

14-OUNCE LOAF FOR 5c PROMISED

Government Experiments Here Show Bread Can Be Sold for Nickel

QUALITY IS MAINTAINED Results of B. R. Jacobs' Work in City Outlined Before Economic Club

A fourteen-ounce loaf of whole-wheat bread for a nickel may be looked for in Philadelphia in the near future.

Whole-wheat bread of perfect quality can be made by housewives for 1.52-100 cents per fourteen-ounce loaf, as the result of Mr. Jacobs' experimenting.

Mr. Jacobs' bread will not be war bread, but will be of the same quality of flour and other materials as was used before the war.

CANADIAN WHEAT AVAILABLE Canadian wheat is now pouring into the American mills and is helping to relieve the stringency that might have been feared two months ago.

The chief aim of the Government in the bread situation is now summed up in three: The complete elimination of speculation in all foodstuffs entering into the composition of bread.

CITY MUST MAKE TEMPORARY LOAN

Members of Finance Committee Framing Measure to Authorize It

\$1,200,000 IS SUM NEEDED

Members of Council's Finance Committee are spending today in an effort to frame and approve a temporary loan large enough to cover salary items till the end of the year.

The outside limit of the temporary loan will be \$1,200,000, and the moment it is completed it will become a first lien on 1918 revenues.

The loan being framed today must be paid back within four months from the time it is actually floated.

The Controller's report this fall will contain an estimate of 1918 revenues, the amount demanded by the various departments for next year and the tax rate that would make possible the meeting of the demands.

TWO CITY EMPLOYEES GET SALARY BOOSTS

J. Frank Sherwood and Miss L. Duane Appointed to Additional Duties With Increased Pay

Council's Finance Committee today appointed two clerical assistants, who are already drawing substantial salaries on the city payroll.

A resolution was adopted making it necessary for a city employee to be in the city's service three months before being allowed a leave of absence, with pay, to join the naval military forces.

ARREST OF BRONX DRUGS IMPENDING

District Attorney Announces Probability of Three More in Fifth Ward Case

'70' ACCUSES DEUTSCH Charged With Ballot Stuffing and Theft of Box—Vares Strike Back

The impending arrest of three more of the Bronx "strong-arm" gang in the "Bloody Fifth" Ward primary election conspiracy, announced today by District Attorney Rotan.

Isaac Deutsch, son of Mayor Smith's eight confederates bound over for the November Grand Jury on murder conspiracy charges, was arrested late yesterday.

Of those arrested with Deutsch, six are policemen of the Third and the Lancers streets stations. The arrests were announced by the Committee of Seventy on affidavits by George Flynn, judge of election in the division, and his son, Policeman John Flynn.

The committee made the charge outright that eight false votes were stuffed into the ballot box in question in the first division of the ward.

THREE ARRESTS IMPENDING The arrest of three more of the Bronx "strong-arm" gang that attacked the Fifth Ward during the primary election can be expected at any time.

When the two Bronx officials arrived, "Mike" Sullivan, Commonwealth's witness, who recognized the "strong-arm" gang and was under \$5000 bail on murder conspiracy charges, was summoned to the District Attorney's office.

After the conference Mr. Rotan said that the remaining confederates in New York had been under close surveillance, but that the arrests were expected elsewhere.

The hearing of James I. Clark, the "man who was in the car" charges, will be held tomorrow before Magistrate Stevenson. Clark, who is being held without bail, is alleged to have guided the gunmen in the ward during the election.

The warrants issued by Magistrate Coward, allege that certain headlines appearing over accounts of the hearing in the Mayor's campaign were scandalous, malicious and defamatory.

With Deutsch are accused election officials of the first division of the Fifth Ward and several in Hecman, all of whom also were taken into custody.

REPLY INQUIRY POSTPONED The coroner's inquest into the death of Acting Detective George J. Eppley, whose killing at the hands of imported New York gunmen precipitated the "Bloody Fifth" Ward charges, was today postponed until Friday.

PARK COMMISSION ASKS COUNCILS FOR \$2,090,545

Increase of \$1,261,115 Over Amount Voted Last Year Sought on Account of War Prices

Members of the Fairmount Park Commission want \$2,090,545 for the operation, maintenance and extension of the city's playgrounds.

