# EVENING PUBLIC LEDGER-PHILADELPHIA, FRIDAY, APRIL 19, 1918

### BAIRD ON COMMITTEES New Jersey Senator Assigned to Banking and Mines and Public Lands

**AS BOND SELLER** Washington, April 13 .- Announces ent of changes in Republican member-Sales Made by Single Comlican stearing committees by the Repub-lican steering committee included the assignment of Senator Johnson, of Cali-fornia, to the Military Affairs Commit-tee, aucceeding the late Senator Brandy, of Idaho mittee of Women Total a Million

## **GRAND TOTAL \$12,496,800**

MRS. LIT STARS

The long, steady pull of the women Liberty Loan workers has been reward-ed by another "million and a half day." Thurnday's total, in fact, was better than Wednesday's, it was announced last night by Mrs. John C. Groome in reporting subscriptions for \$1,651,000 secured yesterday through the concerted efforts of the women. This brings the grand total for the women so far up to \$12,-495,800.

The total of the stores' committee of the central city alone was \$617,350. Mrs. Samuel D. Lit, of Team No. 1

of the stores' committee, went "over the tep" for a total of \$1.000.000. Mrs. Lit has brought in subscriptions ranging from \$20.000 to \$100.000 each.

has brought in subset of \$100,000 each. "Perfectly marvelous," was the center of the sensions of the papers read to her. Six Philosophical Society This is the secment of Mrs. Paul Decay district, when man of the central city district, when the latest figures were read to ber. Six millions, or about half of the women's present total of \$12,600,000, are credited to the efforts of Mrs. Mills and her helpers. "It is every bit due to the spiendid teamwork they have given," mays Mrs. Mills in enthusinstic apprent." tion of the support given to her. Women Canyass Homes

With more than \$12,000,000 to their credit the workers of the women's Lib-

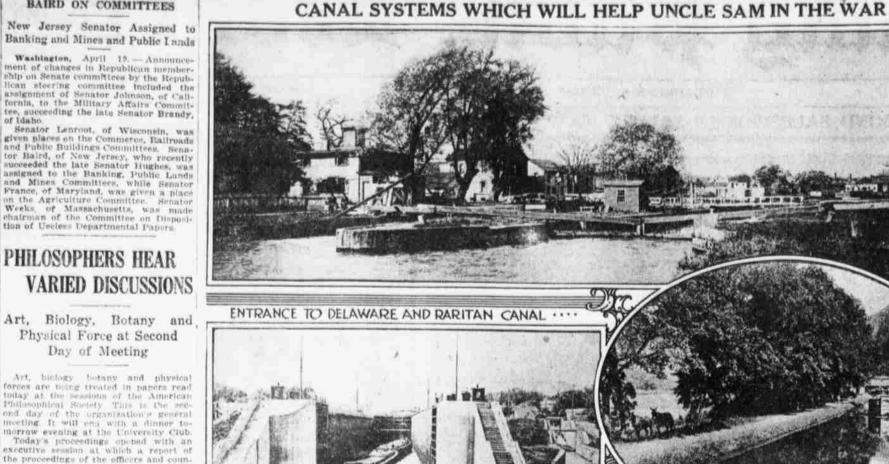
ment in slowing reports to headquarters. Mrs. Walter J. Freeman, district chairman, reported good results among foreign-horn, aithough many of the householders said their husbands had

Bhe has passed the \$900,000 mark.
Children of the Holy Angels Church parish, in Oak Lame, have subarthed for \$500 in bonds, and to get the money to pay for them they will work on farms thin summer. The announcement of the youngsters was made at a meeting on Wednesday, when the parish subarthed for \$111,750.
Wictory Car is Active
The victory car is anned by members

The victory car manned by members of the Woman Suffrage party, collected 15000 worth of subscriptions in a tour that covered Fifty-second street and Market, Sixtleth street and Market, the Broad Street Station and the Reading Terminal

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## BRITISH NOW EXPECTING Radium Salts," D. H. Kabaklan, assist-



marten, vice president of the society, in the chair. The first paper was read by Stephen credit the workers of the wonten's tab-erty Lean committee concentrated their efforts on the house-to-bouse convass, which to date has yielded excellent re-sults. The first paper was rean by other B. Luce, curator of Greek antiquities in the Museum of the University of Penn-sylvania. His subject was "History of the Study of Greek Vase Plainting" An Downtown, under the leadership of Mrn, William H. Wilson, the workers pread out in every ward from Spruce areet to League Island, and at noon with a choing remots to bendmuster.

