

DAY IS SET FOR SPECIAL DRIVE OF WAR STAMPS

Rock Island Will Join With Nation in Observing June 28 as Thrift Day.

THREE MORE MAKE PLEDGES Maximum Purchases of \$3,000 of Certificates is Promised to Committees.

Notice from the treasury department that Secretary Meadood has set apart June 28 as national war savings day, came today to C. A. Hallgren, chairman of the thrift stamp campaign in Rock Island county.

The local committee will endeavor to inaugurate another drive for war savings stamps during the week of June 28.

Today three more maximum war savings pledges were received by the committee from the Rock Island Manufacturing company, J. T. and Elmer H. Stafford and Henry Hart & Sons. This makes 25 in all. Those who have thus far joined in the Maximum War Savings club are as follows:

- Mr. F. Denkmann, Mrs. Emma L. Denkmann, J. E. Cable, M. E. Stueber, Mary K. Robinson, Catherine D. Hauberg, John H. Hauberg, John H. Hauberg, Jr., Geo. W. Hauberg, C. D. Rosenfield, W. A. Rosenfield, W. H. Marshall, Elise D. Marshall, H. H. Cleveland, J. C. and Emma H. Stafford, Rock Island Manufacturing company, Henry Hart & Sons, Frank P. Welch, John H. Welch, Florence E. Welch, Ralph S. Welch, Susan E. Welch, James M. Welch, T. B. Davis, Mrs. T. B. Davis, Eli Mosensfelder, Weyerhaeuser & Denkmann company.

Rock Island Lumber & Manufacturing company, Peoples National bank, Rock Island Savings bank, German Trust & Savings bank, Central Trust & Savings bank, State Bank of Rock Island. A special appeal is made for joining the Maximum War Savings club to help reach the 100 mark. The maximum war savings campaign in district number 12, 2,000,000 worth of stamps in a year. An annual turnover of \$125,000,000 would be regarded a large business—even in Illinois. It is just as big when the business is the purchase of war savings stamps.

"The sale of stamps is only a means to an end. That end is saving material and money for use by our nation in the prosecution of the war. Everybody must save! High people, as well as poor." A man with an income of \$10,000 a year should save by the purchase of the maximum amount of war savings stamps, as the child, with no income, saves by buying thrift stamps. Every war savings worker should remember this. Stamps should be purchased out of savings from present earnings, and pledges made to buy additional stamps from further earnings.

"We cannot raise Illinois' quota without the help of the big savers. Saving the Reason, 'Let us stop talking about thrift stamps and talk war savings stamps. Thrift stamps have their place, but their place is on the way to war savings stamps. Clever devices for the sale of thrift stamps are well enough in their way, but they do not always form the habit of saving. If the government had roughly wanted to raise \$2,000,000,000 it could have made another Liberty loan. War savings stamps will raise the money and get people to save at the same time. That certainly is a man's job."

"The greatest test of loyalty to the government is not wearing buttons and investing in bonds. These may be only camouflage. A man is loyal either when he is in the army or navy, or when he is denying himself in order that the government may have material and labor. War savings stamps help this self-denial. 'War savings is a man's job, a woman's job, a child's job—everybody's job. Where you find a man, get a paper, who refuses to buy stamps, report him. He is either a slacker or a pro-German.'"

"The Maximum War Savings Campaign."

"WORK OR FIGHT" NEW DRAFT RULING (Continued From Page One.) really will require so as to include persons in other employments. Temporary absences from regular employment not to exceed one week, unless such temporary absences are habitual and frequent, shall not be considered as idleness. Regular vacations will not be considered as absences in this connection.

May Aid Certain Cases. "The regulation throws a further safeguard around men not usefully employed, by providing that where there are compelling domestic circumstances that would not permit change of employment by the registrant without 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

ITALIAN CONSUL ASKS OBSERVANCE MAY 24 TO SHOW MORAL SUPPORT OF AMERICA BACKS HIS COUNTRY IN WAR

Chicago, May 22.—Editor The Argus: The Italians in America, with their celebration of the third anniversary of the war on the 24th of May, intend to make the Italian name more popular in America and the American name more popular in Italy.

