WOOD LEADS VOTE IN CAMDEN COUNTY

Army Man Polls 5893, While Johnson Gets 1992—Gloucester Ballot Light

STOKES HEADS DELEGATES

General Wood carried Camden county in the New Jersey primary vote for presidential preference by a large plurality. The vote was: Wood, 5893, and Johnson, 1992.

The vote for delegates-at-large, four of whom were elected, was: Stokes, 6185; Raymond, 5161; Freylinghuysen, 5467; Edge, 3502; Griggs, 3302, and Runyon, 3686.

The vote in the city of Camden was: Stokes, 4058; Raymond, 3334; Freylinghuysen, 3667; Edge, 1977; Griggs, 2255, and Runyon, 2050.

Judge Rudolph Ayres and Edward Kelleher carried the election in Camden county for district delegates to the national Democratic convention. Ayres received 1708 votes and Kelleher 1712.

Joseph Nowrey, pledged for ex-Governor Cox as President, received 429 votes.

Only twenty-three districts out of a total of forty-one in Gloucester county had made their presidential primary returns to the county clerk's office at Woodbury up until 9 o'clock this morning. The vote will not be officially counted until this afternoon.

In those districts where there is any certainty about the vote, it seems sure that General Wood leads Hiram Johnson by a substantial majority. Governor Edwards has a big majority on the Democratic ticket thus far. There have been but a few scattering votes for Hoover on either the Republican or Democratic tickets. Everywhere the vote was light, a total of only 1300 votes out of about 25,000 voters having been cast in the county.

In Gloucester City General Wood received 277 votes, Johnson, 122; Edwards, sixty-nine; Hoover, four, and former Secretary McAdoo and President Wilson three each.

Former Governor Stokes received the highest vote for delegate-at-large, 304; Senator Edge, 224; Senator Freylinghuysen, 255, and Thomas L. Raymond, 247.

HOOVER BOOMERS ACTIVE

Oppose Use of Roosevelt's Name in Johnson's Campaign

New York, April 28.—Hoover supporters in the East are taking an open part in the fight which will culminate in the California primaries next Tuesday.

Oscar S. Straus, a member of the Hoover committee of Greater New York, telegraphed to the San Francisco Chronicle, a Johnson supporter, protesting against the use of the name of Theodore Roosevelt in exploiting Senator Johnson's stand on the League of Nations.

The Hoover National Republican Club issued a statement yesterday in which was said:

"The friends of Herbert Hoover refrained from participating in any of the primary contests which were decided today in accordance with Mr. Hoover's expressed wish. The only primary contests yet to take place in which avowed Hoover delegates are candidates are those in California and Oregon, and the reports reaching the Hoover National Republican Club are to the effect that Mr. Hoover's vote in both those contests will furnish an astonishing demonstration of his strength."

GLASSBORO RECOUNT TODAY

Contest Over Mayoralty to Be Decided by Court

Glassboro, N. J., April 28.—Interest over the presidential primaries yesterday was eclipsed here by speculation as to the outcome of the recount of votes in the recent mayoralty contest which is scheduled to come up before Judge Donges and the Gloucester county board of elections in Woodbury today. Supporters of Dr. E. M. Duffield, soldier candidate, are confident that the recount will make him winner of the mayoralty contest over Robert Mead, who was returned as winner on the official count by a margin of three votes.

It is generally agreed here by both sides that the outcome of the contest will hinge largely upon the court's ruling as to marked ballots.

Whatever may be the result of the recount, both the Duffield and Mead forces are preparing to renew the battle next fall, when the mayor and councilmen for the new borough will be elected to full terms.

BERKS WOMEN FOR HOOVER

Strong Sentiment Noted as Republican Club Is Formed

Reading, Pa., April 28.—The Woman's Republican Club, of Berks county, a permanent body, was organized her last night. Although County Chairman Thomas C. Seidel and other leaders fostering the movement are non committal regarding the presidency, there is a strong sentiment among the women in favor of Herbert Hoover.

Mrs. Ella D. Mitchell was elected president; Frances M. Beard, vice president; Miss Ada M. Wilson, recording secretary, and Mrs. Howard F. Hoffmaster, treasurer.

