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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1, 1917.

The Gazette is in receipt of an excellent record that a Sunday school class of the Mt. Holly Methodist church has made in its young men volunteering for the army.

MARRIAGE DON'T COUNT

Marriages Contracted Since July 20 Not to Be Considered by Election Boards.

Washington, July 31.—Hasty marriages made since July 20, the date of the army draft drawing, in an effort to escape conscription through the claim of a dependent wife, will not be considered ground for discharge unless the wife is actually dependent on the husband's daily labor.

Prompted by reports from many cities of marriage license bureaus besieged by men included in the first draft call, Provost Marshal Crowder today ruled that "marriage is not of itself a valid ground for making claim for discharge."

Dependency is a matter of fact, not of law, General Crowder pointed out. "A man whose wife is mainly dependent on his daily labor for support," he said, "may claim exemption on that ground. Only the exemption boards can determine this fact. Where dependency is claimed and circumstances show a marriage hastily consummated since July 20 by a man whose number is high on the available list, the actual fact of dependency must be closely scrutinized."

"Moreover," General Crowder declared, "women who marry men merely to aid them to be slackers are liable to prosecution under the draft act."

In his ruling General Crowder adhered strictly to President Wilson's draft regulations which draw no distinction between a dependent wife acquired before or after the drawing. Secretary Baker advocated refusing exemption to any man married after the drawing, saying the draft should be considered a prior claim but this course will not be followed.

Fears of some officials that delay in obtaining materials and sufficient labor for national army cantonments would postpone the mobilization were dissipated today by an announcement by Secretary Baker that 75 per cent of the cantonment materials are now on the ground and that reports indicate everything will be in readiness or nearly so in another month.

No definite date for mobilization was ever fixed, but Secretary Baker has indicated that every effort would be made to effect it about Sept. 1.

From all sections of the county come reports of splendid corn crops. Many say that the crop is the best in many years. The cotton crop, also, is much better than was expected some weeks ago. The recent rains brought it out wonderfully. Peas are being sown in large quantities and many people both in town and the county are getting ready to eat peas soup.

NOTICES SENT OUT.

