

NEXT DRAFT IN FEBRUARY

PRESIDENT HAS SET MACHINERY FOR DRAFT REGULATIONS—REGISTERED MEN SUBJECT TO SERVICE BY FIVE CLASSES.

Washington, Nov. 10.—President Wilson Monday put the new machinery for carrying out of the selective draft act into operative effect by the publication of the foreword to the regulations under which the second call will be made. The regulations themselves require that men who are subject to service will be required to file their names being forwarded to local boards, but have not yet been made public.

AT TOBACCO ACCIDENT

Messrs. Hogan and Riker, Injured When Car Turns over on Kings Mountain Road.

Messrs. E. B. Hogan Jr., and F. E. Riker, both of Gastonia who are working on Mr. Lee Packard's home on North Morgan street were badly injured yesterday morning when the automobile in which they were driving turned over on the Kings Mountain road just beyond the Buffalo bridge. Mr. Hogan was driving and the two men were coming to Shelby to work. Mr. Hogan having the car turned over on the Kings Mountain road just beyond the Buffalo bridge. Mr. Hogan was driving and the two men were coming to Shelby to work. Mr. Hogan having the car turned over on the Kings Mountain road just beyond the Buffalo bridge.

Change of Soldiers' Hats.

The wide-brimmed campaign hats have been abandoned by the United States army for troops actually in the field. In their place hats like the fatigue headgear of the French army have been adopted. Numbers of them have been purchased and hurried to the troops now in the trenches. The old hats were too cumbersome.

Bryan Pursued by Wild Bull.

Chandler, Ariz., Nov. 7.—William J. Bryan, former secretary of state, was saved from a wild bull by the presence of a mesquite tree on the desert near here yesterday. Mr. Bryan and R. A. Hayward, superintendent of the Pima Indian reservation, were duck hunting when they were chased by the bull and succeeded in reaching the mesquite tree. Other members of the hunting party shot and killed the bull. Mr. Bryan was unhurt, but lost part of his hunting suit in the flight from the animal.

Rochester Sent to Bottom.

The American steamship Rochester was torpedoed and sunk at dusk on November 2, according to a London dispatch of Thursday. Four sailors are known to have lost their lives when the vessel sank. A boat with the second mate and 13 men are missing. Captain and 29 men have landed.

MR. M. M. MAUNEY DIES AT AGE 73

ONE OF THE COUNTY'S MOST SUBSTANTIAL CITIZENS—WAS COUNTY COMMISSIONER, A BUILDER OF BRIDGES, PIONEER FARMER AND ROAD CONSTRUCTOR.

Mr. Marcus M. Mauney, one of the county's most substantial and widely known citizens, died rather suddenly at his home in No. 8 township Friday afternoon at 2:20 following an illness of two days in which he suffered with inflammation of the heart. The news of the death of this esteemed citizen was learned with deepest sorrow by his host of friends and the suddenness with which it came cast a gloom over the entire county in the growth of which he had played such a prominent part. A pioneer in farming and road building, a conscientious public servant as county commissioner, a builder of manufacturing plants and a constructor rather than a destructor, Mr. Mauney had few equals and he has left a name that will be pointed to with pride and left influence that will be felt for years to come.

The funeral was conducted yesterday by Rev. A. C. Irvin, his comrade in the war and Rev. D. G. Washburn and the interment was at Union church with Masonic ceremony, the Shelby, Camp Call, Lawdale and Lattimore lodges officiating. There was an immense throng at the church to witness the last sad rites at 11 o'clock and pay tribute to his valuable life to the county. He was a Master Mason and held his membership with Cleveland lodge No. 202, Shelby until he moved it to Camp Call to help form that lodge. There was a bountiful floral offering and the religious and Masonic ceremonies were simple and impressive.

