

# WOMEN PLUNGE INTO LOAN WORK

Every Force Centered on Staging Citywide Demonstrations

## NIGHT TURNED INTO DAY

Events, held in advance till the formal unveiling of the Victory statue on Broad street near Penn square last night, will begin with flourish today in each of the ten districts under the supervision of the Women's Liberty Loan committee. Never have there been planned so many Liberty sings, mass meetings, drills, spectacular airplane flights, concerts and other patriotic gatherings. And aside from all the spectacular demonstrations to attract those who must be appealed to in such manner, 16,000 women are individually bringing in subscriptions. The first official reports from the women's committees will be made today at the noon executive meeting of chairmen in the Lincoln building.

Workers were enthusiastic over yesterday's returns, even though workers had only a few hours for actual soliciting. The booths were popular, and those in charge are prepared for a big day today. The statue booth is expected to have especially good results. Mrs. Norman McLeod and the Emergency Aid aides will be in charge. David Bispham, celebrated baritone, will sing and speak at the Philadelphia orchestra booth in front of the Union League. Noon meetings will be held in several districts. An attractive program has been arranged for the noon rally at the Victory statue at Broad and Wharton streets, under the direction of the South Philadelphia committee, of which Mrs. Walter J. Freeman is chairman.

**Airplanes Drop Appeals**  
In the northeast district today there will be flying machines distributing Victory Loan literature over Fox Chase and Lawndale.

The nights, too, are filled with gala affairs in the interest of the loan. The West Philadelphia women, under the direction of Mrs. B. F. Richardson, are responsible for the searchlight defense demonstration which will be given in Strawbridge & Clothier athletic field.

Sixty-third and Walnut streets, at 8 o'clock tonight. A detachment of the marines will give the exhibition, setting up gigantic "eyes" like those that spotted the Germans over Paris and London during the war.

### To Unveil Victory Statue

Germentown's Victory statue in Vernon Park will be unveiled at 8:30 o'clock tonight. Mrs. W. B. Gurley, chairman of the women's committee in that district, will unveil the statue and there will be addresses by Colonel Sheldon Potter, Major Robert Denig and Thomas McCarthy of New York.

Under the general auspices of the north rural district committee, Mrs. C. S. Warris, chairman, Logan will also unveil its statue tonight. Miss Elizabeth Fisher Wurts and Tracy Gibbs, little daughters of loan campaign leaders, will draw the covering from the statue.

North Philadelphia will have a Victory Loan dance on Broad street, between Diamond and Susquehanna avenues, tonight. There will also be a band concert and Liberty sing. Arrangements are under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney H. Weller.

Kennington women's committee, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Beulah Kennington, has planned an open air rally tonight in Hancock Park. The Liberty Loan movie, "The Power of Peace," will be shown at 8:30 o'clock.

A mass meeting will be held at the Presbyterian church in Frankford, at which Major Denig and Mr. George Houseman will speak. Band concerts and rallies will be held at the Frankford Victory statue and at Fox Chase and Lawndale.

The big event of the week in the women's program will be the parade of women war workers tomorrow afternoon. It will start at Broad and Spruce streets at 2 p. m. and will march north on Broad to City Hall, east on Market to Twelfth, and south on Twelfth to Chestnut, on Chestnut to Fifth, on Fifth to Walnut, on Walnut to Sixth, where the marchers will enter Independence Square to attend a great open-air mass-meeting. The procession will include a battalion of marines, two armored cars, four tanks, members of the Naval Reserve, Red Cross, Department of Women's Division for War Relief, Emergency Aid, United Auxiliary of Red Cross, National League for Women's Service, Salvation Army, Allied Legion of War Workers, Junior Service Corps, Y. W. C. A. and the Motor Transport Corps.

**Germany Lost 400,000 by Grip**  
Cologne, April 22.—According to estimates made in an article published in the German Medical Journal of recent date, 400,000 deaths were caused by Spanish influenza in Germany in the last eighteen months.

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A wireless telephone apparatus is also being installed. The other end of the phone will be in the Second Regiment Armory at Broad street and Susquehanna avenue, where a smaller exhibition will be given daily.

Every available window in the tall buildings held clusters of eager faces. The roofs were alive with people. Lantern poles were black with boys like trees full of sparrows. The wind whistled over the canopies of flags, fluttering softly in the spring-night breeze, more than 3000 men and women in the picturesque costumes of their native countries which liberally span the earth, moved slowly from Broad and Locust streets, where a captured huge German battleship had been erected on a large base, to the foot of the Victory statue. A rattle of applause, a babel of cheers greeted them on their hunting-lined way.

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**Trip by Airplanes**  
On Friday six airplanes will travel to Basileon from Mineola, N. Y., and the planes will go on a "sternstorming" trip throughout Pennsylvania. They will give demonstrations over the city proper between 11 and 12 o'clock and between 4 and 5 o'clock on Saturday.

The curtain on the last of the great war loan drives—the Victory Loan—was raised last night when twenty-two nationalities, blended into America before the Statue of Victory, amid scenes the like of which have never been equaled before in this city for color, splendor and enthusiasm.

Today the workers are everywhere selling bonds, the bonds of Victory, and every indication points to Philadelphia going "over the top" with flying colors long before the drive closes on May 10.

The women's Victory Loan committee, however, took the lead in the drive and began to "shake down" their prospects yesterday. Unofficial figures place the results at more than \$5,000,000.

**Women Plan Parade**  
Probably 300,000 persons formed the surging, shouting mass which lined Broad street as far as eye could see when the veil was dropped from the Statue of Victory last night. More than 100 calcium lights and scores of searchlights played on the statue and the riot of color of the native costumes worn by the marchers in the demonstration. Bands played, chiming toiled, whistles blew, and thousands of voices shouted forth their sentiments as the drive was inaugurated officially.

