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CONSCRIPTION IN ARMY OR MORE PAY TO MEN.

Enforced Service Faces American People, Declares Adjutant General Ainsworth.

Unless radical measures are enacted to induce men to enlist in the United States army, conscription must be resorted to, declares Major General F. C. Ainsworth, adjutant general, in his annual report.

"Notwithstanding the most strenuous efforts on the part of the War Department and the recruiting officers," says General Ainsworth, "it has been found impossible wholly to make good the losses, to say nothing of increasing the enlisted strength to the authorized limit. If present conditions continue there will be nothing for the government to do but meet this competition by materially increasing the soldiers' pay or to evade competition altogether by a resort to conscription."

Never before has such a suggestion come from an officer clothed with the authority to make recommendations. The idea of compulsory enrollment of individuals for the military service has been held abhorrent to republican principles and the absence of such a law is one of the most forceful arguments used in attracting desirable immigration from Europe.

Officials of the War Department anticipate that the possible necessity for such action outlined by General Ainsworth will prove efficacious in securing consideration by Congress of the increase of pay bill. It is with the greatest reluctance that army officers entertain the thought of conscription, but generally they agree with General Ainsworth that it either must come to that extremity or more money must be provided for the soldier if the standing of the army is to be maintained.

TASTE OF HER OWN MEDICINE.

Europe in Sad Straits with Horde of Returning Immigrants.

It is a curious commentary on the economic conditions of the old world that the turn in the tide of American immigration is causing serious trouble in Italy, Austria, Germany, Sweden and Norway. If the industrial conditions of the United States of America threaten to be bad, they are infinitely worse in the countries named. Italy complains the loudest because the situation there is the most serious. Her returning hordes do not bring sufficient money to support them more than a few weeks at most, while many land practically penniless. The authorities there confess themselves unable to deal with the problem.

The Germans, however, are much better provided with money on an average than the Italians. Business conditions in Sweden and Norway are so bad this unexpected influx is truly appalling and much distress is inevitable in the severe northern winter.

Labor World

Brickmakers in New South Wales earn about \$10 a week.

Furniture making in Canada gives employment to over 8,000 people.

Ten women in the United States earn their living in the capacity of baggage-men.

Among the organized women workers in Germany, 14,972 belong to the metal trades.

Tinsmiths in Calgary, B. C., have had their wages increased from 40 cents to 42 1/2 cents an hour.

The strike of Vienna (Austria) omnibus employees is at an end, several concessions having been made by the management.

The iron furring and metallic lathers of Boston have recently had their wages increased from 41 1/2 to 47 1/2 cents an hour.

The Fall River Textile Council and the manufacturers have agreed to continue the wage-establishment agreement for another six months.

During the period extending from January, 1896, to Nov. 1 of this year, the Iron Molders' Union paid in benefits to its sick members \$1,397,763. The union has passed the 100,500 mark and is still growing rapidly.

At the conciliation meeting, held recently, the request of the Welsh colliers for an advance of 2 1/2 per cent was granted. This now makes the rate at 60 per cent above the maximum, according to the standard of 1879.

More than 90 per cent of the stereotypers and electrotypers of the United States and Canada are within the ranks of the union, while in some of the larger cities every man at the trade is a member of the union.

The loss of time to employes through trades disputes in the Dominion of Canada during September of this year amounted to 81,900 working days. In 1906 the loss from the same cause was 90,860, and the year before, 97,140.

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Old Saw Proved.
"Most of the old maxims still hold good," observed the random conversationalist.

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"I guess so, and she reformed him, all right."
"Why, he drinks like a fish!"
"I know it, but he didn't use to before she married him."—Houston Post.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

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