bronze Star for gallantry in action during the war.

Allied Units Reach Weser and Ems; 3rd Enters Plain

Allied forces have advanced to the Weser and Ems rivers, and the 3rd Army has entered the plain.

Yank Bombers Hammer Kiel and Hamburg

Yank bombers have conducted heavy raids on Kiel and Hamburg, inflicting significant damage.

Son Wounded On Iwo Jima

A local man's son was wounded during the battle of Iwo Jima.

Mother Here Receives Letter Telling of Injuries Received in Battle

A mother has received a letter from her son in the front lines, reporting his injuries.

Civil War Reported Inside Vienna Now

Reports from Vienna indicate a civil war is being fought between different factions.

Justice Dept. Work Told

The Justice Department is working on various cases and legal matters.

Club to Give Minstrel Show

A local club is planning to give a minstrel show to raise funds for a cause.

St. Francis Church of South Windsor Plans Two Performances

St. Francis Church in South Windsor is planning two performances.

Legal Notices

Legal notices and public information regarding various legal matters.

Food-feeding activities and complaints of hoarding

Complaints of hoarding and food-feeding activities are being reported in the city.

Memorial Mass

A memorial mass will be held to honor the fallen soldiers of the war.

Unfavorable Reports

Unfavorable reports are being received from various sources regarding the war effort.

Refugees Centered Here

A center for refugees is being established in the city to provide aid and support.

Admiral Nimitz Reported That

Admiral Nimitz has reported on the progress of the war in the Pacific.

Police Uncover Murder Clues

The police have uncovered clues in a murder case, leading to further investigations.

Navy Reduces Call for May

The Navy has reduced its call for recruits for the month of May.

Coal Contract Decision Due

A decision on a coal contract is expected to be made soon.

Reds Surge Within 6 Miles of Vienna

Red forces have surged within six miles of Vienna.

Armored Force Rolls Into Vienna Suburbs

An armored force has rolled into the suburbs of Vienna.

Personal Notices

Personal notices and announcements from individuals.

Card of Thanks

A card of thanks is being presented to someone for their assistance.

Box Chocolates

Box chocolates are available for purchase at a special price.

High-rising British food officials

High-rising British food officials are working to improve food supplies.

Monthly Meeting of the Past

The monthly meeting of the Past is scheduled for next week.

Legislative Hearings Postponed

Legislative hearings have been postponed due to various reasons.

Wapping

Wapping activities are being organized in the city.

Twin Yank Drives Go Toward Naha

Two Yank divisions are driving toward Naha in the Pacific.

Move Down Bay Shores

Alcoholism Is Not a Moral Vice

Alcoholism is not a moral vice, according to a recent report.

Wants That at Hitler

There are reports of various activities and movements related to Hitler.

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Further reports on activities and movements related to Hitler.

Wants That at Hitler

Continuation of reports on activities and movements related to Hitler.

Wants That at Hitler

Final report on activities and movements related to Hitler.

McGill-Converse, Inc. advertisement for Bri-Mar Paints, featuring various paint products and their benefits for home improvement.

The Savings Bank of Manchester advertisement, highlighting its services and mutual savings plans.

Johnson Paint Co. advertisement for Du Pont House Paint, emphasizing its quality and durability.

Advertisement for various household products, including shoes and other goods.

Advertisement for Benson's furniture and home goods, featuring a variety of styles and prices.

Classified Advertisements For Rent For Sale To Buy To Sell

FOR SALE 6-Room House - "One Acre Lot." 2-car garage. Home needs some repairs.

WANTED GIRL FOR GENERAL OFFICE WORK Apply in Person.

WANTED MALE HELP WANTED Full or Part Time.

Manchester Green BUSINESS PROPERTY 7-Room Single House, hot water heat, lot 94x200.

Price \$10,000 McKINNEY BROTHERS 505 MAIN STREET MANCHESTER

Automobiles for Sale 1936 PLYMOUTH SEDAN \$298. 1938 FORD COACH \$598.

Business Services Offered 13 BUSINESS BURNERS and power burners of all makes and kinds cleaned and adjusted.

Male or Female HELP WANTED FULL TIME - 5 DAY WEEK

WANTED LABORERS FOR PICKING DEPARTMENT Day Shift

WANTED GIRLS AND WOMEN IN ALL DEPARTMENTS Pleasant conditions. Clean steady work. Pays well.

LANE LEONARD Telling the World

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Rooms Without Board 59 FURNISHED ROOM TO RENT Tel. 2-1777.

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REAL ESTATE LISTINGS OF All Types Wanted! Cash Available.

