

NEW WAR LOAN MAKES MIGHTY INITIAL STRIDE

Fully \$3,000,000 Subscribed in Philadelphia in First Two Hours

YOUTH OF 18 YEARS BUYS FIRST \$100

Closely Followed by Scouts, Who Turn in Applications for \$500,000

RING STATE HOUSE BELL

Table with 2 columns: Amount of Liberty Bonds offered, Subscriptions wanted from Philadelphia district, Largest single subscription reported today, Number of persons who pledged \$50 or more (estimated), Today's subscribers, anywhere from \$3,300,000 to \$33,000,000.

The United States began giving away money today to all patriots. Have you made arrangements to get your share? The Government will give \$4 in gold to any person who will lend it \$100 for a year.

This gift is made because Uncle Sam began today to reload his guns for a second big volley direct at the Kaiser. He wants three billion dollars with which to purchase even more military strength than he bought with the two billion dollars he got by the first Liberty Loan.

The Government looks to the district of which Philadelphia is the center to supply not less than a full tenth of the entire nation's subscription. To answer this call every man, woman and child in Philadelphia ought to lend Uncle Sam not less than \$200.

In return Uncle Sam will give \$5 for the use of each \$200 for a year.

BONDS ARE AN INVESTMENT

Thousands of citizens will not be able to invest this sum, however. That means that if Philadelphia is to keep up its splendid record of patriotism that began 141 years ago, with the ringing of the old Liberty Bell, every one who can invest more than \$200 must do so.

"You don't give the Government one penny when you buy a Liberty Bond," said the committee yesterday. "Your money comes back to you, with \$4 added to every \$100 you invest."

The response to the nation's appeal began with a rush in Philadelphia this morning. Fully 10,000 persons put their names down for amounts ranging from \$50 up to \$250,000. It was idle to guess at the total amount subscribed. It might have been \$1,000,000 or it might have been \$30,000,000.

When the first issue of Liberty Bonds was sold, three months ago, an attempt was made to estimate the amount subscribed during each day of the campaign. These guesses came so far from the actual figures that great confusion resulted.

The committee in charge of selling the present issue has therefore decided to make no estimates while the campaign is going on.

But the whole city hummed with talk of the Liberty Loan. Thousands of persons devoted their time to bringing in pledges.

BOY SCOUTS ACTIVE

The first report that came in after the central committee opened its publicity offices in the Lincoln Building at 10 o'clock, was from the Boy Scouts, who have been working to secure subscriptions for the past several days.

George T. Bodine, chairman of the Boy Scout Committee, reported that they had already rounded up more than 7500 subscribers. As each \$100 bond costs \$50 bond, at the least, the total was thought to be in the neighborhood of \$500,000.

The campaign is being conducted in the Philadelphia district, which includes part of Pennsylvania, Northern New Jersey and Delaware, by the Federal Reserve Bank of the Third District. Six hundred and twenty-nine national banks are members of this Federal Reserve Bank.

They, together with hundreds of State banks and trust companies, not members of the Federal Reserve Bank, were receiving subscriptions simultaneously this morning, so that it was impossible to say who brought in the first subscription.

The first individual subscriber reported at the Lincoln Building headquarters was J. Andrews Harris, 26, eighteen-year-old son of J. Andrews Harris, Jr., vice president of the Franklin National Bank. He bought two bonds with \$100 he had saved during vacation time.

The patriotic young American entered the Warrent School Dr. Newton Hill, pastor of Plymouth Church, Brooklyn, made famous by Henry Ward Beecher.

Humes Picked for District Attorney WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—The nomination sent to the Senate this afternoon by the President was that of Edwin Lowry Humes, of Pittsburgh, to be United States Attorney for the western district of Pennsylvania.

THE WEATHER

FORECAST For Philadelphia and vicinity: Fair tonight and Tuesday; cooler tonight, with probably frost on lowlands; moderate winds.

AERO AND BELL PROCLAIM LIBERTY LOAN



While the bell in Independence Hall steeps rang its iron-tongued call for subscribers to the second Liberty Loan today, airplanes in relays encircled the historic building, dropping circular invitations to citizens to do their bit by purchasing bonds.

