

MINNESOTA MAN GETS NO. 1 IN BERTHOLD LAND DRAWING; NORTH DAKOTA MAN SECOND

PORTER, ANOKA FARMER, FIRST NAME CALLED

Spectators Cheer in Packed Opera House at Announcement

BULK OF LAND GOES TO NORTHWEST PEOPLE

Charles Brewer, Secretary of Board of Regents Gets 95

Minot, N. D., Nov. 4.—More than 55 per cent of the 110,000 acres of Fort Berthold reservation lands will be divided among residents of Minnesota and North Dakota, when they are opened next May. At the drawing here today Charles R. Porter of Anoka, Minn., won the privilege of making the first selection of one of the 700 homesteads of 160 acres each.

Big Crowd on Hand. A crowd that began gathering shortly before dawn packed a local theater before daylight and waited impatiently until Julius Halvorson, the 19-year-old son of a former Minot mayor, laughingly poked a hand into the large wooden box on the stage and drew forth the envelope containing the name of "lucky number one."

The crowd burst into cheers when Porter's name was announced and applauded the announcement of the following nine winners.

- First Nine Winners.**
- H. L. Wall, Dunwell, N. D.
 - C. A. Oberg, Minneapolis, Minn.
 - Jacob Lemstra, New Rockford, N. D.
 - Olga Tennesson, Minneapolis, Minn.
 - F. E. Hirsch, St. Paul, Minn.
 - F. A. McGrath, Keokuk, Ia.
 - Christ Paulson, Van Hook, N. D.
 - John Pahlert, Roseglenn, N. D.
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DEATH LIST MAY TOTAL SIXTEEN

Marshfield, Ore., Nov. 5.—Four passengers and four men of the crew of the steamer Santa Clara, which was wrecked Tuesday at the entrance to Coos bay, were still unaccounted for tonight. If it develops that they were all lost, the death list will total 16.

LOCAL MANAGER TALKS TO NEW YORK CITY

F. L. Sherman, district manager of the North Dakota Independent Telephone company, yesterday talked to the manager of the Bell Telephone company in New York City. This is the first time that such a feat has been tried. The call was a service test, made from the New York office, and every word of the conversation could be distinctly heard here.

