NEW ARMY DRAFT TAKES 233,472

Selects Ordered to Entrain Within Five Days' Period Beginning May 25.

QUOTAS BY STATES GIVEN

Secretary Baker's Estimate of War Cost for Year Believed to Be Too Low-Committee Puts Figure at 20 Billion.

Washington, May 6 .- State officials received calls on Friday for men to fill the May draft quota. Provost Marshal Crowder said 233,472 will be inducted into service during the month.

The men were ordered to entrain for camp within five days' period beginning May 25. This brings the total number of men called for the month of May, including special classes, to approximately 305,000.

Among the state quotas, with the camps to which they are assigned, are as follows:

Camp .	Beaure	gard	 	 	 	300
Camp	Pike .		 	 	4	1,124

Illinois-			
Camp	Wheeler		 5,000
Camp	Grant		 5,000
Camp	Gordon ,		 4,168
Camp	Shelby		 4,351
Indiana-	-Camp T	aylor.	 3,476
Jown-C	amp Dods	ge	 3,654
Kansas-	-Camp Fu	inston	 4,871
-Kentuck	y-Camp	Taylor	 6,311

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Michigan-
Camp Wheeler5.000
Camp Custer
Minnesota—Camp Lewis4.71-
Missouri-
Camp Fort Riley
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Montana	-Camp	Le	vis				30	.2,1
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Camp	Upton .	(*: * ×		×.+	+0			.7.0
Camp	Wadswo	orth	110		44	414		-9,70
Camp	Sevier			+1+		10.0		1,3

North Dakota-Camp Lewis 1,22
Ohio-
Camp Gordon
Camp Sherman
Camp Taylor
Oklahoma—
Camp Bowle3,40
Camp Fort Riley2,4

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Camp Fort Riley2,4
Pennsylvania-
Camp Meade
Camp Lee4,00
* Camp Humphreys3,00
Camp Greenleaf2.95
South Dakota-Camp Lewis 1,8-
Tennessee-Camp Pike4,13
Texas-
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Camp Bowie	24
Camp Travis	00
*Utah-Camp Lewis 8	00
Washington-Camp Lewis 5	18
West Virginia-Camp Lee4,75	
Wisconsin-Camp Grant 10,00	
Wyoming-Camp Lee 10	37
Part 4	

The vast army expansion program submitted by the administration for the fiscal year beginning July 1 next will cost the nation close to \$20,000,-000,000, in the opinion of many members of the house committee on milltary affairs.

Secretary of War Baker, who was before the committee again, reiterated his statement that the program calls for actual expenditures totaling \$13,000,000,000 for the fiscal year.

The secretary was closely questioned on many of the items, however, and both Republican and Democratic members of the committee asserted afterward that Mr. Baker has underestimated the cost of the program.

As estimated by committee members the proposals of the administration, as now shaped, call for appropriations aggregating nearly \$16,000,000,-

\$1,000,000 FIRE IN WAUKEGAN

Eight Hundred Bluejackets From Great Lakes Station Help Firemen Fight Big Blaze.

Waukegan, Ill., May 6.-Five hun- move of this nature was being made. dred employees were thrown out of work and property valued at approxi- HUNS BEAT FINN RED GUARDS mately \$1,000,000 destroyed when fire swept the Waukegan Manufacturers' Terminal plant. The fire started in a pile of lumber on the west side of the plant, and before the arrival of the fire department had spread to seven

other buildings. Eight hundred jackies from the naval training station and the fire departments of Waukegan and North Chicago worked five hours before the fire was under control.

Persia Denounces Treaty.

The Hague, May 6.—Persia has informed Holland that it regards as null former secretary of commerce and lavoid all treaties imposed on Persia in bor in President Taft's cabinet, left recent years, and especially the Rus- for Washington on Friday afternoon so-British trenty of 1907 regarding the where, it is said, he will take a fedspheres of influence in that country.

Victor Company Loses Suit. New York, May 6 .- The Victor Talkdissolution restraining orders.

