ADJOURNMENT IS AMERICAN ARMY

Final Day Passed.

SOME LAST HOUR LEGISLATION

Prohibition Amendment to Constitution Suddenly Reported Out-Would Absolutely Prohibit Sale or Manufacture of Liquors-Bounty Bill Goes at His Suggestion.

Harrisburg, Pa., June 19.—If the legislature runs according to schedule it wim close finally on Thureday, June 28. The house resolution fixing June 14 as adjournment day was reported out of senate committee last week in amended form, the change advancing the date that the weeks the date just two weeks.

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There is a possibility of the leaders reconsidering their action regarding adjournment if the direct inheritance tax bill is vetoed by the governor. For such action would mean the cutting off entirely of new revenue and the resultant necessity of slashing hospitals, schools and other deserving appropriations. Rether than nermit this propriations. Rather than permit this Mamity the legislature may decide to ontinue in session longer for the purose of seeking new revenue raisers.

It begins to look as though the ses-

It begins to look as though the ses-sion of 1917 will go down into legis-lative history as the first assembly in Pennsylvania to pass a resolution to amend the constitution for state-wide prohibition. That this action should

emend the constitution for state-wide prohibition. That this action should be decided upon during the closing days and after the "dry" forces throughout the state have given up the battle is all the more remarkable.

The house committee on constitutional reform reported with a unanimous vote the Smith resolution to submit to the people the question of adopting a statutory provision against the manufacture and sale of intoxicants. If the resolution passes this cants. If the resolution passes this session, it will be submitted to the 1919 session before it could go before the voters of the state.



Pittsburgh, July 3.

Butter—Prints, 41½ @42c; tubs, 40½ @41c. Eggs—Fresh, 37c. Cattle—Prime, \$12.75@13; good, \$11.75@12.25; tidy butchers, \$11 @11.25; fair, \$9.75@10.25; common, \$7.50@8.50; heifers, \$7@11; common to good fat towns, \$5@10.75; common to good fat cows, \$5@10; fresh cows and springers, \$40@90. Sheep and Lambs—Prime wethers, \$10@10.50; good mixed, \$9@9.75; fair inixed, \$7.50@8.50; culls and common, \$4.50@6; yearlings, \$6@13; spring lambs, \$10@10.50; culls and common, \$4.50@6; yearlings, \$6@13; spring lambs, \$10@10.50; veal calves, \$15@15.50; heavy and thin calves, \$7@11. Hogs—Prime heavy, \$15.75@15.80; heavy mixed and mediums, \$15.70@15.50; heavy mixed and mediums, \$15.70@15.50; heavy sorters, \$14.75@15.90; sorters, \$14.75@15.90; sorters, \$14.75.90; roughs, \$13.25@14.25; stags, \$12@12.75.

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he Smith resolution, to be submit-would prohibit the manufacture, sale or keeping for sale of vinous spiritous, malt or brewed liquors after July 1 of the year in which the amendment is made to the constitution. The legislature of 1921 would enact the necessary prohibitary legislation.

Edgar R. Smith, author of the pro-hibition resolution, represents Bedford county and is Pennsylvania's youngest legislators. He is not yet twenty-eight.

Last Wednesday the legislature wiped out a veto of the governor and a bill that had been disapproved by the statute books notwithstanding the veto. To make the occasion more interesting, the action by the legislature in overriding the veto was taken with the advise and at the requirements. overriding the veto was taken with the advise and at the request of the governor. It was the first time in thirty years that a bill was put through over the governor's veto.

CLOSE AT HAND LANDS IN FRANCE

Resolution Fixing June 28 as Thousands of Soldiers Cross Ocean Without Mishap

BIG RECEPTION BY FRENCH

People Overjoyed at Coming of Unit ed States Soldiers-Vive L'Amerique la Cry.

Pershing's boys have landed at a French port.

Thousands of them came within the Through Over Governor's Vete and last twenty-four hours out of the misty vastness of the sea, a U-boat infested vastness of the sea, a U-boat intested sea that held no terrors for them—not a torpedo scratch on a transport; not a single man lost. Spick and span, with weather-browned faces, their eyes sparkling fight, every one of them every inch a man, they tramped down the gangways into a pandemonium of upending cheers.

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As these thousands of American fighting lads poured off the transports, scores of German prisoners stood on the pier. Teeth set, they looked half sideways at these strapping newcomers. Those who watched these prisoners could discern a grudging admiration in their looks.

The remarkable thing about these scenes attending the real entrance of the United States into the world war through the safe arrival of the expeditionary force was the spontaneity, the touching warmth of their reception here. Not an inkling of the arrival had leaked out beforehand.

