

MORE ANTI-DRAFT ARRESTS EXPECTED

Federal Agents Follow Socialist Agitators' Trail to Atlantic City

THREE MEN STILL IN JAIL

Heavy Bail Demanded for Men Taken in Raid Last Night. 16,000 Circulars Found

More arrests are likely to follow last night's raid on 1328 Arch street, in which Socialist leaders were arrested and 16,000 anti-draft circulars were confiscated. Chief Postal Inspector James T. Cortelyou, of Philadelphia, who conducted the raid, when intimating that more arrests would be made, said:

"The Arch street place appears to have been the clearing house for the whole Socialist anti-draft propaganda, not merely the headquarters of the Socialists of the city. There is some indication that from this place anti-draft circulars and pamphlets have been sent all over the country."

The Federal crusade against Socialists, pro-Germans and other opponents of the draft has been extended to Atlantic City, where one of the men arrested here is believed to have distributed anti-draft and anti-war literature and to have inspired other Socialists to continue the distribution after he left.

Edward H. Wanamacher, of 608 North Forty-third street, is believed to be the same Edward H. Wanamacher who caused excitement along the Boardwalk at Atlantic City last Monday by complaining that he had been robbed of a suitcase containing \$15,000 worth of securities. The shore police found the suitcase in Wanamacher's room, where he had carelessly left it, then forgetting where it was.

The three men arrested last night are still in Moyamensing Prison, their comrades in the Socialist Party having spent all night and this morning in futile efforts to procure their release. Henry J. Nelson, attorney for the three and for the girl Socialist taken with them, hurried from the city today, presumably to New York, for a conference with Socialist leaders there. On his return he is expected to seek release of the three men by habeas corpus proceedings.

HEAVY BAIL DEMANDED

The men, all held by Commissioner Long for further hearing September 5, are Wanamacher, a member of the Socialist party executive committee, \$2500 bail; Charles T. Schenck, secretary of the Socialist party for Philadelphia, \$10,000, and Alexander MacLow, 1305 Mifflin street, \$2500.

Clara Abramovitz, of 242 North Marshall street, the girl arrested with them, was held for a further hearing September 5, but was released on her own recognizance.

Miss Abramovitz, who sells literature at the Socialist headquarters, was at her duties this morning, looking pretty in a pink shirt waist and apparently none the worse for her exciting night. She said she did not know what she was going to do about her arrest or defense. For the present she would continue selling literature.

Postoffice inspectors learned today of the Boardwalk incident in which Edward H. Wanamacher was the principal figure. The men registered Monday at the Grand Union Hotel on the Boardwalk and shortly afterward went to the police station with their robbery tale. Detectives found the suitcase in his room and he said he had forgotten to take it there. The detectives did not take the trouble to look into the grip and see if it contained securities. Postal inspectors have a notion it contained anti-draft circulars.

The four Socialists were arrested on the Boardwalk on the following passage in the indictment sent to Mayor Hurley:

In lending tacit or silent consent to the conspiracy law in and neglecting to assist your rights you are helping to condone and support the most infamous and heinous conspiracy.

"This is deliberate treason against the United States," said Commissioner Long, "and in the face of the evidence you are guilty of advising young men to go into the army and are giving aid to Germany as surely as if you were sending arms and ammunition."

A number of letters containing copies of anti-draft circulars, which had been sent to Philadelphia in training camps, were offered in evidence. Henry J. Nelson, counsel for the accused Socialists, contended that speaking or writing against the conspiracy law was with a view to influencing political opinion was not treasonable.

MacLow and Wanamacher admitted distributing the leaflets on the street and within the Socialist party headquarters. Miss Abramovitz is employed as a stenographer in the office of Schenck. She was permitted to sign her own bail bond.

REDFIELD SAYS YANKEE GENIUS WILL WIN WAR

Secretary Declares the Government Has Perfected Devices of Remarkable Invention

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—"The war is being prosecuted successfully, so far as America's participation in it is concerned. You may have no apprehension about telling the American people that they need have no apprehension on that score."

