



DRAFT LISTS TO REACH BOARDS WITHIN 5 DAYS

Official Tally Sheets Being Checked and Proof Sheets Gone Over; Will Be Forwarded Early Next Week.

NATIONAL ARMY WILL BE CALLED IN SEPTEMBER

Washington Greatly Pleased With Smoothness With Which Draft Worked.

Washington, July 21.—(U. P.)—With the location today of a missing number in the great draft lottery, Provost Marshal General Crowder notified Secretary of War Baker that the first step toward organizing America's armies is complete. The missing number—464—was assigned to the 10,044th place in the drawing—the point at which a blank had been picked from the urn. Crowder's report to Secretary Baker follows: "We closed the drawing between 2 and 3 o'clock this morning. We found precisely 10,000 capsules in the urn and the only mishap was that one of the capsules contained no number. When the fact was discovered, I threw the capsule back into the urn to avoid developments. We drew it out last and assigned it the last number on the list."

Men Must Report in Turn to Be Examined by the Army Boards

Actual Draft Will Not Take Place for Week or Ten Days, Says Gen. White.

Now that the numbers showing the order in which each registered man should report have been drawn, the next step is the actual draft, and this will not take place until the 28th, unless orders to the contrary are received, according to Adjutant General White. "Nothing further can be done until the numbers announced in the press dispatches Friday are officially certified from Washington. The certification will be in the form of photographs of the blackboard used in the room where the drawing was held. These photographs are to be mailed to the delays must be encountered. It takes four days at the least to receive mail from Washington in Portland, and it will take four days more to mail such records to the boards in the most remote counties."

Harrison, Idaho, is in Flames; Part of Town Now in Ruins

Planing Mill Fire Climbs Hill Into Business District; All Communication Cut Off.

Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, July 21.—(U. P.)—The town of Harrison, Idaho, with a population of 1000, is being destroyed by a fire which started early this morning in the planing mill of the Grant Lumber company. The origin is not reported. The mill lies on the lake shore below the city, and the flames climbed the hill into the business and residence district. The entire business district was burned and the residence part is now in flames. An estimate of the damage has not been made. The telephone office was burned and telegraph communication is crippled. An appeal was wired to Mayor Potts of Coeur d'Alene to send bedding for those who are expected to be homeless tonight. Coeur d'Alene is forming relief parties and preparing to rush aid. The flames are visible within four miles of Coeur d'Alene, 20 miles distant. Governor Alexander and Secretary of State Douglass arrived at 9 o'clock and left immediately on a boat for the unfortunate city. Forest fires have thrown the I. W. W. into the background. Woods are being under and it is almost impossible to control the conflagrations. The forest fire in Fourth of July canyon menaced a great body of white pine timber. Forty volunteer fire-fighters from Spokane were rushed there last night by special train and automobile cortege. The fire is believed to have been started by careless campers at Rose Lake lumber camp, 14 miles east of Coeur d'Alene. A strip of white pine 12 miles long, containing 1500 acres, has already been cut. Timber of the Rose Lake company was devastated. Spokane, Wash., July 21.—(I. N. S.)—The entire business district of Harrison, Idaho, has been wiped out by fire, according to a message received by Mayor Fleming this afternoon. "The fire is still raging and the city is out of food and 500 people are homeless," J. W. Cook, chairman of the Harrison city council, wired. Harrison is the key to the Coeur d'Alene section—a large lead producing district.

Noted Names in Athletics On Draft List

Maurice McLoughlin, Famous Tennis Player, and Larry Cowing, Golfer, are Selected.

Los Angeles, Cal., July 21.—(U. P.)—The name of Maurice E. McLoughlin, world famous tennis player, heads the list of amateur and professional athletes of the city called into service Friday.

Lloyd George Answers; Says Over Must Go

Premier of Great Britain Declares Position Taken by New German Chancellor is in Behalf of Junker Party.

Declares U-Boat Menace Decreasing

"Food Supply This Year and Next Year is Already Secured," He Says.

London, July 21.—(U. P.)—The German chancellor delivers a different speech—one for which we are waiting, asserted Premier Lloyd George in a speech here today, commenting on Dr. Michaelis' address to the Reichstag Thursday. "The chancellor's statement," he added, "contained phrases which the German military autocracy understood. 'The junkers have thrown the old chancellor into the waste basket with his scrap of paper,' Lloyd George continued, 'and it will not be long before Junkerdom follows him there. The German chancellor held out no hope for Belgium,' he continued, 'She was not mentioned by him. It is the determination of the allies that Belgium must be restored free and independent and her people not be placed under a protectorate.' The premier declared that if the U-boat menace were not so serious, he would again be plunged into a welter of blood sometime after the present war is concluded. The meeting was in celebration of Belgium's independence, Lloyd George presiding. 'I am sorry to disagree with the German chancellor regarding submarines,' the premier continued, 'but gradually, though surely, we are increasing our protection and diminishing our losses. The figures given are building four times as many ships as the preceding year. Next year we shall build six times as many. The food supply this year and next is already secured. Our program of cultivation makes the supply of 1917 secure, even if our losses are increased. Significant is the announcement of the cessation of the brilliant statesman, Kerensky, to the leadership of the Russian democracy.'

