WAR DEPARTMENT CALLS FOR 100 MEN PER DAY

This Number of Enlistments Necessary if Virginia Is to Do Its Part.

NAVY NEEDS 50 MEN PER DAY

Time for Sending Forward the 800 Asked From Virginia Is Extended to May 5—Only 187 Have So Far Enlisted.

For the eastern recruiting district of Virginia to supply the quota assigned to it by the War Department in a bulletin received in Richmond yesterday, it is necessary for it to send forward henceforth an average of 100 men a day. The district is composed of fifty-three counties located in the eastern half of the State, with Major Letcher Hardeman and Lieutenant-Colonel Maury Nichols in charge.

The immediate task before the recruiting service, according to the bulletin, is to bring all branches of the United States Army up to full war strength, and the secondary task, to assist in obtaining recruits for National Guard organizations in the Federal service. The number of men desired has been distributed among the various States, according to population, on the theory that there should be two recruits from every 1,000 inhabitants. The number expected in the past from the district has been 1,043 men each year, and the new assignment will double the quota.

"It is essential that this quota should be obtained in the shortest time practicable," says the bulletin. "The proper time limit is estimated to be within thirty days after the passage of the army bill now before Congress. To accomplish the task, the number of enlistments must average about 6,600 a day, making the average daily from each district about 100. The number of daily enlistments is increasing, and is now about 2,000."

FIFTEEN MEN SENT FORWARD YESTERDAY

From the entire district yesterday, fifteen men were sent forward for training, ten of them being from Norfolk. The five who enlisted in Richmond, all of them white men, were: James F. Jones and Harmon A. Gates, of Richmond; Herbert Rhodes, of Winslow, N. C.; McClure Purcell, of Rison, N. C., and Robert J. Kildare, of Castile, N. Y.

The navy secured thirteen recruits from the entire State of Virginia, exclusive of Norfolk, yesterday. They were Alfred Lee Agner, Herbert James Gordon, Bernard Elmore Samuels, Robert Orthneil Hundley, Charles Warren Tucker, James Earl Royall, Milton Thomas Duck, William Wyatt Elliott and William Pearce Parker, who enlisted in Richmond; Erskin Erin Hughes and Thomas Davis Spencer, enlisted in Lynchburg; Frank Russell Fansler, enlisted in Staunton, and Earl Cook, enlisted in Danville.

On account of the failure of Virginia and other States to supply by April 20 the quota of recruits asked by the navy, the time for filling vacancies has been extended to May 5. Of the 800 men requested from this State, a total of 187 have been supplied. In order to make good on the second chance offered by the time extension, Virginia must supply an average of fifty men a day for the next two weeks.

Of the several applicants for enlistment in the Marine Corps, two were accepted at the Richmond station yesterday. They were Guy B. Blake, forwarded from the substation in Charlotte, N. C., and Hugh L. Minter, reenlisted at Richmond.

Tag Day Set for May 4.

The Instructive Visiting Nurses' Association announces that it has fix Friday, May 4, as the date of the annual flag day, which is the chief source of support of this institution.

TABLET TO MARK SITE OF CONFEDERATE NAVY-YARD

Will be Unveiled With Appropriate Exercises on May 10 by Junior Oakwood Association.

Dr. Douglas S. Freeman has accepted the invitation of the Junior Oakwood Memorial Association to be the orator at the unveiling of the tablet, marking the site of the Confederate Navy-Yard, on May 10, following the exercises at Oakwood.

The tablet adorns a huge James River granite bowlder, in the center of a triangular plot of ground at the intersection of Lester, Maple and Ash Streets, and has been dedicated by the city as Confederate Navy-Yards Park. Around the bowlder are a number of shells used during the War Between the States.

The Confederate colors will be unfurled from a sixty-five-foot flag staff. The massive pole is the gift of the Richmond Cedar Works, and at times it will be used to fly "Old Glory," the city flag and to display weather signals, as the pole can be viewed from all sections of the harbor.

Captain W. M. Myers, of the Howitzers, has assured the Junior Association that, unless his battery is actively engaged, it will be present to fire the salvo.

In order that every descendant in Richmond of those who were members of the Confederate Navy or employed in the navy-yards at Richmond, may have a place provided for them at the unveiling, they are requested to send their names, address, and to whom they were related to P. O. Box No. 90, in order that admissions to the reserved seats may be forwarded to them.

It is probable that the opportunity will be taken advantage of by those who have volunteered to assist "Uncle Sam" and Governor Stuart in securing Virginia's quota for the navy. Possibly several companies of naval recruits will be brought to Richmond to lend their presence to the efforts of the orators.

Fine Spirit of Farmers.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

DANVILLE, VA., April 21.—Fine neighborly spirit was shown this week to John Boaze, a Pittsylvania farmer, who on Monday lost a barn, four horses and most of his farming implements by fire, causing him a financial loss of $1,500. On Thursday forty farmers of the neighborhood were on his premises at sunrise and from near-by woods cut down and rough-hewed a quantity of timber. A large barn had been erected by dusk and was ready for the roofing which was supplied and put on the following day by his friends.

