

# WAR IS DECLARED

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to all the countries of the earth were sent, notifying them of this government's action.

## GERMAN AGENT TOLD OF ACT

The state department informed the Swiss minister here, representing German interests in the United States, of this country's action. The minister will communicate the word formally to Berne by cable and thence to Berlin.

United States representatives in every foreign and South American capital should have the news within the next 24 hours.

## PRESIDENT ALONE AS HE SIGNS

President Wilson signed the war resolution while alone in the library of the White House, two minutes after it had reached the executive mansion from the capitol.

From the White House the engrossed resolution was sent to the state department, there to rest as one of the most important papers filed away in the government records.

It bears no outward mark of difference from hundreds of thousands of other state papers. But it marks the beginning of a new war of civilization, according to President Wilson—a war which must determine whether democracy or imperialism shall rule the world.

## LOYAL DEVOTION OF NATION ASKED

After signing the resolution, the president issued a proclamation to the people of the country, declaring a state of war exists between the United States and the imperial German government.

He asks all American citizens, "in loyal devotion to their country, dedicated from its founding to the principles of liberty and justice," to uphold the laws of the land and "give undivided and willing support" to all measures adopted in "prosecuting the war to a successful issue and in attaining a secure and just peace."

At the same time he warned all aliens to conform to strict regulations which he outlined in the proclamation.

# WILSON IS BACKING 'BIG ARMY PLANS'

WASHINGTON, April 6.—After proclaiming a state of war, the president issued the following statement regarding the army to be chosen to fight the war heads last night:

"The principles embodied in the legislation presented by the war department to the military committees of the senate and house had met entire approval and its specific recommendations embodied in that it is the best judgment of the officers of the war department."

It proposes to raise the forces necessary to meet the present emergency by bringing the regular army and National Guard to war strength and by adding the additional forces which will now be necessary to meet the present emergency.

So that the national army comprise three elements—the regular army, the National Guard, and a first 500,000 are to be raised immediately and later elements of the same size, as may be needed. In order that these forces may comprise a single army, the terms enlistment in the three is equalized and the period of emergency necessary men will be selected for the regular army and the National Guard by volunteering at present until, in the judgment of the president a resort to a selective draft is desired.

The additional forces, however, are to be raised by selective draft from men ranging in age from 19 to 25 years.

The quotas of the several states in all of these forces will be in proportion to their population.

Not Permanent Policy. The legislation makes no attempt to solve the question of a permanent military policy for the country chiefly for the reason that in these anxious and disordered times a clear view cannot be had either of our permanent necessities or of the best mode of organizing the proper military peace establishment.

The hope of the world is that in the European war is over arrangements will have been made disposing many of the questions which have hitherto seemed to render the arming of the nation, and in some ordered and just way peace of the world may be attained by such co-operation among the great nations as to be necessary to maintain peace and freedom throughout the world.

When these arrangements are made we can determine our military policy.

## RECRUITING IS BRISK FRIDAY

With the actual declaration of war, greater activity was shown Friday at recruiting stations of all branches of military service, especially in the navy and naval militia, than at any time during the week.

At the United States navy headquarters, second floor of the American Bank building, Second and Madison, the room was full of men awaiting morning waiting to take the medical examination. Six were signed up and passed for sailor service by 11 a. m.

"Say, is there any place where I can sign up for some kind of service—I'm willing to do anything," declared an old veteran, at least 60 years old, who had got "restless" with the call to colors. "I'm a little too old for active service, but I'll bet ya I can shoot as straight as any one."

And they sent him over to Breckerton to enlist in the Coast Defense Reserve, where every man is given an opportunity to work for Uncle Sam some way.

The U. S. army headquarters, third floor of the Pioneer building, showed an increased enlistment Friday, as did the naval militia, Fraser-Paterson store, where seven have been signed up.

## DISTRIBUTE SPUD SEEDS ON MONDAY

County Charity Commissioner Callaghan will start his "spud line" Monday morning. He bought two tons of Early Rose seed potatoes Friday morning, and is prepared to handle the crowd at the old carpenter shop in the public safety building.