In explaining the size of their demands that will be presented to Councils at the first meeting in November, members of the commission say that the park has been neglected for years past and the items now asked for are based on increased pay to guards, rangers and laborers and on war prices for materials.

The \$1,000,000 item for the acquisition of land for parks will be vigorously opposed by Councils. It is pointed out that the acquisition should not be undertaken at a time when the city is unable to meet running expenses out of revenue.

WOMEN AID LIBERTY LOAN DRIVE



Miss Charlotte Brown (left) and Mrs. Anne Ladomus distributing pamphlets explanatory to the new Government bond issue to passersby at the Broad street headquarters of the Women's Auxiliary, of which both are members.

U. S. NAVAL OFFICER ARRESTED AS SPY

William J. Dunbar, of Pottstown, Pa., Interned as Enemy Alien and Faces Espionage Charge

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—William J. Dunbar, reported to have held the rank of ensign in the United States navy and to have been in command of a submarine chaser, was today interned on Ellis Island as an enemy alien.

The formal charge placed against him at detective headquarters was "conspiring to obtain information against the United States Government by enlisting in the army and navy with the intention of getting data on this Government." He was arrested by a city detective and then turned over to local agents of the Department of Justice, who had him interned.

Asked if Dunbar would be tried as a spy, the punishment for which is death, federal officials said that was for Washington to decide.

Officials charged that Dunbar was spying out secrets for the German Government. He is alleged to have served in the marine corps before being interned here.

Officials here estimate that Dunbar's arrest is one of the most important made since the United States entered the war.

POTTSTOWN, Pa., Oct. 16.—The only United States naval officer in Pottstown is a young man who until last week was a student at the Hill School.

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SUFFRAGE PICKETS GET SIX MONTHS' SENTENCES

Severest Penalty Yet Given Four Militants for White House Activities

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—The longest sentence yet given any of the suffrage pickets arrested for attempting to block the White House was imposed upon four women arraigned before Judge Nichols today.

The women were given the choice of six months in the workhouse or \$25 fine. They chose the workhouse sentence and soon were on their way to Occoquan.

HOLD CHESTNUT THIEVES WEST CHESTER, Pa., Oct. 16.—Out of a party of thirty young men who raided the chestnut orchard of Marshall Strode, East Bradford, on Sunday, nineteen have been arrested and are held in \$500 bail each for a hearing on the charge of property and larceny.

Probate Will of French Resident Will probated today include those of Benjamin E. Woodworth, Solomons, France, who left private bequests of property valued at \$70,000, and Ford J. Smith, Chicago, Ill., \$3000.

CITY DRAFT SCORE NEAR 100 PER CENT

Almost Perfect Record Is Shown by Official Figures to October 15

QUOTAS ALMOST FULL

Official figures summarizing the results of the work of the two district appeal boards of the city up to and including October 15 show almost 100 per cent of the required draft quotas of the city as a whole to have already been certified for military service to the Adjutant General of the State and the fifty-one local draft boards.

Twenty-three of the local boards have more than their total quota certified back to them, and seven have a very large surplus, giving plenty of alternatives to draw upon in the event of a "Camp Meade" There is but one board that has not received 50 per cent of its quota of certifications, and that is through the failure of the local board to report a sufficient list of names.

The recapitulation shows that the appeal boards have certified 14,268 men for military service out of a required total quota for Philadelphia of 15,865. They have acted upon 2085 cases of appeal and industrial claim. The list of certified men includes many thousands who did not respond to appeals to the district boards.

Table with columns: District, Quota, Total, % Certified. Lists data for various districts including 1st, 2nd, 3rd, etc.

Appeal Board No. 1 has acted on 1243 appeals and 47 industrial claims; the appeal board No. 2 has granted 428 appeals and 458 temporary discharges to 456 and has certified for service 521 of a total of 1445 cases.

TO MOBILIZE NEGROES More than 200 negroes are to be mobilized while the local draft board of the Sixth District, taking in the Sixth, Seventh and Eighth Wards, at the police station at Twelfth and Pine streets to arrange for housing in tents with them until they are sent to Camp Meade on October 27 or one of the four following days.

