

MONTANA FIRST STATE TO DOUBLE ITS REGULAR ARMY QUOTA

678 Volunteers From Treasure State Have Been Accepted by the Government

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able Achievement in Property Loan, Red Cross and Volunteers.

"LITTLE BETTER" HAS TO BE STATE'S AIM

Enlistments From This City Also Are Surprisingly High.

BE A GREAT CENTER FOR RECRUITING WORK

Cities of Montana Have Gained Greatly in Patriotic Service.

Washington, Aug. 10.—With the volunteers of yesterday the army was raised to its full strength of 300,000. Since more than 183,898 volunteers have been enlisted. Twenty states filled their quotas and not. Montana doubled her

Washington, Aug. 10.—Montana first state in the union to double its quota for the regular army. When recruiting began on July 1 in Montana the state of Montana was assigned a quota of 150. To date it has raised by voluntary enlistment a total of 328. The war department says that this is the banner of the nation.

has taken the leading part in the state's patriotic leadership since it was declared with Germany. It is the slogan of "a little better than others" for the fulfilling of duty assigned to it by the nation. Looked upon with unconcern by the cities of the east, it has made a name for itself, for its size, is not by but few cities in the States. In the war department said that

GENERAL PRODUCTION OF MONTANA IS \$51,000,000 MORE IN 1916 THAN 1915

Washington Bureau. Montana's mine production in 1916, was issued today by the United States geological survey:

PRODUCTION OF GOLD, SILVER, COPPER, LEAD AND ZINC, BY COUNTIES, IN MONTANA IN 1916.

(Advance Figures by V. C. Heikes, U. S. Geological Survey)

Table with columns: COUNTY, Number of Mines, One-Tenth Tonnes, Fine Ounces, Total Value. Lists counties like Beaverhead, Broadwater, Cascade, etc.

Average value of metals: Gold, \$20.6718 per ounce; silver, \$0.653 per ounce; copper, \$0.246 per pound; lead, \$0.069 per pound; zinc, \$0.154 per pound.

INCOMES AND WAR PROFITS ARE HIT HARD IN TAX BILLS

These Two Items Will Furnish \$1,400,000,000 in \$2,000,000,000 Revenue.

SIMMONS EXPLAINS NEW DRAFT OF WAR MEASURE

War Profits in 1916 Thirty-three Hundred Millions, He Tells Senate.

Washington, Aug. 10.—The redrafted war revenue bill imposing taxes to the amount of more than \$2,000,000,000 was taken up for consideration in the senate today with exclusive right of way until disposed of. Debate on the measure is expected to last about two weeks, after which it will go to conference for adjustment of difficulties between the two houses. In opening debate on the bill today, Senator Simmons, chairman of the finance committee, declared the committee's purpose in revising the house bill was to raise sufficient federal revenues for extra war expenses without injustice to rich or poor and without injuring sources from which the needs of the future taxes must come.

SUFFRAGETTE BANNER SAYS "KAISER WILSON"

Bunting With Offending Words Torn Down by Indignant Crowd.

Washington, Aug. 10.—A banner displayed at one of the white house gates by a woman's party suffrage picket addressed to "Kaiser Wilson" was torn down today after an indignant crowd had jeered and hissed the suffragists for several minutes.

NEW ORDER AFFECTS MANY HIGH GENERALS

War Department's Regulation May Keep Wood, Bell and Others at Home.

Washington, Aug. 10.—Army department commanders, by war department orders issued today, are relieved of supervision of the national army cantonments and national guard camps within their departments, and will devote themselves entirely to the regular troops within their jurisdictions.

PRESIDENT SIGNS THE FOOD CONTROL BILLS

Full Supervision of Nation's Food Supply Expected to Come Quickly.

Washington, Aug. 10.—The administration control and food survey bills were signed today by President Wilson and became law. The food bills were signed also by Speaker Clark in the house and by Senator Sausbury, president pro tempore of the senate, before they were taken to the white house for President Wilson's signature.

BRIDE IN EVENING GOWN DRAGS GROOM FROM SURF

Seaver, Wash., Aug. 10.—Mrs. Helen Ladd Green, whose wedding July 25 was an important Portland society event, clad in an evening gown, rushed into the breakers here Tuesday evening to rescue her husband, Alan Green, a Portland bond salesman, who had been taken with cramps while bathing in the surf. She reached her husband and dragged him unconscious to shore.

