COLLEGES FACE FINANCIAL PERIL

Disbanding Student Armies Hits Institutions, Says Provost Smith

WENT TO BIG EXPENSE

Looks to Government to Reimburse Managements for Outlay in Its Interest

Half the colleges of the country will be driven to the wall—financially ruined—unless the Government reimburses them for the loss incurred by the demobilization of the student army training corps and the expense of suddenly changing the curriculum, declared Provost Smith, of University of Pennsylvania, today.

Provost Smith believes, however, that the Government will remunerate the educational institutions which have maintained branches of the corps.

Provost Smith's comment was prompted by the statement of Secretary of War Baker that the Government is not responsible for what he terms the "prospective profits" of the colleges.

"I feel absolutely certain that the Government will do the right thing by the colleges in the matter of reimbursement," he said.

"The Government could ill-afford to allow higher educational institutions to be stranded because of a situation which has arisen from their own choosing," continued Provost Smith. "If no restitution is made, at least 50 per cent of the educational institutions in America where a unit has been established will be driven to the wall, financially ruined. Such a course has never been the policy of the Government in any previous case."

In regard to the arrangements that had been made at Penn for the readjustment of scholastic work, Provost Smith said the roster committee and the faculty had already outlined the alterations in the courses to permit the college to return to a normal peace basis.

"Many men will gladly leave the army corps, now that the danger from bullets is over," the provost declared. "I am afraid there have been many men enlisted here in Pennsylvania who were only dodging bullets. I have had complaints from old college men concerning the manner in which these newcomers have disregarded the rights of others, and I fully realize that Penn this last term has been flooded with students who have been out of school for as much as three years who saw in the S. A. T. C. a chance of dodging the draft. The university will be rid of these men by this new order, and I am glad of it."

According to the telegraphic orders received yesterday, the demobilization of the students' army training corps must be completed by December 22.

MANY SALOONS CLOSED

Shut Doors Two Hours During Thanksgiving Services

Many saloons closed at 10 o'clock this morning, during the Thanksgiving community services, and remained closed until noon.

The two-hour closing decision was reached at a meeting of the Retail Liquor Dealers' Association by a unanimous vote.

Neil Bonner, the president, announced last night that the aid of the Police Department had been solicited in an effort to have every saloon closed within the prescribed hours.

45TH WARD HONORS HEROES

Parade Precedes Raising of Flag With Sixteen Gold Stars

A parade and flag-raising were the principal Thanksgiving observances of residents of the Forty-fifth Ward today.

The flag, an immense one with sixteen gold stars and the number 1346, representing men from the neighborhood in the service, was raised at the draft board headquarters, at Richmond and Kirkbride streets, Bridesburg.

The exercises, which took place this afternoon, included a speech by Director of Supplies Joseph MacLaughlin, and a parade, in which every organization and church in the war participated.

Mothers of boys in service marched in the parade, each carrying a service flag presented by the committee. Military and naval detachments marched at the head of the procession.

MRS. A. B. PARSELS DEAD

Vice President of State W. C. T. U. and Prominent Lecturer

Mrs. Addie Boileau Parsels, noted temperance lecturer and vice president of the Pennsylvania Women's Christian Temperance Union, died suddenly yesterday in the Orthopedic Hospital of uremic poisoning, superinduced by shock following the death of her son, David, who was drowned at Ocean City.

Mrs. Parsels was fifty-six years old and lived at 5740 Belmar terrace. She was taken to the hospital about two weeks ago.

Mrs. Parsels was born in Morrisville, Pa., and for a number of years was principal of the Morrisville public school. In July, 1889, she was married to the Rev. L. A. Parsels, a member of the Philadelphia Methodist Conference for twenty-five years. He died three years ago. Besides being vice president of the county W. C. T. U., Mrs. Parsels was chairman of the national board of organizers of the society. She had been engaged in reform work for more than thirty years and lectured in nearly all the States in the cause of temperance.