There had been no preparations, no programs with speeches and song, no recention committee or the life. Not pandemonium of unending cheers.

programs with speeches and song, no preception committee or the like. Not until the transports had safely arrived off this port ready to disembark did the momentous news become known. Then the people here simply "got wild." wild.

The American troops answered the cheers by throwing small silver coins ashore. A roaring scramble among the street urchins followed. They did not spend the coins for candy. They wrapped them up carefully in their ragged handkerchiefs to save them as

acred souvenirs.

The disembarkation passed off in

The disembarkation passed off in the most orderly manner. There was not the slightest hitch. Ship after ship slipped into her berth, discharging men and equipment. Confusion seemed an unknown quantity to these khaki-clad youth and their officers. From the piers the American troops swung off through the streets of this port, where the whole populace had turned out to give them a tremeudous ovation. The crowds showered flowers, fruits, cigarets and dainties upon the marchers.

marchers. "Vive I'Amerique" was an unending cry. And as proof that but one con-ident thought was in the hearts of those cheering thousands, this about was repeated over and over again: "You'll chase the Germans out of

"We will," came the thunderous chorus from the Yankee boys.

LIVE STOCK AND GRAIN

Pittsburgh, July 3. Butter—Prints, 41½ @42c; tubs, 40½

steers, 1,000 lbs. and upwards, \$10@ 10.75; good to choice butcher steers, \$9.25@9.75; fair to good, \$8@9.25; common to light steers, \$7.25@8.25; choice fat butcher bulls, \$8@9.75; bologna bulls, \$6.75@7.75; good to choice fat cows, \$8@9.25; common cows, \$5.75; milch cows and springers,

Calves-Choice, \$15.25@15.75; good

mixed, \$15@15.25; heavy, \$7@14. Hogs—Choice heavy, \$15.60; good mixed, \$15.45@15.50; Yorkers, \$15.40; pigs and lights, \$14.25; roughs, \$13.80;

Chicago, July 3:
Hogs—Bulk, \$14.35@15.50; light, \$14
@15.20; mixed, \$14.25@15.70; heavy,
\$14.20@15.75; roughs, \$14.20@14.45;
plgs, \$10.75@13.90.
Cattle—Native beef cattle, \$8.30@

LANDS FIRST DIVISION OF TROOPS IN FRANCE



GENERAL W. L. SIBERT

General Sibert for a long time ha lams in the Monongahela and Ohi

A GENERAL SURVEY OF THE WAR

Russian troops have captured Koniuchy, on the Galician front, to-gether with 164 officers and 8,400 men,

gether with 164 officers and 8,400 men, the Russian war office announced.

The number of prisoners taken in the various sectors on Sunday is more than 10,000. Southwest of Brezezany the Russians occupied strongly fortified positions of the enemy.

The Russian official announcement says that the Russians have advanced to the Koniuchy stream and also have captured seven heavy guns. Teuton

captured seven heavy guns. Teuton prisoners continue to be brought in The British made progress in their encirclement of the French town of Lens. The official statement from British headquarters reports the cap-ture of German defenses on a half-mile front along the north bank of the Souchez river, southwest and west

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of Lens.

The Greek government has broken
diplomatic relations with Germany.
Austria-Hungary, Bulgaria and Turkey.

It is expected the next move will
be a formal war declaration.

Twenty-one British vessels of more
than 1,600 tons each, and seven under
1,600 tons were sunk by mines or submarines last week, according to the
statement issued by the admiralty.
No fishing vessels met with disaster.
The aggregate number of vessels flying the British flag destroyed by
mines or submarines last week shows
a net falling off of four, as compared
with the losses reported the previous
week, which numbered the previous
week, which numbered the previous
and five in the smaller division.

In an air duel fought as probably
the highest altrude at which aviators

the highest altitude at which aviators have met in combat—nearly four miles—a Canadian triplane pursued and defeated a German two-seated aviatik.

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The German machine had sought safety by climbing upward, and the triplane pursued. At a height of 20,000 feet the pilot of the German craft either fell or jumped from it and dis-appeared at the moment of the first burst of fire from the gun on the Canadian. The German observer was then seen to climb out upon the tail of his machine, where he lost his hold and plunged headlong. The aviatik turned its nose down and fell.

LESS DRINK AND MORE FUEL Coal Man Declares Production Is Hin-

dered by Booze. Coal production in states where the fuel is mined can be increased 25,000,-000 tons a year if strong drink is eliminated, D. A. Morrow of the Pitts-burgh Coal Producers' association de-clared before the senate interstate

In the Pittsburgh district alone, Mr.

