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Central Union Joins "Greater City" Movement, Calling for Trade-getting Fund and Indorsing Municipal Loan.

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It was pointed out that the city, to maintain or increase its activity in the trade world, must spend large sums of money in order to introduce goods manufactured here to merchants in other countries. The money, if raised, will be distributed equally between the two organizations for the purpose of sending colvoys to foreign countries. If the funds are obtained a vigorous campals will be launched to advertise this city in all sections of the world.

A notice from the national headquarters of the American Federation of Labor was read during the meeting, urging the various bodies affiliated with the central body to choose delegates to represent them at the national convention of labor organizations to be held in Horticultural Hall for two weeks, beginning November 8. Central Union Joins "Greater

Union labor yesterday enlisted in the campaign for a "Greater Philadelphia" and following their enrollment in the movement for an enlarged city, volunteered to fight shoulder to shoulder with their employers for the cause. The Centheir employers for the cause. In Central Labor Union, at its regular meeting, demanded that Councils make possible the improvements which have been planned for the city by passing the loan bill, and also urged upon the Chamber of Commerce that it participate with labor organizations in the establishment of a \$1,000,000 fund to be used in exploiting Philadelphia and its products throughout the United States and the world.

Resolutions, urging the Chamber of Commerce to cooperate with the Labor Forward Movement Committee and the Central Labor Union to raise the \$1.00,000 fund were unanimously adopted Con-

600 fund were unanimously adopted Cop-les of the memorial were forwarded to each member of the Chamber of Com-

The union also adopted a resolution lish threats to protract the war,

urging Councils to pass, with all haste. TWO-CENT POSTAGE TO AID the proposed \$11,700,000 loan. This, the labor organization contends, will aid in maintaining the business prosperity of

the city.

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Reports were read showing that the movement to unionize Philadelphia by the Labor Forward Committee had proved very successful. This is the only city in the country that did not have a falling off in membership during the past It is expected that 50,000 men will amiliate themselves with labor organisa-tions in Philadelphia before the conven-ing of the national convention. Massmeetings of teamsters, barbers and bar-tenders were held in various sections of

GERMANY TO FIGHT FOR TRADE COPENHAGEN, Sept. 18 .- An extraordinary session of the German Chamber of Tuesday, at which a resolution will be put forward to the effect that relations between Germany and the world of com-merce shall endure until Germany is wholly victorious, notwithstanding Eng-

# SOUTH AMERICA TRADE

Congress Leaders Advocate Reduction of Present Rate on Mails.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12 .- As a further stimulus to the commerce between the United States and South America, It is proposed by Congress leaders who specialize in postal matters that steps be taken to obtain a 2-cent postage rate to those countries that will consent to an arrangement of this character. It requires at present a 5-cent stamp to carry a letter to South America, and the argument is being presented that it would be a long stride toward a closer commerbe a long stride toward a closer commer-cial relationship if that part of the world could be placed on the same basis with respect to mall charges as is now enjoyed by England, Germany, Canada, Mexico Representative James T. Lloyd, of Mis-

sourl, for many years a member of the House Postoffice Committee and a close student of postal affairs, today said that there was a general sentiment among members of the House and Senate in faver of this proposed reduced postage.

The change would involve a series of postal treaties to be negotiated between 000,000 pounds, came from Hawalian ports

postal treatles to be negotiated between the United States and each of the countries which are willing to enter into the new arrangement. These treatles would be made in behalf of the United States by the Postmaster General and would be the Spreckels refinery, at Dickinson street similar to those now existing between this country and those with which the two-cent rate now applies. The postal arrangements with the South

The postal arrangements with the Solds, merican nations are the result of this ountry's connection with the Universal costal Union. To countries outside the nion the first class postage rate is 20 A joint resolution, the adoption of which would indicate the sentiment of Congress on the question of lower rate, is contem-plated by some of the leaders.

# 46,000,000 POUNDS OF SUGAR ARRIVE HERE IN ONE WEEK

Shipment Yesterday Comes From Hawaiian Ports by Way of Panama Canal and Goes to Spreckels Refinery.

