

LIBERTY BOND MARK FAR OVERSUBSCRIBED

EXCITING MOMENT IN THE "MARINE WEEK" SHAM BATTLE AT FRANKLIN FIELD



PATRIOT NATION EXCEEDS LIMIT AS LISTS CLOSE

Approximately \$2,634,000,000 Offered, Incomplete Returns Show

McADOO APPLAUDS LOYAL RESPONSE

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FOLLOWING is a table showing the allotment of each district and its subscription as estimated at the hour of closing the loan books, but with returns incomplete:

Table with columns: District, Allotment, Subscription. Lists various states and their respective amounts.

NEW YORK, June 15. The first Liberty Bonds sold on the New York Stock Exchange sold above par. A block of \$10,000 worth sold at 100.02.

CHICAGO, June 15. Liberty Bonds were listed on the Chicago Stock Exchange and early sales were made at 100.02.

WASHINGTON, June 15. Approximately \$2,634,000,000 more than was asked, that is America's answer to Germany and German military aggression.

"The Liberty Loan has been oversubscribed," said Secretary McAdoo this afternoon. "It is impossible to state the amount of oversubscription at the moment, but the exact figures will be given out as rapidly as the returns are received at the Treasury Department."

"The success of this loan is a genuine triumph for democracy. It is the unmistakable expression of America's determination to carry on this war for the protection of American rights and the re-establishment of peace and liberty throughout the world to a swift and successful conclusion."

"It is deeply gratifying to the bankers, the business men, the women of America, the patriotic organizations and the people generally without whose cordial co-operation and enthusiastic support success could not have been won. It has been an inspiring campaign and it has had a glorious finish."

Treasury Department officials said this afternoon that the total of the subscriptions to the Liberty Loan will be about \$2,634,500,000. The exact total will not be available until very late today. Subscriptions closed at 12 o'clock, standard time, for the localities. This means that when the lists were finished at San Francisco it was 3 o'clock in Washington. Inasmuch as the totals will have to be telegraphed to the Federal Reserve centers and from there to this city, it may be night before Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo can announce the complete amount.

But there is not the slightest doubt that the total has been far oversubscribed. Gratification was expressed everywhere in official circles today over this result. There had been a feeling that this loan, like the initial loans abroad, might fall short of the original mark.

The one thing which has appealed most to officials is the fact that most of the "family packs" have been opened for this loan. White

THE WEATHER FORECAST

For Philadelphia and vicinity—Generally fair weather and moderate temperatures tonight and Saturday; gentle winds, mostly northwest.

LENGTH OF DAY Sun rises... 4:31 a.m. Moon rises... 1:22 a.m. Sun sets... 7:29 p.m. Moon sets... 6:55 p.m.

DELAWARE RIVER TIDE CHANGES CHESTNUT STREET Low water... 4:24 a.m. High water... 10:45 p.m.

TEMPERATURE AT EACH HOUR 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1

WHAT MAY HAPPEN IN BASEBALL TODAY

Table with columns: Club, Won, Lost, P.C., Win, Loss. Lists American League games.

Table with columns: Club, Won, Lost, P.C., Win, Loss. Lists National League games.

MCGRAW MAY BE OUT FOR SEASON

Tener Calls Meeting to Banish Muggsy for Rest of Schedule

TO DECIDE ON MONDAY President John K. Tener, of the National League, today called a meeting of the league for Monday in New York to discuss the case of Muggsy McGraw, manager of the New York Giants, who has been quoted as having made extremely insulting statements about Tener because the executive fined him \$500 and suspended him for hitting umpire Byron after a game in Cincinnati recently.

Tener left for New York this afternoon after a meeting of the national commission. That body had met to give out a statement concerning its attitude over the victory in the suit brought by the owners of the defunct Baltimore Federal League team.

Garry Herrmann admitted that the meeting would be called to consider the case of McGraw, but said he had nothing further to say in the matter. Mr. Tener was shown one of the attacks made in print upon him by McGraw and said: "Let my record stand beside his. I think the National League will back me in my stand. McGraw deserves everything he got."

McGraw's attacks have been most grossly insulting, if he has been quoted correctly. He is quoted as having called Tener a "bum" a "postilion," and as having favored the Philadelphia club in his actions.

