



U. S. TO JAIL RESISTERS OF ARMY DRAFT

Federal Government Prepared to Take Drastic Action in Districts Where Slackers Apparently Have Organized to Evade Service in New National War Army; Regular Troops to Enforce Law if Necessary

WHOLE POWER OF NATION STANDS READY TO PUT DOWN DISORDERS BEGUN BY COWARDS

Sheriff's Poses Search For Various Bands of Objectors Believed to Be Hiding in Timbered Sections of Oklahoma; Bridges Said to Have Been Burned in Demonstration Against Law and Order.

Washington, Aug. 4.—Persons resisting the draft law, department of justice officials announced to-day, whether in Oklahoma or elsewhere will be sought out, run down, and brought before the proper authorities, no matter at what cost.

Provost Marshal General Crowder and Assistant Attorney General Pitts, in charge of the enforcement of the draft law, conferred at length to-day as to steps to be taken to check anti-draft agitators in North Carolina, Georgia, Oklahoma and other localities.

The war department is in close touch with the situation and is prepared to take drastic and effective steps if necessary in the effected districts. Secretary Baker or General Crowder probably will issue a statement outlining the department's position later to-day.

May Use Troops

Despite the fact that the letter and spirit of the selective conscription law combines to place its operation in the various states under civilian supervision to the fullest possible extent, it may become necessary to employ Federal troops to restore order in the disaffected regions in Oklahoma. This arises from the fact that the entire National Guard of the country will be divorced completely from state control to-morrow under President Wilson's proclamation federalizing the force on that date.

Should the situation in Oklahoma get beyond control the sheriff's posses or other civilian forces, the only recourse of the governor would be to ask General Parker, commanding the Southern Department, to send troops to do the work. There will be no Oklahoma National Guard under the governor's authority after to-day, as the Oklahoma National Guard passed under complete control of the Federal military authorities.

Just what steps will be taken to bring to justice the men who are spreading sentiment in the South and elsewhere against the draft law were not announced. Pitts' department issued the following statement:

"Whether in Oklahoma or anywhere else, if persons who are regularly selected for military service under the selective soldiers' act, fail to obey when properly notified and called to the draft, warner Sunday taken by the strong arm of the Federal law and brought before the proper registration boards."

Mr. Pitts' first information of the anti-draft movement in Oklahoma was obtained to-day from the newspapers. While department agents and field investigators have been looking into the situation there for some time past, he said their reports had not been brought to his attention until the situation occurred. Officials were inclined to minimize the seriousness of the situation, based on unofficial reports, in Oklahoma.

Field Investigators, however, sometime ago reported to the department that trouble might be found in enforcing the law in certain sections of Oklahoma.

THE WEATHER

For Harrisburg and vicinity: Fair to-night and Sunday; not much change in temperature. For Eastern Pennsylvania: Fair to-night and Sunday, continued cool to slight warmer Sunday in north portion; light, variable winds, becoming south.

River The Susquehanna river and all its branches will fall slowly or remain nearly stationary. A stage of about 4.0 feet is indicated for Harrisburg Sunday morning.

General Conditions Showers have fallen along the Atlantic coast from New York to Florida, being light except on the South Carolina coast, where moderately heavy rain fell.

Temperature: 8 a. m., 66 degrees. Sun Rises, 4:52 a. m. Moon Rises, 7:28 p. m. River Stage: 4.1 feet. Yesterday's Weather: Highest temperature, 84. Lowest temperature, 69. Mean temperature, 75. Normal temperature, 74.

WHAT THE DOCTORS ARE DOING TO THE CANDIDATES FOR WAR



These photographs show what is happening to thousands upon thousands of young Americans this week. In the first picture the height of the candidate for the army is being taken. He must be at least five feet and one inch high. The second one shows the soundness of the heart with a stethoscope to see if it is the kind of a heart that Uncle Sam wants in the trenches.

