LOTTERY FIXES ORDER OF CALL

Status of 744,500 Draft Registrants of 1918 Class Is Determined By War Department Heads.

BAKER DRAWS FIRST ONE

No 246 Heads List of 1,200 In Various Precincts Throughout Country—Last Out of Box Is No. 225.

Washington, June 27.—The drawing of numbers to determine the order in which youths of the classes of 1918 will be called into military service was conducted here today with much the same ceremony that marked the great drawing of a year ago.

This time, however, it was a much smaller affair and in view of the fact that the classification system more nearly determines the order of service than does the actual numerical order, it was not surrounded with such dramatic interest.

The drawing was held in the great conference room of the Senate office building with Secretary Baker blindfolded taking the first gelatine capsule, with a number enclosed, from the glass bowl. It was number 246. Numbers 1168 and 818 were the second and third, respectively and thus the drawing continued to the end.

Big blackboards for checking the record were placed against the wall at the rear of the room. The numbers were written on the board as drawn and then the board was photographed to make a permanent, incontrovertible record.

Secretary Baker, General March, chief of staff, Provost Marshal General Crowder, Chairman Chamberlain and members of the Senate military committees of the members of the House military committe stood about the table as the first numbers were drawn.

After Secretary Baker had taken out the first capsule, Senators Chamberlain and Warren, Representatives Dent and Kahn, Generals March, Crowder, Colonels Charles B. Warren and J. S. Easby-Smith and Maj. J. C. Cramer in order stepped up to draw.

Maj. "Billy" Welborn, a woman clerk in the provost marshal general's office, then drew the eleventh number and proceeded to draw all the others as the tellers recorded them.

Draft No. 1 came out in the 644th capsule.

The twelve hundredth capsule with 225 was taken from the bowl at 11:38, and the drawing was over.

For purposes of accuracy in transmission and rechecking the draft numbers are printed in blocks of 10 each. Thus the number appearing at the beginning of each paragraph has no reference to the order of call.

The numbers in the order drawn were:

No. 1, 246, 1,168, 818, 1,091, 479, 469, 492, 154, 529.

No. 10 is 375, 580, 740, 10, 599, 29, 210, 445, 305, 259.

No. 20 is 1,067, 1,153, 410, 298, 361, 17, 328, 370, 74, 961.

No. 30 is 836, 618, 136, 962, 1,001, 322, 1,195, 145, 737, 664.

No. 40 is 479, 482, 777, 1,154, 1,194, 988, 207, 617, 767, 692.

No. 50 is 1,117, 1,078, 632, 1,196, 817, 1,071, 377, 447, 1,012, 712.

No. 6 is 555, 1,174, 1,111, 226, 57, 835, 76, 1,115, 330, 507.

No. 70 is 1,164, 263, 78, 122, 735, 1,100, 668, 928, 279, 557.

No. 80 is 516, 1,200, 87, 742, 262, 209, 1,025, 177, 923, 747.

No. 90 is 199, 269, 4, 783, 778, 306, 320, 822, 239, 859.

No. 100 is 130, 500, 229, 1,016, 351, 1,093, 1,133, 397, 465, 1,126.

No. 110 is 1,181, 809, 219, 70, 1,069, 575, 108, 840, 357, 860.

No. 120 is 414, 579, 589, 1,125, 466, 792, 1,107, 719, 820, 208.

No. 130 is 302, 401, 1,120, 28, 1,089, 881, 89, 1,147, 454, 151.

No. 140 is 691, 957, 787, 1,067, 807, 267, 793, 800, 90, 294.

No. 150 is 522, 65, 752, 1,169, 411, 519, 125, 1,035, 365, 825.

No. 160 is 921, 829, 276, 1,190, 45, 72, 570, 135, 1,029, 275.

No. 170 is 304, 212, 596, 906, 61, 596, 234, 91, 743, 405.

No. 180 is 1,162, 51, 848, 244, 63, 1,198, 281, 793, 613, 1,175.

No. 190 is 335, 41, 974, 875, 317, 1,051, 446, 274, 24, 992.