Tener said today: "I am willing to let my record stand beside that of McGraw's. He has announced in cables from Copenhagen today, making the U-boat toll eight Norwegian in two days. The Norwegian Foreign Office lets the losses at Folvåg, except one man, who was found dead, her entire crew is missing; Vinnes, 1017-ton steamer, only four saved; Sigron, 2528 tons, and the sailing vessel Styva and Candaco, the crews of which were rescued."

Five More Norse Ships Sunk

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Boy Drowned While Swimming

Frank Douglas, fourteen years old, 2547 Garrett street, was drowned while swimming in a creek at Twentieth street and the League Island Park this afternoon. The League Island Park is twenty-five feet wide and twenty feet deep at this point and the lad got out over his depth. His companions were unable to save him and summoned police from the Fifteenth street and Snyder avenue station, who grappled for the boy.

Russia Orders 400 Locomotives

RICHMOND, Va., June 15.—An order has been received here from the Russian Government for 400 locomotives of narrow-gauge type. All the engines will be built at a local plant and the work is to be rushed. Work will begin during July.

WAKE UP!

Americans are repeating the blunders of the English in the first year of the war. We shall reap the same harvest unless we arouse.

ISAAC R. MARCOSSON

Who has just returned from a month's stay in Europe, sounds a warning in a remarkable statement in

Tomorrow's Evening Ledger

DRAFT TO BEGIN IN NEXT TEN DAYS

Orders From Washington to Be Put Into Effect Promptly

SLACKER SENT TO JAIL The selective draft from registered citizens may begin in a week or ten days. Fred J. Shover, chairman of the Registration Commission, intimated this afternoon that such action would take place following a talk on the long distance telephone with Governor Brumbaugh's secretary.

Through the Governor orders from Washington were given to divide Philadelphia into fifty-one conscription districts. The Governor and the Mayor may recommend the appointment of the present forty-two registration boards to make the draft and also recommend the nine additional boards which will be required. Mayor Smith will recommend the present boards for the work and send the names of those recommended for the additional boards to Harrisburg tonight. They will then be sent to Washington and the official appointment of these boards will be made by the President.

The nine additional districts will be selected from nine of the largest wards, including the Twenty-fourth, Twenty-eighth, Thirtieth, Thirty-fourth, Thirty-eighth, Forty-first, Forty-third and Forty-sixth. It was announced that the authorities at Washington desire further subdivision in Philadelphia in the hope of getting greater speed in the work in Philadelphia.

BECKER SENT TO JAIL FOR A YEAR

Three men were arrested, another was held for court and still another was sent to jail for one year. This is the record of penalties in Philadelphia today for failure to obey the registration law.

The most elaborate of all the anti-Americans was Frederick J. Becker, a waiter in a Market street cafe, who was arrested for failing to register last week. Since his arrest he was given several opportunities to register, but steadfastly refused. Even the pleas and tears of his wife and little children today in the office of United States Marshal Noonan failed to move him.

In sentencing Becker to jail in the Bucks County jail at Doylestown, Judge Thompson, of the United States District Court, said: "From all the facts disclosed that failure to register on your part was willful. When Congress passes a law it is the duty of every one to obey it. There is nothing for individual preference. A person has the right to his opinion, but the law must be obeyed. There does not seem to be any

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MARINES THRILL IN SHAM BATTLE

Gripping Appeal for Volunteers Made by Veterans of the Corps

LIKE ACTUAL WARFARE Billy Blue, Marine He's a soldier and a sailor, every inch; He's a fighter for his country in a pinch; And the foemen do not figure When his finger's on the trigger—He's a "go-and-get-'em" demon," that's a clinch.

—Ray L. Hoppman

MARINE WEEK FIGURES

Philadelphia's quota, 150 Examinations since Sunday, 136 Enlistments since Sunday, 23 Yesterday's examinations, 41 Yesterday's enlistments, 2

Number still needed, 125 Number of days remaining, 2 Daily average necessary, 63 Today's examinations to 6 p. m., 19 Today's enlistments to 5 p. m., 4

A gripping appeal for non-veteran marines in a sham battle, demonstrating varied forms of modern warfare—was made on Franklin Field this afternoon in the climax of Marine Corps Week and the nationwide fight to recruit 400 new "soldiers of the sea."