Clinton Rogers Woodruff, chairman of the Sixth District Local Board, said today that while the local draft board of the Sixth District, taking in the Sixth, Seventh and Eighth Wards, at the police station at Twelfth and Pine streets to arrange for housing in tents with them until they are sent to Camp Meade on October 27 or one of the four following days.

The Twenty-third District, another large negro ward, comprising the Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Wards, also is preparing to send a contingent of negroes on one of the five days beginning with October 27. Colonel Bonaff, chairman of the board of that district, said today they expected to send a party of seventy negroes, which would leave only twenty white men to be sent at some later date to complete the 100 per cent quota. This board now has its 50 per cent, or ninety men at Camp Meade.

BRITISH CANADIAN RECRUITING MISSION TODAY announced that it had secured about 500 names of subjects of the British Kingdom from the lists of registered men in the city. The lists are being sent to the War Department. These men are of English, Canadian, Scotch, Welsh and other British nationalities.

Camden Politicians Work Camp McClellan Delegation Headed by Mayor Seeks to Line Up Soldiers for November Elections

CAMP McCLELLAN, Annapolis, Md., Oct. 16.—Camden politicians are setting the men from that city in line for the November elections.

Headed by Mayor Charles Ellis, a delegation of Camden politicians is expected to work upon soldiers after their arrival. They are circulating affidavits among the Camden men for registration for the municipal elections. They started work yesterday in the city and are expected to send a "Camden company" of the engineer regiment, and during their stay here they will distribute the affidavits among the Camden boys in all the organizations, including the artillery and the infantry.

With Mayor Ellis are Water Superintendent John Long, Assistant Highway Commissioner, and Chief Clerk of the Board of Education Albert Austerlitz.

FOURTH EXPLOSION VICTIM IS DEAD

Man Injured in Gibbstown Blow-Up, Which Killed Three, Passes Away

Four men are dead as the result of the explosion yesterday in the plant of the E. J. du Pont de Nemours & Co. at Gibbstown, N. J.

These men were killed outright when the explosion which shook buildings within a radius of eighteen miles, blew a small building over for drying nitro starch into atoms. One of the seriously injured died last night, bringing the total of deaths to four.

Raymond Shellhook, nineteen years old, single, of Westville, N. J. He died in the Cooper Hospital.

TAXABLE REALTY SHOWS INCREASE

Tops Last Year's Record by More Than \$87,000,000, Walton Report Indicates

TOTAL OF \$1,766,553,000

The amount of real and personal property in the city of Philadelphia subject to taxation for city purposes for the year 1918 shows an increase of approximately \$87,000,000 over that for the present year, according to estimates just made by the Board of Revision of Taxes and made public through City Controller John M. Walton.

The letter to Controller Walton from the Board of Revision of Taxes also includes limitations of tax estimates for various wards for the coming year.

Town Meeting Party Stands for Clean City

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of communalism meetings were filed on behalf of the Town Meeting Party and others for the preceptors.

George Wentworth Carr, who was chairman of the campaign committee which labored before the voters in the Town Meeting party ticket, Mr. Carr said: "Permit me to extend to you and your associates of the Town Meeting Party my appreciation of your and their acceptance of the nomination tendered by them. I shall be very glad to contribute such assistance to the election of the whole ticket as is in my power."

I have refrained heretofore from offering my services to the Town Meeting Party because of some pending matters in connection with the work of the Philadelphia Home Defense Committee, of which I am secretary, which I had hoped to have completed before this nomination tendered by them. I shall be very glad to contribute such assistance to the election of the whole ticket as is in my power.

There will be almost complete fusion for Councilmen between the Town Meeting and Democratic parties in Philadelphia. Announcement of this effect was made after a special meeting of the Democratic organization at headquarters, Tenth and Walnut streets, late last night. Plans were completed for cooperation for continuing nominations for nearly every ward. Fusion of the city and county ticket also will be perfected, it is said.

