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**421 DRAFTED MEN OFF TO WADSWORTH**

**Special Train Takes Sixth Contingent to South Carolina Camp**

Four hundred and twenty-one drafted men, selected by eight local draft boards in the city, entrained at the North Philadelphia Station of the Pennsylvania Railroad this morning at 10:20 o'clock for Camp Wadsworth, Spartanburg, S. C. They constituted the sixth contingent of the movement which began July 5 and which will be completed tomorrow.

Men from each division assembled at the headquarters of their respective boards, and, responding to the roll call, received comfort kits, sweaters and minor necessities of a soldier in camp or field, donated by the Red Cross, the Emergency Aid of Pennsylvania and other agencies. Many of them also were given packages of food to keep away hunger during the long journey southward.

Members of each draft board marched with the men they were sending on the first lap of their crusade to the battlefields of France in processions from board headquarters to the depot.

In Germantown a farwell parade was given the selectives. It was participated in by G. A. R. veterans, bands, members of the Emergency Aid and wives, mothers, sweethearts and relatives of the men, and was led by a detail of mounted police.

Two hundred and fifty employees of the Concordia Silk Mills, in Kensington, turned out to say farewell to Charles S. Colza, superintendent of the plant, who was among those departing.

One hundred and twenty-nine men from the three Germantown boards made up the detachment from that district.

There were the usual farewells of friends and relatives at the station, some tearful, others cheerful, but all confident and hopeful.

The contingent was made up as follows:  
 District No. 15, 5612 Germantown avenue, twenty-nine men; No. 16, 43 West Haines street, forty-one; No. 17, Germantown Boys' Club, fifty-nine; No. 18, 1428 Tauplin street, eighty-three; No. 25, Twenty-sixth and York streets, fifty-seven; No. 28, Fifth and Collins streets, seventy-one; No. 30, 539 East Allegheny avenue, sixty-eight; No. 31, 2010 Kensington avenue, thirteen.

**NEW OFFICERS' SCHOOL**

Training for Conservation Division, Quartermaster's Department, to Open

An officers' training school for the conservation and reclamation division of the quartermaster general's department will soon be opened, according to announcement today by Provost Smith, of the University of Pennsylvania.

Provision will be made for the training of commissioned and uncommissioned officers now being organized. Only men over the age of twenty-one within the draft age qualified only for limited military service will be accepted.

The school will be established at Camp Johnston, Jacksonville, Fla. Men in training will receive the pay of a private.

The duties of the conservation and reclamation companies include conducting the clothing train and repair shops, and laundry and dry-cleaning establishments, and salvaging waste, food and material of the army.

Candidates should communicate with the conservation and reclamation division, office of the quartermaster general, Sixth and B streets, Washington.

**HUNDREDS VACCINATED**

Smallpox Scare, 19th and South Streets—Block Roped Off

Hundreds of residents of the block bounded by Lombard, South, Nineteenth and Twentieth streets are being forced to submit to vaccination this morning because of a smallpox quarantine established over the area by agents of the Department of Health and Charities.

The department was notified of a case of the disease on Nineteenth street north of South late last night and shortly after 4 o'clock this morning representatives of the department, reinforced by a squad of police from the Twelfth and Pine streets station, roped off the block and began the work of vaccinating the residents.

**REPAIR AIRPLANES TODAY**

Two Damaged Yesterday to Be Taken to Bustleton

The two airplanes broken in the descent on Belmont plateau yesterday when the flying squadron from Mineola, L. I., on a practice trip, will be removed to the aviation mail station at Bustleton for repairs.

The injuries are minor ones and can be repaired in a few hours at Bustleton. The planes probably will return to New York some time today.

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**LOOK FOR WAR'S END BEFORE CHRISTMAS**

**Ninety Per Cent of American Soldiers in France Predict Speedy Conclusion**

Ninety per cent of the American soldiers now in France believe the war will end before Christmas, according to John Cummings, a former Philadelphia newspaper man now at the front.

Mr. Cummings, in a letter to a friend in this city written while shells fell and burst about him, declares the Germans are fast losing their "pep" and that their touted efficiency, especially in the manufacture of war materials, is dwindling.

