



SHIPBUILDING MUST SPEED UP, SAYS PRESIDENT

Quarrels Between Individuals to Cease, or Men Now in Charge Will Be Replaced Without Further Delay.

SUBMARINE MENACE IS INCREASING DAILY

Controversy Between Goethals and Denman Still to Be Settled.

By John Edwin Nevin.
Washington, June 23.—(U. P.)—Every available ocean-going carrying vessel, wood, steel or any other construction must be built at top speed at once unless the German submarine menace is to imperil the success of the present war.
Convincing evidence showing this fact now is in possession of President Wilson, it was learned this afternoon. He will settle the controversy between Chairman William Denman of the United States shipping commission and General George W. Goethals, general manager of the emergency fleet corporation, within the next few days. And in settling it, officials who are close to the president openly declare he will take the position that the entire resources of the nation must be devoted to turning out vessels of every kind and that unless the parties to the controversy are willing to quit fighting, and work in harmony, they will have to give place to men who will.

President Secures Data

The information placed before the president upon which he will base his decision is of the most sensational kind. It shows the following facts:
If German submarines can maintain their present rate of destruction, accepting the average for the last three months as an average that will hold good for 12 months, they will destroy a total of 12,000,000 tons of shipping in a year.
Steel production of the United States and Great Britain, pushed to

Dr. David Roberts "Sweated" by Police

Effort Is Made to Ascertain Facts in Love Tragedy Which Cost Life of His Wife.

Waukesha, Wis., June 23.—(U. P.)—City and county authorities today "sweated" Dr. David Roberts, central figure in the love tragedy which cost the life of his wife at the hands of the "other woman," to determine whether there was a plot to get Mrs. Roberts out of the way.
While Miss Grace Lusk, the other woman, was under death sentence for inflicted wounds and the hour for the burial of her victim approached, Dr. Roberts was asked by District Attorney Judge Thomas and Coroner Schaeffel what certain phrases in Miss Lusk's letters to him and his letters to her meant.
The beautiful Roberts mansion was thrown open for three hours prior to the funeral which was held at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

"Eternal Triangle" Tragedy

San Francisco, June 23.—(U. P.)—Another "eternal triangle" tragedy was revealed here today.
Because Mrs. Amelia Galanes spurned his advances, Jose Martinez shot and killed her and then ended his own life.
Amelia Galanes, husband of the dead woman, returned late yesterday from a trip at sea to find the bodies of his wife and Martinez lying on the floor of the (cheap) apartments, both dead while in the same room his 2-year-old baby was crying for its mother.

House Passes Site Bill

Washington, June 23.—(U. P.)—The house today passed unanimously a bill to empower the secretary of war to acquire land needed for coast defenses or army cantonments by lease or by condemnation during the war.

Hood River Farm—Comfy Home Bargain

\$875—WONDERFUL bargain in home, 5 rooms, bath, pantry, closet, basement, modern, beautifully furnished, newly painted and tinted, on car line.
1/2 ACRE, all in cultivation, and 4 room furnished house for sale, sacrifice for cash between 2 1/2 car lines.

FOR SALE—20 acres unimproved level land, A-1 soil, no gravel, spring water, 1 1/2 miles to Pacific highway, 3 miles R. station, \$1200, 3 ash balance to suit at 6%.

SEVERAL good tracts of timber, suitable for piling and ship knees; none better; close in.
GOOD so, unimproved, easy cleared, in Hood River county, mortgaged for five, trade equity for good auto or anything of value can use.
FOR SALE CHEAP—Rooming house with 4 lots and 2 cottages.
Numerous realty buys are listed in The Journal "Want Ad" columns daily.

U. S. Force to Occupy Front Of Four Miles

Pershing's Position Will Be Between the French and British Sectors

Washington, June 23.—(U. P.)—American expeditionary forces on the French firing line may occupy a position between the British and French sectors.
At first, it is estimated that the American expedition will occupy only about four miles of trenches.
From official sources it became known today that the French mission to this country had recommended such a position for Pershing's troops.
At present, General Pershing is conferring with General Petain upon the exact nature of the position that the Americans are to hold.
In official quarters it was pointed out that the American forces would be placed in such a position as to insure an independent line of communication and supply. To break into the French or British sectors with the American forces would entail confusion in supplies.

SUFFRAGISTS AGAIN OUTWIT POLICE AND DISPLAY STREAMER

Miss Mabel Vernon and Miss Mabel Arnold Placed Under Arrest by Police.