Day of Meeting

#### On Typewriter Keyboards

Other papers of the morning were: "The Art of George Catlin," Edwin Swift foreign-horn, although many of the householders said their husbands had ubscribed in the factories and shops or through the foreign committees. Mrs. Samuel D. Lit, leader of Team No. I, of the stores committee. headed by Mrs. Thomas J. Dolan, reported a 519,000 subscription from John Zimmer-man, Mrs. Lit predicted her total would be \$1,000,600 before the end of the week She has passed the \$900,000 mark. **REA PLEDGES NATION** 

P. R. R. AID TO WIN WAR Pennsy President Urges Employes to "Keep Up Fighting Blood" by Co-operating

We will keep up our fighting blood by moving more cars, making quick-

This is the piedge of loyalty to the na-

NEW LOCK ON NEW YORK BARGE CANAL BESIDE OLD ERIE CANAL LOCK ...

as follows: 1 readhrm my conviction that the working forces of this railroad sys-tem will be leaders in the supreme duty of giving the nation the beat transportation service. We will cheer. ant professor of physics, University of Pennsylvania, and E. Karra, Philadel-

canal has been the subject of much barges, congressional discussion, and several at. Phila

# **INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL** FOR WAR VICTIMS

SCENE ON LEHIGH CAHAL...

Heney Wants California to Establish Great Institution to Care for Veterans

Francis J. Heney, who is known from

"I want to see the State provide a great industrial school, where our nulmed soldiers may be taken when they return from 'over there' and be taught some occupation so that they may be self-supporting and independent. "When you see the great number of crippled and blinded soldiers already in solve. I want California to start the solution of this problem without delay.

mations so that they never need

ight for democracy, had to be an object of charity.

# U. S. DODGES HIGH Reading Teachers Directed to Con-ELMWOOD PRICES

Profiteering Declared

Cause of Abandoned Hog

CONTRACTS TOO HIGH

Appraisal of the land in the Elmand

Appraisal of the land in the Elmwad section desired for the housing comp was made by a committee of the sale estate board, of which Thomas shak cross, Jr., is president. That board set last night and heard an address by Me Shallcross, in which he told how he Government is being protected interes-

This knowledge, conveyed to Admini

Island Housing

Foos, selty school superintendent, in structed the principals here not to form German classes when the next term opens. Those taking German how term opens. Those taking German now will not be required to stop, as most are preparing for college, but Superintendent Foos is making inquiry of colleges to learn if French or Spanish will be ac-cepted hereafter in place of German as an entrance requirement. German in the public schools will eventually be eliminated, for a mighty sentiment is growing against it, said County Superintendent Rapp. The county P.O. S. of A. executive commit-

NO NEW CLASSES

tinue Present Course Only

Beading, Pa., April 19 .--- Charles

A desire to forestall profilering by contractors and real emitte owner, which threatened to cost the downer which threatened to cost the downer for the real reason why the best best of the real reason why the filmwood housing project to take and the downer filmwood housing project to take the interest of the downer for the housing program. declaring the sould be against the interest of the downer to rubin any thing on the subject now. He said he would explanate. county P O. S. of A. executive commit-tee has called a meeting to indorse the State camp's action against teaching of German

# STATE FINDS WORK FOR 13,030 IN MONTH

Number of Placements in March Breaks All Records

Harrisburg, April 19.

profiteering by real estate men all erer the country. Chief Albright, of the Bureau of Bas The co-operative work of the State Public Safety Committee and the Bureau of Employment of the State Department of Labor and Industry resulted lant month in placing 13,030 workers in em- If this estimate is correct the month in placing 13,020 workers in cm-ployment, a record that surpasses by 2000 the total number of placements ever made in a single month by the Employ-contractors was for about \$400 for each house. ment Bureau of the State.

The placements were made through offices in fourteen cities, including Har-risburg, Altoona, Johnstown, York, Phil-experts, is said to have decided ne Allentown, Reading, Pitts-New Castle, New Kensington, detrita burgh, New Castle, New Kensington, Scranton, Williamsport, Erie and Oil City.

Of the total number of placements 1276 were women and 11.754 were men. There were 269 men placed on Fem-Sylvania farms during the month of March by the Employment Bureau and that the 109 found employment in anthracite and bituminous mines. The remaining 11.376 men were placed in industrial and miscellaneous employment women were placed under that classificatior

Approximately 30 per cent of the men placed in employment were laborers. Three hundred and fifteen women obtained employment in industrial work and the remainder in executive, clerical and domestic positions.