No. 200 is 833, 367, 637, 32, 66, 16, 299, 203, 218, 1,112.

No. 210 is 718, 548, 315, 984, 574, 957, 1,090, 191, 153, 82.

No. 220 is 530, 995, 1,187, 427, 238, 147, 622, 752, 980, 801.

No. 230 is 1,048, 419, 56, 33, 56, 862, 285, 535, 639, 1,042.

No. 240 is 102, 714, 429, 816, 688, 48, 549, 206, 13, 354.

No 250 is 477, 352, 3, 1,104, 842, 321, 64, 924, 168, 567.

No. 260 is 372, 158, 442, 137, 545, 776, 626, 297, 1,118, 267.

No. 270 is 694, 193, 155, 939, 543, 823, 1,152, 216, 210, 992.

No. 280 is 1,146, 1,083, 158, 985, 864, 865, 518, 1,128, 638, 270.

No. 290 is 11, 1,139, 880, 552, 927, 69, 241, 464, 285, 1,084.

No. 300 is 766, 35, 644, 113, 630, 976, 655, 676, 613, 839.

No. 310 is 1,034, 1,183, 398, 62, 1,014, 1,188, 303, 337, 895, 666.

No. 320 is 964, 1,162, 709, 843, 728, 1,122, 18, 1,195, 819, 183.

No. 330 is 462, 449, 223, 1,088, 620, 521, 200, 1,049, 404, 54.

No. 340 is 761, 594, 1,052, 697, 642, 693, 501, 81, 649, 996.

No. 350 is 1,040, 338, 173, 434, 489, 189, 604, 266, 343, 343.

No. 360 is 433, 278, 581, 815, 682, 184, 438, 344, 968, 636.

No. 370 is 935, 1,137, 264, 789, 745, 88, 1,028, 188, 797, 537.

No. 380 is 1,072, 607, 578, 434, 192, 450, 701, 1245, 418, 655.

No. 390 is 978, 224, 493, 898, 1,155, 1,095, 727, 1,151, 114, 257.

No. 400 is 79, 255, 346, 648, 1,145, 940, 30, 977, 925, 468.

No. 410 is 119, 286, 1,022; 886, 296, 952, 734, 1,167; 893, 852.

No. 420 is 187, 1,135, 512, 813, 769, 160, 98, 362, 850, 612.

No. 430 is 753, 869, 1,098, 49, 695, 546, 1,037, 979, 794, 1,197.

No. 440 is 942, 827, 432, 547, 26, 452, 1,043, 480, 70, 282.

No. 450 is 316, 901, 753, 657, 540, 58, 847, 277, 12, 435.

No. 460. is 802, 34, 616, 349, 448, 433, 856, 677, 564, 554.

No. 470 is 183, 681, 228, 293, 717, 149, 1,045, 1180, 420, 830.

No. 480 is 439, 363, 584, 914, 930, 1,077, 1,080, 663, 112, 510.

No. 490 is 812, 943, 948, 828, 423, 687, 2, 947, 1,175, 768.

No. 500 is 688, 1,167, 347, 202, 95, 918, 962, 412, 1061, 1,100

No. 510 is 572, 46, 1,138, 309, 1,114, 287, 758, 263, 243.

No 520 is 227, [illegible] 1,109, 713, 698, 392, 553, 993, 740.

No. 530 is 653, 911, 426, 904, 791, 99, 402, 628, 841, 190.

No. 540 is 131, 1,127, 123, 631, 1,191, 186, 347, 772, 300, 300.

No. 550 is 629, 1,011, 451, 1,189, 431, 204, 503, 961, 371, 587.

No. 560 is 120, 615, 194, 150, 1,050, 781, 94, 118, 269, 577.

No. 570 is 773, 265, 1,033, 156, 970 407, 67, 1,0 3, 1,16[illegible], 926.

No. 580 is 786, 706, 1,082, 808, 811, 770, 289, 1,179, 40, 413.

No. 590 is 132, 38, 564, 882, 333, 799, 795, 624, 693, 6 8.

