

ON REGULAR ARMY BASIS

Law Which Nationalizes Militia Organizations of Various States Becomes Effective Today.

(Herald Special.)

Washington, D. C., Jan. 21.—The famous "Dick Law," which nationalizes, so to speak, the militia organizations of the various states by placing them upon the same footing as the regular army and making them a national military organization subsidiary to the regular army in case of war, went into effect today. This law, framed by United States Senator General Charles Dick of Ohio, was originally passed by congress in 1903 and was intended to become operative at once. It was readily seen, however, that the states could not change their system so soon, and that much time would be needed for the reorganization. Then it was decided that the law should go into effect in 1908, but when the five years had elapsed it was found that even then several of the states, among them Pennsylvania and Delaware, were not quite ready for the change and the time was once more extended to January 21, 1910.

The law provides that the militia shall consist of every able bodied male citizen of the respective states and territories and the District of Columbia, and every able bodied male of foreign birth who has declared his intention to become a citizen, who is more than eighteen and less than forty-five years of age, and shall be divided into two classes: The organized militia and the reserve militia. The regularly enlisted, organized and uniformed active militia in the several states and territories and the District of Columbia who have heretofore participated or shall hereafter participate in the apportionment of the annual appropriation, shall constitute the organized militia and shall, from now on, have the same organization, armament and discipline as that which is now or may hereafter be prescribed for the regular army of the United States, subject in time of peace to such general exceptions as may be authorized by the secretary of war.

Under the new law every regiment of infantry or cavalry of the organized militia and each separate or unassigned battalion of infantry or engineers or squadron of cavalry of the organized militia is entitled to one assistant inspector of small arms practice with the rank of captain or first lieutenant; while each organized brigade is entitled to an inspector with the rank of major and each division to one with the rank of lieutenant colonel. The president of the United States, in time of peace, has the right to fix the minimum number of enlisted men in each company, troop, battery, etc.

The law provides that whenever the

Dr. Nott's Letter Arouses a Storm of Protest. Sticks Stoutly to Statement. Offers to Put Up Money to Back His Opinion.

In a recent issue of this paper Dr. Nott, whose fame is a matter of national recognition, stated that there was no cure for baldness. An opinion which is evidently not shared by all, otherwise the existence of numerous concerns that advertise to cure baldness, to put hair on a billiard ball, etc., would be imperiled. What Dr. Nott did state, as reference to the issue containing his statements will corroborate, was that he had never seen in all of the thousands of cases which have passed under his notice, one instance where the disease of baldness had been cured. But he did state as well that he cheerfully admitted that there were remedies that would restore gray hair to the color of youth, and that there were Hair Tonics which would encourage the growth of hair, cure dandruff and the ordinary diseases of the scalp, he referred particularly to Q-Ban Hair Restorer and Q-Ban Hair Tonic. Dr. Nott stated that he will give to any charitable institution named \$1,000 on receipt of any authentic proof showing that hair has ever been put on a bald head where the roots were dead. Since his last statement the druggists have in general laid in a supply of Q-Ban Hair Restorer and Tonic. Any one who wants to win the \$1,000 that the doctor offers may send a letter to Q. B. Dept., Memphis, Tenn. He states, and any druggist will indorse the statement, to the effect if six bottles of Q-Ban Hair Restorer falls in a single instance to change gray hair to a natural color, that if the patient has used six bottles and the result is not as claimed, a letter written to Dr. Nott will bring back the money expended, and that if a six bottle lot of the tonic does not increase the growth and strength of the hair, cleanse and put the scalp in good condition, money will also be returned. You know your druggist—ask him.

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United States is invaded or threatened with invasion by any foreign power, or a rebellion against the authority of the government, or when the president should be unable with the regular forces at his command to execute the laws of the union, it shall be lawful for the president to call forth such number of the militia as he may deem necessary. In his call the president may specify the period for which such service is required. No commissioned officer or enlisted man of the militia is to be held to service beyond the term of his existing commission or enlistment.

The secretary of war is authorized to issue from time to time to the organized militia such number of the United States service arms, together with all accessories and such other accoutrements, equipments, uniforms and clothing as used by the regular army of the United States. The secretary of war is also authorized to provide for participation by any part of the organized militia of any state on the request of the governor, in the encampment, maneuvers and field instruction of any part of the regular army. Upon the application of the governor of any state the secretary of war may detail one or more officers or enlisted men of the army to report for duty in connection with the organized militia. A consulting board of five officers of the militia shall be selected by the secretary of war for a term of four years, to report to him from time to time and confer upon matters connected with the service.