BICKETT AIDS CROPS

Governor of North Carolina Urges That Convicts Be Taken From Roads to Farms.

RALEIGH, N. C., April 21.—Governor Thomas W. Bickett to-day in an appeal addressed to the chairmen of boards of county commissioners throughout the State urged that steps be taken to cultivate idle farms in each county and recommended that convicts in the county chain gangs, who can be spared from road crews, be assigned to plant food crops. Where there is an insufficient number of convicts to do the work, the governor advocated the employment of additional labor through the expenditure of county funds, declaring he has been informed, by the attorney-general that no law of the State prohibits such a course.

"It's Only Catarrh"

How often people delude themselves with the idea that catarrh isn't serious! They regard it as a local disease, annoying but not dangerous. As pointed out in our free book, "Health and How to Have It," catarrh spreads. It weakens the resistance to severe diseases, and it prepares an inviting field for them. After it becomes systemic, in itself it is likely to bring on asthma, indigestion, constipation, and impure blood, until the sufferer endures great distress. That's all unnecessary, too, because in thousands of cases it has been found that

Peruna Gave Relief

Mr. M. Van Buren, an engineer on the G. R. & I. railway, at Grand Rapids, found catarrh most distressing. He says: "I have time and again been compelled to take to my bed for days. The first bottle of Peruna gave relief, and while I always keep it in the house for emergencies, I consider myself entirely free from catarrh of the stomach, the trouble from which I suffered for so long before taking this remedy."

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Many others have enjoyed the same relief from this remedy. But the time to take it is before the disease gets so bad. A box of Peruna Tablets in your vest pocket will enable you to ward off colds and to overcome catarrh. A bottle of the liquid Peruna in your home is a real application of the "safety first" idea.

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Get the free book, "Health and How to Have It," of your druggist, or write to us for it.

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Pettit's Forced-to-Vacate Sale Gives

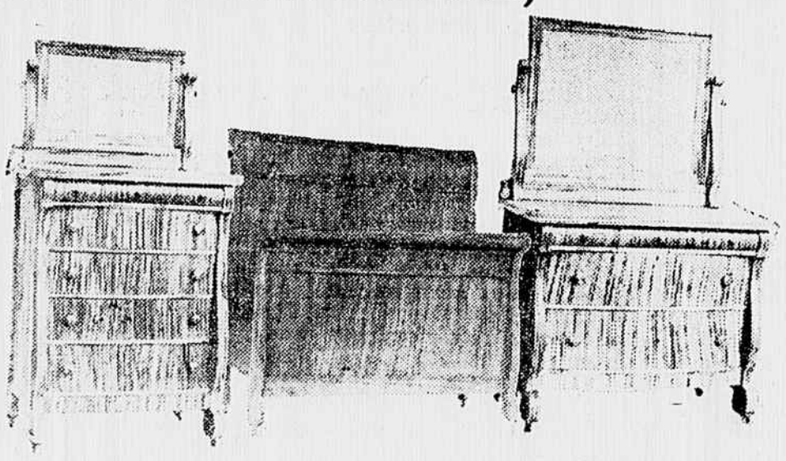
There'll Be Many Dollars Saved Here To-Morrow on Furniture, Carpets, Rugs and Home Furnishings!

The quality of the goods—the low prices and convenient terms offered at this big sale are already the talk of the town! Now, here's extra impressive bargains that will fan the interest of every home-lover and bring quick response! Don't wait—don't put off—come bright and early to-morrow morning and get your share of the unprecedented values that await you now! Terms arranged to suit you.

Buy What You Want Now---Pay Later

Here's a Photographic Reproduction of a Remarkable value!

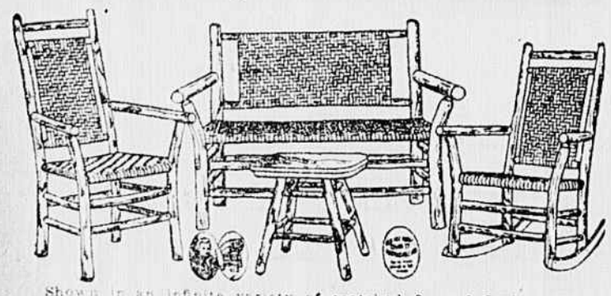
3-Pc. Colonial Mahogany BED ROOM SUITE, $73.75



Extra well made and finished, with massive semi-planked tops, heavy Colonial scroll standards and authentic design. Consists of large 5-drawer Dresser with heavy French plate mirror; six-drawer Chiffonier to match, and full size Bed, heavy roll top, head and footboards. Matchless at anywhere near this price. See it and judge for yourself.

We'll solve the Summer Furniture problem for all our friends this summer. And what is more sensible than reliable

Old Hickory Porch Furniture



Shown in an infinite variety of matched 3- and 5-piece Suites, as well as individual Chairs and Rockers. Just to whet your appetite for bargains, you'll find Old Hickory here now as low as $1.98. Come and pick it out.

