

### COUNCILS TO GET "ONE BODY" PLAN

Sowers Resolution Offers Chance for Action at Next Meeting

### REVISERS ENCOURAGED

Three Basic Charter Points Indorsed by Business and Labor Bodies

Councils will have an opportunity next week to take up the single body plan as advocated by the charter revision committee. The subject of councilmanic changes is embodied in a resolution introduced by Clinton A. Sowers, of the Twentieth Ward, before resigning from Common Council to take his seat in the Legislature.

The Sowers resolution includes fifty preliminary paragraphs, outlining the benefits to the city of the present system of two bodies of lawmakers. It includes an attachment of the citizens who are endeavoring to bring about a change and concludes with the statement that "selfish and political motives are back of the move for a single Council."

The resolution sets out in detail the author's ideas and includes a petition to the Governor and the State Lawmaking body to pay no favorable attention to the present agitation for a smaller Council and a single body.

It was introduced a month ago, before Senator Vare declared he might ultimately agree to a smaller body. Sowers is a follower of David H. Lane. As it stands the resolution needs but a majority to approve its contents before going to Mayor Smith for his approval.

**Three Basic Points Indorsed**  
Three of the basic points of the proposed charter revision have been indorsed by the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce.

The three points which were recommended by the municipal affairs committee are a small, single-chamber Council, separation of the city and county government and home rule on matters now regulated by legislative enactment.

Indorsements by citizens and organizations of the proposed charter revision continue to reach the headquarters in the Liberty Building. Some differ with the committee on certain proposals, but all favor a smaller Council.

Particularly encouraging to the committee are communications of approval from labor organizations.

**Letter From Professor Miller**  
The following letter was received from Prof. Leslie W. Miller, principal of the Pennsylvania Museum and School of Industrial Art:

"The existing system of copying and repeating in the management of municipal affairs the government machinery of the nation and the State—legislative, executive, judicial and all that—is certainly a mistake. It has had a fair trial and has continued for too long already, and whatever is to replace it, it should be abolished as completely as possible. By just what form of government the present one would be most profitably replaced is, of course, open to discussion.

"The new government, whatever a form, should certainly be simple and represent not district interests, but those of the city as a whole. Personally, I favor a commission, but it is possible that a small Council might be just as well if it could be chosen in such a way as to make the choice of men of ability to serve in it as free as it would be in the case of a commission. In either case, the number to be appointed or elected at any time should be very small, the 'short ballot' being, in my opinion, one of the very best reforms that has ever been proposed for our political system."

**Chamber of Commerce Candidates**  
These candidates have been named for the directorate of the Chamber of Commerce, to be voted on at the annual election next Thursday: E. J. Budd, Walter T. Eckhardt, Stanley G. Plagg, Jr., A. B. Johnson, James Collins Jones, A. C. McGowan, Albert E. McKinley, Joseph N. Pew, Horace T. Potts, Franklin Smokey, William L. Turner, Daniel Whitney and Montgomery H. Wright.

### PERMIT WOMEN INTERNES AT UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL

Departure in Coeducational Medical Training May Be Adopted by Other Institutions Where Men Only Have Heretofore Been Permitted to Serve

For the first time in the history of the University of Pennsylvania women physicians will be accepted as internes in the University Hospital. The only restrictions are that there shall be but two women physician internes at one time and that both shall be medical graduates of the University of Pennsylvania.

The first women physicians will enter the hospital early in July, soon after graduation. The innovation marks a departure in coeducational training, and is expected to be adopted by other hospitals. Heretofore internes at all the hospitals with the exception of the Woman's Hospital, the Women's Medical College Hospital and at the Philadelphia General Hospital have been men. At the latter institution one woman graduate of the Penn medical school was recently made interne.

The medical school of the University was opened to coeds about four years ago. In 1917 one coed graduated and in 1918 there were two women graduates, one becoming interne at the Woman's Hospital the other at the Blockley institution. At present there are ten coeds in the medical school, a few in each class.

In speaking of the admittance of women to the University Hospital, Thomas Robins, chairman of the managers, said that it is an indication of the trend of the times. "Women being educated in all fields of endeavor have increased vastly in number," said Mr. Robins. "And medical education of women has jumped leaps and bounds. We have felt that the University having admitted women to classes and also allowed them to obtain medical degrees should open the doors of its hospital to the women graduates."

"We'll be glad to have women internes at Jefferson Hospital," said William Potter, president of the institution. Women are magnificent physicians."

**RUDE RULES JAR JOLLY TAR**  
Smoke Banned on Car, No Drink at Bar, Hugh's Visit Mar

Hugh O'Donnell, a sailor who hails from New York, didn't understand or appreciate certain customs regarding the use of a public house. Result—Hugh O'Donnell came up for hearing this morning before Magistrate Wright, of the Germantown avenue and Locoyne street station, and was turned over to the authorities of the Fourth Naval District.

Salorman O'Donnell insisted on smoking on a southbound trolley on Germantown avenue, and it took the bodily exertion of the conductor and motorman of that trolley to dissuade him.