No. 600 is 1,099, 647, 232, 853, 933, 754, 351, 1,0.1, 4.1, 878.

No. 610 is 930, 517, 686, 234, 565, 654, 804, 7, 27, 474.

No. 620 is 929, 541, 251, 1,057, 916, 665, 640, 1,038, 1,036, 415.

No. 630 is 163, 1,024, 576, 726, 897, 702, 1,015, 253, 1,158, 233.

No. 640 is 558, 262, 853, 179, 1, 52, 1,170, 920, 1,110, 6.

No. 650 is 858, 1,052, 1,070, 312, 381, 456, 406, 219, 24, 597.

No. 660 is 917, 14, 1,193, 595, 1 096, 165, 763, 602, 710, 610.

No. 670 is 237, 471, 366, 1,002, 416, 520, 1,064, 572, 436, 944.

No. 680 is 71, 887, 208, 662, 671, 178, 679, 896, 764, 798.

No. 690 is 386, 336, 612, 19, 459, 230, 998, 1,058, 196, 494.

No. 700 is 318, 1,046, 185, 1,062, 796, 562, 669, 842, 383, 698.

No. 710 is 530, 439, 722, 1,180, 635, 339, 990, 922, 59, 505.

No. 720 is 581, 506, 37, 1,136, 487, 735, 364, 1,184, 86, 1,066.

No. 730 is 68, 534, 741, 861, 884, 1,041, 949, 295, 784, 1,023.

No. 740 is 140, 755, 195, 417, 975, 592, 686, 716, 926, 428.

No. 750 is 838, 329, 1,005, 172, 161, 356, 1,108, 83, 566, 1,097.

No. 760 is 905, 387, 472, 756, 623, 313, 1,076, 44, 1,172, 478.

No. 770 is 116, 1,056, 514, 138, 92, 343, 497, 653, 696, 164.

No. 780 is 399, 983, 1,044, 907, 733, 872, 1,074, 973, 292, 181.

No. 790 is 422, 1,156, 1,061, 1,148, 382, 667, 586, 140, 835, 222.

No. 800 is 467, 1,099, 1,085, 128, 1,142, 1,176, 217, 1,027, 371, 495.

No. 810 is 1,018, 782, 1,009, 1,157, 844, 533, 455, 197, 103, 79.

No. 820 is 771, 511, 585, 15, 1,131, 1,192, 1,134, 625, 1,103, 1,139.

No. 830 is 943, 945, 369, 141, 26, 110, 211, 748, 1,004, 772.

No. 840 is 967, 736, 729, 805, 794, 539, 400, 104, 651, 775.

No. 850 is 912, 1,087, 932, 542, 986, 157, 31, 678, 890, 642.

No. 860 is 1,073, 627, 746, 1,063, 1,088, 96, 272, 989, 1,144, 837.

No. 870 is 876, 124, 845, 524, 934, 490, 780, 314, 593, 256.

No. 880 is 1,084, 1,079, 53, 43, 142, 846, 1,141, 538, 391, 106.

No. 890 is 1,020, 374, 1,065, 359, 248, 134, 765, 1,003, 358, 840.

No. 900 is 80, 715, 532, 509, 508, 201, 955, 127, 101, 744.

No. 910 is 1,113, 475, 159, 380, 731, 1,177, 483, 965, 700, 170.

No. 920 is 971, 582, 144, 23, 749, 350, 473, 832, 883, 573.

No. 930 is 614, 259, 388, 569, 22, 437, 673, 1,185, 1,053, 646.

No. 940 is 670, 585, 214, 656, 457, 21, 460, 180, 866, 1,068.

No. 950 is 839, 708, 699, 394, 286, 954, 1,055, 75, 672, 1,102.

No. 960 is 282, 1,000, 1,01, 874, 933, 1,047, 1,006, 1,047, 1,006, 888, 854.

No. 970 is 803, 863, 50, 908, 891, 484, 1,075, 324, 47, 674.

