

HERE IS THAT DRAFT EXAMINATION ABOUT WHICH MUCH IS HEARD—LITTLE KNOWN

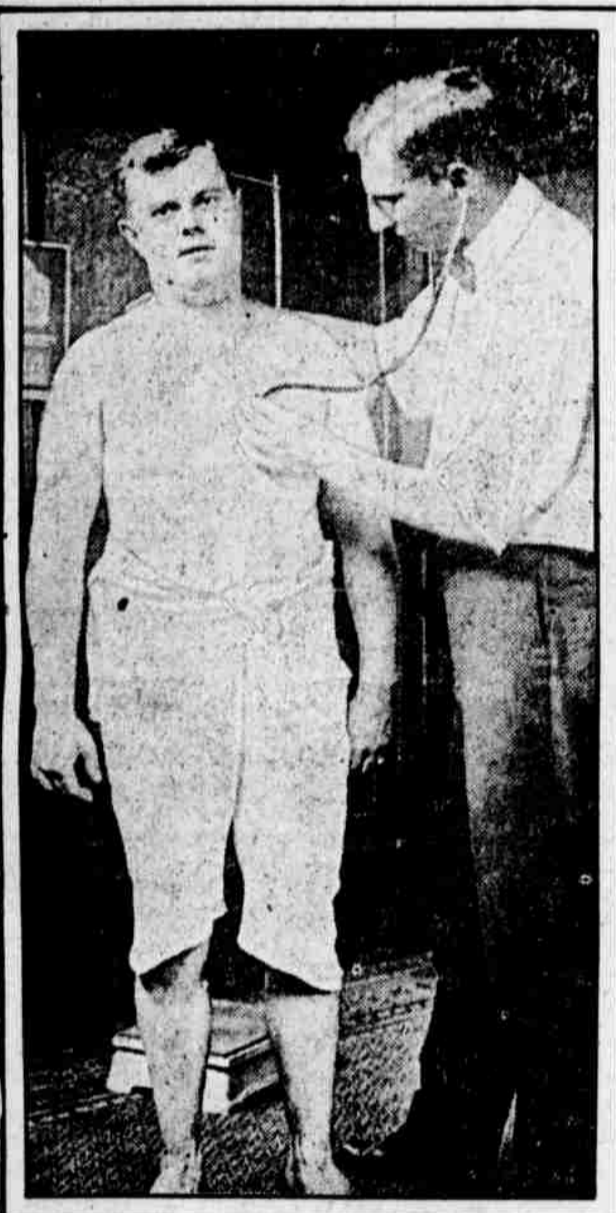
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CANDIDATES IN LINE AWAITING THEIR TURNS TO UNDERGO EXAMINATION
Few in this array, snapped before the district headquarters, Thirteenth and Tioga streets, appear to be contemplating claims for exemption.