Italy has the same ideals and the same aspirations as America. Our revolution, likewise that of America, was inspired purely by national aspirations. Both revolutions represent two historical periods tending not to emancipate castes, but to emancipate an entire people; they both gave to the two great communities their own faith, their own principles of liberty and democracy. Animate by such ideals, both countries entered this struggle on the side of the oppressed in order to protect themselves from the barbaric invasion against which the rebels of ethnic conscience are fighting. In order to give notice to those who are the exponent of propiternity and brute force, that against this monstrosity of cast,

boards may give consideration to the circumstances. The regulation further provides that where such a change of employment would compel the night employment of women under circumstances which a board might deem unsuitable for such employment of women, the board may take such circumstances into consideration in making its decision." War Necessitates Step. Explaining the new regulation and the necessity, General Crowder said: "The war has so far disorganized the normal adjustment of industrial manpower as to prevent the enormous industrial output and national organization necessary to success. There is a popular demand for organization of manpower but no direct draft could be imposed at present. Steps to prohibit idleness and non-effective occupation will be welcomed by our people. We should employ the idlers and men not effectively employed the choice between military service and employment. Every man in the draft age at least, must work or fight. Must Make Nation a Machine. "This is not alone a war of military maneuver. 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 machine running night and day at terrific speed. We must make of ourselves the same sort of effective machine. "It is enough to ask what would happen if every man in the nation turned his hand to effective work. We must make ourselves effective. We must organize for the future. We must make vast withdrawals for the army and immediately close up the ranks of industry behind the man with an accessary thing in necessary measure. How is this to be done? Answer Is Plain. "The answer is plain. The first step toward the solution of the difficulty to prepare engagements by able bodied men in the field of hurtful employment, idleness or ineffectual employment, and thus induce and persuade the vast, wasted excess into useful fields. "The very situation we are now considering, however, offers great possibilities in improvement of the draft as well as great possibilities for the compensation of the labor situation by effective administration of the draft. Considering the selective service law, we see two principal causes of deferment of the call to military service—exemption and the order numbers assigned by lot. The exemptions themselves fall into two conspicuous categories—dependency and industrial employment. One protects domestic relations, the other the economic interests of the nation. Between the two, there is an inevitable hiatus, for it is demonstrably true that thousands, if not millions, of dependency exemptions have no effect on industrial production whatever. "One of the unanswerable criticisms of the draft has been that it

MAYOR OF CITY IS TO PRESIDE

William McConchie is Asked to Hold Seat of Honor at Italians' Memorial Session.

TO UNFURL LIBERTY FLAG People of Rock Island Requested by President Wilson to Display Emblem.

Mayor William McConchie of Rock Island has been asked to preside at the memorial meeting to be held by the Italian club in Spencer Square park tomorrow night in honor of the third anniversary of Italy's entrance in the present war. President Wilson has by proclamation to the American people set tomorrow as a day that the Italian flag be displayed in conjunction with the United States emblem in order to honor the third anniversary of Italy's declaration of war against the central powers. Previous to the session to be held at the square, Rock Island and Moline Italians will march through the business district of the city in a body and will proceed to the park, where the meeting will be held at 5 o'clock in the evening.

Two Speakers. City Attorney John K. Scott and H. M. McCaskin will make the principal addresses. Previous to the talks, the Italian club will be presented with an Italian Liberty flag at which time the American ensign will be unfurled beside the Italian emblem. Buy War Savings Stamps. ASK FOUR MEN FOR RECRUITING WORK. There are vacancies for four energetic, unmarried men with the army recruiting detachment for duty in the eastern half of Iowa. No applicant considered who is a user of intoxicants, or who is not of excellent character and a "live one." Young men over 20 years of age, unregistered, are eligible for this if they have a high school education or proper business training. Unmarried men 31 to 35 years of age with prior service in the army or marine corps who have some clerical ability are especially wanted. All men on recruiting service are immediately appointed privates first class upon their enlistment. Privates first class wear the chevrons of that grade. The pay of these men is \$33 a

MINER LET OUT A SECOND TIME BY POLICE HEAD

Chief Miller Discharges Patrolman Found Guilty of Assaulting a Salesman.

TAKES MATTER IN OWN HANDS Does Not Consult Commissioner When Learning Officer is Fined For Attack.

