

EXCUSES WILL BE OF NO AVAIL TO YOUNG MEN OF 21

President's Proclamation Calls on Them to Register for the Draft on Wednesday, June 5.

MEN IN SERVICE EXCLUDED

Certificates Will Be Issued to Registrants; Questionnaire to Be Filled Later.

Absence from the territory of the home exemption board, and illness, regardless of its seriousness, will not be accepted as excuses for the failure of young men who have reached 21 years of age since June 5, 1917, to register for the selective service army on next Wednesday, June 5. According to a proclamation of President Wilson, effective in Oregon as well as all other states, actual and present members of the military or naval forces of the United States are the only ones not required to register.

Acting Adjutant General John M. Williams and Captain John E. Cullison, chief of Oregon's war census bureau, have cooperated with local draft exemption boards in preparing the final details of plans for the registration of Oregon young men under the terms of the presidential proclamation and through their offices young men who fail to register will be confronted with the penalty of spending a year in jail.

Subject to Some Regulations
Registrants on June 5 will be made the subject of a classification lottery as the first registrants of last year were, and later will be required to fill out the same questionnaires. It is said they will be classified and attached to the end of the present list of available men in the classes in which they are placed by their local or district exemption boards. Thereafter they will be subject to the same selective service regulations that have governed the men registered for the first draft. President Wilson's proclamation says:

"I do proclaim and give notice to every person subject to registration in the several states and in the District of Columbia, in accordance with the law, that the time and place of such registration shall be between 7 a. m. and 9 p. m. on the fifth day of June, 1918, at the office of the local board having jurisdiction of the area wherein he permanently resides, or at such other place as shall be designated by public notice by such local board."

No Excuses to Be Accepted
"All male persons, either citizens of the United States or residing in the several states, or in the District of Columbia, who have, since June 5, 1917, and on or before June 5, 1918, attained their twenty-first birthday are required to register in accordance with the law and the regulations prescribed thereunder; provided, however, that the following persons are hereby exempted from registration: Officers and enlisted men of the regular army, the navy, the marine corps and the national guard and naval militia while in the service of the United States, and officers in the officers' reserve corps and enlisted men in the enlisted reserve corps while in active service."

"Any person who, on account of sickness, will be unable to present himself for registration may apply on or before the day of registration at the office of any local board for instruction as to how he may register by agent.
Every man registered will be given a registration certificate, which, for self-protection, he should carry at all times and be prepared to show on demand; otherwise he is liable to arrest on suspicion of having evaded registration."

IN CHARGE OF THE DRAFT



A new photograph of Major General Enoch H. Crowder, United States Provost marshal general.