A meeting later will be addressed by Mrs. Barclay Warburton, of Philadelphia, state chairman, and Mrs. J. Willis Martin, vice chairman, of the Republican committee.

ARKANSAS WON'T INSTRUCT

G. O. P. Leaders, Meeting Today, Predict Unpledged Delegation

Little Rock, Ark., April 28.—[By A. P.]—The state Republican convention met here today to elect four delegates at-large and plan for the coming campaign. One of the matters to be taken up is the selection of a national committeeman. The state committee has indorsed H. L. Remmel, of Little Rock, for re-election.

Leaders generally predicted the delegation to Chicago would go uninstructed. Active pre-convention campaigns had been conducted by supporters of Lowden and Wood.

FORD CO. TO REORGANIZE

Automobile Interests to Merge Under $100,000,000 Delaware Charter

Lansing, Mich., April 28.—Formal notice of the proposed reorganization of the Ford Motor Co. and other interests of its stockholders was filed yesterday with the secretary of state. The papers indicated that the automobile and tractor businesses will be consolidated and reincorporated as a $100,000,000 Delaware corporation.

The corporate powers of the new company will permit it to manufacture aircraft, internal combustion locomotives and railroad cars and continue the automobile, truck and tractor business now conducted separately. The capital stock, it is understood, will be held by Henry Ford, Edsel B. Ford and Mrs. Henry Ford.

Electric Railway Needs Depicted

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Neither do they give to the public the majority representation for which the national chamber declared in its referendum."

Labor's Attitude Criticized

Organized labor's attitude toward recent legislation and production as bearing upon the high cost of living was among the topics discussed in the convention's general group sessions.

George A. Post, chairman of the chamber's railroad committee, declared: "We have the right to expect and insist that the railroad employes will co-operate with their officers and keep the wheels rolling, and not paralyze commerce with quarrels among themselves, which in effect is a strike against the public whose Congress has established a tribunal for the fair, impartial adjudication of labor disputes.

"The attitude of organized labor toward the railroad labor board is deeply to be deplored," he said. "So bitter was their opposition that after the passage of the transportation act publication was made by labor leaders of their intention to mark for condign punishment at the polls all senators and representatives who voted for the measure.

Mr. Post resented this position of the labor leaders and said no congressman or senator should be defeated because of his vote to protect the public.

"Every mother's son of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States," he said, "owes it to himself, to his country and to the target of organized wrath to see to it that courageous, fair public service shall have its reward in militant support at our hands."

Speed Up Transportation

Highways and motor transportation have a large part in the deliberations of the group meetings today. "We should adopt a new slogan, 'Speed up transportation,'" said W. J. L. Banham. "Transportation delays are more costly than freight rates. We can eliminate some of this delay by new equipment, trackage and terminals, but what we need is immediate relief. I believe it will be necessary for shippers to relieve the carriers of the bulk of less than carload shipments to shorthaul points.

"I am of the opinion that with proper co-operation between carriers and shippers a system of store-door delivery could be adopted which would dispose of a great deal of the present congestion."

"Increasing production rests largely on the development of highway transportation," declared George M. Graham, of the National Auto Chamber of Commerce. "Locomotives and cars cannot travel beyond the bounds of rails. Highways offer infinite possibility of communication with points not to be reached by railways or ships.

"Only lack of material, machinery or labor is a more deadly foe to production than a dearth of facilities to move it. Temporarily our railroads have reached the limit of their capacity. If only one-third of the over 6,000,000 farms of 140 acres in this country adopt the motortruck within the next five years there will be 2,120,500 trucks assisting the farmer to distribute at lower cost more food products. The greatest problem facing the nation is the coordination of all road building into a national system, scientifically assuring a comprehensive system of highways under national control. The number of motor vehicle bills in state legislatures this year will reach at least 2200. Business men should help legislators to realize the motor vehicle is an economic asset to insure the right kind of laws."

The board of directors authorized appointment of a commission to proceed to Europe to investigate the possibility of resumption of trade relations between the United States and the Russian people.