So packed were the streets that moving was almost impossible. On the sidewalks between Chestnut street and the statue one could hardly breathe. Scores of women fainted and were carried to the south archway in the courtyard of the City Hall, which was transformed into an emergency hospital. Chairs were rushed from police headquarters. Police matrons gave first aid.

**Tremendous Crowds**  
A dozen or more ambulances were stationed along the square, and every once in a while the alarming clang of the bells between Chestnut and the cheering. Panic then would almost seize the crowds, which would sway like wind-tossed water.

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**Twenty-two Nations Represented**  
Twenty-two nations were represented. The moujik from eastern Siberia rubbed elbows with the Japanese farmer; Belgian peasants followed Armenians and dark-eyed southern Italian girls; Chinamen in embroidered robes straggled in contrast with Scotch Highlanders; Frenchmen walked with Ukrainians, Letts and Serbs; Czech-Slovaks, Poles and Rumanians marched to the music of a negro banjo band.

Each group sang its national anthem in the native language and carried its own flag. An exception was made by the Serbians, who refused to march under the Turkish banner, to which they still bear nominal allegiance. Instead they carried the white and blue "inter-Allied" flag. Every one in line had a small American flag concealed. These were waved when the statue was unveiled.

Preceding the national sections was an escort of 200 mounted police, followed by the navy band. Then came 250 marines. The costumed part of the regiment was opened by 200 Girl Scouts in the flowing white robes of Goddesses of Liberty. Representatives of the Salvation Army, the Y. M. C. A., the Knights of Columbus, the Jewish Welfare Board, Boy Scouts and Emergency Aid Aides formed the last section of the procession. The rear was brought up by camouflaged army tanks.

The statue was unveiled jointly by Mrs. Walter S. Thomson, chairman of the women's Victory Loan committee, and ten-year-old Laura Wayne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wayne, Jr., of 5530 Bynoe avenue.

As the drapery fell, the statue, marble-white under the searchlights and calcium glare, stood out sharply against the splendor of the City Hall front. All the 500 instruments of the sixteen bands massed in back of the base gave forth a blast. Then, amid deafening cheers of the bare-headed throng, the monster orchestra struck up the "Star Spangled Banner."

**Passmore Opens Drive**  
Following the unveiling, E. Passmore, governor of the Third Federal Reserve Bank, made an address officially launching the drive.

The first subscription to go through the Victory Liberty Loan Clearing House was one for \$15,000, which was obtained by Charles H. Turner, a Boy Scout, 332 East Tulpehocken street. The subscriber was George I. Bodine, chairman of the Boy Scouts' committee, and the subscription entered a part of the amount to be invested by Bodine Sons & Co., bankers.

Ardmore's quota of \$250,000 was reached on the run. Big individual subscriptions were Merion Trust and Trust Company, \$50,000; Ardmore National Bank, \$20,000; and Auto Car Company, \$100,000. Bryn Mawr was also running strong, and virtually filled its quota at a rally held last night at the Bryn Mawr firehouse.

## GERMANTOWN VIEWS STATUE TONIGHT

Germentown will formally inaugurate its campaign to raise its \$6,000,000 share of the Victory Loan with the unveiling tonight of the Victory statue in Vernon Park.

The workers began to sell the Victory notes yesterday, however, and there is keen rivalry between the men's and women's committees as to which will carry off the honors in the matter of subscriptions. In the previous loan

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campaigns this section of the city has gone "over the top" with flying colors. At the unveiling tonight, Colonel Sheldon Potter will be the master of ceremonies. The speakers will be Major Robert Denig, U. S. M. C., and the Hon. Thomas D. McCarthy, of New York. There will also be community singing led by John S. Hart, a marine and signal corps drill. The ceremonies start at 7:30 o'clock. All service men are requested to report at the statue before the ceremonies.

Germentown is planning a large parade for May 3, in which great representation from the military, fraternal, religious and other organizations will participate.

A camouflaged whippet tank arrived in Germentown yesterday and attracted much attention at Germentown and Chelton avenues. The tank will visit the block which establishes the best record in note sales.

## UNION LEAGUE ACTIVE

149 Members Subscribe \$179,000 on First Day of Drive  
With \$179,000 from 149 subscribers on the first day of the Victory loan, the Union League has started out to beat its record of the fourth loan.

The \$179,000 taken in yesterday is nearly double the amount received on the first day of the last loan and represents subscriptions from one-third more

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The best JOB for you in life is described by Holmes W. Merton, expert Vocational Counselor, in this vital new book. Soldiers and sailors coming back to civil life, men and women ambitious to succeed in business, young people just starting their careers, all need this book. If you are "a square peg in a round hole," this book will help you find yourself. It explains dozens of things, as:

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members than signed up on the first day in the fourth loan.

There is a rivalry among the clubs of this city to see which can get the largest amount. During the fourth loan the Union League raised \$9,901,200, the largest amount raised by any club in the United States.

Charles A. Potter, Jr. is chairman of the clubs committee in this city and J. Cope Morton is chairman of the Union League committee. David L. Anderson is the "man behind the gun" who takes in the subscriptions.

**2,240,000 Cigarettes Stolen**  
El Paso, Tex., April 22.—(By A. P.)—Charged with stealing enough cigarettes to supply a smoke for every man of the American expeditionary force at the time the armistice was signed, C. H. Gollner, W. W. Anderson, George Grenslitt and S. L. Donahue were placed on trial in Federal Court yesterday. The defendants are charged with robbing a shipment of cigarettes en route from Reidsville, N. C., to San Francisco and to have taken a total of 2,240,000 cigarettes, valued at \$30,400.

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