No. 980 is 1,166, 126, 1,132, 732, 1,092, 86, 60, 783, 129, 1,149.

No. 990 is 799, 689, 273, 724, 659, 323, 395, 206, 821, 375.

No. 1,000 is 1,186, 1,143, 757, 183, 1,010, 528, 831, 73, 1,171, 993.

No. 1,010, is 836, 311, 1,031, 378, 421, 167, 169, 1,129, 307, 675.

No. 1,020 is 946, 384, 1,116, 826, 759, 730, 461, 515, 111, 824.

No. 1,030 is 1,075, 491, 453, 1,121, 953, 523, 146, 852, 1,124, 9.

No. 1,040 is 381, 20, 601, 551, 1,081, 1,150, 600, 556, 327, 720.

No. 1,050 is 1,017, 334, 220, 255, 242, 591, 863, 951, 560, 100.

No. 1,060 is 849, 486, 910, 115, 877, 390, 291, 403, 892, 326.

No. 1,070 is 634, 650, 409, 827, 879, 441, 496, 848, 611, 583.

No. 1,080 is 354, 997, 994, 376, 109, 996, 878, 249, 281, 261.

No. 1,090 is 215, 814, 950, 5, 290, 1,103, 363, 463, 873, 919.

No. 1,100 is 283, 1,039, 166, 779, 117, 1,199, 571, 723, 139, 310.

No. 1,110 is 609, 133, 105, 42, 213, 176, 1,059, 393, 235, 1,178.

No. 1,120 is 550, 870, 915, 683, 476, 526, 174, 525, 341, 1,030.

No. 1,130 is 933, 499, 373, 711, 606, 987, 598, 346, 390, 889.

No. 1,140 is 1,008, 738, 408, 1,019, 968, 1,119, 544, 982, 1,013, 425.

No. 1,150 is 502, 1,140, 931, 1,182, 641, 121, 901, 444, 725, 774.

No. 1,160 is 221, 705, 162, 806, 810, 132, 1,123, 488, 981, 941.

No. 1,170 is 788, 960, 449, 413, 894, 118, 681, 271, 97, 325.

No. 1,180 is 721, 332, 236, 645, 1,054, 379, 389, 834, 850, 619.

No. 1,190 is 171, 468, 301, 527, 563, 750, 152, 684, 690, 936.

No. 1,200 is 225.

NAVY OFFICER IS HELD BY GERMANS

Lieut. E. V. Isaacs.

According to a story told by his orderly, Lieut. Edward V. Isaacs, of the United States navy was retained as a prisoner by the crew of the U-boat which sunk the U. S. S. President Lincoln after putting its passengers into their life boats. The submarine, the orderly told officials here, left the scene of the sinking, then came back four hours later and took Isaacs from one of the life boats.

LEAGUERS CAPTURE PARTY ORGANIZATION

Senator Borah Forces Republicans to Adopt Nonpartisan Principles.

Boise, Id., June 27.—The republican party organization of Idaho has been captured by the Nonpartisan league with the help of Senator William E. Borah. The democrats will fight the league. This was decided at the state platform conventions which concluded their work when the republican convention adjourned Wednesday morning after 2 o'clock.

Senator Borah is the man who forced the adoption by the republicans of planks demanded by the Nonpartisan league, which in Idaho has centered its fight on the so called "power trust." The platform committee fought all day and half the night over a plank approving state development and ownership of unused water power sites. It was adopted after a lively convention floor fight only after a secret letter from Senator Borah, asking that such a plank be included was read in executive session. The democratic platform condemns "persons who attempt to stir up class hatred." By common consent of the delegates this plank rejects nonpartisan indorsement of democratic candidates.

Both platforms declare in favor of passage of federal constitutional amendments granting suffrage to women and ending the liquor trade in the United States.

The socialist state platform convention declared in favor of "an early, lasting and democratic peace, without forced annexations or punitive indemnities."

PARIS NAMES STREET IN HONOR OF WILSON

Paris, June 27.—The municipal council of Paris today voted unanimously that the Avenue Trocadero should henceforth bear the name of President Wilson. It was also decided that the name plates should be in place before the Fourth of July.