Sir Auckland Geddes, the new ambassador from Great Britain; Edwin T. Meredith, secretary of griculture; J. R. Havard, president of the Farm Bureau Federation, and Charles Coolidge Parlin, manager of the commercial research division of the Curtis Publishing Co., are among the speakers scheduled to address the convention tonight. They will discuss varied aspects of the food production program.

P. R. T. Asks Increase to Willow Grove

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ing of Route No. 43, so that cars would proceed east on Chestnut only as far as Eighth, instead of Front street.

He is also considering the advisability of making Arch a one-way street, with only westbound traffic, and Race a one-way street for eastbound traffic.

Another recommendation which he is considering would call for a pedestrians' overhead bridge from the train shed floor of Broad Street Station, across Penn square to City Hall.

P. R. T. Owns 3601 Cars

A. H. Horton, traffic engineer of the P. R. T., gave considerable testimony regarding the present equipment of the company. Through cross-questioning it was brought out that the company owned 3922 cars in 1918 and at present has 3601. In actual operation there are 2632 cars as against 2568 in 1918.

The engineer said that ninety near-side cars had been withdrawn from the service to be rebuilt, but that they would be replaced at the rate of fifteen each week. In the rush hour each night the company can accommodate 100,000 persons on seats, but no figures were given for the standing multitudes.

Mr. Horton, when interrogated regarding the savings on skip-stops, said that each stop eliminated virtually represented the value of a new car each year. In other words, he said, the 8000 saved represented the annual interest on a $12,000 car.

Mr. Clement announced that the entire commission would meet in executive session at Harrisburg next Monday. He intimated that numerous changes would be suggested to improve the service in the city. The next public hearing will be on Thursday of next week.

BELGIAN BOY IS HELD

Authorities May Deport War Orphan Who Left New Home

Marcel Barratt, seventeen-year-old Belgian, who was brought to this country last year by American soldiers and was later cared for by the Belgian Relief Association, was returned to the detention house at the Gloucester immigrant station yesterday.

The boy was placed in the home of a Philadelphia family shortly after his arrival here. Several weeks ago he ran away and was found in Baltimore. As his parents were killed in the war and there are no relatives to care for him, Marcel may be deported.

VAUCLAIN DELAYS SALE

Baldwin Head Refuses to Deal With Russian Soviet at Present

Samuel M. Vauclain, president of the Baldwin Locomotive Works, has for the present refused to deal with the soviet of Russia, a cable dispatch says.

Mr. Vauclain has been in Europe for several weeks. Recently the Russian soviet offered to buy 6000 locomotives from the Baldwin company. It is said he flatly refused to deal with representatives of the soviet until the attitude of the Entente became clear.

M'LEAN ATTACKS TWO COUNCILMEN

Senatorial Candidate Charges Walter and Buchholz Are Representing Lane and Martin

NEGLECTING PEOPLE, CLAIM

John R. McLean, Jr., today attacked Simon Walter and Eduard Buchholz and accused them of representing David Lane and Senator Dave Martin in City Council instead of their constituents.

Mr. McLean is the administration candidate for the State Senate from the Fifth Senatorial district against Senator Martin.

Walter is the Lane councilman from the Twentieth ward and Buchholz is the Martin councilman from the Nineteenth ward.

The attack on the two Councilmen is contained in a statement issued this afternoon by Mr. McLean, following an interview with Mayor Moore.

"Incidents clearly demonstrating the lack of sympathy on the part of the Lane-Martin combination with the needs of the people of the Fifth senatorial district are being daily brought to my attention," Mr. McLean says.

Neglecting Citizens, He Says

"While Simon Walter and Eduard Buchholz are playing petty politics trying to hamper Mayor Moore and the progress of the municipal administration in order to carry out the designs of their immediate overseers, David Lane and David Martin, and to curry favor with the contractor-bosses, the interests of the citizens of the Fifth senatorial district are being neglected.

"Only yesterday I was called into the office of Mayor Moore regarding the condition of Diamond street, from Front to Broad, in the Nineteenth and Twentieth wards. These two wards are part of the district for which the citizens of Philadelphia are paying Lane's and Martin's Councilmen $10,000 a year to represent them in Council.