STEPHEN BONSALL



Stephen Bonsall, veteran war correpondent, is a major attached to the general staff in Washington. He has overed for New York newspapers vars in almost every country in the world for the past thirty years. Later he has been in the diplomatic service. and then was commissioner of public utilities in the Philippine Islands.

5.000.000 FOR ARMY

SENATOR SMITH INTRODUCES NEW WAR MEASURE.

Since the Initial Call for Troops.

Washington, May 2,-Measures to Monday, Senator Hoke Smith of Georgia introduced a resolution calling upon the military affairs committee to prepare a bill for an army of 5,000,000. Senator Reed of Missouri introduced a bill calling for 3,000,000. The largest drafts yet summoned to the colors slace the initial call which organized the National army will be made by the war department almost immediately. The first call will affect 63" the May contingent ordered out. The 73 department made it plain in its week-So by review that it intended increasing the number of men called into service

If the plans now considered are car-000 ried out, as believed absolutely neces-00 sary, the call for May will total 300,-000 men, while the call for June will reach very nearly 200,000.

CALL RUSS REVOLT HUN FAKE

French Newspapers Say Reports of Monarchial Restoration Emanate From Germany.

Washington, May 2 .- Reports coming from Finland through Copenhagen that a revolt in Petrograd had resulted in the restoration of the monarchy emanated from Berlin, in the opinion of French newspapers as given in an official dispatch.

The French public is advised to accept the news with caution, since it has not been substantiated by later reports either from Finland or Moscow or by the allied ministers in Swe-

"The French papers," said the dispatch, "receive with great reserve the report sent out by German propaganda that serious troubles appear to have broken cut in Petrograd, and that a monarchial restoration is likely to follow in favor of the former czarovitch, Alexis Nikolalevitch. The Petit Journal writes:

'Prudence should all the more be followed in this matter, because it is to the greatest interest of the Germans that troubles should arise in Petrograd to justify an intervention for which they are ready."

MAKES PEACE PLEA TO ITALY

Catholic Press Agency Says Emperor of Austria Has Made Offer-U. S. Sees Trickery in Move.

Stockholm, May 2,-The Catholic International Press agency announces that Emperor Charles is making a fresh offer, appealing to Italy to accept It in behalf of her own interests.

Washington, May 2 .- Although It has been predicted frequently that if the present German campaign should fall a by the central powers, there has been no previous intimation that a new

Berlin Claims Capture of 20,000 Prisoners in Five-Day Battle in the Southwest.

Finland we have overwhelmingly defeated the enemy during a five-day battle near Lakhti and Tavasthaus. capturing 20,000 prisoners," says the German official communication issued on Friday.

Nagel Given U. S. Post. St. Louis, May 6.—Charles Nagel,

Hays to Open G. O. P. Offices, New York, May 6 .- Will H. Hays of ing Machine company was held to be Indiana, chairman of the Republican an illegal combination in restraint of national committee, reached New York trade in a final decree signed by Fed. Friday and is making arrangements plonage act, was sentenced to 18 eral Judge Hand. The court issued for the opening of the national headquarters.

BAKER FOR HUGE ARMY IN FRANCE

Secretary Wants Forces Increased as Fast as Ships Can Take-Men Across.

APPEARS BEFORE HOUSE BODY

War Chief Asks \$13,000,000,000 to Carry Out Colossal Military Program-May Amend Draft Act.

Washington, May 4 .-- A colossal milltary program was submitted on Thursday by Secretary of War Baker to the house committee on military affairs, Here are the principal features of the

1. Expenditures on the army aggregating \$13,000,000,000 in the next fiscal year, more than twice the total of this year's outlay.

2. Manufacture of artillery on a stupendous scale, involving the immediate erection of enormous plants, the whole outlay representing several billion dollars.

3. Drafting of at least 1,000,000 additional registrants and as many more as can be equipped and transported to War Department Plans Biggest Draft France, with the prospects favorable to maintaining an army of 3,000,000 men in the field next year.

He told the committee that it would be ill-advised to restrict the number add millions of men to the American of men to be attilized and that the size army were introduced in the senate on | of the army should be increased in the discretion of the government, as transportation and equipment facilities warrant.