Mrs. Parsels is survived by two sons and four daughters. The daughters are Catherine, principal of the Darby High School; Isabel, a teacher at the same school, and Florence and Emily Parsels. Ezra, one of the sons, is an instructor in the Haverford College.

The funeral will be held on Monday evening in the Arch Street Methodist Episcopal Church. Interment will be made Tuesday morning at Morrisville.

MRS. ADDIE BOILEAU PARSELS
Of 5740 Belmar terrace, vice president of the Pennsylvania W. C. T. U., is dead

MRS. MARGARET DIODATI
Wife of Dr. V. M. Diodati, now serving as lieutenant in the United States army in France. Mrs. Diodati will represent "Italy" on the float picturing the "Victory Over Austria" in today's Thanksgiving procession of the Italian societies

FLAG RAISING IN 29TH WARD

Service Men and 18 Girl Nurses Honored Today

A service flag in honor of the young men of the neighborhood who went to fight for the Stars and Stripes, and eighteen young women who volunteered as Red Cross nurses, was raised this afternoon by residents of the Twenty-ninth Ward.

Before the unfurling of the flag there was a parade in which many organizations in the ward took part. The exercises were held under the auspices of the Twenty-ninth Ward citizens' committee.

The parade formed at Twenty-eighth and Oxford streets and moved over the following route: On Oxford street to Twenty-fifth, to Columbia avenue, to Twenty-third, to Oxford, to Twenty-fifth, to Thompson, to West College avenue, to Girard avenue, on Girard avenue to Twenty-ninth, to Columbia avenue, to Twenty-eight and thence to the headquarters of the Twenty-sixth Local Draft Board, Twenty-eighth street and Columbia avenue, where the parade disbanded.

TO PLAY FOR WILSON ON TRIP

Philadelphia Musician One of Five Selected by President

A Philadelphia musician is one of the five men selected by President Wilson to provide music during the trip overseas of the presidential party and during the party's stay abroad.

Carl Faushauer, a violinist of the Philadelphia Orchestra, is the local musician chosen for the honor. His four companions, all navy men, will be John Doane, Randall's Grove, Ohio; Herman Felber, Jr., member of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra; Walter Brauer, Jersey City, and Robert Dolejsi, Chicago.

CLUBS JOIN IN THANKS

Big Sisters and Juniors of Keneseth Israel Entertain

A Thanksgiving entertainment given jointly by the Big Sisters and the Junior Club will be held at 8 o'clock this evening at the Alumni Building of the Keneseth Israel Synagogue, 1725 North Broad street.

The main feature of the program will be a speech by Robert D. Dripps, of the National Council for Defense. Music and an informal dance will be other events of the evening.

TO ABOLISH SUGAR SLIPS

Distribution of Certificates to Be Discontinued December 1

Distribution of sugar under the certificate system will be discontinued December 1, under an order issued today by the food administration. In announcing the order the administration emphasized that requests for conservation of sugar were in no way modified.

Domestic consumers, it was said, will be expected to observe the voluntary ration of four pounds per person a month, and public eating places will be required to use only four pounds of sugar for each ninety meals served.

WASHINGTON GIVES THANKS FOR PEACE

President and Mrs. Wilson, Government Officials and Diplomats at Services

By the Associated Press

Washington, Nov. 28.

Deep feelings of gratitude and thankfulness, greater than can come to a nation through material prosperity, pervaded America's observance of Thanksgiving Day. Peace with victory after nineteen months of war gave the day much added significance.

The declaration of President Wilson in his Thanksgiving proclamation that "this year we have special and moving cause to be grateful and to rejoice," appeared to express the true sentiments of the American people. Successes of the nation's military forces on land and sea made the occasion a "victory day" as well as a thanksgiving day. There also came a realization as expressed by the President that "a new day shines about us in which our hearts take new courage and look forward with new hope to new and greater duties."