The exhibition thrilled 5000 persons who filled the south stand, from which the spectators looked down upon the sun-drenched "fighting." Among the onlookers were Brigadier General L. W. T. Waller, hero of the Boxer campaign; Colonel Long, marines commandant at the Philadelphia Navy Yard; and other marine corps officials.

General Waller is the man who, during a halt in the Allies' march on Berlin, uttered the famous words: "The marines leave for Pekin at 6 o'clock in the morning."

The went and so did the British, Germans, Japs and other fighters, tramping behind the gallant little band of Americans THIRILLED BY MARINE FIGHT

Under such distinguished eyes, the marines today outdid themselves. They drilled with a technical precision and surety that was followed by the eye, which saw lines of undulating olive drab legs, dashing in the sunlight; and by the ear, which heard monotonous swish of yellow shoes upon the

PHILLIES' HITS COUNT; DEFEAT REDS, 12 TO 8

Dode Paskert Continues Pelting the Pill With Three Hits, One a Triple

Table with columns: CLEVELAND, PHILLIES, CINCINNATI. Lists player names and statistics.

Totals... 29 3 24 11 3

*Batted for Eller in fourth. *Batted for Killefer in ninth. *Batted for Killefer in ninth.

Three-base hits—Whitted, Cravath, Paskert, Clarke. Two-base hits—Thurpe. Sacrifice hits—Lavender, Stock. Struck out—By Lavender, 4; by Kneaser, 1. Base on balls—Off Lavender, 3; off Eller, 1; off Kneaser, 1. Double plays—Nisbett (unassisted); Kopf to Shean to Chase. Stolen bases—Neale, Shean, Chase, Grob, 3; Roush, Umpires—Harrison and O'Day.

REDLAND PARK, Cincinnati, June 15. The Phillies won the third game of the

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EXTRA

FOUR AMERICANS KILLED IN FIERCE FIGHT WITH U-BOAT

WASHINGTON, June 15.—The armed American tank steamship Mowbray was set on fire and sunk by a German submarine after a battle which more than 300 shots were fired, the State Department was informed today. Four Americans were killed, it was said. Mowbray was sunk June 12 at 6 p. m. The function was performed shortly after the AMERICAN... 150 shells at the U-boat. The dead are Edward Cunningham, 19th, an officer; O. Curran, Jr., New York, wireless operator; E. Gosman, trimmer; and E. Mohlman, seaman. The U-boat captain congratulated the American commander on his splendid fight.

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AMERICAN LEAGUE

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NATIONAL LEAGUE

Table with columns: NEW YORK, PITTSBURGH. Lists National League game results.

POSTPONED—RAIN

Table with columns: BOSTON, ST. LOUIS, BROOKLYN. Lists postponed game results.

ADDITIONAL RACING RESULTS

WINDSOR RACE, 3-year-olds and up, claiming, 1 mile—Alda, 105, 1:54.00, \$4.60, second; White Crown, 99, Bolton, 82.50, \$4.60, second; Budweiser, 104, Smith, \$4.00, third. Time, 1:51.5-5.

SIXTH WINDSOR RACE, three-year-olds and up, claiming, 1 mile—Falconer, 114, Scherer, \$21.00, 1:57.00, second; Fenwick, 104, 1:57.00, third. Time, 1:57.0-0.

SEVENTH WINDSOR RACE, 3-year-olds and up, claiming, 1 mile—Falconer, 114, Scherer, \$21.00, 1:57.00, second; Fenwick, 104, 1:57.00, third. Time, 1:57.0-0.

EIGHTH WINDSOR RACE, 3-year-olds and up, claiming, 1 mile—Falconer, 114, Scherer, \$21.00, 1:57.00, second; Fenwick, 104, 1:57.00, third. Time, 1:57.0-0.

NINTH WINDSOR RACE, 3-year-olds and up, claiming, 1 mile—Falconer, 114, Scherer, \$21.00, 1:57.00, second; Fenwick, 104, 1:57.00, third. Time, 1:57.0-0.

TENTH WINDSOR RACE, 3-year-olds and up, claiming, 1 mile—Falconer, 114, Scherer, \$21.00, 1:57.00, second; Fenwick, 104, 1:57.00, third. Time, 1:57.0-0.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—The Senate Finance Committee today decided to recommend a tax of 5 per cent on the profits of book publishers and other periodicals. About \$16,000,000 is expected from this tax, which was agreed upon as a substitute for the second-class postal rate increase proposed by the House and the 2 per cent ad valorem tax previously agreed to by the committee.