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- 134-2783, William Lee Kindley, Lincolnton, R-5. 135-2756, Glen Forest Wright, Cherryville, N. C. 136-2393, Wharton Wm. Lutz, Dallas, N. C. 137-1045, John Henry Rockholt, Gastonia. 138-1031, William A. Robertson, Gastonia, N. C. 139-1705, Zilmon Hoffman, (Col.), Dallas. 140-3149, Walter Clemmer, (Col.), N. York St., Gastonia. 141-3540, Frank Murel, (Col.), Belmont, R-1. 142-1331, Walter Adolphus Albright, Bessemer City. 143-1685, Roy Adolphus Pinkney Loftin, Mount Holly. 144-487, John Sherman Farras, Gastonia. 145-3744, Wesley Sidney, (Col.), Bessemer City. 146-1282, Walter Pearson Queen Kings Mountain. 147-3090, Jas. Alexander Withers, Harden. 148-1323, Jonny Lee Queen, Kings Mountain, R-3. 149-1847, John Reid Chambers, McAdenville. 150-797, William Butler Whisnant, Gastonia. 151-3546, John Watson, (Col.), Belmont, R-1. 152-140, Clarence Robert Holland, Gastonia. 153-2599, William Mason Carpenter, Crouse. 154-1526, Jesse Claud Killian, Stanley. 155-1922, Charles Cornwell Watts, McAdenville. 156-2952, Arthur Lee Holler, Dallas. 157-1723, Jackson Walker Stillwell, Mt. Holly. 158-2808, Erskine Alexander Barry, Kings Mountain. 159-3358, William David Jones, (Col.), Gastonia. 160-1779, James Henry Glenn, Mt. Holly, R-1. 161-1236, Stacey Carroll, Kings Mountain. 162-2247, Henry Grady Goforth, Kings Mountain. 163-3818, Willie Borders, (Col) Dallas. 164-2011, Thomas Franklin Bailey, Belmont. 165-432, Clarence William Cloninger, Gastonia, RFD. 166-3285, William Henry Smith, (Col.), Gastonia. 167-2719, Charles Bergaine Ramsey, Cherryville. 168-3053, Ralph Rothwell Stowe Dallas. 169-2693, Laddie M. Hemphill, High Shoals. 170-187, George Washington Balinger, Gastonia. 171-652, Oliver Oates, Gastonia. 172-3787, Wallace Earl Costner, (Col.), Kings Mountain. 173-927, Paul Ballard, Gastonia. 174-2868, Charlie Frank Bumgarner, Worth. 175-1484, Larkin Grady Richardson, Bessemer City. 176-739, Thomas B. Spencer, Gastonia. 177-1751, Boyden Abernathy, R-2, Mt. Holly. 178-601, John William Long, Gastonia. 179-3024, Clarence Leland Pasour, Dallas, R-1. 180-1322, Leonard Row Niell, Kings Mountain. 181-1146, Spratt Detter Quinn, Gastonia. 182-3615, Alonzo Reid, Lowell. 183-1103, Lawrence Monroe Whitesides, Gastonia. 184-2319, Everett E. Cain, Mayworth. 185-1395, William Austin Hamrick, Bessemer City. 186-2479, Cabzel Turner, Mayworth. 187-606, Henry Burton Lambert, Gastonia. 188-182, Thos. Groves Lackey, Gastonia. 189-1771, Carl Wade Cannon, Stanley. 190-513, Frank Hawkins, Gastonia. 191-46, Edgar Harris Camp, Gastonia. 192-1020, William R. Parker, Gastonia. 193-2232, Paul Morris, (Col.), Belmont. 194-1651, Christopher Columbus Hope, Mt. Holly. 195-1099, Ernest Augustus Willis, Lora, Gastonia. 196-1955, Joe Tell Reid, Gastonia. 197-3208, Joseph Jones, (Col.), Gastonia. 198-2441, Dock Revels, Lowell. 199-2749, John Harris Whitworth, Cherryville. 200-2628, William Webb Eaker, Cherryville. 201-1636, Richard Baxter Henley, Mt. Holly. 202-223, Joseph Chalmers McNeely, Gastonia. 203-2066, Martin Grover Featherston, Belmont. 204-1441, David Murray, Bessemer City. 205-117, Forest Martin Groves, Gastonia. 206-2330, John Jackson Evans, Lowell. 207-602, Burley Weaver, Lewis, Gastonia. 208-2675, Luther Carl Heafner, Cherryville. 209-290, William Guilford Brown, Gastonia. 210-2233, Gus Blair Sams, Belmont. 211-2990, Bishop Warren Leonhardt, High Shoals. 212-3577, Ed Cox, (Col.), Lowell. 213-3293, Henry Surratt, Gastonia. 214-75, Charlie Lee Detter, Gastonia. 215-3189, Joseph Hackett, Col., Gastonia. 216-1818, Joseph Harry Whitner, Stanley, RFD. 217-3528, Sam McNeil, Gastonia. 218-3481, Junius Baxter Fox, (Col.), Belmont. 219-772, Herbert Turner, Gastonia. 220-1456, Veary Bennett Parson, Bessemer City. 221-2939, Oscar Burley Huffstetter, Dallas, R-1. 222-3528, Lander Workman, (Col.), Belmont. 