### TO PUT AGITA-TORS IN JAIL

Federal Officials in the Country Told To Act With Promptness

Washington, May 29 .- Attorney General Gregory today instructed throughout the country to use their utmost efforts to arrest and prosecute all persons responsible for the agitation which has manifested itself in localities from New England to Texas against the registration June of men subject to selective draft.

This agitation has made itself felt omewhat in many sections, but thus far there apparently is little conection between the outbreaks. Officials have undertaken an exhaustive investigation to determine if the whole anti-draft sentiment is not rooted in extensive machinations of German public service 144,000; domestic and propagandists in this country, havng a central headquarters.

Germans Back of Jt. Color to this theory is lent, in some degree, by the marked similarity in the method of precedure in widely separated communities. Some officials believe that the entire agitation is manufactured by Germans who, baffled in their original program calling for an armed uprising of German reservists in this country upon America's entry into the war, have turned their energies to this method of hindering the military plans of the government.

If such is the case, the conspiracy will come to nothing, officials believe The department of justice, it was au thoritatively announced tonight, expects 100 per cent of eligibles to reglater, and prompt prosecution under will be instituted in the few cases where the law is not observed. Report Slackers.

To bring out the full registration Attorney General Gregory today invited the entire nation to constitute itself a committee of the whole, and every man of military age a committee of one to report alackers.

tion is not only expected by the dopartment of justice to comply with the law," reads an official statement. promtply reported for prosecution under the criminal provisions of the Attorney General Gregory invites all young men of the country to co-operate in the enforcement of the law as a part of their patriotic

CHILDREN'S DAY AT DUKE

Mr. Middleton in Town. Methodist

Duke May 28 .- Children's Day was celebrated at the Methodist Church Sunday morning. In addition to the little folks, the names of all babies ing the roll the following infants were baptized: Harvey Edwards, Nacmi Faircloth, William Holt Man-

ees, Elnor Edwards. Mr. E. L. Middleton, Sunday school Secretary of the Baptist State Con-Sanday holding three services in interest of the Sunday School work Saturday night he gave an illustrated lecture using a stereoptican and slided Illustrating the Sunday School work, covering the subjects of Building and Equipment, Grading the Schools, Organized Classes, and Teacher Training. His lectures Sunday morning and night covered sub-Mr. Middleton was the guest of Mr. D. C. Barbee, superintendent of the Baptist Sunday School.

Mr. G. W. Perry, of the Haw River Circuit, will arrive in Duke Monday afternoon to assist Rev. W. L. Manem in a ten day revival at the Meth-

The Pirst National Bank of Dunn has decided to open a Liberty Bond appear in next week's issue of the Dispatch. It will be conducted sim-Sar to a Christmas Savings club. The person who purchases a \$50.00 bond will be permitted to pay for it in weekly installments of \$1.00. The ratio will prevail in the purchase of bonds of larger denomina tions. Several have already subscribed for bonds under this arrangement and it in the duty of others to patriotic and do their part.

Memrs. Lewis Adley and Edward Strickland spent Sunday and Mon-day in Clayton and Roleigh. OVER HALF UNMARRIED MEN

Total of Bachelors Within Draft Age Limits is 5,372,400, Bureau of Consus at Washington Re-

By a census bureau estimate Saturday classifying the more than 10,-000,000 men within the military draft age limit, the number of single mon United States attorneys and marshals is placed at 5,372,400 and the number of married at 4,645,900.

The estimate was prepared on basis of a normal increase in population since the 1910 census and on the assumption that the ratio between married and single men is the same as at that time.

The classification by chief occupa tions is given as follws:

and mechanical industries 3,080,000; ed to prosecute promptly any per-no gainful occupations 500,500; trans portation 967,000; trade 154,000; personal service 441,000; professional service 335,000; clerical occupations 374,000; extraction of mineral

ed, will not exempt any particular classes of industry from conscription but will deal with cases individ-Individuals, however, whose work, is considered necessary to preserve an economic balance will be exempted. Nearly every line of industry, it is said, has appealed to the war department for exemption of its workers

Some few classifications are included in the figures.

INTENSIVE FARMING.

