

# FOE OF THE DRAFT GETS EXAM NOTICE

## Illinoisan Who Burned Card Says He Won't Report

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CHAMPAIGN, Ill., Dec. 26—A young man who set his new 1-A draft card afire on Christmas Eve and used it to light a candle "for peace on earth" received notice today to report for his pre-induction physical examination.

The notice was mailed to Eugene Keyes, 22 years old, of Champaign, by local Selective Service Board 10. It was post-marked the day he set fire to his draft card during a 12-hour protest vigil in front of the draft board's office in Champaign.

According to the notice, Mr. Keyes must report at 4 A.M. Jan. 30 to the Illinois Central Railroad depot in Champaign and go to Chicago with 41 other prospective draftees.

"Of course, I won't go," Mr. Keyes said today.

Failure to report for the draft can result in a prison sentence of up to five years and a fine up to \$10,000.

Mr. Keyes said he fully expected that he would eventually have to go to jail. He declared:

"We must never surrender in the cause of defending liberty, but we must seek to maintain that defense nonviolently.

"The Selective Service System is for organized violence. Eichmann obeyed orders in a system of mass violence. I do not want to obey orders in any system of violence, not even orders to carry a draft card."

Mr. Keyes is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Keyes of Champaign. His father is an associate professor in the University of Illinois department of city planning and landscape architecture.

The young man was sentenced to 75 days in jail in Grotton, Conn., in 1961 following a demonstration in which he protested commissioning of a Navy submarine. He and seven other youths were freed after serving 10 days.

The demonstration led to what Mr. Keyes describes as a leave of absence from Harvard University, where he was in the middle of his sophomore year.

By agreement, he says, he will be readmitted in good standing when he has completed the course of pacifist action he has laid out for himself.

For the last six months he has been working for a pacifist organization, the Committee for Nonviolent Action, in New York. He was visiting his parents here when the local draft board classified him.

## School Faces Prayer Ban

NORTH BROOKFIELD, Mass., Dec. 26 (UPI)—An order of State Supreme Court Justice Paul J. Reardon forbidding North Brookfield public schools to have children pray and read the Bible became legally effective today. Until the children went home for their Christmas vacations, the North Brookfield system was the only one in the state defying the Supreme Court's ban on requiring religious exercises in public schools.

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