Many celebrations of the day centered directly around the soldiers and sailors. Community Thanksgiving services, community song services and "victory celebrations" were held in many parts of the country.

In the training camps in this country, in the navy and among the forces overseas all efforts were bended toward making the day a memorable one. In this country citizens opened their homes to men in uniform, while abroad and in the navy preparations had been made to bring as many home comforts to the men as possible.

Washington observed the day quietly and in accordance with the President's proclamation. In the churches were held services, which were attended by high Government officials and department clerks.

President Wilson and Mrs. Wilson attended Thanksgiving services. The Thanksgiving dinner at the White House was a simple affair, only the members of the President's family being present.

Many of the envoys of foreign countries and especially those of the South American nations attended the annual Pan-American mass at St. Patrick's Church. Cardinal Gibbons presided at the mass.

In a Thanksgiving message to the nation, issued last night, Secretary Baker said:

"America can rejoice and give thanks because she has been able to demonstrate the solid character of her people, the inspiring quality of her institutions and the capacity of the Republic for sacrifice in the interest of high ideals. We give thanks this year as a united nation, as a people who have abated all differences of lineage, language and creed in order that we may express effectively and as one our common belief in the virtues of democracy."

PHILADELPHIA WOMAN SET MODERN THANKSGIVING DAY

Mrs. Sarah Josepha Hale Suggested Last Thursday in November as Date

President Lincoln First to Adopt Idea of Fixed Annual Observance

A Philadelphia woman was the originator of our modern Thanksgiving.

She was Mrs. Sarah Josepha Hale, of old New England stock, and it was she who suggested to President Lincoln that the last Thursday in November be made a day of national rejoicing for prosperity and happiness.

Previous to this there was no set date for Thanksgiving, although the holiday dates back to 1623, when the first official Thanksgiving was observed.

Mrs. Hale, whose maiden name was Buell, was born in Newport, N. H., October 24, 1788. From her earliest childhood she was an unusually ardent reader and made a particular study of the English poets. In 1813 she was married to David Hale, a lawyer, and in 1822 was left a widow with five children.

It was at this time that Mrs. Hale entered upon a career of writing. For nearly twenty years she was doing magazine work, being at different times the editor of the Ladies' Magazine, and Godey's Lady's Book, published here.

When the latter was founded Mrs. Hale made her home in this city and went in for educational and missionary work. She became a prominent exponent of the cause of women. She was interested in the founding of higher institutions for women and the training of them for missionary and medical work. To this effect she was instrumental in the founding of the Women's Union Missionary Society for Heathen Lands, of which she was president for several years.

Mrs. Hale also advocated the assistance of New England women in raising money for the completion of the Bunker Hill Monument. She took a leading part in the fair by which this was carried out. In 1877 Mrs. Hale retired from editorial work and on April 30, 1879, she died in this city.

Novels, poems and books of educational character are included in the large list of Mrs. Hale's writings.

KRUSEN SUGGESTS THANKS FOR HEALTH

With Passing of Epidemic City Has Much to Be Grateful For, He Says

Director Krusen, who, with his corps of nurses and physicians, regular and volunteer, bore the brunt of the recent influenza epidemic, and who is now busily engaged in planning the care and welfare of returning wounded soldiers and marines, sees much to be thankful for today.

In response to a request for a thanksgiving sentiment from the standpoint of health, the city's chief health officer said:

"At this Thanksgiving, the day of all thanksgiving, with the heavy burden of war lifted, we have much to be thankful for. Let us end omit the thanks for our good health.

"Thanks that we have survived the most dreadful epidemic known in the history of the city.

"Thanks that the influenza has not returned to its sudden, rapid toll among the flower of our population.

"Thanks to the medical and nursing professions, who, in the face of death, worked night and day during the epidemic, performing services under trying circumstances, exposing themselves and their loved ones to infection in the effort to save others.