CO. D MAY BE FIRST TO LEAVE CITY FOR CAMP

GET IMPORTANT DRAFT RULINGS; MANY AFFECTED

Company D has been designated by Colonel Maurice E. Finney as the one to go to Augusta, Ga., to prepare for the coming of the remainder of the State Guardsmen in case the War Department orders men sent for that purpose. Colonels of regiments have been instructed by the War Department to designate one company to precede their regiments when orders come for their movement. Acting on these instructions, Company D was selected to-day by Colonel Finney.

Some doubt was expressed by army officers as to whether or not a company would be exempt from the draft. It has been customary to do so only in the case of State en-campments. When the troops went to the borders they were second lieutenants and the work done by the entire regiment after they had arrived on the campsite.

Saturday Inspection Saturday, and Saturday inspection, are synonymous for soldiers all over the country. Saturday is the day when the officers inspect and rate the men for a thousand and one little things that none but the trained eye of an army man would notice. Each of the troops on the island this morning went through the ordeal with fairly good averages.

Captains of each company order the men assembled and then the real work begins. First were second lieutenants, who have been "boss" the early part of the week, come under the rules of the inspection. The lieutenant in turn come under the same rules. Not a detail is neglected, so slight a thing as an unbuttoned shirt lapel is sure to bring down a reprimand. Officers say the memory of "each Saturday helps to keep the men "on their toes" until the end of the next week.

Duck a Comrade Early this morning half of the men rushing toward the river attracted (Continued on Page 7)

200 Miners Entombed in Mine by Explosion; 30 Rescued Badly Burned

Clay, Ky., Aug. 4.—Two hundred miners are entombed in Mine No. 7 of the West Kentucky Coal Company here as a result of an explosion of gas at 7:30 this morning. Three men have been rescued. Smoke is emerging from the mine. The explosion, it is said, occurred in the south end of the mine, where negroes largely were employed. The explosion, it was stated, choked the passageway to the north end, where the remainder of the force, including forty white men, were at work. Thirty-one men, all negroes, had been rescued. Many of them, it was said were badly burned.

Disguise U-Boats With Sails to Decoy Steamers

A Gulf Port, Aug. 4.—German U-boat commanders are making effective use of the use of disguising their craft with sails to resemble travelers during hazy weather, according to reports from the U. S. Archbold, which was sighted June 16. Captain Thompson is master of a steamer now docked here. The Archbold sighted a vessel of two masts and one sail about six miles away on the afternoon the tanker was sunk. Although suspicious of the vessel, Captain Thompson thought he was not certain of its identity until the craft submerged with sail set. Thereupon the Archbold changed her course. The submarine was not sighted again, but two hours later a torpedo crashed into the Archbold, sinking her.

King George Declares British Will Fight On

London, Aug. 4.—King George, on the occasion of their anniversary of the war has sent identical cables to the presidents and sovereigns of the United States, France, Portugal, Italy, Japan, Serbia and Rumania, expressing "the unwavering determination of the British empire to pursue the contest until our joint effort and our common aims attained."

BRAKEMAN FALLS FROM TRAIN

Charles Knight, 29, of Thompsonstown, employed as freight brakeman on the Middle Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, is in the Harrisburg Hospital suffering from lacerations of the scalp which he received when he fell from an engine last night.

TWO FILE PETITIONS

Two candidates for tax collector filed nominating petitions to-day with the County Commissioners. They were: H. R. Strayer, Republican, Lower Swatara; Jonathan P. Borden, Republican, Hummelstown.

FATE OVERTAKES RENEGADES WHO MURDERED KING

Military Court-Martial Sentences Officers in Clique After Fifteen Years

Fate has at last fallen on that band of military renegades who some fifteen years ago broke into the royal palace at Belgrade at night and assassinated King Alexander and the Serbian queen. Three, high officials have recently been shot after military courts-martial. Three more are awaiting death sentences, seven officers have received lesser sentences of from one to five years.

While the outside world was shocked, the band of assassins enjoyed at home a certain immunity and even glory for having rid the country of a dissolute ruler and his plebeian gypsy queen, for the name of Draga had been well known in the concert halls of Europe before she had the luck to win a king and crown. The plain people of Serbia, who are simple and honest, revolted at the crime, but the army clique which carried out the murder did not care for the upper classes with them, and by terrorizing and intrigue became one of the dominant forces of Serbia.

