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litor General.

the State Government.

Harding Seeking to Unite Party BUSINESS LEADERS **BIG CITY PROGRAM** PLANNED FOR 1922 Continued from Page One Inw. and of restoring the authority of States over intrastate railroad rates.

Backs Bloc Projects

Among Improvements

MORE POLICE PROTECTION

Thiladelphia is just thearing to go

on its big improvement program for 1922, to use a pet plirase of Will H. Hays, the hustling Postmaster General. Greater police protection, cleaner a sort streets and an improved water supply short of penalizing strikes. are among the projects for the city

port can keep pace with the shipping come from the Eastern Republicans demands

be the commencement of municipal organized, but will make a hard fight treet cleaning over the entire city, re- against the farm measures. placing the old contractor system which was a running mate of organization in the coming session it is likely to be because the Eastern Republicans are Residents of South Philadelphia and not amenable to party discipline

of the lower and of West Philudelphia and will welcome the new South street bridge which is to span the Schuyllall River.

To "Dress Up" City Squares

gram of improvements to city squares, tonusturd from Page One those spots of green that are rural fill not inve them on when the came islands surrounded by brick and stone and wood.

The police force will be increased by 150 patrolness, the number authorized by Council several weeks ago. Because of the large number of applicants, the city can recruit stalwart then the be a credit to the Pollee Bureau. en that will

A large part of the expenditures for improvements will be made by the Department of Public Works under the partment of Public Works under the line. Then the cat went on goods
 supervision of Director Caven He has short.
 an appropriation of \$4,100,000 for tor multicipal street cleaning forces, and \$1,500,000 more for stables, stations.
 then the cat went on goods to tari, one public telephones, trying to call the police, but had no nickels, and in one public telephones, trying to call the police.
 the thrift to a greater degree, then the force the prospect of better taken into account. Definite decision has been made he presents.
 The girls said they had gone to tari, one public telephones, trying to call the police, but had no nickels, and in one prospect.

The department's Bureau of Huge-ways has funds for the Improvement of the Parkway at the Art Museum, for the considerion of work on Benalem areans and Holme avenue, spurs to the holped dentify it. Laurel stree

Highway Burray to Spend \$2,000,000 Highway Bureau also has \$2,000,000 for repairing and resurfacing Kuenzel, of 4624 Emery street, wers and inlets and dir repairs to the was passing when the bandit car The \$2,000,000 item also includes the dashed out. He can to a public telestreets and roads and for repairs to sewers and infets and city bridges.

cost of operating the new municipal as, phalt plant, which will have gangs of workmen ready to go anywhere in the city and make and solve and solve to the Trankford, Front and Westcity and make quick repairs to streets. The largest project in the program of the Bureau of Surveys is the constru-tion of the new South Street Bridge. The motor pairol of the Belg which will cost \$700,000. The sum of the streets station, full \$950,000 originally was appropriated once up with the bandit car and gate. Money for purposes of investment is for that purpose, but price declines. The big and speedy touring comparatively plentiful, and that in itfor that purpose, but price declines in recent months will enable a saving of \$250 000 which can be used for th west approach of the South Street

Bridge Two other bridges urgently needed, and which will be completed in 1922, are those planned for North Fifth street over the connecting railway and

out of the \$22,000,000 loan, which can be applied to branch severs, subject to payroll manded 'throw up



Has Passed. Is Coning crops and grain in storage, and nnother for the reclamation of 20, 000,000 acres of the public domain. These are all bloc projects.

Senator Kenyon is chairman of the R. R. SITUATION IMPROVES General Committee on Education and Laber. As such he seeks to establish

his relations with organized labor through a bill eccating industrial A feeling of increased confidence with regard to the outlook for business and courts to deal with threatened strikerecommin conditions in general for the and lockouts. This bill recognizes lahor organizations. It will tend to create coming year chara-terizes the opinions of industrial code, and it stops of representative model this city.

time on.