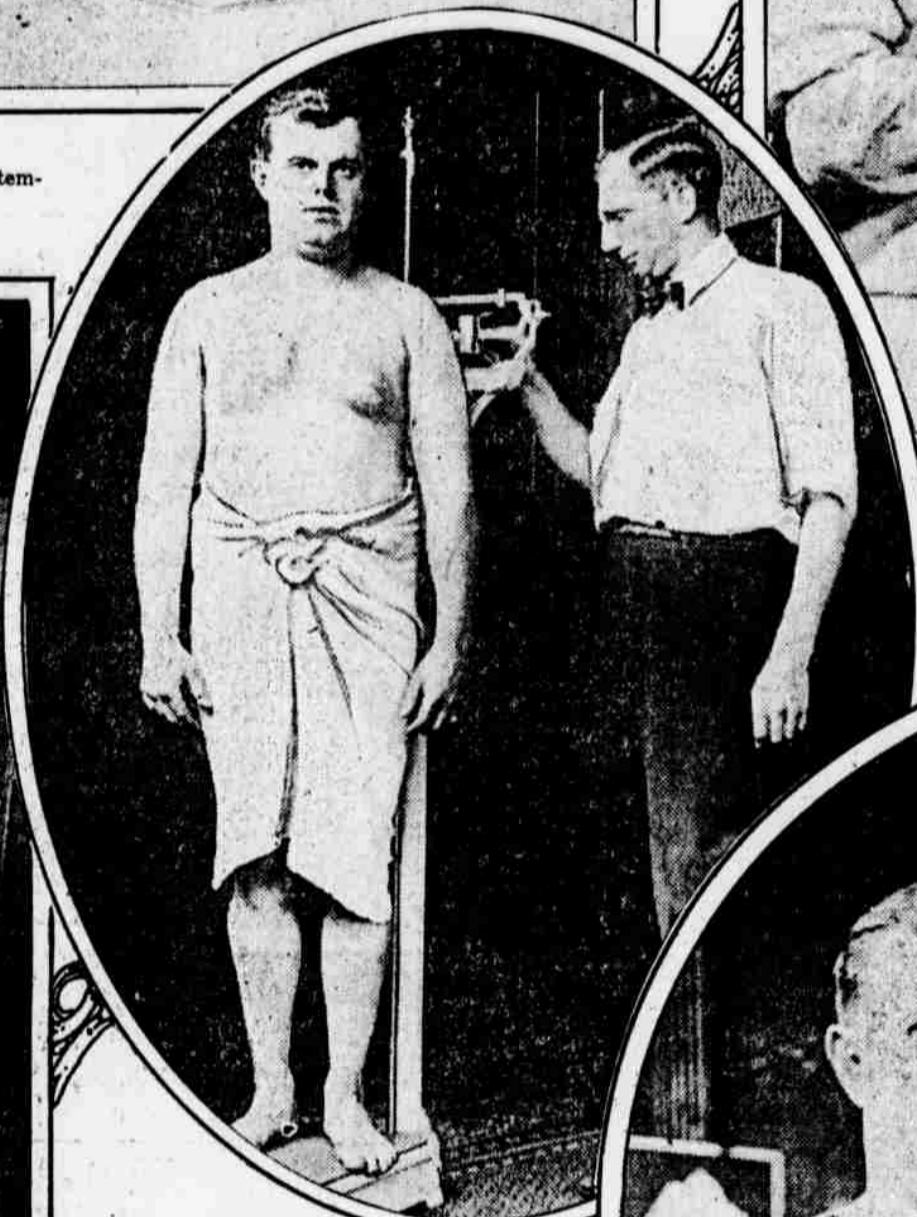
REGISTRATION IS THE FIRST PROCEEDING
A few necessary questions precede the various forms of physical test under the eyes of the examining physician.



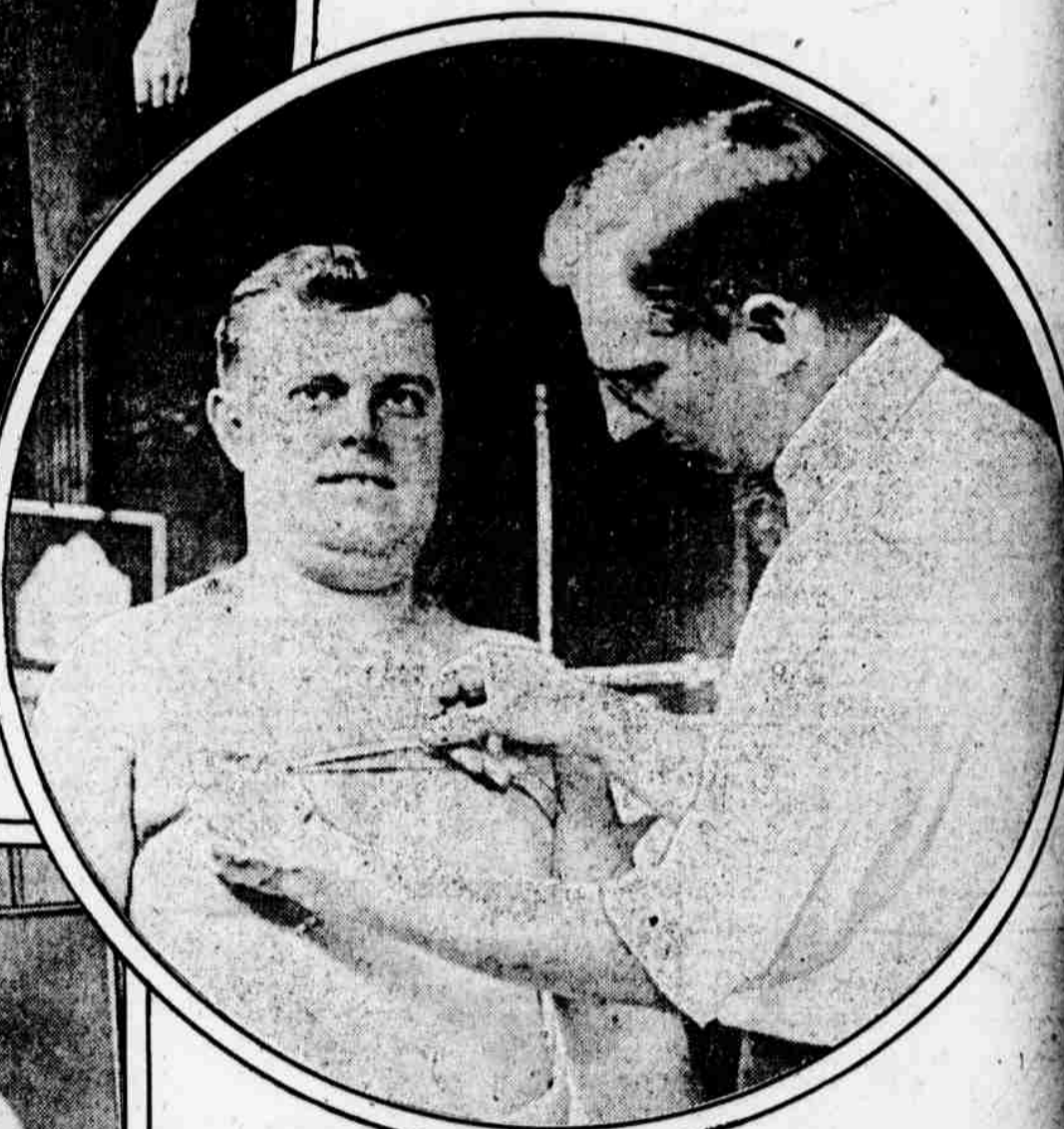
THE DOCTOR SOUNDS THE HEART AND LUNGS
Two important organs pass under the sensitive "car" of the examiner's recording instrument.



