

CONSCRIPTS ARRIVING AT WRIGHTSTOWN CAMP



A detail of "rookies" alighting from a train at Camp Dix and undergoing inspection of luggage is shown in the upper picture. Below, a sergeant is putting an awkward squad through its paces in the "about face" and other evolutions.

667 OF STATE'S TROOPS OFF SOON

Railroads Prepare to Move Drafted Men to Training Camps

PLAN FOR 200 SPECIALS

HARRISBURG, Sept. 14. Details concerning the movement of conscripts from the National Army, beginning Wednesday, will be received this morning by each of the 242 local exemption boards in the State.

Charles W. Crowther, of the passenger agency force of the Pennsylvania Railroad in Philadelphia, and Colonel Frank Berry, Acting Adjutant General, had charge of the work. Every railroad in the State will participate in the movement which will be the biggest thing of its kind undertaken since the roads carried most of the Pennsylvania National Guard from home stations to Mount Gretna last year at the time of the mobilization.

The orders for the local boards will include details of the departure of the National Army, giving a complete schedule for each of the five days of the movement. The special trains will start at the more remote points in their territory, focusing in Philadelphia, Harrisburg or Pittsburgh, as the case may be. From those terminals the trains will go to the concentration camps. Eastern Pennsylvania men will, roughly speaking, go to Camp Meade; central Pennsylvanians to either Camp Lehigh or Sherman. The local boards will get explicit orders. Railroad and State officials said tonight that they are satisfied that there will be no hitch, notwithstanding the magnitude and complexity of the task.

Men in this State to be moved total 66,967, somewhat less than the State's entire quota, which is about 66,000. The number to go to Camp Meade, 45 per cent of the total, is scheduled for that week in 1918. In the case of Camp Lehigh and Sherman the number to go next week is 40 per cent of the entire quota, or 26,800 to Camp Lehigh and 17,150 to Camp Sherman. Inasmuch as per capita already has gone, the number at Camp Meade will be half the eventual State quota.

663 MORE DRAFTED MEN ARE CERTIFIED FOR ARMY

District Appeal Board No. 2 certified 663 draft eligibles today as fit for military service to the local draft boards and to the State Adjutant General.

Local draft boards 1, 22, 23, 35, 39 and 41 are represented in the list. No. 25 having the largest total of 352. There are nineteen local boards in the appeal board's territory and the board promises to return the required quotas to each one in time for notification to start next Wednesday for the various concentration camps, in accordance with the orders of the Provost Marshal General.

The lists follow:

- LOCAL BOARD NO. 1: George Toomey, 1433 E. Moyamensing ave. Edward Moore, 1212 Chestnut ave. Thomas J. Smith, 1625 E. Passunk ave. ...

- LOCAL BOARD NO. 22: Edward Price, 2429 Hancock st. Adah Hildebrand, 1711 Snyder st. Leonard Chardio, 1825 S. Hancock st. ...

- LOCAL BOARD NO. 25: Eugene A. Thomas, 2218 Hood st. John P. Hartz, 1433 S. 8th st. Kristian S. Swenson, 1621 S. Hittin st. ...

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- LOCAL BOARD NO. 39: J. J. Kelly, 1509 S. 47th st. Charles Clement, 220 S. 4th st. George Bratcher, 205 S. 47th st. ...

- Fred Lee Watson, 2018 De Lamey st. John P. Blanks, 1540 Rancall ave. Charles Edward Fisher, 2923 Ludlow st. ...

- John R. Adams, 2051 Mountain st. Joseph Fireman, 1423 S. 21st st. Amato Dellapala, 1210 S. 34th st. ...

- Ennet Harris, 1842 Wilder st. James A. Hiron, 2014 Earl st. Edward Pulver, 1523 S. 21st st. ...

- James J. Dever, 2612 Ellsworth st. James M. Morris, 1848 Lombard st. Ernest Hoffman, 2118 S. 6th st. ...

- Ernest Ziselman, 2127 S. Howard st. Ernest Hoffman, 2118 S. 6th st. Edward Meyer, 2101 S. Lee st. ...

- Walter Hoffman, 2222 S. 10th st. Joseph P. Gorman, 2211 S. 10th st. Joseph P. Gorman, 2211 S. 10th st. ...

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