

DRAFT OF ARMY MAY BE DELAYED

State Boards Slow to Follow Out Orders of War Department

Washington, July 12.—Postponement until next week of the drawing of numbers of men who will be called for examination for the national army seemed probable, when it became evident that States are not completing organization of their district exemption boards as rapidly as War Department officials had hoped.

Only twenty-one States have reported their organization complete, although in most others only a few districts are missing. The drawing will not be made until the lists for the country are complete.

A so-called revised census estimate for the entire country, compiled on the basis of the draft registration, will be used for determining apportionments. Each city, county or State must furnish two-thirds of one per cent. of its paper population, according to the new estimates which were made for the purpose of State must furnish two-thirds rather than to represent accurate population totals.

Fair Estimate This New York State, with an estimated population of 6,504,185, must give 43,382 of the 687,000 young men to be called on the first draft. A city with 25,000 population would be required to give 156 men. These apportionments would be subject to slight allowances for alien enemies, for men who have volunteered, and for other causes.

The population estimates far from attempting to show actual population figures, simply are improvised figures reached by considering the number of registrants in each subdivision as 8.2 per cent. of the population, since the total number registered, 9,659,382 was 8.2 per cent. of the total estimated population, 108,635,500.

The process resulted in large dummy population showings for cities with war industries, where there has been a recent inflow of workmen without their families. Since the figures are based on the number of men available for military service, however, officials consider the estimates fair as bases for apportionment.

U-Boats Sink Only 17 Vessels During Week; Toll Greatly Reduced

London, July 12.—The sinking of fourteen British merchantmen of more than 1000 tons is reported in the weekly summary of shipping losses issued here to-day.

Three merchantmen of less than 1000 tons, and seven fishing vessels also were sunk.

The increasing effectiveness of the measures against submarines, which are being carried out by British and American warships is shown in the record of the last week. With one exception the number of merchantmen sunk is the lowest of any week since the British inaugurated in March the system of giving out weekly reports.

The report of March 11 showed seventeen merchantmen sunk.

The preceding report gave the sinking of fifteen vessels over 1000 tons and five under that size. In the two earlier periods the totals were respectively twenty-eight and thirty-two. This compares with the sinking of forty large merchantmen in one week, and thirty-eight in another in April.

The official statement follows: "Arrivals, 2,898; sailings, 2,798.

"British merchant ships sunk by mines or submarines, over 1000 tons, including one previously, fourteen; under 1000 tons three.

"British merchant ships unsuccessfully attacked, including four previously, seventeen.

"British fishing vessels sunk, including one previously, seven."

Propagandist Loses Degree



Miss ELEANOR PARKER, a student at Columbia University in New York City, was recently arrested for distributing anti-war propaganda. The authorities at Columbia have refused to grant her the degree of bachelor of arts which she has earned as a Barnard student. Justice Ford, of the Supreme Court, has ruled that the college need not award the degree unless she is acquitted of the charges.

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Enjoyable Party in Honor of Pearl Stouffer's Birthday

Wormleysburg, Pa., July 12.—Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Stouffer entertained on Tuesday evening in honor of the thirteenth birthday anniversary of their daughter, Pearl, Games and music were enjoyed. Miss Stouffer received many beautiful gifts. Refresh-

ments were served to the Misses Mildred None maker, Mabel Nonemaker, Elsie Huber, Dorothy Hess, Mildred Hess, Grace Reed, Ida Sweger, Frances Frank, Bessie Frank, Lillian Sheaffer, Margaret Jenkins, Enda Sheaffer, Ruth Hamner, Pearl Stouffer, Violet Stouffer, William Dreese, Lester Dreese, William Anderson, Earle Spong, Ralph Miller, George Bixler, Gilbert Harber, Richard Eichberger, William Earley, Rudolph

Kroser, Clarence Kissinger; Mrs. Dreese, Mrs. Hess and Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Stouffer.

DON'T TRY TO KILL BLACK CATS Arlington, O.—Henry Beach, living three miles south of here, was disturbed by the night meowing of cats. He got up and secured a shotgun to kill the cat that meowed the most. He fired at a black animal, but the contents of the gun went

into Beach's hand. He went to a Findlay Hospital, where three of his fingers were taken off.

ZERGEIBEL-HEAGY WEDDING Marietta, Pa., July 12.—A pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mrs. Catharine Heagy, when her daughter, Edna was united in marriage to Oscar H. Zergeibel, of Ephrata, in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends. The

Rev. D. G. Glass, of Lancaster, performed the ceremony.

American Armed Ship Is Sunk by Submarine

Washington, July 12.—The American ship Kansan, carrying a crew of fifty men, was sunk yesterday by a German submarine, it was announced

in a dispatch received by the state Department. This is the second armed American merchantman which has been sunk in a week.

"The master and survivors of the crew and the armed guard have been landed," says the dispatch. "All of the armed guard are safe. The following members of the merchant crew are now considered as lost: First Assistant Engineer J. M. Kurphy, American; F. Aguirre, English; A. P. Kua,

of Honolulu, and C. Hannan, of Singapore. The Kansan was owned by the Hawaiian American Steamship Company and was chartered by the France and Canada Steamship Company, of New York."

CONGRESS POSTPONED Buenos Aires, Argentina, July 12.—The congress of neutral South American nations to formulate a common policy in respect to problems arising from the war, has been postponed indefinitely.

Tomorrow the Most Important Friday Bargain Day of the Clean Sweep Sale Store Opens Tomorrow, Friday at 8.30 A. M. and Closes at 5 O'clock P. M.

FRIDAY'S BARGAIN DAY AT KAUFMAN'S Hundreds of splendid WORTH COMING FOR VALUES which no man or woman desiring to economize can afford to overlook, because of the extra good quality and extreme low price of every article offered in this big Friday Clean Sweep Sale. Come! The opportunities are yours to grasp. Take advantage of them.

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MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S HANDSOME SUMMER SUITS Values to \$13.50. Clean Sweep Price Choice of an excellent variety of striped Flannels, Home-spun, Worsteds and Cassimeres. Smart stylish models and patterns. All sizes for Men and Young Men.

Friday Clean Sweep Specials For Boys FOR FRIDAY ONLY Boys' 39c Sport Blouses. 19c Clean Sweep Price Only ten dozen on sale; plain and fancy sport blouses; sizes 6 to 15 years.

CLEAN SWEEP SALE Tomorrow Friday An Important Clean-Sweep Sale of Women's White Shoes and Pumps Just 349 Pairs of Entirely New White Shoes and Pumps—Divided Into Special Groups For a Quick Clean-Up. Sale Starts Tomorrow, Friday, Morning at 8.30

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Wash Skirts! Wash Skirts! Over 1000 in This Big Clean Sweep Sale Women's and Misses' Wash SKIRTS; Worth to \$1.50. Sale Price . . . 69c White basket weave and striped gabardine; all new models, and sizes to 30 waist.

IN THE BARGAIN BASEMENT MORE EXTRA BIG CLEAN SWEEP SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY 50c Bath Towels Good Turkish Bath Towels, colored, striped borders. Special, ea. 39c

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