

ARMY REDUCED

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, June 25.—The house Friday concurred with the senate in fixing the size of the army at 125,000 enlisted men and 12,000 officers.

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good cows, two heifers, two work
horses, wagon, bushes, plow, har-
row, mower and rake, spring
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including 200 chickens, good milk
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man is leaving on account of ill-
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terested.

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The daisy chain, carried by 25 of the prettiest sophomores, is one of the regular commencement features
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EFFICIENCY
IS IMPROVING

(By Associated Press.)
MANILA, P. I., June 25.—Effici-
ency of the sugar centrals in the
Philippine Islands is approaching the
Hawaiian standard, according to re-
cords in the offices of the Philippine
Sugar Centrals agency on the six
centrals controlled by the Philippine
National bank in the island of
Negros.

E. W. Kopke, supervising chemist
of the agency, who has returned to
Manila from a four months stay in
Negros, where the bank's centrals
are located, said:
"The average number of tons of
cane per ton of sugar at the bank's
six centrals is 8.43, compared with the
average of 8.61 for Hawaii in 1921.
The average factory efficiency for
five of these centrals for the season
is 91.8. This is a very favorable
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considered. Our milling results are
somewhat below those in Hawaii, but
the boiling-house recovery compares
favorably with results in Hawaii. The
degree of exhaustion of final molasses
is 88.5 for Hawaii and our mills are
on a par with this record."

"There is less ash in Philippine
cane juices and sugar than there is
in those of Hawaii, which gives our
sugar better refining characteristics.
Hawaii cane averages eighteen per
cent more fiber per ton of cane than
our cane, but practically all our cen-
trals have been able to get along
without additional fuel."

"The planters are co-operating with
us heartily in every way which is es-
pecially important in its bearing on
future production and increased pro-
duction per acre under cultivation.
Twenty-five experimental fields are
now under the supervision of the
bureau of science where problems of
fertilizing, etc., are being solved."

MILLION MORE
UNDER ARMS

WASHINGTON, June 25.—Ger-
many laid before the Geneva con-
ference figures showing that there are
today under arms in Europe nearly
a million more soldiers than there
were when it was on the verge of
the World war in 1913. According
to the German statement which has
just reached Washington, there are
now in Europe a grand total of
4,736,000 men under arms, com-
pared with 3,726,541 in the year
1913.

While the mighty German army
of 760,000 men of 1913 shrank to
the 100,000 soldiers allowed by the
Versailles Treaty, the French army,
which in that year numbered 833-
000, this year stands at 880,000.
Greece's army has increased from
10,000 to 300,000 and Belgium's
from 54,641 to 113,000, the state-
ment shows. Russia's vast army,
which in 1913 numbered 1,845,000
now is rated at 1,600,000 men.
England shows a slight increase
from 248,000 to 277,000, while Italy
reduced her forces from 275,000 to
254,000.

New armies appear in the Ger-
man statement. Poland, for instance,
an unknown power in 1913, is now
appearing with an army of 200,000
men. Then there is Estonia with
25,000, Finland with 28,000, Let-
onia with 25,000, Lithuania with
25,000, and Czechoslovakia with
220,000, all unknown military
forces before the World war.

Finally it was shown to the Ge-
neva conference that while in the
year 1913 the German army com-
prised 20 per cent of the total ar-
mies of Europe compared with twen-
ty-three and one-fifth per cent for
France, at present the German per-
centage is but 2.4 against 18.1 per
cent for France.

Ended Embryonic Love Affair.
The first girl I ever called to see was
entertaining me in the presence of an-
other couple of young folks, when she
reached over and pulled what she sup-
posed to be a thread off my vest. She
pulled about two yards out before she
realized the fact that she was unravel-
ing my underwear. It was the last of
that love affair.—Chicago Journal.

The Home of the Soul.
In olden times it was believed that
the seat of the soul was the stomach
most likely for the reason that a man
is never so completely used up as when
his stomach is out of order. For the
cure of ordinary stomach troubles,
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satisfactory as Chamberlain's Tab-
lets. They strengthen the stomach
and enable it to perform its functions
naturally. Give them a trial. They
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WILL TAKE VACATION

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, June 26.—Under
an agreement reached Friday by
Republican leaders the house plans
to adjourn June 30 for a month
or five weeks, so that members may
return home while the senate is
still at work on the tariff bill.

Representative Mondell, the repub-
lican leader, informed the house
that this program would be put
through by concurrent resolution.

GIRLS' SMOKE PIPES

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, June 24.—London's
smart young women have intro-
duced the fashion of pipe smoking at re-
saurants and cafes. The pipes usually
are small and of rich briar or
meerschaum, with slender stems and
gold rings. Virginia tobacco flavor-
ed with attar of roses or some Oriental
perfume is in favor.
Some society women have a pre-
dilection for cigars, and are not shy
about smoking them in public places.

Can't Get Used to It.

What we hate worse than anything
else in the world, except, perhaps,
actual sin, is having somebody else
decide what's good for us.—Ohio State
Journal.

Taxes We Can Reduce

Over 150 Years Ago
Benjamin Franklin Said

"Friends, the taxes are indeed very
heavy and those laid by the Govern-
ment were the only ones we had to pay,
we might more easily discharge them;
but we have many others, and much
more grievous to some of us. We are
taxed twice as much by our idleness,
three times as much by our pride, and
four times as much by our folly; and
from these taxes the commissioners can-
not ease or deliver us, by allowing an
abatement."

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scientific, technical and industrial de-
partments and would be incorporated
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isting at Lahore.

The conference expressed its com-
plete agreement with the Central
Khalifat committee and held that the
proposals of the Paris conference
were unjust and disastrous for the
Turks.

The conference was presided over
by Mr. K. Santanam. In the course
of his presidential address, Mr. San-
tanam said:

"A careful study of the present sit-
uation will convince even the most
hostile critic that we have achieved
almost or nearly all that we had in
view. Hindu-Mohammedan dissen-
sions have been the root cause of our
weakness but are nearly non-existent
today. We have made rapid strides
in sinking our differences and creat-
ing that atmosphere of mutual trust
and good will without which no com-
mon endeavor is possible."

"I do not mean to say that we have
done all we wanted to do, but I most
certainly maintain that we have ad-
vanced so far in this matter that our
future is full of promise and there is
no room for despondency. It is true,
no doubt, that we have not wrested
power from the hand of the bureau-
cracy, but that is only a question of
time. If we would only persevere in
the same path and with the same zeal,
the day would not be far distant when
we would have secured full Swaraj."

CONGRATULATED
ON CONVICTION

(By Associated Press.)

BATALA, India, June 26.—M. K.
Gandhi has been congratulated on his
conviction by the Punjab Provincial
Conference which at the same time
expressed in a second resolution grati-
fication at the stand made by the
people of the province during the
past few months against the restric-
tions imposed upon them by the gov-
ernment. The conference declared its
firm adherence to the principle of
non-violent non-co-operation recom-
mended by three successive sessions
of the Indian National Congress as
the only means of attaining political
freedom in the immediate future, and
called upon the people not to depart
from strict observance of non-
violence.

Later resolutions called for the es-
tablishment of a regularly constitu-
ted university to carry out the con-
structive program of national educa-
tion which has been adopted, and to
direct and control the various national
educational activities in the province.
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