LIBERTY LOAN IN CITY STANDS AT \$200,000,000

Philadelphia Ends Campaign With Excess Over Allotment

SWELLS WAR CHEST BEYOND ITS QUOTA

Officials Announce Last-Hour Subscriptions Literally Poured in

WORK AT HIGH PITCH

LIBERTY BOND CAMPAIGN Philadelphia's allotment (min.) \$146,000,000 Philadelphia's allotment (max.) 174,000,000 Subscriptions tabulated 200,000,000 Estimate of total 200,000,000

The stock list committee of the Philadelphia Stock Exchange authorized the trading in Liberty Bonds, when issued, starting at noon today. The initial transaction was \$1000 at 100 10-50, this meaning that the bonds were quoted at 105.50ths of 1 per cent above par. Following this another transaction took place at the same figure of \$1000.

It's over. Philadelphia has come through in a blaze of glory in the Liberty Loan campaign and has bowled up a total of approximately \$200,000,000 as its contribution to the war fund.

MANY LATE SUBSCRIPTIONS Just before closing, and for some time afterward there was a great rush of small investors to buy Liberty Bonds. Not only the Federal Reserve Bank but most of the smaller banks were fairly swamped with applications.

The campaign closed at 12 o'clock and at 2 o'clock this afternoon officers in the Federal Reserve Bank announced they had tabulated \$165,000,000 in subscriptions and that it would be far into the night before they would be able to advise Washington as to the grand total in Philadelphia.

"We are groveling under literally swamped with subscriptions," said one of the officials. Among the last-hour big subscriptions was one of \$10,000 from the Girard Trust Company. This sum represents \$2,000,000 from the trust company and \$8,000,000 from the trust company's depositors.

Just before the campaign closed Brael & Co. added another \$500,000 to its subscriptions, making a total of \$19,500,000. The Philadelphia Trust Company subscriptions for itself and clients amounts to \$12,300,000.

A force of fifty clerks is working with Trojan-like energy to tabulate big stacks of subscriptions that poured into the reserve bank during the early morning hours.

That these will swell the total to more than \$200,000,000 is the prediction of campaign managers' allotment was between \$18,000,000 and \$175,000,000, although campaign managers set \$250,000,000 as the goal.

"I have no doubt that the total will exceed \$200,000,000," said Walter C. Janney, Continued on Page Five, Column One

PERSHING AT WORK; WILL VISIT FRONT

Gets Busy Preparing for His Tour and Makes Official Calls

LUNCHEON WITH JOFFRE PARIS, June 15. Declaration by General Pershing that he is joyful at the prospect of getting to work immediately and the speed with which he has moved through a program of official duties here indicated today that the American commander would soon be at the front. He is expected to make an extended tour of the entire fighting district.

General Pershing called on Admiral Lacaze and Paul Painleve today pausing meanwhile to receive French and American reporters and to sit for a young woman artist.

Pershing and his staff were guests of Marshal Joffre at a luncheon at the Military Club.

Further evidence of Pershing's popularity in Paris, no less than the gratitude of France toward America, occurred today. A crowd kept gathering around the American commander's headquarters until the street was literally choked. They cheered again and again until Pershing was finally induced to come to a balcony and bow his appreciation. Then the crowd threw flowers, waved flags and redoubled its cheers in a veritable pandemonium of sound.

This evening Pershing plans to journey to the tomb of the Marquis de Lafayette and to place a wreath there on the grave of the Frenchman who did so much for America in the days of the Revolution.

Typical of the attitude of the French nation was the declaration of Premier Ribot, when Pershing appeared in the Chamber of Deputies, that his coming to France "marks the first chapter in the history of the constitution of a society of nations."

U. S. MOST POWERFUL NATION Quick action from the American general and from the nation behind him is generally predicted. Writing in La Victoire, Charles Hovey said today: "Don't forget that the fundamental character of the American nation is its power."

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Italy's Uphill Battle Splendidly Illustrated

General Cadorna and his armies are struggling against almost insurmountable obstacles.

Exclusive Photographs of the Italians' powerful new offensive will appear in tomorrow's Evening Ledger Pictorial Section