"The Mayor told me that he had been informed that the street was in a deplorable state and asked me regarding its condition.

"I told him that the street was in a very bad condition, dangerous to pedestrians and vehicular traffic and that as a matter of fact it was not fit to drive over.

"The Mayor immediately issued orders to Chief Dunlap for the repairing of the thoroughfare.

"The residents of the city are paying each of Lane's and Martin's councilmen $5300 a year to look after their interests. The condition of the streets in the district is surely a subject of vital importance.

"Not Even Trying," He Says

"But the two 'misrepresentatives' of the people are so busy looking after the interests of the Overseers Martin and Lane and the Bosses Vare that they do not even make a pretense of serving their constituents.

"The people of the Fifth district have a right to have their needs presented to the Mayor, and since the two Lane-Martin councilmen will not perform the duty for which they are paid I will do all I can to secure improvements needed badly by the district.

"I will present any requests made to me by residents of the Fifth district for improvements or for the remedying of any evil conditions to the proper city officials and do my best to have them favorably acted upon."

John F. Arthur declared today he would not resign May 10 as chief of the Bureau of City Property, as requested by the administration.

Others whose resignations are requested by the administration are:

Price L. Patton, a son of Senator Edward W. Patton, Vare leader of the Twenty-seventh ward. Price Patton has held the post of manager of the Electrical Bureau; salary $2750 and bonus.

William Sailer, foreman of elevator service and elevator operators in City Hall, also a resident of the Twenty-seventh ward.

Chief Arthur, who is a political lieutenant of Senator Martin, said his resignation would be an admission on his part that he had been active politically.

Denies Political Activity

"The letter asking me for my resignation was not accompanied by any charges of any kind," he said. "I have not been active politically as a ward committeeman for two years, and while I have been chief of the Bureau of City Property the bureau has been conducted by me without regard to politics.

"If I turned in my resignation as I was asked to do, it would be an admission that I have been guilty of misconduct in office, and would leave a blot on my record in public service. This I cannot be clogged in this matter, and therefore I will not resign."

The removal of Chief Arthur is confidently expected by administration supporters to help greatly in the fight to nominate Charles Delany for Congress in the Third district and Mr. McLean, in the Fifth district. It is declared by the administration leaders that a vital blow has been struck at the heart of the Vare-Lane-Martin organization.

Administration leaders predict that one of the results of the move will be that followers of Martin and Lane will desert in numbers to the banners of the administration. For some time there have been rumors that the ward committeemen under Lane and Martin have only been waiting some such activity on the part of the administration to revolt from the old leaders.

George Smith, superintendent of a public square, has been notified by the Department of Public Works that unless he applies for admission to the pension rolls within thirty days he will be dismissed.

SEEKS POST FOR MAGNER

Democratic Organization Offers Him for Magistracy

Charles Magner, of the Twenty-sixth ward a follower of Charles P. Donnelly, of the Democratic city committee, is the choice of the local organization to succeed the late Magistrate McNenny. His name will be presented to Governor Sproul as the candidate of the Democratic organization for the vacancy. Politicians predicted that Magner will be appointed in view of the position of Attorney General Palmer that the recommendations of the local organization should have first consideration.

Magner has been a member of the ward committee for twenty-five years, and for the last four years has been connected with the office of the collector of internal revenue.

Fire Destroys Barn and Stock

Doylestown, April 28.—Eleven cows, two horses, a large amount of farm machinery and heavy crops were burned early this morning in a fire that completely destroyed a barn on the farm belonging to E. W. Holbert, and rented by Adolphus Garis at Jamison, on the Old York road below Doylestown. The loss is approximately $15,000.

Central News Photo.

ROSS P. ANDREWS
Elected president of the Paper Trade Association of the United States

Says Moyer Told Him to Alter Books

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added there was a shortage of $29,000 or $30,000 in the receiving teller's cage.

Mr. Gray brought out no new facts in his cross-examination of the witness.

Gives Hint of Defense

Miss Clara A. Schwartz, Moyer's stenographer, who last week identified the June 2 statement was recalled by Mr. Taulane to identify Moyer's signature on another document.

