PRESIDENT WILSON ANNOUNCES RULES FOR SELECTION OF NATIONAL ARMY

"Be Fearless and Impartial," Is Admonition of Executive to Members of the Various Exemption Boards-To Be No Class Exemptions and Every Case Will Be Decided on Its Own Merits.

MEN WHO ARE EXEMPT

Officers of United States,

Ministers of religion and stu-

Subjects of Germany and all

aliens who have not taken out

County or municipal officers.

men in arsenals and navy yards.

Customhouse clerks and work-

Pilots, merchant marine sail-

Married men with dependent

Sons of dependent widows,

sons of dependent, aged or in-

firm parents, or brothers of de-

pendent orphans under sixteen

Members of recognized relig-

ious sect existing prior to May

18, 1917, whose creed forbids

dependent wife or child, son of a de-

pendent widow, son of dependent, aged

or infirm parent, or brother of depend-

ent orphan child under sixteen years

and any member of any well-recog-

nized religious sect existing May 18,

1917, whose creed forbids participation

in war and whose religious convictions

Claims for exemption because of de-

pendents may be made by the man

himself, his wife or other dependents,

or by a third party who has personally

by supporting affidavits signed by the

wife and by the head of a family re-

accompanied by two supporting affida-

vits signed by heads of families. Sim-

siding in the same territory. A claim

Man or Wife May Make Claim,

ccord with the creed.

Local board

ter the filing of affidavits.

If the ruling of a local board is af-

finally accepted for military service.

on the ground of employment in neces-

sary industrial and agricultural occu-

pations the district boards must be con-

vinced that the particular enterprise

affording such employment actually is

"The evidence must also establish,"

ticular industrial enterprise or particu-

that the continuance of such person

thereof and that he cannot be replaced

therein is necessary to the maintenance

by another person without direct, sub-

stantial material loss and detriment to

the adequate and effective operation of

the particular industrial enterprise or

agricultural enterprise in which he is

May Designate Certain Industries.

to time designate certain industries or

classes of industries that are necessary

tified. It will be the duty of each

able labor supply for such industries

outside the men called for military

service and to take the result into con-

sideration in determining such things.

board," this section of the regulations

concludes, "the direct, substantial, ma-

Certificates of exemption will not

"If, in the opinion of the district

Later the president may from time

necessary to the maintenance of the

age), those found morally deficient,

Men morally deficient,

participation in war.

Persons in military or naval

states, territories and District of

Columbia.

first papers.

dents of divinity.

wives or children.

years of age.

service of United States.

Washington.--President Wilson, in Million of the Wilson of announcing the regulations for selecting a national war army from the millions registered on June 5, urged upon every member of every draft board "impartial and fearless performance of the delicate and difficult duties intrusted," in order that "our armies at the front may be composed of men free from sense of injustice in their mode of selection."

In the near future a date will be set by Brig. Gen. Crowder, provost marshal-general, for the meeting and organization of the boards. At the same time it is expected that the selection regulations will be promulgated so that the process may be put under way without delay. The present intention is to call the men selected to the colors about September 1.

All Forces on Equal Footing. President Wilson's statement fol-

"The regulations which I am today causing to be promulgated, pursuant to the direction of the selective service law, cover the remaining steps of the plan for calling into the service of the United States qualified men from those who have registered; those selected as the result of this process to constitute, with the regular army, the National guard and the navy, the fighting forces of the nation, all of which forces are under the terms of the law placed in a position of equal right, dignity and responsibility with the members of all other military forces.

"The regulations have been drawn with a view to the needs and circumstances of the whole country and provide a system which it is expected will work with the least inequality and personal hardship. Any system of selecting men of military service, whether voluntary or involuntary in its operation, necessarily selects some men to bear the burden of danger and sacrifice for the whole nation. The system here provided places all men of military age upon an even plane, and then. by a selection which neither favors the one nor penalizes the other, calls upon the requisite number for service.