### DAVIS UNDER FIRE FOR THEATRE TALK

Pittsburgh Man, Hooted by Crowd, May Have to Explain to U. S. Authorities

Pittsburgh, April 19 -- Federal agents are investigating remarks made by Harry Davis, well-known theatrical man. on the Alvin Theatre stage here, which crippled and blinded soldiers already in the East you are forced to the reali-gation that there is a big problem to ment will take any action against Davis will depend upon the result of the in-vestigation. Davis defended himself yes-terday in a long stat-ment, declaring that his address was whole-heartedly in

the interest of the Liberty Loan and the promotion of the war against Germany. He declared he was misunderstood.

"What criticisms I made were wholly npersonal and nonpartisan," he said. "I said nothing which had not already been said on the floor of the United States Senate and the House of Representa-Representatives, nothing that has not been printed in the daily press and nothing which any true American, understanding that the things were said in the spirit of helpful-

FOR A BIRTHDAY

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experts, is said to have decided the conexperts, is shill to have decided the ca-forces to advise that the entire relation the be abandoned. In this connection the are reports that a similar action we taken at Bristol, where a contract be 200 homes for workers had been

After the award of the contact Chairman Hurley is said to have learned that the cost was becoming excession and that another series of revelations similar to the original Hog Island ra-pose might follow in their train. To prevent any repetition the minping board told the Merchante Shipbuilding Company to a phone with the shipping Company to go ahead and erst the All of these facts are expected to be

related at length in the forthcoming statement by the admiral and to tar aside the mystery which has closed the housing plan for some weeks how municipal officials dec ther, the yesterday that they gave up any here of the Elmwood site being accepted some weeks ago.

So confident was Chief Albright that he plans would hardly mature that is ook from the walls the maps showing the extensive city which the mana-pality expected to develop for He Island. At least that is the reason he the attaches of his office read into he orders, given a day or two aga that

the maps be removed. Chief Albright himself is sadly disp-pointed that the housing plan is to be abandoned. He has had twenty-five m ployes at work on plans and blue print and they have given a deal of their the since last February. But all the wills some mysterious influence was holding up the acceptance of the plans until the chief became a triffe weary of watchfal waiting.

However, he was not entirely aster all the while and his conferences will Owen Brainerd, the architect in diarge of the plans, and Admiral Bowles seems to have convinced him that everything was off and that no houses would be built here. So confident did he be come in this belief that he ordered the employee to stop working and took down the plots and prints and other paraphernalia which have been the mi-nicipal Exhibit A in the ambilious scheme for Hog Island.

### SNYDER HOLDS UP BILL FOR NINE AUTOMOBILES

oast to coast and, incidentally, wants to be Governor of this State, is backing a meritorious plan to put California well to the front in the care of soldiers who may be maimed in the great war. In sneaking about it today he said:

"The State should have a big insti-tution and provide c:pert medical at-tention and expert training. Artificial limbs should be provided for all who need them and the men be taught how to use them; the blind should be taught to read as the blind do and be trained in compations of the user need

(k for charity, "We do not want it ever said that one our California boys, maimed in this

San Francisco, April 19.

Water Works Engineer Resigns

ness rather that that of fault-finding could not acquitesce in."

## FOCH'S DECISIVE STROKE London Anxious to Know When at

Allied Reserves Will Be Called Into Action

from London express anxiety as to when General Foch will make use of the Al-lied reserve, which is believed to exist.

Ited reserve, which is believed to exist, but has not been called upon. "There is atill anxiety as to when General Foch will make the declaive stroke, now that the British have stood four weeks of hammering by the im-menae German reserves, estimated at 420,000 men, in a fashion which led the French writers to describe the Brit-ish armles as the wing of sacrifice, asys the dispatch. "Experts do not inforse the opinion advanced in some quarters that that

that the Germans have not obtained the decisive result aimed at, thanks to the extreme atubbornness of the British resistance.

The hattle, in fact, appears to have been following the course of the great series of German thrusts of October, 1914, which ended in Ypres and failure for the enemy. There was then no al-lied reserve. That reserve now exists and has not yet been used. There probably ut be continuous fluctuations in the thern area for some time to the salient fact of the fight the salient fact of the fighting is staying power of the British sol.