First 500 Names Drawn Yesterday

- 1—Charles R. Porter, Anoka, Minn.
- 2—E. H. Wahl, Denhoff, N. D.
- 3—Geo. A. Oberg, Minneapolis, Minn.
- 4—Jacob Lenartz, New Rockford, N. D.
- 5—Olga Tennesson, Minneapolis.
- 6—F. E. Hirsch, St. Paul, Minn.
- 7—A. A. McGrath, Keokuk, Ia.
- 8—Christ Paulson, Van Hook, N. D.
- 9—John Pahlert, Roseglenn, N. D.
- 10—Wilfred Larson, Gladstone, Mich.
- 11—Olive Lasher, Granville, N. D.
- 12—William Edwards, Empire City, Kansas.
- 13—Henry J. Rosenberger, St. Paul.
- 14—Oscar M. Holsch, Forest City, Ia.
- 15—V. F. Stenersen, Minot, N. D.
- 16—Benedict J. Effinger, St. Paul, Minn.
- 17—A. R. Lovick, Pisek, N. D.
- 18—C. Roy Lund, Gilmanton, Wis.
- 19—C. F. Connors, Minot, N. D.
- 20—F. W. Copeland, Hope, N. D.
- 21—W. H. Husband, St. Paul, Minn.
- 22—Willie A. Woessner, Elbow Lake, Minn.
- 23—Bennie Gilstad, Baldwin, Wis.
- 24—Oscar M. Holsch, Forest City, Ia.
- 25—Claf Birkland, Bemidji, Minn.
- 26—Edwin G. Hammond, Long Island City, N. Y.
- 27—R. W. Martin, Minot, N. D.
- 28—Sam C. Diederich, St. Paul, Minn.
- 29—Lou Madin, Minot, N. D.
- 30—J. A. Corrigan, Stanley, N. D.
- 31—Axel Hanson, Balta, N. D.
- 32—L. Lax, Minot, N. D.
- 33—Ingvald Sylvester, Thompson, N. D.
- 34—H. D. Horst, Minot, N. D.
- 35—William G. Thomas, Plasher, N. D.
- 36—Knut Bolsos, Chicago, Ill.
- 37—Lloyd C. Young, Devils Lake, N. D.
- 38—Gunder Fyfe, Northwood, Ia.
- 39—W. C. Rhodes, Detroit, Minn.
- 40—Alex. G. Larson, St. Paul, Minn.
- 41—William Drummond, Oberon, N. D.
- 42—Clad L. Paine, Carey, Colo.
- 43—Mildred Johnson, Deering, N. D.
- 44—Winfred Movins, Lidgerwood, N. D.
- 45—Earl A. Williams, Cray, N. D.
- 46—Clarence D. Riffey, Minot, N. D.
- 47—Charles F. Correll, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.
- 48—Wm. Hargraves, Berthold, N. D.
- 49—D. N. Krogstad, Atwater, Minn.
- 50—E. D. Saunders, Mandan, N. D.
- 51—Maude Trace, Burlington, N. D.
- 52—Joseph Kraft, Jr., Selz, N. D.
- 53—Roy Jones Denbich, N. D.
- 54—Mortin Fasse, Starbuck, Minn.
- 55—John S. Landaker, Plaza, N. D.
- 56—J. Olson, Souris, N. D.
- 57—William B. Leo, St. Clair, Minn.
- 58—Lester F. Morse, Webster, N. D.
- 59—Oscar Braaten, Manfred, N. D.
- 60—Andrew H. Rasmussen, Emmons, Minn.
- 61—John Klabunde, Clemons, Minn.
- 62—J. Helderson, Park River, N. D.
- 63—Lawrence Judd, Sherwood, N. D.
- 64—Fred Marlatt, Mandan, N. D.
- 65—J. C. Pederson, Minnewaukan, N. D.
- 66—Martin Nygard, Edinburg, N. D.
- 67—Lilly Giffey, Garrison, N. D.
- 68—James R. King, Salem, Ind.
- 69—A. O. Rust, Grantsburg, Wis.
- 70—John Alm, Van Hook, N. D.
- 71—Eric Anderson, Cokato, Minn.
- 72—Lincoln Harvey, Morris, Minn.
- 73—B. Burke, Cumberland, Wis.
- 74—Willie Beck, Walcott, N. D.
- 75—George E. Hopkins, Rockford, Minn.
- 76—A. O. Anderson, Velva, N. D.
- 77—Carl A. Fuglie, Coal Harbor, N. D.
- 78—Tony Nystad, Thompson, N. D.
- 79—N. E. Brady, Jamestown, N. D.
- 80—Jack C. Dronite, Minneapolis, Minn.

TRADE NOTE ARRIVES AT ITS DESTINATION

Washington, Nov. 4.—Secretary Lansing was advised late today that the American note to Great Britain on interferences with neutral trade arrived in London last night and will be delivered to the foreign office tomorrow by Ambassador Page. Secretary Lansing is arranging with the British authorities with a view to its publication Monday morning.

U. S. Commissioner Claxton Addresses the Teachers at Grand Forks Meeting

Grand Forks, N. D., Nov. 4.—United States Commissioner of Education P. P. Claxton held the center of the boards at the North Dakota Education Association meeting today, delivering an address on rural school work at one session, and an address on high schools at another session. During his address on the high school question, Mr. Claxton declared his opinion in favor of the six-year high school system, establishing what is known as the "Six and Six" plan for grade and high school work.

MEXICANS KILL AMERICANS WHO HELPED WOUNDED

Four Slain By Rebel Troops in Engagements Near Border

BANDIT CHIEF AT HEAD OF 3,000 MEN

Citizens of United States Were Working Under Protection of Red Cross

Naco, Ariz., Nov. 4.—Four Americans, who left here with hospital supplies for Villa's army, were killed yesterday near Agua Prieta, by a shrapnel shell, it was reported here today. It is said that General Villa conveyed this information to American officers here.

Villa declared that the Americans were killed by Calles' fire, while they were aiding the wounded. He added that he would remain in Naco only long enough to secure a supply of food.