One out of every three high explosive shells dropping in the territory where Cummings is located fails to explode, he says. The "duds," as they are called by the soldiers, are piled up as souvenirs, and American soldiers, crouching in their dugouts or on the ground as the whistle of an approaching shell is heard, make wagers on whether the shell will be a "dud" or a live one.

One of these "duds" is kept at headquarters of Cummings' unit, having been picked up by a captain, the letter says.

"Canvass the army and you will find 90 per cent of them predicting the finish before Christmas," Cummings' letter stated. "The American soldiers figure already and you can't get them to believe that the Huns will be showing fight a few months hence."

"Taking it all the way around, I think Fritz is losing his pep. Then, there are signs that he is losing his vaunted efficiency, especially in the manufacture of war materials."

"The Germans, as I understand it, are experiencing difficulty in procuring a certain kind of acid they use in detonators. A substitute they are using is proving a failure and duds are the result."

**KIDDIES MOURN LOSS OF "LADY BOUNTIFUL"**

**Twelve-Year-Old Blanche Rule Admits Robbing Homes to Purchase Sweetmeats**

Their "Lady Bountiful" in the tolls of the police, the kiddies who play in the yard at the Longstreth School, Fifty-eighth street and Willows avenue, are sad today.

For the last few days they have eaten candy and ice cream galore, furnished them by Blanche Rule, twelve years old, of Malcolm street near Fifty-seventh. She was arrested this morning.

Several days ago the residence of Mrs. J. D. Hemphill, 5705 Malcolm street, was entered from the rear while the family sat on the front porch. A pocketbook containing a check for \$54 and \$42 in cash was stolen.

The trail led to Blanche, who a few months ago was arrested for entering the home of Mrs. H. Matthewson, 5618 Malcolm street, but was released on probation.

Detectives Mehaffey and Quigley found her on a swing in the schoolyard this morning, a large piece of taffy in one hand and an ice cream cone in the other.

She took the detectives to the cellar of her home and in a flower pot, buried deep some earth, they found the check and \$16 of the money.

**SOLDIER LOCATES MOTHER**

**Separated From Parent Since He Was Seven Years Old**

Separated from his mother when he was seven years old, following the death of his father, John J. Regetz, a member of Company L, Sixty-fourth Infantry, stationed at Camp McCarran, Waco, Texas, he learned her whereabouts.

About to leave for France, Regetz wrote to Mrs. M. G. Woodruff, head of the Personal Service Bureau at City Hall. His mother was found at 325 South Second street and was overjoyed at receipt of the news. She had never heard from him since the separation.

The residence of Mrs. Regetz was found through records of the death of his father on file at St. Joseph's Church, Williams alley and Fourth street.

Mrs. Regetz, anxious to see her son before he departs for the front, is contemplating a trip to Texas. She made anxious inquiries regarding the fare and distance to Waco and is hopeful that she may be able to see "Johnnie." She has four other sons.

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**Government Operates Freight Service on Raritan Canal**

A barge line for freight transportation has been established between this city and New York by way of the Delaware and Raritan Canal.

Calvin Tomkins, a member of the committee on inland waterways of the United States railroad administration, made this announcement to members of the Chamber of Commerce.

The barge line's terminal in this city will be at Pier 24, North Wharves, which was leased by the government from the Philadelphia and Reading Railway. The New York terminal will be at Pier 5, East River, said Mr. Tomkins, who is assisting G. S. Tomlinson in the management of the Erie Canal and other waterways.

"We now have in operation, or ready to be operated, the greatest waterway system in the world," said Mr. Tomkins. "This is the northeastern and southern system, of which the Erie Canal and the Delaware and Raritan Canal form part."

The peculiarity of the northeastern system is that in addition to having a completed system, the waterways run through a thickly settled industrial section that comprises the most important industrial part of the country with the exception of New England, and even this territory is tapped at Boston. The importance of this waterway system is fully as great as has been that of the Rhine Valley.

"Through the development and operation of this waterway system there will be exerted a marked influence on rail-road rates."