Balked in his smoking desire, O'Donnell entered a saloon in Germantown avenue above Thoga street and demanded a drink. Customs in New York notwithstanding, Philadelphia has a certain prejudice against serving alcoholic beverages to men in uniform. Salorman O'Donnell again was thwarted in his attempt to regale himself.

Thereupon, the police say, he used experience gained in target shooting somewhere on the broad Atlantic and demolished the bottles and glasses displayed in that particular bar. The bartender called a policeman and O'Donnell was given a chance to investigate prison conditions of this city at first hand.

**Saved \$3,500,000 to U. S. Army**  
Tons, France, Jan. 10.—The American expeditionary salvage department has saved during the last six months more than \$3,500,000 worth of war material and remodeled the bottles and glasses displayed in that particular bar. The bartender called a policeman and O'Donnell was given a chance to investigate prison conditions of this city at first hand.

**WAR FOSTERED LOYALTY**  
Foreign-Born Better Americans Than Ever, Says Soldier

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In his opinion the naturalized citizen-soldier in Uncle Sam's service is a better loyal American today for the baptism of fire he received in doing his bit.

Mr. Lowe, who is of Russian birth, disposed of his paper jobbing business at 148 North Third street last July to enlist. He is now mustered out of the service and is preparing to resume his business career.

### 316TH INFANTRY GIVEN CITATION

Mentioned in Orders by General Kuhn for Meuse Fighting

FAME IS IMPERISHABLE

Regiment Made Up Mostly of Keystone Men, Including 1500 From This City

For its wonderful fighting east of the Meuse on November 4, 5 and 6, the 316th Infantry Regiment, composed mostly of Philadelphians, has been cited by Major General Joseph E. Kuhn, commander of the Liberty Division.

November 6, after three days' terrific fighting, the 316th captured Borne de Cornouiller and earned imperishable fame. The regiment was one of the crack units at Camp Meade, and when it sailed for France early in July had more than 1500 Philadelphians in its ranks.

The citation was sent to Colonel Garrison McCaskey, present commander of the regiment, with the endorsement of Brigadier General Ivan M. Johnson, commanding the 158th Brigade, of which the 316th is a part. The 316th advanced in the face of stubborn enemy resistance, and after three days of fierce fighting drove the Germans back. Their victory contributed materially in driving the foe from the heights east of the Meuse a few days later.

"In the final offensive on the heights east of the Meuse and north of Verdun the task of breaking the enemy's resistance at the Borne de Cornouiller (Hill 278) developed upon the 316th Regiment bravely defended by the enemy, this tactically strong point presented an obstacle of the most serious character. In spite of all difficulties, the regiment succeeded after three days of fighting, on November 4 to 6, in capturing and finally holding the Borne de Cornouiller. In breaking the enemy's resistance and contributing materially to driving the enemy from the heights east of the Meuse a few days later.

Numerous authenticated instances of gallantry, tenacity and endurance have come to the commanding general's notice, proving beyond question that the regiment acquitted itself with the greatest credit and in a manner worthy of the best American traditions.

The commanding general takes great pride in the achievements of the regiment and directs that you bring this letter to the attention of your command."

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### URQUHART RED CROSS UNIT TO CLOSE ITS WORKROOMS

Auxiliary Will Continue Its Canteen Work, and Through Monthly Gatherings and Peace-Time Effort Keep in Form for Any Emergency

Urquhart Auxiliary, No. 3, one of the best known and largest auxiliaries of the Southeastern Pennsylvania Chapter of the Red Cross, will formally close its workrooms in Red Cross Hall, in the Wanamaker store, next Wednesday afternoon.

The organization, however, will continue on a peacetime status, ready and subject to any call the country, State or city may make. The canteen work will continue and the information desk will be maintained in Red Cross Hall throughout this month. Monthly luncheons and peacetime work will keep the auxiliary in form for emergencies of any kind.

The Urquhart Auxiliary, formerly the Pennsylvania Women's Division for National Preparedness under Mrs. George W. Childs Drexel, was one of the first organizations at the beginning of the war to affiliate with Red Cross. It entered under the name of its founder and chairman, Mrs. George W. Urquhart. Red Cross Hall, formerly University Hall, in the Wanamaker Building, was dedicated October 15, 1917, to the service of the volunteer women of Philadelphia working with the auxiliary. A bronze tablet, which is to be placed in the room in memory of the Red Cross workers there, will be unveiled next month with special exercises.

**Beehive of Industry**  
From the first day of its existence the hall has been a beehive of industry, a center of increasing output and membership. Beginning with 600 workers, the organization now boasts 16,000. From its doors have been shipped a half million surgical dressings, surgical garments, knitted articles, kits, Christmas boxes and comforts of every description to all parts of the world.

Money has been freely given on every November 4 to 6, in capturing and finally holding the Borne de Cornouiller. In breaking the enemy's resistance and contributing materially to driving the enemy from the heights east of the Meuse a few days later.

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