ATE TAKES LEAD "BONE DRY" BILL IN U.S. RECRUITING **OFFERED IN HOUSE**

Ousts .Illinois From First Measure Negatived by Com-Place in Number of Army Enlistments

PHILADELPHIA HAS SLUMP

Enlistment 'Batting Averages' in 'Big League' Ball Towns

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	city.	Recruits.	Eligible F	Per 1000
1	Detroit	1399	93,200	15.01
I	Cincinnati	1076	72,600	14.82
1	Boston	1536	134,000	11.47
	Cleveland	949	112,000	8.48
Ì	Chicago	3469	437,000	7.94
	Pittsburgh	725	106,800	6.79
	Philadelphia .	1869	309,800	6.03
	New York	2999	953,400	3.14
	The Acuros	above	show the	total

The figures snow the total aimy, navy and marine corps re-cruits for April up to today, the approximate number of men of military age and the number of enlist-ments for every 1000 men of mili-tary age in the various cities.

Pennsylvania took the lead from Illinois in yesterday's recruiting for the regular army, it was announced at Washington this afternoon. Pennsylvania's total was 238; that of Illinois 221; New York, 180; Michigan, 97; Missouri, 90; Kansas, 75; Texas, 66; Ohio, 62: Massachusetts, 61; California, 51, and Maryland, 14.

For the entire regular service-army, navy and marine corps-men are responding to the call to the colors at a rate of 2.66 men per 100 men of military age. Since April 1 53,170 have enlisted in the three branches. The estimated number of men of fighting age a 20,000,000. The army leads with \$2,108 recruits, the navy has added 17.579 and the marine corps 3483."

The midweek recruiting slump entered into full swing today in Philadelphia. . The army had added thirty-eight re-

cruits and the navy fifteen by 1 o'clock today. Yesterday's total number was 207. including ninety-three in the naval coast defense reserve.

Among today's army recruits was "Sam" Osborne, a well-known Philadelphia base-ball player, who was assigned to the field artillery. He lives at 1010 Jefferson street. "Now is the time for all men who believe

"Now is the time for all men who believe that the volunteer system is a success to come forward and prove it by enlisting themselves," said an army recruiting officer, who declared that the records of enlistment furnish one of the best arguments for selective draft for the fighting forces of the country

A definite order that enlistsments in the National Guard since April 6 are for the duration of the war on'y was received to-day from the War Department by the First and Third Pennsylvania infantry Regi-ments. The oath taken by the enlisted men is for three years' active service and three in the reserve, but, the order states, those men who wish to be mustered out of both the Federal and State service at the end of the war may so elect.

The following were among the first regruits today:

FIRST PENNSYLVANIA INFANTRY, N. G. Willis, 22, Baltimore, machinist. W. Vogel, 19, Baltimore, tinemith. W. Jones, 34, 511 Vine st., Cainden, ; band. A. Lynch, 24, 3812 Walton st.; Com-O'Donnell, 20, 1312 City Line road; mas Vericha, 21, 211 S. 32d st.; Company K.

NAVAL COAST DEFENSE RESERVE

mittee Introduced by Its Sponsor

STATE-WIDE PROHIBITION

Rea Staff Correspondent HARRISBURG, April 25. Representative Lex N. Mitchell, Jeffer-

son, whose Statewide prohibition bill was reported from the House Committee on Law and Order yesterday with a negative recommendation, today is troduced in the Legislature a measure that would make the entire State "bone-dry" during the war. Mitchell's bill is in the form of an act

to prohibit during the period of the present war, the manufacture, sale and sift of intoxicating liquor except for certain purroses and under certain conditions; providing penalties for its violation and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict with the same."

The bill reads as follows:

"That the words, 'intoxicating liquor.' as used in this act, shall be construed to mean all vinous, malt or spirituous liquor or any other intoxicating drink, mixture or preparation of like nature, all mixtur s or preparations containing such intoxicating liquor whether patented or not, that may be used as a beverage and all beverages containing so much as one-half of 1 per centum of alcohol by volume.

"The word 'person,' whenever used in this act, shall be held and construed to mean and include persons, combinations of persons, firms and corporations and all associations of natural persons, incorporated or unincorporated, whether acting by themselves or by a servant, agent or employe.

