

SAFEGUARDS TO PROTECT BUYERS OF HOMES URGED

Local Committees Being Organized to Watch Profiteering

Washington, June 26.—Local committees engaged in the Own Your Own Home campaign, which the United States Department of Labor has been conducting since the first of the year, have as one of their chief functions the safeguarding of the interests of builders and investors against profiteering in land values or building materials.

Wherever a town or city has undertaken to stimulate building as part of the nation's reconstruction program, the interests of the committees have been co-ordinated in such a way that speculators in real estate or contractors willing to exploit the builder have had little chance. Real estate exchanges, chambers of commerce, mortgage investment companies and building associations have worked together for the common good. With the first idea that shortage of housing gives an opportunity to start construction work, which provides employment for returning soldiers, the Own Your Own Home movement was started in a few enterprising cities.

100 Cities in Campaign
It quickly spread until now more than 100 cities are regularly enrolled in the campaign while several hundred more are co-operating in the work of stimulating business in co-operating with the United States Homes Registration Service, whose local committees have provided valuable information and support to building enterprises. Important results have already been accomplished. Towns of every size have taken an interest in starting these improvements. Where there was not an organized effort, activity has been encouraged, and each month shows surprising progress in all parts of the United States. The Own Your Own Home campaign has been primarily an effort to re-

live building, but naturally it has awakened ambition to buy as well as to build. Here, again, it has been emphasized that local general committees of the Own Your Own Home campaign should appoint various subcommittees to deal with special branches of home-owning enterprises. On such subcommittees it has been stipulated that there should serve representatives of organized labor, of building and loan associations, of the United States Homes Registration Service and other civic agencies, as well as a representative of real estate interests.

Where Harm Is Done
It is recognized that more harm than good might easily be done in a community by persuading men to carry financial burdens heavier than they can bear successfully. Any family may be forced to pass through a period of illness or unemployment. It is pointed out, therefore, that prospective purchasers should not be encouraged so to bind themselves financially that they will jeopardize their entire savings should periods of unemployment or misfortune befall them.

Nothing more surely discourages home ownership than the practices of what are commonly known as "mortgage sharks" who lure prospective home owners into bad investments and then foreclose on the first default. Local Own Your Own Home and Build Now committees are being counseled to warn men and women against unscrupulous persons and organizations and to recommend only mortgage companies whose methods of business are reliable. Special subcommittees to advise on mortgages are always desirable and the members of these should be public-spirited citizens, familiar with financial problems and able wisely to direct delinquent purchasers as well as interested buyers.

State Druggists to Meet Here Next Year

By Associated Press.
Chambersburg, Pa., June 26.—The Pennsylvania Pharmaceutical Association has decided to hold next year's convention at Harrisburg, the last week in June.

The committee on drugs reported that the quality of drugs is good, and that American chemicals are satisfactory. Regarding vegetable drugs, however, the report said, the condition is not good owing to a shortage of foreign production.

TEMPLETON IS DUE ON JULY 1

New Superintendent Arranging to Take Up His Superintendency Next Week



Thomas W. Templeton, the new superintendent of public grounds and buildings, whose appointment was confirmed yesterday, by the Senate, will assume his duties on Tuesday of next week, July 1. Mr. Templeton was sent congratulations by many friends yesterday and is planning to take up his residence here next week. Until he comes here George A. Shreiner will remain in charge of affairs. Mr. Shreiner will have supervision over many of the details of the Capitol improvement under the new chief and will give him the benefit of his advice in the reorganization of the department which is to be undertaken.

Some friends of Mr. Templeton, in commenting upon his appointment, remarked upon his success which has attended his life and the number of avocations with which he is familiar. He is a builder, having started life laying stone and brick, a druggist, a lawyer and is now not only engaged in several enterprises, but is the active head of the big Dorrance greenhouses at Wilkes-Barre, the largest establishment of the northeastern section. He has made a study of landscaping as well.

Public Service Hearings—Chairman Ainey, of the Public Service Commission, is sitting at Wilkes-Barre to-day in the railway cases. There were several hearings held at the offices of the commission here and a large list taken up at Pittsburgh.

Deliver Bonds Soon—The first of the State's road bonds will be delivered next week. The State authorities are getting ready to send them to the syndicate which was awarded them at such a handsome premium for the State.

Heim Starts to Work—Fred A. Heim, of Williamsport, appointed a bank examiner, has resigned from the Auditor General's office to take up his new duties.

Walker Bill Off—The Walter anti-profiteering bill was struck from the Senate calendar by a 35-3 vote last evening, after Senator Eyre, Chester, had assured his colleagues that the measure was unconstitutional. Senator Vore spoke in favor of the bill, calling it up for second reading, after he had described some of the work of profiteering in Philadelphia.

Bureau Report Stands—The conference report on the bill reorganizing the State Workmen's Compensation Bureau was adopted without comment in either House. It fixes salaries at \$7,000, creates the office of supervisor of reference at \$6,000 and salaries of references at \$5,000, with various changes in the bureau, which remains a part of the State Department of Labor and Industry.

General Sisson Here—Ex-Auditor General A. E. Sisson, of Erie, came to Harrisburg for the final session. A number of other former State officials were at the Capitol during the evening.

Name Mountain as a Memorial to Roosevelt

Announcement has been made in New York by the Roosevelt Memorial Association that on July 4 the Black Hills Pioneers would honor the memory of the dead ex-President by naming for him the highest peak in the Black Hills. Timed to take place during Homecoming Week for Deadwood and other Black Hills communities, this ceremony will be a manifestation of the affection which all the residents of that section of the country felt for Colonel Roosevelt.

"On that day," Captain Seth Bullock wrote to the Roosevelt Memorial Association, "throughout the entire Northwest, the people will carry in their minds a thought of what the Colonel was and what he represented in the life of this country."

Peak Overlooks Three States
The peak which is to be known as Mount Theodore Roosevelt is now known as Sheep Mountain or Round Top. It is a detached eminence with an elevation of 6,000 feet, three miles from Deadwood, fifteen miles from Wyoming and thirty-five miles from the Montana State line. It is on the Black Hills Forest Reserve, and will be the center of a bird and game refuge also dedicated to the memory of the ex-President.

An automobile road is now being built to the top of the mountain from Deadwood. A new bridge path along a beautiful little creek will also give access to the mountain top and the memorial cairn.

Wants U. S. Alone to Finance Liberia

London, June 26.—Proposal that the United States alone should understand the whole responsibility of the finances of Liberia is made by C. D. B. King, Secretary of State and President-elect of Liberia, who is visiting here.

Mr. King said the negotiations for a loan of \$5,000,000 from the United States Government to Liberia had not been completed. At present there was an international receivership to which Great Britain, France and the United States were parties. "As this loan is to be used in paying off the existing international obligations," said Mr. King, "it will necessarily follow that the United States Government will undertake the whole responsibility to administer our finances. Negotiations on these points are now proceeding between the American, British and French governments and there may be a withdrawal of Great Britain and France from the international receivership in its present form; as the receivership has not worked altogether satisfactorily."

"It would simply mean that instead of our having financial representatives of three powers assisting us in applying our finances to the needs of the country we would have one set of officers and those nominated by the United States Government."

Hungarian Communists Mobilizing Workers

Paris, June 26.—The Hungarian communist congress has ordered the general mobilization of all workers, a dispatch from Budapest says. The military situation is said to be unfavorable to Hungary and, in addition, the morale of the troops is bad.

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