SEE 600M IN 1922

census Here

In spite of organized labor's riews of men prominent in business and future sition to industrial tribunals, labor has nuch to gain through the endetment finance

New piers also are to be built along of this bill. The Administration at the Thomas De Witt Cuyler, chairman of the Delaware River waterfront, so the coming conference way accept this bill, the Association of Railway Exceptives, " The trouble over these measures will Inwyer, financier, director of the Penne from the Eastern Republicans represent the business sentiment "I shink the period of greatest de-represent the business sentiment "I shink the period of greatest de-pression is past and that conditions will show a slow improvement from this ratio One of the biggest single projects will of the country. They are not well

If the breach in the party widens is likely to be

Find Bandit Car; Still Hunt Thugs

Chased After Robbers

When the brudits can out." Mass Probat. tithree men can after dime from the hull admost enumer up, the incidental to a using a second secon Then the cat went off-going tios thrift to a greater degree, then 1922

were refused the loan of a prosperity, which the banks of The department's Bureau of High-ars has funds for the improvement of Miss Marie Herman, 2652 Bruige

The quick action of the police, who inst missed nating the bandits before has never shown to greater advantage they made their getaway, was possible than in this difficult transition period they made their getaway, was possible that in because of the prompt action of William through nam paretng.

Juseph Wayne, president of the Git-ard National Bank: "It seems to me but stendy improvement from this time streets police stations, and all sent de- on tails to the scene of the hold-up. The motor patrol of the Belgrade and spirit of confidence now prevailing in industrial and commercial circles, of men. elf is an encouraging factor. Person-PDF gol awa

Ellis Gimbel, of Gimbel Brothers; Believe Gang From N. Y. "The retailer, who has taken his lesses, and has placed his inventory on a new The police believe the bandits may have come here from Nev York on the tip of some one who knew the payroll of basis, will be in a tavorable position to treaty will be drawn on embodying the table mill has always been brought there grow and expand during the coming the round which all of the Powerat 4 o'clock each Friday afternoon, and given to Mr. Moorehouse, who later given to Mr.

when suddenly some one de- also in units of merchandise. "throw up your hands" We "The banks and the manufacturers To Extend Water Plants The Bareau of Water has a balance of \$1,500,000 from permanent loans which will be used to to the reserve pumping capacity of the Belmont station. This money also will be used for ropsolidating the George's Hill pumping gathon and the Belmont filters which will be operated electrically from Belmont station. Belmont sta

which every business concern is

Optimism Expressed

Lean Year for Vare on City Contracts

Senator Vare was awarded only ne city contract in 1921, aside from his street cleaning work. He got the commission to construct the underground conduit which follows the ine of the Frankford elevated from Arch street to Jefferson, at \$52,006. Bond for this contract was furnished by the Hartford Accident and Indemnity Company, of which State Senator Patton is the local repre sentative.

members of the lawmaking body. certain amount of protection under the Emergency Tariff, which, being de-signed to protect the wool of the agri-This question may be avoided haps when the legislator is masked by a dummy. In the case of Senator Meultural interests, protected us, too. Nichol, however, the question can be It is a Jog country, and there is raised pointblank. Can be get The following statements present the products are fairly well assured for the part of which he ultimately gets in pay, for the contracts?

If we are not flooded with foreign State Highway Commissioner Sadler ports, we shall do very well. The defends this proposition. He sees no "If we are not hooden with totals defends this proposition. He sees an imports, we shall do very well. The defends this proposition. He sees a difficulty is that importations of woolens reason why a legislator should not get difficulty is that importations and woolens reason why a legislator should not get difficulty is that importations are taken a large a contract. He views the matter, he is the taken as a large a contract. into this country have taken a large a contract, imp of late. In November the im- says, simply says, simply from a business and en-gineering standpoint. The very best inportations of worsteds increased 300 e cent over the same month in 1920 respretation of his views is that he fails However, I feel that us a general thing to grasp the significance, politically and the prospects for this industry are popularly, of the awarding of State rather favorable." contracts, at a profit, to a member of

There is a more widespread stability There is a more widespread stability and feeling of confidence today than there has been in the past, and this will have its effect upon the future. I think, too, that people are beginning to sork incider and to put more effort into their underrakings. France Consents

to Curb Submarines Commissioner Statier was free of the frank and open in supplying official in-formation of which he had record. Mr.

