

DRY'S 1800 BARS
NAY CLOSE JUNE 1

Liquor Men Not Expected to Renew Licenses for One Month

MANY MEN AFFECTED

"Bone-Dry" Law Hits Thousands of Workers and Millions in Property

Philadelphia's retail liquor dealers... there are some 1800 of them...

The food and fuel administration has prohibited the use of food grains for brewing after December 1...

The licenses owned by Philadelphia's retailers expire next June...

The "bone-dry" law will have a further-reaching effect than merely making folks go thirsty...

400 Butlers in City

Behind the retail liquor dealers... there are approximately 400 butlers...

Just what they will do when the law goes into effect has not been settled by the brewers themselves...

It has been intimated that the National Association of Brewers will attack the constitutionality of the law...

United States to Lose Billion
Philadelphia's revenue will suffer to the extent of about \$2,000,000 next year...

Hotel proprietors already are protesting that prices for rooms, meals and other accommodations will soar when the bars close...

Incidentally, the closing of the breweries in the near future may be reflected in other industries...

Ticket Agents Will Cash Coupons
Washington, Nov. 23.—Division public service and accounting United States railroad administration has issued the following...

HENRY B. LOOS DIES

Former Evening Public Ledger Reporter Victim of Influenza

Henry B. Loos, former Evening Public Ledger reporter, died at his home last night...

Mr. Loos was 68 years old. After his graduation from Cornell University Mr. Loos became attached to the editorial staff of the Evening Public Ledger...

Prothronary, Evan Williams, of Luzerne, on the advice of his counsel, has sustained the contention of Carpenter and has not included the vote from the training camps in the total for Luzerne County...

Prothronary immediately raised the point that if the election on the men's behalf had been taken he would have received a substantial majority over Casey...

Governor Brumbaugh appointed commissioners to take the vote of the soldiers in the 115 training camps...

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Former member of the Evening Public Ledger staff, died at his home last night.

SENATORS MAY AGAINO. K. JOBS

Sprout Will Revive Practice of Consultation. It Is Believed

IGNORRED BY BRUMBAUGH

Many Changes on Capitol Hill Expected When New Governor Takes Seat

Republican leaders believe that the old custom of having State Senators consulted by the governor in the matter of appointments in their respective districts will be revived during the coming administration of Governor Sprout...

The accident happened at Mrs. Heckscher's temporary home, 125 East Sixty-sixth street...

MRS. HECKSCHER INJURED

Operative Society President Fractures Hip by Fall in New York
Mrs. Helen Heckscher, president of the Philadelphia Operative Society and prominent in musical circles, fell and broke her hip yesterday in New York...

SHIPYARD WORKERS WANT MORE MONEY

Higher Wage Scale and Strike at Gloucester Plant Interest Union Meeting

A demand for a higher wage scale at shipyards to compensate for the loss of overtime work is expected to be formulated this afternoon at a meeting in the Central Labor Union headquarters...

Representatives of the workers in every shipyard along the Delaware river are to be present at the meeting, scheduled to begin at 4 o'clock...

Nearly three thousand striking employees of the Pennsylvania shipyard of the Pusey and Jones Company at Gloucester will have delegates at the conference...

Another practice which Republican leaders believe that Senator Sprout will from other States for nations under the State Government Senator Sprout is an ardent Pennsylvanian and is said to believe that just as competent men can be found in any other State in the Union...

Scranton Railway Plans 10-Cent Fare
Scranton, Pa., Nov. 23.—The Scranton Railway Company has agreed to reduce its minimum fare to seven cents if the city agreed to withdraw its complaint on the eight-cent tariff before the State Public Service Commission...

STATE SOLDIER VOTE MAY BE THROWN OUT

Conservational Election Contest in Luzerne County Raises Knotty Question

A knotty question which has been raised in the congressional election contest in Luzerne County may result in throwing out the entire soldier vote in the State in the election November 5...

Deaths throughout the city during the week numbered 547, as compared with 612 last week and 614 during the corresponding week last year...

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BROADWAY LIGHTS BLAZE
New York, Nov. 23.—Broadway is again blazing. With the lighting of the Federal fuel administration at 112th Street, New York's "Great White Way" blazed forth with a more brilliant than ever light...

WANT TO BUY Furniture, suits, etc. Visit the Ladies' Club, 12th and Locust, 10-12.