For the second time since Sunday Chief of Police Phil J. Miller of the Rock Island police force took matters into his own hands and last night discharged Patrolman Charles Miner. Patrolman Harry Miller was indefinitely suspended also for participation in an alleged assault on the person of E. Herrmann, a traveling watch salesman from Cincinnati, who a justice of peace jury found was assaulted by Miner following his intervention in behalf of a dog belonging to J. E. Janes, 1702 Second avenue, restaurant

proprietor, between the hours of 12 and 1 o'clock Sunday morning. Although Miller was suspended for an indefinite period, the chief said today there is a possibility of his reinstatement at some future date. Chief Miller took this action toward Miller, claiming that the latter could have intervened in Herrmann's behalf if he had so willed. Miner, however, was given final discharge from the force. Action by the chief followed close upon the heels of the verdict reached by a jury of Moline men who yesterday afternoon found Miner guilty of the charge preferred against him by Mr. Herrmann. Both Miller and Miner were on duty Monday and Tuesday nights following their reinstatement by Commissioner John H. Liedtke early Monday morning. They had been suspended by Chief Miller Sunday night pending an investigation, this move being taken immediately upon the chief hearing of the happening of the night preceding. This action was taken in the absence of Commissioner Liedtke, with the expectation that the head of the police department would fully concur with the chief in this move. Mr. Liedtke's action of the following day came as a surprise to all concerned. Several Testify. At the hearing before Justice T. M. Wheelock in Moline yesterday, Mr. Herrmann, Harry Joseph of Rock Island, Maurice Felix of Rock Island, Miss Irma Merritt of Rock

LEGAL. Notice of Final Settlement. Estate of William T. Coyne, deceased. Public notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Martha E. Coyne, administratrix of said estate, in this day filed her final report as such in the probate court of Rock Island county, a hearing on said report has been set for the 28th day of May, 1918, at 10 o'clock a. m., at which time persons interested may appear and make objections thereto, and if no objections are filed, said report will be approved at that time, and the undersigned will ask for an order of distribution and upon making such distribution will ask to be discharged. Rock Island, Ill., this first day of May, A. D. 1918. MARTHA E. COYNE, Administratrix. Stafford, Schoede & Stafford, Attorneys.

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Sale of Knit Underwear At Decidedly Special Prices Due to special purchases we are able to offer to those who make their selections promptly, definite economies in Summer Weight Underwear. These are exceptional values—the more noteworthy in this season of increased prices.

New Spring Wash Fabrics Present assortments offer splendid opportunity to choose these very popular summer fabrics. Plain Voiles of excellent quality shown in a wonderful assortment of dainty colors as well as black and white, 48c the yard. Lorraine Tissues—A splendid assortment in a wonderful variety of attractive patterns and colorings, 36 inches wide, 48c priced, the yard. 32-inch striped Skirtings in a nice range of colors, yard 29c. Madras Shirtings Handsome striped Madras in new and attractive colorings specially adapted for men's shirts and women's dresses. Specially priced, the yard 39c.

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"Debate" The I. C. E. of the First Christian Church will hold a Friday evening in the church parlors, Fifteenth and LeClaire. Subject: "Resolved, That Paul Was a Greater Man Than Moses." Admission free—Everybody welcome.

"The Boys' Store"—Boys' Blue Serge Suits For Graduation \$9.75. This is a specially arraigned selling which should attract the attention of every boy and every boy's mother within walking distance of the store. These suits are made of all wool fast color serges in the latest models with fancy patch and side vent pockets, belted styles with trench buckles—trousers lined throughout. The fabric quality, the tailoring and every detail of workmanship will prove these suits of an exceptional value. Sizes 8 to 17 years, \$9.75. Boys' Serge Caps All wool blue serge caps, trench buckle model to match suits.

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Sale of Notions J. and P. Coats six cord cotton thread, all numbers, black and white, Friday only 7 spools for 25c. Warren's feather boned net gowns, white and black, all sizes, 33c. Stickered trimming, several colors, 3 yard bolt, 8c. Atlas never rust toilet pins, three sizes, pkg. 5c. Pearl buttons, several sizes, dozen on a card, 3 cards for 12c. Atlas never rust safety pins, guarded coil, card 5c. Curling irons, two sizes, 8c. Sanitary belts, small, medium and large size, 29c. Face Veils, self adjusting with elastic, each 10c.

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