

ALLEGED DESERTERS ESCAPE BY TWISTING WINDOW BARS

THIRD ATTEMPT OF ONE POLICE AND MILITARY SEARCH CITY FOR MEN WHO LEFT CAMPS

Four soldier prisoners, detained as deserters from training camps, escaped from the guardhouse of the Frankford Arsenal early today by twisting aside window bars. They are still at large and are being sought by the police and military details.

Three are Philadelphians. The men, as provided, are: Joseph Marker, 5126 Malcomb street, 13114 Highway, formerly the Sixth Regiment, N. G. P., Camp Hancock, Pa.; George M. Price, 5648 North Eighth street, Fifth Field Artillery, Camp Meade, Md.; Joseph Barber, 6728 Frankford avenue, 11th Infantry, Camp Hancock, Pa.

Marker is the supposed ringleader in the escape, this being his third successful attempt in two months. He was arrested two days ago and was sent back to camp to face trial. Two months ago, with a companion, he was arrested and came to Philadelphia, waiting the greater part of the distance. While being returned to the Georgia camp he eluded his guard and again came here.

He was arrested last Wednesday by District Detective Printz, of the Sixty-first and Thompson streets station, while driving a coal wagon near his home. The break was made some time between 2 and 4 o'clock this morning. One of the guards noticed that the bars in one of the windows had been twisted apart and sounded an alarm. A search of the grounds and the nearby neighborhood failed to reveal any trace of the missing soldiers, and the police were appealed to.

FRANKFORD HOSPITAL DRIVE GAINS \$58,000

TWO MEMBERS OF BOARD IN GENEROUS OFFER, BRING \$100,000 GOAL WITHIN REACH

The Frankford Hospital has completed the third lap of a five-day drive for \$100,000, to be raised by tomorrow, with \$58,000 to its credit. Two members of the Hospital Board have announced they will give dollar for dollar, for all money raised to complete the drive. This, the hospital authorities feel, easily assures the drive's success.

ACCEPTS \$5 FOR EGG HE SAYS WAS STOLEN

Dairy Manager Vainly Seeks to Let Woman Off in New York Suit

New York, April 5.—The trial of Mrs. Emily Weigart for the theft of an egg valued at four cents will go on. An attempt was made yesterday by Louis Eisenberg, manager of the store, to have the woman, who had been charged with the charge, and in accepting it he had given her the egg. "Why did you take that much money?" demanded Justice Herbst, one of those sitting in Special Sessions. "Well, she really owed me more than four cents," said the eggman. "It was more like fifty cents."

TO TEACH COAL SAVING

Administration Will Start Conservation School for Consumers

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SCOUTS' LIBERTY BELL

THIRD LIBERTY LOAN

Philadelphia Boy Scouts tonight will take the above miniature Liberty Bell to more than 100,000 homes. The distribution is to be made in the interests of the third Liberty Loan campaign, which opens in Philadelphia tomorrow. The bells, which are made of cardboard, will be hung over doorknobs.

MECHANICS CALLED FROM 6 MORE STATES

Order Issued Mobilizing Skilled Tradesmen at Training Camps

Washington, April 5.—Draft registrants from six States—Massachusetts, Connecticut, Michigan, Kentucky, Missouri and Texas—will be added to the growing army of skilled mechanics the Government is training in the schools of the country for service in France in an order of Provost Marshal General Crowder today.

This mobilization, the second under the plans to train thousands of drafted men for special work, will be for 225 men who will be assembled between April 15 and May 1. Those in the first school started to camp today.

The men selected for this service will receive a two-month course of training, fitting them for various positions, requiring knowledge of automobile driving and repairing, sheet metal work, carpentry, tin-smithing, blacksmithing, and other duties incident to work at the front and in the rear.

BIG ORGAN READY FOR USE

Lancaster Auctioneer Is Dead

Seven in Home Defenders

COAL MINERS' STRIKE NOW SEEMS IMMINENT

Fifty Thousand Men Threaten to Quit Work Unless Wage Increase Is Granted

DuBois, Pa., April 5.—While the convention's representative at the Government of the United Mine Workers of America, District No. 2, is doing all in his power to prevent the coal miners taking action that will result in a strike of the 55,000 men in this district, indications are that the convention now in session will soon insist upon an increase of wages and will strike if the operators again reject their demands.

SPROUL GETS BOOST FROM BUSINESSMEN

Candidate for Governor Declared to Be Man of the Hour in Present War Crisis

Declaring that State Senator William C. Sproul, of Chester, is the "man of the hour" in Pennsylvania, leading business men of this city and vicinity are today preparing to support his candidacy for the gubernatorial nomination through organization of the Pennsylvania Patriotic Union.

FIRE DESTROYS WOOLENS

Flames and Water Cause \$2000 Damage to Manayunk Mill

SCOTT AND BEIDLEMAN REJECTED BY "DRYS"

WORKERS IN \$100,000 FRANKFORD HOSPITAL DRIVE

The "dry" organizations, meeting in Harrisburg, Pa., yesterday, both Congressman John E. K. Scott, the Vare offering, and Senator E. E. Beidleman, the Penrose choice, for the Republican nomination for Lieutenant Governor, were rejected by a vote of the organizations, but Thomas H. Atherton, of Wilkes-Barre, was prominently mentioned and will be urged for nomination.

DENMAN TO EXPLAIN HOG ISLAND DELAY

Former Chairman of Shipping Board Appears as Witness in Senate Probe

Washington, April 5.—William Denman, former chairman of the United States Shipping Board, today appeared as a witness before the Senate Commerce Committee to explain the reasons for the delay of about three months in the negotiations with the American International Corporation for the building of the 120 fabricated ships for the Government at Hog Island.

USED OWN AUTO TAGS ON STOLEN CARS, CHARGE

Alien German Garage Employee, Under Arrest, Admits Theft of Machines, Police Say

Taking out automobile license tags in his own name and putting them on stolen machines in the unusual charge made yesterday by the police against a German, thirty-four years old, an alien German, of Arch and Sycamore streets, arrested last night by Acting Detective Hopkins at the Broadtown station, on information given by L. E. Brooks, 4644 North Myrtle street, Necker was held in \$1000 bail for court by Magistrate Pennock this morning.

GREAT ELECTRIC POWER PLANT TO CONSERVE COAL IS PLANNED

Will Be Located Near Mines, to Save Hauling, and Will Supply All Industries on Seaboard, According to Potter's Designs

SOUTHERN OUTCAST DIES OF APOPLEXY

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The Dry Federation delegates were directed to endorse State Highway Commissioner, J. Edgar Hoover, for Republican nomination for Governor, but the other organizations were unopposed and the matter was left to the party members of the "dry" organizations.

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"When the war started there was a great deal of talk in the papers about the great advantage Germany had in her big dye industry," he said. "But the advantage has gone now. We are running the war and making dyes, too, and we are going to make more dyes."

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