

Designating specified persons as enemies.

Now, Therefore, I, Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States of America, pursuant to the authority vested in me by said Act, and in accordance with the provisions thereof, do find hereby that the following named individuals, and bodies and classes of individuals, are natives, citizens, or subjects of a nation with which the United States is at war, and that the safety of the United States and the successful prosecution of the war require that said individuals, and bodies and classes of individuals, be included within the term "enemy", as used in said Act; and therefore I do include hereby within said term "enemy" as used in said Act, the following individuals, and bodies and classes of individuals, to wit:

George Benda.
Post, p. 1906.

(1) George Benda, a partnership heretofore doing business in the United States, with its main plant at Boonton, New Jersey, and heretofore composed of Adolph Neubauer and Eugene Kirschbaum, as co-partners;

Adolph Neubauer.

(2) Adolph Neubauer, heretofore one of the members of the partnership of George Benda;

Eugene Kirschbaum.

(3) Eugene Kirschbaum, heretofore one of the members of the partnership of George Benda;

A. W. Faber.
Post, p. 1906.

(4) A. W. Faber, a partnership heretofore doing business in the United States, with its main plant at Newark, New Jersey, and heretofore composed of Count Alexander von Faber-Castell and Countess Ottilie von Faber-Castell, as co-partners;

Alexander von Faber-Castell.

(5) Count Alexander von Faber-Castell, heretofore one of the members of the partnership of A. W. Faber;

Ottilie von Faber-Castell.

(6) Countess Ottilie von Faber-Castell, heretofore one of the members of the partnership of A. W. Faber.

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 10th day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, [SEAL.] and of the independence of the United States the one hundred and forty-third.

WOODROW WILSON

By the President:

ROBERT LANSING,
Secretary of State.

August 13, 1918.

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

A PROCLAMATION.

Registration for selective draft.
Preamble.

WHEREAS Congress enacted and the President on the 20th day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, approved the following Public Resolution:

Statutory provisions.
Ante, p. 557.
Males reaching age of 21 since June 5, 1917, to register.
Ante, p. 1781.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That during the present emergency all male persons, citizens of the United States, and all male persons residing in the United States, who have, since the fifth day of June, nineteen hundred and seventeen, and on or before the day set for the registration by proclamation by the President, attained the age of twenty-one years, shall be subject to registration in accordance with regulations to be prescribed by the President, and that upon proclamation by the President, stating the time and place of such registration, it shall be the duty of all such persons, except such persons as are exempt from registration under the Act of May eighteenth, nineteen hundred and seventeen, and any Act or Acts amendatory thereof, to present themselves for and submit to registration under the provisions of said Act approved May eighteenth, nineteen hundred and seventeen, and they shall be registered in the same manner and subject to the same requirements and liabilities

Exceptions.

as those previously registered under the terms of said Act: Provided, That those persons registered under the provisions of this Act shall be placed at the bottom of the list of those liable for military service, in the several classes to which they are assigned, under such rules and regulations as the President may prescribe.

Names to be at bottom of list.

Sec. 2. That after the day set under section one hereof for the registration by proclamation by the President at such intervals as the President may from time to time prescribe, the President may require that all male persons, citizens of the United States, and all male persons residing in the United States, who have attained the age of twenty-one years since the last preceding date of registration, and on or before the next day set for the registration by proclamation by the President, except such persons as are exempt from registration under the Act of May eighteenth, nineteen hundred and seventeen, and any Act of Acts amendatory thereof, shall be registered in the same manner and subject to the same requirements and liabilities as those previously registered under the terms of said Act: Provided, That students who are preparing for the ministry in recognized theological or divinity schools, and students who are preparing for the practice of medicine and surgery in recognized medical schools, at the time of the approval of this Act shall be exempt from the selective draft prescribed in the Act of May eighteenth, nineteen hundred and seventeen.

Day to be set by proclamation.

Persons exempt.

Students at divinity and medical schools.

Sec. 3. That all such persons when registered shall be liable to military service and to draft under the terms of said Act approved May eighteenth, nineteen hundred and seventeen, under such regulations as the President may prescribe not inconsistent with the terms of said Act.

Registrants liable to military service and draft.

Sec. 4. That all such persons shall be subject to the terms and provisions and liabilities of said Act approved May eighteenth, nineteen hundred and seventeen, in all respects as if they had been registered under the terms of said Act, and every such person shall be deemed to have notice of the requirements of said act and of this joint resolution upon the publication of any such proclamation by the President.

Former Act applicable. Ante, p. 80.

AND WHEREAS the act of Congress approved May eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, entitled "An act to authorize the President to increase temporarily the Military Establishment of the United States," contains the following provisions:

Punishment for not registering.

Sec. 5. * * * And any person who shall wilfully fail or refuse to present himself for registration or to submit thereto as herein provided, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall, upon conviction in the district court of the United States having jurisdiction thereof, be punished by imprisonment for not more than one year, and shall thereupon be duly registered: Provided, That in the call of the docket precedence shall be given, in courts trying the same, to the trial of criminal proceedings under this act. * * *

Ante, p. 80.

Sec. 6. That the President is hereby authorized to utilize the service of any or all departments and any or all officers or agents of the United States and of the several States, Territories, and the District of Columbia, and subdivisions thereof, in the execution of this act, and all officers and agents of the United States and of the several States, Territories, and subdivisions thereof, and of the District of Columbia, and all persons designated or appointed under regulations prescribed by the President whether such appointments are made by the President himself or by the governor or other officer of any State or Territory to perform any duty in the execution of this act, are hereby required to perform such duty as the President shall order or direct, and all such officers and agents and persons so designated or appointed shall hereby have full authority for all acts done by them in the execution of this act by the direction of the President. Cor-

Utilization of departments, Federal and State officials, etc.

