

WILL HAVE SHIPS ENOUGH TO CARRY MILLIONS OF MEN

Congress May Make Draft Age Limit 18 to 60 if Necessary to Win War, Says Secretary Daniels.

New Brunswick, N. J., May 21.—Secretary of the Navy Daniels, in an address at the Rutgers college commencement today said:

"We are building ships, but we cannot build them in a day, but before another summer we shall have enough ships not only to carry 1,000,000 troops to France, but millions to France, and enough destroyers to see them there in safety."

Declaring "that we are going to get out the greatest naval ships produced—destroyers," the secretary continued:

"We have 300,000 men in the navy now. We will have 400,000 soon. They are enlisting so fast we have to ask them to stay home for a few days until we can build new ships for them."

"The day may come," said the secretary, in another part of his address, when, if necessary, congress may change the draft age limit. If the men between 21 and 31 cannot win the war, then they will call on the men from 18 to 60 to win the war."

MOONEY LOSES FINAL PLEA IN STATE COURTS

San Francisco, May 21.—Thomas J. Mooney, convicted of murder in connection with the deed of one of the victims of the preparedness day parade bomb explosion here in 1916, today lost his final application for review of his case by the state courts. His only hope for escape from the sentence of death imposed upon rests with Governor William D. Stephens, who has a petition for pardon under consideration, although counsel for Mooney said today they probably would appeal to the state supreme court again and if they failed there they would try to have the case reviewed by the supreme court of the United States.

Should the case finally go to Governor Stephens for action on the pardon application now pending, the governor will have before him a request from President Wilson urging careful review of the facts advanced at the trial. Governor Stephens has consistently refused to discuss his probable action, holding that he should not say anything while the courts retain jurisdiction of the case.

A STAND OF U. S. COLORS GIVEN TO AMERICAN BOYS

With the American Army in France, May 21.—A descendant of one of the French officers who served with the American revolutionary forces has presented, in the name of the descendants of all such officers, a stand of national and regimental colors to two regiments of a newly arrived division. The flags bear the inscription:

"From the sons of the French champions of American liberty to the American champions of France and humanity." One of the regimental commanders, accepting the colors, said:

"I wish to express to you deep appreciation of the honor bestowed on us by the presentation of the colors. As Americans, our deep appreciation is enhanced by the knowledge that the gifts came from descendants of those who assisted us in our first struggle for liberty. We shall treasure the colors as a memento or our own entry into the struggle for liberty and equal rights for all mankind."

Salesman at Dinner Robbed Of \$100,000 Worth of Gems

Lowell, Mass., May 21.—A bag containing \$100,000 worth of diamonds, set and unset, was stolen from a restaurant here today. The diamonds were the property of Yankauer, Newiter and Platt, importers of New York, and were in the possession of John Karliner, a salesman. The bag was stolen from beneath the table at which Karliner was dining. The police said there was absolutely no clew on which to work.

Two Killed in Wreck.

Panama, May 20.—Two persons were killed and 45 injured, five seriously, when a Panama railroad train was derailed at Gamboa today. Two Americans, Police Sergeant Sheehan and Train Guard Stoebel, were injured, Sheehan probably fatally.

Hamilton Raises \$14,000.

Aurora, Neb., May 21.—(Special Telegram).—Hamilton county's quota for the Red Cross, consisting of \$14,000, has been raised and is now on deposit at the First National bank, payable to the order of the national officers of the society.

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Allen Wilcox Stephens Goes to Naval Flying Station in Florida

Allen Wilcox Stephens, former Omaha young man, has completed a course of 10 weeks' intensive training at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and been assigned by the Navy department to the aeronautical station in Pensacola, Fla., where he will be attached to a naval aviation section for service at sea.

Young Stephens is a son of T. W. Stephens, former Omaha business man, and is well known in this city. His uncle, Lucien Stephens, years ago was a reporter on The Bee, but has since entered the mercantile world and resides at 3804 Farnam street.

The naval aviator expects soon to be assigned for duty in European waters.



ALLEN WILCOX STEPHENS.

TRIANGLE TANGLE IS UNTWISTED AS LAW TAKES HAND

Love and Intrigue Are Revealed When Police Court Brushes Luster From Omaha Romance.

Details of love and intrigue involved in a romance between C. H. Buffington, proprietor of the Buffington apartment, Eighteenth street and Capitol avenue, and Mrs. R. A. Brown, 2306 Dewey avenue, lasting two years, were divulged in police court Tuesday morning.

The wife of C. H. Buffington appeared in court in defense of her husband, as did the husband of Mrs. R. A. Brown, in defense of his wife.

The termination of the romantic affair between Buffington and Mrs. Brown occurred Monday night at Thirty-first and Farnam streets, when they became involved in a quarrel. Buffington was arrested and booked on a charge of assault and battery against his supposed fiancée.

Romance Is Laid Bare.

Both laid bare before the court their story of friendship, while their conjugal companions listened in silence.

Buffington told a full story of sentimental devotion between the two.

"The woman loved me, and whenever we saw a chance we were together," he said.

"I know I haven't done right in the past by going out with her without the knowledge of my wife, but our love grew and we kept up our close friendship. We attended theaters together and exchanged love letters frequently."

Warm Letters Exchanged.

"My wife coaxed me time and again to keep away from Mrs. Brown, but it seemed her devotion toward me was uncontrollable. Each letter she wrote to me was one step closer to our friendship, and I just could not keep from going with her."

