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PLANNING SCHOOL FOR WAR VICTIMS

Proposed Occupational Training for Wounded Here Looked for Soon

SEEKING LOCATION

Plans begun a week ago to start a Philadelphia school for occupational therapy probably will be completed at a meeting of the organization in charge of the work next Tuesday afternoon in the Philadelphia office of the National League for Women's Service.

The aim of the proposed school is to train men and women for future instruction of crippled soldiers and sailors returned from the hospitals of France. Several of Philadelphia's leading occupational schools now are behind the movement, and all have offered their buildings and equipment for the training of those who may enroll for teaching service.

Mrs. Herbert Wadsworth, wife of Senator Wadsworth, this afternoon addressed the service league in the Art Alliance headquarters. She spoke on the work done by other countries for the crippled fighters and urged special instruction in many fields of work which injured men may enter.

Mrs. H. Gordon McTough, chairman of the local service league, is the temporary chairman of the executive committee in charge of the plans for the school to instruct teachers. Persons entering the school will be taught to instruct cripples in weaving, wood carving and machine-shop work. The local committee expects to have fully trained teachers ready for service by the time the teachers have finished in the local school, they will be put at the disposal of the Government and assigned to rehabilitation hospitals.

There now are four schools such as the one planned for Philadelphia. They are in Boston, New York, Chicago and Washington. The schools in Chicago and things taught in these schools have been made and this information will be used in handling the Philadelphia institution.

A subcommittee of the executive committee will hold a meeting Tuesday to determine which of the nine schools offered will be taken for the teachers' training school. The schools under consideration are Arts and Crafts Guild, School of Design, Plastic Club, School of Industrial Art, Academy of the Fine Arts, Graphic Arts Club, Department of Architecture of the University of Pennsylvania, and the Trades School of the Philadelphia public school.

The executive committee is composed of representatives of the schools offered for the training course.

DEFT PUPILS AID RED CROSS

Children of Baldwin School Present Fifty Kits

The children of Baldwin school, Sixteenth and Powel streets, this afternoon gave to the naval auxiliary of the Red Cross fifty kits they made by staying at home.

The presentation marked the close of a day filled with patriotic exercises, which began with a memorial Day program this morning. This was the second time these children have given kits to the Red Cross, the first fifty being completed about three weeks ago.

Working only one day a week, Wednesday afternoons, under the instruction of their teachers, the children have made rapid progress in every phase of making the kits. Every class is represented among the work.

RENT PROFITTEERING SPIKED

Admiral Bowles Declares Gouging of Home-Seekers Ended

Gouging of shipyard workers in West Philadelphia by real estate profiteers is virtually ended, Admiral Bowles, assistant general manager of the Emergency Fleet Corporation, announced this afternoon.

In the last few weeks, the admiral said, more than 200 complaints had been settled by mutual agreement, when both parties were brought to an understanding of the situation.

TRUCK INJURES BOY

Barney Bookoff, 811 N. Camac Street, Has Chest Crushed

Barney Bookoff, thirteen, 811 North Camac street, was injured this afternoon when he was run down by a motor truck at Twelfth street and Fairmount avenue.

HIGH BAIL FOR U. S. FOES

Kane Hears of Gregory's Warning Concerning Enemies Awaiting Trial

United States District Attorney Kane was asked this afternoon about a warning by Attorney General Gregory against releasing on bail persons arrested on charges of espionage. Gregory declared many of them have carried on German propaganda while waiting trial.

CAMP TORTURERS ONCE LIVED HERE

Went Back With Bernstorff, Though They Had Sworn Allegiance to U. S.

DESPISED AS GRAFTERS

August and Frederick Niemeyer, twins, who have won an evil reputation as "official torturers" of soldiers in German prison camps, formerly lived in Philadelphia. They conducted a wholesale coffee business at Hutchinson and Silver streets.

A recent cable dispatch to the EVENING PUBLIC LEDGER told of infamous acts charged against these Niemeyer twins, who were born fifty-seven years ago, and it has been learned that the brothers were well known in Philadelphia.

As a "reward" for their abuse of English and American prisoners the Kaiser has decorated them with the Iron Cross, second class.

The twins left this country when Count von Bernstorff, the former German ambassador to the United States, gave them his passports, in April, 1912. Upon their return to their fatherland they were placed in charge of the prison camps in Hannover.

Some time before their departure from America the Americans of German birth or descent, who had known them here, had begun to discover what manner of men the Niemeyer brothers were, and they were vitally ostracized in a very small circle. Their conduct had caused them to be dropped from one club, where it was charged they were "ordinary grafters."

