

VARE OPENS FIGHT ON NEW CHARTER

Announces He Will Oppose Woodward Bill for Revision

SAYS CITY WOULD LOSE Challenges Legislators on Cost if Municipality Would Do Its Own Work

Senator Vare has begun his fight in the state Legislature against the Philadelphia charter bills. He has served notice that he will oppose the measures prepared by the charter revisionists.

Senator Vare is of the opinion that if the section of the Woodward bill, providing for the city to clean its streets and collect the ashes of Philadelphia, could be passed, that the expenditures for the work each year would be quadrupled.

Senator Vare also declared that the proposed legislation to revise Philadelphia's fiscal system would result in an increase in the tax rate. He then announced that Joseph P. Gaffney, chairman of Councils Finance Committee, and City Solicitor John P. Connors would prepare a bill to modernize the financial system of the city.

Senator Vare made public here a statement denying that he is pledged to support the Woodward bill, providing for a new charter for Philadelphia. Senator Vare's name appeared in published reports among those who were supposed to be pledged to support the Woodward measures.

Senator McNichol Noncommittal "I am not committed to the Woodward bill," Senator McNichol said. "Two bills have been presented by Senator Woodward and two measures have been introduced by Representative Scott. I intend carefully to study all of them and see which I think would be for the best interests of Philadelphia."

Senator Vare made public here a statement in answer to the charges made by the Philadelphia Charter Committee to the effect that political influence had gained for him a preponderance of street cleaning contracts. His answer set forth:

Church Without Pastor The Rev. R. A. Garrison Leaves Broomal Presbyterian Charge

Italy Honors Philadelphians Three Philadelphians serving with Ambulance Section 525 on the Italian front have been awarded the Italian War Cross for extraordinary heroism in action during the big Pavia offensive.

NEW IDAHO TO NAVY YARD Crew of 1400 Aboard Battleship Almost Ready for Duty

World's Fair 1893 The first vertical file—Vertical filing was originated by Library Bureau 27 years ago.

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Would Abolish Courts-Martial Dr. Earl Raiguel, well-known lecturer, in speaking of the Amnell-Rowder-Baker controversy before about 200 members of the Philomusian Club, at 2944 Walnut street, last night said that, in his opinion, courts-martial in the army should be absolutely abolished.

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MISS JESSIE H. BANCROFT

DISCUSS COMMUNITY KITCHEN Philomusian Club to Hear of How Plan Worked Elsewhere

The advisability of starting a community kitchen in West Philadelphia will be considered by members of the Philomusian Club at a meeting at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Mrs. James P. Liechtenberger, chairman of the food conservation committee, will be in charge.

SEEKS CHECK OWNERS Home Service Section Has List of Payees of War Risk Insurance

The Home Service Section of the American Red Cross has in its possession the list of a number of allotment checks from the Bureau of War Risk Insurance whose owners cannot be traced. The following are some of them:

- Amos, Mary, 1040 Dunham street, Trooper, Pa.
Blackmon, Andrew J., 802 Main street, Darby, Delaware County, Pa.
Bender, Maria, 1327 South street, Philadelphia, Pa.
Beiz, Marie, 2439 North Lawrence street, Bensalem, Pa.
Bigun, Josephine, 1208 Morian street, Haverford, Pa.
Bishop, Mrs. J. M., 1218 Kite street, Philadelphia, Pa.
Birk, Florence, 1948 East Passawunk avenue, Philadelphia, Pa.
Burkett, Louise Parmies, E. D. No. 1, Philadelphia, Pa.
Buse, Mary Graham, 124 North Sixty-second street, Philadelphia, Pa.
Sahell, Anna Boyer, 229 Federal street, Camden, N. J.
Camphel, Mrs. Elizabeth, 3229 North Front street, Philadelphia, Pa.
Cannell, Mrs. J. M., 1332 E. North Front street, Philadelphia, Pa.
Carr, Barbara, 521 North Hope street, Philadelphia, Pa.
Cortinas, Maria A., 5601 10th street, Greenwood, Pa.
D'Almeida, Virginia, 424 Edgewater street, Philadelphia, Pa.
Dugan, Aulida, 6337 Locust street, St. Louis, Mo.
Brewer, Ross, 2905 East Burn avenue, Philadelphia, Pa.

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Superintendent Given Names of Men Accused by Physician and Wife

WOMAN ALLEGES INSULT Director Promises Thorough Probe Regardless of Whom It Affects

Superintendent of Police Robinson has ordered five patrolmen to appear before the Police Trial Board, March 29, on charges preferred by Dr. and Mrs. Jacob Walker, of 712 Pine street.

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SNOW FLURRY GREET'S BLIZZARD "BIRTHDAY"

On This Date 31 Years Ago City Experienced Worst Storm in History

A slight snow flurry today welcomed the thirty-first anniversary of Philadelphia's worst storm—the "big blizzard" of March 11, 1888, when ten inches of snow fell and a sixty-mile an hour gale piled up monumental drifts that virtually isolated this city.

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