"DAD" AND SOLDIER SON TO EXCHANGE GREETINGS

"Father's Day" Will Be Observed Tomorrow and "the Governor" Will Come in for a Little of the Sunshine That Brightens Mother's Life the Rest of the Year

TOMORROW

will be Father's Day. It will be observed by an interchange of letters between American daddies and their sons in the service.

The Stars and Stripes, official newspaper of the American expeditionary forces, suggest some time ago that a day be set aside in honor of father, as mother had her day last May 31...

The Stars and Stripes has made full arrangements for quick delivery of the letters from American daddies.

WAR GOOD TEACHER OF GEOGRAPHY

Yanks Are Instructing French and Are Being Instructed

It almost always surprises our French friends to learn that New Mexico and New Jersey are about as far apart as Carriacou and the Model License League...

Something tells us that, as a result of our contact with the little Willes of the future will pay even more attention to the contents of their geography books...

NEW SPECIAL DIVISION TO CANCEL SHIP WORK

Emergency Fleet Corporation Prepares "Revamping Program" on Peace Basis

Announcement of the creation of the division of cancellation and salvage of the Emergency Fleet Corporation, made necessary by the construction of the new division, which will be immediately under the supervision of Mr. Charles P. Mead...

Mr. Evans, head of the statistical bureau of the corporation, probably will be chosen to direct the affairs of the new division...

Under this contract, \$20,000,000 will have been spent in the construction of a shipyard and \$10,000,000 in building steel cargo carriers...

For Lower Coal Freight
Boston, Nov. 23.—A demand for reduction of freight rates on coal coming into New England has been sent to Director General McAdoo of the Federal railroad administration by the Massachusetts Public Service Commission...

BEGGARS' BUSINESS GONE, BUT BUMS WE STILL HAVE

War Has Virtually Taken the Mendicants From the Streets of the City

No Arrests of Professional Hand-Out Men Here in Year, Police Say

ONE business has been absolutely ruined by the war. It is that of the professional beggar.

Philadelphia is almost beggarland. The police report that a beggar has not been arrested in a year. It is true that there are a large number of them...

As to beggars, superintendents of the various neighborhoods believe that their beds rarely have occupants. Cheap lodging-house proprietors have also found that their business is ailing...

CARS CHARGES VARE SOUGHT AID

Magistrate Says Senator Wanted Street Cleaning Rules Changed

CONNELL GOT REQUEST

Former Chief Declares He Was Asked to Drop Clause Protecting City

Director Datesman: The minimum labor clause is "ineffective in its purpose."

Magistrate Carson: "While he may be deaf and dumb to queries of citizens, his ears are still attuned to catch his master's voice."

Former Chief Connell: "Senator Vore argued with me that the minimum labor clause should be stricken from the specifications."

Senator Vore: "I have no comment to make."

Charges that State Senator Edwin H. Vore inspired Director Datesman's modifications of the street-cleaning specifications for 1919 are contained in a statement issued by Magistrate Robert Carson.

The statement was followed by an admission from William H. Connell, chief of the Street-Cleaning Bureau under Mayor Blankenburg, that Senator Vore had repeatedly urged him to remove the clause stipulating the minimum number of men to be employed.

Elimination of this clause was one of the modifications made by Director Datesman, who on Monday, in an open meeting at the Chamber of Commerce, asserted he alone was responsible for the changes.

Senator Vore, when shown a copy of Carson's accusations, read it carefully and then said he would make no statement of any kind concerning it.

Magistrate Carson is a member of a committee authorized at Monday's meeting to investigate the changes in the specifications. This committee has demanded that all bids be rejected and the modifications withdrawn.

The statement issued by Magistrate Carson follows the objection from the House to enter the officers' training camp at Fort Niagara, N. Y. He was rejected because of poor eyes and required surgery of the eye before the Legislature adjourned.

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RECONSTRUCTION CONFERENCE EXPECTED TO SURPASS ANY FORMER GATHERING

Atlantic City, Nov. 23.—Arrangements have been made since convention directors say, to assure satisfactory hotel accommodations for every business man attending the reconstruction conference of war-service committees of 300 industries in costume here early in December on all of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

Bookings to date indicate the attendance, which was estimated at 2000 three days ago, probably will reach 5000.

The reconstruction gathering will probably be a more representative assembly than the war convention here a year ago with Lord Northcliffe, Secretary Baker and Wilson and Herbert Hoover among the speakers.

The text of the industry alone will have more than 500 representatives here and the reconstruction trade probably will send 1500.

