Succeeds Dr. T. S. Brown at Mary Fletcher Hospital-Dr. Brown Enters War Service

DIRECTORS TAKE ACTION

Dr. Ladd Is State Health Inspector and Head of New Presentorium at Essex, First of Its Kind in New England

An important action was taken by the directors of the Mary Fletcher hospital Monday afternoon, when they appointed Dr. H. A. Ladd, of the State Board of Health staff and head of the new Prevensuperintendent of the hospital to succeed Dr. T. S. Brown, who has re a commission as captain in the States army surgical service enlistment, entering service

The directors at their afternoon meeting accepted, with great regret, the resigna-tion of Dr. Brown, and voted unanimously to offer the position of superintendent and medical director to Dr. Ladd. in the evening notified the Hon. W. J. Van Patten, president of the board of directors, that he would accept the offer. Dr. Ladd as inspector for the State Board of Health has been taken into all parts of the commonwealth by his duties, and he doubtless has as wide and as thorough an acquaintance as any other physician in Vermont, to say the least. He was born in North Hero, November 9, 1576, and is, therefore, forty-one years of age and in the very prime of vigorous young manhood. He graduated from the Burlington high school in 1896, and from the University of Vermont's College of Medicine in 1901. During that entire period capacities with the Mary Fletcher hospital, doing service in this way to help educate himself. He is not only thoroughly acquainted with the hospital and its work but he also knows what money means, which is a very important qualification in this time of high cost of living for a man at the head of a great institution that has as many patients and others to feed and care for as some goodsized hotels.

After graduation Dr. Ladd was enat Essex for ten years, having been gratifyingly successful. The position of influence he gained during that time may be estimated from the fact that in was elected to represent the town in the Vermont Legislature, where he served with credit to himself and his constituents.

nected with the work of the State Board His work involved the adjustment of not diplomacy and unvarying good sense exsuch that the State board regrets ex-However, the State authorities recognize the importance of having the right man as executive head of an institution so Mary Fletcher hospital, which is in fact public health of the people of Vermont as

Evidence of the esteem in which Dr. Ladd's qualifications as an executive are held is to be found in the fact that he and Mrs. Ladd were recently selected to take charge of the Preventorium estab-lished by the health authorities for this "This regulation lished by the health authorities for this any New England State, which is another Vermont's progressiveness. The preparation of that institution for service already is well along and it is expected it will be ready for work about July 1, the date of Dr. Ladd's beginning of service as auperintendent of the Mary

The plans for the operation of the Pre vantorium will not be changed as a result of this latest move. Mrs. Ladd, who is a graduate nurse from the Nurse's school at the Mary Fletcher hospital, will have charge of the work there with Dr. Ladd, acting in an advisory capacity until other arrangements are made.

been said that the call of Dr. Ladd to the position of superintendent of the Mary Fletcher hospital was entirely unsolicited his part. His experience and varied qualifications combined to point to him as the one man ready to step into this important work and make a success of it. That will have the hearty co-operation of the medical profession in this whole region is indicated by the way in which suggestion of his name for this position been receivel everywhere.

Dr. Brown as superintendent of the hoscaliber of his successor. The services of d during his administration, the numparts of the State have increased to a

Since he assumed the duties of the difficulties attending the advent of high prices for everything entering into hos pital service, especially drugs and all wages. It is no small tribute to his effiincrease the income from the hospital body should gain the idea that any hospital can make money in a time like this The large number of charity patients treated by the Mary Fletcher hospital would exclude it from the list of money gaining institutions. Dr. Brown's con-nection with the College of Medicine of all classes very intimate, and his accepted only because his sense of duty to his country had long been moving him to volunteer in this patriotic service.

