

# "INADEQUATE" JINGO VERDICT UPON HAY BILL

### Preparedness Advocates Claim House Military Measure Does Not Create Large Enough Standing Army—Strong Objection Made to Federalizing Militia, Which Is Ridiculed.

By GILSON GARDNER.  
WASHINGTON, March 24.—"Inadequate" is the verdict of the preparedness advocates on the Hay bill. This measure seeks to increase the regular army from its present strength of 100,000 men to 140,000. The war college recommended to the president an increase to 280,000, with a reserve of regulars numbering 380,000. The Hay bill would add 60,000 reserve regulars, less than one-sixth of the number recommended by the war college.

The total regulars and regular reserves under the Hay bill would be 200,000, as compared with 600,000 regulars and regular reserves recommended by the war college.

The Hay bill lays emphasis on the militia, and the act contains elaborate provisions intended to overcome that paragraph in the constitution of the United States which requires that the militia shall be under the authority of the various states. Under this clause the appointment of the officers and the training of the militia is specifically reserved to the states.

**Says Plan Is Bunk.**  
Congressman Augustus P. Gardner of Massachusetts says the Hay bill tries to bump this provision in the constitution.

"Former Secretary of War Henry T. Stimson," says Mr. Gardner, "does not believe this clause can be amended. Neither does ex-Secretary of War Garrison. But the Missouri military council thinks otherwise. No one knows that the supreme court of the United States will think when it is called upon to decide. One man's guess is as good as another's, and my guess is that any plan for federalizing militia which carries a lawsuit in every private's knapsack is a pretty good plan to drum out of the army."

The Hay bill adds 40,000 men to the regular army. This is counting the 20,000 voted as an emergency to meet the Mexican crisis. The mobile army available today, excluding those permanently stationed in the Philippines, Hawaii, Panama and Alaska, and those in the non-combatant branches of the service, is approximately 40,000. If 40,000 are added to these, the mobile available force will be 80,000 men. But these additions are only additions on paper. They have still to be enlisted, and four years is the time named in the law in which the men are to be secured, so there is no danger of any sudden jump in the size of the regular standing army.

**Federal Pay for Militia.**  
The Hay bill provides federal pay to militia organizations, conditioned on their consenting to be mobilized under federal authority when called. The bill provides for holding training camps like that at Plattsburg, N. Y., under regular army auspices; also it seeks to standardize and encourage military training in schools and colleges.

The critics of the bill say it is a mistake to place reliance on the militia to meet any sudden need. Representative Gardner, taking as his text that it is the duty of a soldier to know how to shoot, points to the official records which show that "out of 61,000 militiamen in the United States, armed with the rifle, no less than 41,000 were so indifferent to their duty that they failed to show up for a single day's target practice throughout the year." In only eight out of forty-eight states, according to the army reports, is militia target practice even "fairly satisfactory." In the other forty states it is highly unsatisfactory. According to Congressman Gardner, the Hay bill and the Chamberlain bill in the senate are equally deficient in their failure to add anything to the country's military strength beyond the proposed authorization of new recruits to the number of 40,000 for the regular army. The Chamberlain bill would increase this authorization by 20,000 more men than provided for by the Hay bill.

"This," says Congressman Gardner, "is a Lilliputian step in the right direction. To say that it meets the need of adequate preparedness demanded by the country," he continues, "is to say that the peanut offered by the ebid at the circus to the hungry elephant is adequate to the elephant's demand for food."

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# SCHOOL TEACHERS CHOSEN FOR COMING YEAR BY BOARD

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G. P. Moore, high school principal, yearly salary \$1200, monthly \$100.00; P. H. Dailey, Washington principal, yearly salary \$1300, monthly \$108.33; A. J. Hanby, principal Lincoln school, yearly salary \$1100, monthly \$91.66; J. W. Kerns, principal Jackson school, yearly salary \$1000, monthly \$83.33; Emily DeVore, principal Roosevelt school, yearly salary \$950, monthly \$79.16; Otto Klum, manual training, yearly salary \$1100, monthly salary \$91.66 for 11 months; J. M. Gressley, commercial department, yearly salary \$1050, monthly salary \$87.50; Ina Alms, yearly \$900, monthly \$75.00; Grace Mitchell, cooking, yearly salary \$900, monthly \$75.00; Pearl Anderson, English, yearly salary \$900, monthly \$75.00; Bess Kentner, yearly salary \$810, monthly \$67.50; Thora Smith, English and history, \$810 per year, \$67.50 per month; Jessie Quiano, biology, etc., \$810 per year, \$67.50 per month; Gertrude Booth, sewing, \$810 per year, \$67.50 per month; Gladys Welsh, German and history, \$810 per year, \$67.50 per month; Vera Merriman, stenography, \$540 per year, \$45 per month.