Mr. B. O. Townsond Will Produ \$15,000.00 Worth of Farm Products on 50 Acres.

Mr. B. O. Townsend, insurance agent, real estate man and farmer tween the 5th and 20th of June. From available material. he tweny-five acres he planted in o about \$8,000.60.

ast outside the corporate limits of clude or discharge from the draft is the model farm of this section He has it planted in corn, cotton who should register does so, or is beans and potatoes and has a splenlid crop of each of the above. Cotton is planted between the potato men available for draft under the act ows and during the recent cold of Congress, are married and any weather the potato vines protect the sweeping exclusion of married men ers or young sisters or brothers decotton from exposure and it receiv- would, therefore, be inadvisable. On- pendent upon them, will not be called of hereditary autrocrate who have ed no backset as a result of the ly those whose dependents must rely out on the first call to firms. It is made unto themselves and unto their unusual weather. He will get his solely upon them for support should also generally believed that those usual crop of cotton from this land claim exemption and of course all with serious physical defects will be and he has managed it in such a way married men between the ages of left out for all time. It is believed that his potato crop is extra, according to the usual one-crop style of whether or not they propose to claim those healthy single men, who have tween the ages of twenty-one and farming which prevails in this see-

The work Mr. Townsend is doing on his farm is attracting the atten tion of all who see it. It is demon very pleasing exercises given by the strative in nature and shows what day and brought the news of the cards at the end of the conscription by them between now and the Fifth on the Cradle Roll were called and section if poeple will go at it in the Upper Little River township last Sunwill sort them out and insue orders citizenship and commands of the law, each precinct in the State take pleasand halv present was presented with right way. If a few farmers in each day by two of his deputies. Means ones to mobilize at the The membership of the county in the country had caught the McArtan and Upchurch. Eight men proper cantonment. It is not believe Cradle Roll totals forty-nine and a spirit and had produced as effective large percent of these were present. ly and as plentifully as Mr. Town-At the regular Sunday School hour, rend has done they would be better in Raleigh, the other three being able signation, Miss Ethel Jolly was elec. not be threatened with a food fam- court. Three of the eight men were months. ted Superintendent of the Cradle Roll ine. It is conservatively estimated department with Miss Rosa Thomas that the gross receipts from his as assistant. Immediately after call- farm this year, provided prices remain good and an average crop is made, will total about \$15,000.00. were brought to Dunn Monday morn There will be a nice profit in this for otton alone would have netted, and his patriotic duty by doing his bit toward helping to feed the world.

### J. S. DRAUGHON DEAD

Prominent Business Man of Concor Died Last Night. Had Relatives Here.

Mr. J. S. Draughon died sudden y at his home in Concord last night ews of his death reached the city this morning, Mr. George P. Owens, 

Sampson county and was about 55 by Mr. George A. Pope from the years of age. He was a prominent country near Dunn. The boy seems business man of Coucord, whore he to have chosen the wrong turn on had made his home for a number of Main street and ran directly in front FOR FIVE MILLION AMERICANS rears. He was a married man and of the coming automobile. The leaves a widow and two children, brakes of the car were hurled on at His business career was a success, once but the front wheels of the and during the past few years had imaged a fortune. He had visited the Dunn and has relatives here and hind wheels. However, the boy, was

Within the past two weeks quite number of Dunn boys and girls save returned home from the varius Colleges and Universities of this and other States. They are home they will spend the week with their or the summer and it seems good o have them with us again. They ere a great asset to the town and their presence enlivens things to no small extent.

## **WARNING ISSUED BY** ATTORNEY GENERAL

For Those Who Would Attempt Prevent Registration

Washington, May 27 .- Criminal prosecution awaits persons who attempt to prevent registration under the War Army bill by propaganda or otherwise. Attorney General Greory announced tonight that his atlation of propaganda designed to discourage registration, and that the government would deal vigorously

"Such action is a plain violation of the law," said Mr. Gregory, "and Agriculture, forestry and animal of the law," said Mr. Gregory, "and husbandry 2,864,000; manufacturing the Department of Justice is preparofficers and agents of the department throughout the country have been instructed to watch carefully for violations of this law.

