

SMOKE FUND GOES OVER \$30,000 TOP

Big Game Between Navy Rivals to-morrow Will Add to Cash.

HOTEL TEA A SUCCESS

Girls Raid Bronx in Tobacco Drive—Mme. Clerget Sings To-day.

It's at \$30,000 this morning—The Sun Tobacco Fund—just as was predicted, and the decks are cleared now for the sweep to the century mark.

One of the splendid contributions of the day was \$219, the result of a popular voluntary subscription made by the employees of the plant of the American Lithographic Company, 1 East Ninety-fifth street.

When enjoying a trolley ride to Glendale, Schuetsen Park, recently, the members of the Seaweed Fishing Club passed the hat and collected \$13.90 for the fund.

The game will be played between the championship team of the United States Navy and a club from the recruit, the non-seagoing battalions, which is tied up in Union Square.

The gates will open at 1:45 o'clock and the game will start an hour later. The navy yard and recruit bands will play, no there will be friendly rivalry of a musical as well as an athletic nature.

The charge for this combined series of entertainments will be only 25 cents. The office of King Gustave, the social march song of the American Junior Naval and Marine Scouts.

The officers of recruits are working overtime driving into shape the preliminaries for the country-wide sweep during which they will sell copies of the song for the benefit of the fund.

Divas Makes Appeal To-day. The tragedy of Mme. Clerget's life makes a deep appeal to the heart of every patriot.

That was a thoroughly enjoyable affair, that first of the Thursday afternoon teas at the Hotel York, presided over by Gladys Hanson, Arthur Newman, pianist of the "Hilthy-Koo" company.

On Trail of Fund Money. Their trail followed Madison avenue to Webster avenue, to the Hotel York, at Tremont and Third avenues; down Third avenue to 149th street, then across to Morris avenue, up to Prospect avenue and along back through Westchester avenue to the hotel.

Here's a jolly letter from Capt. A. Radcliffe Dugmore of the King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry, who is now on a lecture tour in this country.

I enclose herewith my check for two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250), this amount having been collected by the Bar Harbor War Relief Association in response to a few words said during the course of my lecture tour.

With best wishes and the assurance that I will do all I can to help yours truly, A. RADCLIFFE DUGMORE.

ACTION POSTPONED ON 'SLACKER' BILLS

Bulgaria, Turkey and Austria Protest Against Proposed Legislation.

NEUTRAL ALIENS EXEMPT

Question of Drafting Ally Citizens Now May Be Decided by Treaty.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27.—"An 'slacker' legislation is dead, so far as action at the present session of Congress is concerned. The Military Affairs Committee of the House to-day voted to postpone any action before December on the bills now pending, one of which has passed the Senate.

Following this action came information that formal protests from Bulgaria, Turkey and Austria had been lodged with the State Department against any legislation to force their citizens in the United States to take up arms against their ally, Germany.

Chairman Burnett of the Immigration Committee will make an effort to secure action on his bill to make citizens of America's allies now in the United States subject to the selective draft.

Discussing the action of the Military Committee Chairman, Dent said: "From the discussion I do not hesitate to say that in my opinion a large majority if not all of those present are opposed to any legislation that would draft aliens of neutral countries."

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CITY SALUTES 69TH IN GOOD-BY-PARADE

Regiment Soon to Sail Visits City as Escort of Japanese.

TUMULTUOUS GREETINGS

Trip Through First Avenue to Ferry a March of Triumph.

New York saluted the Sixty-ninth Regiment yesterday for the last time before it sails for France. First in the field at Camp Mills it will probably be the first National Guard unit to see the front, and it thinks it is going very soon.

It was not a new Sixty-ninth, but a larger and sterner different one that swept up Fifth avenue past the Union League Club's reviewing stand and the thousands of unofficial and more intimate reviewers.

As it is nearly up to the new standard of the Seventh, Twelfth, Fourteenth, Twenty-third and Seventy-first regiments have trebled its dimensions. Its men are of course a better class than the God speeders all along the route yesterday with satisfaction, they have acquired from the rigorous discipline of Camp Mills something that they did not possess on other days when the city saw them.

Look Like Regulars. As it is not in keeping with the American spirit to say that they bear themselves like professional soldiers it is perhaps better to say that they are regulars.

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M'ADOO WAIVES TOP LIMIT ON U.S. LOAN

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AMERICAN WOMEN TO BE WAR INDEXED

Registration Dates Set Already in 16 States.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27.—Definite plans for registration of the nation's woman power, were approved to-day by the woman's committee of the Council of National Defense.

Registration already has been set in sixteen States, ten of them by Governors' proclamations, and in three the work already is under way.

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TAMMANY PUTS ON CAMPAIGN ARMOR

County Committee Reorganizes as Warriors Get Seat of Patronage Bacon.

OLD CHIEFS IN CONTROL

Justice Cohan Among the Few Who Are Numbered Among the Missing.

Tammany's medicine man permitted about 900 members of the New York county Democratic committee to pretend to effect the annual reorganization of the committee for the fall campaign last night in Tammany Hall.

Justice Cohan among the few who are numbered among the missing. The committee's guides of last year remain in the saddle, all officers being re-elected, including State Senator Robert F. Wagner, chairman, Thomas F. Smith, secretary, and Philip P. Donoghue, treasurer.

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CONFEREES BOOST WAR REVENUE BILL

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SWITCHMEN STRIKE AT GARY

Ask \$5 P. C. Increase—Tieup Delays War Orders.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27.—Operations of the Great Lakes State Steel Corporation's mill at Gary, Ind., South Chicago, now working on war contracts, were hampered to-day by an unheralded strike of approximately 350 switchmen employed by the Erie and Great Eastern Railroad, a belt line of great importance in the terminal facilities of Chicago and environs.

The men approached our superintendent at Gary last night with a demand for more wages," said Vice-President F. N. Rogers to-day. "The superintendent said he had conferred with his superiors. They paid no attention to this and did not report for work this morning."

In the Gary yards only six out of twenty-two locomotives were operated to-day. At South Chicago four out of twenty-two were working. The day switchmen ask an increase from 38 cents to 75 cents an hour, and the night men an increase from 40 cents to 75 cents.

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GUSTAVE FORMING LIBERAL CABINET

Branting and Other Socialists Unlikely to Join Coalition Body.

STOCKHOLM, Sept. 27.—In accordance with the wishes of King Gustave, efforts are being made to form a coalition cabinet of decidedly Liberal coloring, or a temporary Cabinet of Liberals and Conservatives, to prepare the budget for the opening Parliament on January 15.

The King has privately requested Oscar von Sydow, Minister of the Interior in the Hammarskjold Cabinet, to form a new Government, suggesting that the present War Minister, Col. Akerman, remain in office, and that Erik Loefgren, a prominent Liberal leader, be made Minister of Justice.

Prof. Edén and Baron Adelsward also have been requested to join the new Government, but they have declined to do so.

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NAVY FOUND GERMANS EMPLOYED ON SECRET WORK

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