In cross-examining the witness, Mr. Gray indicated what would be one of his lines of defense by attempting to cross-question her on the June 2 statement. He explained he hoped to prove that a blank paper had been witnessed by the bank's notary, and that Miss Schwartz later had filled in the figures.

Mr. Taulane protested this move and Judge Davis upheld the objection. Mr. Gray will have an opportunity to examine the witness on this phase later.

Dr. William Henry Knick, of 5325 North Thirteenth street, a dentist, treasurer of the Black Pine Mining Co., was next called to the stand. He testified Moyer had been secretary of this company during 1917 and 1918, and that Samuel Rieben, a director of the bank, had been president of the company.

Not Worried by Figures

"The company's account at the North Penn Bank was overdrawn from January to April, 1918," the witness testified.

"How much was it overdrawn?" he was asked.

"I don't know," he answered. "I didn't even bother opening the bank's monthly statements—simply passed them over to Mr. Rieben. When the bank failed he bundled them up and sent them back to me."

The witness continued that he had merely signed his name to the company's checks.

"If you don't believe them," he said, "look at the writing on the checks, and you'll see it is not mine."

"Mr. Rieben was a convenient man to have in the company," observed Judge Davis.

The witness testified Moyer had protested the company's overdrafts at one board meeting, and the company directors had given their personal notes to cover it, the witness himself signing a $5000 note. Later, he said, these notes had been replaced with a mortgage of $25,000 on the mine property. The notes now are in the possession of the Phoenix Trust Co., which is carrying on the North Penn Bank's business.

A minor question asked by Mr. Taulane created a disturbance which led Mr. Gray to demand the withdrawal of a juror.

The witness had answered "No" to the question, and Mr. Taulane had interjected "Why not?"

"What right has the district attorney to contradict the witness?" demanded Mr. Gray.

"Because I know it's true," replied Mr. Taulane.

Gray's Motion Denied

Mr. Gray thereupon demanded that a juror be withdrawn, saying he could cite precedents.

After five minutes' consideration, Judge Davis refused to grant Mr. Gray's demand. However, he called Mr. Taulane to task for his "overzealousness."

"If the district attorney continues to ask leading questions," said Judge Davis, "I shall have to comply with Mr. Gray's request and withdraw a juror."

J. Colburn Felipe and Frank Hainbach, Jr., both bank employes, testified to further alleged irregularities.

Deaths of a Day

Robert McCormick Dougal

Robert McCormick Dougal, an official of the Standard Oil Co., with offices in the Commercial Trust Building, died Monday at his home in the Fairfax Apartments, Wayne avenue and Schoolhouse lane, Germantown. Mr. Dougal was a victim of what is said to be sleeping sickness. He became ill Tuesday last and remained in a stupor until his death.

For many years Mr. Dougal was an official of the Standard Oil Co. and up to two years ago was attached to the Pittsburgh office of the company, when he was transferred to Philadelphia. He was a member of the Loyal Legion of Pennsylvania by inheritance, of the Art Club of this city and the Philadelphia Country Club.

Elsie North Schuyler

Elsie North Schuyler, widow of David H. Schuyler, Jr., died Monday in the Hahnemann Hospital, after an illness of many months. Mrs. Schuyler was a prominent figure in musical circles here. She appeared several times with the Philadelphia Orchestra and the Philadelphia Operatic Society. Mrs. Schuyler also was soprano soloist at Bethany Presbyterian Church and Central North Broad Street Presbyterian Church. Funeral services will be held from the undertaking establishment of Oliver H. Bair, Eighteenth and Chestnut streets, Friday afternoon. Dr. Robert H. Morris, former pastor of the Central-North Broad Street Church, will officiate.

Charles E. Smith

Nashua, N. H., April 28.—Charles E. Smith, a director of the Florida National Bank, of Jacksonville, Fla., and also of the Indian Head National Bank, of this city, died at his summer residence here yesterday. He was head of a hotel supply firm in Jacksonville.

John C. Stover

York, April 28.—John C. Stover sixty-six years old, of Glen Rock, died yesterday from paralysis. He had been burgess and was a retired carriage builder.