Morrow said, production would be increased 5,000,000 tons.

"Alcoholic liquor is one of the worst enemies of the miners in western Pennsylvania," said Mr. Morrow. "It is impossible to get men to work more than a few days a week even when the car supply permits. The same trouble exists in Illinois and Ohio and also was felt in Indiana until that state became dry. Give up liquor and the production of those states would be increased 25,000,000 tons a year."

Mr. Morrow said the car supply question was worse in the Pittsburgh district than any other place in the United States. He declared that railroads had sufficient coal cars but sent them to mills for steel and other

Charles Wants Peace. Emperor Charles of Austria is de sirous of having peace at the earliest moment. A dispatch from Vienna said that Deputy Haesuer, who recently had an audience with the youthful monarch of the dual monarchy, an-nounced in the reichsrath that the em-peror had told him of his earnest de-sire for a speedy peace during the in-

FEW CLASSES ARE EXEMPTED KILLED IN CLASIL

WILSON SAYS NO UNFAIRNESS BLACKS' DISTRICT BURNED

Conceription Instructions Are East St. Louis Race Riots issued by President

Details of Draft Will Be Issued In Later Proclamation - Regulations Made Known Now.

The draft system is one of equality and fairness, President Wilson explained in a proclamation accompany-ing exemption and draft regulations.

is proclamation said:
"The regulations which I am today causing to be promulgated, pursuant to the direction of the selective servto the direction of the selective service law, cover the remaining steps of the plan for calling into service of the United States qualified men from those who have registered; those selected as the result of this process to constitute with the regular army, the national guard and the navy, the fighting forces of the nation, all of which forces are under the terms of the law placed in a position of equal right, dignity and responsibility with the members of all other military forces.

will not be ascertained for some time. Estimates of the number of negroes who perished in the fire ran as high as 100, but there is nothing authentic on which to base these estimates, except that hundreds of whites stood around the edges of the burning districts and fired at the negroes as they field from their homes.

Military rule was proclaimed and at the same time 300 white men were arrested and locked up at police head-quarters. The flames reached the very edge of the business district.

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"The regulations have been drawn with a view to the needs and circumstances of the whole country and provide a system which it is expected will work with the least inequality and personal hardships. Any system and personal hardships. Any system for selecting men for military service, whether voluntary or involuntary in its operation, necessarily selects some men to bear the burden of dan.

in its operation, necessarily selects some men to bear the burden of dan ger and sacrifice for the whole nation. The system here provided places all men of military age upon an even plane and then by selection which neither favors the one nor penalizes the other, calls out the requisite number for service.

"The successful operation of this law and of these regulations depends necessarily upon the loyalty, patriotism and justice of the members of the boards to whom its operation is committed, and I admonish every member of every local board and of each district board of review, that their duty to their country requires an impartial and fearless performance of the delicate and difficult duties intrusted to them. They should remember as to each individual case presented to them that they are called upon to adjudicate the most sacred rights of the individual and to preserve untarnished the honor of the nation.

"Our armies at the front will be

sacred rights of the individual and to preserve untarnished the honor of the nation.

"Our armies at the front will be strengthened and sustained if they be composed of men free from any sense of injustice in their mode of selection, and they will be inspired to loftier efforts in behalf of a country in which the citizens called upon to perform high public functions perform them with justice, fearlessness and impartiality. (Signed)

"Woodrow Wilson."

In rules and regulations governing the draft given out by Secretary of War Baker these exemptions are made:

Persons engaged in industries which act of congress authorizes the president to exclude from the draft.

Officers of the United States and of the several states, territories and the District of Columbia.

Ministers of religion.

Students of divinity.

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Persons in the military or naval service of the United States.

Subjects of Germany residing in the United States.

All resident aliens who have not

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Upon application to the local exemption board the following may be discharged from military duty:

County and municipal officers.

navy yards of the United States.

Persons employed in the service of the United States designated by the president to be exempted. Pilots.

Mariners actually employed in sea ervice within the United States. Those with persons dependent upon

Any persons members of religious sects or organizations organized and existing May 18, 1917, whose then ex-isting creed or principles forbid its members to participate in war in any

form.

Those found to be morally deficient.

The duties of the local and district
boards were also given. The details
of the draft will be given out in a

GUNNERS HIT PERISCOPE

Two Attacking Submarines Are Driver From American Ship.

The gun crew of an American liner fired upon two German submarines during her voyage from the United States to England. Both targets were at a considerable range, but the report to Washington of the commanding officer will express the belief that one periscope was shattered.