Urges Boards to Act Impartially. "The successful operation of this law and of these regulations depends necessarily upon the loyalty, patriotism and justice of the members of the boards to whom its operation is committed, and I admonish every member of every local board and of every district board of review that their duty to their country requires an impartial and fearless performance of the delicate and difficult duties intrusted to them. They should remember as to | ical labor. each individual case presented to them that they are called upon to adjudicate the most sacred rights of the individgal and to preserve untarnished the

honor of the nation. "Our armies at the front will be strengthened and sustained if they be of proofs and their decisions are final, composed of men free from any sense of injustice in the mode of selection. and they will be inspired to loftier efforts in behalf of a country in which the citizens called upon to perform high public functions perform them with justice, fearlessness and impartiality.

Methods of Making the Draft.

Upon organizing the local boards will take over from the registration | military establishment of national inboards all registration cards, which terest during the emergency. they will number serially and list for posting to public view. Then, after the regulations say, "even if the parhaving been advised of the method by which the order of liability for service | lar agricultural enterprise is found necshall be determined and of the quota essary for one of the above purposes, to be drawn from its territory (minus credits for enlistments in the National Guard or regular army), each board will prepare a list of persons designated for service in the order of their liability, post the list, give it to the press, and within three days send notice to each designated person by mail.

As the men so notified appear the boards first will make a physical examination in accordance with special regulations to be provided, bearing in mind that all persons accepted by them will be re-examined by army surgeons, and the district boards will be so no-If the physical examination is passed successfully, then comes the question board, however, to ascertain the availof exemption.

Those Entitled to Exemption. Persons who must be exempted or

discharged by the local board include: Officers of the United States, of the states, territories and the District of Columbia; ministers of religion, students of divinity, persons in the mili- terial loss to any such industrial or agtary or naval service of the United ricultural enterprise outweighs the loss States, subjects of Germany, all other | that would result from failure to obaliens who have not taken out first tain the military service of any such papers, county or municipal officers, person, a certificate of discharge may customhouse clerks, workmen in fed- be issued to him X X X." eral armories, arsenals and navy yards, persons in the federal service | necessarily be permanent. They may designated by the president for ex- be revoked with changing conditions, emption, pilots, merchant marine sall- or may be granted only for prescribed ors, those with a status with respect | periods.

Animal Trainers Win Fortunes. | Woodward. Their ability to play mu-Since the beginning of time mankind | sical instruments, throw a ball about, has been amused by attributing human and so on, captured the fancy of the faculties to animals, and wherever one nation and made their owner rich. of the lower creatures has shown signs | Another novelty of this kind brought of intelligence, public curiosity has run | wealth to Leoni Clarke, who taught

True Optimism. "True optimism never closes its trained seals, brought out by Captain and armored to meet them."

TO USE JURY WHEEL IN DRAFT

The U. S. Officials Waiting Only on States.

1,200,000 TO BE CALLED

Stress Laid On Serial Numbering Of Registration Cards-Single Jury Wheel May

Be Used.

Washington.-Selection day for the new national army is approaching rapidly as the local exemption boards in the various states complete their organization, give serial numbers to the registration cards and forward certified copies to Provost Marshal General Crowder. Indications are that the drawing will be held this week, but no official statement has been made as to the War Department's

Administration officials still maintain strict silence as to the method to be followed. The recent statement by Secretary Baker that the drawing would be held in Washington, however, coupled with the stress laid upon the serial numbering of registration boards, clearly indicates the general outline of the plan.

It is understood that it is proposed to place in a single jury wheel in to dependents which renders their ex- Washington one complete set of numclusion desirable (a married man with bers. When a number is taken from the wheel the man in each exemption district whose card bears that serial number will be drafted. Thus, as each number is drawn, approximately 30,000 men will be drafted, or one in each exemption district. If 1,200,000 men are to be called before the exemption boards in the first selection, which seems highly probable, only 40 numbers would need to be drawn.

