Army of Overwhelming Numbers Could Thus Be Put in the Field

Washington, June 20.— Secretary of War Baker has been won over to the program to extend the military service draft act to all men between eighteen and forty-five years.

It will apply the "work-or-fight" It will apply the "work-or-fight" order to many millions of men not affected at this time. The Army authorities do not seek nor do they expect that Congress will give them the right to say just where and at what occupation a man shall work, but as a matter of military necessity the Army feels it must have the power to say that if a man of recognized military age and qualification is not devoting himself to work connected with the war, then he must be called to serve with the colors of his country.

Baker Announces Approval The War Department nas not for-ially recommended the new legisla-on to Congress, but Provost Mar-nal General Crowder has been urg-ing it and Secretary Baker said to-

If the amendment to the draft to extend the age limits to all

men between eighteen and fortyfive years is submitted to me I shall
recommend that it be passed."
This virtually settles the matter,
for there seems to be no doubt at
all that Congress is ready to follow
the advice of the military authorities.

#### Youths Best Soldiers

It has been demonstrated time and time again, however, that boys between eighteen and twenty-one make the very finest soldiers in the world, and it is further admitted that inclusion in the Army of the classes below twenty-one has virtually a negligible effect upon the industries of a country.

or call into the Army all single men between thirty-one and thirty-six years of age. It is believed these will fill the requirements of the Army for some time to come, taken in conjunction with the men who become eligible automatically as they reach twenty-one years of age.

Moving Fast to Front
Secretary Baker specifically confined himself to-day to the years between eighteen and forty-five. The head of the War Department had hoped that it might not be necessary to change the draft laws this year, but the speed with which American troops have been sent oversean and consequent quick absorption of so many of the men ori-

Descendant of Fighters



JOHN W. McELWEE

Relatives of John W. McElwee Relatives of John W. McElwee, formerly of this city, have received word of his safe arrival in France. Mr. McElwee enlisted March 6 and trained with the 20th Engineers. His grandfather, father and six uncles fought in the Civil War. He resided for some time in Franklin county, but is known in Harrisburg as he spent much time here also.

### A Second Appeal

TWO weeks ago the Telephone Company requested all telephone users to please refrain from asking the operators for the correct time, explaining that this request was necessary because of the considerable volume of such calls which, if eliminated, would so reduce the abnormal calling volumes as to permit of a redistribution of both operators' service and telephone equipment, and result in the Company's ability to care for the very heavy telephone demands of the present and the even greater domands for service which are expected in the months to come.

It was explained that the same service on the part of the operators, the same length of time, and an equal general use of telephone equipment are necessary to answer such questions as are required to complete an ordinary connection.

While the response to this request has been very gratifying and the volume of such calls has decreased appreciably, the burden has not been entirely lifted.

We, therefore, again bring the matter to the attention of those users of the service who did not read, or who were not impressed by our earlier appeal, urging them to discontinue the practice of depending upon the telephone operator for the correct time.

The Telephone Company feels that it can count on a continuation of the public's helpful attitude which will be of very real assistance in meeting the ever-increasing volumes of telephone calls and demands for telephone service.

THE BELL TELEPHONE CO. OF PA. W. H. FETTER, Local Manager, HARRISBURG, PA.



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#### PARDON BOARD IN ALL IN BERLIN RECORD SESSION **EXPECT VICTORY**

May Not Finish Long List Be. Mrs. Challis, Back From Gerfore Late This Evening; many, Declares People **Members Speak Out** Confident of Winning

Members of the State Board of Pardons who are sitting to-day to hear the list commenced yesterday morning may not be able to reach decisions until late to-night. The list to-day included a series of Philadelphia cases with the application for release of Freda Trost, granted commutation from a death sentence in 1913, listed for late in the afternoon, to be followed by two Allegheny county first degree cases. During the hearing of the application for release of Cora Dayton, convicted of damaging rallroad property while masquerading as a man with a company of tramps, Judge S. B. Sadlersent a' letter of recommending mercy and Secretary of the Commonwealth Woods declared that such persons as the convict should be kept under police supervision when released.

The first day's session was enlivened yesterday by a declaration from Secretary of the Commonwealth Woods that the Army should not be made a dumping ground for criminals. E. M. Gilbert, of Lancaster, declared that, if pardoned, Dr. D. F. Kline would immediately enter the Army as a surgeon, but that the Board would have to get busy because the doctor is near the age limit. "But this Board deesn't think the Army and Navy of the United States from Berlin with her two children and is on the way to her home in Kansas City after being dway for eight years. She said that her husband had many inuential friends among the Frussian arisocracy and said she believed the report published on April 24, 1917, that Prince Eitel Friedrich, the sections and have no doubt of their unit of the true war conditions. They believe that their armies are victorious and have no doubt of their united their armies are victorious and have no doubt of their united their armies are victorious and have no doubt of their united their armies are victorious and have no doubt of their united their armies are victorious and have no doubt of their united their armies are victorious and have no doubt of their united their armies are victorious and have no doubt of their united their armies are victoriou

sinally called from Class 1 has led to an entire change in the aspect of the manpower situation.