> Secretary Baker indicated he would submit a proposed measure, probably 'as an amendment to the draft law, to grant the unlimited authority asked.

Under the existing draft law, as construed by Chairman Dent of the military committee and others, there is authority for the use of only 1,000,000 men under draft. Mr. Dent introduced a bill to anthorize a straft total of 4,-000,000 men, which, with volunteers als ready in the service, would make an ultimate possible maximum strength lief that some of the marines were of 5,000,000 men.

The house military committee will immediately resume consideration of the annual army appropriation bill and Secretary Baker's idea is that it shall provide out, for the number immediately forese.

Indications are that it will carry provision for equipment, transportation, pay and other expenses of approximately 3,000,000 men, as part not of a specific program, but as a furtherance of a blanket authorty plan involving the use of all or part of the funds appropriated and supplemental appropriations later on as their need may become apparent.

Major Brindley, Chief Instructor; Col. Damm and Three Others Lose Lives in Accident.

Dayton, O., May 4 .- Maj. Oscar A. Brindley and Colonel Damm, two expert aviation men from the McCoog federal flying field here, met death on Thursday at the Moraine City avia-

had started for an experimental trip ment. and had soared to a height of 400 feet when, witnesses say, in endeavoring to make a too sudden turn the airplane went into a tail spin and dropped to the ground.

Major Brindley was recently named chief instructor of the American aerial

Fort Worth, Tex., May 4.-Falling 150 feet in a straight nose dive, Lieut. James S. Ennis, Jr., of New York city, and Cadet Paul Perriott of Onkland, Cal., were killed here on Thursday.

Lawton, Okla., May 4.-Lieut, William Dean Thompson of the Two Hundred and Fifty-third field artillery, student observer at Post field, was killed and Lieut. Foster Bailey, pilot. was injured seriously on Thursday, when their airplane fell 30 feet.

"peace offensive" would be inaugurated BALLOON BLAST KILLS TWO

Eighteen Soldiers Also Injured When Gas Bag Explodes at Field Near Fort Omaha.

Omaha, Neb., May 4.—Two soldiers were killed and 18 injured when the gas bag of a balloon exploded in its hangar at Florence field, near Fort Qmaha. The dead and injured were Berlin, May 6,-"In southwestern members of the Thirteenth balloon company and all were in the hangar at the time of the accident. The balloon and hangar were destroyed by a been pulled down from a trial ascen-

General Kealy Promoted.

Washington, May 4.-Brig. Gen. William I. Kenly of the National army was nominated for promotion to the rank of major general. G. S. Allen register of the land office at Topeka. and two captains were killed.

Spy Gets Eighteen Months.

Dubuque, Ia., May 4. - Bernard Stenzel, Waverly, Ia., attorney, found Flannery, former police commissionguilty on Thursday of violating the esmonths in the federal penitentiary at charges of conspiracy to sell liquor Fort Leavenworth and fined \$: 0.

VICE ADMIRAL SCHROEDER



According to latest dispatches, Vice Admiral Schroeder, the German commander of Zeebrugge, will lose his command for being taken by surprise by the British raid.

74 PERISH IN CRASH

STEAMER CITY OF ATHENS RAMMED BY FRENCH CRUISER.

Twelve U. S. Marines Lose Lives-Many Are Rescued by the Warship.

An Atlantic Port, May 3 .- Seventyfour lives were lost when the steamship City of Athens of the Ocean Steamship company was rammed at 1:30 Wednesday afternoon by a French cruiser off the Delaware coast. She

sank in seven minutes. Among the passengers on the City of Athens were 24 members of the

United States marine corps. The first engineer and a tender on board the steamer expressed the be-

Fire was discovered in one of the holds of the City of Athens immediately after the collision. An attempt was made to lower lifeboats, but the vessel was sinking too fast.

Most of those on board leaped overboard, and the survivors were rescued

by the boats of the French cruiser. The City of Athens caried a crew of 135 men. Sixty-one of the crew were brought to this port by the French cruiser, which was not seriously dam-

The vessel was of 2,300 tons and was engaged in trade between this city and

FIVE U. S. FLYERS KILLED HUN SPY KILLED MRS. KING?