"The Delaware and Raritan Canal can carry about 2,000,000 tons of freight a year and can be used 256 days in each year."

**STEVEDORES WANTED FOR WORK OVERSEAS**

**Men Specially Qualified Can Win Commissions in This Service**

Acting under instructions from the quartermaster general, Colonel W. G. Austin has established here a recruiting office for the enlistment of practical stevedores and general stevedore men to discharge the transport steamers in France.

Captain J. J. Ryan was detailed to take charge of the office, which is at the Appraisers' Stores, 124 South Second street. He will conduct a recruiting campaign in Philadelphia for two weeks.

The number of men enlisted here will depend altogether on the number that can be spared from the merchant trade. There are several hundred enlisted men, Captain Ryan also hopes to obtain others with transatlantic steamship experience who can qualify for commissions up to the rank of captain.

Such men must not be more than fifty years old. The age limit for enlisted men is forty-one years. Men in Class I-A in the draft are not eligible, and the force must be drawn entirely from those in deferred classifications and men above the draft age. Physical requirements for this service are not so strict as those for duty on the firing line.

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**DYNAMITING POND FOR BODIES OF BOYS**

**Two Drown in Quarry Pool at Roslyn When Boat Is Rocked**

Dynamite was being used today in an effort to recover the bodies of two ten-year-old boys who were drowned in a quarry pond near Roslyn late yesterday.

The boys were Harry Belkin, son of H. Belkin, of near Roslyn, and Samuel Mass, of New York.

Rocking the boat, a flat-bottom gond was when at a point where the pond was from fifty to sixty feet deep, the boys were suddenly cast into the water when the craft capsized. Unable to swim, they drowned before George Drayton, sixteen years old, who dived into the pond upon seeing the accident, could rescue them.

Drayton, near a state of exhaustion, had to be pulled from the water after his heroic feat. He was a poor swimmer and was in danger of the same fate which befell the boys he was trying to rescue.

Samuel Mass and his mother were spending a vacation near Roslyn. Yesterday, in company with Belkin and several other boys, he went to the pond to play. The old scow was lying near shore and the boys, after getting aboard, paddled to the middle of the pond, where the fatal rocking occurred.

**CUT IN TWO BY TRAIN**

**Body Found on Reading Tracks Near Northeast Boulevard**

An unidentified white man, about fifty years old, was killed instantly by a Philadelphia and Reading train on the North Penn branch, below the Northeast Boulevard, last midnight. The body was cut in half.

Members of a train crew passing the spot shortly after midnight found the body. There were no marks of identification in the clothing. The man was about five feet six inches in height and weighed about 140 pounds.

Feared of Aid Drowning Boy York, Pa., July 18.—While swimming in the Susquehanna River at City last evening, Elmer, thirteen-year-old son of Charles Bernhauer, was drowned. Four companions were with him at the time, but they were afraid to go to his assistance. The body was recovered.

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**Alleged "Moving-Men Burglars" Arrested After Loading Truck**

After loading a big motortruck with furniture which they planned to carry away from 1212 Mt. Vernon street in broad daylight, three alleged "moving-men-burglars" were arrested by detectives.

The prisoners were held in \$500 hall each for a further hearing. They are William Moser, South Merivue street; Patrick Lynch, Wyalusing avenue, and Lewis Handel, Ritter street.

Detectives Curvey and McCarty, of the Second Division, Tenth and Huttenwood streets, who arrested the men, say the prisoners had made a previous entry in the house, which is temporarily vacant, and removed considerable clothing.

**BLOODY TRAIL SOLVED**

**Detectives Explain Gory Spots Extending for Half Mile**

Mystery so deep that it was almost impenetrable baffled residents of Tenth and Mifflin streets.

When they awoke today there was half a mile of blood along the car tracks. Was it possible that a German airplane sneaked over here and dropped a noise-bomb? Did some one discover a flock of German spies and make short work of them without telling the police?

Two detectives followed the vermilion trail from Taster to Mifflin streets. They conferred at the end of the red road, and decided that it was caused by a wagon load of lanky steaks, evidently being town in a hurry.

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