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NEW ARMY FOR U. S. OF 4,500,000 IS SEEN

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—The War Department is preparing plans for the training of 150,000 officers at reserve camps during the next year.

The General Staff estimates that one officer is required for every thirty men in the service, so the War Department preparations, based on that estimate, would indicate that the government is laying the foundation for an army of 4,500,000, in addition to the 1,250,000 who have been called to the Regular Army, the militia and the National Army.

Baker Keeps Silence.
It is impossible to get from Secretary Baker or the Chief of Staff any statement of the size of the army which the United States expects to place in the field ultimately.

It is known however that what appears to be delays in getting first troops into the field have been merely parts of a thoroughly worked out scheme of mobilization whereby armies would be organized as rapidly as they could be supplied and transported.

The Administration has constantly endeavored to avoid the confusion of Spanish War days, when the War Department tried to organize an army without adequate consideration of its necessities.

The present shortage of guns and supplies, Secretary Baker said today will disappear before the National Guard is in France and the first draft is organized into divisions. Thereafter the available supplies will increase so that great numbers of troops may be mobilized and thoroughly equipped with speed and precision.

Will Not Hurry.
The War Department's theory is that the first 500,000 men from the United States will merely help to give the Allies a slight advantage.

but that the millions who may be sent after them will end the war. To attempt to rush such a programme through in a few months would most likely result in confusion and failure, ranking officials of the War Department insist.

Preparations for the present army scheme will be kept slightly in advance of the plans of the shipping board. The War Department does not desire to have great forces on its hands in this country. Whenever the shipping is available the troops will be ready to march abroad.

An evidence of the change of policy in training army officers was uncovered today when it developed that the War Department has asked the French government to send a corps of officers fresh from the trenches to teach the new American officers modern warfare. The second reserve officers' camps and those which follow will be handled to a large extent by Frenchmen who have learned war in the trenches and not in swivel chairs.

Officers Turned Down.
When the United States entered the war France offered instructors for our armies. England did the same. The offers were flatly but politely turned down by Mr. Baker at the dictation of the General Staff.

The "swivel chair generals" at the War Department and the war college insisted that nobody could teach a West Point graduate anything about war. They apparently took the position that Americans could over night become proficient in a system which the French have learned only through the hardest experience.

The result of this refusal of the French offer has been that 27,000 American reserve officers have been turned out of the first officers' reserve camps with little more than a few hours of actual trench work.

LIVE NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 6.—"Someone's being murdered," cried the voice over a telephone about 2 o'clock this morning. The voice wanted the police to "come in a hurry." The police did.

The bluecoats marched up one street and down another, behind buildings and in vacant lots. All they found was a wandering cat and a vagrant dog—and silence.

Then there was an ear-piercing shriek. The officers, led by the noise, went to the county courthouse. The corner of the upper floor occupied by the insane ward was ablaze with light. A face—nearly seen from the street—was at the window.

Another shriek. "I want a drink of water," the man yelled. The cops went back to police headquarters.

Camp Postoffice Busy.
CAMP LEWIS, American Lake, Sept. 6.—The camp postoffice is probably the busiest place in this part of the state of Washington. The very first thought of every man who reaches camp is to write home—and friends at home write back.

"We know whenever a new detachment arrives and where it comes from," Herbert F. Gambell, in charge of the camp postoffice, said today, "because we immediately get a pile of mail directed to one place. They get lots of letters, too, and the incoming mail is heavier than the outgoing, but that seems to be because there are so many packages in it. All their folks must be sending them things."

Although the amount of mail handled now is large, preparations are being made to handle several times the present volume of mail.

Will Try for Settlement.
BUTTE, Mont., Sept. 6.—Representatives of all the striking unions, forming one big committee, will probably soon go before mining company officials and attempt to arrange for a settlement of their differences. This today is the foreman of Butte labor.

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leaders. Action by the various labor organizations involved, however, must be taken before this conference can be held. Discussing a settlement of the strikes, one labor leader said here today: "The situation is clear, this trouble will never be settled until it is settled right and it cannot be settled until the principles of unionism as well as the rights of union men are recognized by the mining companies."

Methodist Church Conference.
SPRINGFIELD, Ore., Sept. 6.—The annual conference of the Methodist church in this state will be held in the Springfield church beginning October 1. Preparations for the big meeting are now under way.

Four Sons in Service.
TROUTDALE, Ore., Sept. 6.—A service flag with four stars in its blue field hangs in the window of Mrs. L. M. Russell heretoday. It signifies that four from her immediate family have gone to war. One son is ready in France, another at American Lake, a third is an officer at Fort Snelling, Minn., and her son-in-law, Verne Stater, is a member of an aviation corps stationed in Texas.

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CORPUS, Sept. 4.—The little Greek island of Panto, near here, has become known to the entente fleets and armies as a place where women are forbidden to talk. The island has normally a population of 1824 persons, but most of the men are in the United States, where they work as waiters.

The custom of the island for many years has been for the young men to marry the girl they love best and then, after a brief honeymoon, go to America to make their fortunes, returning in a few years to their bride. During this period of the absence of the husband it has become a custom for their wives, women traditional for their beauty, never to talk to men.

It is the business of the older women to watch over the young wives, and when strange men approach, as has happened frequently since the war they are met with a shower of stones.

New Loan to Allies

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—Secretary McAdoo announced the loans of a hundred million each to Britain and France.

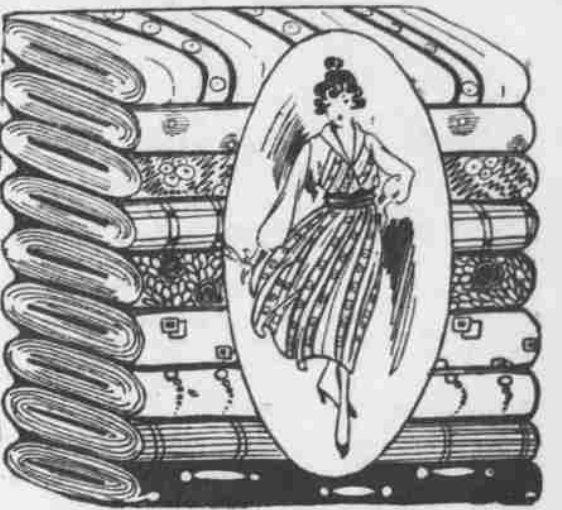
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