Rugs and Floor Coverings Reduced

Everything slated for quick clearance, including all the latest and most popular weaves and colorings. Here are a few specimen values. All sizes—

9x12 Wool and Fibre Rugs, now $6.75.

9x12 Wool and Fibre Tremont, best quality, $11.50.

9x12 Seamless Tapestry Brussels Rugs, now $15.95.

9x12 Axminster Rugs, $36 value, now $22.50.

27x54-inch Axminster Rugs, now $2.95.

27x54-inch Tapestry Rugs, now 79c.

$3.95 buys roll of forty yards Matting. Excellent quality. Only twenty-five rolls in the lot.

FREE With purchase amounting to $25 or over, we shall give away FREE a Handsome 31-Piece Gold Band Dinner Set. This liberal offer applies to cash or credit purchases during sale!

Here's a Whole Summer's Comfort at a Fraction of the Usual Cost!

3-Piece Porch Suite $6.49

Heavy hardwood frames, strong and durable construction, consisting of large, roomy Arm Chair, Arm Rocker and Porch Swing, complete with chains and hangers.

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—the most satisfactory Refrigerator you can buy. Choice of Opalite, Porcelain, Marbolite, Porceloid or Galvanized Iron Linings. See our complete line—in styles and sizes for every home need. Call and let us show you the many exclusive features on the new 1917 models—make your selection to-morrow.

Extra Special--This Comfortable

Hammock Chair

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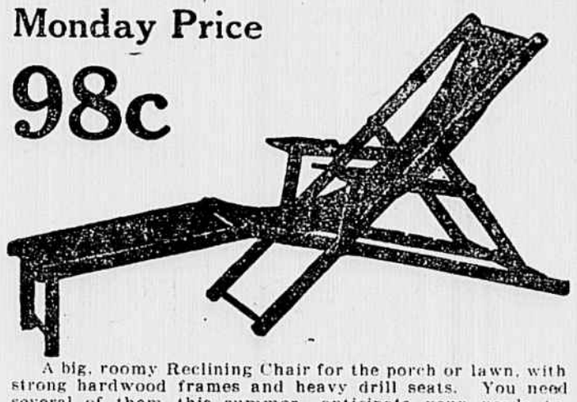

A big, roomy Reclining Chair for the porch or lawn, with strong hardwood frames and heavy drill seats. You need several of them this summer—anticipate your needs to-morrow.

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NEW METHOD GAS RANGES

Until now we have never deviated from the standard prices on these Ranges—they have sold readily enough on merit alone. Now we must find homes for our big stock before moving—you benefit by our necessity. New Method Gas Ranges are the favorites with all who try them. Safe, convenient, durable and economical, they cut half the labor of cooking and make baking day a day of pleasure. All styles and sizes at dollar-saving prices now. $1.00 puts a New Method in your home.

Wonderful Values in Brass and Iron Beds

Closing out every item in each lot—if you buy now you'll never duplicate the price again!

$55 Brass Beds, handsome design, heavy and massive, now at $39.50

$45 Brass Beds, full size, now.. $32.50

$40 Brass Beds, full size, now.. $28.75

$32 Brass Beds, full size, now.. $22.75

$25 Brass Beds, full size, now.. $16.75

$14 Brass Beds, full size, now.... $9.75

$22 White Enamel Beds, square tube posts, now $15.50

$18 White Enamel Beds, square top rail, heavy 2-in. posts $12.50

$14 White Enamel Beds, 2-inch posts and heavy fillers $9.75

$10 White Enamel Beds, 2-inch continuous posts, heavy fillers $7.95

Others as low as $3.95

Extra Specials in Mattresses

A chance to secure a restful, well-made Mattress at these bed rock figures calls for quick action on your part. The two lots we mention are typical of the entire stock.

Full size Combination Felt and Fibre Mattress; $7.00 value $4.95

Full size All-Cotton Felt Mattress, extra big value, now.... $9.75

Odd Dressers Must Go

Sell them irrespective of former price or real value, is the order of the day. They are bargains that come but once in a lifetime at these prices!

Some of these have chiffoniers to match. The prices are astonishingly low. See for yourself.

$40 Mahogany Dressers, sale price.....$27.50
$35 Mahogany Dressers, sale price.....$24.75
$30 Mahogany Dressers, sale price.....$18.75
$32 Golden ¼ Oak Dressers, sale price.$22.75
$28 Golden ¼ Oak Dressers, sale price.$19.75
$24 Golden ¼ Oak Dressers, sale price.$16.75
$20 Golden ¼ Oak Dressers, sale price.$13.75
$18 Golden ¼ Oak Dressers, sale price.$11.75

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$40 3-piece Birch-Mahogany Suite, tapestry or plush $27.50
$30 3-piece Birch-Mahogany Suite, tapestry or plush $20.50

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