The men were: Dr. R. C. Thigpen and Dr. Miller of the Cananea Consolidated Copper company's hospital staff and their chauffeur, Joseph Pyland, and A. L. Wilson of Naco. Their bodies will be brought here.

Representatives of American interests in Sonora, it was said, have received demands from Villa, which they describe as amounting to contribution. Confirmation of this and details were not available.

Villa reached the border across from here today with 3,000 of the army defeated by the Carranza forces Monday at Agua Prieta. The four Americans killed were buried where they fell, Villa said, while formally expressing regret at their death, declined tonight to say where they were buried.

Four thousand of Villa's men are at the water station and "Calle Center," 22 miles south of the Cananea railway. Another detachment was reported tonight to be looting stores and receiving supplies at Cananea.

Villa began receiving supplies as soon as he reached Naco and said he intended to leave tonight. It was believed that he would go to Nogales, where the army here would follow him, while the force at Villa Verde would be left to oppose any attack by Gen. Calles. Another attack on Agua Prieta by the Villa army appeared to be a distant prospect.

Shortly after he appeared at Naco with a detachment bringing more than 100 wounded men, Villa came up to the boundary to make a report of the death of the four Americans.

"I regret that they were killed," he said, "but they are dead and buried."

Villa told officials of the Cananea Consolidated Copper company that the four men were under a Red Cross flag when fired on by the Calles' rifle men. He stated that their death occurred between 10:30 and 11 o'clock yesterday morning.

Through agents here, Villa, upon (Continued on page 4)

NEXT AMBASSADOR TO MEXICO, MAYBE



Henry P. Fletcher, at present United States ambassador to Chile, is expected to be named as the new ambassador to Mexico. Mr. Fletcher is a native of Pennsylvania and has been in the diplomatic service for about twelve years.

STATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY MEETING

Melvin B. Gilmore of Lincoln, Nebraska Elected for State Curator

A meeting of the board of directors of the State Historical society was held at Grand Forks yesterday, at which Melvin B. Gilmore of Lincoln, Neb., was elected to the position of state curator, to succeed H. C. Fish, recently resigned.

Word was also received here last night to the effect that Mrs. M. H. Jewell of this city had been named as assistant curator. Mr. Gilmore will not assume his new duties until the 1st of next May, but Mrs. Jewell will commence immediately.

Judge Amidon of Fargo presided at the meeting, which was attended by most members of the State Historical society. No other appointments were officially announced yesterday.

Germany Gets Belgian War Coin

New Plan for Attacking Battleships from Aeroplanes Practiced by Teutons

Amsterdam, Nov. 4.—The chamber of Commerce of Antwerp has issued a report outlining the steps the Belgian provinces have taken to pay the German war levy of \$96,000,000. The report says the Belgian provinces have just paid the German authorities the ninth installment of the levy, having paid to date 75 per cent of the total. It charges that if Belgium has fulfilled her obligation, the German administration is very much behind with its obligation under the Hague convention and international law.

Germany appears to be trying a new method of attack on British merchantmen with aeroplanes. The Court steamer Avocet, which has arrived at Liverpool Journal of Commerce, of a 35-minute engagement with three hostile aeroplanes on the morning of Oct. 30. One aeroplane was a large battleplane, which dropped 36 bombs, some of which missed the steamer by not more than seven feet.

When the bombs were exhausted the battleplane fired at the Avocet with a machine gun. The ship's sides and decks were struck by bullet but the crew escaped injury.

At a height of 100 to 1,000 feet all aeroplanes dropped bombs and attacked the steamer with rifle. The Avocet's escape was due to zigzag maneuvering.

FULL CREW ACT NOW EFFECTIVE

San Francisco, Nov. 4.—Every American vessel that left here today was manned according to requirements of the LaFollette seaman's act, which provides that 40 per cent of the deck crew must measure up to certain specified technical and physical standards. There are about 2,500 seamen in this port affected by the act.