This is the message of Secretary of Commerce Redfield to the American people on the progress of the military operations under the American flag in an interview today Mr. Redfield outlined what is being done under the auspices of the Stars and Stripes and told in language so convincing that it admitted of no shadow of doubt that American genius would read like a tale in making rapid strides toward the winning of the war.

Secretary Redfield cautioned your correspondent to reveal no details of the secrets of the Washington government. Nevertheless, he frankly discussed the amazing strides made since the United States cast its lot with the Allies against Prussianism.

"The British, we understand, have perfected an airplane engine which surpasses anything yet devised by either Entente or enemy engineers," Mr. Redfield was told.

"As for the Americans have—"

The narrative of Secretary Redfield is of surpassing interest. Airplanes are but typical of the great mechanical progress which has been made, largely under Government supervision. It was made plain by the Secretary that any information divulged would be of value to the enemy; hence the details of Mr. Redfield's discourse can be related. Suffice it to say that the American Government has perfected devices of baby wonder.

No American need read of the inventive genius of the enemy with any apprehension, according to Secretary Redfield. He may rest assured that anything that has been invented by Germans has been materially improved upon by Americans.

The catalogue of what already has been accomplished toward the winning of the war through bringing to bear upon the problem the keenest scientific mechanical and inventive genius would read like a tale out of the "Arabian Nights." Those in Washington who know of accomplishments in this line are straining at the leash to inculcate the American people of the miraculous which has been done, but the main responsibility has been slipped over the shoulders of the present and the future must wait until the Amer-

RAIDED SOCIALIST HEADQUARTERS ASKS HELP



Printed notice, as above, decorated the window of the Socialist headquarters and bookstore, 1326 Arch street today, following last night's Federal raid on the place as a center from which seditious literature was sent out. Four persons were arrested.

U. S. RESERVE OFFICERS FORM 'IRON BATTALION'

Philadelphians Prominent in Making of Counterpart of Famed French Body

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Aug. 29.

Organization of the Officers' Iron Battalion, composed of 550 reserve officers, studying advanced trench warfare at Harvard under the direction of the French Mission, took place today.

The second company, which is composed of 100 officers from Plattsburg, fifty from Fort Niagara and fifteen each from Oglethorpe and McPherson, was placed in command of Captain Joseph W. Clagg, of Philadelphia. The position of first lieutenant was given to Captain A. W. Swain, who also was placed in charge of the First Platoon. J. R. Feaster, Jr., and E. P. Roth, two other reservists from Philadelphia, were made corporals.

Colonel Azan, head of the French mission, named the organization after that celebrated "Iron Battalion," the daring and courage of whose members is known all over France. He told the men he was sure that when they reached France as officers they would more than uphold the reputation of their namesakes.

The colonel and his fellow-officers of the mission are to give a dinner to representatives of the three companies on Friday at the Harvard Club, of Boston. Captain Clagg is one of the men chosen to represent the second company. The 550 officers will next week return the compliment, dining the Frenchmen in Boston.

Major William W. Flynn, the commandant, announced today that the men will not be allowed time off on Labor Day. This proved a disappointment, especially since the officers in reporting to Harvard had to forego the twelve days' furlough granted the other members of their respective camps.

New York Soldier Killed by Train
BALTIMORE, Aug. 29.—George McConnell, a private of Company A, Tenth New York Infantry, was killed by a Baltimore and Ohio train near here today. The soldier received a letter from his home in Albany yesterday in which he was told that his mother was dying in Newburgh, N. Y.

ENGINEER OFFICERS ARE ORDERED TO REPORT

Commissioned Men in Reserve Will Go Into Camp in Three Different Localities

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—Eleven hundred and sixty engineer reserve officers were today ordered to report at the engineer training camps at American University, Washington; Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, and Vancouver barracks, Washington, September 5 by Secretary Baker.

The total enrollment at American University and Leavenworth will be 500 each, while Vancouver barracks' camp will train 160 officers. Most of the men after three months of intensive training will be available as instructors for the second increment of 500,000 troops to be called next year to the colors.

