

SALE OF BAD FOOD IN CITY IS CHECKED

Holders Forced to Dispose of Stocks as Cattle Fodder. Sugar Leads to Arrest

BURLAP DEALER SEIZED

Robert M. Simmers, of the state food and dairy inspection force, has frustrated alleged attempts during the last few days to foist upon the public food unfit for human consumption.

At the same time, steps are being taken to make impossible the use by bakers of rotten and tainted eggs. With this in view, the department had a law passed which is expected to effectually check this evil that has been more or less prevalent in the past.

War and the Local Bureaus: What is the Next Step? This is the subject for discussion at the luncheon Thursday. The speaker will be Miss Helen Bennett, of the Chicago Bureau of Occupations for Trained Women.

Recently persons in possession of the spoiled corn flour expressed their intention to sell it in the markets. Mr. Simmers went to the place, took samples and refused the men permission to sell it when it was discovered upon analysis that it was unfit for consumption.

Some time ago a fire on the piers of one of the sugar refineries damaged a quantity of sugar. Mr. Simmers said in relating another case, and this was auctioned off to those who were able to have it refined. Bags in which it was contained, were also sold at the auction.

A short time afterward the state food agents noticed an advertisement offering sugar for sale. The advertisement was inserted by a merchant whose place was near that of the burlap dealer. Investigation proved, Mr. Simmers said, it was the sugar that had been sold at the rate of one cent a pound by the original purchaser of the burlaps.

The law recently enacted which is expected to preclude the possibility of the use of rotten and spotted eggs by bakers, makes it an offense punishable by a minimum fine of \$200 for the baker to keep bad eggs in his possession.

McCALL HITS BOLSHIEVISM Philadelphia Electr. Company Head Tells Employees to Scorn It "If all of us will be 100 per cent Americans we need have no fear of bolshevism, I. W. W.'s or anybody else."

TRAINED WOMEN CONVENE IN CITY

'National Situation' to Be Topic at Opening of Spring Conference Here Tonight

Women delegates from various sections of the country have arrived in this city to take part in the spring conference of the national committee of the Bureau of Occupations for Trained Women, which is being held at the College Club, 1300 Spruce street, today and tomorrow.

The first open meeting will be held tonight for the discussion of the "National Situation" in the field of labor for women. Mrs. Margaret Neale, director of the United States Employment Service in Washington, and Miss Elizabeth Kemper Adams, head of the professional section of the United States Employment Service, will be the chief speakers.

Operative builders and civic organizations have protested against this expressed purpose. The builders say the defeat of the loan would further complicate the housing situation here.

Capital Sees No Import Doesn't Believe Wilson Speech Declaration He Will Not Run Washington, May 28.—Efforts in some quarters to read into President Wilson's speech in Paris Monday night a definite intimation he would not be a candidate for a third term in the White House were discounted in responsible circles of the capital yesterday.

Official Washington is inclined to write his utterance down as merely a pleasant after-dinner sentence. It is not to be taken as a pledge of withdrawal from the arena of public life.

HALLAHAN'S GOOD SHOES. WHITE. Come Tomorrow—All Hallahan Stores Closed Memorial Day. For Women At 3.85. For Men and Boys At 4.85, 5.85. For Children At 3.75 & 4.50. 919-921 Market St.

MORE IMPROVEMENTS PLANNED UNDER LOAN

Penrose Men Seek to Amend \$14,750,000 Bill to Complete Extensions Within Year

INDEPENDENTS TO MEET

Amendments to the \$14,750,000 loan bill are planned by Penrose followers in City Councils so that money will be available for street improvements, new sewers and water main extensions to be completed within the next twelve months.

A group of independent councilmen has threatened the loan bill with defeat on the ground that it would cripple the borrowing capacity of the next administration.

Child Sells \$6600 in Bonds To fourteen-year-old Miss Marion R. Hoffman, of Quakertown, a girl scout, goes the honor of selling more Victory Loan bonds than any other Bucks county child.