"Thanks that our boys "over there" and in the cantonments at home have been kept in most excellent physical condition, free from disease and in nearly every instance improved in health and bodily vigor.

"Thanks to the many civilians and to the Sisters of Charity, who nobly performed most valuable service in the homes of the sick.

"Thanks that the death rate from typhoid fever is the lowest in the history of our city.

"Thanks that the children orphaned by the epidemic have been taken care of by the generous response of that American spirit, characterized by charity.

"Thanks that our city is practically free of the once dreaded smallpox.

"Thanks that tuberculosis has been reduced to one-half of its prevalence.

"Thanks for the hearty cooperation given the health department by the various industrial establishments and civic organizations in making this a cleaner and healthier Philadelphia.

"Thanks that our optimism and our faith in human nature has been justified in the heroism, unselfishness and efficiency exhibited by so many noble men and women in the City of Brotherly Love greeting the truth that

"As one lame limb another, so grows
Less
So nobleness enkindleth nobleness."

Evangelical Home Donation Day

This is the annual donation day of the Evangelical Home for the Aged, old York road and Hunting Park avenue. Thanksgiving services will be held in the chapel at 2:30 under the direction of Rev. P. Theodore Beck.

TURKEY SURRENDERS; PRICE BOYCOTT WINS

Poultry Dealers Stung When Housewives Leave Thanksgiving Birds on Hooks

Turkey surrendered again today.

This time the housewives are the victors.

The famous bird of feasts, it was announced, would not grace the festive boards today unless the dealers were paid sixty-five cents a pound.

Some poultry dealers had visions of buyers invading the turkey market overloaded with money and demanding a "turk" at any price.

In anticipation of a big financial killing, the dealers mobilized about 1,978,456 Thanksgiving birds, more or less. They were fat and well "millinered" with choicest feathers. Cash registers were cleaned out and plenty of room was available for the expected hoard of gold.

Then came the awakening. Mrs. Housewife looked at the sixty-five-cent price of turkeys and frowned. Incidentally she noticed that chickens were willing to leave the hook for forty-five cents a pound. By buying ten pounds of chicken instead of ten pounds of turkey, Mrs. Housewife thus saved $2.00, with which she bought a few little extras for the big dinner today.

In desperation the dealers tried to get rid of their stock. The high price boost proved to be a boomerang, which left unpleasant echoes in the cash register.

Turkeys dropped this morning in some shops to as low as forty cents a pound. Thousands of unbought birds are still hanging on the hooks. And the dispense is awful—for some dealers.

PARADE IN WEST PHILADELPHIA

Many Organizations Will Participate in Thanksgiving March

All sections of West Philadelphia will join tonight in a Thanksgiving parade, starting at 8 o'clock in front of the Thirty-ninth street and Lancaster avenue police station.

After covering all the western end of that section it will disband at Sixtieth and Market streets. The route is Lancaster avenue, Baltimore avenue, Fifty-second street, Market street and Sixtieth street.

About 2000 persons are expected to be in line when the start is made. Women's organizations are taking a large part in the affair. Various church societies are also to turn out in large numbers, as well as Boy Scouts, Campfire Girls, Home Defense Reserves and patriotic organizations.

Trade, business and church organizations throughout West Philadelphia have joined to make the parade the largest of its kind ever held in the section. Five bands will be in line.

MASS CELEBRATED FOR K. OF C. HEROES

Memorial Held in Cathedral. Praise for Men Who Died for Nation

The soldier and sailor dead of the Knights of Columbus and civilian members of the organization who died in the last year were remembered today at a solemn requiem mass in the Roman solemn requiem mass in the Cathedral, East Logan Square.

Sixteen Knights of Columbus, members of various local councils, fell in battle or died of disease while serving their country.

Archbishop Dougherty was in the Cathedral sanctuary during the celebration of the mass. Monsignor W. J. Walsh, new rector of St. Bridget's Church and former secretary to the late Archbishop Prendergast, was the celebrant. The Rev. F. B. Kelly was deacon and the Rev. Joseph M. O'Hara was subdeacon.