AUTO KILLS NEWPORT MAN

Dies Instantly When Struck While Walking on Bridge-Daughter

Newport, May 24.-A fatal automobile accident in which one person was instantly killed and another seriously in jured occurred in this city this evening between 10 and 11 o'clock. James Squires and daughter, Miss Squires, whose home is in the extreme east end of the city were walking home when a car owned and driven by C. L. Shufeit, who conducts an auto livery business, ran into them near the east end of the long bridge on Clyde street, killing Mr. Squires instantly and badly injuring his daugh

Mr. Shufelt and the two other occu pants of the car were uninjured. Squires' body was taken to the Curtis undertaking rooms. Miss Squires was removed to her home by Dr. J. H. Gaines The extent of her injuries could not be

MEN OF DRAFT AGE MUST WORK OR FIGHT. SAYS GEN. CROWDER

All Registrants Whether Idlers or Engaged in What Are Held to Be Non-Useful Occupations Will Be Haled Before Local Boards and Given Choice of New Job or Army-Drastic New Regulation Reaches Gamblers, Race freight and passenger rates, indicated that the average increase will be higher Track and Bucket Shop Attendants, Fortune Tellers, Waiters, Bartenders, Theatre Ushers and Attendants, Passenger Elevator Operators and Other Attendants of Clubs, has power to review and modify the schedules. This will not prevent the new rates from going into effect, however, passenger fares on June 10 and freight tar-Hotels, Stores, etc., Domestics and Clerks in Stores-New Rule in Operation July 1.

this connection.

safeguard around men not

there are compelling domestic circum-

of employment by the registrant with-

out disproportionate hardship to his

dependents, or where a change from non-useful to useful employment or occupation would necessitate a removal

of the registrant or his family, local

circumstances. The regulation fur-

ther provides that where such a change

of employment would compel the night employment of women under circum-

stances which a board might deem not

suitable for employment of women, the

board may take such circumstances in-

to consideration in making its decision.

CROWDER EXPLAINS REGULATION.

Explaining the new regulation, General

"The war has so far disorganized the

trial output and national organization

"There is a popular demand for or

anization of man-power but no direct

"Steps to prohibit idleness and non

ffective occupation will be welcomed by

"We shall give the idiers and men not effectively employed the choice between

military service and effective employment

Every man, in the draft age, at least,

"This is not alone a war of military. It is a deadly contest of industries and

mechanics. Germany must not be thought

of as merely possessing an army, we must think of her as being an army-an army

in which every factory and loom in the

empire is a recognized part in a complete

"The first step toward the solution of

the difficulty is to prohibit engagement

by able-bodied men in the field of hurtful

employment, idleness or ineffectual em-

ployment, and thus induce and persuade

the vast wasted excess into useful fields.

"The very situation we are now consid-

HELPS LABOR SITUATION.

in improving the draft, as well as great possibilities for the composition of the

labor situation by effective administra-

tion of the draft. Considering the selec-

tive service law we see two principal cases

of deferment to the call to military serv-

ice-exemption and the order numbers as-

signed by lot. The exemptions them-

selves fall into two conspicuous catego-

the other the economic interests of the na-

tion. Between the two there is an inevit-

able hiatus, for it is demonstrably true

that thousands, if not millions, of depend-

ency exemptions have no effect on indus-

"One of the unanswerable criticisms of

idlers and loafers away to the army. The

basis with other grounds for exemption and to require that any man pleading

exemption on any ground shall also show

industrial welfare of the nation.

One protects domestic relations,

draft could be imposed at present.

must work or fight.

usefully

Washington. May 23.—Every man of cause they have been placed in class two draft age must work or fight after July 1. three or four, on the grounds of de under a drastic amendment to the selecservice regulations, announced today by Provost Marshal General Crow-

Not only idlers, but all draft registrans engaged in what are held to be non-useful occupations are to be haled before local poards and given the choice of a new job or the army. Gamblers, racetrack and bucketshop at

tendants and fortune tellers head the list, but those who will be reached by the new regulation also include waiters and bartenders, theatre ushers and attendants, passenger elevator operators and other attendants of clubs, hotels, stores, etc.,

Deferred classification granted on ac entirely in applying the rule. A man may class four, but if he falls within the regulation and refuses to take useful emplo ment, he will be given a new number in class one that will send him into the military service forthwith. Local boards are authorized to use discretion only where they find that enforced change of employment would result in disproportionat hardships upon his dependents.

It had been known for some time that some form of "work or fight" plan had been submitted to President Wilson, but had been no intimation that it was so far-reaching in scope. Both the military officers and department of labor officials believe it will go a long farmers, shipbuilders and munition makers, and will end for the present at least talk of conscription of labor. The nifying that the list of non-useful occupations will be extended from time to time, as necessity requires.