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Washington, July 21.—(U. P.)—Immediately after the passage of the food control bill the senate moved to take up and passed the \$640,000,000 aviation bill. By a vote of 66 to 12 it was decided to retain the provision authorizing the president to resort to the draft to recruit the flying corps. Washington, July 21.—(U. P.)—America's first food control bill passed the senate at 4 p. m. today by a vote of 87 to 6. Governmental control of food, feed and fuel was established for the duration of the war. The vote marked the culmination of weeks of debate. Senators who voted against the bill were Frances, Maryland; Hardwick, Georgia; Penrose, Pennsylvania; Reed, Missouri; Sherman, Illinois; and Sutherland, West Virginia. Sutherland and Warwick are Democrats. Whiskey Manufacturing Doomed As passed by the senate, the bill marks the death of the whiskey business, at least during the war. It permits manufacture of wine and beer, but directs the president to commandeer all liquor in bond and pay a "reasonable price for it." It establishes a federal administration board of three members, one of them to be a practical farmer, to undertake the direction of fuel, food and feed control, including along with fuel are kerosene and gasoline. It establishes a minimum price of \$2 a bushel on wheat until July 1. It sets a price on wheat and corn for profit. The \$2 price will apply to high grade wheat, with prices for other grades in proportion. Mine Output to Be Regulated The bill establishes government control of coal from mine to consumer and fixes prices for it. It authorizes the president to license wholesale dealers in enforcing the act. (Concluded on Page Three, Column Five)

Wrooman Criticizes Congress for Delay in Food Bill Vote

Advice Given at Conference of State and County Agricultural Agents in City.

Sharp criticism of congress for leaving the subject of food control to the last moment was voiced by Carl S. Wrooman, assistant secretary of agriculture, while in Portland, Friday. "Mobilization of agriculture and control of food should have been accomplished first, before the mobilization of the army and the navy, before the sale of Liberty bonds," he declared, "because we cannot feed our army and navy, and more than our money, this nation and our allies need our food." The remark was made at the conference of state agricultural leaders and county agricultural agents and was followed by a statement from Ralph D. Hitzel, director of the extension division of Oregon Agricultural Experiment Station. "We should have started the work of food survey and control in Oregon at least three weeks ago. Every day that passes makes it more difficult to handle the situation," he said. Dr. Hector MacPherson, marketing expert of the college, took the floor. "There have been recently sharp advances in the prices of eggs and other products," he stated, "and these advances were due to the excessive activity of cold storage interests." Dr. MacPherson said that Oregon lacks any law which will permit its (Concluded on Page Twelve, Column Two)

Germany Reports On Vessels Sunk

London, July 21.—(U. P.)—Since the first of February Germany claims to have sunk close to 4,500,000 tons of neutral and allied shipping, according to German official figures received in German newspapers today. The figures given were: February, 781,500 tons; March, 885,000 tons; April, 191,000 tons; May, 869,000 tons; June, 709,000 tons, with a number of commanders' reports as not received. In June, the German newspapers declared, "gives indications of being a record breaker." When Germany inaugurated the submarine warfare, her officials predicted sinkings totaling 1,000,000 tons a month. Recent estimates here have placed the actual figures at about 600,000 tons.

Test on Guinea Pig Shows No Poison in The Court Plasters

Tests made on a court plaster inoculated guinea pig brought a negative result today when the 48 hours incubation period had elapsed. A sample of court plaster being disposed of by peddlers over the city were brought in and a serum was made of the adhesive. The pigs showed no ill effects whatsoever and the peddlers were cleared of all suspicion as a result. Following the test on stories from Kansas that Germans disguised as peddlers were disposing of poisoned court plaster, a similar fear was entertained here.

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Fire Rages in Trees in Sonoma County, Doing Much Damage

Home Guards of Healdsburg May Be Called Out to Fight Flames.

Santa Rosa, Cal., July 21.—(U. P.)—Sweeping over six miles of forest, with its eastern edge five miles from Healdsburg and the western extremity licking at the outskirts of Guerneville, a forest fire which is baffling all efforts to extinguish is doing thousands of dollars' worth of damage in Sonoma county today. Deputy Sheriff James Petray arrived in Santa Rosa from the scene of the fire early this morning, returning immediately with more than 100 men, one hundred and fifty men, under Forest Supervisor George Spaulding, are engaged in the battle. Petray declared that unless the flames were checked at noon the Healdsburg home guards would be called out. Late Friday the Sweetwater Springs resort was reported surrounded by the flames. No word has been received from there today, but it is believed the owners and guests escaped, although it is possible the resort has been destroyed. Other well known Sonoma resorts are threatened and numerous ranchers have been forced to abandon their houses. It is believed several dwellings have been destroyed.

