

### SUFFRAGIST SAID TO HAVE CURSED FLAG

Miss Hazel Hunkins, of Billings, Mont., Accused; Affidavits Produced.

### DEBATE IN SENATE BITTER

Vote on Susan B. Anthony Amendment Delayed Again; Women Said Not to Control Necessary Majority.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27.—Fate of woman suffrage in the Senate was more uncertain tonight than ever. After a day of bitter debate in which Senators' confidential negotiations were publicly disclosed, the Senate adjourned until tomorrow with suffrage advocates openly threatening a filibuster to prevent a rollcall until Monday because many Senators will be absent tomorrow making liberty loan speeches. Political charges and counter charges, criticism from all quarters of the conduct of the militant suffragists, including charges that one, Miss Hazel Hunkins, of Billings, Mont., an employee of the war labor board, had cursed the American flag during a recent suffrage demonstration in front of the White House and denunciation of the management of the House resolution, featured the debate.

**One Vote Lacking.**  
During the partisan discussion it was revealed that private polls show that the suffrage forces still lack one vote of the two-thirds majority necessary to pass the resolution.

Senator Reed of Missouri, Democrat, opposing the resolution, said the Senate by taking "command" from "petticoat lobbyists" had placed itself in a "contemptible position" and denounced the situation as a "shame and disgrace."

In the course of his speech, Senator Reed made the charge against Miss Hunkins. He produced affidavits from policemen and a police matron, who were present when Miss Hunkins and other woman's party demonstrators were arrested, alleging that Miss Hunkins had said: " . . . that old American flag, it is the cause of all this trouble, and . . . the American flag, it is always getting someone in trouble."

**Woman Denies Charge.**  
A telegram from Miss Hunkins denying the charges and promising libel proceedings on their publication was also read by the Missouri Senator.

Senator Thomas of Colorado, Democrat, said the charges were being investigated by the Department of Justice.

Senator Walsh of Montana said he believed the charges to be absolutely false.

### BELL TO BE ON BALLOT

NAPA CANDIDATE "ASSUMED" TO HAVE QUALIFIED.

Governor of Nebraska, Says That If He Is Not Re-Elected He Will Enter Army.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Sept. 27.—Frank C. Jordan, Secretary of State, announced today he had "assumed" that Theodore A. Bell, of Napa, Cal., had qualified for the independent nomination for Governor of California and that he would place Bell's name on the ballot for the November election.

GORDON, Neb., Sept. 27.—Governor Keith Neville, Democratic candidate for re-election in November, has resolved to let the voters of Nebraska decide the question as to whether he is to continue to be Governor or "join the great khaki clad fraternity that is battling abroad for democracy and civilization."

He said in addressing a political gathering here: "I shall accept the judgment of the voters on this question gladly."

### "DIG, DIG, DIG" IS SLOGAN

Julius L. Meier Tells How New York Ushers in Liberty Loan Campaign.

How New York ushered in the official opening of the fourth liberty loan campaign was told in a telegram received yesterday from Julius L. Meier, lieutenant-general of one of the Portland field divisions, to Guy W. Talbot, general in command. Mr. Meier says: "President Wilson, at the Metropolitan Opera-House tonight, talks on the liberty loan. Enthusiasm of the workers is high. Huge crowds will be operated by an electric switch from police headquarters. When they complete their message to New Yorkers to 'dig, dig dig,' the town criers will start out from every precinct police station, distributing hundreds of thousands of copies of a 'surprise paper' that is to awaken the city to the importance of the loan."

### 50 ENTER NAVAL SERVICE

Popular Branch of War Training May Be Extended Later.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Sept. 27.—(Special.)—Nearly 50 students signed applications for entrance into the naval section of the S. A. T. C. yesterday and today. So great is the demand for this training that the University of Oregon's quota of 50 men may be increased later.

