

# 300,000 MORE DRAFTED MEN MOVE TODAY

HALF OF QUOTA UNDER FIRST  
CALL NOW UNDER TRAIN-  
ING FOR SERVICE.

## GO TO SIXTEEN CANTONMENTS

Whole Nation Astir as Boys from Every Village and Hamlet Go Forth Unhesitatingly to Do Their Duty.

Washington, Sept. 18.—Marshaled for the last time as civilians and under civilian authority, more than 300,000 men of the national army will go forward today to the sixteen cantonments to be trained for the battle against German autocracy. Their next move will be as fighting men toward the battle fields on the continent.

**Whole Nation Astir.**  
The whole nation is astir with the movement of the selective forces. The men represent approximately 43 per cent of the total quota under the first call from each of nearly 5,000 local boards.

Already at the camps is the advance guard of 5 per cent of the total, composed of experienced men, including cooks. Out of this has been created a skeleton organization into which the second increment will begin to be absorbed tomorrow with little confusion. When the last man of this increment arrives, the camps will house half of the first call forces numbering 343,500 men, and the other half will follow as rapidly as quarters and equipment are made available.

**Given Partial Equipment.**  
In a statement tonight the War department says the enormous task of obtaining equipment and supplies for the army is moving satisfactorily. Some of the men of the national army may be only partially equipped for some time after they are mobilized and no attempt will be made to furnish them with full war equipment until the eve of their departure for Europe. Some civilian clothing, such as overcoats, will have to be used for a time, as the clothing industry has not as yet caught up with its work.

With the mobilization of one-half of the 687,000 men of the first call under the selective service law in progress, the question arises as to whether that number of men will be sufficient to fill all units of the national guard and national army. At present there are indications that a deficiency in men will be disclosed when official reports from all of the thirty-two training camps become available.

**Divisions Not at War Strength.**  
Seventeen divisions of the national guard have been organized, but with the exception of the New York, Pennsylvania and a few others, and the Forty-second division, which soon will embark for France, they are not at maximum war strength. The fighting strength of the seventeen divisions under the new tables of organization would be 623,000 men, supplemented by many thousands of auxiliary troops. Whatever deficiencies there are will be supplied promptly from the national army as the guard will go first to the front.

### HERE THIRTY-EIGHT YEARS AGO

Thomas Stannforth of Havelock, who has been visiting in the city with J. E. Jones and family, departed for his home at Havelock yesterday afternoon. Speaking of the time when he came to this city, he said that he arrived here on the 16th of May 1879, and leaving his family here went to Lincoln, looking for something and after staying there for two days become so home sick that he walked back to Plattsmouth, starting at one o'clock in the afternoon, and reaching Oreapolis at midnight, where he slept for three hours and walked into Plattsmouth just as the five o'clock whistle blew in the morning. He then worked in the Burlington shops for a year, and then on the big bridge which was building for six weeks. After this he engaged in the butcher business for years, returned to the Burlington shops, where he worked until 1892 when he went to Havelock, where he has since lived.

Miss Esther Oberg of Farnam, this state, who has been visiting in Plattsmouth, a guest of her friend, Miss Florence Batsler, for the past week departed this afternoon for her home in the west.

## WILSON TO CONSIDER ON EXEMPTION CLAIMS SENT FROM DISTRICT BOARDS

Washington, Sept. 18.—President Wilson gave notice to all governors of states today that in hearing claims for exemption coming up from the district boards he would consider only evidence already submitted to the boards and nothing else, unless the boards recommend it.

The effect of the president's action is to absolutely shut out all appeals of a political nature or those which may be brought by interested friends "with pulls" and confine consideration of the cases to the evidence.

### ON TRAIN TO DEMING.

Sunday, 16th. Among the Caucasus Some Where in N. M.

Dear Friends: We haven't had church this morning but expect to soon. Lieut. Klein, our chaplain for exemption coming up from the district boards he would consider only evidence already submitted to the boards and nothing else, unless the boards recommend it. The effect of the president's action is to absolutely shut out all appeals of a political nature or those which may be brought by interested friends "with pulls" and confine consideration of the cases to the evidence.

### VISITS RELATIVES HERE.

From Wednesday's Daily.  
Mrs. Henry E. Snyder, of Fairfield, Iowa, who has been visiting in the west for the past month, came to Plattsmouth this morning from Omaha, where she has been visiting with relatives, and will be the guest of her uncle, Mrs. George Oldham, for a few days, visiting with her many friends here. Mrs. Snyder was accompanied by her little daughter, Harriett, on her visit. Mrs. Snyder who was formerly Miss Oldham, visited at Denver with her brother, Jay Oldham, and at Omaha with her two brothers, George and James Oldham. After her visit here she, with her daughter, will return to their home at Fairfield, Iowa.

### WILL VISIT IN WEST.

From Wednesday's Daily.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Maurer and little son, Lonnie, departed this afternoon for the west, where they will visit for some time, their first stop being at McCook, where they will visit with Rev. A. L. Zink and family for a short time and then go to Denver, where they will visit for some time, then departing for the south, visiting on the way at Colorado Springs and other resorts, and continuing as far as Clayton, New Mexico, where they have a farm, having taken a homestead there some years ago. They expect to be gone about a week or ten days.