Exemption Officials' Numbers Are Drawn

San Francisco, July 21.—(I. N. S.)—Puzzling situations have arisen in two San Francisco exemption districts through the drafting of members of the exemption boards. William W. Johnson, Jr., son of United States Senator Johnson, was among the first 1500 drawn. He is chairman of the thirty-second exemption board. Angelo J. Perroggiaro, chairman of the thirtieth district board and a prominent clubman, also was drawn. William Gregory Parrott, society man and polo player, son of John Parrott, was among the first 1500 drawn. He is chairman of the thirtieth district board and a prominent clubman, also was drawn. Kenneth Montague, son of a millionaire, chairman of the thirty-first exemption board, was among the early ones, is now in New York with an ambulance unit.

British Papers Comment

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Oregonians Named Assistant Surgeons

Washington, July 21.—(WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL)—Secretary of Navy Daniels has recommended for appointment as assistant surgeons in the navy the following Oregonians: William M. Corcoran, Herbert V. Thatcher, James P. Bell Jr., and John F. Hart. Hart is from Medford, the others from Portland.

Federal Reserve Statement

San Francisco, July 21.—(I. N. S.)—Statement of condition at close of business July 20, 1917.

RESOURCES	
Gold and silver certificates	\$ 21,194,000
In own vault	26,112,000
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In gold redemption fund	25,000
Gold held with foreign agencies	2,888,000
Total gold reserve	70,028,000
U. S. currency in circulation	157,000,000
U. S. bills outstanding	70,235,000
U. S. notes outstanding	2,999,000
Acceptances bought	4,800,000
Total bills on hand	14,899,000
United States bonds owned	2,429,000
U. S. certificates of indebtedness	5,000,000
Treasury notes	1,500,000
Municipal warrants	203,000
Total earning assets	\$ 209,979,000
Other assets	807,000
National bank notes and notes of other Federal Reserve banks	5,964,000
Due from branches of officers	1,610,000
Exchanges for clearing house	5,000,000
Transfers	5,750,000
Other unclassified items	191,000
All other resources	191,000
Total resources	\$ 215,947,000
LIABILITIES	
Capital paid in	\$ 3,968,000
United States government deposits	24,270,500
Due to member banks	55,416,000
Cashier and other checks outstanding	54,000
Other liabilities	5,750,000
Federal reserve notes (net liability)	62,112,000
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Washington, July 21.—(U. P.)—General Goethals has offered to resign as general manager of the Emergency Fleet Corporation. The resignation was a long-drawn argument between himself and Chairman Denman of the shipping board. Goethals wrote a letter to President Wilson, suggesting, if it will help matters, he will resign. That the president will take quick action in the case was indicated today. Those close to the president intimated that he was out of patience with the Goethals-Denman row. What the president will do, however, will not be known until Monday. He is on a week-end cruise today. Goethals' only comment today was that he had not resigned yet, but that he could not tell "what will develop." Goethals' letter, sent yesterday, detailed his relations with Denman and declared the constant bickering was no longer bearable. Up to the present, the president has held aloof from the shipping row, telling both men to go ahead with their plans to build ships. He expected them to reach a decision on a definite program, his chief concern being in prompt action. Goethals' resignation, if accepted, would be used with the delicate position of deciding between the claims of the two men or insisting that they adopt some definite program. Denman has asked the president for information and hence the president is forced into it anyhow. Congress is divided on the subject. The Republicans and many Democrats have stood stoutly by Goethals. If he quits there is bound to be a violent outbreak both in house and senate.

MINERS IN LEADVILLE DECIDE TO WALK OUT; 2000 REFUSE TO WORK

Leadville, Colo., July 21.—(I. N. S.)—The long threatened strike of mine workers in this district was called today, and operations were practically at a standstill when nearly 2000 men in 37 mines refused to start work this morning. A few volunteers are manning the pumps to prevent serious damage to the workings. Mine owners declare they will close down the properties indefinitely rather than meet the men's modified demands—an increase of 50 cents per day and recognition of the union. Officials of the Mine, Mill & Smeltermen's union are preparing for a long struggle.

BLOOD IS SHED WHEN SEATTLE CAR IS RUN BY STRIKEBREAKERS

Seattle, July 21.—(U. P.)—First blood was shed in the street car strike here at 12:30 o'clock this afternoon, when rioters pelted rocks and eggs through the windows of a car that was being run by strikebreakers. Motorman F. S. Slater was struck on the head by a stone. Ten policemen were in the car. Motorcycle officers and automobiles carrying police escorted the car and kept a lane open through the crowds. With blood trickling down his face Slater stuck to his post. Further trouble is feared this afternoon