

LAWYERS HEAR PATRIOTIC NOTE

Judge Staake Opens Bar Association Meeting With Clarion Call

DEMOCRACY'S BIG HOUR

Bedford Springs, Pa., June 25.—The annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Bar Association began here this afternoon with a large attendance of members and their wives from all parts of the State.

The dominant note was patriotism and the part that the members of the bar were taking, and should take, in the winning of the war.

"We are going to win, no matter how long it takes. It is the greatest undertaking in the history of the world, and requires the united and best efforts of every citizen of America, whether by birth or by choice."

The bar of each Pennsylvania county has its members serving "over there" as officers and privates, the judge pointed out, and many in training camps and in the naval forces.

There had been partially compiled a summary of the work accomplished by these members of the bar, which, when completed, Judge Staake said, would be bound and deposited in the State library at Harrisburg.

SCIENTISTS DISCUSS SAFETY OF OUR FLIERS

American Society for Testing Hears Views on Airplane Improvements

Atlantic City, June 25.—A greater measure of safety for American airmen on training fields and battlefronts was indicated by Irving H. Cowdrey, of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, in outlining before the war convention of the American Society for Testing Materials here today a newly developed plan for determining the stresses placed by nonuniformly distributed loads upon airplane wing ribs.

MADE ARMY OFFICERS

Three From This District Are Given Commissions

Three men from the Philadelphia district are among those newly commissioned as army officers by the adjutant general at Washington.

Dr. Louis Winfield Kohn, 1332 Spruce street, this city, and Dr. Frank Clyde Carr, of Swarthmore, were commissioned first lieutenants in the medical corps, while the Rev. Lytle Rodgers Free, 212 East Wyoming avenue, was commissioned first lieutenant and chaplain.

Falls Dead in Restaurant

Wildwood, N. J., June 25.—Levi F. Butts, sixty-five years old, retired business man, owner of the Butts Block and other properties, dropped dead from apoplexy in a restaurant here.

5000 Volunteers Wanted

Patriotic men, women and children who will devote a full day or a half-day to help secure pledges on and before Friday next, June 28th, National War Savings Day.

THIRSTY FREIGHT CAR RUNS INTO A SALOON



A Reading Railway freight car nearly demolished the saloon of George Brehm, Front street and Kaighn avenue, Camden, when it was driven three feet into one side of the building by a shifting engine.

EDGE WON'T CALL A SPECIAL SESSION

Governor Tells George L. Record He Trusts Utilities Commission

Sea Girt, N. J., June 25.—Governor Edge will not call a special session of the New Jersey Legislature to have enacted legislation which will prevent the Public Utilities Commission from modifying the terms of utility contracts and public utilities now regulated by ordinance, as was demanded in a letter sent to him a few days ago by George L. Record.

Directors' Demands Balk Job Reform

Continued from Page One general funds, as it cannot be applied for other purposes.

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FRENCH AND BRITISH WAR REPORTS

Paris, June 25.—The War Office has issued the following statement: "North of the Aisne, after a violent bombardment, a grenade attack developed against the positions captured by us yesterday northeast of Leport (near Soissons)."

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Continued from Page One which has now become the Italian flank.

CAR KNOCKS FOUR OUT OF BED

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London, June 25.—The text of the official statement follows: "Canadian troops raided the enemy's trenches last night at Neuville Vitasse and brought back twenty-two prisoners and six machine guns. A few prisoners and a machine gun were captured by us also in a successful raid south of the Scarpe."

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WILSON TO TELL RUSSIAN POLICY

President Will Speak Independence Day at Mt. Vernon Celebration

MAY TALK OF TURKEY

Washington, June 25.—President Wilson will speak on Independence Day at the tomb of George Washington, at Mount Vernon, Va., it was announced at the White House today.

WILSON AND CABINET CONSIDER RUSSIAN AID

Washington, June 25.—With Germany speeding her efforts to subjugate Russia, that she may have new reservoirs from which to draw for war material, the Allied problem of saving Russia has become acute.

ITALIAN NAVY AIDS IN ROUT OF TEUTONS

Washington, June 24.—The enemy has been driven back across the Piave from Montello to the sea. Italy is abuzz with enthusiasm and joy at the defeat of the foe by the Italian navy.

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