Fails and Machine Hits Uro-

### cession

Seven persons were injured, one fatal-iy perhaps, on the Northeast Boulevard boday. All were taken to St. Luke's Homeopathic Hospital. The most seriously injured is Harry Nevison, forty-six years old, of 1933 South Lawrence street. He sustained erver brustes and has concusion of the

The others are: The others are: The others are: The others are: Pauline Flick, internal injuries; Her-re old, of 1353 South Rosewood street, possible ernal injuries; Hillick street, possible ernal injuries;

and, of 106 Millick street, possible rnal injurics. rnest Koch, driver of a six-ton truck Austin Greer, Jr., was held under bond for a further hearing April 25 ingistrate Costello in the Paul and streets police station. cording to his statement today, he conding to his statement today, he conding to his estatement today, he conding to his function of the second of the statement today, he is the function of Harry Flick, to press aid, father of Harry Flick, to indore Flick.

ty One French Ship Sunk

phia. Dr. Albert A. Michelson will preside at the afternoon session. A feception will be held this evening in the hall of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania, Into Action Ditawa, Ont., April 19. — Dispatches rom London express anxiety as to when ieneral Foch will make use of the Al-ed reserve, which is believed to exist, nut has not been called upon. the Historical Society of Pennsylvania, Locust and Thiriseuth atrests. Leauen-the Historical Society of Pennsylvania, Locust and Colonel Robert Andrews Millikan. Ph. D., Sc. D., will speak on "Science in Relation to the War." He is a mem-ter of the department of science and research of the Council of National De-

transportation service. We will cheer-fully and willingly cooperate with each other. The men at the front are depending upon us to supply their needs. We must not fail them. We will keep up our fighting blood by moving more cors, making quicker repairs of engines, cars and tracks and doing more and better railroad work than ever before. We must for-get unusual conditions and even the hardships of a country at war. Let us conter every effort upon the one great tasks of belping our fighting brothers. All citizens must work is a unit with a determined puppes to win this war.

GERMAN MASSACRE IN SLAV VILLAGE NEW FACE TO SOLDIER

advanced in some quarters that the advance, critical in the northern thenatro, has been definitely checked. It is agreed Front, Tells of Marvelous Demand for Money Is Refused Skill Being Displayed

## Moscow, April 12.

Major George E. De Schweinlig, pro-When the village of Novoselki resisted fessor in the medical school of the University of Pennsylvania and a leading an armed requisition of money by Ger-Philadelphia surgeon, just back from the man troops and killed an officer in the military hospitals in France, tells of a resulting scuffle the Germans burned the military hospitals in France, tells of a fesulting scaline the Certains output at the former golf champion, now a soldier, village and from machine guns placed who was given a "new face" by war around it they fired upon the in-aurgeons "over there." The man's natural face had been torn habitants, including women and children the drift of Penn Square and the who tried to escape, killing many of them, according to reports here.

but the salient fact of the fighting is beyond recognition by a shell and the diers." TRUCK HITS WOMEN ON WAY TO CEMETERY Seven Hurt When Steering Gear Fails and Machine Hits Uro-beyond recognition by a shell and the surgeons set about to reconstruct II.
First they cut a big flap of skin from the visiting a chest. Sills were number the visiting a chest will be sold from some base. The here sold the sold t

society. It is hoped the German Govern-ment will investigate thoroughly and punish the offenders."

WOMAN BEGGED A LIFT

IN AUTO; LIFTED \$13,500

Weiner's Tale of Experience With Chance Guest Frees Him of Fraud Charge

#### Swiss Consul in Chicago Takes Up Law Regarding Licenses

Law Regarding Licenses Chicago, April 19.—The Swias consul here has protested a city ordinance for-bidding the granting of business licenses to allens. Government authorities may take cognizance of the situation. With the \$13,500 in his pocket. Weiner

to allens. Government authorities may take cognizance of the situation. In a letter to the city's legal depart-ment its Swias consul said that the ordinance conflicts with the traily be-tween the United States and Switzer-tand, which prevides that mether coun-tranail interfere with iswabiling offi-anny at the office "to exercise their pre-

canal has been the subject of much congressional discussion, and several art rempts have already been made to bring it under Government ownership. All kinds of material from north and south both raw and manufactured, pass through the many rivers, one of these being the Potomac, which is navigable, to Washington. The Chesapeake Bay through the many rivers, one of these being the Potomac, which is navigable, to Washington. The Chesapeake Bay through the many rivers, one of these being the Potomac, which is navigable, to Washington. The Chesapeake Bay through the many rivers, one of these being the Potomac, which is navigable, to Washington. The Chesapeake Bay at Washington. The Rappahannock and York Rivers tap large food-protomating coal. His survey will include the possibility of building barges for use on the canal. The Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company.
cluding Nergort News, the shipbuilding the canal River gives access to several important places, the same River gives access to several important places, the same River gives access to several important places, the same River gives access to several important places, the making a study to determine if transporting this comage would prove an economical undertaking. The Government if the same the survey will be access to Norfelk