Washington, June 23.—(U. P.)—Militant suffragists again flaunted their banner addressed to the Russian mission, today, when they demonstrated in the face of the Russian commissioners this afternoon.
The demonstration took place on the steps at the house end of the national capitol, just as Ambassador Bakmetieff and the members of his mission were about to enter the capitol building. Miss Mabel Vernon of North Carolina, and Miss Mabel Arnold of North Carolina, they were arrested by capitol policemen.
The women were on their way to the capitol and had set a sharp watch to nip their demonstration in the bud.
Several minutes before the women would take their customary places at the entrance. The women slipped by plain clothes men, however. They had no intention of making any noise, the steps of the house wing they unfurled it, just as the Russian commissioner appeared.
Several minutes passed before the policemen spotted the banner, they were watching so sharply in the other direction. When they attempted to release the banner, Miss Vernon and Miss Arnold resisted. Their resistance was brief, however, and the women were taken to police headquarters for arraignment.
Miss Vernon is a veteran member of the Woman's party.
The two women were turned over to the district judge, who ordered the capitol force to be prosecuted for violating capitol regulations.
The suffragists arrested at the capitol were charged with obstructing justice to appear at police headquarters at the capitol, Monday morning. Mrs. Lewis and Miss Greiner were also released without bail, but no time for their trial has been set by the police. The suffragists have asked a jury trial in every case.

Fred W. Wilson to Succeed Bradshaw

Salem, Or., June 23.—Governor Wilcox today appointed Fred W. Wilson of The Dalles as circuit judge for the Seventh judicial district, comprising Wasco and Hood River counties. To fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge W. L. Bradshaw, Wilson was formerly district attorney for the Seventh district.

Federal Reserve Statement

San Francisco, June 23.—(U. P.)—Statement of condition of Federal Reserve bank of San Francisco at close of business June 22:	
RESOURCES	
Gold coin and gold certificates	\$13,020,000
Gold with Federal Reserve agents	24,400,000
U. S. gold settlement fund	18,500,000
U. S. gold redemption fund	1,000,000
Gold held at foreign agencies	2,750,000
Total gold resources	\$59,670,000
Legal tender notes, silver, etc.	\$27,300,000
Total resources	\$86,970,000
Bills discounted	\$37,321,000
Acceptances bought	7,622,000
Total bills on hand	\$44,943,000
United States bonds owned	\$2,490,000
U. S. Certificates of indebtedness	4,237,000
Treasury notes	150,000
All other resources	204,000
Total earnings accounts	\$24,870,000
Federal Reserve notes	2,870,000
National bank notes and notes on other Federal Reserve banks	175,000
Overdrafts (member banks)	39,000
Net due from other Federal Reserve banks (collected funds)	3,568,000
Due from depository	2,143,000
Exchange for clearing houses	510,000
Transfers bought	2,000,000
Other unclassified items	5,962,000
All other resources	146,000
Total resources	\$102,702,000
LIABILITIES	
Capital paid in	\$3,869,000
Due to member banks (reserve acct.)	30,225,000
Due to other banks	1,000,000
Due to Federal Reserve banks	27,000
Other collection items	5,962,000
Reserve fund	1,000,000
Other liabilities	24,400,000
All other liabilities	319,000
Total liabilities	\$102,702,000

RUSSIA REJECTS FUEL PROBLEM, IDEA OF PEACE, MAY CALL FOR DRASTIC STEPS

Professor Boris Bakmetieff, Head of Mission From Petrograd, and New Ambassador, Addresses House.

POLISHED ENGLISH USED BY FOREIGNER

Great Ovation Follows Speech Outlining Views of People of New Republic.

Washington, June 23.—(U. P.)—A storm of cheers that echoed and reverberated throughout the capitol greeted Professor Boris Bakmetieff, head of the Russian mission and new ambassador to the United States, when he told the house today that "Russia rejects any idea of a separate peace."
The statement that Russia has rejected a separate peace is without foundation of any kind, Bakmetieff added. "Russia is for the establishment of a firm and lasting peace between democratic nations."
"German autocracy renders such a peace impossible. It is always a menace to Russian freedom."
The new Russia is organizing its armistice action in common with its allies.
"Russia will not fail to be a worthy partnership in the league of nations," Bakmetieff said, and his smartly groomed assistants received a wild reception when they entered the senate chamber. The applause was not exceeded when the French mission paid a similar visit.
"Germany is a wild reception," he said, and spontaneously as was Marshal Joffre. His speech, first a review of the events of the revolution and then the promise that Russia will do her bit in the fight against Germany, was received uproariously.
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CIVILIANS WILL PICK NEXT LIST OF MEN FOR TRAINING CAMP

Portland Bankers Notified to Pass on Applicants for Officers' Reserve Corps.