There are numerous complications which must arise, however, and the method of selecting them can be known only when the Administration investigated the case. A claim made | makes known its plans in detail. For instance, the number of registered inby the husband must be accompanied dividuals in each district who are liable for military service will certainly not be the same. Aliens are regis tered, but not liable for duty.

by the wife or a third party must be All this must be considered in framing the regulations. Provision must ilar rules govern claims on the grounds | be made also to balance as far as posof other dependents when the depend- sible the chances of military duty beents or third parties being authorized tween the men in each district, so to file claims with supporting affidavits. | that disqualification of a large number In each case the board must be satis- in any particular district for any reafied before it grants exemption or dis- son will not put upon those qualified charge that the dependent or dependadditional likelihood of being sent to ents actually are supported mainly by | the front.

the fruits of the man's mental or phys-Various ways of accomplishing this correction of chances so as to make are required, subject to the resulting draft as fair as human appeal, to pass upon claims for exemp- ingenuity can contrive have been sugtion or discharge within three days afgested. The matter has had President Wilson's personal consideration, in District boards must decide appeal line with his pledge that the method cases within five days after the closing employed would be just in every re-

While the first contingent of the firmed the person in question stands new army, under the bill, is limited to 500,000 men, an additional 125,000 or In passing on claims for exemption 150,000 will be needed to make up the reserve battalions of this force. Reserve battalions are now being recruited for all regular regiments and will be recruited for the National Guard when it is drafted into the Federal service. The organization of the national army will be on the same basis.

It may be necessary, also, to draft enough men to fill up the regulars and National Guard to war strength, although no decision to this end has been reached as yet. The regulars are now close to war strength and the guard units are recruiting rapidly. If possible, they will be completed by the war volunteer system.

There is one other consideration which will affect the total number of men to be drawn. Opinion varies as to the number of exemptions which must be made for the different causes outlined in the exemption regulations. A rough estimate of at least 50 per cent. exemptions for physical or other reason has been generally employed in computing the probable size of the task before the exemption boards.

Another factor which is being worked out in the selection regulations is the provision of the law requiring that each state be given credit at the drawings for the number of men it has supplied as volunteers in the regular army or the National Guard.

MISS RANKIN CAUSES INQUIRY.

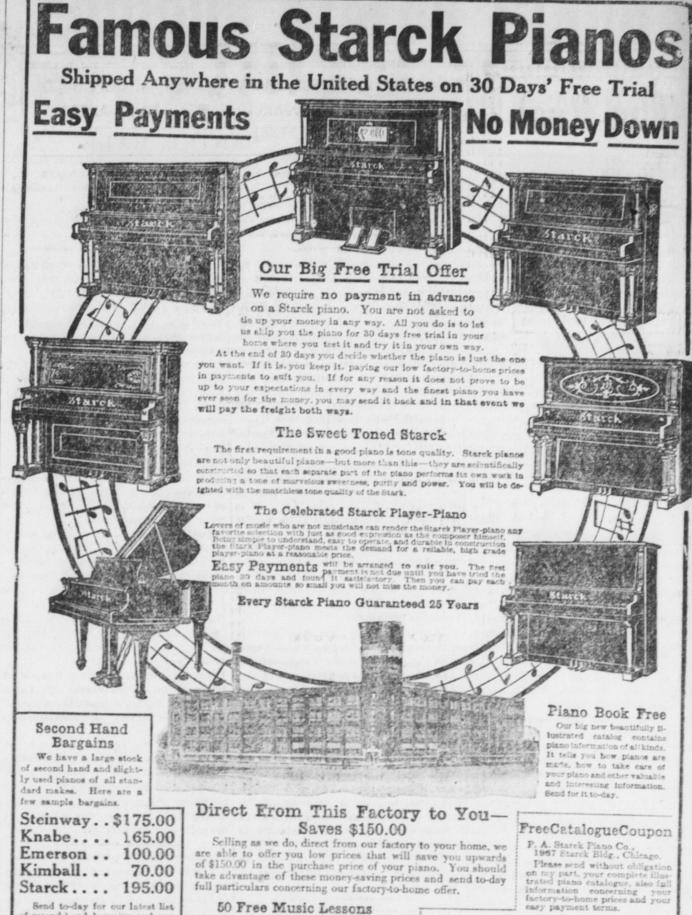
McAdoo To Probe Congresswoman's Charge Of Women Overworked.

Washington .- As a result of the protests of Representative Jeannette Rankin, of Montana, Secretary McAdoo appointed a committee to investigate alleged compulsory overwork of women in the Bureau of Printing and Engraving. At the same time Miss Rankin announced her intention to ask for a Congressional inquiry.

ARGENTINA DEMANDS APOLOGY.

Also Wants Indemnity and Guarantees From Germany.