Every effort will be made to elect anti-organization Councilmen. In this connection it was announced that E. L. D. Roach, secretary of the Committee of Seventy, was conducting an investigation of the registration lists with the view of eliminating effect "phantom voters." In short, to purge the lists of any alleged fraudulent voters.

Cyrus D. Post, Jr., secretary of the Town Meeting Party, sought to fight an investigation of "understanding," "Constitutional nominations in the Fifth Ward. His statement was: "The nomination papers for candidates in the Town Meeting Party were filed with a misunderstanding, without having been first submitted to the Town Meeting Committee, which was authorized by this committee, which had not intended to make any nomination of candidates for the office of Councilman. Cannot be withdrawn, except by the candidates themselves."

Harry Mackey said this afternoon he had received Sherman's resignation several days ago and that Sherman resigned because the police had raided the Young Republican Club house, Sixty-sixth street, which was alleged to be running as a speakeasy, several days ago.

The Forty-sixth will formally launch its campaign for the whole city in meeting ticket for a series of meetings to be held on Tuesday night. The first will include a banner raising at the ward headquarters, Fifty-second and Chestnut streets, at 8 o'clock. At 8:45 there stands at the meeting at Fifty-second and Market streets, and at 9:30 there will be another open-air gathering at Sixtieth and Market streets. All these meetings will be addressed by Magistrate Robert Carson and the following candidates for Common Council: Francis R. Burch, J. W. Thompson, W. T. Colburn, Louis Carstaid and Dennis Gracey.

TOWN MEETING PARTY HYPOCRITICAL, SAYS VARE

The candidates of the Town Meeting party have no authority to ask the public for money for the party, says Senator H. Vares, who today in a speech in the Senate, when asked his views of the party's platform this afternoon. The Senator said it was based upon false pretense, and branded it as a disgrace to the popular will.

Without a single competitor, the Penn Reduction Company, that for years has collected the city's trash for garbage collection in 1918, has offered to collect \$175,000 more than the \$422,000 the company gets this year for the same work.

New York and other neighboring cities receive from contractors many thousands of dollars each year for their garbage because of its value in animal fat and other by-products. Here the company has never been compelled to make an accounting of the quantities of garbage collected from householders and hotels.

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An explanatory letter accompanied the proposal, which in detail set out the high cost of labor, the high cost of materials and the need for the employment of more labor because of the growth of the city. The letter was signed by F. M. Cooper, secretary of the company.

Director Datterson, of the Department of Public Works, made no announcement following the receipt of the bid, but it is understood that the award will be made in the next few days.

1918 GARBAGE CAN WILL COST CITY \$605,266

City Must Pay \$173,266 More Next Year to Penn Reduction Company

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A statement in an earlier edition of the Evening Ledger today was to the effect that the Penn Reduction Company was a Vares-controlled concern. This was Senator E. Vares' concern, who said that the Vares were not interested in the Penn Reduction Company and had not a single cent invested in it. The earlier statement is made in justice to Senator Vares.

J. JACOB MOHR DEAD

Iron Dealer, Member of Union League and Treasurer of Church

J. Jacob Mohr, member of the Union League and founder of the Union League of Philadelphia, died today at his home in Philadelphia, Dr. John G. Clark, in Media, Pa. He was seventy-six years old.

Mr. Mohr was born in Mottsville, Pa. He lived at 414th Avenue for nearly twenty years. He was also a member of the Manufacturers' and the Spring Valley Club.

Mr. Mohr leaves four sons and a daughter. F. K. Mohr and Mrs. John G. Clark, funeral arrangements have not been announced.

SUNDAY OUTINGS

FROM MARKET STREET WHARF \$1.00 Atlantic City, Wildwood, Cape May, Ocean City, Sea Isle City, Stone Harbor, Wildwood, Andrews, Atlantic City and other points \$1.25

\$1.50 Asbury Park, Ocean City, Wildwood, Andrews, Atlantic City, Stone Harbor, Wildwood, Andrews, Atlantic City and other points \$1.75

From Market Street Wharf \$1.00 Atlantic City, Wildwood, Cape May, Ocean City, Sea Isle City, Stone Harbor, Wildwood, Andrews, Atlantic City and other points \$1.25

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