If the present rate of shipment to Europe can be maintained — and there is every reason to believe it can be increased before very long—troops will move forward to the battle fronts at the rate of more than 2,500,000 a year.

Czecho-Slovaks on Way to U. S. to Enlist in War Against the Austrians

By Associated Press

A Pacific Port, June 20.—Lieutenant Colonel Raymond Robbins, head of the American Red, Cross Mission to the processing prison will red the the fing's Daughters and prison visiting societies of that sort—are apt not only to get soft-hearted but soft-

as sentenced to the sentence of the sort of the were organized pleas of the sort ou are presenting to us," said Lieumant-Governor McClain, "we'd have general jail delivery. And, anyays, this Board isn't going to attempt to adjust race feuds, to the detiment of society in general."

#### **Applause Once Custom** In Religious Services

Someone having written a protest against hand-clapping as being an inartistic method of appreciating musical contributions, Clement Antrobus Harris in the Etude makes a few observations on the antiquity of the practice. He says:

It is interesting to recall the fact that in what we moderns regard as a less developed stage of musical evolution, clapping the hands, far from being looked upon as an outrage on the musical sense, was an integral part of an orchestral performance. A bas-relief from Kouyunjik, found among the ruins of Nineveh, and now in the British Museum, represents a procession of musicians. In front are men play-Museum, represents a procession of musicians. In front are men playing instruments, while following them are a number of women and children, probably singing, but certainly clapping their hands in time one with another, the arms and hands all being in exactly the same position. In this the Assyrians were following a well-known Egyptian and Ethiopian custom.

Most members of the more ancient Communions will probably be surprised to learn that in those early days of Christianity to which they appeal for authority, audible commendation in churches was evidently quite common—in approvat of sermons, if not of musical performances.

**Dormitories Built in** 

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With this allowance — nay, encouragement—of applause in a sacred building, it is interesting to contrast the prohibition of it in secular ones. At one time demonstrations of approbation, at least in the form of encores, were prohibited in France, as was the calling of an author before the curtain. Applause is generally tabooed at the performance of Wagnerian operas to-day.

#### Undaunted Overbrook Girl Is Anxious to Get Back

Overbrook, — Undaunted by the dangers which she experienced during the present Hun drive, Josephine Hayden, of Overbrook, has announced her intention of returning to France within a few months. For a year she has been driving a motor truck loaded with supplies from Paris to base hospitals.

When the Germans started their spring offensive Miss Hayden aided in rescuing the refugees from French villages. For two weeks this 22-year-old girl rushed from the actual firing line to points more remote, carrying hundreds of women and children to safety.

"I don't feel that I have done anything very unusual," she said; "there are many young American women working now in France, and a great many more are needed. What the French need most is airplanes. They don't let anyone coming back lose sight of that fact for a moment."

Miss Hayden, 4 aughter of Rowland C. Hayden, 5958 Woodbine street, Overbrook, was sent abroad by the Emergency Aid.

#### One Killed When Auto Rolls Into Canal Bed

Renovo, Pa., June 20. — George Washington Bradney, aged 78 years, of Renovo, was killed, and Miss Edith Baddorf, a trained nurse, of Lock Haven, was badly injured in an automobile accident near here last evening. They were enroute to the home of a sick relative of Bradney's when their automobile overturned into the old Pennsylvania canal bed.

Steelworker Leaves For Training Camp Monday

HARRISBURG TELEGRAPH



JULIUS SHLOMBERG

Julius Shlomberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Shlomberg, 427½ Ver-beke street, who will leave with the mill department of the Bethlehem Steel Company at its Steelton plant. He is also an honorary member of Good Will Fire Company, No. 7.

#### ITALIAN LINES ARE STIFFENING

every one is forbidden to sell any personal effects or household belongings. When I left there I surreptitiously sold some of my belongings, and when a few of my acquaintances learned that I wished to dispose of my things they begged for a chance to buy them. For my sheets, which I had bought long ago at a dollar apiece. I received \$50°, and a worn-out rug, which was practically valueless, was bought by two women who paid me three times what I paid for it many years ago.

"Wool and soap are two articles that are now entirely unknown in Germany, Automobiles, too, have become extinct. All clothing is made of shoddy and one is allowed but one dress, and that can only be obtained by permission of the government. The people are patient in spite of the filth and disease, for they believe it will only be a short time now until the war is over.

"The familiar stout German figure is no longer to be seen. I was simply aghast when I saw the first fat man here, for I had not seen one for so long. I am now more than fifty pounds below my average weight.