INFORMATION FOR REGISTRANTS

Who?—All men having arrived at the age of 21 years since June 5, 1917.
When?—Wednesday, June 5, any time from 7 a. m. until 9 p. m.
Where?—At the local draft board of the precinct in which they reside, boundaries as follows:
Precincts 1 to 38 inclusive, Willamette river to Burnside street, Washington street, Barnes road and city limits. Local board No. 1, 247 Davis street, 149 1/2 North Twenty-third street or 359 Morgan building.
Precincts 37 to 68 inclusive, from Barnes road to Washington street, Burnside street to the Willamette river, Mill street, West Park street, Jefferson street, Canyon road, city limits. Register with local board No. 2 at 414 Pittock block.
Precincts 69 to 98 1/2 inclusive, Canyon road, Jefferson street, West Park street, Mill street, Willamette river, city limits south and west. Register at local board No. 3, 423 Corbett building.
Precincts 99 to 126 1/2 inclusive, 129 to 132 inclusive, 136, 137, 138, 144 and 145; Karl street, Southern Pacific right-of-way, Powell street, city limits east and south, Willamette river. Register local board No. 4, 409 Stevens building.
Precincts 127, 128, 133, 134, 135, 139 to 143 inclusive, 146 to 157 1/2 inclusive, 179 to 187 inclusive; Hawthorne avenue, Eastburn avenue, Base Line road, city limits, Powell street, Southern Pacific right-of-way, Karl street, Willamette river. Register local board No. 5, 522 Selling building.
Precincts 158 to 178 inclusive, 243 to 220 inclusive; Halsey street, East Thirty-third street, East Pine street, East Thirty-eighth street, Hawthorne avenue, Willamette river. Register with local board No. 6, East Side library or 406 Stevens building.
Precincts 189 to 202 inclusive, 204 to 210 inclusive; Fremont street, city limits, Base Line road, Thoburn avenue, Stark street, East Thirty-eighth street, Halsey street, Union avenue. Register with local board No. 7, 501 Courthouse.
Precincts 203 to 210 inclusive, 212 to 217 inclusive; from Killingsworth avenue, city limits, Fremont street, Patton avenue. Register with local board No. 8, 500 Courthouse.
Precincts 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224 to 251 1/2 inclusive, and 284 to 298 inclusive; Willamette river, Base Line street, East Second street, Hancock street, Union avenue, Fremont street, Montana avenue, Mason street, Patton avenue, Bryant street, Denver avenue, Lombard street, Derby street, city limits, Killingsworth avenue, East Thirty-third street, Alberta street, East Twenty-sixth street, Killingsworth avenue. Register with board No. 9, at 327 Jessup or 407 Stevens building.
Precincts 221, 222, 223, 240 to 251 1/2 inclusive, and 284 to 298 inclusive; Willamette river, Base Line street, East Second street, Hancock street, Union avenue, Fremont street, Montana avenue, Mason street, Patton avenue, Bryant street, Denver avenue, Lombard street, Derby street, city limits. Register with board No. 10, at St. John's city hall.
All residents of Multnomah county outside of the city limits register with board No. 11 at 325 Courthouse or at Gresham.

YOUTH WHO HAVE BECOME OF AGE IN YEAR AFFECTED

Three Quarters of a Million Names Will Be Added to Roll of Selects Wednesday.

MACHINERY IS NOW READY

Provost Marshal Crowder Utilizes Existing Organization for Registration of 21-Year-Olds.

Washington, June 1.—With the signing by President Wilson of the bill and proclamation designating Wednesday, June 5, as the day on which all men who have reached the age of 21 since last June 5 shall register for military service, Provost Marshal General Crowder's office immediately began preparations for the enrollment of the men. Instead of using the election machinery as was done last year, General Crowder will call upon the local boards. It is believed that their experience during the past year has peculiarly fitted them to handle the new registration economically and efficiently. General Crowder has estimated that probably three-quarters of a million names will be added to the American army by the new registration. His estimate is based on the fact that almost 10,000,000 men registered last year, of which 750,000 were available for military service. This makes proper allowances for physical defects, exemptions because of dependents, and other bars to military service.

What Law Provides.
The law provides that every young man in the United States who has reached the age of 21 years since June 5, 1917, or will reach that age on or before June 5, 1918, must register. The only exceptions are in the cases of men who are actually in active military or naval service, all male persons, citizens or aliens, born between June 6, 1896, and June 5, 1897, inclusive, except officers and enlisted men of the regular army, navy, marine corps and the national guard and naval militia, while in federal service, and officers in the officers' reserve corps and enlisted men in the enlisted reserve corps while in active service, must register. Some misunderstanding has been caused by the publication of reports that medical and divinity students need not register. General Crowder has issued the following statement:
"Divinity students and students of medicine must register. Under the terms of the law signed by President Wilson, students who were preparing for the ministry in recognized theological or divinity schools and students who were preparing for the practice of medicine and surgery in recognized medical schools on July 20, 1918, are exempt from the draft. However, the law does not relieve such students from the duty of registering on Wednesday, June 5. Registration comes first, exemption afterward. It is absolutely necessary that these students register."

Provision for Sickness.
It is necessary to go to the registration place in person. Any man who expects to be absent from home on Wednesday, June 5, 1918, should go at once to the office of the local board where he expects to be and have his registration card filled out and certified. He must then mail this card to the office of the local board having jurisdiction of the place wherein he permanently resides, and in view of the fact that this card must be received by his home local board on or before June 5, it is essential that anyone who expects to be away from home on that date arrange for his registration immediately.
Anyone who is sick on June 5 and unable to present himself in person at the office of the local board may send some competent friend, who may be deputized by the clerk to prepare his card.
Any person in doubt as to where he should register should consult the local board in the place where he permanently resides, or he may obtain the desired information from the local board where he lives in a city of 20,000 population or over, or in the office of the county clerk or parish clerk if he does not live in a city of 20,000 population.