Marcus M. Mauney was born September 23rd 1844, the son of John Mauney. Mr. Marcus Mauney's grandfather was Christian Mauney who came to this country from Rotterdam, Holland, leaving that port in a sailing vessel named "Phoenix" August 28th, 1789 and arriving on an Atlantic seaboard about the 15th of September. Being of Dutch stock he brought with him his Dutch Bible, Dutch habits, customs and hardihood. He settled in old Tryon county where the first court of that county was held in his home. Mauney reunions have been held for a number of years at Tryon where the forefather of the deceased Marcus Mauney settled and lived.

16 Children Survive.

The home place of Marcus Mauney was purchased from Barwell Blanton in January, 1873. It was the John M. Tucker plantation and with the transfer went the mill site, saw mill and big steers. Mr. Mauney moved to his present homestead after he was married to Miss Sallie Bailey of Fort Mills, S. C. in June 1876. To this union were born the following children, who are among the most substantial young men of the county: Mill Friday night, Mr. Gardner was 61 years of age and leaves a wife and four children. He was married to Miss Kaziah Williams, former register of deeds of the county.

Mr. Gardner is the inventor of a heating device which is said to be a success and will revolutionize power and heat. He had a machine which will generate heat at a very low cost from water and crude oil and his invention has been tried out by experts who found that it will develop motor power and heat at much less cost of the modern devices. Three prominent Concord men have been interested in his proposition and have been backing him financially. It is said that his ingenious invention has already been yielding him a handsome royalty and will bring fame and fortune to his name in later years.

Daughters of Confederacy Meet.

There will be a meeting of the Daughters of the Confederacy in the court house Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. It is earnestly desired that all members be present as this is the time for the election of officers. Each lady is asked to bring a jar of fruit or preserves to be sent to the old soldiers' home.

A Play at Fallston November 24.

The senior and junior classes of the Fallston high school will give a play, entitled "The Private Tutor", on Saturday night, November 24, 1917, at 7:30 o'clock. The play takes the nature of a comedy and will interest all who hear it. Admission will be, adults 25 cents, children 15 cents. The proceeds to go to the school.

Notice.

The Musical which was to have been given Thursday night at the Baptist church has been postponed until the following week.

SOCIETY NEWS

Shelby Kindly Keep Us Posted. No. 11 Phone No. 63

Knitting Up The Stairs (By Elizabeth C. Porter.)

My great aunt Sarah never made Her children knit on chairs. They went and sat, to do their stunt, Upon the front hall stairs.

And on the first step "once around," Once on the second one, They raced each other up the stairs, And made their knitting—fun!

The children are knitting for the Red Cross. Help them to make it fun. Every woman who can possibly spare an hour of her time is urged to spend it at the Red Cross work room this week.

Ishpeming Club With Miss Beth Andrews.

Miss Beth Andrews delightfully entertained the members of the Ishpeming club and a few invited guests at her attractive home on South Washington street Saturday afternoon.

This being a Red Cross meeting, a busy hour was spent making muslin bandages. These young ladies had a merry time instructing each other in the art of plying the needle. But proof of their work is that about 20 bandages were made.

Thursday Afternoon Club With Mrs. Mull.

Mrs. O. M. Mull delightfully entertained the members of the Thursday Afternoon club and a few invited guests, Thursday afternoon at her home on North LaFayette street.

Red Cross Notes.

Today is the day set apart to pack the Christmas boxes to be sent to our soldiers in France. Sixty packages is the part of the allotment to this chapter that is to be sent to France the rest is to be used for the nearby cantonments.

Mrs. Gardner Hostess to Twentieth Century Club.

The Twentieth Century club enjoyed an interesting literary meeting Friday afternoon with Mrs. O. M. Gardner as the cordial hostess.

Bingham a Great Success.

Mr. Ralph Bingham, one of America's foremost platform humorists delightfully entertained a large audience on Friday evening Nov. 2. His varied program included monologues, pirolques, brand new jokes, violin solos, dialect poems and last but not least a patriotic paragraph, without which no program, is at present complete. He swayed his audience at will, taking them from the pathos of the crimina leourt to the boisterous jollity of the possum hunting gang.

Heavy Sentences Imposed.