## TRACY DEFENSE SHOWS SLEUTH HAD BEEN HIRED

Challenged by the prosecution to show that Snohomish county had employed George Reese, a Pinkerton detective, to associate with the men who were attempting to gain free speech in Everett last fall, the defense in the case of Thomas H. Tracy, charged with murder at the time of the Verona shooting, placed Superintendent Philip K. Ahern, of the Pinkerton National Detective Agency, of Seattle, on the stand Thursday and succeeded in establishing the fact.

It now is their intention to attempt to show that the detective tried to incite the men to burn buildings and purchase phosphorus. Reese, posing as an I. W. W., made a speech in Everett, and according to Harry Feinberg, a bona fide I. W. W. speaker, when Reese in his speech diverted from I. W. W. principles, he, Feinberg, tried to pull him off the box.

Jake Michel, secretary of the Everett trades council, on the stand admitted frankly that he had an interest in the outcome of the case. "The reason why is that I have two sons and two daughters, and I want to see them able to go out and make a decent living instead of going to the dogs because of low wages," said Michel.

It was generally expected today that Brazil would seize all German ships in her harbors and immediately proclaim hostilities against Germany.

There was intense anxiety today as to how the situation would be affected by the presence of 500,000 Germans in the Brazilian state of Rio Grande.

Information here today indicated that Bolivia probably would follow Brazil in declaring war on Germany.

## BRAZIL PLANS WAR ON KAISER

RIO DE JANEIRO, April 6.—Brazil may declare war on Germany. Official announcement today of the sinking of the Brazilian steamer Parana, sailing three Brazilian citizens, aroused the most intense anti-German feeling here.

"The situation is most grave; a declaration of war against Germany may be issued," said Foreign Secretary Muller today.

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## 60 ARE NEEDED IN SIGNAL CORPS TO MAKE BATTALION

Editor Star: If Seattle can raise 60 more men for Field Company A, signal corps, the organization will be mustered in as a battalion (165 men), instead of as a company (100 men).

This is the only mounted organization in Seattle, and offers exclusive opportunities for specialization. Any man between the ages of 16 and 35 is eligible for enlistment. Men who have had experience in telegraph work or with horses are especially needed.

The Star has helped the signal corps before. It can assist the corps today if it helps us recruit 65 men immediately for a battalion. They can sign in tenton papers at the Army, day or night.

CAPT. JESSE JACKSON.

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**15c Doz.**  
Graham Cookies, 2 doz. . . . . 15c  
Delicious 3-layer Cakes. . . . . 30c  
"None Better" Bread, 2 doz loaves . . . . . 15c  
**Mrs. Pfeffer's Bakery**  
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**Jersey Cow Butter Store**  
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Full Line of Cheese  
Butter of the Highest Quality  
Honey, Eggs and Pure Yakima Peanut Butter  
All of good quality and reasonably priced

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**25c**  
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**8 Pounds 59c**  
**Fine Granulated Standard White at Wholesale Daily**  
CARNATION MILK, 2 tall cans 16c, adults only, Saturday and Wednesday, Economy Market.  
FRESH PASTEURIZED MILK, 7c quart, 4c pint, every day, bring bottle. Milk Stall of ECONOMY AND PIKE PLACE MARKETS, First and Pike.  
FLOUR, 10 lbs. 45c. RICE, best Japan whole Rice, 5 lbs. 20c.  
ECONOMY GROCERY, Opposite Sugar Stall, Economy Market.

CHOICE EASTER LILIES only 15c Bloom at Every Stall, Economy Market.  
WHANGDOODLE TRIO will be with us with their music and songs from 3 until 8 p. m.