"In addition to penalties contain- of the United States and in the act which made evasion a Corps, and the officers Pederal Penal Code makes it a criminal offense punishable with not more than six (6) years of imprisonment for any two or more persons who conspire together to "hinder, prevent or delay the execution of any law of the United States."

SOME MARRIED MEN LIABLE

war department today sets at rest the general belief that every married the general belief that every married Punishment for failur man would be excluded from the first is one year's imprise levy. The anouncement means that making false statement men whose wives or children have year's imprisonment w means of support will be liable to quent enforced regist military service.

one-half of the men available for old his crop of potatoes recently for conscription under the law are mar-\$6.00 per barrel, f. o. b. cars at ried. Any sweeping exclusion of mar-They are to be delivered be- ried men would seriously deplete the been on the side of th

potatoes he hopes to harvest at least by the provost marshal general's of-1,500 barrels, which will amount gross fice states:

Mr. Townsend's farm is located draft authorizes the President to ex- obtain exemption. those in a status with respect to tion upon the first tall persons dependent upon them for sup brought into the service on the secestimate shows that almost half the to demand the mes-

BIG STILL CAPTURED SUNDAY

were captured at the time the still ed that this will require any great was taken, five of whom are in jail length of time, but that the work of P. m. off financially, and the people would to give bond for their appearance at be well under way within a few

The entire party was carried to PATRIOTIC CITIZENS where they spent Sunday night. They ing, and three of them gave bond, aphe owner, a great deal more than proved by U. S. Commissioner were taken to Raleigh.

The still was a large one and was made of copper. It was destroyed by

BOY RUN OVER AND HURT

a Sampson who will learn of his not hurt seriously though jarred up udden death with regret and sorrow. somewhat. He is reported as getting along all right now and is already on the job again.

> Monday for Richmond, Va., where daughtet, Mrs. Stephenson.

Mrs. J. A. McCetter, of Vandemere, is here on a visit to her moth-er, Mrs. Jenetta Barnes

# THOSE WHO MUST RESTER

Dunn, N. C. May 3

Every Young Man Bets of 21 and 30 Must Nothing Excuses ried Man Net Exe Registration June 5th.

about the conscription law that all should read

age of 21 on June 5. () birthday is June 5, they

fore June 5 or whose all birthday omes on June 5.
Men in the Navy or B of the United States,

Corps.
Men in the National Naval Militia actually i

Men in the enlisted ectively engaged in se United States on June

excuse any failure to. June 5. National Gua mustered into service be must also register.

also one cases. It is also added where a artiale. able mis-There has been cons

rather than those who The anouncement prepared today register. Briefly stated by the provost marshal general's oflice states:

"The act establishing the selective iraft authorizes the President to any of several reasons, he is the president to any of several reasons, he is the president to any of several reasons, he is the president to any of several reasons, he is the president to any of several reasons, he is the president to any of several reasons, he is the president to any of several reasons, he is the president to any of several reasons. for one Some will doubtless

port which renders their exclusion and, or third, or fourth or some later or discharge advisable. The census call, should the war last long enough

21 and 30, inclusive, must register that the first call will be issued to day of all the men in the State beno one depending upon them or who do not have jobs that are of more systematic work. I ther fore urge, economic worth to the Government than are the men as soldiers.

training the new National Army will

Following is a list of patriotic citizens and corporations of Dunn who Young, after which the other five Bonds through the First National. have subscribed for Liberty Loan

the Sheriff and several gallons of State Bank & Trust Co.\_\_\_\_1,000,00 register in person or send his card no whiskey and a large quantity of beer H. L. Godwin ......1000.00 that the people of the county are P. A. Leo\_\_\_\_\_\_100.00 opposed to further blockadeing. R. L. Howard\_\_\_\_\_100.00 Eugene T. Lec.\_\_\_\_250.00 

will bring in \$500,000,000 toward the the first call. But if a man show liberty Loan and naure its success, for already very heavy subscriptions have been made by banks, trust comand people of wealth. It is the person of moderate means that the gov-Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Hornaday left ernment desires to reach, and to this law. end it offers a very safe and attractive investment. There is ample time allowed in which to make payments. Make it a point to buy a bond this week, and thereby do your bit for the men who will soon be carrying the Stars and Stripes in France.