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SPANGLER, OF YORK, SEEKS HOUSE GAVEL

New Speakership Candidate Said to Suit Both "Wet" and "Dry" Factions

State Representative Robert S. Spangler, of York, is being put forward by up-State political leaders as a logical candidate for Speaker of the House.

Spangler has served three terms in the Legislature and is a "dry." While his selection as Speaker would please the "dry" forces, he would also be acceptable to the "wets."

Organization leaders would rather see Spangler, who has trained politically with the Penrose forces, in the important position of presiding over the House than Representative George W. Williams of Toga.

Williams has pronounced independent tendencies which he does not hesitate to manifest when the occasion arises.

During the last Legislature Spangler was given the honor of presiding over the House to enter the officers' training camp at Fort Niagara, N. Y. He was rejected because of poor eyes and required surgery of the eye before the Legislature adjourned.

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ENROLL WOMEN, IS LABOR PLEA

State Legislative Conference of Trade League Opens Session

MASS-MEETING TONIGHT

Program Covering Two Days Includes Addresses by Leaders in Organized Field

An urgent appeal to bring working women into the trade unions was made today and delegates to the State legislative conference of the Women's Trade Union League of Philadelphia, which opened a two-day session this morning at the headquarters, 248 South Eighth street.

Opening the meeting at 10:30 o'clock, Katherine V. Collins, president of the league, said:

"We have come together on a legislative program and agreed to work together to put into effect the laws you now to join with us in our fundamental work—to bring the great numbers of women workers into the ranks of organized labor. We are the most as much as you are. Help yourselves by helping your fellow workers. Let us do this together."

Delegates were welcomed by Edward Keenan, president of the Central Labor Union. The principal address was made by Louise Schneiderman, president of the New York Women's Trade Union League, on "New Occupations for Women." Miss Florence L. Sanville, secretary and treasurer, presided.

A permanent state legislative committee will be appointed at the afternoon session, which opens at 2:30 o'clock. Addresses will be given by James H. Maurer, chairman of the Pennsylvania Old Age Pension Commission, on "Old Age Pensions," and Dr. William D. Health, chairman of the Pennsylvania Health Insurance Commission, on "Health Insurance."

A mass-meeting on "Labor Standards for a New World" will be held at 8 o'clock tonight at 124 South Third street, at which Miss Pauline M. Newman will preside. The speakers will be Mr. Maurice, Miss Mary Anderson, assistant of the Pennsylvania Department of Labor, Joseph M. Fleish, organizer for the American Federation of Labor, and Miss Florence Stinson, industrial secretary, Y. W. C. A.

The program for tomorrow follows: 11 o'clock, "The Need for a Minimum Wage," Mrs. George W. Kelly, secretary of the National Consumers' League.

"The Eight-Hour Day," Miss Rosa Schneiderman.

Naval Chiefs Anxious About Danger Scattered Over Seas
Washington, Nov. 23.—Naval officers express concern over the menace to shipping in the hundreds of thousands of mines, many of them being pushed with all possible speed by the United States, British, French and Italian navies, but it will be the work of the minesweepers to clear the seas before merchant ships will be safe from destruction.

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WILL SUBLET DESHADER SQUARE, CONSISTING OF FIVE BEDROOMS, FOUR BATHS, 12 CUPBATHS, LIVING ROOM, GAS ACCOUNT OF LEAVING CITY. APPLY IN WRITING TO TENANT, 713 WALNUT STREET.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

Monday, Dec. 2, at 8:15
Symphony
HENRI RABAU
Conductor

Tickets now on sale at Hepp's, 1119 Chestnut

DEATHS
JONES—Nov. 22, Mrs. J. Jones, 1007 Spruce, 85 years old.

WILLIAMSON—Nov. 22, Mrs. Williamson, 1234 Locust, 78 years old.

SMITH—Nov. 22, Mrs. Smith, 567 Market, 82 years old.

JOHNSON—Nov. 22, Mrs. Johnson, 890 Pine, 75 years old.

BROWN—Nov. 22, Mrs. Brown, 1234 Locust, 80 years old.

DAVIS—Nov. 22, Mrs. Davis, 567 Market, 77 years old.

WILSON—Nov. 22, Mrs. Wilson, 890 Pine, 83 years old.

MOORE—Nov. 22, Mrs. Moore, 1234 Locust, 79 years old.

MARTIN—Nov. 22, Mrs. Martin, 567 Market, 81 years old.

THOMAS—Nov. 22, Mrs. Thomas, 890 Pine, 76 years old.

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