their undertakings. The railroad situation, which has Continued from Page One

will serve groutly to bring about a more also that the total tonnage of such craft. Eisele, who got the \$1,600,000 in road favorable condition of affairs the count- should be 135,000 tons each for the contracts underbilling about 10,000 in road airplane carriers. There was agreement try over. This has the greatest bears United States and Great Britain; SL-ing, of course, upon the prosperity of 000 tons for Japan, and 60,000 each for Italy and France That is a close before

William A. Law, president of the adherence to the 5-5-3-2-2 ratio. First National Bank, president of the Pennsylvania Bankers' Association : William A. Law, president of the rest National Banker's Association: "The year 1921 ends with many recol-tions of commercial disappointment The year got away in a hurry, bectom of connectial disappointment is always will have three. France "as a matter incidental to a period of inquidation will have three of 20,000 tons each the connection will have three of 20,000 tons each the connection will have three of 20,000 tons each the connection will have three of 20,000 tons each the connection will have three of 20,000 tons each the connection will have three of 20,000 tons each the connection will have three of 20,000 tons each the connection the matter the connection of the connection of the second sec waters and one for her colonies. Italy could have two of the 27,000-ton ves sets, or three of the size desired by

> be accompanied by Lord L the country have paid their debts is of Fareham, first lord of the Briti-reflected in the decrease of circulating Adminity, leaving Sir Anekland Ged notes from approximately \$3,400,000, des Britain's Ambassador here. notes to appreximately \$2.400 and a similar of the decision is unrepresent table months, as shown by the com-numters. The decision is unrepresent table months as a further indication of the early as a further indication of the early conclusion of the Conference.

Adjustments on Far East

In Reitish circles today if was that much further progress in the flowent of Far Eastern questions. to be expected inasmuch as thenference has clearly indicated adherence to the general principles that we may reasonably hope for a slow up in the four Root resolutions. Some adjustments already have been

There is unquestionably a greater made under those resolutions, such as "I have heard that Senator Leslie provision for the gradual abandoment was a member of the Donald McNeill In firm, with Mr McNeil. hing and of foreign postal services in China: for at least a limited withdrawal of foreign troops from Chinese in the McNichol Paving and Construccertiory and probably for an increase Fight company.

Beyond these matters the Bruten pokesman said it was not comele the Conference would proceed. A to decide.

Experience has indicated that when sig street over the connecting railway and for Forty-minh street over the tracks of the Philadelphin, Baltimore and Washington Railrond. For 1922 there is available \$275,000 out of the \$30,000,000 loan, which can out of the \$30,000,000 loan, which can the exercise of the good offices of Measured Hughes and Baltonr, while

the beginning we laid out a road pro-gram. That program has not been deviated from in the slightest, and the Senate Combine Seen in State Road Bids

politicians understood that such was to be the rigid rule. They wore satisfied Continued from Page One he find fulls. They wate satisfied alike. And no power could make me deviate from the original course of action. Ioman's candidacy. Mr. Beidleman has Statements as to my being a candidate

just won a place in political history as are not being inspired by me." Discussing the Eisele contractsthe axis of the revolutions about the Disc \$5000 check which he received on the Eisele, Eisele, the man who was brought up in the Vare office-Mr. Sadler said that order of Charles A. Snyder as Auhis engineers had reported that it was one of the finest jobs in the State and A serious question has been raised as to the constitutionality and general that all was being done in first-class legality of awarding contracts to inlegality of awarding contracts to individuals or firms which are controlled by members of the State Legislature. ing mone inspections than other con-The theory and the law is that legis-lators should not profit from their acts

Considerable bridge work. It is a curious fact that Hisele. in winning his five contracts, underbid the Domaid McNeil Company, the company in which Senator Leslie is alleged to be perinterested. It is an interesting fact that while there seems to be mystery about the connection of dumntics with State Senators, there appears to be con. none as to Senator Leslie

Ask any one in the State Capitol, and tried faintly to answer. ho has a chunce to know such things. "Hush!" warned Dame who has a chance to know such things, whether or not Senator Leslie is interested in road contracts and the reply always points to the Donald McNell lompany