TURKS IN ROUT; GARFIELD PLAN DRIVEN BACK BY MAUDE'S ARMY

British Capture Many and Occupy Ridge 50 Miles Beyond Bagdad To Name State Fuel Agent With Plenary Powers

OTTOMAN FORCES BROKEN DISPUTES DEALERS' VIEW

PETROGRAD, Oct. 1. Russian troops in a sudden powerful attack in the Riga region, near the Spital farm sector, forced Teutonic lines back between from 800 to 1000 yards, the War Office announced today.

A telling blow has been dealt to the Turkish enemies in Mesopotamia by General Maude, commanding the British in that war theatre. After a lull in the fighting there, which had lasted since early spring, the British have struck hard, advancing to a point fifty miles northwest of Bagdad, occupying the Mushaid ridge and capturing many Ottomans, with their commander, Ahmed Bey.

Western Front

Along the Aisne and Meuse Rivers, on the western front, the Germans have again squandered a great number of lives in repeated but unsuccessful counterattacks against the French. The expected big British offensive in Flanders has not yet materialized. Only "marked activity" of hostile artillery east and north of Ypres and Nieupoort is reported by Field Marshal Haig.

TURK ARMY Routed BY MAUDE'S ATTACK

LONDON, Oct. 1. After a lull of nearly seven months on the Mesopotamian front, the British are again upon the offensive against the Turks. The most telling blow at Turkish army morale that has been dealt since the British capture of Bagdad was reported by General Maude's British troops now occupying Mushaid Ridge after a notable victory in two days of fighting.

General Maude's report indicates heavy fighting after his troops had all but encircled the Turkish positions in the Hamad region, fifty miles northwest of Bagdad on the Euphrates. The enemy struggled to escape after containing the first surprise attack on great numbers together with their chief officers.

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LIE IS GIVEN TO VARE CHARGES BY BONNIWELL

Judge Says Senator's Published Statement "Reeks With Falsehood"

MEETING HIS OWN IDEA

Denies Penrose-McNichol Influence in Call or That He Is Dominated by Them

State Senator Edwin H. Vare's charges that the arrest of Mayor Smith and his confederates in the "Bloody Fifth" Ward murder conspiracy is a political plot engineered by the Penrose-McNichol forces to ruin the Mayor and himself were denied today by Judge Eugene C. Bonniwell, of the Municipal Court.

Specifically giving the lie to Senator Vare's averment that last Thursday's town meeting protesting against "government by murder" was planned two hours after the killing of Detective Eppley, Judge Bonniwell declared that if the remainder of the statement was on a par with this, then the entire statement "reeks with falsehood."

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Judge Bonniwell's statement was as follows: "If Senator Vare's entire statement of alleged facts published in this morning's newspapers contains no more truth than his assertion that the Academy of Music meeting was decided upon two hours after the shooting, then every avowment in the statement reeks with falsehood."

No suggestion came to me from any source, before or after the shooting, that such a meeting be held. I waited until Friday (September 21, the second day after the shooting) morning, expecting that the men who had been leaders in decency would be active in action by the hypocrisy of the Mayor, the lawlessness of Bennett and the degradation of our election. When Friday morning's papers contained no such call, and with consultation with no other person than my wife, I went direct to the Academy of Music from my home and made a deposit of \$100 to engage the Academy, and selected eight citizens, who appeared to me as representatives of sterling decency, to take charge.

"The brutal callousness of Vare and his prophets, the Mayor, his Director of Public Safety, and the lesser lights, to the common enemies to a chief officer of the city speaks more eloquently than I can as to the men upon whom the self-accusation of guilt rests. There is a maxim: 'Whom the gods would destroy they first make mad.' It was never truer than today."

Supplementing his statement, Judge Bonniwell denied that he was a "Penrose Democrat," as implied in the Vare statement. "I am not making this statement in defense of Senator Penrose or of any one else," he explained. "I have no concern for him or for his Republican political faction."

VARE CHARGES PENROSE PLOT

Senator Vare's statement alleges that the "Frog Hollow Musketeers" were imported from New York by his political foes, the Penrose-McNichol wing of the Republican party, in a plot to besmirch Mayor Smith and himself. The arrest of Select Councilman William E. Finley, executive director of the Republican City Committee, was the culmination of the frame-up to implicate innocent men, he declared.