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Deaths BRIGHT DIAMONDS

THE STORY: Brenda points out to Nick that motor trouble means she has kept her father at the Lodge...

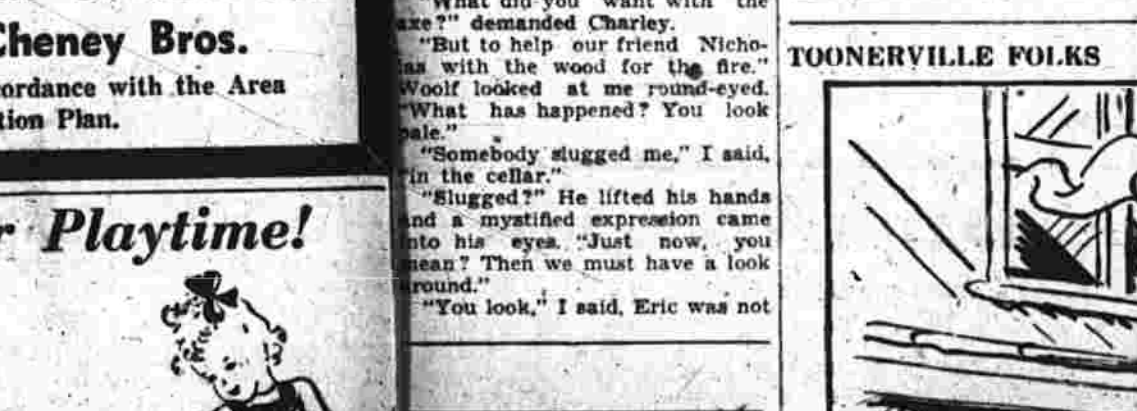
Sense and Nonsense

It was up under the northern lights. The young Bakimo bawled to the light of his loved one...

FUNNY BUSINESS



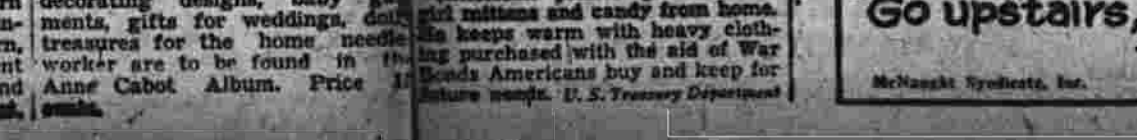
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Side Glances



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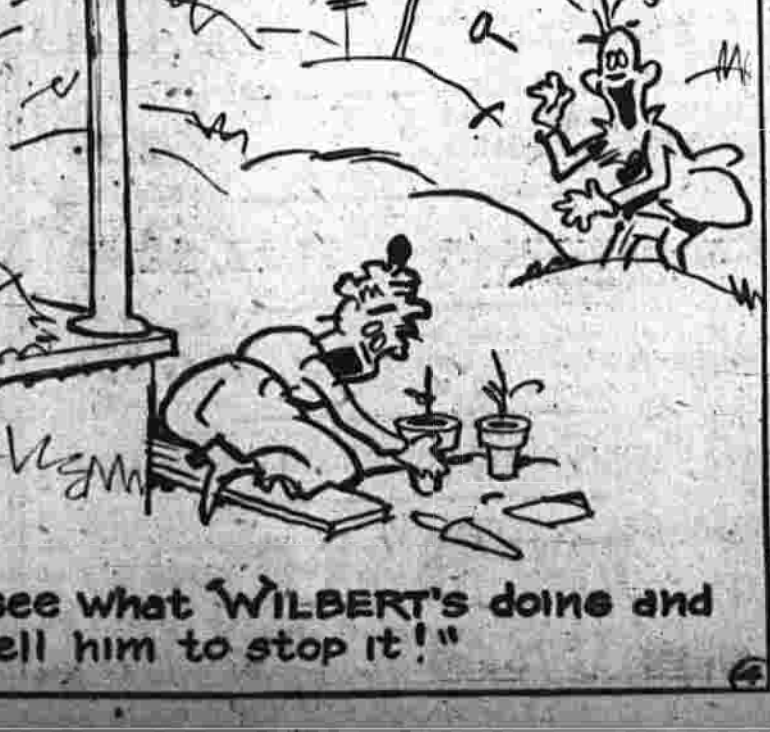
New Mission



Why, Marmaduke!



Our Boarding House



Major Hoople



Wash Tubbs



Out Our Way



By J. R. Williams



By Leslie Turner



Hold Everything



By Edgar Martin



By V. T. Hamlin



By Fred Harnam



By J. R. Williams



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