Donald McNeil Company Contracts The Donald McNeil Company contracts, according to Highway Depart-

Commissioner Sadler was perfectly Delaware

with whom the Vares are in alliance, with the object of organizing a new

ower in State politics The contracts awarded to the Me-Nichol Paving and Construction Company are Chester County, Route 147, West Goshen and West Whiteland Town-

hips, awarded May 8, 1019-\$150,-Bucks County, Route 281, Bensalem and Middletown Townships and South Langhorne Borough, awarded July 28,

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DREAMLAND ADVENTURES Santa Claus' Sisler By DADDY CHAPTER V The Fairy's Gift CAT BIRD was so chilled he couldn't Gay. So Jack, in pity, put Cat Bird beneath his own warm coat and warmed the truant in that way. Janet looked at Dame Instinct with excited eyes. "Are you going to give Cat Bird to "Are you going to give Cat Bird to

whistle. And when she began whistle. Cat Bird began to sing. Little Curley-Head, surprised a startled by the sound whirled aroun She gave a cry of joy when she so Cat Bird. As for Cat Bird, he same had here a sung before. Barrow

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CAT BIRD was so chilled he couldn't fly. So Jack, in pity, put Cat Bird beneath his own warm coat and

For an instant she stood there. Thea she vanished. And as she vanished Jack and Janet were blinded by a flash that made them close their eyes.

When they opened their eyes, it were back in their own homes. pered : "Wait and you shall see " As they dreat near the log cabin, they (This coming week will be told

could hear Little Curly Head's brave Jack and Janet see their deer friends, who play a joke on the hunters.) whistle. Cat Bird heard the whistle.

"Hush !" warned Dame Instinct. "Do not sing until I tell you to, and then sing your best." Cat Bird kept silent, and soon they came to the cabin

'Oh, did you see Santa Claus' sister! Has she found, a bird for me?" crit Little Curly Head, as she saw them.

tracts, according to Highway Depart-ment records, are: Allogheny County, Route 22, Hamp-ton and Richland townships, awarded April 15, 1919, total \$443.304.35, Mercer County, Route 82, Jefferson, Delaware and Hempfield townships, awarded April 28, 1920-\$555,220.05, Armstrong County, Route 188, Kis-kiminetas Township, awarded October 8, 1921-\$99,209.55. cupboard and brought forth bird seed 8. 1921—S99.200.00. In this connection it was pointed out that Senator Leslie was one of the principal political backers of William A. Magee, the new Mayor of Pittsburgh.

eyes, wait until J count three, then whistle, and see what happens, said Dame Instinct. Little Curly-Hand turned her back and closed her eyes. Jack put Cat Bird into the cage with the food, and my, but Cat Rird was glad to get there. He pecked at the apple, and he gobbled the seeds. Dame Instinct waited until he was over

first keen hunger, and then she began to count. "One! Two! Three!" At the word

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tract extra-territorial jurisdiction

of the Chinese customs tariff.

"I am trying," continued the Cominteriotter, "to do a creditable job. It

Then he volutarily added the follow-

did come in here and say that Eisele was responsible." "What are your views on the awarding of contracts to members of t Legislature?" Mr. Sadler was asked.

"It makes no difference to us. We consider only the business and engineer-ing point of view. And I might say that our methods are being sought after by other States which desire to improve their systems. The appropriations are unde by the Legislature but they are

not limited to specific contracts nor limited to specific contractors. And the Attorney General passes on all the con-

"Has Senator Lyre any contracts?"

was another question, "No," was the reply, "Do you know of any other member of the Legislature interested in high-

way contracts?" Mr. Sadler was assed but we have had dealings only Mr McNeil. Of course, everybody knows that Senator McNichol is

> Mr. Sadier, was asked if he was a erndidate for Governor. He replied that he had nothing to say, and that the question of candidacy was for othera

Sudler was asked if he knew of the connection between Senator Vare and his protege and long-time employe, contracts, underbidding long-established firms, though he himself had never figured as a contractor of such importance

"We have" replied Mr. Sadler,

the connection between Senator Vare "No," replied Mr. Sadler

Sadler Admits Vare Influence

ing significant statement: Yes, there is this: Senator Vare 1921-\$346,555,21.