Recent is Active But all this changed about a year ago when the vigorous young Prince Alexander became regent. He set to active service the great number of officers retired and disqualified by the murder clique. He declared that all army appointments and advancements would be impartial, without regard to the old line drawn between the clique and the rest of the army.

The regicide element deeply resented this action. They appealed to Alexander, even suggesting that his royal power rested from their hands. When Alexander was firm the clique revived their watchword of the former murder, "Union or death." This time they were armed and at the prince's request and aid, they assassinated him to have been carried out on August 23 of last year. The plot was discovered and wholesale arrests followed of all those officers who had so long enjoyed immunity and power by their part in the murder of Alexander and Draga.

Frank Payne Will Form Local Unit of State's Home Police Force

Frank Payne, 1901 North Front street, has been appointed to organize the local district Pennsylvania Home Police Force. He has not decided on its size, but will name enough men to adequately keep the peace after the younger men have come to war. The Pennsylvania home defense police has all the powers delegated to special officers of first class cities. The members will swear to act for the security of the state at all times. It would be well to head a friendly insurance concerning your conduct from a member of this volunteer force.

Local Exemption Board Examines First Man

Alexander Smith, 915 West Michigan street, Lansing, Mich., the first man to be examined by any local draft board for the new National Army, to-day was declared to be physically fit for service. The board in charge of the examination is the third city district made up of John C. Orr, Jr., William Bayles and Dr. C. R. Phillips. Smith, who is a traveling salesman, was examined only because he was a nonresident. He is a widowed mother, wife of a five-year-old son dependent upon him for support.

CONSCRIPTION ASSURED

Ottawa, Aug. 4.—The Canadian senate last night advanced to second reading the conscription act, thereby insuring its passage through parliament and making certain that it will become law.

KILLS DIVORCED HUSBAND TO GET CUSTODY OF SON

Wealthy Woman Sought Her Child After Divorcing Athlete and Political Leader

IS SOCIALLY PROMINENT

DeSaullles Had Declined Appointment as U. S. Minister to Uruguay

Quarrelled Over Son The story of the shooting, as pieced together by the police, serves to confirm the belief expressed to-day that the repeated quarrels over the custody of the child, was the only cause for the murder. Mrs. de Saullles, who has a summer home at Icosim motored over to the cottage occupied by her former husband last night and requested that her son be allowed to spend August with her. Mr. de Saullles refused the request and the following moments of the earnest conversation between the two and Mr. de Saullles turned as if to enter the house when Mrs. de Saullles shot him three times in the back. He died soon after being taken to a hospital.

Interesting Courtship Last night's shooting came to a climax to a romance that interested two continents. It started with the courtship in South America in the spring of 1910 when de Saullles went to Chile as a representative of a company interested in railroad construction. A year later he married Blanca Estrella Michel. At the time of his marriage de Saullles spoke of his wife as "the loveliest girl in the world," and the first impression that the couple were happy came to their friends in July of last year when Mrs. de Saullles began a suit for divorce and named the popular Broadway singer and actress as a co-respondent.

Although reputed to be worth many millions in her own right Mrs. de Saullles is said to have a net worth of \$300 a month, which was to be cut in half should she remarry. De Saullles Popular John de Saullles' first won prominence as a quarterback at Yale and after his graduation he carried his popularity among college men into politics, successfully heading two organizations, during the campaign of 1912 for the election of President Wilson and second for the election of Governor Wood. He was the murder clique's declared that all army appointments and advancements would be impartial, without regard to the old line drawn between the clique and the rest of the army.

Message From Mother It was recalled to-day that several months ago shortly before Mrs. de Saullles applied to the consular for permission to take her son on a visit to Chile that a message of a few words was delivered to her by a priest. The messenger, claimed James Kent Stone of the Passionist Fathers in South America, said that he came more than 4,000 miles to deliver the message and to disclose its contents. The message is said to have been delivered to the priest by the mother of Mrs. de Saullles, who pledged him to secrecy.