PALMER TO FACE QUIZ ON SUGAR

House Committee Will Ask Why President Did Not Curb Price

REFINERS END CONFERENCE

Washington, April 28.—A. Mitchell Palmer, attorney general, will be called upon to explain why he concurred in the fixing of the maximum price of seventeen and eighteen cents for Louisiana sugar after saying he considered the "agreed price rather high" when he appears before the House investigating committee tomorrow.

The action of the attorney general, according to testimony already presented to the committee, was not only without legal authority but resulted in an unwarranted increase in the price of Cuban sugar.

The committee will attempt to find out why President Wilson failed to buy the Cuban sugar crop after that step was urged in a letter written by George Zabriskie, president of the sugar equalization board.

George Holden Tinkham, representative for Massachusetts, who has sponsored the investigation of the attorney general charges that not only the failure of the President to act on the recommendation of the sugar equalization board to buy the Cuban crop, but also the action of the attorney general in concurring to a price for Louisiana sugar, is responsible for present high prices.

Eastern sugar refiners called to Washington to confer with Howard E. Figg, of the Department of Justice, on the sugar situation believe speculation to be one of the chief causes for the present high prices. Measures to end speculation, discussed by Mr. Figg and the refiners in the course of the two-day conference, have been submitted to Mr. Palmer.

It is understood that promises of co-operation were obtained from the refiners, but no definite agreement was entered yesterday. Proposals were made to circumvent the speculator, presumably in regulating sales in such a manner as to get the sugar directly into the hands of the consumer without speculative profit-taking along the line. Refiners, it is said, could decline to sell to other than legitimate dealers and close tab could be kept on resales, a plan followed by the food administration with great success during the war.

SCHOOL FACULTY RESIGNS

Teachers in Episcopal Institute Quit When Stowe Lecture Is Canceled

Richmond, Va., April 28.—Dispute as to the propriety of a lecture on Harriet Beecher Stowe resulted yesterday in the resignation of the entire faculty of Chatham Episcopal Institute here.

The engagement for the lecture was canceled by the Rev. C. O. Pruden, president of the Institute, who held that any eulogy of Mrs. Stowe before Southern girls would be out of place. Principal Willis and members of the faculty, composed in part of women graduates of northern colleges, disagreed with Mr. Pruden and when he refused to rescind his order, voted to submit their resignations, effective Friday.

HALLENBECK LOSES SUIT

Wealthy Manufacturer Fails to Prove Charges Against Wife

Ernest A. Hallenbeck, wealthy manufacturer, of this city, has lost his suit in New York for annulment of his marriage to his wife, Frances Kathryn Hallenback.

Mrs. Hallenback, who was a model in this city before her marriage two years ago to the manufacturer, won her point in the Supreme Court yesterday. She told Justice Bijur that her husband's story concerning her alleged "confession" to him was entirely false.

She denied she had been under care of a physician during the absence of her husband on a business trip, or that she had ever been unfaithful to him. Hallenbeck had testified his wife had told him four young men of Philadelphia had been attentive to her.

MUNICIPAL ENGINEERS MEET

The Society of Municipal Engineers of Philadelphia will meet at the Engineers' Club, 1317 Spruce street, tonight. Addresses on "The Principles of Civil Service," by Clinton Rogers Woodruff, president of the Civil Service Commission; "The Work of the Examining Division," by Wilson A. Deily, chief examiner, and "The Preparation and Rating of Civil Service Examinations," by Prof. Calvin O. Althouse, will be delivered.

Reading Child Shot In Head

Reading, April 28.—Sixteen-month-old Helen Clouser was injured in a mysterious manner last evening when she was taken on a walk by a neighbor. When an X-ray was taken at a hospital it was found that a bullet had passed near the child's right eye and lodged at the back of the head. It had been stated that she had been struck by a swing, but later the bullet was discovered.