CROWDER'S STATEMENT The statement of the provost mar-

shal general follows "Provost Marshal General Crowder day announces an amendment to the selective service regulations which deals with the great question of requiring men not engaged in a useful occupation, to immediately apply themselves to some form of labor, contributing to the general good. The idler, too, will find himself confronted with the alternative of finding suitable employment or entering the

region in Essex. This is the first institu-tion of its kind to be established in a local board to be a habitual idler, or speed. We not engaged in some useful occupation. shall be summoned before the board, given a chance to explain and, in the absence ducted into the military service of the United States.

"Any local board will be authorized to take action whether it has original jurisdiction of the registrant or not; in other room in Chicago, may be held to answer have registered in New York and lived

"The regulations which apply to idle gistrants will be deemed to apply also to gamblers of all descriptions and emand racetracks, fortune tellers, clairvoyants, palmists and the like, who for selves fall into two conspicuous catego-the purpose of the regulations, shall ries, dependency and industrial employconsidered as idlers.

THE CLASSES AFFECTED. "The new regulation will also affect

"(A)-Persons engaged in the serving of food and drink, or either, in public places, including hotels and hotel clubs "(B)-Passenger elevator operators and attendants, doormen, footmen and other attendants of clubs, hotels, stores, apartment houses, office buildings and bath

"(C)-Persons, including ushers and other attendants engaged and occupied in connection with games, sports and amuse-ments, except actual performers in legitimate concerts, operas or theatrical performances. "(D)-Persons employed in domesti

service. "(E)-Sales clerks and other clerks employed in stores and other mercantile establishments.

"Men who are engaged as above, or who are idlers, will not be permitted to be flowing into the fields of useful en-

WANT JUNIOR-SENIOR SCHOOLS

Hillegas Has 15 Applications

for Next Fall

Montpeller, May 27 .- The school boards

grasping more at the chance to secure the junior high schools than they have.

with result that now Commissioner of Education M. B. Hillegas has received 15 applications for schools of this type

next fall. There were last year 28 schools

of the kind in Vermont. Commissioner Hillegas, Prof. Clyde Hill, in charge of that department, and Prof. G. A. Works

of Cornell University were at Williams

town Monday afternoon relative to the

installing of a junior high school in that town. Mr. Works, who has been in-

specting the vocational education work

it, especially so with the Vail summer

WANTS TO HELP OTHER MEN.

M. W. Taylor, Calvert, Als., writes: "To Whom It May Concern: I recommend Foley Kidney Pills, the best I ever used. I

tried different remedies, but none gave

me relief like Foley's." They restore reg-ular action of kidneys and bladder and

relieve backache, rheumatic pains, stiff

If you have a building lot to sell, put your offer in the classified.

(adv.)

oints, sore muscles. J. W.

30 Church street.

shool, which was visited last week.

and sorely needed man-power will soon have drawn a late order number, or be- tary strength."

trict boards which has already accom

plished a notable work, may be relie

GETS VERMONT'S CREDITS cord Than Had Been Supposed-Chittenden County Leads

Montpeller, May 27.-Adit.-Gen. H. T. Johnson for the first time since last June has received from the war department a report upon the credits which the department has given Vermont for voluntary and self-inductions, which shows that Vermont stands near the top of the list, even better than it had een expected she would. credits, 30 are from Chittenden Washington countles, while of the latter number 184 are credited to Chittender as the adjutant can compile some data specting the vocational education work connected with the credits and comparisiderable interest will be published.

A. B. BELLOWS DIES

Represented Swanton in Last Legisle ture-Wife Also Died Suddenly

Swanton, May 24 .- A. B. Bellows, who represented Swanton in the last Legis-lature, was found dead in his bed here this morning. Death was due to heart trouble. He was out yesterday in his automobile. His wife died a year ago, also suddenly. A daughter lives in Massachusetts. He was 63 years old and was

BIG INCREASE IN RAILROAD RATES

25 Per Cent Advance for Freight -Passenger Fares Three Cents a Mile

Washington, May 27.-Examination today by Director General McAdoo's orders raising freight rates on a basis of 25 percent, and passenger fores to 3 cents a mile and abolishing all lower intra-state

Many changes and re-adjustments will made by the railroad administration. either on its own initiative after receiving suggestions from shippers and State or local authoritie, or by order of the Interstate Commerce Commission, iffs on June 25, for the commission to-day gave its approval to the rate order without hearings. This action was perfunccomplaints and hearings on them.