Mrs. Brown, pretty and attractive, stood by her husband and divulged her part in the romance.

"I went out with Mr. Buffington under threats. He would not leave me alone, though I told my husband of the whole affair. I realize now more than ever the true union of husband and wife and I promise to keep away from Mr. Buffington under all circumstances."

One Wife Reprimands Other.

"He wrote love letters to me and watched his chances to go out with me. I knew his wife was aware of my friendship, and several times she reprimanded me for going out with Mr. Buffington."

Buffington was given a jail sentence of 30 days on the charge of assault and battery, and ordered to be brought before the county board of physicians to be examined as to his sanity.

Mrs. R. A. Brown, complaining

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MRS SABINA S. WAKELEY.

Mrs. Sabina S. Wakeley, lineal descendant of Lewis Morris, signer of the Declaration of Independence; an intimate acquaintance of James Fenimore Cooper and one of the earliest pioneers of Nebraska, who was identified with Omaha and Nebraska for more than 60 years, died Monday night after an illness of a week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Crain, at Springfield, O.

Mrs. Wakeley leaves three children—Judge Arthur C. Wakeley, Lucius W. Wakeley, general passenger agent at Omaha of the Burlington railway, and a daughter, Mrs. C. E. Crain, Springfield, O. She is also survived by three grandsons—Arthur W. Morton and Thompson D. Wakeley, sons of Lucius Wakeley.

The body will arrive in Omaha Wednesday night and will be taken to the home of Judge Wakeley, 2123 California avenue. The funeral will be held at Trinity cathedral Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Burial will be at Prospect Hill cemetery.

Born in York State.

Mrs. Wakeley was born at Cooperstown, N. Y., on the shores of Otsego lake, made famous as the location of many of the incidents of the "Leather Stocking Tales." She spent her girlhood there and at Kalamazoo, Mich., where her parents located in a pioneer day.

In 1854 she was married to Judge Eleazer Wakeley at Whitewater, Wis. In 1857 her husband was appointed associate judge of the territory of Nebraska by President Pierce. At that time the territory of Nebraska was included in that vague geographical empire known as the "great American desert" and its northern boundaries extended to British Columbia and westward to the base of the Rockies.

The couple came to DeSoto, Washington county, then a primitive trading post, and which has long since been swallowed up in the maw of the Missouri river. They experienced all of the hardships and vicissitudes of frontier life until 1861, when they returned to Wisconsin.

In November, 1867, they returned again to Nebraska and in the spring of 1868 they erected the family home at Nineteenth and California streets, residing there 49 years.

The old home was a social center

and a temple of hospitality under the guidance of its gracious mistress until after the death of her daughter, Nellie, which occurred a year ago, and after which Mrs. Wakeley went

to Springfield to reside with her daughter, Mrs. Crain. She was a member of Trinity church 47 years, at all times interested in its various charities and activities.

Epidemics Follow in Wake Of War in Eastern Persia

New York, May 21.—Epidemics of typhus and typhoid and famine still follow in the wake of the war in northwestern Persia, according to a cable message from Tabriz, Persia, dated May 14, to the American committee for Armenian and Syrian relief. The British advance, however, is having a "good effect."

The message, which brings to America the first news since telegraphic communication from the plague-stricken district was cut off six weeks ago, also reports the occupation of the city of Urumia by the Assyrians, the occupation of Salmas by Assyrians and Armenians, and the destruction of Dilman.

American missionaries are reported safe.

New Draft Gives Army 750,000, Asserts Crowder

Washington, May 21.—Estimates today by Major General Crowder, provost marshal general, indicate that probably 750,000 men will be obtained for the army by the registration on June 5 of all youths who have attained 21 years of age since June 5 last.

Fully a million youths, according to General Crowder's estimate, will be registered. At least one-fourth of them, he thinks, will be exempted on various grounds.

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U-BOATS SHELL LIFEBOATS AND KILL FISHERMEN

Christiana, Norway, May 21.—German submarines again have started unrestricted warfare on Norwegian fishing boats in the Arctic ocean, north and east of the Norwegian coast.

Fishermen saved from sunken vessels and landed at Hammerfest, report that the commander of a U-boat stated that all vessels met by him were to be sunk.

Norwegian ships, especially, would be destroyed, because, he said, the Norwegians were sending fish oil and seal oil to England. This, however, is contrary to the truth, as the export of oils is forbidden and Germany knows it.

The U-boats are said to shell vessels without warning and, according to the survivors, direct a fire against lifeboats.

Russian fishing boats and a Russian mail steamer from Vardoe, eastward bound and overcrowded with passengers, also were shelled. Eight persons, among them a postmaster and his assistants, were killed on the deck of the steamer. Many others were hurt after taking to the boats.

ALLIES STRIKE AT FOE SCORING GAINS IN GROUND

Sectors Held by American Soldiers Scenes of Fierce Battles With German High-Speed Airplanes.

(By Associated Press.)

The allied armies are not permitting the Germans to "get set" for a serious blow at the western front. Here and there along the line there have been sudden blows at the German positions and in all of them ground was captured by the allies.

The French have done the most of this work. On the front east and northeast of Loere, on the northern side of the Lys salient in northern France and just to the west of Kemmel, where some of the more intense fighting of the war has been going on, the French advanced their line over a two-mile front.

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