### WILL ATTEND FUNERAL.

From Wednesday's Daily.  
Mrs. B. Seiditz, departed this morning for Hvalock, called there by the death of her little granddaughter, Bernice, the two months old daughter of Will Seiditz, who died yesterday after a sickness of about a week.

### THE MASONS ASSIST.

The Masons furnished the tables for the banquet last evening, as well as the dishes and showed by many acts of kindness their willingness to assist in the tendering of the honors to the young men who departed today.

### THE RED CROSS SUCCESS.

The success of the banquet last evening was due much to the untiring efforts of the members of the Red Cross, not alone last night but during the entire day did the work in order that when the time came for the banquet all things would be ready, and their work told, in the good success which was achieved.

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## LOCAL NEWS

From Tuesday's Daily.  
J. R. Vallery, from southwest of Mynard, was a business visitor in Plattsmouth this afternoon.

Will Troop and Herman Beck, from near Nehawka, were looking after some business in the city last evening.

W. F. Gillespie came in this morning from Mynard and taking the Burlington for Omaha where he will look after some business in that city.

L. L. Leiner of near Union, came up this afternoon bringing Earl Merritt with him, who comes to depart with the other boys tomorrow morning.

Mrs. John Theirof, of Cedar Creek who has been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dasher, of this city, for the past few days, departed for her home yesterday afternoon.

Dale Boyles and Dean Kamm, both from near Alvo, were looking after some business at the county court this morning relative to the appointment of an administratrix for the estate of Jacob Kamm, deceased.

Mrs. George Allison and son of Rockville, Mo., arrived in this city yesterday for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Schwenneker and family. Mrs. Allen is the mother of Mrs. Roy Schwenneker. They will visit here for about a week.

Geo. W. Tams, and wife have just returned from a visit at the home of Henry Kasterns, at Wall Lake, Ia., having driven over in Mr. Tams' car, making one hundred and thirty miles per day. Mr. Tams, was well pleased with the trip and with the country through which they passed.

Reports from the bedside of Frank Miller and Harrison Sheldon, the two boys from Plattsmouth who were compelled to remain at Fort Crook on account of sickness at the time of the departure of the "Dandy Sixth," is to the effect that they are both progressing nicely and are able to be up a portion of the time.

Mrs. Elizabeth Geis, mother of Fred Geis, of this city, and Mrs. C. M. Price, a daughter of Mrs. Geis, both from Pittsburg, Kansas, who have been visiting in this city, the guests of Mrs. Geis's son, for the past week, departed this morning for Omaha, where they will visit for the day and then go to their home, at Pittsburg.

John Tams, of Omaha, who has been visiting at the home of his parents, west of the city, for the past few days, departed this morning for Omaha, where he has made his home for some time past, and where he was drawn in the fourth district as a member of the army, and will depart tomorrow for Camp Funston at Ft. Riley, Kansas.

Ray Wiles, son of Captain and Mrs. Isaac Wiles, of this city, and wife, with their daughter, Thelma, arrived in this city this morning from the west, where they have been spending some time in the mountains, visiting the principal resorts there. They will visit in this city for a short time guests at the home of Mr. Wiles parents east of the city.

Mrs. C. L. Pitman and little daughter were passengers to Council Bluffs, Iowa, this morning, where they went to visit Mr. Pitman, who is in a hospital at that place, convalescing from an injury received from a fall from an elevator, which is building there. Mr. Pitman is now progressing nicely and it is hoped that he will soon be able to be out again.

From Wednesday's Daily.  
George Schrader, of south of Rock Bluffs, was a business visitor in the city this morning.

Asbury Jack, who has been at Council Bluffs, Iowa, visiting with his son and daughter, returned home this afternoon.

Crede F. Harris, from near Union, was a visitor in the city this afternoon, and was looking after some business at the county seat.

Troy Wiles of near Weeping Water and John F. Gorder were business visitors in Omaha this afternoon going on the 1:58 train.

Mrs. Henry Miller, who for a week past, has been visiting at Havelock, with her daughter, Mrs. Ratio Taylor, returned home last night.

Thomas Wiles and son, Monroe, of Weeping Water, were looking after some business in the county seat today, having driven up in their car.

Mrs. J. P. Kell departed yesterday afternoon for Cedar Creek, where she will visit for some time at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Hand Schroeder.

Mrs. Theodore Starkjohr depart-

ed this morning for Beaver City, this state, where she goes to visit with friends and relatives, for a week or two.

George Lutz and wife came in this morning from their home near Cedar Creek, and are visiting with friends in Plattsmouth today and looking after some business as well.

Rev. P. Reynolds, who has been visiting in Omaha for the past ten days, where he has been the guest at the home of his son, Victor Reynolds, returned home this afternoon.

J. P. King, who has been visiting for some days at the home of his daughter, Mr. C. H. Rist and husband, west of this city, departed for his home at Glenwood, Iowa, this morning.