Plans are prepared for Plan No. 5 of the same group. Work on the sub-structure will be started early in 1922. The contracts probably will be let in ing to the bandlet to surrender. Blood

April. Director Sproule also has \$1,000,000 realiable for Piers New S2 and S4 in the Moranensing group, between Mes full of lead. Mr. Moorehouse dropped Kean and Porter stretts on the Datas ware River front. The sub-structures of these piers have been built April 1 and 1 apper a fur Thraw does your gun, one of the there gain when the period of stock-the Moranensing group, between Mes full of lead. Mr. Moorehouse dropped the sub-structures in the Datas the clefks covered with their evolvers, for the future is very pleasing to manu-of these piers have been built.

Director Furbisit, of the Health Liepartment, will spend \$1,000,000 for in-provements at the cits lospitals. At the Philadelphia General Hospital he will have construe to tuberculosi-pavilion, an attendance building a pavilion, an attendance outding a Miss Adele Walters, a relephone oper- to the housers industry. I should clinical building and a resolunce to cost stor, was shot in the neck and seriously that the prospects for the foll-fash At the Piuladelph a Hospital for the Swissvale today by fourty Detective \$600.000

Insame at Byberry \$550,000 will be spent. Me Dermont firing at a flering prisoner. Semiless wood stockings for women for new infirmaries and a unberequests. MeDermont was mean to loard a will present a good market next full, pavilion. At the Hostital for Conta. tren for Putsburgh with Leroy Lutz, her the demind for seamless set, will be tions Diseases. Second and Luzerne who had been arrested in connection may fair. There is little likelihood of streets, \$185,000 will be spent on im. with a robbery. Luta was bandeaffed, herevery in the liste or cotton line, nor provements to observation words and for a hygiene laborator, and a diph-theria pavilion. Director Warburton, the new head of the Department of Public Welfree, will be well be away and deshed into a sub-in the turnel, and thinking to frighten sort will have a fair demand. The un-the prisoner, fired Miss Walters was employment situation in the hosicry about to ascend the steps and was hit, industry is much better.

the Department of Public Weifree, will abor Tustin, his predecessor, who died recently

FRENCH OFFICIAL CENSURED

Wartime Food Administrator Al-

leged to Have Profited Illegally Paris, Dec. 31 – (By A. P.) – M. Tilgrain, French warting food addi-ministrator, is censured for alleged use of his official prestige to his own addi-rantage in grain deals in a report by a Chamber of Deputies commission. The commission advises the Govern-ment to demand that M. Vilgrain pays into the public freasury 1,200,000 rances, which, it declares, was his share of the commission paid to the firm of monuel Sandar & Co., of London, for the Prench Government after he left into the Prench Government after he left
Chamber of Australian wheat for the rench Government after he left

of these piers have been built the ields covered with their evolvers, for the future is very flavorable. The prospect backed out of the building, joining the factorers in this line, and I think that the petitivity in our industry will eventuate to their machine and escaped. The same time, we cannot have the same time, we cannot have the same time.

FIRES AT CULPRIT: HITS GIRL for a return to real prospecity until we have a real would pence. When that is

secured. I flink that the return Detective Merely Intended to Fright- condition of prosperity will not be long

en His Escaping Prisoner C. Stanley Hirtbut, hovers manu-Pittsburgh, D.S. 53 By A. P.5instance. "Speaking only with regard to the honory industry. I should say

In lines are extremely good. - are in great demand today, Schuless wood stockings for women

McDermotr continued the chase and recaptured Lutz about a hulf mile from

Pursburgh, ignorant, he said, that Moss beerge C. Walters had been shot.

Window Smash Balks Robbery leged to Have Profited Illegally window of the shop of the John Davis sensor, we expect increased activity

Ing. station, and the Belmont Biers, which will be operated belmore finally for the part of the station station. Support of the window of the room to the station. Support of the window of the room to the station and the room to the station of th

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