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STATUE FOR EDUCATOR

W. H. H. Beadle Was the Pioneer of Educational Work in North and South Dakota.

(Herald Special.)

Pierre, S. D., Jan. 21.—Pursuant to a movement started by the state educational association, special exercises in celebration of "Beadle Day" were held in the public schools throughout South Dakota today. The purpose was to arouse public interest in the plan for the erection of a monument in the new state capitol in honor of the memory of W. H. H. Beadle, who was the pioneer of educational work in the Dakotas.

In 1869 General Beadle was appointed surveyor general of Dakota and in the years that followed he devoted his entire attention to the development of the resources of the territory. From 1879 to 1885 he was superintendent of public instruction and under his direction the entire school system was organized.

General Beadle was a native of Indiana and a graduate of the University of Michigan. In 1861 he entered the army as first lieutenant of an Indiana regiment and at the close of the war was brevetted brigadier general. After the war he practiced law for several years in Wisconsin before taking up his residence in Dakota.

Laymen's Conference in Macon.

(Herald Special.)

Macon, Ga., Jan. 21.—One of the largest of the conferences held by the Laymen's Missionary Movement in the south began in this city today, with hundreds of delegates in at-

with the Pacific Coast Lumber Manufacturers' Association to discuss questions at issue between the railroads and the lumber and shingle manufacturers in regard to transit, shipment and storage rates.

ARRESTED IN CANADA.

George W. Bates Is Wanted in McLennan County.

Waco, Texas, Jan. 20.—Sheriff Geo. W. Tilley received a telegram today from Sudbury, Ontario, from Wells-Fargo officials, saying that George W. Bates, alias Fred W. Clifford, was arrested there on a charge of taking \$1,000 last December at Riesel, McLennan county. The money was consigned to the First National Bank at Riesel, and was handled by the Wells-Fargo Express company. Mr. Tilley will leave for Canada tomorrow via Washington, where he will obtain requisition papers from President Taft.

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Want Shorter Ballots.

(Herald Special.)

New York, Jan. 21.—In response to a call issued by President Woodrow Wilson of Princeton University, a number of prominent men interested in the public welfare met in conference at the Hotel Astor today to discuss the short ballot principle. The

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Three Universities in Debate.

(Herald Special.)

Chicago, Jan. 21.—The triangular debating league, composed of Northwestern University and the universities of Michigan and Chicago, holds its annual debates tonight. Each university is represented by two teams, the contests taking place simultaneously in Chicago, Madison and Ann Arbor. The question for debate is, "Resolved, That the experience of the United States has shown that a protective tariff should for a time be a national policy."

To Honor Retiring Official.

Dallas, Texas, Jan. 21.—All arrangements have been perfected for the big complimentary banquet to be given here tomorrow night by the state bankers of Texas in honor of Thos. B. Love, the retiring state bank commissioner. Judge Cato Sells, president of the Texas State Bank and Trust company of Cleburne, is to act as toastmaster and the attendance will include representatives of nearly all of the state banks of Texas.

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tendance from all parts of Georgia. A program covering three days has been prepared for the gathering. Among the notable speakers to be heard are ex-Governor W. J. Northen, Rev. Dunbar H. Ogden of Atlanta, Rev. William A. Guerry, D. D., of Charleston, Rev. H. F. Williams of Nashville, Mrs. George Sherwood Eddy, missionary to India, and W. B. Stubbs, secretary of the Laymen's Missionary Movement of the Southern M. E. church.

BIG FIRE AT SNYDER.

One Entire Business Block Was Consumed, Causing \$25,000 Loss.

Snyder, Texas, Jan. 20.—Fire which swept the business section here this morning caused a loss of \$25,000.

The blaze originated in the second floor of a rooming house in the middle of the block on the north side of the public square, and burned east to Church street, and to Warren Bros. drug store on the west.

All were frame buildings and a frontage of two hundred and fifty feet was burned.

The fire began at 6 o'clock.

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Discuss Lumber Rates.

(Herald Special.)

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 21.—Representatives of the railroads of the northwest met in conference here today