**Pete's Fish Market**  
Eastern Oysters, pint. . . . . 35c  
Fresh boiled Crabs. . . . . 15c, 20c, 25c  
**Pete's Fish Market**  
Stalls 31-33—Lower Floor

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STALL 45—NEAR LOWER FLOOR—STALL 45  
7 POUNDS PURE CANE SUGAR. . . . . 49c  
With purchase of our Real Good Coffee.  
**FLOUR! FLOUR!**  
Be on the safe side and buy all you need now. We have the prices.  
4 lbs. Rolled Oats. . . . . 25c  
Extra large cans Pumpkin and Squash. . . . . 10c  
3 pkgs. Corn Flakes. . . . . 25c  
2 large pkgs. Matches. . . . . 25c  
No. 2 cans Pineapple. . . . . 14c  
4 lbs. Macaroni. . . . . 25c  
Large 30c glass of Del Monte Jam. . . . . 20c  
4-lb. pkg. Buckwheat Flour. . . . . 25c  
20c can Peaches. . . . . 15c  
20c can Peas. . . . . 15c  
No. 3 cans Blackberries, 2 cans for . . . . . 25c  
We Are Your Merchants for Price and Quality.

**THE GOOD LUCK BUTTER STORE**  
Stall 8, Sanitary Market.  
Our Butter is always as fine as can be bought and our prices usually a little lower than the other fellow's.

**Hudson's Delicatessen**  
BOOTH 111—FIRST AVE. FLOOR—SANITARY MARKET  
Snider's Catsup, large size. . . . . 16c  
King Haakon Sardines, 2 cans. . . . . 25c  
The above for Saturday only.  
Premium Bacon, sliced, lb. . . . . 15c  
Premium Boiled Ham, lb. . . . . 15c  
Empire Bacon, sliced, lb. . . . . 35c  
Home Boiled Ham, Roast Pork and Roast Beef, also a large assortment of Salads, Cheese, Olives and Pickles. Try our home-made Mayonnaise, none better, at 30c pound.

**Very Best Jersey Creamery Butter**  
2 lbs. 85c; 4 lbs. \$1.68; 5 lbs., \$2.10  
**GOOD LUCK MAGARINE**  
35c lb., 2 lbs. 65c, 5 lbs. \$1.55

**Philadelphia Fish Market**  
STALL 10—LOWER FLOOR—SANITARY  
**FISH**  
We carry absolutely fresh  
**Fish, Crabs Oysters, Etc.**  
Anything we sell you is absolutely guaranteed  
**Best Sausages on the Coast**

And all kinds of cheese at all kinds of prices.  
Don't forget, this is the place to get your eggs for Easter, and we don't care if your money is marked.

Dear Mrs. Housewife: We would respectfully call your attention to the fact that Jilg's Pure Meat Food Products are manufactured by a scientific process, which means that the perfection of these absolutely pure products is in the blending—the combination of carefully treated ingredients, each giving forth some one rare quality of flavor. To get each of these ingredients of meats and spices into perfect condition so that their qualities will be at their prime when blended, is our profession, and in order to attain this point of perfection, we have spared no expense in equipping our Model Kitchen with the very best facilities obtainable for the manufacturing of Jilg's Pure Meat Food Products. It is the combination of all these perfect qualities together with our scientific knowledge of blending that make Jilg's Pure Meat Food Products so delicious.

Walnuts, lb. . . . . 15c  
Special Orange, 10c doz. up  
Delicious Apples, doz. . . . . 15c  
**L. Stern Company**  
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132 SANITARY MARKET, FIRST AVE. ENTRANCE

**PUGET SOUND MARKET**  
Stall 26 Sanitary Market  
Boiling Beef . . . . . 12½c  
Pot Roast . . . . . 14c  
Easter Lamb, Shoulder, . . . . . 15c  
Easter Veal Roast . 12½c  
Leaf Lard . . . . . 19c  
Small T-Bone Steaks 18c  
Fancy Roll Beef Roast, cut to order. . . . . 20c  
Home Rendered Lard.