223-721, Wade Saupders, Gastonia, R-2. 224-3064, Harry D. Shelton, H. Shoals. 225-1419, Dillard Beachop Johnson, Bessemer City. 226-2390, John F. Lowery, Lowell. 227-786, Fred Grier Withers, Gastonia. 228-1549, John Sidney Friday, Dallas. 229-1476, John Thomas Ramsey, Bessemer City. 230-3272, Robt. Hatchford, Col., Gastonia. 231-3620, Walker Reid, Lowell. 232-280, Earl Brice Hatchford, Gastonia. 233-3259, Alvin Matthews, Col., Humbolt, Tenn. 234-2322, Joseph Thos. Crews, Mayworth. 235-3671, Seville Hinton, (Col.) Mount Holly. 236-1292, Vay C. Sneed, Kings Mountain. 237-2730, Eli Daniel Sellers, Cherryville. 238-972, Robert E. Lee, Gastonia. 239-983, William Paris Lytle, Gastonia. 240-757, Geo. Alexander Short, Gastonia. 241-966, Obe Clyde Killian, Lora, Gastonia. 242-3462, Daniel Stone, Lowell. 243-3819, Paul Davidson, (Col.), High Shoals. 244-3811, Oscar McClurkin, (Col.), Gastonia. 245-868, Dean Stanley Carswell, Gastonia, R-4. 246-2230, George Scott, Belmont. 247-2456, Miles Roberts, Mayworth. 248-332, Joe Whitworth Willford, Gastonia. 249-2090, Frank Grigg, Belmont. 250-379, Robert W. Ballard, Gastonia. 251-1560, General Mitchel Riddle, Dallas. 252-3795, Stacy Eskridge, (Col), Cherryville. 253-3663, Henry Walter Graham (Col.), Stanley. 254-342, William Ardie Huffstickler, Gastonia. 255-2107, Garland Hedrick, Belmont. 256-3212, Sallie Love, (Col.), Gastonia. 257-3559, Thomas Miller, Gastonia, R-1. 258-194, Thos. Mitchell, Gastonia. 259-874, David Marshall Cloninger, Gastonia. 260-352, William Howell, Gastonia. 261-2665, Clayton Heffner, Crouse, R-1. 262-3152, Walter Davis, (Col.), Gastonia. 263-2595, Guyser Canite, Cherryville, R-1. 264-3687, Reuben Rankin, (Col) Mount Holly. 265-1300, James Britton Tate, Kings Mountain. 266-2124, Defoe Armster Knight Belmont. 267-1673, Mackey Ferdinand Lawing, Mount Holly. 268-1887, George Robert Nichols, McAdenville. 269-2707, Ervin Hollifield Morrison, Cherryville. 270-298, Jas. Macbeth Sprouse, Gastonia. 271-3273, John Robinson, (Col.) Gastonia. 272-3690, William Smith, (Col.) Mount Holly. 273-3176, Manuel Glenn, (Col.), Gastonia, R-1. 274-2438, Millard Price, Mayworth. 275-2850, Will Arrowood, Gastonia. 276-3073, Sam Thomas, Dallas. 277-675, Roscoe Queen, Gastonia. 278-3015, John Fritz Mobley, Dallas. 279-2132, Claude Washington Hestler, Belmont. 280-1769, Manuel Walker Clemmer, Lowell, R-2. 281-1294, David Franklin Smith, Kings Mountain. 282-1148, Jonas Malcom Robinson, Gastonia. 283-1647, John Freeman Hope, Mount Holly. 284-2558, James Arthur Black, Cherryville. 285-1354, George Thomas Bumgarner, Bessemer City. 286-1906, Edgar Marshall Ruffelt, McAdenville. 287-2917, James Bailey (no address). 288-2297, Jesse Lamb, Lowell. 289-343, John Heiam White, Gastonia. 290-2008, Jess Carl Burns, Belmont. 291-2414, Frank Earl McArver, Lowell. 292-1613, William Leslie Dellinger, Mount Holly. 293-2100, Edward William Hoiler, Belmont. 294-982, Henry Bryan Lewis, Gastonia, R-4. 295-3325, Ferdinand Virgil Watson, (Col.), Gastonia, R-1. 296-2467, Carlos Carlisle Stroup, Lowell. 297-726, John William Starnes, Gastonia, R-2. 298-3529, Clarence William, (Col.), Belmont. 299-15, Lloyd James Bynum, Gastonia. 300-905, Walter Charlie Fortner, Gastonia. 301-933, George Bryce Huss, Gastonia. 302-3009, Jacob Spurgeon McFadden, Dallas. 303-3478, John Ervin, (Col.), Belmont. 304-2331, Sam William Ellington, Lowell. 305-1531, Weaver Calvin Edwards, Stanley, RFD. 306-3613, Will Miller, Lowell. 307-2861, Jasper Ruff Brown, Worth. 308-3079, Ernest Gainwell Tailer, Dallas. 309-2915, Ben T. Frayley, Bessemer City. 310-2209, Rev. Gerrard Rettger, Belmont. 311-1288, Grady Alexander Rhea Kings Mountain. 312-452, Morris Britton Clemmer, Gastonia. 313-3572, Thos. Brannon, (Col), Lowell. 314-355, Joseph Sidney Winget, Gastonia. 315-1843, Miles Cloninger, McAdenville.

