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Title: Marching in Hartford on VJ Day

Date: 1945

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Medium: Gelatin silver print

Description: On August 15, 1945, 17-year-old Leonard Hellerman joined a joyous tumult in downtown Hartford, with camera in hand. President Harry Truman had just announced the end of the war with Japan. It was VJ Day (Victory in Japan), which followed VE Day celebrations by just a few months. A budding photographer, Hellerman was in the 11th-grade at Weaver High School in Hartford at the time, and has continued to create photographs exploring scenes of Connecticut throughout his life.

Dimensions: 12×10 in. $(30.5 \times 25.4 \text{ cm})$