Julia Fleider, primary \$810 per year, \$67.50 per month; Maude Philbrook, \$810 per year, \$67.50 per month; Fannie Haskins, primary, \$810 per year, \$67.50 per month; Blanche Canode, \$720 per year, \$60 per month; Ora Cox, \$720 per year, \$60 per month; Kathryn Dunham, \$720 per year, \$60 per month; Elizabeth Ferguson, \$720 per year, \$60 per month; Anne Hansen, \$720 per year, \$60 per month; Amy Harding, \$720 per year, \$60 per month; Mae Nordoff, \$720 per year, \$60 per month; Kate Stine, \$720 per year, \$60 per month.

Mrs. P. H. Daily, Anna Jeffrey, Grace Pearce, Josephine Riley, Laura M. West, and Theone Carlin were selected at the rate of \$675 per year each, and \$57 per month. Sue M. Hoffman and Mary Trowbridge receive contracts for \$630 per year, and \$52.50 per month.

Mrs. Gallacher, principal of Roosevelt school, declined re-appointment, having accepted a high school principalship elsewhere.

# SECRETARY M'ADOO TO TOUR SOUTH AMERICA

SANTIAGO, Chile, March 24.—William G. McAdoo, American secretary of the treasury, will be officially a guest of Chile during his visit here with the other members of the American delegation to the international trade conference after the session of that body at Buenos Aires. A declaration to that effect has been issued by the government which has named a commission to attend him during his stay.

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# MONEY FURNISHED VILLABY AMERICANS ASSERTS LEWIS

WASHINGTON, March 24.—Senator Lewis, democrat, declared in a resolution introduced today that American authorities had knowledge of supplies and money being furnished to Villa from foreign countries and from the United States. His resolution proposed to brand Americans who give such aid as "guilty of actual treason."

At the request of Senator Borah, republican, the resolution was read twice and then Senator Lewis asked that it be over and gave notice that he would speak on it at an early opportunity.

Some of the border senators read telegrams from citizens, expressing apprehension for the safety of American interests along the Mexican line and Senator Stone renewed his appeal to senators not to agitate the situation.

The discussion died without action, but not until Senator Stone, in making his plea for no agitation had reiterated the peaceful intentions of the administration toward the Carranza government.

"An effort is being made by numerous people in Mexico and numerous sinister influences in Mexico, and I am sorry to say, outside of Mexico," he said, "to excite the people of that unfortunate country to mislead them and to impress them with the idea that the United States is contemplating an aggression against the whole people to their great injury."

Gen. L. Pervine of St. Johns, inventor of vacuum fire place, wants to establish factory.

# ARRAIGN WAITE FOR MURDER OF PECK AND WIFE

NEW YORK, March 24.—District Attorney Swann said today that he would arraign Dr. Arthur Warrent Waite for the murder of his father-in-law, John E. Peck, a millionaire druggist of Grand Rapids, Mich., as soon as Waite's physical condition would permit bringing him to court. The young dentist is under arrest at his apartment and so far recovered from the effects of narcotics taken Wednesday and yesterday that the district attorney hoped to produce him in court today.

The grand jury investigation of the deaths of John E. Peck and his wife in Waite's Riverside Drive home

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under circumstances which led the authorities to believe they were victims of poison, continued today. Since Wednesday Dr. Waite has been under the influence of drugs taken, he said, to induce sleep and no coherent statement could be obtained from him. Meanwhile the discovery of arsenic in the body of Mr. Peck led to the order for the dentist's arrest. Among the exhibits upon which the authorities are working are medical books taken from Dr. Waite's library containing marked passages describing the effect of poison such as that alleged to have caused the death of Mr. Peck.

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