The Rue du Luxembourg was rechristened the Rue Guynemer, after Captain Guynemer, the famous French aviator who was killed in an aerial battle last September.

The council, in honoring President Wilson, suspended one of its own regulations forbidding the use of names of living persons in naming streets.

MORE NAVAL BARRACKS WILL BE CONSTRUCTED

Washington, D. C., June 27.—Barracks to accommodate 12,000 additional men at the Great Lakes naval training station, 10,000 more at Norfolk, and 10,000 at Newport, R. I., will be constructed, Secretary Daniels announced today, to take care of the authorized increase of the naval enlisted personnel.

Construction of additional barracks at Pelham Bay station is now under way. The cost of the improvements at the Great Lakes station will be about $4,000,000, including an extension of the water supply system. When completed the big naval station near Chicago will have facilities for training nearly 40,000 men.

WILSON SPEECH WILL BE WIDELY DISTRIBUTED

Washington, D. C., June 27.—President Wilson's "Fourth of July speech," which is expected to deal in part at least with international affairs, may be read at Independence Day celebrations throughout the country simultaneously with its delivery by the president at Mount Vernon.

It became known today that the committee on public information, through which the speech will be given out, has under consideration plans to furnish it in advance to postmasters through whom it would be transmitted to Four Minute speakers or others in charge of Fourth of July exercises in various cities and towns.

EPIDEMIC OF GRIP AMONG HUN TROOPS

London, June 27.—Influenza is now epidemic all along the German front, according to advices received here from the Dutch frontier, and the prevalence of this ailment is said to be hampering the preparations for offensive operations.

Special hospitals are being established in the rear areas dealing solely with the disease, which is reported to be of the new Spanish type, which recently broke out in Berlin and other German cities, and is presumed to have been brought to the trenches by men returning from leave.

PRESIDENT'S LETTER MAY WIN FOR WOMEN

Washington, June 27.—President Wilson has written a series of letters to southern democrats urging them to support suffrage. This may pass the suffrage amendment. Senator Shields of Tennessee is expected to vote for suffrage by reason of the president's intervention.

MRS. STORY HELD FOR ALLEGED CHARITY FRAUD

New York, June 27.—Mrs. William C. Cumming Story, former head of the Daughters of the American Revolution and nationally prominent club woman, was indicted today on charges growing out of the investigation of the National Emergency Relief society.

In one count Mrs. Story is accused of petit larceny in obtaining a $30 contribution for the society on the representation that it would all go for the society although one-half was paid to William Garland Brown as a commission. It is also charged that she obtained $362 from the Hero Land bazar by falsely certifying that no commissions were being paid.

CAPRONI OFFERS PLANE FOR ATLANTIC FLIGHT

New York, June 27.—Signor Caproni, the Italian airplane inventor, already has a machine capable of flying across the Atlantic, and is ready to send it to this country, or to build one here, according to his plans the executive committee of the Aero club of America was advised by Lieutenant Bolloni of the Royal Italian Flying corps. Hundreds of aviators, he declared, would willingly undertake the initial flight.

LATEST RAID ON PARIS IS MISERABLE FAILURE

Paris, June 27.—Few bombs were dropped and no casualties were caused by the German airplanes which raided Paris last night, according to the Petit Parisien's report of the German attempt at an air bombardment. It appears, says the Matin, that there wer two groups of the Gothas. The greater part of them had to change the direction of their flight because of the vigorous barrage fire, and in the effort to regain their base safely got rid of their bombs rapidly.

"WILL NOT ABANDON CONSCRIPTION," FRENCH

London, June 27.—When his proclamation calling for Irish volunteers was issued there was no idea of abandoning the possibility of conscription, Viscount French, the lord lieutenant, declared in a speech Wednesday at Belfast. If the military requirements set forth in the proclamation are not satisfied voluntarily, he added, the government must deal with the situation in the interests of the army. Fifty thousand men would be accepted as Ireland's contribution, but if compulsion had to be resorted to the number would be regulated by population.