SATURDAY SCORES UPSET PREDICTION OF SPORT WRITERS

Minnesota and Illinois Evenly Matched With Chicago Still in Running

EASTERN RESULTS UPSET TRADITIONS

Results of Tomorrow's Games Are Anxiously Awaited All Over Country

Chicago, Nov. 4.—Saturday's football game left the situation in the western conference more complex than ever before in the history of the organization. Four unbeaten eleven went into action. One was beaten, two entered with a clean bill, and the fourth won a game, which made it a contender for the championship. Illinois and Minnesota battled to a 6 to 6 tie at Urbana, while Chicago eliminated Wisconsin by beating the Badgers, 14 to 13. The Maroons now have a chance to win the Big Nine title. Advance dope favored Minnesota and Wisconsin, but the breaks of the game were in favor of the Maroons and Illinois.

Eckie Resigns as Prophet. Wisconsin will meet Illinois at Urbana on November 13 and on the same day Chicago will clash with Minnesota at Minneapolis. After that Chicago will meet Illinois on Sagge field and Wisconsin will clash with Minnesota at Madison. After picking Minnesota to win over Illinois, and Wisconsin to beat Chicago, the writer refuses to make any predictions regarding these remaining games.

In the Chicago-Wisconsin game a fumble by Galvin when the Badgers had the ball on the Maroon one-yard line wrecked a Cardinal victory. Had Wisconsin scored this touchdown, the complexion of the entire game would have been changed. Up to that time Wisconsin had the edge, but when Galvin lost that ball Chicago seemed to gain in offensive and defensive strength, while Wisconsin appeared to lose the drive and power of attack which had featured its play.

Chicago and Coach Stag deserve a lot of credit. Capt. Russell and his team mates came from behind and not only tied the score, but won one of the hardest fought contests seen on Stag field since 1905, when Chicago won over Michigan, 2 to 0. That this game will upset the Maroons in future contests goes without saying. A victory over such a worthy opponent as Wisconsin will instill a world of confidence into Stag's charges.

Game Here May Decide Title. Chicago's triumph makes it a contender for the title now held by Illinois. If the Maroons can win from Minnesota at Minneapolis on November 15, and if Illinois wins from Wisconsin, the Big Nine title will be decided on Stag field on November 20, Chicago, Minnesota, and Illinois are sure to improve. Nothing will be left undone at Madison to bring about (Continued on page two.)

PEACE PARTY OF GREECE IS DEFEATED AND NATION MAY BE FORCED INTO WAR

CAMPAIGN FOR DEFENSE OPENED

President Wilson Outlines Scheme in New York Address

New York, Nov. 4.—President Wilson opened the administration campaign for its national defense program in a comprehensive and carefully prepared address delivered here tonight at the Manhattan club banquet.

He declared solemnly that the United States had no aggressive purposes, but must be prepared to defend itself and to assume "full liberty and self development." Significantly, he said, "with ourselves in this great matter, we associate all the people of our own hemisphere," adding that "we wish not only for the United States, but for them the fullest freedom of independent growth of action."

The President was received with enthusiastic applause as he entered the banquet hall and during his address. When the President rose to speak everyone jumped up and applauded until he was forced to signal for quiet.

PHYSICIAN SAYS MRS. ALLEN WAS ATTACKED FIRST

Joliet, Ill., Nov. 4.—Dr. Haldane Clemenson, a former Chicago physician, serving a life term in the penitentiary for murder, testified today in the trial of Joe Campbell, a convict charged with the murder of Mrs. Odette Allen, wife of the former war hero, that Mrs. Allen apparently had been attacked before she was killed in her bed. Dr. Clemenson was the first physician who saw Mrs. Allen after the fire in the building of the penitentiary, in which she lost her life. In his testimony before the coroner's jury there was no record that he said anything of an attack.

FEDERAL COURT IS ADJOURNED.

Minot, N. D., Nov. 4.—The term of the United States district court which was to have opened in this city was adjourned until November 16. The adjournment is made necessary because of the grand jury term of the court which is being held at Fargo, and which has not yet completed the docket at that point.

ZAMIS CABINET RETIRES; KING FACES CRISIS

May Mean Recall of Venizelos and Fresh Balkan Complications

PROBABILITY THAT NO CHANGE MAY BE MADE

New Cabinet Might Continue State of Benevolent Neutrality

London, Nov. 4.—The defeat of the Greek government in the chamber of deputies and the consequent resignation of the Zamis cabinet is the latest sensation afforded by the Balkans. While, of course, it was understood that Eleutherios Venizelos, the former premier, had it in his power to turn the government out whenever he so desired, having the majority in the chamber at his back, the fall of Zamis came unexpectedly, as it was believed that the leader of the majority had decided to accord the premier sufficient support to enable him to remain in office for the present, at least.