Some of the officers will be utilized to command the eleven new regiments of engineers to be formed out of the draft and by voluntary enlistment, which are to be sent abroad for military engineering behind the lines.

YANKEE TARS AND SLAVS MIX IN MISTAKEN BOUT

Each Thinks Other German Force and General Fracas Is Suddenly Precipitated

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—A squad of fifty Yankee Jack tars are under their officers' displeasure today all because they "went over the top" after some supposed Germans. The "top" in this case was a water front fence and the "Germans" comprised a crowd of Russian sailors.

When the Americans approached the Slavs, the latter mistook them for Germans because they manned a seized German ship and proceeded to defend the fence against them. Their Russian war cries were mistaken for the Yanks for German yells. "Charge the Germans," shouted the Slavs, and "Charge the Germans," bellowed the Americans. Shots rang out in the night. Thirty police joined the fracas. The Americans swarmed over the fence and put the Russians to rout.

Later the Russian and United States officers exchanged apologies and ten Slavs went to the hospital. Five were arrested.

CHELTENHAM TOWNSHIP BOARD ACCEPTS FEW

Only 27 Out of 105 Examined in Draft Taken for National Army

Only twenty-seven men out of a total of 105 examined yesterday by District Board No. 1, of Cheltenham township, were obtained for the national army.

Of those not accepted, thirty-seven claimed exemption and forty-seven were rejected for physical defects. Among those taken was John Howard, Edge Hill, who has no ears. His hearing is apparently normal. Among those called five have already enlisted. These are Caleb F. Fox, Jr., Ogontz, Philadelphia banker and clubman, who is in the emergency hospital corps; Arthur H. Jacobs, Cheltenham; John Rhoades, Edge Hill; William H. Lorimer, Melrose, and William Powell, Wynocote.

ANGRY AT GERARD'S HONOR

German Paper Shrieks Displeasure at the Grand Cross of Bath

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 29.—The Berlin Zeitung am Mittag has become greatly incensed over the conferment by King George of the Grand Cross of the Bath upon James W. Gerard, former United States Ambassador to Germany.

"We always have known," says the newspaper, "that Ambassador Gerard was England's representative, at least as much as America's, in Berlin."

CHAMPAGNE IN LOOT

Thieves Rob Camden Liquor Store Sixth Time in Two Months

Five cases of champagne were included in the loot which thieves took from the wholesale liquor store of Stern & Co., 124 Federal street, Camden, early today. It is the sixth time the place has been robbed in two months.

The thieves forced an entrance through a rear window and took about \$100 worth of liquor, including the champagne.