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"There is no news of the war to had except that favorable to Germany." The people har nothing of the movement of American troops, except that they are not being able to reach their destination and that at every turn the enemy is being thwarted. There is never any question as to the provocation of Germany for entering the war, and the feeling has always been strong that had the Belgians not resisted there many for entering the war, and the Belgians not resisted there many for entering the war, and the feeling has always been strong that had the Belgians not resisted there ity, for, being thrifty, they have been able to raise enough to main them. The city people have now converted their courtyards, which were kept in splendid condition, into pig pens, and the pig is the pet of every household."

Dormitories Built in

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U. S. Shipped Overseas

Queenstown. — A large dwellinghouse, with a considerable area of land attached, has been acquired near Queenstown for an American naval hospital. It will be used formen from the American warships. Wooden dormitories will be added to the existing building so as to bring the capacity of the hospital up to 250 beds. The dormitories are being built in sections in America and shipped to Ireland in Kroek down.

peasants have risen and the revolt has spread to the provinces of Tchernigov and Poltava.

#### **United States Will** Going to Command Marines Move Slowly Against

Washington, June 20.—Through Spain and Sweden the American government sought further information to-day regarding the seizure of the American consulate at Tabriz, Persia, and looting of an American hospital there by Turks. Only the meager account of the incident contained in a dispatch yesterday from Minister Caldwell at Teheran, has reached the State Department.

There will be no hasty action by the United States toward recognizing what may have been an act of war and thereby adding Turkey to the nation's enemies. A complete and official report will be awaited before the State Department lays before the State Department lays before President Wilson the information upon which he will base a decision as to whether he will ask Congress for another war declaration.

#### Mrs. J. E. Sweeney, of Camp Hill, Chairman of Child Welfare Work

Carlisle, Pa., June 20.—The Child Welfare Work for Cumberland county, under the women's committee of the Council of National Defense, was launched at a meeting at the home of the chairman, Miss Mary Bosler, with almost every district of the county represented and members of the local committee out in full force. Dr. Harvey Bashore, of West Fairview, county health officer, addressed the meeting and offered many suggestions. Plans were made for a Baby Saving Show to be held in a short time. The state has offered to loan the committee its exhibits and physicians of the county will cooperate. Mrs. J. E. Sweeney, of Camp Hill, has been appointed chairman to look after this work in the lower end of the county.

#### HEARINGS EXTENDED

Washington, June 20.—Revenue hearings before the House ways and means committee have been extended another week, the plan now being to close them Friday, June 28. Arrangements for a recess of Congress while the committee frames the bill during July will be made soon, according to word passed by leaders to their colleagues

### MURDERER ENDS LIFE BY JUMPING THROUGH WINDOW

When Jury Returns Verdict, David Adams, Negro, Dives to Pavement

Pittsburgh-Preferring suicide to he electric chair, David Adams, aged 40, a negro, of Wilkinsburg, plunged a window in a criminal courtroom on the second floor of the guilty of murder in the first degree. He fell to the street forty feet below and was instantly killed.

The suicide is the first of its kind n this county. Adams gave not the slightest indication of his intention of self-destruction. The jury reached a verdict late at night and was Adams heard the verdict without apparent emotion and when the jury had left the courtroom he leaned forward in his chair and asked his attorney, J. Welford Holmes, what Harrisburg contingent of drafted men attorney, J. Welford Holmes, what for Camp Lee, Va., on Monday, has been for the past three years employed as a foreman at the merchant will, denoting the Rethiehem trial.

#### Makes Dash For Window

Deputy Sheriff John H. Dailey. who had Adams in charge, touched the negro on the shoulder. "Come along, Dave," he said. Adams rose and made a dash for the window on the Ross street side of the courtroom twenty feet away. There was no one between him and the window and before anyone could prevent him, Adams sprang on a chair and plunged head first through the double-thick plate glass window, which is a quarter of an inch thick. His body turned a somersault through the air and he struck on his head just beyond the curb between two automobiles. City Detectives Cornelius Buckley, James Rea, Guy Dailey, Charles A. Freeborn and Mrs. Margaret Taylor, a policewoman, were showered with glass from the

broken window, but were uninjured. Adams was placed on trial before Judge J. McF. Carpenter charged with the murder of his wife, Bessie Adams, at their home, 1509 North avenue, Wilkensburg, on December 7 last. Frank Morgan, a negro, testified that Adams, his wife and himself were in the defendant's home the day of the shooting. Adams was playing the banjo and became exasperated when his wife insisted on him playing a certain tune. The wife continued to tease and importune him, the witness declared, and Adams becoming enraged, shot the woman through the head. Adams' defense was that the shooting was accidental.