With the arrival yesterday of a 2000-ton argo of sugar, the total imports of that article at this port since Sunday, September 6, reached the tremendous amount of 23,000 tons, or 46,000,000 pounds. The

Another cargo of Hawalian sugar, aggregating 18,400,000 pounds, was received by the same firm last Wednesday upon the arrival of the steamship Alaskan, of the same line, while a 10,000,000-pound shipment of Cuban sugar was received Sunday, September 6, by the McCahan

sels reached this port yesterday, including a few in ballast for orders. Among those bringing cargoes was the Norwegian steamship Finn, Captain Amundsen, which came from Huelva, Spain, with more than 6000 tons of copper ore. The vessel, consigned to O. G. Hempated & Co., while in midocean was spoken to by an unidentified British warship. The latter approached the Finn to within a mile and, after ascertaining by flag signals the nationality, cargo and destination of the Norwegian vessel, disappeared again.

Over vessels to bring freight from over-seas were the Danish steamship Arkan-nss, of the Scandinavian-American Line, from Copenhagen with paper pulp, hides and general merchandise, and the British steamship Manchester Exchange, from Manchester, by way of St. John, N. B., with a general cargo. The latter vessel, however, will not dock until some time this morning.

### LITTLE SMUGGLING OF DRUGS

Committee Investigating in New

York Prisons Reports Decrease. ALBANY, Sept. 13 .- That there is comparatively little smuggling of drugs and other contraband art class being carried on in the various state prisons at the present time is the conclusion reached by a special committee of the Senate Commissions which has been investigating the drug traffic in Sing Sing, Clinton, Auburn and Great Meadow prisons.

The committee attributes the falling off in the traffic to recent investigations, publicity and to special care exercised by the prison officials.

The report concludes by declaring that "there is no reason why the smuggling of Sugar Refining Company.

Only about half a dozen foreign ves-

### WAR AND CANAL OPEN AUSTRALIA'S CADE GATES

Foreign Commerce Expert Sees Opportunity for the United States.
The coincidence of the war and the opening of the Panama Canal gives the United States a chance to double its trade with Australia and New Zealand, according to Dr. Albert A. Snowden, foreign trade commissioner for the National Association of Manufacturers. The nations of Germany, France, Austria, Belgium, Italy, Holland and Switzerland, which in 1912 supplied Australia with goods worth \$67,447,500 and New Zealand with goods worth \$5,489,930, are practically prevented by mobilizations or actual

military operations from producing commodities for export. Doctor Snowden says that the United Doctor Snowden says that the United States can fill practically all of Australia's standing order at an acceptable price. United States exports to Australia and New Zealand in 1912 amounted to \$54,069,090. He does not think that in the expansion movement Great Britain need be feared. The mother country has always atood first on the colony's books, but British factories in wartime, he believes, will have all they can do to keep that position.

TINKELDEY NOT A CANDIDATE After serving as a member of Camden City Councils for the past ten years from the 11th Ward, Frederick A. Finkeldey today sent a letter to some of his constituents saying he would not be a candidate for office this year.

Mr. Finkeldey is a physical director at the Girard College and gave the pres-sure of his duties there as a reason for not wishing to go to councils another

### 17-YEAR-OLD WIFE ACCUSED OF THEFT SOBS IN COM

Arrested for Stealing Coal-Did

Know it was Wrong to Do Sa A 17-year-old wife, Mary Urbanaki. 4571 Melrose street, was arraigned i fore Magistrate Borle today, accused picking coal from the tracks of Pennsylvania Raliroad at Church Tacony streets. Her husband was poor to buy coal, she said.

Weeping and forlorn, the young between sobs told the magistrate had been in America only a while, and because other women told ; It was not wrong to pick coal she had done so. She could not speak Engine so an interpreter translated her story She was fined \$13.50, but inter Mastrate Borie relented and sent for the country of the story of the young woman's husband.
"We came to America only
months ago and were married," sa

months ago and were married." said Mn Urbanski. "My husband worked in a sist factory. There has been no work is some time, and he could get no money, worked too, but because I am to become a mother I stopped and came home. "With my husband having little, and were in danger of being turned out of so two rooms on Melrose street. It was call this morning, and I wanted coal for callittle stove. little stove.

"Women told me it was not wrong pick coal fro mthe railroad tracks. The

never done wrong before, and I was never done wrong before, and I was never done wrong before, and I was never done wife's story caused may persons in the courtroom to cough a wipe their eyes. The magistrate sent of the work is and it is thought the west. Urbanski, and it is thought the will be adjusted,
Special Patrolman McAllister, of

railroad company, said much been stolen from cars recently.



# Institutions that have Stood



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