Civilian committees all over the states of Oregon and Idaho will select the men to attend the next United States army officers' training camp, and plans for the organization of this system of selection were inaugurated today.
Edward Cookingham, vice president of Ladd & Tilton bank, A. L. Mills, president of the First National, J. C. Ainsworth, president of the United States National, and W. A. McLean, president of the Portland Clearing House, were notified by telegraph late Friday that they were members of the state committee for training camp selection.
The appointments were made by the Military Training Camp association of the United States, and the plan has the complete approval and backing of the western department of the army.
The civilian committees of bankers will be appointed in every city of the two states having a population of more than 2500.
Besides the local committee in each community, the state committee will appoint a local examining physician. All of these men will be asked to volunteer their services before the application has been accepted by the local organization, it will be passed on to the general state committee for final approval before the applicant is passed on to the supervising army officer with a recommendation that he be appointed.
The state committee met at the First National bank Friday afternoon and arrangements were made for a session Monday afternoon, when most of the city appointments will be planned.

SHOT FROM AMERICAN SHIP TOOK PERISCOPE OF SUBMARINE AWAY

Belief Is Expressed U-Boat Was Sunk; French Cruiser Joined Battle.

An American Port, June 23.—(U. P.)—A German submarine may have been destroyed by an American ship which arrived here today from an Italian port.
When the vessel was one day out of port on her voyage over, she was attacked by a submarine, which fired a torpedo. The submarine had just submerged and brought the stern gun into position for firing. Three shots were fired.
The first struck the water within two feet of the U-boat, the second struck and carried away the periscope, and the third struck the water where the submarine was about 500 yards from the merchant ship when the attack was made.
Crew Reports on Battle
Washington, June 23.—(U. P.)—The apparent sinking of a German submarine by the gun crew of an armed American liner reported in dispatches Friday was officially reported to the navy department this afternoon.
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German Spies Said To Be Active Here

East St. Louis, Ill., June 23.—(U. P.)—Charges that German spies, who represented themselves as "state inspectors," went through fine prints factories here procuring blue prints and other information, today stirred authorities to action and a federal investigation was begun.
A warning to all Illinois manufacturers has been issued by Governor Lowden through State Fire Marshal Gambr, urging them not to allow so-called inspectors in their plants unless they can show proper credentials.

Explosion in Austria Kills Many Workers

The Hague, June 23.—(U. P.)—N. S.—More than 1000 persons were killed or wounded in the explosion of a group of ammunition factories at Bloeweg, Austria, according to a dispatch from Vienna today which quoted an official statement from the minister of defense.

"War Cabinet" Of Four Men Is Wilson's Plan

Council of National Defense to Be Reorganized on Four-man Basis, It Announcement

Washington, June 23.—(U. P.)—The Council of National Defense "very shortly" will be reorganized on a four man basis, it was stated officially today by a member of the cabinet.
Tentative plans call for one man, head of a war industry committee, to direct and be held solely responsible for all matters of the war work. Each committee will be director of all work in connection with purchase and dissemination of all finished materials and the four will be chairman of a general purchasing board.
It is the present plan to have the chairman of the purchasing board act as purchasing agent for the allies to eliminate competition to obtain lower prices.
The four directors are to have widest powers and will carry on the work through the body of 17-year-old of the six cabinet members now on the board. Under them will be smaller volunteer committees, each reporting to one of the four men. Each committee will be organized for some specific work and be held responsible for that part, instead of being organized and then expected to hunt their own work as under the present plan.

COMMANDEERING OF FACILITIES SUGGESTED

Navy and Merchant Ships Must Be Supplied With Fuel, It Is Declared.

Washington, June 23.—(U. P.)—Declaring it a "question of a very short time before the government must commandeer all oil and coal in the country," Secretary Daniels today told the senate public land committee that the oil situation is serious.
Daniels said that if the commandeering was not done, negotiations must be entered into at once by the government to require the opening up of oil and coal fields. He said the fuel supply must be regulated and the government empowered to fix prices on both oil and coal.
"The navy oil reserves must be saved, he said, for the future, "which we cannot foresee."
Ships Will Need Oil for Fuel
With 200 oil-burning ships now being hurriedly built, Daniels admitted he doesn't know what the available oil supply of the country is. He suggested a government survey of all oil resources.
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CHICAGO ALDERMEN TO CONSIDER IMPEACHING OF MAYOR ON MONDAY

Police Guard School Board's Offices in City Hall and the Tribune Building.