## STREET PAVING ABOUT COMPLETED

Contract Will Be Finished All Streets Opened Up

The contractors are finishing their work of paving the streets of the Play Pestival is a big free event date 45,000 square yards of sheet for the gala week. It is a great date 45,000 square yards of sneet for the gain week. It is a great asphalt has been put down, which frolic for everybody—men women leaves a balance of 20,000 square and children. The play leader and the local assistant will be in charge the next six weeks if there is no of the frolic and will have interestunavoidable delay. This work has ing events for everybody. Come prebeen pushed during the past sixty days, the weather having been more favorably than during the winter and carly spring. Mr. Rolfe, the forewill be completed within six weeks when he will take his force to Eden ton to begin on a similar contract.

payed towns in North Carolina phalt paving, and in addition to this of concrete side walks, which will in-clude all the important sidewalks in the city. All this work has been done under a contract which was made before the trumendous advance in materials and at a price twentyfive per cent chesper than the same class of work is being done for today June 5 In this respect the town has been for tunate and credit is the to those who financed the project.

THE DAY AND ITS DUTIES

An Appeal by The Governor to

North Carlinians, the Fifth day of June draws nigh. It behooves on that day-the day whereon a mighty nation in the register its con sceration to s ponce. The day is destined to loom large in history, and will be forester linked with a world-wide acce

no longer division or debate. With

But the registration in a single thirty-one calls for persistent and 1. That all ministers of the gos-

pel of every race and creed call at-The registrars will send in the tention at every service conducted land can be made to produce in this capture of a large whiskey still in period and the Government experts of June to the following duties of the requirements of the law, and let

congention in the closing hours. and black alike. Ministers and teachers of the colored race are requested to emphasize the fact that all colored men between the perscribed

ages are required to register in preisely the same manner as the whites (4) That no physical disability will excuse a man for failing to register. If he is between twenty-one and thirty-one years of age he must matter what his physical condition may be. The question of exempt ing him from service on account of ed at a later day. It in no way af-

fects the obligation imposed upon (5) That if a party willfully fails rested. Our people must be given to understand that they have no discre tion in this matter. If their names de not appear on the registration cards when they are canvassed, a warrant will be sworn out against them at \$5,550.00 once. I sincerely trust that not a justice to all men and of peace man in North Carolina will be ar-rested for failing to do his duty.

(9) That of the men who regis ter on the 5th day of June prot-If 5,000,000 Americans each subany disposition to avoid or evade his responsibility he will in all probability be the first man who will be sen panies, large corporations of all kinds to the training camps. In every conceivable aspect it will pay the citizen to cheerfully comply with the

State to call attention to the six matcers above mentioned in every issue of the paper from now until registra tion day. 3. I urge all traveling men, rural

mail carries, physicians who practice

COMMUNITY PLAY PESTIVAL

clock, really marks the opening of the coming chautauqua. The reguup lar program begins the next day but aix or eight weeks to start the week with the burst of occasion. There will be old games, new games, ball games, singing games competitive games, games for the children, games for the young folks, games for the old folks, and even grandmothers. It is surprising how to see every member of the Per young folks grow on such occasions. There will be stunts, contests Three season tickets will be the reward for the winners of this event. Come on youngstern, and win a tick-et! Come everybody and help start

the chautauqua off right! This event s better than something to look at: it is something to engage in. Come on and start the blood going again in your veins! Get the glow in your cheeks! Feel again what full round laughter is and what it means to forget yourself in the enthusiasm of the game and to have your side win. A Wook With The Junior Chau-

DAILY PROGRAM raing Preceding Opening Day. 7:00 p. m. Play Pestival.

First and Second Day-Thursday an Priday, June 7th, and 8th. 9:00 a. m. Play hour-Child ren under 12 10:00 a. m. Gan

and over 3:00 p. m. Story Hone 7:00 p. m. Sunset Play Hour d Day-Saturday, June 9th. 5:30 or 6 n. m. Hiko and Racor

Bat-Children 12 and ower 10:00 a. m. Play Hour Ch ren under 1:

3:00 p. m. Story Hour th Day-Monday, June 11th.

