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GENERAL F, B. MAUMICE IS CENTER OF ALL EYES


Suit Is Instituted
Under New Zone Law American soldiers have been sent to France. Secretary Baker
today authorized the statement that his forecast to congress in
January that 500,000 troops would be dispatched to France early Jodayary that 500,000 troops would be dispatched to France early
in the present year now had been surpassed. Mr. Baker dictated the following statement :
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liklihood that early in the present year 500,000 American troops liklihood that early in the present year 500,000 American troops
would be dispatched to France. I cannot either now or perhaps
later discuss the number of American troops in France; but 1 am glad to be able to say that the forecast I made in January has
been surpassed.".
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duction during the past few days, the secretary announced that there is no present shortage of light or heavy types of these weap-
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The list of the dead follows: David, headquarters company,
141st infantry, Overton, Texas. Privates Dewey Tillman, John
W. Webber, Langley R. Lacey
and Morgan Z. Sanders, all of and Morgan 2. Sanders, all of
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fantry; Euclid 0 . Simmons, Company K. 142 nd infantry.
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come addresses of the privates romising to furnish the infor
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Captain William
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Explosion Kills 7 At Fort Worth

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ploded. Three others are seriously injured. The men were practicing in the trench system
at the time. All were in the
142nd infantry. Lieutenant Al. $142 n$ nd infantry. Lieutenant AI-
lan J. McDavid is among the dead. General Grebie, commander of
the camp, was present and was
saved from saved from injury by the pres-
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tenant Russell.
ish army who also was present
at the time of the explosion said he never heard of such a thing Captain Pinney of divisional headquarters staff, was slightly
wounded. Some of the dead and wounded. Some of the dead and
wounded are from the 141 st in
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Theodore N. Vaii
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