

SPIKE TRANSIT SUIT—DRASTIC DOPE LAW IS PLANNED—DEFENSE FUND SAFE

SENATE PASSES VARE BILL; HOUSE TO ACT

\$2,000,000 Measure Will Be Rushed Through Lower Chamber of Legislature

PUBLIC CRITICISM POTENT

Factions Come to Terms—Auditor General-elect Snyder to Be on Board

HARRISBURG, April 24.—The Legislature today moved a step toward fulfilling the compact made at last night's war emergency fund "love feast."

PUBLIC TO DISCUSS TRANSIT PROBLEM

Hearing Before Joint Legislative Committee Set for Two Weeks From Today

MAYOR AT STATE CAPITOL

Plans to Combine Pending Bills as Far as Practicable

HARRISBURG, April 24.—The entire transit situation in Philadelphia will be thrown open to public discussion at a hearing to be held here two weeks from today by the joint Judiciary General Committee of the House and Senate.

FOOD PROBLEM CALLED SERIOUS BY EXPERT

Lack of Co-ordination in Gardening a Menace, Says Bryn Mawr Professor

ADVOCATES REASSURED

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DRASTIC DOPE LAW WILL BE REPORTED

Features of Vare and Whitaker Bills to Be in New One

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REFUSES TO PAY CITY \$500,000 ELECTION FUND

Auditor General Deaf to Mayor's Argument—Sees Excessive Charge

HARRISBURG, April 24.—Auditor General Powell this afternoon flatly refused to pay the city of Philadelphia nearly \$500,000 which the city contends is due for primary election expenses from 1908 to 1914.

STATE "DRYS" SEEK WAR PROHIBITION

Foes of Liquor Will Try to Push It Through Legislature

HARRISBURG, April 24.—A bill providing for "bone-dry" prohibition in Pennsylvania during the war with Germany, is expected to make its appearance in the Legislature this week.

HOUSE GETS READY FOR ADJOURNMENT

Bill Sets May 1 as Last Day for New State Measures

HARRISBURG, April 24.—The House today took the first steps toward adjournment when it adopted a resolution introduced by Representative Lewis of Jefferson County, fixing May 1 as the last day for the introduction of bills.

COMBINING OF BILLS

Just how the bills will be combined is not certain as yet. The Salus bill contains all the provisions of the Gans bill, and for that reason it is likely, the Mayor said, that the latter bill will be dropped entirely.

JUDICIARY COMMITTEE TO SETTLE VARE BILL

Measure Applies to Advertising in Philadelphia Papers Only—Additional Cost \$40,000 Annually

HARRISBURG, April 24.—The Judiciary General Committee of the House, at its meeting this afternoon, will have before it the Vare bill requiring that all legal advertising be inserted in foreign language newspapers, in addition to those printed in English.

URICH LICENSE BILL SENT BACK TO COMMITTEE

HARRISBURG, April 24.—The Urlich bill, requiring that compensation be paid to wholesale and retail liquor dealers whose licenses are revoked, was sent back to committee in the House today after a long debate.

STATE SUFFRAGISTS JOIN NATIONAL WOMAN'S PARTY

Central Pennsylvania Association Now Active for Susan B. Anthony Amendment

Word was received today at headquarters of the Pennsylvania branch of the National Woman's Party, 2115 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, that the Central Pennsylvania Woman Suffrage Association has become affiliated with the Pennsylvania branch of the National Woman's Party.

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BILL PROHIBITS VOTES ON LOANS AT PRIMARIES

Makes It Unlawful to Decide Anything Except Nominations of Candidates

A bill that would make it impossible to submit to the voters of Philadelphia any bond issue at a primary election was introduced into the Legislature today by Representative Isadore Stern, of this city.

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LABOR AND SCHOOL LAWS MAY BE KILLED FOR WAR

Governor Expected to Ask Suspension in Order to Utilize All State's Forces

HARRISBURG, April 24.—Governor Brumbaugh is planning to ask the Legislature to enact legislation suspending all labor and school laws during the war with Germany, according to members of the Senate and House today.

SENATE GETS M'NICHOL'S BILLS ON STATE'S MONEY

Sweeping Reforms in Handling Commonwealth's Funds Provided in Projects

HARRISBURG, April 24.—The change in the method of handling the State's money, as recommended by the Economic Efficiency Commission, is provided for in four bills introduced in the Legislature today by Senator McNichol, of Philadelphia.

SNYDER BILL PASSES SENATE

Will Boost City Treasurer's Salary \$5000—"Movie" Bill Dies

HARRISBURG, April 24.—The House today received from the Senate the Snyder bill increasing the salary of the City Treasurer of Philadelphia \$5000 a year.

NEW-BORN BABY FOUND DEAD

Police of the Front and Master Streets Station at Well and Shackamaxon Streets. They are endeavoring to find the parents of the baby, the body of whom was taken to the Roosevelt Hospital.

LAFAEAN TAKES OATH OF OFFICE

HARRISBURG, April 24.—Daniel F. Lafaean, of York, appointed banking commissioner last Saturday night by Governor Brumbaugh, took the oath of office today and filed a \$20,000 bond for the faithful performance of his duties.



He's telling her that nothing he received from home brought more joy, longer-lasting pleasure, greater relief from thirst and fatigue, than

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