

Crowder Calls 7,000 to Train for War in August; 556 From Pennsylvania

Washington, July 16. — Fifteen states were called upon by Provost Marshal General Crowder to-day for 7,000 draft registrants for general military training to be sent to schools for special training. The movement will be begun between August 1 and 15. Registrants may be voluntarily inducted for this service until July 22. Pennsylvania's allotment includes: Four hundred and twelve to the University of Pennsylvania; 144 to the Erie School Board, Erie.

BIG COMPANIES GET STATE ADVICE

Western Pennsylvania Developments of Model Towns Started in Right Way



Approval has been given by the Governor, the Attorney General and the Commissioner of Health of plans submitted to the State Department of Health for the establishment of model towns in two counties in southwestern Pennsylvania, the big companies which are providing housing for their employees recognizing that it is best to get started right and to seek the advice of the state's experts. The companies which submitted plans were the Ellsworth Collieries Company, which is building extensions to mining towns in Washington county and which presented plans for modern water and sewerage systems, and the Pennsylvania Rubber Company, which is starting a large addition to the borough of Jeannette, Westmoreland county, to house its workmen. Every month the state authorities are being called upon to help in the planning of towns by corporations which want their people housed right with adequate water supplies, instead of going through the old hazardous system of building houses to meet demands and then regretting the mistakes made through not ob-

taining the right kind of advice and the approval of the state authorities. **Attending Meeting**—Major W. G. Murdock, of State Draft Headquarters, and Chief Clerk J. H. Keenan are in Wilkes-Barre, attending the meeting of the members of district and local draft boards for discussion of the mining situation and the draft. They will return to-morrow. **Townships Given Shares**—The State Highway Department has certified Luzerne county for \$14,523.10; Delaware for \$3,436.27; Pike for \$562.70; McKean for \$10,700.00; and Susquehanna for \$16,489.46 as shares of the second class township cash road tax bonus.

MORTALITY RATE FOR INFANTS ON DECREASE

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group there were 723,144 living births. Of these 70,841 died under one year. Using these cities as a basis it is estimated that the living births in the nation totaled 2,678,000. This number subtracted from the total deaths of all ages, (approximately 1,648,000) leaves a natural increase in Uncle Sam's national family of more than 1,000,000. **Baby Gets Square Deal**—The steady fall of the baby death

rate is proof conclusive that organized infant welfare work in many parts of the country is giving the baby a square deal from the state. Due to the knowledge that is being circulated concerning the benefits of parental care and the ever increasing number of mothers receiving this treatment the increase in last year's baby crop was large despite the war and attending hardships. With the government conducting a campaign to save 100,000 babies the infant mortality rate for 1918 should reveal a further decrease. This is the time when infant welfare work should be spread everywhere, for healthy babies are the

MEMBERS OF Warrior Eagle Tribe, No. 340, Imp. O. R. M. PICNIC Paxtang Park, Thursday July 18th Come out with friends and family and spend a pleasant day in the open. Pack basket of box lunch. Remember, conservation of food will help win the war. We Will Look For You COMMITTEE.

Motor Dealers to Act on War Auto Economy

The Motor Dealers' Association is informed by letters sent its members by J. Clyde Myton, secretary, that the most important meeting of the history of its organization will take place Thursday evening at Monn Brothers cottage at Oyster Dam. The wartime economy regulations endorsed by the motor dealers at a recent meeting will be brought before the members for adoption. Among the regulations which likely will be adopted by the dealers are those enforcing suspension of Sunday garage service after 6 o'clock, management of all business on a cash basis, and curtailment of extensive demonstration service. The dealers will meet at Monn Brothers' cottage at Front and Market streets, and motor to the Monn Brothers' cottage where supper will be served.

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Five Enlisted—State Police headquarters has enlisted five men, some of them married and beyond thirty years of age, to fill vacancies existing in the four troops because of the war and expiration of enlistments of men who have gone into the Army or the police forces of corporations. There are still a number of vacancies. **Senators Here**—Senator W. D. Craig, of Beaver, was a Capitol visitor.

Cases Go Over—The Wilkes-Barre gas rate cases, scheduled for hearing to-morrow, have been postponed by the Public Service Commission. The bulk of the hearings for this week have been postponed. **The Printing Code**—The hearing on the proposed printing code to-morrow bids fair to be interesting. There have been numerous objections made.