Prosecutor Charges Interned Alien Murdered Woman While Attempting to Slay Means.

Concord, N. C., May 3,-Interest in the mysterious killing of Mrs. Maude A. King, wealthy widow of Chicago and New York, on the night of August 30 last, at a lonely North Carolinan tion field here. The machine dropped spring, was renewed on Wednesday 400 feet while making a turn in the night when a warrant was issued for Otto Schumann, a German alien enemy Colonel Damm and Major Brindley and alleged spy of the German govern-

Schumann is alleged to have fired the shot which killed Mrs. King. His intention, it is added, was to kill Gaston B. Means, who was tried and acquitted on a charge of murder in connection with the wealthy widow's death. Menns, it is declared, had undertaken newspaper work with the purpose of exposing some of Germany's work in this country.

The warrant for the arrest of Schumann was sworn out by Morrison H. Caldwell, attorney for the city of Concord. Schumann is interned at present. The charge against him is mur-

HUNS TAKE BIG RUSS FORT

German Forces Occupy Sevastopol-Kaiser Establishes Military Rule in Ukraine.

Berlin, May 4.-German forces have occupied Sevastopol, the great Russian fortres sin the Crimea. Acording to the official announcement from headquarters, the town was taken without

London, May 4.-The Germans have established military rule in Kiev, the Ukrainian capital, and have arrested a number of the members of the government on the ground that "the government had proved too weak to maintain law and order," according to a fire which followed. The bag had just Berlin official statement. The Ukrainian government officials arrested included the minister of war.

Thirty Killed in Explosion.

An Atlantic Port, May 6 .- Passengers arriving on an American steamship from Venezuela told of a terrific explosion in the government arsenal of Topeka, Kan., was nominated to be at Caracas. Thirty soldiers, a major

> Guilty of Selling Liquor to Soldiers. San Francisco, May 6 .- Harry P. er, was found guilty by a jury in the United States district court on three to soldiers.

Helping the Meat and Milk Supply

(Special Information Service, United States Department of Agriculture.)

WOLVES AND COYOTES OR LIVE STOCK-WHICH?



Coyotes Destroy Thousands of Dollars Worth of Live Stock Every Year-Ten Thousand Were Exterminated by Hunters of the Department of Agriculture During Part of Last Summer and Fall.

FOOD DESTROYERS

Predatory Animals in Western States Cause Immense Damage Each Year.

HUNTERS ARE NOW AT WORK

In Two and Half Years 50,000 Wolves, Coyotes, Bobcats, Lions, Bears and Other Beasts Killed by Paid Hunters.

The city purchaser of meat does not always realize the really serious difficulties to be overcome before a choice cut of steak or a cheaper stewing piece can be brought to market. He buys what he wants or can afford, always marveling at the increasing cost. If the supply of food were increased by \$300,000,000 worth, the cost would be correspondingly less, and when the purchaser is informed that this value of meat and other foodstuffs is wantonly destroyed every year in the United States he is likely to sit up and take notice. More, he is likely to investigate the cause of the waste and to help stop it, if possible. Foodstuffs worth these millions of dollars are destroyed every year through the ravages of wild predatory animals and of small grain-eating and crop-destroying

rodents. Unlike the hordes of injurious insects which prey on the crops almost unseen, these animals are large enough to be coped with singly and at a com-

paratively small cost. Yearly Damage by Wolf.

Wolves, for instance, are caught one at a time, either in the trap or by poison or with powder and shot. These animals do not prowl the country over night after night with only an occasional meal once or twice a week, but like other beasts must obtain their food more or less regularly. As live stock are especially choice morsels for them, the destruction each animal inflicts on a herd is enormous. It does, not require any stretch of the imagination, therefore, to grasp the fact that each wolf destroys annually an average of \$1,000 worth of live stock. The growing boy could not be so voracious. Therefore, every wolf destroyed means a year's supply of food for several boys or grown men. Multiply this \$1,000 destruction of good food by the total number of wolves in the country and we have a large part of the \$300,000, 000 worth of food taken from domesticated flocks and herds.