MURDER OF EX-CZAR CONFIRMED AT KIEV

Paris, June 27.—A dispatch from Kiev under date of Wednesday, June 26, declares that the report of the assassination of former Emperor Nicholas, of Russia, has been confirmed. It is declared he was killed by bolshevist troops during their retreaat on Yekaterinburg.

NICHOLAS II, EX-CZAR OF RUSSIA.
The assassination of the former Czar by Bolshevist troops has been confirmed at Kieo.

By the Associated Press.

Geneva, June 28.—The Ukraine bureau at Lausanne announced today it has received confirmation of the report that the bolshevist authorities at Yekaterinburg condemned Nicholas Romanoff, the former Russian emperor, to death after a short trial, and then shot him.

Details of the reported execution are lacking.

The Kiev dispatch was received at Basel, Switzerland, and forwarded here by the Havas correspondent in that city.

The first report of the assassination of Emperor Nicholas was received in Copenhagen through Stockholm Tuesday. The Copenhagen message quoted the Russian newsaper Vjla as saying that Russian red guards had murdered the ex-emperor in his residence at Yekaterinburg, where he was removed recently from Tobolsk.

An Exchange telegraph dispatch from Moscow dated Friday, June 21, and received in this country Wednesday, declared there was no foundation, however, for the rumors of the assassination and dispatches from German sources last week reported that the former emperor was not at Yekaterinburg, having been removed to Moscow for safe keeping.

Amsterdam, June 28.—Reports that former Emperor Nicholas has been murdered in Yekaterinburg are increasingly persistent in Moscow, according to a dispatch from that city

PREPARE TO DEAL BLOW IN FRANCE

Germans Making Ready to Strike British Front—Fighting Dies Down In Italy—Local Gains Made.

London, June 28.—"Important events are developing on the west front" the Chronicle declared today.

"German reserves are cunningly maneuvering into position for a resumption of the offensive. It is impossible to say, however, in which sector the blow will be struck."

By Associated Press.

It is believed that the German command is about ready to launch another stroke against the allied lines. The artillery activity remains about normal on important sectors, but aerial fighting has increased markedly.

Thirty-six German machines were brought down or forced to land in a damaged condition Tuesday by Franco-British airmen, while Berlin claims the destruction of 12 allied airplanes the same day. German airplanes raided Paris Wednesday night. There is much sickness prevalent among the German troops, but this is not believed to be having any effect on plans for a renewal of the enemy offensive.

ITALIANS COUNTING PLUNDER.

By Associated Press.

The Italians are busy taking count of the guns and material captured from the Austrians who fled across the Piave. In the mountain zone the fighting has died down to local attacks.

Rome, June 28.—Italian forces made further gains on the lower Piave, taking 600 prisoners, it was semi-officially announced today.

"At the junction of the Piave branches (near San Dona Di Piave) we crossed the river and took 100 prisoners," it was stated.

"We enlarged the Capo Sile bridgehead, taking 500 prisoners.

"Elsewhere we crossed the river and raided enemy outposts."

PARADERS URGE PEACE.

By United Press.

Geneva, June 28.—The Austrian defeat has caused profound depression in Vienna, according to a Basle dispatch to La Suisse. Crowds paraded the streets in angry demonstrations.

In Prague, the dispatch said, 50,000 persons marched through the streets, demanding peace. They were dispersed by the police.

STRENGTHEN THEIR LINE.

By United Press.

With the Italian Armies in the Field, June 26.—Most of the fighting today was confined to the mountain sector, on both sides of the Brenta river.

The Italians are improving their positions there, for as long as the Austrians hold their present line in that sector, an Italian advance across the Piave would leave their flank and rear communications exposed to the bulk of the enemy's reserves, in the upper Brenta and upper Piave valleys. It is reported that Emperor Karl presided at the final council of war and decided on the Austrian withdrawal across the Piave.

ARTILLERY IS ACTIVE.