State railroad or rate commissions have no authority to change the rates, the railroad administration holds, even though many provisions of the new order more than double the charges for short hauls within States. The director-genthree or four, on the grounds of de-pendency. The fact that he is not usefully employed will outweigh both of the above eral to-day explained in a telegram to chairmen of State commissions, however, "It is expected that the list of non-useful that he will welcome suggestions for occupations will be extended from time readjustment of rates on intra-State trafto time as necessity will require so as to fic. and these will be referred to the Interstate Commerce Commission for its "Temporary absences from regular consideration in passing on specific comemployment not to exceed one week, State commissions also may plaints. unless such temporary absences are enter formal protests direct to the Interhabitual and frequent, shall not be constate Commerce Commission. sidered as idleness. Regular vacations

sult in hundreds of modifications affecting specific commodities or classes, and rates between certain communities, but probably will not reduce to any great extent the total revenue to be derived estimated at from \$800,000,000 to \$900,000,000. be absorbed in higher prices of compers' interests, and this effect may be lumber, meats and grain, and for macoards may give consideration to the terials shipped to marked only a short distance. Analysis of the new schedules miles, particularly in States which have will be raised by varying amounts rang-

Some comfort for summer vacationist road administration that excursion rates would be re-established, though on a higher basis.

The director general's order provided for ormal adjustment of industrial man the discontinuance of existing excursion power as to prevent the enormous indus- fares, and many other lower rates and special passenger privileges. Local excursion fares to summer resorts will be raised generally about twenty per cent. Long distance excursion rates in the East will be ten per cent. less than the regular three-cent rate. In the West these fares will be approximately twenty per cent. above the existing rather low rates. It was reported here during the day that commercial travelers' organizations would protest against the three-cent pas senger rate, which is from one-half to three-fourths cents higher than present mileage rates. They will ask, it is said, for

> the ground that they are wholesale pur-Railroad administration officials admit they hope to reduce unnecessary passenger travel by the higher rates. tailed ranged from 10 to 20 per cent. In line with Director General Mc-Adoo's request for suggestions from state commission for charges, protests looked for particularly from the states having already well established

> Industries which will be hard his by the order include brick makers and coal producers will market near the place of production. For instance, a brick maker shipping his product 2 ordinarily miles about 2.6 cents freight per 100 pounds The new scale would add two cents flat to the existing scale, regardless of distance, making the new rate 4.6 This rule aplies also to coal coke and other commodities for which specific advances, rather than proporional increases are ordered

The executive and special war committees of the National Association of Railway and Utilities commissioners will meet here June 4 and 5 and will confer with the director general to work out a means of eliminating injustices and preserving existing rate relationships be the draft has been that it takes men from the farms and all useful employ- tricts.

Fuel Administrator Garfield explained to-day that the increase in rates on coal recently reduced 10 cents a ton to average of about \$2.40. The increased transporta tion charges ranging from 15 to 50 cents a ton, will be reflected, however, in prices to the consumers.

"The regulation itself makes plain the determination of the war department. The great organization of local and dis-CORPORAL LIGHTHALL KILLED IN ACTION

upon to catch the spirit of the movement Leaves Widow and Son Now Residing at Brattleboro

> Brattleboro. May James G. B. Lighthall, mentioned in the casualty list to-day as having been killed in action, leaves a wife and son two years old in this town, but Mrs. Lighthall, although receiving her susband's pay from the government, has not received any official notice of his death, Corporal Lighthall was . Y. He came here six years ago and Cotton Mill. He married here Elizabeth Lawless, daughter of Rob-ert Lawless of 14 Hunt avenue, and year he went to North Adams, Mass to work in the Greylock enlisting from there last June and going to France from Syracuse, N. Y., in First Company, 16th Infantry last November. He leaves a father, Daniel Lightfall, and a brother and sister in Cohoes. His wife lives here with her

GERMAN RELEASED

Leopold Nulsal Had Been Held

Montpeller-Associate of Low Montpeller, May 24.-Leopold Nuissl, the German alien who has been in the county all for three weeks, has been released and allowed to go his way. Deputy United States Marshall G. F. Lackey gave the ounty jailer this afternoon authority to

GERMAN ARMIES RETURN TO ASSAULTS AGAINST ALLIES ON WEST FRONT

MAJ.-GEN. WOOD IS SIDETRACKED

Will Not Lead 89th Division to France-Is Assigned to Western Dept.