Camp Dodge, Iowa, Nov. 7.—Fifteen years at hard labor in a federal penitentiary was the sentence given Otto Wangaerin, of St. Paul, Minn., a draft law evader, in the first conviction by general court martial at this cantonment. J. G. Stivers, of Cazenovia, Ill., a member of Company to five years in the Federal prison for theft of \$10, it also was made known.

Over a thousand country people saw Womanhood at the Grand when it was shown during the summer.

If you did not, then arrange to bring all of your family to see it Friday and Saturday. It is worth coming many miles to see.

THE BLESSINGS WE ENJOY

SHOULD BE MADE OBJECT OF THANKSGIVING—THESE ARE BETTER THAN MERE PEACE OF MIND, SAYS PRESIDENT.

President Wilson has issued his 1917 Thanksgiving proclamation, calling upon nation, even in the midst of the sorrow and great peril of a world shaken by war, to thank God for blessings that are better than mere peace of mind and prosperity of enterprise.

The proclamation, fixing Thursday, November 29, as Thanksgiving day, follows: "It has long been the honored custom of our people to turn in the fruitful autumn of the year in praise and thanksgiving to Almighty God for His many blessings and mercies to us as a nation. That custom we can follow now even in the midst of the tragedy of a world shaken by war and immeasurable disaster, in the midst of sorrows and great peril, because even amidst the darkness that has gathered about us we can see the great blessings God has bestowed upon us, blessings that are better than mere peace of mind and prosperity of enterprise."

"We have been given the opportunity to serve mankind as we once served ourselves in the great day of our Declaration of Independence, by taking up arms against a tyranny that threatened to master and debase men everywhere and joining with other free peoples in demanding for all the nations of the world what we then demanded and obtained for ourselves. In this day of the revelation of our duty not only to defend our own rights as a nation, but to defend also the rights of free men throughout the world there has been vouchsafed us in full and inspiring measure the resolution and spirit of united action. We have been brought to one mind and purpose. A new vigor of common counsel and common action has been revealed in us."

"We should especially thank God that in such circumstances, in the midst of the greatest enterprise the spirits of men have ever entered upon we have if we but observe a reasonable and practicable economy, abundance with which to supply the needs of those associated with us as well as our own. A new light shines about us. The great duties of a new day awaken new and greater national spirit in us. We shall never again be divided or wonder what stuff we are made of."

"And while we render thanks for these things let us pray Almighty God that in all humbleness of spirit we may look always to Him for guidance; that we may be kept constant in the spirit and purpose of service; that by His grace our minds may be directed and our hands strengthened, and that in His good time liberty and security and peace and the comradeship of a common justice may be vouchsafed all the nations of the earth."

"Wherefore I, Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States of America, do hereby designate Thursday, the 29th day of November next, as a day of thanksgiving and prayer, and invite the people throughout the land to cease upon that day from their several homes and places of worship to render thanks to God, the great ruler of nations."

"In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed. "Done in the District of Columbia, this 7th day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and of the independence of the United States of America the one hundred and forty-second.

"WOODROW WILSON, "By the President: "Robert Lansing, Secretary of State."

A Psychological Army.

New Bedford Standard. Science it appears is to determine promotions in the new army. No longer will a captain, in need of a sergeant say: "Oh, give it to Bill Jones. He's a good old scout, and has a head on him and the boys have confidence in him." Instead the psychologists, an the psychopaths of the psychiatrist and the other descendants of Psyche will take hold of Bill and put calipers on him, and measure the distance from the lobe of the left ear to the apex of the cranium and decide whether he shall be a sergeant or a private, a bomber or a trench digger. It seems rather rough on Bill, because he has no voice in deciding whether the men who examine him are fit to be rated as psychologists or should be driving a team.

For Pop Corn Poppers, Food Grinders, Rayo Lamps, Lanterns, Plow Repairs, Stoves, etc, go to Lineberger's

If you haven't seen "Womanhood" then be sure and see it at the Grand Theatre Friday and Saturday.