In an eloquent sermon, the Rev. John J. Greensil, rector of St. Edmond's Church, Twenty-third and Mifflin streets, paid a tribute to service men and civilians alike who were remembered in the mass.

Relatives and friends of the deceased members of the organization crowded the Cathedral. The service men remembered today were:

Lieutenant Thomas M. Golden, Lieutenant James F. Feeley, Sergeant Joseph F. Fleming, Sergeant James P. McAneny, Sergeant Bernard Breen and William Rooney, Thomas P. Dougherty, Dr. Charles J. V. Fries, John F. Kneale, Francis X. McDonald, Anthony F. Forstbofer, Anthony T. Weldon, John A. Scanlon, Peter T. Roe, Edward Kapp and Joseph H. Brady.

PROVIDES FOR POOR

P. E. City Mission Brings Thanksgiving Joy to 400 Families

Following its usual custom of providing Thanksgiving dinners for deserving poor families, the Protestant Episcopal City Mission, located in St. Paul's Church, Third street near Walnut, today made it possible for nearly 400 poor families to have turkey and all the fixings.

Instead of the usual custom of delivering the things in baskets, the families in question were given orders on the American Stores Company to buy what they wanted. These orders ranged from $1.50 to $10 and according to the Rev. H. Cresson McHenry, who was in charge of the work, more than 2000 individuals were fed. Many influenza sufferers were particularly in need of help.

STORE HONORS FIGHTERS

Strawbridge & Clothier Workers in Tribute to Heroes

Three thousand persons took part in the victory celebration of the Strawbridge & Clothier Home-Ties Club at the Metropolitan Opera House last night.

The celebration was in honor of the 244 men, three of whom have died in service, who went out from the Strawbridge & Clothier store to fight for their country.

A full minute of silent prayer was observed in honor of Lieutenant W. B. Kuen, Lieutenant Earl R. Davis and Private Abraham K. Street. Gold stars for these men appear in the Strawbridge & Clothier service flag.

Tableaux, in which appeared women from the store, represented this country's Allies—Belgium, France, Great Britain and Italy. An orchestra of members of the Philadelphia Orchestra played the national anthem of each country as the tableaux was shown.

RIVERFRONT POOR DINE

Helping Hand Rescue Mission Entertain Needy

The nineteenth annual free Thanksgiving dinner of the Helping Hand Rescue Mission, 721 North Second street, for the aged, poor and little children who live in the courts and alleys along the river front, was given today from 12 to 3 o'clock at the mission.

A feature of the dinner was the presence of mothers whose sons and other bread-winners are overseas.

SERVICE FLAG RAISING IN DOWNTOWN SECTION

Ninety-nine Men Honored at Sixteenth and Wolf Streets

Patriotic ceremonies marked the raising of a service flag at Sixteenth and Wolf streets today in honor of the ninety-nine young men of that neighborhood who went to war. The ceremonies began at 3 o'clock with a parade through the section, in which the social, religious and military organizations of that vicinity participated.

At the conclusion of the parade there was a victory Thanksgiving meeting on Wolf street above Sixteenth. Addresses were made by clergymen of the various churches and the people joined in patriotic songs.

Following are those of the neighborhood who were in the country's service:

Edwin W. Adams, first lieutenant, medical corps; Thorfield Anderson, navy; P. J. Burk, G. A. L., C.; Albert Brown, coxswain, marine; George A. Burbage, sergeant, base hospital; Ernest Bushby, navy; Sylvester Buckelew, medical corps; William Buckley, army.

George H. Carbine, navy; Herbert Clark, second lieutenant, army; Frank M. Clark, navy; Raymond Clark, navy; Joseph J. Y. Conlon, signal corps; Michael J. Costello, navy; Walter J. Crozier, army; W. H. Crozier, army.