A TEN-DAY HALT IN MARINE RECRUITING

Washington, Aug. 10.—The big drive to recruit the marine corps to its new strength of 30,000 men is over. Major General Barnett today ordered the recruiting stations closed for a ten-day rest for the officers and men who have made it possible. They will reopen to recruit men to allow for casualties among those "first to fight."

Most Gigantic War Insurance Plan Ever Contemplated Is Laid Before Congress

POOR PATRIOT



22 Men Certified As Physically Unfitted for Military Service

BRITISH LABOR PARTY ANNOUNCES ITS IDEALS FOR PEACE AGREEMENT

Most Important of All is a League for Prevention of War. It Demands Reparation and Restoration for Belgium, Supports Rights of Individual Peoples and Liberation of the Oppressed From Turkish Rule. It Would Secure Democratization of Germany and Austria, But Would Not Crush Its Foes Politically or Economically.

London, Aug. 10.—The conference of the British labor party held at Westminster today voted to send delegates to the Stockholm consultative conference by 1,046,000 to 55,000. The conference was in an uproar which ended only when the result of the card vote was announced.

London, Aug. 10.—An important conference of the labor party will be held at Westminster today to decide whether British labor shall be represented at the International Socialist congress at Stockholm in September. The conference will consist of delegates from all trades unions and other labor socialist representatives and it is expected to have momentous consequences.

A special sub-committee of the British labor party executive committee has been preparing a memorandum upon the issues raised in the war and the ideas of British labor in regard to peace proposals.

SPECIAL COMMISSION TO SETTLE DISPUTES

Firms Taking Government Contracts Must Abide by Decisions.

Washington, Aug. 10.—Possibility of important government contracts being impeded seriously by labor disputes virtually is eliminated by the creation of a special commission with extraordinary powers to settle industrial troubles. The council of national defense, which recognized the board, will award contracts only to those who will abide by the decisions of the board and require pledges of their employees to do so. Members of the board will soon be selected. There are to be nine of them, three representing the government, three employees and three labor. The agreement provides, it was announced, that only union labor will be employed.

GOVERNMENT TO INSURE LIVES OF ALL IN MILITARY

This Will Be Result if Congress Endorses Remarkable Plan.

DISABILITY ALLOWANCE WILL BE LIBERAL ONE

Insurance to Run From \$1,000 to \$10,000, at a Cost of \$8 a Thousand.

PREMIUM TO BE PAID FROM PAY OF MEN

Family Allowances to Become One of the Largest Expenditures.

Washington, Aug. 10.—Authority to make effective the government's program of insuring the armed forces of the nation was sought of congress today in bills introduced in both houses by Senator Simmons and Representative Alexander. The proposed legislation would provide insurance, at minimum cost, for American soldiers, sailors and marines, the insured men paying the premium; families' allowances to dependents of men in the nation's military or naval service; indemnification for disabilities, and the rehabilitation at government expense of injured men.

A feature not previously announced would make it compulsory for officers and men to allot a minimum of \$15 a month out of their pay to dependent wives and children. These allotments would be supplemented by family allowances to be made by the government of from \$5 to \$50 a month, according to the circumstances and numbers of dependents.

ONLY 21 CLAIM EXEMPTIONS IN COUNTY TODAY

Explanation Made of Large Number Filing Claims Yesterday.

MANY ARE KILLED IN EXPLOSION AT LONDON

London, Aug. 10.—An explosion and fire in a big chemical works in East London last night wrecked the building and killed or injured scores of workers. Thirteen bodies of workmen so far have been taken from the ruins. A large number of injured have been treated at the police stations and other civil places. Bodies are still being searched for.

SAYS CHAMBERLAIN WAS A MEMBER OF AUTO BANDITS

Sheriff Crabb Confident Man Killed Trying to Break Jail at Malta Took Part in Anaconda Holdup. Three of Four Accounted for. Ralph Chamberlain, the man who was shot and killed at Malta, Mont., a short time ago, while attempting to break jail, was, in the opinion of Sheriff J. B. Crabb of Malta, one of the men who participated in the daring holdup of automobiles near the Three Mile house, Anaconda, during which a man named Padovich was shot and killed and Miss Keogh of Anaconda received a wound in her leg from a revolver shot.