"That after the first day of July, 1917, and during the period of the present war, it shall be unlawful for any person to manufacture, sell, barter, exchange, take an order for, give away, furnish or otherwise dispose of intoxicating liquor or to keep any intoxicating liquor with intent to sell,

"That druggists may sell wine for sacra-

"The provisions of this act shall not be construed to prohibit any person from manufacturing for his own domestic con-sumption, vinegar and nonintoxicating cider for use or sale, or pure grain alcohol for medical, scientific, war or mechanical pur-poses, or to prohibit the Jinufacture and sale of denatured alcohol

Woman to Tell of Belgium's Plight

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

NEEDLEWORK DONE by Italian women of Philadelphia and other cities is being exhibited at the Pennsylvania School of Industrial Art. ably is the first to be operated on in a caval hospital. She was treated at the Grays Ferry Road Hospital for appendicitis and is recovering.

FRANKFORD CHORAL SOCTETY gave its annual concert last night hefere 800 persons in the auditorium of the Frankford High School, Oxford pike and Wakeling. GERMAN RAIDER Prinz Eitel Fried-

erich has been placed in drydock at Lengue Island. It is planned in that way to de-termine to what extent the boat was damaged by the German cre-

TWO HUNDRED AND TWENTY THOUsand dollars has been subscribed for the Arts Building which will be crected on Ritouse Square by the Philadelphia Art Alliance. This announcement was made at the annual meeting of the alliance last Alba Johnson, who resigned the presidency of the organization, has been succeeded by

AID FOR NEEDY FAMILIES of members of the Maryland Naval Militla will be supplied by Mrs. Walter H. Brooks, daugh-ter of Mrs. E. T. Stotesbury and sister to Lieutenant James Cronwell, of the Naval

Coast Defense Reserve. WAR WITH GERMANY has postponed the unveiling of the statue of Francis Daniel Pastorius, the first farmer of Germantown,

which was set for May 28. DR. CHARLES HUMPHREYS, home on leave after seven years of missionary work in China, was entertained by friends at a

Association held a bigrouter in the Niestown Boys Chib, Hun ing Park avenue and Clarista street, to celebrate its tenth anni-versary. Judge Raymond MacNellie, R Yerkes, William M. Gordon and David R. Barrows spoke.

ONE BILLION DOLLARS' worth of farm crops can be saved this year by protecting insect-destroying birds, Dr. Charles B. Shoffner, ornithologist and secretary of the Liberty Bell Bird Club, arserted in a lecture in St. Mathias's parish house, Nineteenth and Noble streets.

MISS ALICE MURDOCK, one of the first

TRIBUTE TO JOHN G. JOHNSON is paid by the Pennsylvania Company for in-surances on Lives and Granting Annuities in a memorial adopted by the board of di-rectors. For more than forty-seven years Mr. Johnson was solicitor and counsel fo the company.

EIGHT HUNDRED loaves of bread were destroyed by fire this morning at Twenty-fifth street and Sedgley avenue, when twenty gailons of knooline in the tank of the motortruck which was carrying the bread exploded. The truck belonged to the Adams Express Company and was driven by Joseph McLaughlin, 2021 Fitz-water street. water street.

NEIGHBORS DISCOVERED FIRE today in the cellar of the home of Mrs. J. Effet, 122 Gladstone street, while Mrs. Ef-fel was away. Firemen were forced to break down the kitchen door before they could gain admittance. The loss was could slight.

UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA soldiers drilled in the Curtis Building Audi-torium at the Poor Richard Cub's 'patriotic night." The Rev. Madison C. Peters, of New York, urged loyalty in an address on "Shall America Remain American."

MISS ELIZA MCKNIGHT, supervising nurse at the Philadelphia General Hospital, will become a Red Cross nurse in Paris. sailing soon. Six months' leave of absence was granted by the city Department of Health and Charities.

DIRECTOR DATESMAN, of the Department of Public Works today appointed Frank M. Hauser, 1139 North Tweaty-eighth street, an inspector in the Bureau of Highways, at a salary of \$1500 a year

Fire Closes Copper Mine

BUTTE, Mont. April 25 -- One thousand opper miners were without work today as the result of a fire at the 1200-foot level of the Modoc shaf, an Anaconda Mining Com-The blaze, however, will necessitate the supports by the state of the blaze of the started from an electric cable. It is expected the fine will be confined to the Modoe shaft. The blaze, however, will necessitate the suppension for a few days of operations on the filter for a few days of operations of the High Ore and Balaklava properties. No has been injured.

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cut our factory cost in two. Even the bodies are now built here, under his up-todate methods.

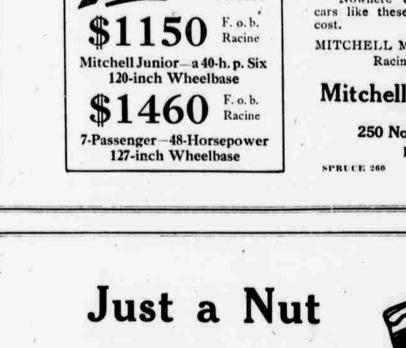
See the results. See the extras which they bring you in strength, beauty and equipment. There are two sizes and eight styles of bodies, so you can get any type you want.