SUNDAY OUTINGS
FROM MARKET STREET WHARF
Every Sunday
$1.25 Round Trip War Tax 10 cents additional
Atlantic City
Ocean City
Corsons Inlet
Sea Isle City
Wildwood
Anglesea
Cape May
Avalon
Stone Harbor
Anglesea, Wildwood and Cape May 7.20%
Ocean City and Corsons Inlet 7.25%
Atlantic City and other resorts 7.30%
Returning, leave Atlantic City 6.05%, Ocean City 6.05%, Cape May 6.05%.
FROM BROAD STREET STATION
$2.75 Harrisburg
War Tax 22 cents additional
Sunday, May 2
See the palatial Capitol building, with its famed Barnard statuary and beautiful Mural paintings
Broad St., 7.50 A. M.; West Philada., 7.35 & 8.02 A. M., 7.41 P. M.
$2.50 New York
War Tax 20 cents additional
Sunday, May 9—Broad Street 9.03 A. M.
$2.75 Washington
$2.25 Baltimore
War Tax 8 per cent. additional
Sunday, May 23—Broad Street 7.50 A. M.
Pennsylvania System

FEAR RENT STRIKE TROUBLE

Department of Justice Asked to Prevent Disorder in N. Y.

New York, April 28.—(By A. P.)—Prospects of disorder in connection with the threatened rent strikes here on May 1 have become sufficiently alarming to attract the attention of Department of Justice agents, J. W. Hilly, chairman of the mayor's committee on rent profiteering, announced today. He said a representative of the department would confer with the committee during the day to work out plans for preventing serious outbreaks.

Mr. Hilly announced recently he had learned that more than 100,000 tenants in the Bronx and Brownsville had been organized for the strike and that sabotage was planned as a measure of revenge against landlords.

TEACHERS TO HEAR PAY-RISE REPORT

Accountant Will Advise Institution if Board Could Borrow Necessary Money

WANT $40 A MONTH MORE

Philadelphia school teachers today will receive the report of the accountant they employed to survey the financial resources of the Board of Education to determine if the board can grant salary increases.

The report will be read at a meeting of the Teachers' Association at 1327 Spring Garden street this afternoon. The report will express an opinion on the board's ability to borrow funds sufficient to pay increases averaging $40 a month.

Dr. Lucy L. W. Wilson, principal of the South Philadelphia High School for Girls, in making the announcement to the teachers who met at the association headquarters yesterday, said that while she was in no position to give any positive news, she nevertheless believed that the report of Mr. Welcker would be pleasing. Soon after the announcement made by Doctor Wilson there were many rumors concerning the likelihood of a favorable report. Board members repeatedly have taken an opposite stand.

Should the survey show that there is still a borrowing margin left on the Board of Education books sufficient to grant the demands of the teachers, a flat increase of $40 per month dating back to January 1 for all teachers.

It was announced yesterday that May 28 has been decided upon tentatively as the date for city-wide demonstration for the "Save Our Schools" campaign. Although plans have not yet been completed, efforts are being made to have Governor Sproul, Mayor Moore and several of the city's and state's most prominent business men and educators to speak at the closing exercises of the demonstration, which probably will be in the Academy of Music.

A "Save-Our-Schools Sunday" is being planned for May 2. Preliminary to a city-wide drive during the week of May 2-9 for the signing of petitions in favor of increasing the pay of school workers, the Allied Association of Public School Employes has sent letters to the pastors of all the churches in Philadelphia asking them to devote at least a part of their sermons next Sunday to the vital necessity of an increased wage for the teachers.

WEST PHILA. FARM SOLD

Jolin W. Wilson Sells Old Homestead on Forty-seventh Street

The Wilson estate, a colonial landmark in West Philadelphia, has been sold to builders for more than $125,000. It is bounded by Baltimore and Warrington avenues, Forty-seventh and Forty-eighth street.

John W. Wilson, who has lived on the metropolitan "farm" for more than forty years, said yesterday that he was glad he had sold the place.

Mr. Wilson declared folks resented his owning fields near the center of the town. The homestead had dwindled to an acre. It was sold to John McGarvey.

"PLAIN-CLOTHES" BANQUET

U. of P. Seniors to Dine in Regular "Duds" at Adelphia Tonight

The senior class of the University of Pennsylvania will hold a "plain-clothes" banquet at the Hotel Adelphia tonight.