The passengers expressed the greatest admiration for the marksmanship of the American gunners as shown both in practice and against the enemy.

TWENTY NEGROES

Fatal to Many

Three Hundred White Men Arreste by Military-While Homes of Negroes Burn Whites Shoot at Blacks

At least twenty negroes were sho and killed as they fied from their burning homes which had been set on

The exact number who perished in the burning houses is unknown and will not be ascertained for some time.

quarters. The flames reached the very edge of the business district.

The rioting is a recrudescence of

LOADED CAR GOES

Twenty Passengers Missing and Several Are Injured—Car Turns Completely Over.

A trolley car on the gorge route at Niagara Falls, N. Y., carrying forty persons, jumped the track and ran into the Niagara river. Twenty persons are missing and several are in hospitals sectionsly burf.

County and municipal onicers.

Customs house clerks.

Persons employed by the United States in the transmission of the mails.

Employees of armories, arsenals and Employees of armories, are arready bottom side up in the rushing current. The cause of the accident was said to have been a washout. The roadbed under the cantilever bridge at the point where it occurred is a elay fill, and recently heavy rains washed it out below the surface of the roadbed. When the heavily loaded car struck the weak spot the rail on the river side, about ten feet from the water.

side, about ten feet from the water side, about ten feet from the water, gave way. The car turned on its side, slid down into the water, and, as it struck the rocky bottom of the river, turned completely over, the top of the car resting on the bottom of the

FOUR DIE IN MOTOR WRECKS

Train Smashes Into Auto; Two Killed

Train Smashes Into Auto; Two Killed In Motorcycle Collision.
Four killed and four injured was the Sunday automobile and motorcycle toll in Allegheny county, Pa. One of the injured probably will die.
Two of the deaths and two of the injuries occurred when two motorcycles collided, head-on, on the Noblestown road, near Camp Hill, Collier township.

Noblestown road, near camp Hill, Collier township.

One man was killed and two were injured when a westbound Allegheny Valley railroad train struck an automobile at the railroad avenue cross-

mobile at the railroad avenue crossing in Springdale.

W. S. Kidd, a Civil war veteran.

was fatally injured when struck by an automobile in the Lincoln highway, Versailles township.

COMMANDS TRAINING CAMP AT PLATTSBURG



COLONEL PAUL A. WOLF.

Colonel Wolf has his hands full in earing for the thousands of young nen, mostly civilians, who are being ntensively trained for officers' comcaring for the missions in the nation's armies. He has the reputation of a strict disci-plinarian, but not a martinet and gets along well with his students.

SECRETARY BAKER OPPOSES COAL PACT

\$3 a Ton Unjust and Unreasonable,

He Declares—Sensation in Washington.
Secretary of War Baker's repudiation of the coal price pact made between the operators and members of tween the operators and members of the coal production committee of the Council of National Defense and other representatives of the government in Washington has created considerable of a str. It was agreed at the meeting that the government should pay a maximum price of \$3 a ton for bituminous coal on cars as it comes from the mine.

Secretary Lane of the department of the interior, who participated in the conference in which the tentative maximum price was reached, had praised the operators as patriotic and

maximum price was reached, had praised the operators as patriotic and told them that they deserved the gratitude of the country. Mr. Baker, on the other hand, stated in his letter that the price was exorbitant, unjust and oppressive and that the coal production committee had exceeded its authority if it had made any such agreement.

agreement. There were other developments which made it evident that the government as represented by the president and some other officials were prepared to make a determined fight

mob was seriously hurt by men and the outbreaks conhe heart of the city despite of the police and national ters.

CAR GOES
INTO NIAGARA RIVER

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Completely Over.

Car on the gorge route at

mum at the conference of operators to which Mr. Baker in his letter referred. He said he was getting coal now at a price of \$2.33 at the mines and \$2.85 at the ships.

THREE KILLED BY CAR

Interurban Hits Auto on Pittsburgh

Interurban Hits Auto on Pittsburgh and Butler Line.

Three persons were killed and three were injured, two seriously, when their automobile was struck by a southbound Pittsburgh, Harmony, Butler and New Castle railway street for a criders crossing near Evans car at Criders crossing, near Evans

City, Pa.

The automobile was demolished and its occupants were hurled in all

In Open Boats Nine Hours.

The captain and crew of twelve men of the Norwegian steamer Sorland, torpedoed off the French coast, were brought to an American port by a steamer which picked them up after they had been in open boats for nine hours. The Sorland attempted to escape but the U-boat overtook and sank her with a single torpedo.

