

WAR NOW COSTS \$21,000,000 DAILY TO BRITISH ALONE

Asquith Makes Startling Announcements in Parliament—Asks New Loan

WANTS \$1,250,000,000 More Than 3,000,000 Men Have Enlisted—Allies Strengthening Positions

LONDON, Sept. 15. England's daily expenditure for war purposes is now exceeding the wildest dreams of financial experts.

In moving a new war credit of \$1,250,000,000 today in Parliament Premier Asquith announced that the daily average expenditure from July 15 to September 11 was \$21,000,000.

As staggering as the cost of the war is now, Premier Asquith predicted that in the near future it would rise to \$25,000,000 per day.

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Asquith told Parliament. In a speech on May 4 David Lloyd-George declared that the war up to that time had cost England about \$10,500,000 a day.

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COOL SCENES FROM THE STREETS FOR HOT WEATHER PERUSAL



The upper picture shows how it is possible to cool the head and shoulders. The lower picture illustrates an unerring method for cooling the extremities.

"DRYS" ELATED OVER SOUTH CAROLINA VOTE

Homer W. Tope Declares Prohibition Victory Will Affect Outcome in Ohio

Supporters of prohibition in this city were elated today over the action of the voters of South Carolina yesterday.

Their sentiments as to the victory were expressed by Homer W. Tope, head of the Anti-Saloon League in Philadelphia.

"I am jubilant over the results of the election. It is only another indication of how the prohibition wave is sweeping over the country.

While 30 per cent of the counties in Ohio now have local option, Cincinnati and Cleveland still are in the wet column.

E. T. Fleming, secretary of the National Herald, a weekly publication devoted to the interests of the "wets," refused comment on the outcome in South Carolina.

GYPSY ELOPERS HAPPY

Forgiveness of Parents Takes Married Couple Back to Newark, N. J.

A message of forgiveness has called two newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. John Morrison, back to the sheltering parental wing in Newark, N. J.

The couple were married by the Rev. Samuel W. Purvis, of 232 North 13th street. They have known each other a long time.

Held for Assault on Councilmen Archibald Robinson, of 1327 Mifflin street, was held under \$500 bail for court by Magistrate Harris at his office, 278 Market street.

Steel Company Official John C. Jay, Jr. has resigned as vice president and general manager of sales of the Pennsylvania Steel Company.

LEASE OF KEYSTONE CABLE DUCTS OPPOSED

City Solicitor Ryan Fights Deal Between Telephone Co. and Philadelphia Electric

The city of Philadelphia will oppose the proposed lease of the cable ducts of the Keystone Telephone Company to the Philadelphia Electric Company.

The lease will be opposed on the ground that the city authorities should be consulted, and that such a lease would be against public policy as well as a sure method of stifling competition.

Mayor Blankenburg last November, when news of the plan became public, notified the officers of both companies "Philadelphia might consider itself an interested party."

The lease gives the electric company the right to purchase at the end of the present term of the conduit space it uses or to extend the term of the lease for 15 years at an annual payment of \$125,000.

AMATEUR GASMAN SINGED

Courted Disaster With Lighted Candle, but Escaped With Slight Burns

Lawrence Mooz, of 2829 Cumberland street, declared today he never got into a cellar again with a lighted candle in his hand to hunt for a leak in a gas pipe.

MURDER MYSTERY FIZZLES

No Medal for Policeman Who Found "Dead" Man Sleeping

No medal will be given Motorcycle Policeman Frith, of the Germantown police station, for solving Germantown's latest "murder mystery" scare.

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FLAVELL'S SPRING GARDEN ST.

KITCHENER SAYS 220,000 MEN ADDED TO FORCE IN FRANCE

LONDON, Sept. 15.—Lord Kitchener announced in the House of Lords this afternoon that 11 divisions (about 220,000 men) have been added to the British forces in France and Flanders.

Lord Lansdowne announced on July 13 that the British forces in France and Flanders numbered between 400,000 and 450,000.

These reinforcements, the War Secretary announced, have enabled the British to extend their lines for about 17 miles, taking over trenches formerly held by the French.

Phila. Brigade to Go to Gettysburg More than 50 survivors of "Webb's Brigade," known officially as the Philadelphia Brigade, will take a trip to the Gettysburg battlefield October 12.

COURT CANDIDATE SPEAKS

Frederick B. Drake, candidate for Judge of Court of Common Pleas No. 2, addressed the Drake Government League in the 34th Ward last night on good citizenship.

WOMAN ATTEMPTS SUICIDE

Bewails Failure to Kill Herself and Says Everything Seems to Go Wrong With Her

"Everything I do seems wrong. I can't do right, seems." This despairing plaint was found today in a note beside the unconscious form of Mrs. Mary Vanderlicke, who inhaled gas in her rooms at the southwest corner of Front and Somerset streets.

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Coffee Pot Upsets When Child Attempts to Play With It

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BOY'S TYPHOID CAUSE OF WYNCOTE EPIDEMIC

Child Visiting Dairy Spreads Infection—17 Persons Are Ill

The cause of the outbreak of typhoid fever in the Old York road suburban section between Melrose and Willow Grove was discovered today in the person of a 14-year-old boy.

He stayed on the Francis Farm of the Overlook Dairy, near Willow Grove, from August 17 to 30, as a guest of the Harrison Day Nursery, which furnishes country vacations for poor children.

The dairy's output is between 700 and 1000 quarts of milk a day, said Dr. Charles K. Stout, head of the Cheltenham Township Board of Health.

FIGHTS DRUG LAW

Physician First to Raise Opposition to Harrison Statute

A demurrer filed in the United States District Court today by Dr. Michael Susman, of Pine street, near 5th, attacked the constitutionality of the Harrison anti-drug act.

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\$100,000 LOSS WHEN CONTINUED HEAT SETS

YARN AND WOOL AFIRE

Ten Firemen Overcome or Injured at Blaze in Warehouse of Charles J. Webb & Co.

The heat wave is held responsible today for the loss of more than \$100,000 by fire in the wool and cotton yarn warehouse of Charles J. Webb & Company.

Three floors of the big seven-story warehouse are in ruins today, swept almost clean of thousands of dollars' worth of yarn by the flames.

Rudolph McFassel, night watchman of the building, discovered the fire last night in the third floor. By the time firemen arrived, the flames had eaten their way to the sixth floor.

AUTOIST GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER

LANCASTER, Pa., Sept. 15.—George E. Toie today in the Quarter Sessions Court was found guilty of manslaughter in causing the death of 7-year-old Adeline Gross.

The woman, who is 37 years old, has been separated from her husband. In the note, which was addressed to her daughter, Mrs. Violet Haines, 214 West Sergeant street, she asked that her husband, Benjamin, be permitted to see her and to attend the funeral.

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JUDICIAL CANDIDATES QUIZZED

Views on Injunctions of Labor Unions Asked by Federation Official

HARRISBURG, Pa., Sept. 15.—C. F. Stone, secretary of the Pennsylvania Federation of Labor, has addressed a letter to each of the candidates for Superior Court Judge, asking their position on the granting of injunctions against labor unions, organizations or leaders.

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