The students decided to discard full dress and wear anything they might happen to have on around 6:30 of the appointed day. It is expected that the attendance will be unusually large. An excellent program has been arranged and, all in all, it looks like a big night.

DOUBTS U. S. HELP IN PAPER SCARCITY

Publisher Thinks Congress Can't Relieve Dearth Due to Advertising Gains

NEWSPRINT LOANED IN N. Y.

By the Associated Press

Washington, April 28.—Doubt that the government would be able to do much to relieve the print paper shortage was expressed by Frank P. Glass, of Birmingham, Ala., former president of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association.

Mr. Glass was one of the first witnesses before the Senate commerce subcommittee investigating the print-paper question. He explained that the shortage was world-wide.

Questioned as to the advisability of Congress attempting to reduce consumption by limiting the size of publications admitted to the mail, Mr. Glass said he doubted the "justice and feasibility" of such an undertaking. While conceding that the cost of labor and materials had increased, Mr. Glass declared present prices were excessive and manufacturers were "making high profits."

Answering Senator McNary, of Oregon, Mr. Glass said there was "no temptation" for manufacturers to divide territory for sale of their product because of the great demand for paper. He added that he did not believe the excess profits tax was to blame for the increased volume of advertising.

George McAneny, of the New York Times, agreed with Mr. Glass that the increased advertising "was a coincidence" to the application of the excess profits tax. He said the demand for advertising was due to a post-war desire to stimulate business.

"The shortage of paper," McAneny testified, "is due to the abnormal demand for advertising. There is actually more newsprint this year than last. The Federal Trade Commission reports indicate an increased production of 10 per cent and the indicated consumption of the Times for this year is about 7 per cent greater than that of last year."

New York newspapers, Mr. McAneny said, have been lending paper to each other for months.

"The Times," he said, "would not have been published last Sunday but for a loan from the Globe."

In opening the hearing, Chairman Reed announced the investigation would deal with the production and consumption of news print, manufacturing costs, selling prices, increased volume of advertising and enlarged newspaper circulation.

RED MEN INITIATE 500

2000 Members of Order Gather at Council Fire in Burlington

Burlington, N. J., April 28.—"No 'Reds' among the Red Men!" was the war whoop of nearly 2000 braves and candidates of the I. O. R. M., who met last night at a council fire in the Burlington Auditorium with the big chiefs of the state to honor John P. C. McCoy, great senior sagamore. Every lodge in Burlington county attended the session, bringing a combined class of 500 palefaces for the initiatng rites, thereby setting a new record for the growth of the fraternity in central Jersey.

County lodges participating were No. 12, Burlington; No. 18, Mount Holly; No. 38, Florence; No. 48, Mariton; No. 57 Moorestown; No. 98, Bridgeboro; No. 122, Columbus; No. 133, Pemberton; No. 168, Indian Mills; No. 204, Delanco; No. 222, Medford; No. 237, Beverly.

Norristown Homes Robbed

Norristown, Pa., April 28.—The north section of this town was cleaned up by burglars during the night. They worked so stealthily that in no instance did the householders discover the visitation until this morning. The victims include Irvin B. Hart, William H. Shannon, Samuel H. Rogers, Dr. Roscoe Smith and Mrs. Alfred Smith. The total money loss is about $100.

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Meade to Be a Permanent Camp

Baltimore, April 28.—(By A. P.)—Camp Meade is to be kept permanently for the training of soldiers, according to Major General Grote Hutcheson, commander of the camp, in an address here. With the coming of universal military training, General Hutcheson said, Camp Meade would serve as a training ground, and he said the War Department wanted the civilian population to feel that the army and the soldiers were "a part of the country."

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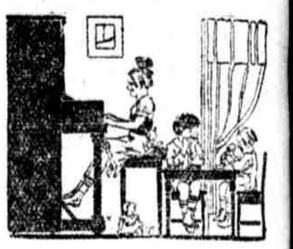
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A public hearing upon the aforesaid applications will be held on Friday, May 14th, 1920, Room 496, City Hall, Philadelphia, at 10:30 a. m., when and where all persons in interest may appear and be heard if they so desire.