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It is the belief of some court attaches that the escape had been planned by the prisoner in the event of an adverse verdict. Some think that he had surveyed the situation carefully in passing across the bridge of sighs in coming to the courthouse returning to his cell. He had opportunity of seeing the lines of automobiles with the tops up, standing out on Ross street, just beneath the courtroom windows, which are unguarded. By diving through the window and landing on the top of an automobile he would escape with slight injuries and he would have an opportunity of making his getaway.

# **Interstate Commerce**

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The examiners were sent out to see whether changes in the railroad time limits would not convenience business and social life if adopted. They have found to date a number of points, generally on the eastern edges

They have found to date a number of points, generally on the eastern edges of time belts, which already had systems of daylight saving by running on the hours of belt adjacent to them.

A dual system of time has been found in several places in the United States, where "railroad time" and "town time" have both been customarily recognized, the latter being one hour faster than the former. Some points have continued the system, even under the general time advance last spring, while others have adopted a single standard. Rulings will perhaps affect these.



RIVERVIEW 58 Home Sites Sold in RIVERVIEW Last Week

#### THOUSANDS OF FOREIGN-BORN CITIZENS TO JOIN IN PARADE

Men of Every Nationality to Show Loyalty to Adopted Country in Great Demonstration

Foreign-born residents of Harrisburg and vicinity to the number of several thousand are planning to turn out en masse for the big patriotic parade on Independence Day. Edward Moeslein, who is chairman of the committee in charge of getting the foreign-born people to parade, is working hard to make this division one of the largest in the whole line of march. A meeting of the committee will be held early next week, at which time plans will be committee will be held early next week, at which time plans will be committee will be held early next week, at which time plans will be committee will be held early next week, at which time plans will be committee will be held early next week, at which time plans will be committee will be held early next week, at which time plans will be committee will be held early next week, at which time plans will be committee will be held early next week, at which time plans will be committee will be held early next week, at which time plans will be committee will be held early next week, at which time plans will be committee will be held early next week, at which time plans will be committee will be held early next week, at which time plans will be committee will be held early next week, at which time plans will be committee will be held early next week, at which time plans will be committee will be held early next week, at which time plans will be committee will be held early next week, at which time plans will be committee will be held early next week, at which time plans will be committee will be held early next week, at which time plans will be committee will be held early next week, at which time plans will be committee will be held early next week, at which time plans will be committee will be held early next week, at which time plans will be the committee will be in the line of march. Plans are believes, and Williamstown, in the two committee will be no differences of loyality for the United States shown by the march.

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# **AMUSE MENTS**

COLONIAL To-day and to-morrow — Waliamson Bros. in "The Submarine Eye." Saturday only — May Allison in "The Winning of Beatrice" Monday and Tuesday — Madge Ken-nedy in "The Fair Pretender."

REGENT
To-day—"The Crisis" and "The Son of
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To-morrow and Saturday — Tyrone
Power in "A Modern Lorelei," and
"The Son of Democracy."
Monday — Henry B. Walthall in "The
Birth of a Man." To-day — VICTORIA

To-day — Sergeant Arthur Guy
Empey in "Over the Top."
Friday — Virginia Pearson in "The
Firebrand."

PAXTANG PARK THEATER Vaudeville Specialties.

In addition to the many wonderful scenes representing great battles in the Civil War, which will be revealed to theatergoers at the Regent Theater today, when "The Crisis" will be presented, there are elements so vitally human and so universal in their appeal that the spectator is held spell-bound. Among these scenes may be classed those in which Abraham Lincoln is shown advising and counselling the young man from the North, Stephen Brice, who, seeking his fortunes in the southern section of the country, has fallen in love with one of the fairest daughters of the South, Virginia Carvel. Their love affair is proof of the old adage that "true love does not run smooth," for they have differences of opinion to keep them apart until they are finally united at the coffin of the martyr President.

To-morrow and Saturday — "A Modern Lorelei," starring Mabel Jones, California's perfect venus.

The Williamson Brothers will be seen at the Colonial Theater, at the Colonial Theater, at the Eye" at the Eye" at the Eye" at the Colonial Theater briccs, in "The Eye" the timeliness of the sought by submarines. Then, too, it discloses the uncanny things which inhabit the bottom of the ocean. The pictures are not marvels of rare

inhabit the bottom of the ocean. The pictures are not marvels of rare beauty, but full of dramatic intensity.

Saturday, only, May Allison, the pretty little Metro star, will be the attraction at the Colonial Theater in "The Winning of Beatrice." As an entertaining factor the picture meets full requirements. It is quite simply told and will hold the interest of the audience from beginning to end.

any book within the last decade an the picturization of it will, in al probability, break all house record for attendance wherever it is shown It is one of the most gripping fea

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To-morrow Virginia Pearson, in "The Firebrand," will be the attraction.

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