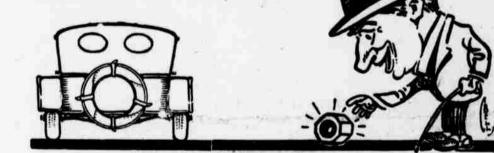
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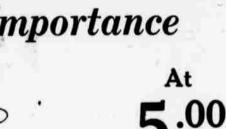
The condition of women and children in Belgium will be vividly portrayed by Mrs. Vernon Kellogg, who will lecture Friday afternoon at the Garrick Theatre. Mrs. Kellogg is the only woman member of the American Commission for the Relief of Belgium and has only recently returned from a six months' inspection of that country, during which time she was behind the German lines. The lecture is open to the public and will be given at 4 o'clock.

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ligious organization upon the written order of such officer or clergyman.

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dinner given at the Rittonhouse. Doctor Humphreys is a member of the Third Bap-tist Church, Germantown. NORTH PHILADEL PHIA Business Men's

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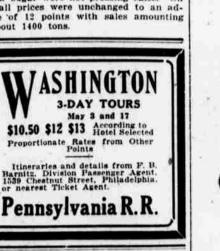
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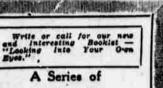
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24. 7804 Ridge ave. 18. Foulkrod st., Frankfe 9, 1651 Margaret st. Bristol. Pa.

Wall Street Covers Sugar Futures NEW YORK, April 25.-Wall street covered at the start of the sugar futures market today and there was also a fair demand from outside interests, due possibly to an improved spot situation where holders of raw sugar were not pressing sales. On the call prices were unchanged to an advance of 12 points with sales amounting to about 1400 tons.



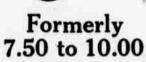


EyeTalks

Our Next Talk Wed., May 9 By Joseph C. Ferguson, Jr. HERE is an af-fection of the re-tina of the eye, known as Retinitis, that is usu-

This, that is usually caused by some general disease, such as of the kidneys os blood easels, tuberculosis or anaema. The may cause almost com-ing pain, and frequently only be noticed when the notice when the second the second of the second the second of the second the physician who special the physician who special the physician who special the second of the second ad-visable that the systemed attention. The second that shases may cause the second the second the second that the second ad-tion of the second the second the second that the second ad-tion of the second the second the second that the second the second that the second the second that the second ad-tion of the second the second the second that the second ad-tion of the second the second the second that the second the the second that the second the the second that the second the second the second the second the second that the second the second the second the second the second that the second the se





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And suppose you noticed a nut drop from this marvel of mechanical perfection, and suppose you wandered over and while the chauffeur wasn't looking, slyly and surreptitiously appropriated that nut.

Just suppose that, having nothing but the nut you had appropriated, you claimed you had a "HOUGHTON CAR," and proceeded to build a garage to house said nut which you called a "HOUGHTON CAR."

Would it be surprising if your friends and acquaintances looked with amazement at the nut and then at you and significantly said, "You're another?"

"Nutty sort of talk, " you may probably call this, but is it? There may be method in its madness.

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Then along comes some competitor and slyly appropriates that part to his own use, and immediately begins to boast that he has obtained the HOUGHTON ORGANIZATION.

Like unto the hypothetical automobile, this boastful competitor has only obtained an insignificant and unimportant part-a nut.

To carry out the simile further, the chauffeur was unaware of the loss of the nut, it being such an insignificant part of the machine that he didn't see or hear it work loose and drop off, and proceeded upon his way, without inconvenien

And so with the HOUGHTON ORGANIZATION. It proceeds without ruption and inconvenience when it loses a nut.

The nut, of course, most likely must be replaced, as it constitutes a part of the complete machine. But the replacement of a nut is an infinitesimal matter. No important part of a high-grade automobile or organization ever works loose and drops off. Such parts wear with time and service, of course, but are replaced before they create difficulties.

No nut drops off unless it is defective or does not properly fit, or perhaps abuse has worked it loose.

But no matter what the reason it dropped off, a defective nut that has fallen off one car cannot render proper service on another car. Likewise, no organization can succeed, nor even work smoothly, which is dependent for its success wholly or partly upon the defective nuts which have fallen from a competitive organization.

So the HOUGHTON ORGANIZATION speedily and rhythmically whirrs along the business roadway, its mechanism unmarred by any loss of such unimportant parts, but so perfect in its construction that not by a single lost revolution nor "miss" of its engine does it betray the dropping of a few nute, which lie in the road until picked up by some deluded competitor.

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