POST IS BIG FACTOR IN LEGION GROWTH

County Committee's Activity to Be Undertaken in Interest of Local Bodies

PLAN LEGAL AID BUREAU

The post is the important factor in the development of the American Legion. This is the slogan of the Philadelphia county committee. Whatever is undertaken in this city will be primarily in the interest of the seventy-eight posts in the county.

There has been some apprehension on the part of some individual members of posts as to the function of the county organization. The county officials feel that, as the committee is composed of representatives of the various posts, it can properly act in the best interest of the posts. And it is its intention so to do. Just as the state and national organizations are servants of the Legion posts, so the county committee will seek only to serve them.

It is proposed to establish shortly a legal aid committee. This committee should be of real assistance to the posts of the city. Each post will have a legal aid officer, and the committee will co-operate with these post officers. It will enlarge the scope and influence of Legion work in this important field in Philadelphia. Such a committee can co-ordinate the efforts of the posts in this direction. Its personnel will be selected carefully, so that it will become an effective Legion agency.

Its work will be correlated with a similar state committee, and naturally concern itself only with local matters.

Pittsburgh has formed a county committee similar to the one which is now permanently organized in Philadelphia. In the "Smoky City" meetings are held every two weeks, instead of once a month, as is the case in Philadelphia.

Permanent headquarters have been offered to Post 315 by Colonel Millard D. Brown, of the First Infantry, N. G. P. These headquarters, according to Post Commander David B. Simpson, will be located on the third floor of the First Regiment Armory, Broad and Callowhill streets.

The Legion members will have all the privileges of a man in the active command of the regiment. The regimental swimming pool, for example, will be open to the legionaries of this post. It will be necessary only that the post furnish the furniture and equipment for the rooms it will occupy in the armory.

Most of the membership of Post 315 comes from the 109th Regiment. There are now 600 members in the post, making it one of the city's leaders.

Plans have been completed for the victory dance to be given by Post 95 at the Second Regiment Armory on Wednesday, February 11. The post is endeavoring to raise $5000 for the purpose of erecting a suitable memorial to the two men in whose memory the post was named. Herman H. Berlin is the dance finance officer.

Franklin D'Olier, national commander of the American Legion, who is passing the holidays with his family at Riverton, N. J., will address the Pennsylvania State Bankers' Association at the Bellevue-Stratford next Tuesday night.

The Cop on the Corner

"WELL, Mike," says Maggie as she riscues th' cat fr'm little Terrence, "ye are now prop'rly indix'd 'n' catalogg'd 'n' y'r innermos' sicrits in possession o' th' government."

"Has th' Gum Shoe Squad been here?" asks I, a bit scary.

"Worse thin that," says she, "we've been visit'd be th' census enumera-toor. Things I've been concealin' fr'm th' neighbors f'r years is now writ in black 'n' white be this Human Question Mark fr'm th' Postoffice buildin'."

"Ye talk'd too much, as usual, Maggie," says I. "No need t' leak fam'ly sicrits."

"Shure I had t' answer th' man's quizzin'," says Maggie, "there's fine 'n' imprisonmint f'r refusin'. Among ither things th' governmint has th' numb'r o' y'r watch 'n' revolv'r, fire, life 'n' accidint insurince, y'r bust measure, weight, height 'n' age 'n' condi-shun o' servitude. Also it knows whin Terrence had his first tooth 'n' his fav'rite colic rimidy 'n' whith'r his vaccanishun took."

"I'm a law abidin' cit-zen, Maggie, mind ye," says I, "but I'm agin this snoopin' 'n' pryin' into a man's private life. Of what benifit is it t' th' governmint t' know I have mix'd gray hair, ingrowin' fingernails 'n' a fondniss f'r scrapple?"

"Th' law privints th' enumera-toors, under pinalty, f'm disclosin' eny sicrit or private informa-shun they may git in th' course o' their travils," says Maggie.

"I hope 'tis true," says I, "because if th' gang in th' station house iver learn'd me middle name is Aloysius Xavier I might as well move out o' th' district."

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225.00	Hudson Seal Coats. Smart sport model with large rolling shawl collar and cuffs.	150.00
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22.50	Australian Seal Scarfs	14.50
29.50	Taupe Coney Scarfs	14.50
25.00	Taupe Fox Scarfs	16.50
25.00	Brown Fox Scarfs	16.50
25.00	Black Fox Scarfs	16.50
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35.00	Taupe Wolf Scarfs	23.50
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37.50	Black Lynx Scarfs	24.50
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52.50	Brown Fox Scarfs	33.50
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79.50	Hudson Seal	49.50
79.50	Mole	49.50
85.00	Russian Kolinsky	49.50
98.50	Natural Nutria	64.50
98.50	Natural Nutria	69.50
110.00	Jap Mink	69.50
115.00	Skunk	74.50
125.00	Jap Kolinsky	79.50

Coatees

Regularly		Now
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98.50	Australian Seal	59.50
135.00	Australian Seal	89.50
145.00	Hudson Seal	98.50
145.00	Jap Mink	98.50
175.00	Mole	110.00
195.00	Nutria	125.00
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