Can it Be Possible This Man Must Pack a Gun and Serve His Country?

Philadelphia, Aug. 4.—The sixth district national army exemption board to-day received from Charles Carson, 1729 Reed street, a claim for discharge from service in the national army. Carson made his claim on the official blank. He was instructed to specify the reasons he claimed exemption and he checked off the following making his claim: A county officer. A custom house clerk. A person employed by the United States in the transmission of the mails. An artificer in the navy yard. A licensed pilot. A mariner in the sea service. A person having dependents. A married man with a wife to support. A son of a widow depending upon him for support. A son of a child under sixteen. A brother of a child under sixteen. A member of a well-recognized religious sect whose existing creed forbids its members to participate in war in any form. A person convicted of a felony. Carson also specified he had been separated from his wife for two months.

ENTENTE FORCES TO GIVE GROUND

Anglo-French Troops Exert Incessant Pressure on Teuton Positions

BRITISH MOVE AHEAD

No Renewal of Smashing Offensive on Large Scale

While there has been no renewal of the smashing offensive on a large scale inaugurated by the Anglo-French forces in Flanders on Tuesday the incessant pressure on the German lines is beginning to tell in the further yielding of ground. The British yesterday again established themselves in the Villars of St. Julien which they lost during a German counterattack closely following the initial dash. Last night the French in turn moved ahead in their sector, making further progress west of the Valenciennes of Kortleker. To the South of the Arras battle front the British have renewed their grip on their old line, completing last night the recapture of the positions.

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NEW AMERICAN UNIT SENT TO BATTLE FRONT IN FRANCE

Paris, Aug. 4.—Section 32 of the American Field Service went to the front to-day under the command of Keith Osburn, of Azusa, Cal. The Club of New York presented the automobiles for the section and organized the personnel. Section 9 of the Field Service has been cited in army orders and received the war cross for its work in having moved hundreds of wounded, twenty-seven consecutive hours until its task was accomplished.

POSSE BATTLES WITH SLACKERS

Ardmore, Okla., Aug. 4.—A posse guarding a highway near Stonewall in Pontotoc county exchanged about forty shots with a band of alleged draft resisters early to-day, according to reports. None was injured. Oklahoma National Guard cavalry left Weverla for the troubled districts, this morning.

NO CAUSE FOR HIGHER PRICES

Washington, Aug. 4.—Retail dealers who have raised the prices of glass fruit jars are denounced by the department of agriculture in a statement to-day which declares the increases began with the government's emergency campaign for preservation of food.

SANK IN ONE MINUTE

Washington, Aug. 4.—Only one minute elapsed between the time of the torpedoing of the American steamer Matana and her sinking. Consular dispatches to-day say sixteen of the crew and eight of the naval gunners were lost and seventeen of the crew and five of the naval force were rescued.

DEMOCRATS ELECT STUCKER

Harrisburg — Charles D. Stucker to-day was elected chairman of the Democratic County Committee. He succeeds Fred L. Morgenthaler. The Stuckers and the old Fritchey faction were always very close and they have been lined up against the McCormick faction in many campaigns.

LANSING RETURNS TO CAPITAL

Watertown, N. Y., Aug. 4.—Robert Lansing, Secretary of State, will return to his duties in Washington to-day. He will leave here this evening after a month's vacation at Henderson Harbor. Mr. Lansing is much improved in health. He has passed a great portion of the time fishing.

ARMY QUOTA ALMOST FILLED

Washington, Aug. 4.—Under the stimulus of the draft enlistments of the Regular Army within the last week have increased so that the full quota of 183,898 men has almost been obtained. The shortage is less than six thousand. Yesterday's enlistments were 1,063.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Earl W. Rosenberry and Mary M. Gilgore, Harrisburg; Frank Fortner, Harrisburg, and Iocelia L. Baker, Cairo, Ga.; Lee S. Izler and Catherine N. Hetcher, Harrisburg; Scott O. Clemson, Union Bridge, Md., and Mary A. Clousher, Faneytown; Martin L. Cooper and Mary E. Rhoads, Harrisburg.