#### Access to Norfolk

Access to Norfelk, Hampton Roads also gives access to Norfolk, the tidewater terminal from the West Virgina coal fields. From here the old Chesapeake and Albemarie

LANCASTER COUNTY GIVE MAIL MATTER FAILS BOOM TO LIBERTY LOAN TO REACH ADDRESSES

Parade in City Tonight to Follow Men in Navy Suffer Loss by Send-Splendid Demonstration in ers' Carelessness Columbia Last Night

carefully addressed.

York. Postmasters have also been instructed

## CALL ERIN TO FIGHT

Georgia Irishmen Favor Home Rule Letter Sent by Italian Sailor Told and Conscription

Augusta, Ga., April 19.-At a meeting citizens of Augusta of Irish birth or

extraction resolutions were adopted favoring home rule and conscription in Ireland, and calling upon the Irish peo-ple to do every means in their power to further the cause of the Allies. Irish-men throughout the United States were urged to take similar action. The fol-lowing cable was sent to John Dillon. here, Nationalist leader:

"Meeting of the Irishmen of Augusta, Ga., indorse granting of home rule and extension of conscription to Ireland. We expect Irishmen in Treland to fight with the Ailies as the Irishmen in America are doing."

Fire Destroys Glass Factory

Pittaburgh, April 15 .- First of unde-

Watter works Engineer integrates Henry Watraven, who has been acting chief engineer of the water works at Gloncester, N. J., since Frank W. Spence resigned a month ago, has notified City for Johnson that he does not want the face. During the week he was required to work as a fireman several times, be-use the fireman guit to go to shipyards to work. There are no applicants for the job.

# WHEN IN DOUBT WHAT TO SEND "CAN" A WIRE TO YOUR FRIEND

Western Union Has a Lot Served to Patrons Piping Hot for Christmas, Weddings

or Whatnot

"Canned" greetings might well be the 'affectionate wishes for a happy Christtitle of a booklet issued by the Western ma FOR A SCHOOL GRADUATE

Union Telegraph Company for the contelograph messages are inclosed in the covers of the useful pocket secretary, graduation.

which provides brief messages to be I am (We are) proud of your success

which provides brief messages to be May the future grant your opportunity sent on all occasions, embracing the and the fulfilment of your hopes. holidays from New Year's Day to

Christmas, and appropriate messages to be telegraphed when congratulations and condolences are to be expressed by days that lie between them be happy The dead letter branch of the New

York postoffice has been swamped with mail for men in the United States Naval wire. Hereafter when you wish to send a rush message of the season's greetings or congratulate a graduate, a politician or the parents of a new baby, don't wrinkle We all join in best wishes for a very Seek the index of the telegraph guide. Here are a few samples. Take your pick: wire. Hirthing greetings, I (We) wish you the parents of a new baby, don't wrinkle Me all join in best wishes for a very may be rush add the Proc to conduct the old cars. Auditor General Snyder, when ask the transaction, replied. T cannot say there is it looks off that here oare a few samples. Take your pick: service which could not be delivered because of bad addressing. The result is that postmasters of the country have been instructed not to accept letters or packages for men in the service unless

pick: They must bear the full name of the person to whom sent, the branch of the service (whether naval reserve, coast guard, marines, etc.), the rank or rating

FOR NEW YEAR'S (Choice of twenty-six) My (Our) best wishes for a New Year rich in bleasings. May the New Year be a good year to you and yours is the wish of your friend. and the name of vessel or station to which assigned. All of this must be used in addition to addressing mail mat-ter in care of the postmaster at New

su and yours is the strengthens. Send. We think of you with the affection orn of our long friendship which the courring year only strengthens. FOR A RIPTH born of our long friendship which the recurring year only strengthens.

Postmasters have also been instructed not to accept packages containing perishable goods or packages which are not securely wrapped and tied with strong string. It is suggested that whenever possible packages be wrapped with cloth and left in such condition that inspectors may easily examine them.