Many at Camp—The Reserve Militia camp at Mount Gretna, has been well attended by former National Guardsmen and state officials. Governor Brumbaugh will review the brigade Thursday. **No Action Taken**—The Public Service Commission adjourned last night without acting in the Philadelphia Rapid Transit and Pittsburgh railway cases. Nothing was done about the course to follow in the Harrisburg railway jitney complaints.

Board in Pittsburgh—The State Compensation Board is holding its midsummer sittings for Western Pennsylvania in Pittsburgh this week. **Snow at Wilkes-Barre**—F. Herbert Snow, chief engineer of the Public Service Commission, is in Wilkes-Barre on valuation matters. **Preparing Plans**—Plans for the construction of the new state bridges in Wyoming, Luzerne, Snyder and Huntington counties are being rapidly made and the bids will be asked before many weeks.

31,000 Dogs—The report on dog licenses in Philadelphia shows 31,000 licensed. This report is being brought to the attention of some counties. **Dr. Miller a Major**—Dr. B. F. Royer, acting commissioner of the State Department of Health to-day made the following announcement: "Dr. William C. Miller, lecturer and manager of the state tuberculosis and general sanitary exhibit, has been given a commission as major in the Medical Reserve Corps of the Army, and has been directed to report on Thursday, the 18th, at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., for a course of training in the school of hygiene at Camp Greenleaf. The department's exhibits are now on display in great tents at Willow Grove Park, Philadelphia, and in Forest Park, Pittsburgh. The demonstrators of the department will continue the exhibits in these parks and take them to all the large county fairs just as if Dr. Miller had remained in Pennsylvania public health work."

The Doty Successor—Considerable interest is being manifested here in the appointment which Governor Martin G. Brumbaugh will make to succeed the late Judge L. S. Doty, of Westmoreland county. Ex-Senator Chester D. Sensesch, of Irwin, who is said to have a candidate, was here to-day. Ex-State Treasurer James S. Besocke is also being mentioned. Democrats will make a strong play to secure the appointment on the ground that the late judge was a Democrat.

Ohio Governor Here—Governor James M. Cox and Secretary of State William D. Fulton, of Ohio, were here to-day on their way to Washington to make some inquiries regarding Pennsylvania's method of taking the soldier vote. Ohio has no law on the subject, but took the votes last year by commission. They secured copies of the Pennsylvania law and the regulations for commissioners last year, but had no more information than is available here as to what plan the War Department will adopt.

To Meet Thursday—The State Commission of Agriculture has been called to meet here on Thursday and it is probable that some steps will be taken regarding selection of a chief of markets. E. B. Dorsett, the former chief, is being much mentioned.

Final Session—The final session of the State Board of Accounts was held at the Auditor General's office to-day and a number of tax settlements cleared up. **Crossing Cases**—The Public Service Commission will continue the Lancaster grade crossing case to-morrow. The Essington grade crossing case will also be heard.

Capitol Visitors—Ex-Auditor General A. E. Sisson, Erie; Representative Charles Walter, Chambersburg; Hale Hill, Pittsburgh, were Capitol visitors. **Arranging State Share**—Dr. B. F. Royer, acting commissioner of health, was in Philadelphia to-day in connection with the state work for elimination of the mosquito pest in the shipyard district.

Towand Hearing—The only Public Service hearing to-day was that at Towanda in which right to construct a pole line without a state permit was presented before Walter Spoford, assistant engineer.

Purchased Carpet Cleaning Works

Joseph Coplinky, upholsterer, 1065 North Third street, announces the purchase of the Star Carpet Cleaning Works, Cameron and Walnut streets. About August the first he will move from his present location into the building occupied by the Star Carpet Cleaning Works and will consolidate upholstery with carpet cleaning. He will also establish a new department devoted to the manufacture of automobile tops.

RESERVE MILITIAMAN DIES By Associated Press Lebanon, Pa., July 16. — James Rhodes, quartermaster sergeant of Company F, Third Infantry, died to-day of meningitis convulsions at the camp of the Pennsylvania Reserve Militia at Mt. Gretna, the first death in the new organization. Mr. Rhodes was 56 years old. He lived at Waynesburg, to which place his body was sent accompanied by a detail from the camp.

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