John Edmonds, of Murray, was a brief visitor in Plattsmouth this afternoon, returning from a business trip to Omaha, where he went this morning over the Missouri Pacific from his town.

Mrs. Wm. Becker of Osmond, Nebraska, who has been visiting in the city for the past ten days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McGuire, departed for her home this morning.

Miss Pearl Keefer, of Alvo, who has been visiting at the home of Roy Cole, departed this morning for Glenwood, Iowa, where she will visit for a few days, before returning home.

Mrs. Mary Bryan, mother of Herold Bryan, one of the boys who went to the training camp this morning, came in last night, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Coatsman, to be present at the departure of Herold Bryan this morning.

Mrs. Catherine Rummell departed this morning for Beaver City, Nebraska, where she will visit for some time at the home of her son, Jacob Rummell, and was accompanied by Mrs. C. F. Vallery who will visit with Fred Horn, and also with Jacob Rummell.

Arnold Simpson and family, who have been visiting in the city for a few days, at the home of Mrs. Simpson's sister, Mrs. P. T. Walton and husband, departed this morning, for Aurora, where they will visit for a short time before going to their home at Comstock, this state.

Frank Marler, who departed for the training camp this morning, was in the city last evening and went home for the last night with the home folks, and with his wife and father and mother. Frank Marler, Sr., came in this morning, departing with the other boys.

Miss Mable Hifflicker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Hifflicker, departed this morning for Hebron, this state, where she will visit for some time at the home of Herman Hifflicker, who is a prosperous farmer of near that place, and who formerly lived in Plattsmouth.

George Decker who has been looking after some business at Ohlawa, for the past few days, returned home last evening and says the crops out that way, from the time when he was out there about six weeks ago, he has perceived a great improvement in the corn, and much of the corn there is going to make a fair crop.

On account of the vacancies caused by the going away, of some of the officers of the Young Men's Bible Class, of the Methodist Sunday school, to the war, it was necessary to hold a new election, which resulted as follows: J. P. Perry, president; Geo. Brinklow, vice president; Bryan Babbitt, secretary and Will Evers, treasurer.

### NEW BARBER SHOP.

I have purchased the barber shop of C. E. DuBois, next door west of H. M. Soennichsens Store. I will greatly appreciate the trade formerly of this shop, and all my friends, who may wish to come to me for work.

LUTHER F. PICCETT.

### PEACHES FOR CANNING.

Our car of Elberta peaches will be here the middle of next week. These are large, highly colored, freestone, \$2.50 bushel. We pay express on two bushel lots or more. Order at once. About sold up. Johnson Bros. Nebr. City. 1twkly

### GOES TO CAMP LEE, VA.

Anton Medved of Alvo, who is at Johnston, Pa., asked for and was granted permission by the local board to go to Camp Lee in Virginia, instead of coming back here. Another man was sent in his stead from here but in the end the credit will be given Cass county.

### FOR SALE.

Duroc Jersey male pigs for sale. Fall and spring pigs. Philip Hirz, Plattsmouth, Neb. 9-12-2td2twkly

### RETURNS FROM SOUTH DAKOTA.

Joseph Wooster who has been in the north for the past week, spending his time hunting and fishing and other amusements returned home last evening. Mr. Wooster departed over a week ago for Reliance, South Dakota, where a number of our people live. His brother, John Wooster, is farming there, and doing well, as is also Joseph Bucacek, they both having a good prospect for a crop of corn only, desiring that Old Jack Frost does not come around for a week or so. Their small grain was good, and is all safe in the bin. Mr. Wooster said it was raining a good deal up that way just now.

### DEPART FOR EAST TONIGHT.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ballance departed this evening for the east, where they will visit for some time. They will visit at Chicago, and also at Jackson, Michigan, where they will be the guests of Mrs. Ballance's sister, Mrs. Louis Johnson. They will visit at the brother of Mr. Ballance, Alex Ballance at Michigan City, Indiana, and with another Frank Ballance at Benton Harbor, Michigan. They expect to be away for about a week.

### LOSES VALUABLE WATCH.

Yesterday morning at the Missouri Pacific station while the great crowd was surging around the soldiers who were waiting to entrain, some one more ready with his fingers than he was to do honest labor, lifted the watch from a traveling newspaper man, who was waiting for the train for Nebraska City. There was a report that another man had lost fifteen plunks, as well. Some one knew his business well and was busy plying it.

### WILL INTEREST EVERYBODY.

The Wescott boys, have inaugurated a new interesting proposition which should strike a responsive chord in the interest of the people who want to know the latest in the world of intelligence, and happenings. They have subscribed for the Animated Weekly Cartoons, which are of such dimensions as to be easily readable from a distance, which will be posted in their windows. The one for this week is entitled "Sink without a Trace," and shows the Argentine affair, where in the Swedish Ambassador and the German, are having a conference, when the hand of your Uncle Samuel grasps the Swedish Minister by the collar and lifts him out of his chair. Look for these cartoons—they will be interesting and instructive as well.

### NOTICE!

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