Volunteers Called For by War Department to List Men Within Age Limit.

MILITARY TO HAVE NO PART

Work Will Be Under Direction of Civil Authorities and Census of Eligibles to Service Will Be Completed With Rapidity.

WASHINGTON, May 5 .- An official outline of the method by which miliunder the selective conscription bill was made public today with an appeal from the War Department for the voluntary services of state election and other officials in order that there may be no delay in enrolling and classifying millions of men for Army duty.

Careful preparation has been made to place the whole task in the hands of civilian officials of the states and to remove every suggestion of military force in putting the measure into ef-fect. The only function of the Federal Government will be supervision through the office of the Provost Marshal-Gen The department's statement fol-

All Within Age Limit Liable. "The approval of the new National Army bill and the President's proclama-tion thereunder will be coincidental. All tion thereunder will be coincidental. All persons within the age limits prescribed will be required to present themselves for registration at the customary voting place in the voting precincts in which they have their permanent homes on a day which the President will announce. The probability is that from 10 to 15 days will elapse between approval if the bill and registration day.

The Governor of each state will be the chief of registration therein. The machinery of registration in each county is to be in charge of the Sheriff, the County Clerk and the County Physician, acting ex-officio, unless a different board shall be announced by the Governor. In cities containing populations of more than 30,000 the registration will be under the county of the tration will be under the control of the Mayer and selected boards of registra-

Registrars to Be Named.

In order that the designated county and city officials and the people generally can get a clear understanding of the census methods, the following brief

and the sick will apply to such clerks to have their registration cards filled out. In no case shall such persons be given registration certificates. They are out. In no case shan some given registration certificates. They are to be instructed by the clerk that the burden is on them to see to it that the cards reach the registrars of their home to make a study of trying to clothe themselves with a minimum use clothe themselves with a minimum use of wool, and to shoe themselves with a few collections.

"Persons absent from their home counties may be registered by mail. If so absent, a man should go to the clerk of the county where he may be staying on the sixth day after the date. Speaking on the conservation of man of the President's proclamation. If he is in a city of over 30,000 population, the City Clerk is the official to whom to apply. The absence will be told how to register, but he must mail his either.

registration day.

"Persons too sick to present themselves for registration must send a
competent person to the county or city
clerk on the sixth day after the issuing
of the proclamation. The clerk will
give instructions for registration.

"Officials of educational, charitable
and other institutions should apply for
instructions to the county or city clerk
on the sixth day after the date of the

CHICAGO EXECUTIVE UNDER INVESTIGATION BECAUSE OF HIS TENDERNESS TOWARD GERMANS



-Photo by Bain News Service.

Premier Lvoff, has declined to modify the note sent to the allies.

"There was a time in the country's history when military enumerators, backed by bayonets, went out among the people to take a compulsory service census. Today, under the principle of universal liability to service, the execution of the law is put into the hands of the people.

WILIAM HALE THOMPSON.

This is the merry Mayor of Chicago, William Hale Thompson, who is now under investigation by the Federal authorities because he refused to invite the British and French commissions to visit his city, supposedly because of the large German-American population in Chicago. Senator Lewis extended the invitation on behalf of the city, and the French commission was accorded a great reception when it got there.

WAR DIET IS URGED bidden. Troops are forbidden to leave their barracks with arms. The provisional government, through Premier Lvoff, has declined to modify

board to perform duties similar to those imposed on the Sheriff, as hereto-fore outlined. If the Mayor desires, he may appoint a central board to co-ordinate the work of minor boards.

"On the fifth day after the President has issued his proclamation clerks of counties and cities of over 20,000 must secure a supply of bianks and copies of the registration regulations from the Sheriff or from the Mayor. Absentees ship, no diminution of food, and no change in the kind of food that they like best, even if the supply of it be-

Speaking on the conservation of man power, he said: "There should not be able-bodied men serving tables in any hotel or club in this city. Every one of them should tard in time to reach his precinct by Women certainly can do that class of

WIDE POWERS.

Senator Lane Prepares Bill Giving

Government Power to Take Over

Entire Fisheries Business.

COMMISSION HERE

Plans for Greater Co-operation in War With Germany to Be Worked Out.

USE OF SHIPS HOPED FOR

to Allay Oriental Uneasiness Over Tremendous Military Prep arations Under Way.

WASHINGTON, May 5 .- (Special.)-Japan le contemplating the dispatch of a commission to Washington. Official information to this effect has reached the State Department. The commission will be made up of a number of distinguished Japanese and its effort will be to assure complete and satisfactory co-operation of the two countries in connection with the prosecution of the

There are many matters which justify the presence in Washington of a commission from Japan. While it is true that Japan's interests are in no wise menaced by Germany, the fact remains that the defeat of that power is essential to her security. Japanese troops captured Kiau-Chau, the German settlement on the coast of Shantung, China: Japanese diplomats and agents have been constantly engaged in preventing the success of German propaganda in China; Japanese bank-ers have made heavy loans to Russia, ers have made heavy loans to Russia.

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Forego Some Goods.

TROOPS' NEEDS EXPLAINED

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must be prepared for registration. Full printed instructions covering every detail of registration will be in the hands of Sheriffs and Mayors on the fifth day after the President's proclamation.

