

PENNSY OFFERS GARDEN PLOTS

Employs May Raise Vegetables; Many Accept the Opportunity

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company will give to its 150,000 employees means to combat the high cost of living by making available for them for farming purposes thousands of acres of land along the railroad lines that hitherto have lain dormant and unutilized.

A series of gardens where railroad men can till the soil and raise vegetables will stretch at intervals along and near railroad lines from Chicago to the Atlantic seaboard.

While there is no land within the Harrisburg city limits, plots at Rockville, Enola, and along the line of the Philadelphia and Middle divisions will be given over to employees.

Already a number of Harrisburgers who have summer cottages taken over Susquehanna river have taken over gardens. Hundreds of employees on the eastern lines, east of Pittsburgh, in Delaware, New Jersey, Maryland and Pennsylvania have expressed their intention in utilizing plots, unavailable at present for railroad purposes, where they may produce food.

Thomas W. Hulmes, real estate officer of the Pennsylvania, in conjunction with Elisha Lee, general manager, will have direct charge of parceling the land. The offer, it is believed, will be particularly taken up by the railroad men living in the country or in small towns.

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STOCKS TUMBLE IN FALLING MARKET

Leading Issues Open at Losses of One to Two Points; Movement Becomes General and in Some Instances Greatly Extended

New York, April 7.—Selling of securities in large volume was renewed during today's short session on the Stock Exchange, the formal entry of this country into the war precipitating fresh investment liquidation and encouraging the short interest to greater activity.

Apprehension was heightened by reports of strange vessels off the Massachusetts and Virginia coasts and the circulation of other reports of a disquieting character.

Leading stocks opened at losses of 2 to 4 points but before the end of the first hour these were general and in some instances greatly extended.

United States Steel which was offered in round amounts made an extreme decline of 3 1/2 points with 2 to 4 points related issues almost 3 points for Bethlehem Steel new stock and 2 to 4 points for shippings and motors.

Selling moderated slightly toward the end of the first hour, but the market manifested no rallying tendencies.

NEW YORK STOCKS

Table with 2 columns: Stock Name and Price. Includes items like American Sugar, American Steel, and various bonds.

Philadelphia Produce. Wheat—Strong and higher; No. 2, red, spot, \$2.25 @ 2.25; No. 2, Southern, red, \$2.15 @ 2.25.

EASTER WILL BE BRIGHT AND FAIR

Patriotic Services in Many Churches Will Add to Observance

Easter this year witnesses the rebirth of a new spirit in Harrisburg—and the Nation. For both Church and State the month of April has sacred anniversaries and precious memories alike of sacrifice and triumph.

The Easter musical services in Harrisburg will strike a peculiar note of patriotic joy and gladness. The pulpits will bear messages pointing out the obligation of the citizen to his country as he enters a holy war for righteous purposes.

The day promises to be a pleasant one. The official forecast states that the weather will be fair with continued cold this evening and to-morrow.

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Nation's Reserve Makes Increase Over Last Week

New York, April 7.—The statement of the actual condition of Clearing House Banks and Trust Companies for the week shows that they hold \$162,578,960 in excess of legal requirements.

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BABY FOUND ON GRAVE

Coroner Eckinger is investigating the finding of the body of a baby on a grave in the East Harrisburg cemetery.

Additional Classified Advertisements. Storage. STURAGE—Fireproof and non-flammable warehouse. Private rooms for household goods.

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Motorcycles and Bicycles

FOR SALE—1917, three-speed Excelsior motorcycle for sale cheap. Fully equipped.

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NAVY IS MOBILIZED FOR QUICK ACTION

Issue already authorized, but not issued, was expected at any time. Con-Adoo and members of the Senate conference on finance problems were today to-day between Secretary McAdoo and members of the Senate Finance Committee and the House Ways and Means Committee.

Italian Takes Out Papers So He Can Enlist in Army

Two aliens this morning took out the first papers announcing their declaration to apply for naturalization, and three others took out second papers. They were issued at the office of Prothonotary Henry F. Roller.

Oldest Minister in Central Pa. Conference Is Dead

York, Pa., April 7.—The Rev. Richard Hinkle, a retired minister of the Central Pennsylvania Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and the oldest minister in the conference, died here today at the age of 87 years.

U. S. Refuses Mail For Germany and Her Allies

Washington, D. C., April 7.—Postmaster General Burleson today suspended mail service to Germany during the war and also instructed all post offices to refuse as well any mail destined for Austria, Hungary, Luxembourg, Bulgaria and Turkey.

FOR RENT Apartment

A very desirable apartment, located in Arcade Building, 219 Walnut street. Four rooms, bath and kitchenette. Heat and hot water furnished.

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Market Street Store Rooms FOR RENT

Located near Fourth Street, in the heart of the busy section. Apply to P. MAGARO, Regent Theater.

LEGAL NOTICES

OFFICE OF EUREKA NOTION CO., INC. NOTICE is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the said corporation for the election of directors for the ensuing year will be held on Monday, April 16, 1917, at 8 o'clock P. M., at the office of said corporation, 910 North Third Street, Harrisburg, Pa.