The Niemeyers came to Philadelphia from Boston in 1897. They said they had never been naturalized. So far as is known here neither was married. They lived first at 2506 North Broad street, and later at 2231 North Snyderham street. After the outbreak of the war in Europe they often boasted that, while they were naturalized citizens of the United States, they still retained their commissions as reserve officers of the German army. They expressed hopes that they would some day have an opportunity to show the Americans how to fight.

For eight years the Niemeyer twins were members of the Quartet Club, 2717 Germantown avenue, according to John Snyder, secretary of the club. They were expelled January 1, 1914, for failing to pay their dues and for other causes. When Bernstorff was about to leave the country they eagerly grasped the opportunity to return to Germany in his party, and went as members of the former ambassador's staff. No effort was made by the American authorities to detain them.

2 HELD AFTER COLLISION

Motorcar and Truck Driver Face Assault Charges

Frank Wright, motorcar on a Willow Grove trolley, and Charles Smith, Long Island, driver of a motor truck, were arraigned before Magistrate McCreary today on charges of assault and battery. The hearing was the result of a collision last night between Wright's car and the truck. Four persons were injured, Wright, were slightly injured. Each blamed the other for the accident, and both were held in bail of \$400 each.

The collision occurred at Old York and Northeast Boulevard. Besides Wright, who is injured, are William Fox, an orderly at the Jewish Hospital, Morris Precinct, 1924 Norris street, and Mrs. Ellen Smith, 1914 Norris street. All were cut and bruised.

MARTIN INQUEST PUT OFF

Alleged Jewelry Bandit Prisoner Accused of Murder Is Ill

The inquest in the death of Charles J. Martin, forty-five, 958 North Eleventh street, was postponed today after a short discussion between Coroner Knight and Assistant District Attorney Maurer.

Martin was shot April 9 at Eleventh street and Girard street by a man supposed to be James Morrison. He is charged Morrison, his brother Edwin and James Murray, charged with the possession of rings from a jewelry store, Eleventh street and Girard avenue. Martin was shot when he chased the men.

James Morrison is in the hospital at Moyamensing prison, with mental trouble. Coroner Knight decided to postpone the case until Morrison was able to appear.

"GROWLER" AND "HALF PINT" CAST OUT BY OWN PARENTS

Saloonkeepers Also Cut Down Size of Beer Glasses to Eight Ounces for Strictly Patriotic Reasons

More trouble is brewing for the beer business. Furthermore the "growler" will soon go to its lair. It will be buried at midnight Friday with the full approval of the Government. Some will mourn; other will rejoice.

In the latter class will be patrol inspectors, for the "growler" (or family beer transport) caused them more work probably than any other agency.

The death of the "growler" was pre-empted today by the demise of the half-pint. Its sale is forbidden beginning last midnight. And it will be futile for those with clinging thirsts to go over the river, as the same rules apply to Camden and the rest of South Jersey.

LIBERTY BOND THEIF HUNTED OVER NATION

Number of Securities Worth \$69,500 Flashed From Philadelphia

LOBBYISTS BARRED FROM TAX HEARING

A notice carrying the serial numbers of \$69,500 worth of Liberty Bonds has been sent to every principal city in the country today, following the robbery of a booth at the Land Title and Trust Company, at Broad and Chestnut streets yesterday afternoon.

The theft is accounted one of the boldest daylight robberies ever perpetrated in this city. E. Raymond Scott, who has been in the employ of the bank for many years, had just deposited the pile of bonds on a table in the booth and turned to answer a question when the thief opened the low door beneath the counter, reached in and then made his escape with the pile of securities.

They included fifteen \$1000 bonds, from serial number 92460 to 124240; fifty-three \$1000 bonds from serial 943-953 to 944003; two \$500 bonds numbered 373728 and 373729 and five \$100 bonds numbered 2281413, 2281414, 2281420 and 2281421.

In the center of the Liberty Loan booth of the Land Title and Trust Company is a low table, just before a low door. While detouring the "day of the land" and planned his coup after minute observation of the customs, habits and procedure of the occupants of the booth, others hold that the theft was the impulse of a moment; that the thief could not have possibly figured on the time of the theft, but that he was a member of the staff of the bank.

Mr. Scott heard the visitor at the door of the booth and turned to see what was wanted, but failed to notice the absence of his bonds until a moment later, when he gave the alarm.