Abroad

Choice of twenty-nice) May this springtime blossom for you ith flowers of prace and contentment This Easter greeting carries to you he affection of an old friend. Best wishes for a happy Easter. May your Easter be a bright and appy one. NAVAL OFFICER WROTE U. S. SECRETS TO WOMAN

happy one. Every best Easter wish to him (her) whom 7 am proud to call my friend.

FOR THANKSGIVING of the Fleet Movements (Choice of twenty)

New York April 19.-An Italian sailor is under arrest here through a letter written by a naval reserve officer on board on American vessel in foreign waters and intrusted to him for mailing

The letter, according to a Federal Assistant District Attorney, was addressed to a woman and contained information FOR CHRISTMAS

regarding the movements of ships in the war zone the writing of which is against (Choice of thirts-two))

Every good wish for a Merry Christ-ias and a happy and prosperous New naval regulations. Ren Fribourg, an importer and ex-

Ben Fribourg, an importer and ex-porter, and George Masure, captain of the Belgian relief ship Liege, were ar-rested here by custom officials charged with a conspiracy to send letters out-side the regular mails between the United States and The risgue It is alleged frittenss bring you, joy and happings

Auditor Wants Deal With Motor truck Company Shown to

Protect State

Harrisburg, April 19 .-- Auditor General Snyder declares he will hold up the regulation for the reinbursment of the State Highway Department of the money paid for nine motortrucks until after his hearing of the automobile company representatives here and that If it is shown that the State paid more for the cars than an individual code have obtained them for "somebody" will be surcharged.

The Highway Department turned in some old cars in purchasing the new over and an allowance was made. The un was paid February 28, or two weeks be-fore the Board of Fublic Grounds and

fore the Board of Public Grounds and Eulidings approved it, according to the Auditor General, and when this fact was brought out the Auditor General, who as a member of the board had approved the bill, started an investigation. Size then he hus refused to reimburse the Mighway Department. According to the Highway Depart-ment, the price of the nine cars to the While Company, including war tax, was \$43,305.50, with an allowance of fase for the old cars: the Packard Compary bid \$44,184.62, with \$7200 allowance for old cars and the Pierce Company \$45,860 with \$5500 allowed for the old cars. Auditor General Snyder, when asso

If there was any political significance of the transaction, replied. "I cannot say there is it looks dif-that the Highway Department should have paid approximately 55000 more for matchines than it should. I have infor-mation that the department paid 464 more for each of the trucks that he price quoted by the same company last to a private individual. "I do not want to say anything have about Mr. O'Nell, although I understan he has said several thinks about me That is not my way. I have nothing against Mr. O'Nell, and, moreover, is may be Governor and my superior nor time next year and I want to finish my term in harmony and peace."

### BOILER LAWS INEFFECTIVE

Apparatus Must Conform to State

(Cheics of seventeen) Heartlest congratulations and love to incher and son (daughter). Greetings to (the name of child) on his (her) safe arrival and congratula-tions to his (her) parents. We are all (I am) delighted to hear the news. Hearty congratulations. My greetings to the new boss of the kousehold. May he (she) live long and prosper. Board Rule Only Before Operation

Harrisburg, April 19 — The Attor General's Department has decided to the industrial board's ruling that bed not built in conformity with the bear boiler code may not be brought b Pennsylvania cannot be enforced. The opinion holds, however, that so holiers cannot be operated in the so unless changed to conform with board's rules.

WILSON ENDORSES FOCH

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICAT HELP WANTED-MALE

WILSON ENDORSES FOCH Paris, April 19.—The following a cial note has been issued here: "The American military represen-tive in the supreme war council hi efficially informed the Governme that he has received the following " blegram under date of April 16: "In the name of the Republic the United States of America D President approves the nomination General Foch as commander-lack of the Allied armies operating France."

(Choice of forty) Heartleat congratulations on your nomination (election). You fought a good fight in a good cause. Heartlest congratulations on your splendid success. Congratulations upon your well won victory and best wishes for your future

(Choice of twenty) I never cease to give thanks that I have your affection and friendship. Although I (we) cannot be with you today I (we) have the memory of past Thanksgiving Days at home. God bless you all. Let us never fail to be thankful that the years only increase the strength of our long friendship. Around the family table think of me (us) as I (we) absent, shall think of you. My (Our) love to all. FOR CHRISTMAS

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FOR A PUBLIC MAN