John H. Delaney, navy; Stephen P. Dever, S. A. T. C.; James E. Dobson, corporal, Eleventh Regiment, P. A. R. D.; Ballard Dougherty, navy.

Walter M. Flanigan, engineer; William C. Forbes, navy; Harry P. Frazier, first lieutenant S. T. 103.

John Gallagher, M. T. 103, army; George Gallon, navy; Fred. Gehring, navy; Henry Gehring, 312th F. A.; John Green, navy; Joseph D. Goodfriend, A. E. F. R. Goodfriend, sergeant, quar. dept.; John Gulnan, navy.

John G. Hahn, corporal, M. R. S., No. 303, army; Frank H. Hahn, army; Bertha H. Hayes, hospital corps; C. Hardisty, R. M. 1, navy; Walter W. Haugesty, sergeant, army; William Heenan, sergeant, marine; Michael J. Hogan, M. R. 303; George V. Hunt, sergeant M. T. 303; John J. Hunt, navy; William P. Hunt, F. H. 111.

Raymond Justice, M. T.

John P. Keegan, S. Bat. Co.; John J. Kearney, 114th A. A.; George J. Kehr, Pa. infantry; Leo J. Kehr, navy; Daniel Kelly, navy; Michael Kerrin, 15th Cal.; Edward Kelch, navy.

Raymond Langford, navy.

John Magee, engineer; Edward T. Maher, coast defense; Joseph F. Maher, 275th Aero Squadron; C. S. Martin, navy; Herbert Martin, navy; John A. Martin, army; William Morris, first lieutenant, army; Charles Myers, navy; George MacConaghy, P. M. R. S. 302; William A. McBrearty, 310th F. A.; James McCartney, corporal, 310th F. A.; James P. McLaughlin, army; John A. McLaughlin, 8th Cal.; Edward McMenamy, navy; James J. Quald, navy; John McVeigh, 217th A. S.; Charles A. McGuff, navy.

R. G. Osgood, navy; John T. Olive, navy; Thomas H. O'Donnell, army.

Alfred Pettit, army; Noah Phillips, navy; W. J. Phillips, army; J. B. Proctor, navy; William J. Pommer, army.

John Read, navy; Ulysses Read, army; George Reese, army; Santiago Rivera, navy; Ellis Robinson, navy; John S. Robinson, navy; Leo Ruth, army.

James Scouler, marine; Burton O. Smith, army; Thomas Smith, army.

William R. Thomas, M. M.; Henry Teefall, medical corps.

Anthony Volta, navy; Joseph Volta, navy.

William Ward, army; Robert E. Watson, sergeant, army; William Watson, sergeant, army; Wilmer B. Watson, sergeant, army; James M. Williams, navy; Robert H. Williams, army.

Walter H. Yerkes, navy.

George E. Zimmer, army; John C. Zimmerman, sergeant, army; Harry F. Zimmerman, army.

POLICE TESTIMONY MIXED

Conflicting Stories Acquit Two of Race Riot Killing

Conflicting testimony of policemen and other witnesses called by the Commonwealth raised such a doubt in the minds of a jury in the Court of Oyer and Terminer yesterday that Jonas Rile and Henry Huff, negroes, were acquitted of the killing of Policeman Thomas McVey, who was shot during the race riots last July in the Grays Ferry district.

McVey went into the home of Rile in Titan street above Twenty-seventh to arrest him and save him from a mob outside. Policemen Myers and Kennedy testified they entered Rile's house with McVey, but Myers insisted Kennedy was not along, and the latter was equally positive that Myers was not there. The policemen again conflicted in their testimony when Myers said that Rile shot McVey, while Kennedy was positive Huff did the shooting.

Rile testified he ran out when the mob approached the house, while Huff said he lived more than ten doors away from Rile and was never at any time in Rile's home.