As so often happens, however, a vote of confidence was granted to the government on a matter of minor importance—some difference of opinion between Venizelos and the minister of war, General Yaakissas, on military proposals—and the government was defeated by a vote of 147 to 114.

King Faces Responsibility. By handing the resignation of his cabinet to King Constantine, Zamis again places on the king the responsibility of deciding the future policy of his country. In London the first impression was that the defeat of the government would mean the immediate recall of Venizelos and the fulfillment of the original agreement between him and the allied powers to go to the assistance of Serbia.

Parliament May Dissolve. In this belief, the news caused a distinct rally on the Stock Exchange. Later dispatches from Athens, however, indicated a possible dissolution of parliament. Should this course be taken, it would be, at least, two months before an election could be held and the new chamber meet at Athens. In the meantime, either the Zamis cabinet, the resignation of which has not been accepted, with perhaps a change in the ministry of war, or some other cabinet favoring the king's policy of continued neutrality would have charge of affairs, and consequently there would be no change in the military situation.

Roumania's Position. Even should Venizelos be called upon to form a new government, it is not certain that he would join the Allies at present, but the Quadruple Entente would have the assurance that Greece would not turn against them.

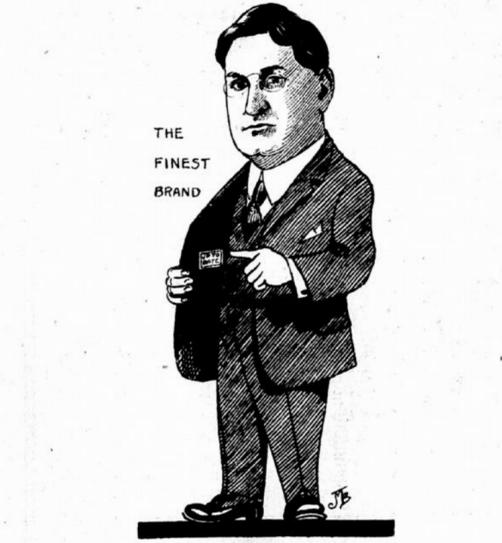
Roumania is somewhat in the same position as Greece. The majority of the people of that country favor the Allies, while the king and the government wish to maintain neutrality, at least until it appears clear that the Allies can win the war.

Russians Active. Having checked the German offensive along the whole eastern front, except directly west of Riga, where the nature of the ground makes an advance difficult, the Russians have started a counter offensive at three points, west of Dvinsk, on the Styr, in Lohemia, and on the Strippa in Galicia. On the Strippa river, they claim to have won a great victory and to have captured 5,000 prisoners, although admitting that the battle is still in progress.

Germans Dispute Victory. The Germans on their side assert that all the attacks have been repulsed with heavy losses to the Russians. The Serbians, who are making a stand in the south, where they are supported by the British and French, continue their retirement before the Austro-Germans and Bulgarians in the north and northeast. The Bulgarians are now within ten miles of Nish, and are advancing northward from Uskup toward Pristina. Thus, besides being in danger of losing their capital, the Serbians are threatened with being cut off from the south, and will have only one line of retreat to Montenegro.

A dispatch to Reuters' Telegram company from Petrograd says there is no truth in the report that Russian troops have landed at Varna, Bulgaria's chief Black sea port.

BISMARCK BOOSTERS



Prominently identified with the business life of this city is A. W. Eppinger, who for the past 13 years has been successfully engaged in the clothing business. Thirty-seven years ago he came to Bismarck with his parents from Sioux City, Ia. His father was known as the pioneer clothing merchant of Dakota Territory, and Mr. Eppinger comes naturally into his present business. Possessed of broad experience, he is meeting the demands of a big trade with popular merchandise at popular prices.

Mr. Eppinger is a director of the Commercial Club and a stout booster for Bismarck's interests. He has taken an active part in organized boosting and believes the healthy growth of Bismarck in the past a criterion of the city's future progress.