London.-According to a dispatch from Buenos Aires to the Times the Argentine Government has demanded an immediate apology and indemnity from Germany for the torpedoing of the Argentine vessels Oriana and Toro and a guarantee that the Argentine flag will be respected in the future.



THE MARKETS

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firsts, 341/2@35; fresh gathered firsts, @8; No. 1 oat, \$10@11; No. 2 do, \$9@ 33@34; seconds, 31@32; State, Penn- 9.50. sylvania and nearby Western hennery | Butter-Creamery, fancy, \$39@391/2; browns, 37@39. Cheese-State, fresh specials, 231/4 @

23 1/2c; do, average run, 23.

fowls, 23; turkeys, 18. Dressed Poultry-Chickens, 20@27c; fowls, 19%@25%; turkeys, 18@35.

PHILADELPHIA. - Wheat-There market was entirely nominal.

Rye-No. 2 Western, \$2.40@2.45 per bushel; nearby rye in bags quoted at \$1.70@1.75, as to quality.

@1.82; do do, No. 4 yellow, \$1.79@ 1.80; No. 5 yellow, \$1.77@1.78.

@72; No. 4 white, 701/2 @71. Live Poultry-Fowls, as to size and @40. quality, 24@25c; roosters, 17@18; spring chickens, not leghorns, plump, yellow-skinned, weighing 1422 lbs. apiece, 33@36; smaller sizes, 26@32; white leghorns, 22@26; ducks, Pekin, KANSAS CITY, MO .- Hogs-Bulk, beets.

young, per pair, 20@22. average extra, 40@41; do, firsts, 38@ stockers and feeders, \$7.50@10.50; 39; do, seconds, 361/2037; special bulls, \$7009; calves, \$7013.50.

Eggs-Nearby firsts, \$1.20 per stand- ewes, \$8.50@10. ard case; nearby current receipts, were jobbing at 40@41c per dozen. \$14.30@14.50; pigs, \$10.75@14.

opened weak. Spot, No. 2 red, \$2.20 springs, \$13@18.

asked; No. 2 red Western, \$2.20 asked. PITTSBURGH, PA.—Cattle—Ch Corn-Car lots of No. 3 yellow corn \$11.75@12.25; prime, \$12.75@13. quotable at \$1.82 % per bushel.

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2.20. Corn-Spot firm; No. 2 yellow, \$1.85 Hay-No. 1 timothy, \$20@21; No. @14. 2 do, \$18.50@19; No. 3 do, \$14.50@ Oats-Spot stronger; standard, 75% 17.50; light clover mixed, \$18@18.50; No. 1 clover mixed, \$17.50@18; No. 2

do, \$13@16; No. 1 clover, \$16.50@17; Straw-No. 1 straight rye, \$15.50@ 16; No. 2 do, \$14.50@15; No. 1 tangled Eggs-Fresh gathered extras, 36@ rye, \$12@13; No. 2 do, \$10.50@11.50; 37c; fresh gathered storage-packed No. 1 wheat, \$8@8.50; No. 2 do. \$7.50

whites, fine to fancy, 40@41; State, do, choice, 37@38; do, good, 36@361/2; Pennsylvania and nearby hennery do, prints, 39@40; do, blocks, 38@ 32; West Virginia rolls, 32; storepack. 43 per cent. Live Poultry - Chickens, 30@32c; ed. 32; Maryland, Virginia and Pennsylvania dairy prints, 32@33. Eggs - Maryland, Pennsylvania and

Virginia firsts, 32; Southern firsts, 31. Live Poultry-Chickens-Old hens, were no offerings on the spot and the 4 lbs and over, 24c; do, do, small to medium, 24; do, do, white leghorns, 23; old roosters, 13@14; spring, 2 lbs and over, 32; do, 14, @2 lbs, 29@30; do, smaller, as to size, 25@28; do, Corn-Western, No. 3 yellow, \$1.81 white leghorns, 25. Ducks - Old Pekings, 17@18; do, puddle, 16@17; do, muscovy, 16@17; do, smaller, 15; Oats-No. 2, white, 73 1/2 @74c; stand. do, spring. 3 lbs and over, 22 @23. ard white, 72 1/2 @73; No. 3 white, 71 1/2 Pigeons-Young, per pair, 20 @25; old. do, 20@25. Guinea fowl, old, each, 35