PASSAGES OF THE NOSE AND THROAT ARE LOOKED INTO
Careful scrutiny is made of these delicate parts, but the "ordeal" is by no means difficult.



TESTS FOR WEIGHT AND HEIGHT ARE MADE WITH ALLOWANCES
Uncle Sam is not a "Hoover" in his measurement of a man for "bullet fodder," permitting a few pounds over or under the average to pass.



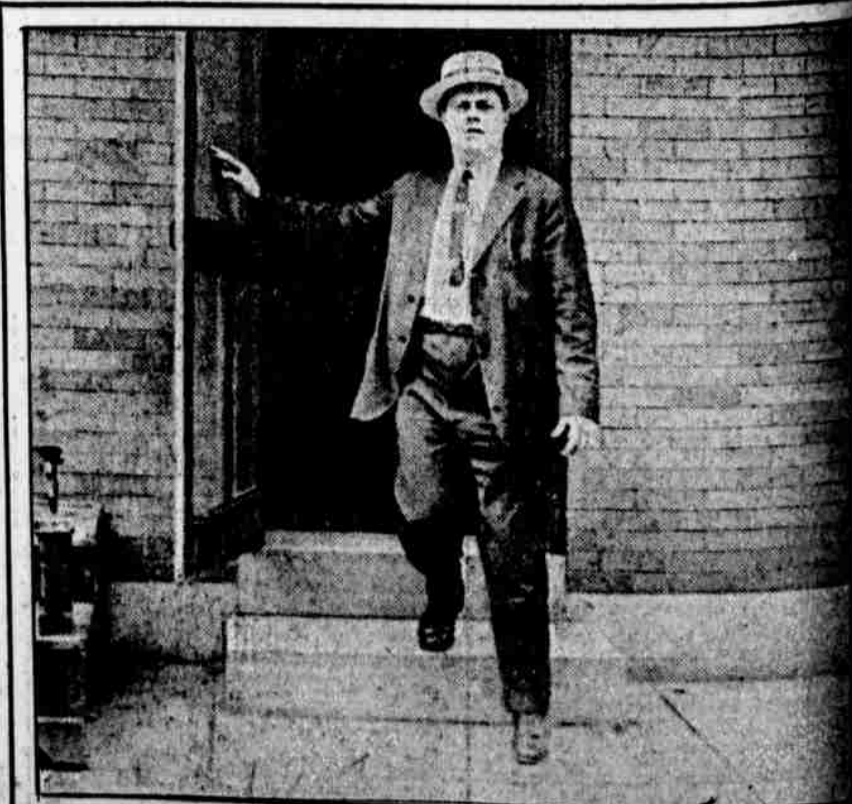
CHEST EXPANSION RECEIVES A BIT OF ATTENTION
Exercises in inhalation and exhalation soon betray whether or not the prospective soldier possesses proper capacity.



MUCH DEPENDS UPON THE ACCURACY OF A SOLDIER'S HEARING
Hence the ears of the man under examination are not overlooked in the brief but thorough interview with the examiner.



THERE'S A CERTAIN HOP, SKIP AND JUMP ABOUT IT
With no idea of haste or carelessness, but to ascertain if the heart action is satisfactory.



ALL OVER—READY FOR THE CALL TO SERVE WITH THE BOYS
The candidate here shown is Franklin Thomas Crossman, 2055 North Broad street. The two examinations are by Dr. S. E. ...

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