The Vare statement reads as follows: "Most charging that the arrest of William E. Finley was in consequence of a coal deal, a charge and unscrupulous frame-up that was ever conceived by wicked men. He never would have been arrested were it not for the fact that he is the executive director of the Repub-

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LONDON IS SERENE AFTER AIR RAIDS

Casualty Statement Shows Forays Are Losing Ground in Destructive Effects

HUNTING FOR SOUVENIRS

LONDON, Oct. 1. Although nine persons were killed and forty-two injured in last night's air raid over England—the fifth within a week—defenders brought down one hostile machine at Dover, and London is absolutely untrifled today. The official statement of casualties today showed that the raids are losing efficiency, even in murdering civilians.

After a night of battle over London's house-tops, children spent a joyous Sunday. Armed with knives, chisels and hammers, they dug from the streets fragments of shrapnel which showered on the city during the attack. The youngsters only regretted that school prevented further shrapnel-hunting expeditions today.

Last night's sky engagement finished the most amazing exhibition of steady fireworks London has ever seen. Despite a misty moon, efforts to trace the course of the battle across the heavens by following the sound of the airplane engines and the shell bursts were sometimes partially successful. The German machines seemed to turn and twist, quickly altering their course when the British guns planted shells too close for the nerves of their pilots.

FRENCH ARMEN BOMB CITY OF STUTTGART

PARIS, Oct. 1. French airmen successfully bombed the German city of Stuttgart, it was officially announced today.

Two machines dropped the explosives over Stuttgart, the official announcement said. The raid occurred Saturday evening. It was reported that German bomb-droppers

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SAMUEL G. MALONEY

Four more men were taken today in District Attorney Rotan's round-up of men "higher up" and "lower down" in the "Bloody Fifth" Ward murder conspiracy.

They are: SAMUEL G. MALONEY, head of the Philadelphia branch of the Val O'Farrell Detective Agency and former harbormaster and organizer of the Fifth Ward; arrested on a warrant sworn out by Public Safety, but released on habeas corpus and held by Rotan as a Communist.

SPECIAL POLICEMAN SCHAEFFER, of the Third ward station; accused of battery, violation of Sherman order conspiracy; held in \$5000 bail.

POLICEMAN LOUIS FELDMAN, Second and Christian streets, same charge and bail as Wirtschaffter.

POLICEMAN EMANUEL URAM, Second and Christian streets, same charge and bail as Wirtschaffter.

Other arrests will be made today, Maloney announced.

Maloney already has made a statement to the District Attorney, according to Former Judge James Gay Gordon, in whose custody the much-prized witness was released.

Arrested on a conspiracy to murder warrant sworn out by Captain of Detectives Tate at the instance of Director Wilson, Maloney was taken away from Tate's men by the District Attorney's men and hustled to Mr. Rotan's office.

The order to arrest Maloney, coming from Director Wilson, was regarded as a political move to wrest the detective from the possession of Mr. Rotan, which was promptly frustrated.

The four arrests made a total of fifteen to date in the probe into the plot in which Acting Detective George A. Eppley was slain by imported New York gunmen during the primary election. The four taken today will be arraigned at tomorrow's hearing before President Judge Charles L. Brown in the criminal branch of the Municipal Court, when Mayor Smith, Select Councilman William E. Finley, Common Councilman Isaac Deutch and Police Lieutenant David Bennett will answer similar charges of murder conspiracy.

WILSON WON'T TALK Director Wilson refused to discuss the motives which caused him to have the warrant for Maloney issued. It was reported that the defendants already under arrest wanted to avoid having Maloney fall into the hands of Mr. Rotan, fearing he might talk. It was pointed out that Chief one of the Val O'Farrell detectives operating under Maloney, had confessed to Mr. Rotan.

ROTAN'S COUP ON MALONEY Maloney walked into a trap, when he arrived at his office in the Bank Trust Building, shortly after noon, he found detectives from the Detective Bureau waiting.

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The Continuation of the Story "Germany, the Next Republic?" By Carl W. Ackerson