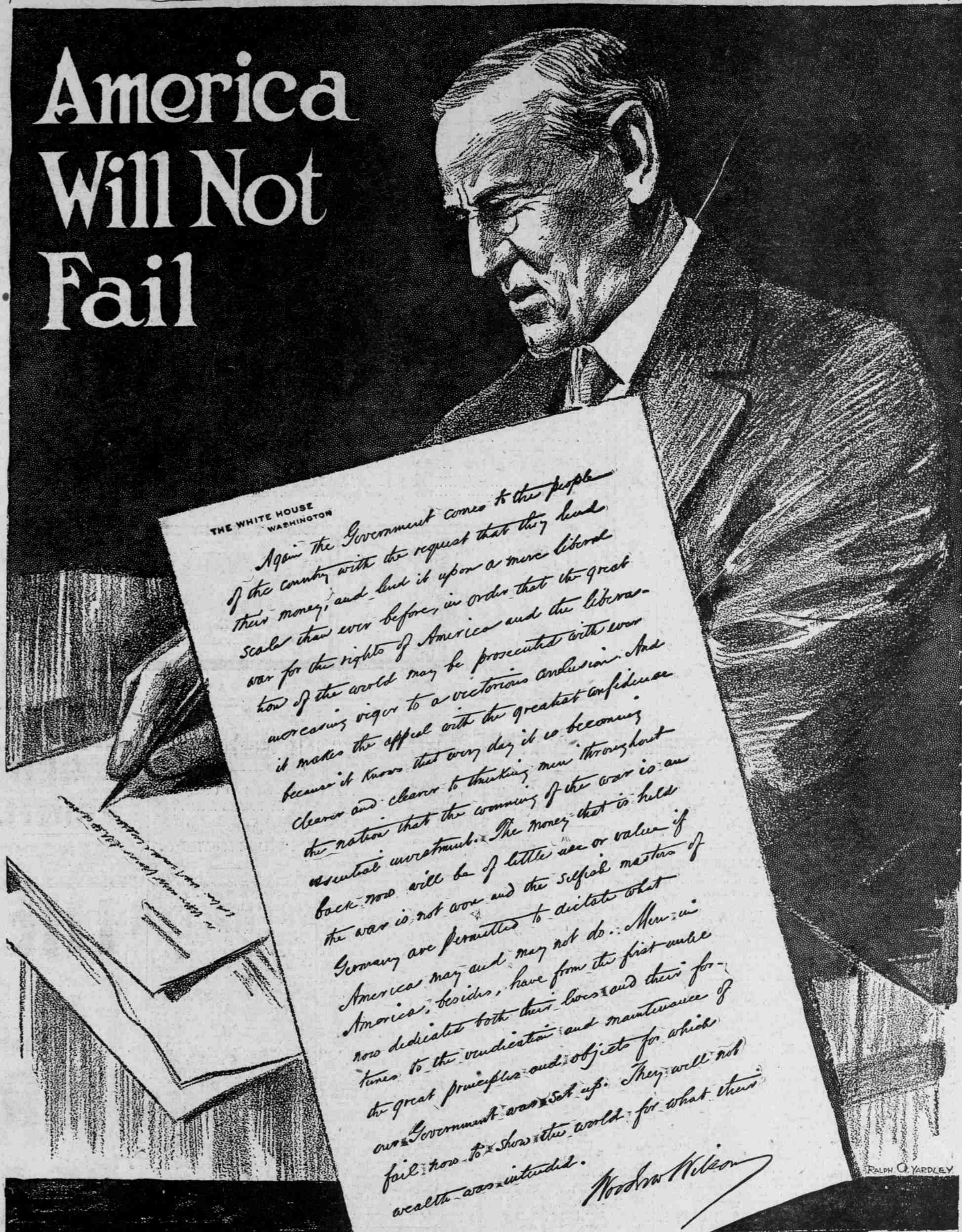
It is expected that some men who had applied for the regular S. A. T. C. work will ask to be inducted into the naval section as apprentice seamen to train for officers in the Navy and that there soon will be more than 50 applications for this branch of the work.

### NO PRICE FIXING IN SIGHT

War Board Committee Makes Statement Regarding Cotton.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27.—The war industries board's committee on cotton distribution announced today that it will not recommend that a price be fixed on raw cotton at the present time, nor will it so recommend in any event before sufficient time has elapsed to test the effect as a stabilizing influence of the work assigned to the committee, unless unexpected changes of such violence should occur as to threaten the welfare of legitimate interests.

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Again the Government comes to the people of the country with the request that they lend their money, and lend it upon a more liberal scale than ever before, in order that the great war for the rights of America and the liberties of the world may be prosecuted with ever increasing vigor to a victorious conclusion. And it makes the appeal with the greatest confidence because it knows that every day it is becoming clearer and clearer to thinking men throughout the nation that the winning of the war is an essential investment. The money that is held back now will be of little use or value if the war is not won and the selfish masters of Germany are permitted to dictate what America may and may not do. Men in America, besides, have from the first-while now dedicated both their lives and their fortunes to the vindication and maintenance of the great principles and objects for which our Government was set up. They will not fail now to show the world for what their wealth was intended.

Woodrow Wilson

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