

1000 MEN WANTED FOR CITY GUARDS First and Third Regiments Strive to Reach War Strength

RECRUITING MORE BRISK

The two National Guard regiments mobilized in Philadelphia today started a systematic enlistment campaign for the 1000 recruits needed to put them on a war basis.

The Third Pennsylvania Infantry paraded again this afternoon from its armory, Broad and Wharton streets, to City Hall, good results were realized by the parade yesterday.

Increased activity was noticed at virtually all recruiting stations. Many enlistments were recorded at Independence Hall and at other stations of the Coast Defense Reserve.

The Third also needs trained bandmen. Bandleader Britton today issued an appeal for ten men to take the places of those who left the regiment since its return from the border.

First Lieutenant J. Burke Cowart, of Company L, was appointed captain of that company today to succeed Charles L. Ward.

The First Regiment, whose band deserted it last June when the call came to go to the Mexican border, is making efforts to enlist a band as a unit.

Diligent efforts to gain recruits for the regiments are being made by the members. First Sergeant Howard G. Daniels, of Company F, First Regiment, has gained the title of "sign recruiter" by using persuasive methods.

FOR COAST RESERVES A campaign for naval coast defense reserve recruits in Chester was begun today when Lieutenant Commander R. P. Payne, of the Naval Home; Lieutenant J. E. Cromwell and Chief Yeoman Loretta Walsh, the first woman to enlist in the navy, went to Chester.

THIRD INFANTRY, N. G. P. LAWRENCE P. DANIELS, twenty-one, clerk, 1222 North Eighth street.

NAVAL COAST DEFENSE RESERVE JOHN F. HARRIS, twenty-one, seaman, 1021 North Second street.

DRICE PAINTS Your floors and woodwork will need new coat of paint this spring.

country's, is centered in the speech Mr. Johnson is preparing.

Gerard Accepts Rally Invitation

Continued from Page One benediction by the Rev. Dr. Russell H. Conwell, pastor of the Baptist Temple and president of Temple University.

ASKS DISPLAY OF COLORS The general committee warns all those holding tickets of admission to the state including vice presidents and committeemen, that they must present their tickets not later than 10 p. m. Saturday or the tickets will not be present make it rule necessary.

TO SING NATIONAL AIRS There will be plenty of music in both places, also flags and decorations.

COURT OFFICER JOINS NAVY John M. Glover Made Lieutenant in Reserve Corps

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ARRANGEMENTS COMPLETE Physical arrangements for the great occasion are almost all made.

ESTIMATES OF THE CROWD expected range anywhere from 50,000 to several hundred thousands.

TRAFFIC ARRANGEMENTS have been framed to accommodate the crowds marching to the celebration.

THE 600 seats which represent the maximum capacity of the grandstand in Independence Square are in charge of E. A. Wright, Jr., of the general committee.

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NIVELLE MANOVRA PER AGGIRARE SAINT GOBAIN

Il Generalissimo Francese Tenta di Prendere di Fianco la Formidabile Foresta

Il generale Nivelle ha iniziato una nuova offensiva, o meglio una nuova fase della grande offensiva che e' gia' corsa sulla fronte della Somme.

Intanto mentre i francesi attaccano vigorosamente l'ala meridionale della linea di von Hindenburg gli inglesi attaccano l'ala settentrionale riaccolando i tedeschi verso Cambrai.

SULLA FRONTE ITALIANA Sulla fronte italiana si trovano il capo dello Stato Maggiore inglese, generale Robertson, ed il generale Weygand, che rappresenta il generale Nivelle.

Qualcuno in Londra va tanto lontano come il ipotesi da pensare che il maresciallo von Hindenburg si proporrà di eliminare l'Arch to Spruce dal fronte.

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Allies Gain on Both Ends of New Line

Continued from Page One the town died at his task. The only prisoners taken by the French were badly wounded soldiers.

TEUTONS' HEAVY GUNS BOMBARD SOISSONS PARIS, March 29. Soissons, on the southern edge of the great battlefield between Arras and the Meuse, has been shelled by the Germans with their long-range guns.

RUSSIANS CRUSH FOES' ATTACK NEAR STANISLAU PETERHUB, March 29. A terrific German attack against Russian positions near Jamnitz, north of Stanislaw, was repulsed by rifle and artillery fire.

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proach of the French to the permanent "Hindenburg line" the Paris statement of the enemy, treated at Soissons, "big guns" presumably means that type of artillery requiring permanent emplacements such as are undoubtedly built on the permanent line.

General Murray reported success in the British movement toward Jerusalem with the defeat of a big force of Turks south of Gaza. The British are endeavoring to strike a second blow at Turkish morale by the advance on Jerusalem, comparable to their capture of Bagdad.

OAK HALL HOLDS ITS "ALL-WOOL" STANDARD An all-wool banner that bids defiance to the scarcity of wool floats today from the store of Wanamaker & Brown, Sixth and Market streets, one of the oldest clothing houses in America.

APPLAUSE IS HISSED AT BACH REHEARSAL Passion Music Played in Academy Prior to Public Performance Tonight

That preliminary enthusiasm, of a sort which marks the important moments of the city, was manifest in the Academy of Music last night, when a dress rehearsal for the performance of the Bach Passion Music according to St. Mark's was held.

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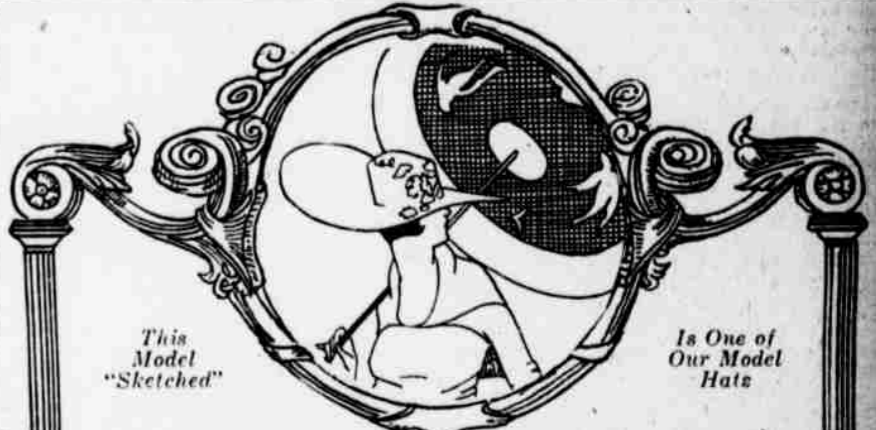
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