DINNER FOR CHILDREN

Little Grip Victims to Be Guests of Junior Endeavor

Twenty-five children who have been provided with a home by the Emergency Aid since the outbreak of the epidemic influenza are going to have a real Thanksgiving dinner today. The majority of these youngsters had been ill with influenza, while in other cases their parents had been stricken with the disease.

The children, all of whom are living at St. Timothy's House, 714 Reed street, will be the guests of members of the Junior Endeavor of the Church of the Brethren, Germantown. The dinner, which will be served in the church, will be in charge of a committee headed by Miss Esther Swigert, daughter of Rev. M. C. Swigert. The activities at St. Timothy's House are directed by Mrs. John Wanamaker, 3d.

CELEBRATE VICTORY

Presbyterians Hear of Contributions Made by Wales to War

Amid the plaudits of more than 400 men and women of Welsh descent at a "Victory Service" in the Welsh Presbyterian Church last night, the Rev. Dr. William H. Roberts told of the splendid contribution made by Wales and men having Welsh blood in their veins to the Allied cause.

"From Wales, God brought the man who is today the uncrowned ruler of the British Empire, David Lloyd George," declared Doctor Roberts. "We have a right to rejoice for what God has done through our people." Morris Williams, who presided, said William Hohenzollern "was not one bit better than Attila despite his learning and kultur."

J. Levering Jones paid a tribute to the Welsh people. The Rev. Dr. Thomas C. Bird, who read the Scripture, selected a scathing chapter from Isaiah, which he said must have been intended to apply to the ex-Kaiser of Germany.

A Welsh choir of forty voices under the direction of Edith Morgan sang Welsh hymns.

MISS ELIZABETH WIEMANN
American Red Cross nurse, whose home is at Haddon Heights, N. J., died of influenza at the American Hospital in Paris

THANKS GIVEN TODAY IN ALL CITY CHURCHES

Military Mass, Flag Raising and Union Services Among Events

Thanks for peace and victory were offered in all churches throughout Philadelphia today.

A military mass was celebrated at 9 o'clock in the Church of the Ascension, Westmoreland and G streets, by the Rev. D. J. Broughal. Lieutenant Hugh J Dale, chaplain of the United States army, was deacon; the Rev. Patrick J. Landy, subdeacon, and the Rev. Edmund Franklin, master of ceremonies.

A service flag bearing 56 stars and fifteen gold stars was raised after a parade, in which service men from the Frankford Arsenal and the navy yard and various organizations participated.

Union services were conducted by the congregations of the Chestnut Street Baptist Church and Christ Memorial Reformed Episcopal Church, Forty-third and Chestnut streets.

Congregations of the Calvary, Tenth and Second Presbyterian Churches held a union service at the last named.

The Rev. Dr. J. Wilbur Chapman, former moderator of the Presbyterian General Assembly, preached at a union service in Cookman Methodist Episcopal Church. Churches participating included Lehigh Avenue Baptist, Bethel Evangelical, Gaston Presbyterian and Grace Reformed.

The congregation of the Lutheran Church of the Holy Communion, Twenty-first and Chestnut streets, planned to raise $50,000 at today's service, and turn this money over to the endowment fund as a thank offering.

As the congregation subscribed $809,000 to the fourth Liberty Loan, it was believed there would be no difficulty in raising the amount named at today's service.

A Thanksgiving food sale was conducted by members of the Women's Alliance of the First Unitarian Church for the purpose of raising funds for missionary work.

A patriotic pageant, "The Red, the White and the Blue," was the feature of the Thanksgiving service at Devereux Methodist Church, Twenty-sixth street and Allegheny avenue. Twenty young women, dressed in the costumes of the Allies, participated in the pageant, which was written and directed by W. C. K. Walls.

Dr. John G. Wilson, district superintendent of the Philadelphia conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, was the principal speaker. Mrs. John G. Wilson sang "Hats Off to Uncle Sam," a song she composed. Another soloist was Miss Eva May Lewis, of Baltimore. A choir of fifty voices sang a medley of national hymns.