Washington, May 27 .- Major-Genthe regular army, has been detached from command of the 39th national army division and will not lead that organization when it goes to France. It was learned to-day that he is slated to command the western department with beadquarters at San Francisco

The general was at the war department during the day conferring with Secretary Baker and other officials. and it is understood he urged strongly that if he must stay at home he at least be given an assignment promis-ing more active duty than command in the West.

There was no official announcement of the change in General Wood's orders. Secretary Baker would make no statement on the formal or otherwise, merely saying it was not the custom of the depart-ment to explain orders to officers. was nothing to indicate that the department had any other purpose than to send the general to the front when his division went. On the contrary, there is every reason to believe that he was fully expected to go over when that time came. General Wood underwent physical examination on his return from France where he was wounded by the bursting of a French gun; he passed all tests with flying colors and it was then indicated that the only possible obstacle to ils being sent to the front in command

MRS. STOKES CONVICTED ON THREE COUNTS

Kansas City, May 23 .. - Mrs. Rose Par or Stokes charged with violation of the spionage act was convicted by a jury in ederal court to-night. Mrs. Stokes was convicted upon all thre ounts in the indictment against her.

After conferring with Francis M. Wilson, United States district attorney, and Seymour Stedman of Chicago, Mrs. Stokes' counsel, Judge Van Valkenburg, announced that he would defer sentence pending a motion for a new trial. He set June 1 as the date for hearing the mo

PUTNAMS' ASSETS EXCEED THEIR LIABILITIES

Into Hankruptcy Files Schedule Rutland, May 23 .- C. C. Putnam & Sor of Middlesex, lumber dealers, against whom an involuntary petition in bank-ruptcy was filed in the United States ourt a few weeks ago by the Montpeller National bank, the estate of J. R. Langdon of Berlin and Harold L. Pierce Montpeller, have assets exceeding their schedule filed to-day in the office here of Clerk F. S. Platt of the United States court. The concern admits liabilities of 349.98 of which \$82.731.25 is in real estate

All of the claims are unsecured except The largest creditors are: Montpelle National bank and Langdon estate, \$50,000; Kellogg Q'Brien, Plattsburgh, N \$4,674; Hattie Putnam, Putnamville, \$3,500.

scattered through a number of townships

HAD SHORT TROUT Marshall Dike and Michael Butler are

Middlebury, May 22.-George Chaffee rested Marshall Dike and Michael Butler, both of Starksboro, for having short trout in their possession. They were brought before Judge A. W. Dickens in municipal court this afternoon, both pleaded guilty, and each was fined \$15 and costs of \$7.05.

ZONE POSTAL RATE SYSTEM FOR PERIODICALS

Postmaster General Issues Regulations

for Newspapers and Magazines Washington, May 27.-Regulations rates for newspapers and magazines have been issued by the postmaster-general. That part of periodicals devoted to reading matter after July 1 is assigned a rate of 1 1-4 cents a pound for the first year and 1 1-2 cents there-after. The portion of periodicals devoted to advertising matter is assigned coned rates running from 1 1-4 cents to regulations provide a scale running charge is raised to 7 3-4 cents in the furto ten cents. Intermediate zones take a rate proportionately increasing.

To make effective the discrimination

between the weight of reading matter and advertising, the regulations provide that all publishers shall file a copy of every publication marked to show the The sones created are similar to those

established for grading parcels post rates. Beginping July 1, in the first and second the rate on advertising sections of publications will be 11-4 cents per pound; in the third 11-2, fourth 2, fifth 21-4, sixth Between July 1, 1919 and July 1, 1920, the first and second sone rate will be 1-2 cents, third 2, fourth 3, fifth 31-2, sixth 4. seventh 5 and eighth 51-2

After July 1, 1920, the scale will run 13-4 in the first and second sones, 21-2 hird, fourth 3 8-4. Afth 5 1-2, sixth, sev-The final increase in 1921, makes the first and second sone rates 2 cents, third 3, fourth 5, fifth 6, sixth 7, seventh 2, eighth

REFUSED TO STOP

Motorist. Haled By Polices release the man. He was committed to the fail upon President Wilson's warrant until such time as a different order might arrive. Nuissl was an associate of Carl Heinrich Low, who a few weeks ago was committed to the federal prison at Atlanta, Ga.