London, June 28.—British last night took a German strong point west of Vieux Berquin east of Hazebroueck and captured prisoners and machine guns, says the official statement from Field Marshal Haig today. The German artillery has been in action on the Lys salient.

ITALIANS REPULSED.

Vienna (via Londan), June 28.—"The hotly contested Col del Rosso, held by us since June 15, was again attacked, strongly but vainly, yesterday morning," the war office announced today.

"Near Ponte Di Piave, the Italians attempted to reach our bank but were shot to pieces."

TWENTY-NINE ARE KILLED IN ACTION

One South Dakotan, One Nebraskan and Two Iowans Are Among Wounded.

Washington, D. C., June 28.—The army casualty list today contained 80 names divided as follows: Killed in action, 29; died of wounds, 6; died of accident and other causes, 4; died of airplane accident, 2; died of disease, 2; wounded severely, 31; wounded, degree undetermined, 4; missing in action, 2.

One South Dakotan, one Nebraskan and two Iowans' names appear in the list as follows:

Wounded Severely—Frederick, Kerner, Burke, S. D.

Wounded (degree undetermined)—Clifford Gaylord, Fort Madison, Ia.; Paul T. Troves, Des Moines, Ia., and John H. Stacy, Fremont, Neb.

BOLT FIRES DYNAMITE; TRAPPING 20 MINERS

Virginia, Minn., June 27.—At least 20 miners are known to be dead as the result of an explosion of dynamite set off by a bolt of lightning during a storm of the Silver mine of the M. A. Hanna company today. Thousands of tons of ore caved in, burying the 20 men. Several others were injured seriously.

NONPARTISAN LEAGUE CANDIDATE DEFEATED

Grand Forks, N. D., June 27.—With fully half the returns in from yesterday's primary election, John Steen, candidate of the Independent Voters' association, has a lead of 3,737 over Gov. Lynn J. Frazier, candidate of the Nonpartisan league for the republican nomination for governor. The vote is: Steen, 20,474; Frazier, 16,737.

TO EXTRADITE GODSOL.

Washington, D. C., June 27.—Frank J. Godsol, a French subject, held here on charges of the French government that he profited several millions of dollars on motor truck contracts, was held today by the district court for extradition to France.

A musician in Europe has invented bellows operated by the feet that supply air to a man's mouth to help him play wind instruments.

FIRE KUEHLMANN FOR HIS OPEN ATTACK ON JUNKERS

Washington, D. C., June 28.—German diplomats are now blaming their militarists for prolonging the war.

Sensational excerpts from Foreign Minister von Kuehlmann's address to the reichstag Tuesday, explaining his remarks of Monday, show that he literally struck the junkers between the eyes. He declared that Ludendorff should be made to answer for lack of German success in the war, not the German chancellor. He scored Von Capelle for saying the U-boats would keep American soldiers from France, "and there are 700,000 of these troops now there."

He derided those militarists who said America wouldn't enter the war, and said German domination of Esthonia and Livonia, "pompously called liberation of smaller peoples," is "deplorable and hopeless."

Basel, Switzerland, June 28.—A rumor has reached here from Berlin that Dr. Richard von Kuehlmann, the German foreign secretary will resign his portfolio.

Von Kuehlmann figuratively "spilled the beans" for the Prussian war party Tuesday when he virtually admitted that Germany cannot hope for a military victory. His admission was made indirectly when he declared that the addition of "over seas forces" made impossible a victory by either side.

London, June 28.—W. M. Hughes, premier of Australia, speaking before the chamber of commerce today, declared that Von Kuehlmann's speech is a clear admission that the German offensive is barred of gains and that America's war effort has surprised and dismayed Germany.

London, June 28.—The removal from office of Dr. Richard Von Kuehlmann, German foreign secretary, can be anticipated, judging from comments in conservative and pan-German newspapers on his reichstag speech, the Berlin correspondent of the Frankfurter Zeitung says, according to a Central News dispatch from Amsterdam.

REBELS LED BY CZAR'S BROTHER

Grand Duke Michael Heads New Government In Siberia and Issues Manifesto to Russian People.

