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AGREE UPON DRAFT BILL

WASHINGTON, May 12—The long discussed bill to provide for the exemption of farmers from draft service was agreed to by the conference today with amendments. It is understood that a great war army would be raised in order to meet the need.

The conference report is expected to be presented to the Senate and House within a few days, and within a week or two, any question of confusion arising out of the limitations of the conference’s action will be cleared up.

Where Are My Children

Mrs. James L. Crawford, of Boston, was seen in Washington yesterday, en route for her home to look after the children that are supposed to be living with her as the result of a divorce granted her four years ago. Mrs. Crawford stated that she had deliberately elected to return to her ex-husband and Children, with whom she lived for four years, and of whom she is now the legal owner.

She said that she had been married to her husband for five years, and that she had deliberately elected to live with him, and that she had deliberately elected to return to him and to take her children with her.

\( \text{Note: This article appears to be a personal story, possibly a family drama.} \)

Sweet Potatoes Are Great Food

The Department of Agriculture, through its Commissioner of Agriculture, has issued a report stating that sweet potatoes are great food. The Department has been informed that sweet potatoes are not only good for the health, but that they are also a great food for children.

The Commissioner states that sweet potatoes are valuable as a food, both for the body and for the soul. They are rich in vitamins, and are said to be good for the digestion.

\( \text{Note: This article appears to be a promotion of sweet potatoes as a food.} \)

SOLDIERS PLEASED

WASHINGTON, May 13—The report of the War Department that soldiers are pleased with the new food ration was written in response to a query from the War Department.

The War Department stated that it had been informed that the soldiers were pleased with the new food ration, and that they were satisfied with the amount of food they were receiving.

\( \text{Note: This article appears to be a report on the soldiers' satisfaction with the new food ration.} \)
A BIG JOB

Yesterday our government, hoping that 201,000 men may be raised by the end of this week, at a cost of over $100,000,000, took the first steps toward organizing the regular army of 360,000 men to which the President so much values himself as to be a member.

However, the most significant news of the day is the report of an investigation that arrived from various sources. It is true that the President, in his address, said: "Our unemployment figures show that the number of men unemployed is below the average of recent years." But doubtless the masses have not yet realized the situation.

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