**M. J. BEGINN**  
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Delicatessen and Bakery—Agents for Weisel's Famous Milwaukee Sausages  
**—THESE—**  
**EASTER MEATS**  
WILL BE HARD TO BEAT AT THE  
**TILIKUM MARKET**  
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Our Meats Sell—Our Quality Excels  
AND WE DELIVER DAILY

NOW IS THE TIME TO SAVE MONEY!  
The Very Finest **OLEOMARGARINE 28c Lb.** 2 lbs. 55c  
NO COLORING MATTER NEEDED  
Looks, spreads and tastes like the best fresh butter. In fact, it is churned with about 25 per cent butter. Not one in ten can tell it from butter and you save 17c pound! A thousand families in this city are using it today. Why not you?  
Next Grade, giving good satisfaction, per pound. . . . . 25c  
**Peanut Butter** The Best and Freshest 12c lb. 3 lbs. 35c.  
Ground While You Wait  
**Pure Strained Honey, 13c lb., 18c Pt., 36c Qt.**  
CARNATION BUTTER STORE, 81 Lower Floor Pike Place Market  
THE BEE HIVE STORE, 27 Main Floor Economy Market

**HAVE IT REPAIRED AT REPAIRERS ROW**  
Economy Market, Near Sugar Stall  
**THE SHARP SHOP**  
Formerly at 104½ Pike St.  
Lawn Mowers called for, sharpened and delivered, \$1. See our new method.  
STALL 37B. Phone Main 208D.  
Keys, Umbrellas repaired. We sharpen everything.  
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**Shoe Repairing Cheap**  
Best of Leather and Workmanship  
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**MEAT YOU CAN EAT AT A PRICE YOU CAN'T BEAT**  
Sirloin Steak, lb. . . . . 17c  
T-Bone Steak, lb. . . . . 19c  
Veal Chops, lb. . . . . 13½c  
Veal Roast, lb. . . . . 10c  
Pot Roast, lb. . . . . 12½c  
Leaf Lard, lb. . . . . 19c

**SATURDAY ONLY**  
**CARNATION MILK 9c**  
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Limit of three with any purchase  
**BUYING OLD HOLLAND BRAND BUTTER**  
is buying BUTTER SATISFACTION  
Sweet, pure and wholesome!  
Freshly churned.  
**45c lb.**  
Fresh Local Ranch Eggs, doz. **33c**  
**Old Holland Butter Co.**  
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Regular \$17.50 to **\$22.50 Womens' Coats at \$15.00**  
**\$15 and \$16 Coats \$10.00**  
Full length, medium and sport models, in newest wool materials and colors.  
**50 Sample Coats, \$22.50**  
Worth \$30.00 to \$45.00—No Two Alike.  
You know what wonderful values my coats are at regular prices, and I am making this out on account of being practically closed up for a week, while extensive alterations and improvements were being made.  
**O'HARA WOMEN'S UPSTAIRS GARMENT STORE**  
Second Floor Economy Market  
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**Special All Week**  
**Rice Every Day 20c**  
5 lbs. for 10c  
25c bottle Del Monte Catsup. . . . . 15c  
40c bottle Olives. . . . . 30c  
\$1.29 tin M. J. B. Coffee. . . . . 85c  
40c tin M. J. B. Coffee. . . . . 35c  
Macaroni, 4 lbs. . . . . 23c  
Best 1c Prunes. . . . . 11c  
Salt, 2 1/2 sacks. . . . . 10c  
Baking Soda, 1 lb. . . . . 6c  
**Economy Grocery Co.**  
NEAR SUGAR STALL. MAIN 6267

**Hood's Easter Specials**  
ON THE CORNER PIKE PLACE MARKET  
**FREE!!**  
One Easter Novelty to every child, whether purchase is made or not.  
Assorted Chocolates, all flavors, lb. . . . . 25c  
Peanut Brittle, lb. . . . . 15c  
Easter Candy Novelties. . . . . from 1c up

**FLOUR 10 Lbs. 45c**  
SPECIAL ALL WEEK  
**Rice Every Day 20c**  
5 lbs. for 10c  
25c bottle Del Monte Catsup. . . . . 15c  
40c bottle Olives. . . . . 30c  
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Best 1c Prunes. . . . . 11c  
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**Economy Grocery Co.**  
NEAR SUGAR STALL. MAIN 6267