Live Stock

19@20; do, Indian runner. 17@18; \$14.75@15.55; heavy, \$15.35@15.60; pigeons, old, per pair, 25@28; do do, packers and butchers', \$15.10@15.55; light, \$14.40@15; pigs, \$13@13.75. Butter - Solid packed creamery, Cattle-Prime fed steers, \$12.50@ fancy, specials, 41c; extras, 39@40; 13.35; dressed beef steers, \$9.50@ extra firsts, 38; firsts, 371/2; seconds, 12.25; Southern steers, \$7.50@12.25; 361/4; nearby prints, fancy, 42; do. cows, \$6.50@10.50; heifers, \$8.50@13;

lings, \$13.00@13.50; wethers, \$9@11; water and then in powdered pumice

\$9.90 per case; Western firsts, \$10.20 CHICAGO. - Hogs - Bulk, \$14.60@ per case; do, firsts, \$9.90 per case; 15.45; light, \$14@15.20; mixed, \$14.30 can be sprinkled on top of puddings fancy, selected, carefully candled eggs @15.75; heavy, \$14.30@15.85; rough, containing milk, and they will be Cheese - New York, full cream, Cattle-Native beef cattle, \$8.50@

fancy, new, 23% @24c; specials, high- 13.85; stockers and feeders, \$6.75@ er; do, fair to good, new, 23@23½: 9.80; cows and helfers, \$5.75@11.80; directions how to make an independent living from five across of least living from five across living from five across living from five across living from five calves, \$11@15.50.

Sheep-Wethers, \$8.60@11.30; ewes, BALTIMORE. - Wheat - Contract \$8.00@10.25; lambs, \$10.75@15.25;

on spot, for domestic delivery, are Sheep-Prime wethers, \$10.50@11; cull and common, \$5@7: lambs, \$7@ Oats-Standard white, 75c; No. 3 14; veal calves, \$15@15.50.

Hogs-Prime heavies, \$15.50@15.60: Rye-No. 2 rye, Western, \$2.35; bag mediums, \$15.45@15.50; heavy York-NEW YORK.—Wheat—Spot easy; lots, as to quality and condition, \$2@ ers, \$15@15.25; light Yorkers, \$14.50@ 14.75; pigs, \$14@14.25; roughs, \$13.50

Mrs. Wilson Signs Pledge.

Washington.-Mrs. Woodrow Wilson signed the woman's pledge to assist the food administration by practicing economy in the home and assisting in conserving the food supply for a successful conduct of the war.

And Gasoline So High!

Washington.-Over a million more motorcars were registered in the United States in 1916 than the year 39%; ladles, 33@34; Maryland and before. The number of cars registered Pennsylvania rolls, 32@33; Ohio rolls, last year was 3,512,996, an increase of

\$500 For Auto Tire.

Stockholm, Sweden-From \$500 up nearby, 32c; Western firsts, 32; West to \$575 is being paid here for automobile tires.

> So satisfactory have been the results in Tripoli and Circnaica from the eucalyptus and acacias set out in 1912 that the Italian government has given orders for the planting of 50,000 more eucalyptus trees there this year. Consul General David F. Wilber, of Genoa, reports that the new plantings will probably be along the railways.

> According to the newspapers, the Italian government arranged with the Russian government for the importation of considerable seed from Russia for use in this year's crop of sugar

Fruit pits, systematically gathered by Germany's school children, are turned over to chemists, who are converting them into rich lubricating oils. Cherry and plum stones are said to be the best for this purpose.

To remove spots from the handles brands of prints were jobbing at 45@ Sheep - Lambs, \$16@17.75; year of ivory knives dip a chamois skin in and rub the spots vigorously.

> While eggs are high, chopped suct rich and creamy.

The Texas industrial congress gives dent living from five acres of land.

The Boer war began in October, 1899, and ended in May, 1902.

high. We have long been familiar with a cat to go up in a balloon and dethe elephant which stands on a ball scend by a parachute, and does similar feats; but the first elephant to accomplish these things was a seven-days' wonder. One of the most unique novelties ever offered eyes to the formidable enemies of hope to the public was the first batch of and happiness, but goes out armed