A fair description of the unparliamentary burglary has been advised by detectives who questioned employes of the bank and others who were nearby when the theft was accomplished.

Escaped spy to lecture Battle, Aids War Fund

WIFE OF ARMY MAN ADMITS BOOTLEGGING

Lieutenant Bennett Criticized for Permitting Resort for Men in Service

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Mrs. Adams is the mother of four children, three of them small. Her husband is in the service. According to the testimony, Mrs. Adams admitted she had done wrong, but said she had been forced to it by lack of funds. Commissioner Long said it was beyond his belief that the mother of these small children should be guilty of such a crime, depriving many families in Philadelphia of living on less than \$64 a month.

St. Felix, of the Department of Justice, who was in charge of the raid said the house was located in the police district commanded by Lieutenant Bennett, and criticized the police, accusing them of inefficiency because the place was in existence.

Mrs. Adams was unable to furnish bail, and was remanded to the house of detention.

TWO AUTO DAMAGE SUITS

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"Treat 'Em Rough" Slogan of University Recruiting Drive

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With the slogan "Treat 'em rough" Lieutenant H. Gardner, tank service, launched a campaign on the campus of the University of Pennsylvania for recruits today.

Lieutenant Gardner, at Houston Hall, told Pennsylvania men of the opportunities in this service. He has visited all the larger educational institutions in the east and has enlisted many college men to act as leaders in the tank service.

Lieutenant Gardner promised the University men that undergraduates nearly twenty-one can obtain commissions, while those younger will be made sergeants.

Pennsylvania men who will enroll in this service will be sent to the concentration camp at Gettysburg for training. The most active recruit campaign at Pennsylvania has been extended until Saturday.

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Mr. Cassatt detailed the advertising campaign and the sale of stamps. Notices are to be sent to all taxpayers and meetings will be called in every community. The chairman meeting here were told to begin at once the work of notifying taxpayers of the observance, and to call school meetings.

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Bill to Be Taken Up June 6. Short Congress Recess Planned

REGULATE WOOL BUYING

War Industries Board Has Plan to Eliminate Unnecessary Expense

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Hoover Urges Need for Continuance of Conservation

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Director Wilson Says Sergeant McMullen Was Moved Because of Unfitness

Denial was made this afternoon by Director Wilson of Public Safety that politics was involved in the transfer of Police Sergeant Albert E. McMullen from the Front and Westmoreland streets station, nine miles from his home, 2031 South Oval street.

It was charged by anti-Vare men in the fifth division of the Forty-eighth Ward that McMullen was transferred because the division in which he lives gave a big majority for Bettlemann, Penrose candidate for Lieutenant Governor.

The tale about McMullen," said the Director, "is like its sponsor—junk. McMullen was transferred to the Front and Westmoreland streets station because that was the only vacancy I had to transfer him to. He was not fitted for traffic duty."

It was learned that McMullen, who was formerly attached to the Twentieth and Federal streets station, was transferred to the traffic squad several months ago. Acting Superintendent Mills, then captain, found that McMullen was not fitted for traffic duty and asked Director Wilson to transfer him to another station. The Director, it is said, paid no attention to the recommendation of Captain Mills at that time and McMullen continued on the traffic squad.

It appears that the asserted unfitness of McMullen for the traffic squad was not made apparent to Director Wilson until McMullen's division gave Bettlemann a majority over John R. Kane, Scott, the Vare choice, at the recent primary election. McMullen has eleven children and a wife, who is very ill.

Several other transfers of policemen were made, it is said, as a result of the poor political showing for the Vare ticket in the division mentioned.

It was charged by Penrose followers that city employes caused considerable trouble in the division. One of the echoes of the election troubles occurred this afternoon, when Constable John Gormley, of the Forty-eighth Ward, swore out a warrant for Edward Stuart, a Vare follower, charging the latter with assault and battery. The alleged assault took place, it is said, in a City Hall corridor.

One of the transferred policemen, John L. Daly, announced that he had resigned when notified that he was to be sent to another beat. Eight other policemen are residents of the fifth division of the Forty-eighth Ward, which gave an overwhelming majority for Bettlemann, are said to be slated for beats miles away from their homes.

Captain Mills admitted that he did not favor transfers in general but says it is up to the Director, George McElwain, a Penrose supporter, who claims to have instigated the revolt against the Director in the Forty-eighth Ward, charges that policemen were active on primary day despite the order of Captain Mills that they were "out of politics to stay."

CHILD FALLS, FRACTURING SKULL

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