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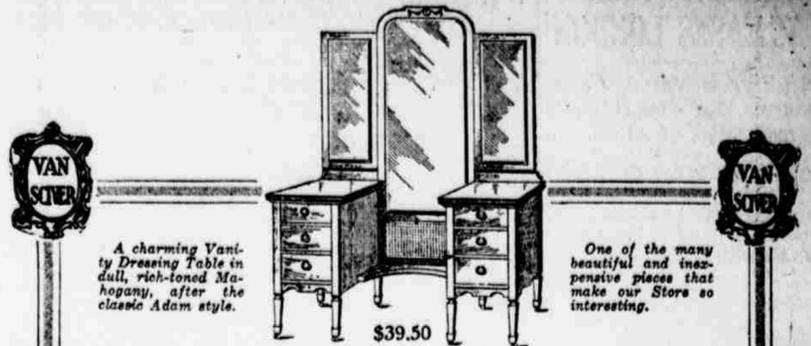
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Records, your selection 4.00
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- VICTROLA IX \$50.00
Records, your selection.... 5.00
Total cost \$55.00
Pay \$5 down, \$4 monthly.
- VICTROLA X \$75.00
Records, your selection.... 5.00
Total cost \$80.00
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- VICTROLA XI \$100.00
Records, your selection.... 5.00
Total cost \$105.00
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- VICTROLA XIV \$150.00
Records, your selection.... 10.00
Total cost \$160.00
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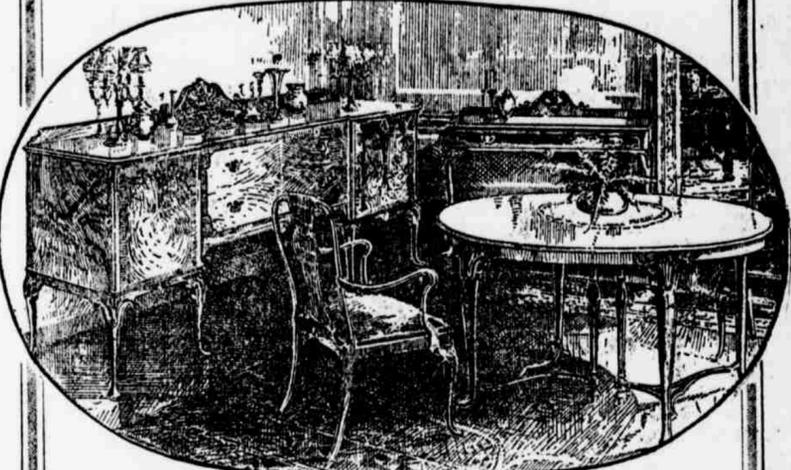
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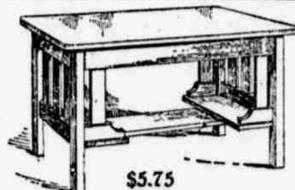
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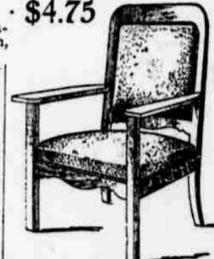
A FEW EXAMPLES OF SALES SAVINGS

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- \$24.00 Serving Table, Mahogany \$11.50
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- \$66.00 China Closet, Mahogany \$39.50
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- \$24.50 Extension Table, Quartered Oak \$18.50
- \$49.50 Extension Table, Mahogany \$35.00
- \$6.25 Arm Chair, Oak and Leather \$3.25
- \$9.50 Arm Chair, Mahogany Rush Seat \$6.50
- \$85.00 Dining Suite, 3 pcs., Mahogany \$67.50
- \$47.50 Bed, Genuine Mahogany \$22.50
- \$67.50 Bureau, Mahogany \$45.00
- \$25.00 Dressing Table, Mahogany \$16.50
- \$500.00 Chamber Suite, Chippendale, Mahogany, any, 6 pcs. \$275.00
- \$47.50 Sofa, Large Tapestry \$35.00
- \$183.00 Library Suite, Mahogany, Velour, 2 pcs. \$102.00
- \$193.50 Library Suite, Mahogany Velour \$163.00
- \$22.50 Arm Chair, Tapestry \$14.50
- \$52.50 Rocker or Arm Chair, Morocco Leather \$41.00
- \$355.00 Dining Suite, 3 pcs., Solid Mahogany, Chippendale \$175.00
- \$43.00 Arm Chair, Wing Mahogany, Velour \$27.50
- \$8.50 Rocker, Golden Oak, Leather \$6.75
- \$16.50 Solid Mahogany, Cane Wing Rocker or Arm Chair \$12.00
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- \$60 Royal Wilton, 9x12 \$42.50
- \$85 Royal Wilton, 10.6x12 \$58.00
- \$106 Royal Wilton, 11.3x15 \$79 & \$91
- \$65 Best Sanford Axminster, 11.8x15, \$43.50
- \$24 Sanford Axminster, 6x9 \$19.75
- \$52 Wilton Velveta, 9x12 \$32.50
- \$54 Body Brussels, 10.6x12 \$32.50
- \$40 Body Brussels, 9x12 \$24.50
- \$52 Smith Saxony Axminster, 11.3x12, \$29.50
- \$18.50 Tapestry Brussels, 9x12 \$13.75

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