Duty compulsory.

Authority conferred.

Use of franks.

responsidence in the execution of this act may be carried in penalty envelopes bearing the frank of the War Department. Any person charged as herein provided with the duty of carrying into effect any of the provisions of this act or the regulations made or directions given thereunder who shall fail or neglect to perform such duty; and any person charged with such duty or having and exercising any authority under said act, regulations, or directions, who shall knowingly make or be a party to the making of any false or incorrect registration, physical examination, exemption, enlistment, enrollment, or muster; and any person who shall make or be a party to the making of any false statement or certificate as to the fitness or liability of himself or any other person for service under the provisions of this act, or regulations made by the President thereunder, or otherwise evades or aids another to evade the requirements of this act or of said regulations, or who in any manner, shall fail or neglect fully to perform any duty required of him in the execution of this act, shall, if not subject to military law, be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction in the district court of the United States having jurisdiction thereof, be punished by imprisonment for not more than one year, or, if subject to military law, shall be tried by court-martial and suffer such punishment as a court-martial may direct.

Offenses designated.

Punishment.

Ante, p. 1781.

Persons reaching 21 between June 5, 1918, and August 24, 1918, must register.

Service exceptions.

August 24, 1918, designated the day to register.

State, etc., authorities called upon to execute the law.

Alaska and insular notice hereafter.

Notices of registration places.

AND WHEREAS the last preceding date of registration under the terms of the said Public Resolution approved May 20th, 1918, was June 5th, 1918:

Now, therefore, I, Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States, do call upon all male persons, either citizens of the United States or residing in the several States, or in the District of Columbia, who have, since the 5th day of June 1918, and on or before the 24th day of August 1918, attained their twenty-first birthday to register in accordance with the above law and the regulations prescribed thereunder: Provided, however, That the following persons are hereby exempted from registration: Officers, and enlisted men in the Regular Army, the Navy, the Marine Corps, and the National Guard, and Naval Militia while in the service of the United States, and officers in the Officers' Reserve Corps, and enlisted men in the Enlisted Reserve Corps while in active service.

And I do further proclaim and give notice to every person subject to registration in the several States, and in the District of Columbia, in accordance with the above law, that the time and place of registration shall be between 7 A. M. and 9 P. M. on the 24th day of August 1918, at the office of the Local Board having jurisdiction of the area wherein he permanently resides, or at such other place as shall be designated by public notice by such Local Board.

And I do call upon the Governor of each of the several States, the Board of Commissioners of the District of Columbia, and all members of Local Boards and agents thereof appointed under the provision of the Act of Congress approved May 18, 1917, to perform certain duties in the execution of the foregoing law, which duties have been communicated to them directly in Regulations prescribed under the terms of said Public Resolution.

A day for registration in the Territories of Alaska, Hawaii, and Porto Rico will be named in a later proclamation.

As required by the regulations, every Local Board having jurisdiction in a city of 30,000 population or over will promptly cause the mayor thereof to be notified of the place or places designated for registration; every Local Board having jurisdiction in a county, parish, or similar unit will promptly cause the clerk thereof to be notified of the place or places designated for registration, and every Local Board having jurisdiction in a State or Territory, the area of

which is divided into divisions for the administration of the act approved May 18, 1917, will promptly cause the clerks of the townships within its division to be notified of the place or places designated for registration.

And I do call upon every mayor, county clerk, or township clerk receiving such notification to have a list of said places of registration posted, and do charge him with the duty of having all persons making inquiry informed of the place or places at which they may register.

Any person who, on account of sickness, will be unable to present himself for registration may apply on or before the day of registration at the office of any Local Board for instructions as to how he may register by agent.

Any person who expects to be absent on the day designated for registration from the jurisdiction of the board in which he permanently resides may register by mail, but his registration card must reach the Local Board having jurisdiction of the area wherein he permanently resides by the day herein named for registration. Any such person should apply as soon as practicable at the office of a Local Board for instructions as to how he may register by mail.

Any person who has no permanent residence must register at the place designated for registration by the Local Board having jurisdiction of the area wherein he may be on the day herein named for registration.

Any person who, on account of absence at sea, or on account of absence without the territorial limits of the United States, may be unable to comply with the regulations pertaining to absentees, shall, within five days after reaching the first United States port, register with his proper Local Board or as provided in the regulations for other absentees.

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 13th of August in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen and of [SEAL.] the independence of the United States of America, the one hundred and forty-third.

WOODROW WILSON

By the President:
ROBERT LANSING,
Secretary of State.

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

A PROCLAMATION

Whereas, section 2 of the Act of Congress entitled, "An Act To define, regulate, and punish trading with the enemy, and for other purposes," approved October 6, 1917, known as the "Trading with the enemy Act," provides that the word "enemy" as used therein shall be deemed to mean for the purposes of such trading and of said Act:

"Such other individuals, or body or class of individuals, as may be natives, citizens, or subjects of any nation with which the United States is at war, other than citizens of the United States, wherever resident or wherever doing business, as the President, if he shall find the safety of the United States or the successful prosecution of the war shall so require, may, by proclamation, include within the term 'enemy';"

Posting of lists, etc.

Registration of the sick.

Temporary absentees from residence.

Persons without permanent residence.

Persons without the territorial limits.

August 14, 1918.

Trading with the enemy. Preamble.

Statutory authorization. Ante, p. 411.