- 316-530, James Marshall Hawkins, Gastonia. 317-809, Charles Ed Wesson, Gastonia. 318-2579, Herbert L. Crocker, Cherryville. 319-1114, Charles Clinton Walker, Gastonia. 320-3206, Lloyd Collins Jamison Boyce, Gastonia. 321-3715, Andrew Froneberger, (Col.), Stanley. 322-3808, Jack Rives, (Col.), Bessemer City. 323-2826, Luther Andrew Kiser, Bessemer City, R-1. 324-3796, Bright Elliott, (Col.), Cherryville. 325-2607, Grady Dellinger, Cherryville. 326-2473, James M. Singleton, Lowell. 327-3319, Willie Wilson, Gastonia. 328-1470, Henry Price, Bessemer City. 329-645, George Burgin Mauney, Gastonia. 330-2135, Roy Clayton Redford, Belmont. 331-2622, Earle E. Davis, Cherryville. 332-218, Paul Miller, Gastonia. 333-200, Thomas Grady McAllister, Gastonia. 334-1334, Jim Lewis Allan, Bessemer City. 335-3084, Leodis Polk Willis, Dallas. 336-550, Lester Roy Hoffman, Gastonia. 337-3245, Tom Nelson, (Col.), Dallas. 338-3123, Boyce Ballard, Gastonia. 339-1611, Lemuel David Dagenhardt, Mount Holly. 340-574, Walter Farris Kincaid, Gastonia. 341-3556, Sam Jim Knox, (Col.), Gastonia. 342-2778, William LaFayette Hatin, Bessemer City, RFD. 343-31, Lawrence Eugene Bell, Gastonia. 344-1432, Joseph Robert Lutz, Bessemer City. 345-1727, Luther Allen Taylor, Mount Holly. 346-2947, Robert Clarence Dixon, Belmont. 347-3711, William Manuel Froneberger, (Col.), Lowell. 348-3230, Isatah Mason, (Col.), Gastonia. 349-2817, Julius Grady Ferris, Bessemer City. 350-2740, Thos. Cleveland Seif, Cherryville. 351-981, Roy Crisp, Gastonia. 352-1848, Albert Thos. Church, McAdenville. 353-3376, John Hudson, Col., Gastonia. 354-2662, James Dart Hobbs, Cherryville. 355-1570, Arthur Little Stroup, Stanley. 356-2884, Loy Walter Cloninger, Bessemer City, RFD. 357-2885, Clarence Gray Cloninger, Dallas. 358-1817, Lon James Spargo, Lowell, R-2. 359-2577, John Sidney Carpenter, Cherryville. 360-770, Verge Baxter Short, Gastonia. 361-882, Russel Earle Conrad, Gastonia. 362-3570, Luther Birdell, (Col.), Lowell. 363-2078, Ralph Gilliam, Mt. Holly. 364-677, Leonidas Lloyd Quinn, Gastonia. 365-2119, John William Harrison, Belmont. 366-2360, Walter Hughes, Lowell. 367-749, Jacob Henry Seamon, Gastonia. 368-2269, John Lester Whitner, Belmont. 369-3304, Frank Vance, (Col.), Gastonia. 370-3450, Charles Stringfellow, Gastonia. 371-2592, Jesse Lohr Carroll, Cherryville. 372-3736, Joe Morrison, (Col.), Mt. Holly. 373-2758, John Lawrence Speake, Cherryville. 375-1509, Cleophus Terry, Bessemer City. 376-1211, Lee Roy Webb, Gastonia. 378-3342, Lon Duff, (Col.), Gastonia. 379-1417, Edward Lee Jenkins, Bessemer City. 380-1574, Charles Lee Alexander Mount Holly. 381-2034, Marvin Early Carr, Belmont. 382-2434, Otis Peeler, Lowell. 383-3770, Otto Joshua Jackson Youngblood, (Col.), Bessemer City. 384-3087, Henry David Wyont, Dallas. 385-750, Fred B. Spake, Gastonia. 386-183, Emanuel Hoyle, (Col.), Dallas. 387-3435, Frank Collins, Bowling Green, S. C. 388-56, William Edgar Coble, Gastonia. 389-2695, Robert LeRoy Moore, Cherryville. 390-1276, Walter Lee Ormand, Kings Mountain. 391-3685, Will Rankin, (Col.), Mount Holly. 392-1791, Thomas Johnson Moss, Stanley. 393-1956, David McAllister Riddle, Gastonia, R-2. 394-792, Joseph Franklin White, Gastonia. 395-2128, Perry Lemuel Kistler, Belmont. 396-3612, Benjamin McLeary, Lowell. 397-3311, Baxter Woodruff, col., Gastonia. 398-3692, Ernest Stowe, (Col.), Mt. Holly. 399-3469, Jas. Cochrane, (Col.), Belmont. 400-3059, Samuel Charles Shelton, Dallas. 401-5, Arthur Alexander Armstrong, Gastonia. 402-350, Sidney Oliver Walker, Jr., Gastonia. 403-1580, James Gordon Buford, Mt. Holly. 404-54, Charlie Columbus Coble, Gastonia. 405-2698, John Lee Matoney, Cherryville. 406-2365, Brady Lee Hendrix, Lowell.

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