Montpeller, May 77.—Percy Looney of Burlington in city court to-day paid a fine of & and costs for refusing to stop at automobile when haled by a police-man. The police here had been notified to stop Looney, but when the officer haled him he gave the machine more power and left the city. The affair took place two weeks ago. and in the Aisne Sector Between Pinon and Rheims-The Flanders Attack Is Made in Vain, But in the South the Whole Ridge of Chemin Des Dames Is Carried by the German Crown Prince—American Troops Probably Engaged in Both Battles-Coincident with New Hun Assault, the Italians Launch Blow against the Austrian Lines in Mountain Region Northwest of Lake Garda and Capture Important Mountain Pass-Long Range Bombardment of Paris Is Resumed and Man and Woman Are Killed.

Reorganized Teutons Strike Southwest of Ypres

vestern front has been resumed with Amiens. only brief artillery preparation, two blows have been struck by the Teuton armies, which have been reorganized since disastrous losses were inflicted on them by the French and British durng the Picardy and Flanders battles in March and April. One attack was attained by his colleague further north on the line from Voormezeele to Locre, southwest of Ypres; the other on a thirty five mile front from Pinon, north of Soissons, to Rheims. This is known

In Flanders the Germans have gained virtually nothing, but further south have carried the whole ridge of the Chemin Des Dames and are now fightng on the Aisne river.

against positions taken by the French on May 20, when they recaptured Firecose and Locre and strengthened their ine on each side of Hill 14, which they had retaken a few days before.

On the Aisne front the present battle recalls the fearful fighting of last sumfor weeks the German Crown Prince tions only to see them crushed and beaten. the German attacks along this line alone. of a line-straightening operation. It is being launched from Laon as a center and is aimed at the elbow of the line formed during the fighting in Picardy in March and April. Here, however, the Germans must face permanent works

which have been occupied by the French for long periods and which can be deended quite easily. Evidence that the allied supreme command was forewarned of the new Gerthat British troops are fighting there.

Germany's great offensive on the tions much south of the Somme, east of The German Crown Prince is in nand in this sector and this may indicate a serious effort to break the allied Prince Rupprecht Bavaria is the nominal commander in artois and Picardy, and the German

Crown Prince, for dynastic reasons, will American troops probably are engaged in both the battles on the French front. It is known that American troops are close behind the allied line in Flanders, while some time ago it was reported that they were near Rheims

The late official reports note quite severe fighting in various sectors, among them the Apremont forest, where Americans are known to be holding positions at the present time. The reports say that the Germans were repulsed in all these attacks.
It is officially reported from Washing-

ton that American positions in the Picardy sector, near Cantigny and Montdidier, have been subjected to attack and that at places the Germans penetrated them. The enemy, however, was driven out by the Americans.

Almost coincident with the new Ger-man assault, the Italians launched a blow at the Austrian lines in the mountain region to the northwest of Lake Gards. according to reports, they have carried Monticello Pass, the village of Presena, Monte Zigolon and the mountain spur to the east. Before them lie parallel streams leading down into the Lagarina valley. and, if they successfully carry out their attack there, it is possible for them to outflank the entire Austrian position in the north of Italy.

The long range bombardment of Paris has been resumed after an interval during which it was believed that the bigger guns had been silenced. Two people were killed. The first was a workman fetching milk for breakfast and the other was a woman. President Poincare visited these who were injured and their families soon after the that the British forces did not hold posi- first shots fell.