Child, Three, Kills Self Mistook Revolver for Toy—Mother Carries Girl to Hospital A revolver which she mistook for a toy was accidentally discharged, killing three-year-old Sylvia Harrison at her home, 1300 South Nineteenth street. The child found the weapon while searching through a bureau drawer last night.

BEECHWOOD YEAR IS ENDED

Annual Reception Follows Awarding of Diplomas at College

The annual reception to the members of the senior class of Beechwood College, Jenkintown, was held last night, with which event the commencement exercises of the school were concluded. Diplomas were awarded to the graduating students in the morning, the presentations being made by Dr. M. H. Reaser, head of the institution.

Child Sells \$6600 in Bonds (Continued) ... Mrs. J. Howard Olin, chairman of the Victory Loan campaign in upper Bucks county, awarded Miss Hoffman a beautiful gold bar pin.

New Blouse of Superb Organdie. \$5 Value Special at \$2.90. Also new Georgettes and Crepe de Chine. CARLTON WAIST SHOP. 1502 CHESTNUT ST.

Hirsch's. 923 MARKET STREET. Store, Closed Decoration Day. SPECIAL SALES. Bordered Georgette Dresses \$18.75. Large Straw Trimmed Sailors \$1.00. \$7.50 & \$8.75 Georgette Silk Waists \$4.98. BARGAIN BASEMENT. Beaded Georgette Dresses \$14.98. Girls' \$2.50 Lingerie Dresses \$1.85. Children's 75c Rompers 49c. Girls' Gingham Dresses \$1.00.

Y. W. C. A. ELECTION DRAGS

With 725 Ballots Cast, Voting is Expected to Last Until Next Week

Slow progress is being made in the voting in the election for board of managers, now being held under court surveillance at the Y. W. C. A., Eighteenth and Arch streets, this morning. Announcement was made that approximately 725 ballots had been cast since the polls were opened six days ago. It was estimated by officials in charge that it would take until the middle of next week to determine results.

While watching the innumerable objections raised by the administration leaders, a member of the insurgent forces said: "This gives an excellent example of what politics would be with women voting. If they put up this much of a fight about a board of managers, what would they do in an election for the Mayor?"

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A wonderful collection ready for the Holiday—something for every woman. Among the foremost are the lovely voiles, including a—

Delightful Collection of Voile Frocks at \$9.50. Light shades, dotted and showing a hair-line stripe, and dark and light shades in figured and plain effects. Some with tunic, some with deep tucks, others with the plain, straight, softly fluted skirts, many with dainty white Swiss collar and cuffs.



Many Cool Silk Frocks. Taffeta, crepe Georgette, crepe de chine, taffeta-and-crepe Georgette combined, in styles for street wear and informal dress occasions.

EVERYBODY will be out-of-doors on Memorial Day. Everybody will need something new, which must be bought TO-MORROW—the Store will be closed all day Friday.

EVERY WOMAN SEEMS TO WANT THESE CHARMING PRINTED SILKS

So we have gathered them from practically every available source, so that the variety would be plentiful and diversified, permitting the free exercise of individual preference.

A CERTAIN HOMEWORKER WORE GAY APRONS. "Because," she said, "I want to brighten work as much as possible."

'NO ADMITTANCE' TO MOSQUITOES AND FLIES SAY THESE. Mosquito Netting. In white, drab and black, 67 inches wide—\$1.90 a piece of 8 yards.

We Have More Blue Serge Suits With Two Pairs of Trousers to Sell at \$34.50. Nowadays men want more than blue sky for their money. They want to know where their money will secure greatest value—and they reserve decision until after shopping around has shown where that value can be obtained.

The Car Rider Pays—Boston—8c Pittsburg—7c St. Louis—6c Philadelphia—5c. WITH A RELAY BICYCLE YOU CARE NOT WHAT THE FARE MAY BE—AND YOU GET TO WORK ON TIME.

THE CORSET OF SERVICE The Nemo. It gives health service. It gives wear service. It gives comfort service. It gives style service. Self-Reducing—\$3.50 to \$7.00. Nemo Wonderlift, \$6 to \$13.50.

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