9:00 a. m. Play Hour-Child-10:15 a. m. Gamesand older

3:00 p. m. Story Hour 7:00 p. m. Parade and Rally

4. I urge every man who knows about registration day to deem it bis patriotic duty to see to it that every his patriotic duty his patriotic du will be open at 7 a. m. on Tuesday, man in that precinct shall be arrested the 5th day of June and close at 9 for failure to do his duty.

5. I suggest that on Sunday after noon, June 3rd, or on the night of s'clock. The public is cordially ter carly in the day in order to avoid lune 4th, there be held in every town | vited to attend and city in the State a patriotic rally. (3) That the law applies to white Let there be music and flags, and a great outpouring of the people and then let some one briefly and clearly I do not ask that June 5th be

made a holiday. That question may be safely left to the judgment of each community and to those in charge of the industries of the State If a field needs cultivating, if maorder to most the exigencies of the times, work ought not to be suspendd in order to make a boliday. earnestly trust that throughout the State the day may be made one of consecration and prayer. I do urge that every man who can spare time will turn out on registration day and assist in every possible way in securing a complete registration in very precinet.

the family, go to the place of regis-tration with the boy who is to record his name as a champion of T. W. BICKETT.

M.KAY-BRANDON

Mr. and Mrs. John Archibald Mc-Xay, request the honor of your pre-ence of the marriage of their laughter, Mary Christianni, and Dr. William Rocwell Brandon, on the vening of Thursday, the seventh of fune, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, at nine o'clock. First

At home

teptist Church, Dunn, North Caro

# WORK MAPPED **OUT FOR ALL**

en and Children Will b

life are given places for active ser-vice in the program for the liberty loan week beginning next Saturday made public tonight by the treasury

Treasury officials also s to all members of the American Fed aid the government in

rames for the grandfathers and the ors. He udded that he would like

ganized labor on behalf of the loan The liberty loan week program for Saturday and Sunday, June 2 and Liberty loan days in the churchce. Clergymen will preach special

Monday, June 4-Merchants and manufacturers liberty loan day on

of the jaxue. and insurance men's liberty loan day Every insurance agent in the country will devote the entire day to soliciting the subscriptions to the bonds and professional men also will de-

Wednesday, June 6.—Liberty loss labor day and automobilists' liberty loan day.

Thursday, June 7 .- Farm erty loan day. Members of gran ed other farmers' organisa

This appeal to the members the League to Enforce Peace voice by former President Taft, its presi-

ent, was issued tonight: "The liberty loan should be the mind of every citizen now as the establishment of a lasting per The obligation to subscribe rests pecially upon the members of the League to Enforce Peace. Victory means, in their view, something more than even the success of the United States and our affer. Service to the to our country, and the way to serve

### ROUTE S ITEMS

Rev. J. A. Rialock, of Dunn, will 11 his regular appointment at lee's Chapel next Sunday morning at 11 Mr. Ed Stricklund was a visite

Mr. Joseph Lee attended charel n town Sunday eveni Mr. E. G. Lee left Tuesday after

noon for a Fayetteville Hospital there the will be operated on for a broat trouble. We hope her reovery will be rapid. Min Parl Avence ettended preach ng at Long Branch Sunday morn-

Mrs. O. T. Wilson, of Dunn, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Glov-

Marion, son of Mr. P. N. Butler, was taken to the Hospital in Payette-

Miss Esther Jessup and Miss Mattie Clark are visiting Miss Myrtle Lee. They will return to their home

Miss Myrice Lee and a few others rere in Fayetteville Sunday after Miss Bettie Costs attended church

Mr. and Mrs. Zannie Tart visited friends in this community Sunday. Sunday school started at Lee's Chapel Sunday morning and will be held each Sunday morning hereafter. The public of this community is urg-

od to attend.
Mr. Wesley Lee called to see Mire Maggie Tadlock Sunday afternoon. BLUE EYES.

Miss Corrine Jackson has d from the Flors McDonald Co. ted Springs, where she was a

Mr. George Monds, of Flores 2., visited relatives in town this work. Mr. Monds formerly, was a