The Rev. J. Perry Cox is pastor of the church.

PHILADELPHIA MARKETS

Thanksgiving Day being a legal holiday, the banks and trade exchanges were closed and there was no wholesale business transacted in any line. Our usual report of the markets is therefore necessarily omitted from the day's issue.

RED CROSS ROLL CALL LEADERS ANNOUNCED

Philadelphia Divided Into 12 Districts for Christmas Membership Drive

The Southeastern Pennsylvania Chapter of the American Red Cross has announced the names of the fourteen division and department leaders who will conduct the Christmas rollcall December 16-23.

Philadelphia has been divided into twelve divisions for the drive. In addition there is a department of booths and a department for Hog Island and League Island. All of these are under the leadership of Red Cross women, and the entire campaign and work of securing members is in the hands of the women.

The fourteen leaders are as follows: West Philadelphia, Mrs. C. E. Jones, 4524 Chestnut street; Central, Mrs. George H. Lorimer, Wyncote; Southern, Mrs. G. D. Feldt, 37 Carpenter street, Germantown; North Central, Mrs. L. N. Caley, 1626 Mount Vernon street; Northwest, Mrs. H. C. Ferguson, 1837 North Thirty-second street; Northeast Central, Dr. Laura H. Carnell, 2136 North Camac street; Roxborough, Manayunk and Falls, Mrs. Charles B. Bennett, 4347 Manayunk avenue; North Rural, Mrs. Murray W. Chism, Cedar Grove avenue, Olney; Frankford, Dr. Sarah P. Miller, 5009 Smedley street; Northeast, Miss Annie B. Fletcher, 7001 Hagerman street, Tacony; Northeast Rural, Mrs. Ernest Kitchin, 853 Hellerman street, Lawndale; Germantown, Mrs. M. L. Kerr, 5820 Germantown avenue; Booths, Mrs. George W. Urquhart, Red Cross Hall, Wanamaker's, and Hog Island and League Island, Mrs. E. T. Stotesbury, 221 South Eighteenth street.

On Monday at 4 o'clock there will be a meeting of branch and division leaders at headquarters for the purpose of receiving further instructions. The meeting is limited to the chairman and one other worker from each branch or division.

OPEN NEW PLAY CENTERS

School Buildings Will Be Used by Recreation Board

Arrangements for opening of the evening recreation centers in public school buildings during the winter were made today by the Board of Recreation. The school centers will supplement the activities carried on in the established recreation centers conducted by the board.

Public school centers will be established in the following schools: Agnew, Eleventh and Cherry streets; Brown, Hounesburg; Cathorn Annex, Twentieth street and Susquehanna avenue; Columbus, Ninth and Carpenter streets; Comley, Somerton; Cramp, Howard and Ontario streets; Curtin, Musgrave and Hortter streets; Durham, Sixteenth and Lombard streets; Gilbert, Twenty-ninth and Highland streets; Kendrick, Thirty-eighth street and Powelton avenue; Madison, New Market and Green streets; Marshall, Franklin and Sellers streets; Morton, Sixty-third street and Elmwood avenue; Rhoads, Forty-ninth and Parrish streets; Stowe, Seventieth street and Woodland avenue; Wayne, Twenty-eighth and Morris streets, and Wilson, Twelfth and Wharton streets.

Fellowship Gives Thanks

The first meeting for the season of the Dickens Fellowship last night took the form of a Thanksgiving peace celebration. Judge John M. Patterson presided and made the principal address. The invocation was made by the Rev. Dr. Joseph M. Corrigan. Other speakers were the Rev. Louis C. Washburn and Rabbi Henry Berkowitz. A Liberty Sing was led by Albert Hoxie, and recitals were given by Mrs. Margaret Patton Diller and Emilie Krider Norris.

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