BOLSHEVISTS FACING END

Leaders of All Factions Declare That Muscovite Empire Is Ready to Throw Off Yoke of Germany.

KERENSKY'S PLEA.

London, June 28.—While waiting to speak to the labor conference Alexander Kerensky sent the following message to America through the United Press:

"Russia counts on the full aid of America at this moment of supreme tragedy and importance for her. I cannot say now in what way America can best aid Russia. I am coming to explain the Russian situation for you. I hope to do this soon."

By United Press.

Washington, D. C., June 28.—American action as to Russia will occur soon.

The first step will probably be dispatch of a commission to Russia to check up on Russian needs and desires, with power to act thereon.

Amsterdam, June 28.—Grand Duke Michael Alexandrovitch, a younger brother of the former emperor, Nicholas, is reported in a dispatch from Moscow received here by way of Berlin to have placed himself at the head of the new Siberian government and to have issued a manifeste to the Russian people.

BY JOSEPH SHAPLEN.
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Stockholm, June 28.—Conferences are proceeding between representatives of the Siberian government and of Japan and China for the latter's aid in overthrowing the bolshevists and making war on Germany, it was learned here today.

Japan is said to be asking certain privileges of Siberia, such as exploitation of her gold and other resources. It is believed an agreement will be reached.

BY ED L. KEEN,
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London, June 28.—Alexander Kerensky, Russia's "man of destiny," told friends today there are definite indications that order will speedily be reestablished in Russia with the aid of the allies and America, resulting in the creation of an "east front" again.

He said it is positive that Russia is ready to join the allies, as soon as the yoke of bolshevism is thrown off.

The dramatic and unexpected appearance of Alexander Kerensky at the labor party conference yesterday raised many questions concerning his future actions and his connections with the allied policy toward Russia, which may be explained in his speech before the conference today.

The Mail says the government did not invite Kerensky to England, but that he asked the right of asylum as a private citizen.

"However, continues the Mail, "it is wondered whether Kerensky brought an invitation for allied intervention from the Russian moderate socialists."

It is reliably reported that Kerensky favors intervention by all the allies—even though one country furnishes most of the troops—under the slogan "fighting Germany," while not interfering with Russia's internal affairs.

Kerensky is said to believe that allied intervention will unite the present warring factions opposed to the bolshevists and is reported to have intimated the Russian military assistance is possible, if it is used only in a defensive way.

SAYS RUSSIA WILL FIGHT.

Washington, D. C., June 28.—Russia, if encouraged by the allies, will, in a spontaneous movement, reject German domination and liberate herself and be of service to the allied cause, Jean Sookine, formerly first secretary of the Russian embassy here, announced yesterday on his return from Paris.

Sookine, in the capacity of diplomatic courier, went to Paris to learn the real facts of the present condition in Russia.

IRKUTSK IS CAPTURED.

Washington, D. C., June 28.—Irkutsk, one of the chief Siberian cities, has been captured by Checho-Slovaks after a short fight with the red guard.

CONGRESS TO RECESS DURING THE DOG DAYS

Senate and House Leaders Expect to Adjourn Early Next Month.

Washington, D. C., June 28.—House and Senate leaders have reached a formal agreement for a 30 or 40 day recess as soon as appropriation bills and pending conference reports are out of the way, House Majority Leader Kitchin announced.

President Wilson agreed to such an arrangement at a conference with congressional leaders, Kitchin said.

"We should be able to get away by July 1 or 2," said Kitchin.

ALLAN BENSON QUITS THE SOCIALIST PARTY

New York, June 27.—Allan Benson, writer, socialist candidate for president in 1916, has withdrawn from the socialist party, he announced today.

He charges that the party has passed into the control of foreign born leaders, who are devoid of Americanism and of "an anarchistic, syndicalistic minority." Benson said that the leaders he referred to were not pro-German, but were incapable by reason of their birth of seeing the difference between a covetous and imperialistic nation like Germany, fighting for conquest, and a nation like the United States, fighting for principles of freedom.