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Boards to Be Appointed.

"The Mayor of a city containing more than \$5,000 inhabitants, or the officials designated by the Governor therein, appoint for each ward or convenient minor subdivision containing about \$20,000 people one registration board and shall designate one officer of each board to necessary.

"Will admit that it can be done.

"The question of bread is now the most serious one in the world. Corn bread is not suitable for the field, it is brittle, cannot be transported conveniently, and is not good when cold. Wheat bread is the only bread our soldier relishos in the field. It is no hardship for our people to confine themselves largely to corn bread if necessary.

Foreign Secretary. M. Milukoff concluded his statement by saying that:

"Respectaing our needs and means of continuing the war we are dependent to a great extent upon the allies, especially upon America. It will be an everliant to a great extent upon America. It will be an everliant to a possibility of concluding a separate peace. But the Council itself has declared against a separate peace."

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America Larger Pactor.

As a result of the development of the Navy and the creation of a big Army, this country will be a bigger political factor in the future than it has been factor in the future than it has been definite reports that have been circulated from time to time concerning the United States, but unquestionably they activities of members of the Naval Conwill give greater consideration to sulting Board. America in the future.

From time to time rumors have been circulated that the Japanese contemtion. Japan must prepare for another submarine device, and then that he had alignment, and as the first step in gone to a town on the Atlantic Coast DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE ASKS

CANAL ATTACK IS HINTED (Continued From First Page.)

Women certainly can do that class of work."

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, May 5.—Senator Lane, chairman of the fisheries committee, at the request of Secretary Redfield, has introduced a bill which will enable the Board had devised methods and means of Commerces to enter into the commercial fish business in the United States and Alaska, and is sufficiently broad in its terms if the apparatus tested by the Consultant of the Consultant

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and tactics. Drill grounds and field headquarters have been obtained and regular drills are held twice a week.

rank R. Prince has been chosen Cap-

Dale Hammer.

and Japanese factories have supplied Consulting Board has been receiving Russian armies with guns of all caliber, riffes, ammunition and other supplies.

Japan Still Backward.

For the last three months the Naval planned might reach Germany. As to Mr. Saunders' suggestion of of-fensive naval operations against the submarine. Navy officials were silent. Any projects which have been discussed of course, have found most of them improved the planned might reach Germany.

As to Mr. Saunders' suggestion of of-fensive naval operations against the submarine. Navy officials were silent. Any projects which have been discussed with British and French Navy officers Japan has been backward in two respects: She has not sent troops to Europe nor has she placed her shipping at the disposal of the allies. The Tokio might be developed as sent troops to find the members of the Board thought. the note sent to the allies.

Ministers Ready to Resign.

The government declares that the Ministers are prepared to resign their posts if necessary. Premier Lvoff said:

There is an unfortunate fear in Japan that the members of the Board, which has an and to the capture of certain islands from the Germans.

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"I may say incidentally that some members of the board hesitated to try out one invention in particular because they feared that Germany would learn however, that we could test it and, if it proved good, beat the Germans to the use of it. The invention did everything expected of it and we are going to use

Edison Figures Largely.

Thomas A. Edison has figured in many plated an eventual alliance with Rus-sia and Germany. Such a plan, if it ever existed, is now out of the ques-for another. of these reports, being especially men-tioned first that he had shut himself will be the eyes and ears of the government, is coming to Washington.

CANAL ATTACK IS HINTED

to make experiments. It was that the was so busy that he had declined an invitation from the President to meet the British and French commissions in Washington.

Mr. Saunders admitted today that Mr. this direction, the commission, which to make experiments. It was even said Edison had devoted practically all of his time to work for the Consulting Board in his laboratory and at the

Bonts in Hawaiian Waters Reported in Bad Condition-Operation to Be Passed On.

WASHINGTON, May 5 .- Four more of the seized German ships will be ready for sea during the present month. A statement today by the Shipping Board says the Maia, 2555 tons, already has been repaired and that within 10 PHILOMATH, Or., May 5 .- (Special.) days the Armenia, 5464 tons, will be ready. The Arcadia, 5454 tons, and the Nassovia, 4902 tons, will be hur-The senior class of Pilomath College presented a four-act piay, entitled "Along the Missouri," last night. Music was furnished by the Philomath orded into commission. chestra. The cast was composed of the following: Eber Kilpatrick, Alden Johns, Jay Pisher, Raymond Whittle-sey, Hedwig Harnish, Helen Epley, Fannie Johnson, Charley Parker and Data Harman.

Nine vessels in Hawalian waters are in very bad condition. Cylinders of three large ships have been smashed beyond repair. Furnaces and boilers all have been burned out.

At least two of the 23 German ships in the Philippines will leave the

in the Philippines will leave this month for ports in the United States and will be followed soon by others. Four ships will be repaired in the Bend Rifles, an unofficial military or-ganization, has a membership of more than 50 men and a total of 100 is expected soon. The purpose of the or-ganization is training in military drill Panama Canal zone and four in Porto An agreement was reached in the

New South Wales has nearly 100,000 factory workers, of which 25, per cent

House today to consider a resolution Monday to empower the President to operate the seized ships.

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