SAVINGS STAMP CAMPAIGN

June 28 to Put Vermont in "Over the Top" List

savings stamps, not thrift stamps, dur-ing which time pledges enough will be the boys who are leaving Saturday mornsecured to put Vermont among those ing for Camp Devens were given a fitting States that have gone "over the top" send-off. The city was fairly alive all in their sale of stamps. George W. day and open house was kept at the clubs Kiddo, assistant State chairman of during the evening for the benefit of the Nebraska. F. A. Howland, State chair-man of Vermont, and H. C. Whitehill, who will have charge of the advertising \$:30 o'clock. A crowd gathered to give campaign, spoke during the meeting that them a send-off and some 40 automobiles took place in the Montpelier Country brought the 30 men, which Barre, furclub rooms this afternoon, at which the nishes, to Montpeller, the Columbo band county chairmen were present. Mr. furnishing music on the way and playing whitehill's plan for publicity is so unique that the newspapers which, to the president of the preside ent time have been giving space without the local board they were allowed to go reimbursement, as well as giving of their their way until 7.50 o'clock Saturday neans, will grasp it with a good deal morning. Most of them went back to of vigor, for they are to receive pay for Barre to attend the holiday entertain-the work they do in this campaign. Mr. ments. The Waterbury delegation of 12 Howland presided over the meeting. Mr. men came to Montpeller in automobiles Kiddo explained the Nebraska plan. led by the Waterbury Cornet band. The which was that of business, not long- delegations from other towns came in winded pieces of oratory, at a meeting, to which the people of the many locali-ties were invited understanding that were checked Friday morning. One of business in which the nation is ested is to take place was considered. | day morning, while the other was ill-Pledges were received as early as March 22 so that the State went over the top at that time. Vermont has not been doing what she can and Mr. Howland expects that the results of this conference will mean that Vermont, like Nebraska, will be asking for another quota that she may go after another record. The campaign will be a test of will go to the Montpeller House, where loyalty to the men of big business to the men will meet the Orange and Washcave their business and help during the campaign and a matter of pride with done their share in this campaign for

It is probable that some patriotic meetings may take place, but it is planned that the proclamations of President Wilson and Governor Graham will be fully carried into effect on June 28, when they learn the results of the campaign and if any town has not accomplished its quota of the war savings purchases

T. A. Summerskill Dies St. Albans, May 21.-Word was received to-day of the sudden death of T. A. Summerskill, formerly of this city, which occurred at his home in Montreal this norning. The funeral will be held at his

late home Saturday afternoon at 2:30

Mr. Summerskill had many friends in this city, where he and his family lived from November, 1901, until August, 1915, except for a short period of time. Mr. Summerskill was superintendent of motive power for the Central Vermont Railway company. He went from this city to Grimsby, Ont., and from there to Montthe Canadian Steel company. He is survived by his wife; one daughter, Mrs. George B. Oland of Halifax, N. S., and ne son, John H. Summerskill of Mont-

Granite Manufacturer Weds Montpelier. May M.—George Seivwright and Miss Isabelja Reid of Montpelier were married to-night by the Rev. Stan-ley F. Bloomfield. The groom is a granite manufacturer.

GIVE DRAFTEES SEND-OFF

Barre-City Has Italy-America Day

Washington County Men Honored at

Montpelier, May 23 .- An intensive cam-Montpeller, May 34.-Barre was the cenpaign is to be made in Vermont the ter of attraction in Washington county week of June 28 for the sale of war to-day for the anniversary of the entrance ter of attraction in Washington county during the day. All but two of the 161 inter- these two probably will not appear Satur-Those who had to stay in town over night were provided a place at the Montpelier House. In the evening open house was given the boys in town at the armory of ross until midnight.

Saturday morning, Montpelier will give the boys the final send-off. Company I ington county delegations, escorting them to the railroad station and they will leave at 7:50 o'clock over the Montpelier & Wells River railroad for Camp Devens. special train to be run from Wells River o Camp Devens. The men arriving there at 4:30 in the afternoon.

Mayor Mitchell will speak briefly at the Montpelier & Wells River station. Montpelier band will be in attendance. The Orange county delegation of 49 men staving at the Montpelier House over They reported to Chairman M. C. Knight at the Montpelier House

No 21's In Goshen Montpelier, May 23.-The clerk of

Goshen gore has slipped one over on the towns of the State, according to a let-ter received at the adjutant-general's office this morning. He states that he was willing to perform the duties connected with the registration June men who have become 21 years of age since June 5, 1917, but that a of his territory showed there is not a single man who has come within lemand of the regulations sent him from the adjutant-general's office. However, the adjutant-general received a telegram Thursday morning asking that mayors f cities, county organizations, town committees of public safety, and other or-ganizations co-operate in publicity that every young man in their communities may know of the draft regulations June 5 and that no young man shall fail to register from lack of information. Clerks are advised to keep their offices con-stantly open all day, that is, in the hours named in the regulations.