**MAYERS, WASHINGTONS, SELE SHOE MFG. CO. AND OTHERS**  
**1917 Sample and Job Lot SHOES**  
Ladies' Shoes, worth up to \$5.00, small sizes only . . . . . \$1  
"MONEY BACK" OUR MOTTO  
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NO SPECIAL SALE, BUT SPECIALS ON SALE AT ALL TIMES  
Ladies' up-to-date Shoes in lace Men's Dress and Working Shoes. . . . . \$2.75 and up  
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And up Scout Shoes . . . . . \$1.75 and up  
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STALLS 21 to 24, Pike Place Market Near Sugar Stall  
STILL LOWER PRICES AT OUR NEW  
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NONE SUCH MINCE MEAT. . . . . 10c

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**SUGAR 7 lbs. 52c**  
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For Mother, Wife, Sweetheart or Friend  
*Get the Real Spirit of Easter*  
Our plants are all big bloom, fine foliage, height right and price right.  
Come early for your selection.  
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**MURRAY'S WAR PRICES**  
will make them all take notice  
SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY  
Veal Roasts, lb. . . . . 10½c  
Veal Cutlets, lb. . . . . 12½c  
Pot Roasts, lb. . . . . 9c  
Sirloin Steaks, lb. . . . . 17½c  
Round Steaks, lb. . . . . 17½c  
T-Bone Steaks, lb. 18½c  
Small Family Hams. 25c  
Shoulder Mutton, lb. 10c  
Legs Mutton, lb. . . . . 15c  
Lamb Chops, lb. . . . . 12½c  
Pork Roasts, lb. . . . . 17½c  
Stew Meat, 3 lbs. . . . . 25c  
**Murray Meat Co.** Stalls 2-3-5-7 Corner Market  
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**STONG Has Them Guessing**  
7 bars Fels Naptha Soap. . . . . 25c  
4 pounds Granulated Sugar . . . . . 25c  
8 bars Crystal White Soap . . . . . 25c  
4 cans Dutch Cleanser . . . . . 25c  
Any one of above specials with a 25c purchase, specials excluded.  
4 10c pkgs. Corn Flakes. . . . . 25c  
15c pkg. Shredded Wheat Biscuits . . . . . 10c  
50c box Dried Saffron Herring. 15c  
4 lbs. Clow's Waffle Flour. . . . . 25c  
Large 10c pkg. Sun Maid Baked Raisins. . . . . 10c  
45c Red Can Hill's Coffee. . . . . 37c  
50c can Quittard's Cocoa. . . . . 15c  
25c can Log Cabin Syrup. . . . . 18c  
50c can Log Cabin Syrup. . . . . 35c  
4 10c rolls Toilet Paper. . . . . 25c  
5 lbs. fine Japan Rice. . . . . 25c  
4 lbs. Finest Macaroni. . . . . 25c  
1 lb. can Quittard's Chocolate. . . . . 25c  
25c can of Aspirin. . . . . 15c  
2 cans New Pack Reliance Shrimps for . . . . . 10c  
3 5c sacks Salt. . . . . 10c  
3 5c boxes Matches. . . . . 10c  
2 5c bars Sweet Heart Soap. . . . . 10c  
50c quart Jar Queen Olives. . . . . 30c  
30c pkg. Peacock Panekake Flour for . . . . . 25c  
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**GREEN'S BUTTER STORE** Main Floor 102-103 Front of Stong's  
**Best Fresh Churned Butter**  
45c lb.  
None Better Made  
Best Fresh Ranch Eggs, 3 dozen 55c  
2 dozen 55c  
Good Luck Margarine per pound  
Swift's Premium Margarine, lb. . . . . 30c  
Buttercup . . . . . 25c  
Four Large Cans Milk 30c  
25c Special Coffee, lb. . . . . 19c  
**Green's Peanut Butter**  
(Ground Every Day)  
12c lb.  
2 1/2 pounds in sanitary cartons . . . . . 28c  
Good Creamery Butter, per lb.  
2 lbs. 75c, 3 lbs. \$1.10  
**THE BEST GOODS FOR LEAST MONEY**