In the summer and early fall of last year hunters of the bureau of blologi cal survey of the department of agri culture killed nearly 200 wolves, more than half of them in Texas, one of the greatest meat-producing states of the Union. Wyoming, Arizona and New Mexico are the better off for having lost in this campaign about 60 of these marauders.

Damage by Other Culprits. But wolves are not the only culprits

that need to be dispatched if we are to market all the meat actually produced on our extensive ranges. It has been estimated by officials of the department of agriculture that mountain lions and stock-killing grizzly bears each destroy annually \$500 worth of live stock, and that each coyote and bobcat consumes a tenth of this amount, Coyotes and bobcats, however, are many times more numerous than the mountain lions and bears, judging from the numbers destroyed by hunters of the biological survey. During part of the last summer and fell eight mountain Hons and 27 bears paid the death penalty for their marauding, while in the same time more than 1,000 bobcats and more than 10,000 coyotes were exter-

Had these animals been allowed to go about their nefectious work unmomeat supply accordingly. The pelt of carcasses had been partly eaten.

each animal secured means not only one less enemy of live-stock operations, but the gain is continuing, since not only is the career of one predatory animal thus ended but also that of all his possible progeny. Each one killed means one predatory animal less to perpetuate his race.

In two and a half years the biological survey hunters have killed more than 50,000 predatory animals. Figuring the losses these would have inflicted, as mentioned above, the work of the hunters has effected an annual saving in live stock of more than \$3,840,000. In addition to this the federal treasury has benefited to the extent of nearly \$50,000 from the sale of skins of the animals secured. The hunters are not allowed to accept bounties, and all skins taken become the property of the government. Some of these are deposited in the National museum for exhibition and study purposes, and the rest are sold and the proceeds turned into the treasury department.

SHEEP, NOT DOGS, WILL WIN.

The fleeces of 20 sheep are needed to equip one American

soldier. How many sheep have you on your farm? How many did your father or

grandfather keep? If the dogs stopped you from sheep raising, there is an answer-Dogs win no wars.

Stories From Hunters. Wild animals which prey upon live stock are only "good when dead." Then they may serve a really useful purpose, if their skins are properly cured, tanned and made into fur gar-

Predatory animals cause losses to sheep herds in Utah and neighboring states of 500,00 head annually. Besides the foodstuffs thus destroyed. this means a loss of about 4,000,000 pounds of wool,

Two wolves at Ozona, Tex., killed 76 head of sheep in two weeks.

In New Mexico 8 per cent of the cattle are destroyed by predatory animals. In addition to about 34,350 head of cattle thus killed, the animals destroy about 165,000 sheep, a loss of 16,000,000 pounds of meat and 1,320,-000 pounds of wool. The total loss to the state each year from this source amounts to about \$2,715,250.

States and live-stock associations are co-operating with the department of agriculture in its campaign in the Western states suffering the greatest damage from predatory wild animals, by liberal contributions of funds, as well as services of additional hunters,

A biological survey hunter in Arizona recently killed a mountain lion, on the trail of which were found nine head of cattle it had killed.

One stock-killing grizzly bear along the Pecos river, in New Mexico, accounted for \$1,000 worth of cattle in five months before being dispatched by a hunter of the biological survey. It had killed 32 head of cattle in this time, and in the previous year is reported to have killed 50 head in the same district.

Watch Pigs for Allments.

Don't let ailments get a start in the war litters. For the first week at least after farrowing look the pigsover carefully before each feeding. If any indications of scours appear the sow's feed should be reduced immediately or possibly cut off entirely. A heavy feed of rich slop given when scours begin to show possibly may kill the entire litter. A little extra care for the first few days is very neacasary to prevent losses,

Coyotes' Toll in Meat. Three coyotes in Morgan county, Utah, attacked a herd of sheep and in one hour destroyed \$500 worth. Ewes. worth about \$1,000, were killed by one lested through the year, and through or two coyotes in Colorado; 67 which the rest of their natural lives, they had been separated from the main would have taken the usual toll of our | herd were killed, but only one of the