It is not anticipated that many will be delinquent. It is hoped that none will be, but for those who do fail to perform their duty Congress has provided a very heavy penalty. Failure to register on June 5 constitutes a misdemeanor punishable by imprisonment for one year, and may result, furthermore, in the loss of valuable rights and privileges and immediate induction into military service.

Draft Registration Booths Are Provided

Sheriff Hurlburt, Chairman of County Exemption Board, Announces Office of Town Places; Courthouse Office Open.
Arrangements for the registration of young men who have arrived at the age of 21 since June 5 of last year have been completed by the county local exemption board, according to an announcement by Sheriff Hurlburt, who is chairman of the board.
Registration booths have been provided in the following out of town districts:
Fairview—Ed Geaslin, postmaster.
Corbett—O. J. Peterson, at Knight's store, on the Columbia river highway.
Bridal Veil—Bridal Veil Lumber company, with Mr. Thompson in charge.
Bonneyville—Mrs. N. E. Tyrell, at general store.
Gresham—Brown's real estate office, with Mr. Eastman in charge.
In addition to these outlying registration booths, young men in Multnomah county may register at the board's headquarters, room 325 Courthouse.

Home Rule Bill in Sight, Is Prediction

Dublin, June 1.—(I. N. S.)—The chairman of the nationalist conference sitting here has announced that the government's home rule bill will be introduced within a fortnight.
By official proclamation the counties of Limerick and Tipperary have been declared military areas. Drilling and assemblies are declared unlawful in these counties.
Although the nationalist conference

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DRAFTED MEN WILL BE GIVEN SENDOFF DINNER AT HOTEL

Men Leaving for Camp This Evening Will Be Guests of Women's Service League.

now sitting here is secret, Hugh Law, a member of the committee, writing in the "Irish Times," reveals the fact that some of the members are disappointed over the alliance with Sinn Feinism and over the failure of recruiting. Law prays Ireland to revert to her 1914 attitude toward the war.

The "sendoff dinner" for the 425 enlisted men of Portland and 37 from Yamhill county, planned by the National League for Women's Service at the Multnomah hotel this evening, will be served promptly at 5:30 by a corps of women under the direction of Mrs. Alice Benson Beach. Miss Mamie Helen Flynn is in charge of the program and Mrs. J. D. Farrell of the speaking section.

Members of the Girls' Flying Squadron of the National League for Women's Service, in uniform, will do the serving. After the dinner they will line up at a point near the Union station and hand to each departing soldier a lunch to start him on his way. Acting Mayor Bigelow will preside at the dinner, Dr. John H. Boyd will deliver the invocation, and Charles Berg will give a short talk. John D. Dougall, from the Chamber of Commerce, will act as toastmaster. Lieutenant Joyce of the Canadian army, just recently returned from the front, will be one of the principal speakers.

Colonel John Leader was to have given an address, but a telegram Saturday morning announced his inability to be present because of illness. Governor Withycombe was also invited, but found it impossible to accept the invitation. The Oaks Park orchestra, through the courtesy of the Musicians' Mutual association, will furnish music during the dinner. Mrs. Herman Politz, Miss Goldie Peterson and Mrs. Jane Burns Albert will sing, accompanied by Miss Mamie Helen Flynn.
Representatives of all the various civic clubs and military organizations will also be present, in addition to the drafted men, who will be admitted by their service badge.
After the dinner, at 7 o'clock, the men will parade through the streets, past Liberty temple and to the Union station, headed by a platoon of police and the Multnomah Guard band of 19 pieces. The line of march is as follows:
Formation at Fourth and Pine, south on Fourth street to Morrison, west on Morrison to Sixth, east Liberty temple, past there north on Sixth street to the station.
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