Chicago, June 23.—(U. P.)—A meeting of the judiciary committee of the city council to consider impeachment proceedings against Mayor Thompson, the committee at yesterday's council meeting was called for Monday by Chairman Otto Keller today.
The city hall and the Tribune building were practically under martial law today. Scores of policemen were guarding the school board offices in both buildings and the council meeting of Mayor Thompson's appointees, the latest of whom were repudiated by the city council late yesterday.
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Row Over School Board

The present trouble is the result of a factional war in the school board which has its inception in a week when the mayor gained control of the board through the council's confirmation of his nine appointments. His majority's first official act was the ousting of Jacob M. Loeb as president of the board. Loeb had previously broken with the mayor over control of the school system. Through the press, personalities through the press, accusations each other of trying to wreck the school system. When Loeb was deposed by the mayor, Secretary and Angus R. Shannon, counsel, were also thrown out.
Mayor Files Council
It was known when the council met yesterday that an attempt would be made to reconvene confirmation of Thompson's nine appointees. To forestall this the Thompson faction attempted an adjournment. Then the mayor broke loose and the mayor and Corporation Counsel Eitelson, one of his chief supporters, fled. Police drove hundreds of spectators from the school board building.
The council then started reconsideration of the mayor's appointments, and finally refused to confirm them by a vote of 45 to 22.
Just before adjournment, Alderman Link introduced a resolution requesting the mayor to resign. Alderman Kennedy proposed that the committee to ascertain if the mayor can be impeached. Both were referred to committee.

Police Watch School Board

Home, working on the assumption that the old school officials now are in power, may take a hand in the affair today by forcibly ejecting the present officials. The policemen scattered through the lobby and on the sixth, seventh and eighth floors of the Tribune building, occupied by school board offices, were to prevent any such move by ordering the mayor. Continued opposition by the mayor, Hoyne intimated, would lead to malfeasance charges.
The first of 300 teachers, which was held up until the status of the school row was determined will be released today, it was said, on authority of the old board.

Oregon Leads Coast In Army Recruiting

Washington, June 23.—(U. P.)—Oregon led all Pacific coast states in recruiting for the regular army up to June 19, according to data submitted to congress today by the department, Oregon having furnished 2127 men, although its quota was only 1344 in the percentage of its recruiting it exceeded only by Nevada and Utah.
Out of a quota of 5754 California has furnished 4042, or 85 per cent of the required number, while Washington has recruited 1416 out of 2382, or 62 per cent of those sought.

Gorky Wants Aims In War Modified

London, June 23.—(U. P.)—The sensational suggestion that Russia disavow her alliance with the other entente powers and wage a separate war against the German allies is made by Maxim Gorky in his paper, the New Life, according to advices from Petrograd today.
The public opinion in all countries, says Gorky, should be prepared for the repudiation of the aggressive war aims of the allies by Russia.

COCCI ADMITS HE KILLED GIRL IN MOTOR SHOP

Italian Says He Became Infatuated With Girl When She Brought Skates to Him for Repairs.

New York, June 23.—(U. P.)—Alfredo Cocchi, proprietor of the motorcycle shop where the body of 17-year-old Ruth Cruger was found, has confessed that he murdered her.
After a sleepless night Cocchi complained that he was not feeling well. A few minutes later he summoned an official and confessed the slaying of the pretty young high school girl.
Cocchi became infatuated with the girl when she first came to his motorcycle shop with her skates, he said.
When she returned he made advances to her. She repulsed them angrily and attempted to escape from the shop.
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BELIEF IS THAT MAN WILL BE TURNED OVER

Confession May Change Aspect of Case, Says Police Inspector.

Ambassador Taken Action

Rome, June 23.—(U. P.)—Confession of Alfredo Cocchi that he murdered Ruth Cruger in New York early in February, was reported to American Ambassador Page from Bologna today.
In view of the request of the United States government for extradition, Page was preparing official papers to send to the end for submission to the Italian ministry of Justice.

STRONG NOW BELIEVES PORTLAND'S SUM WILL BE \$325,000 MONDAY

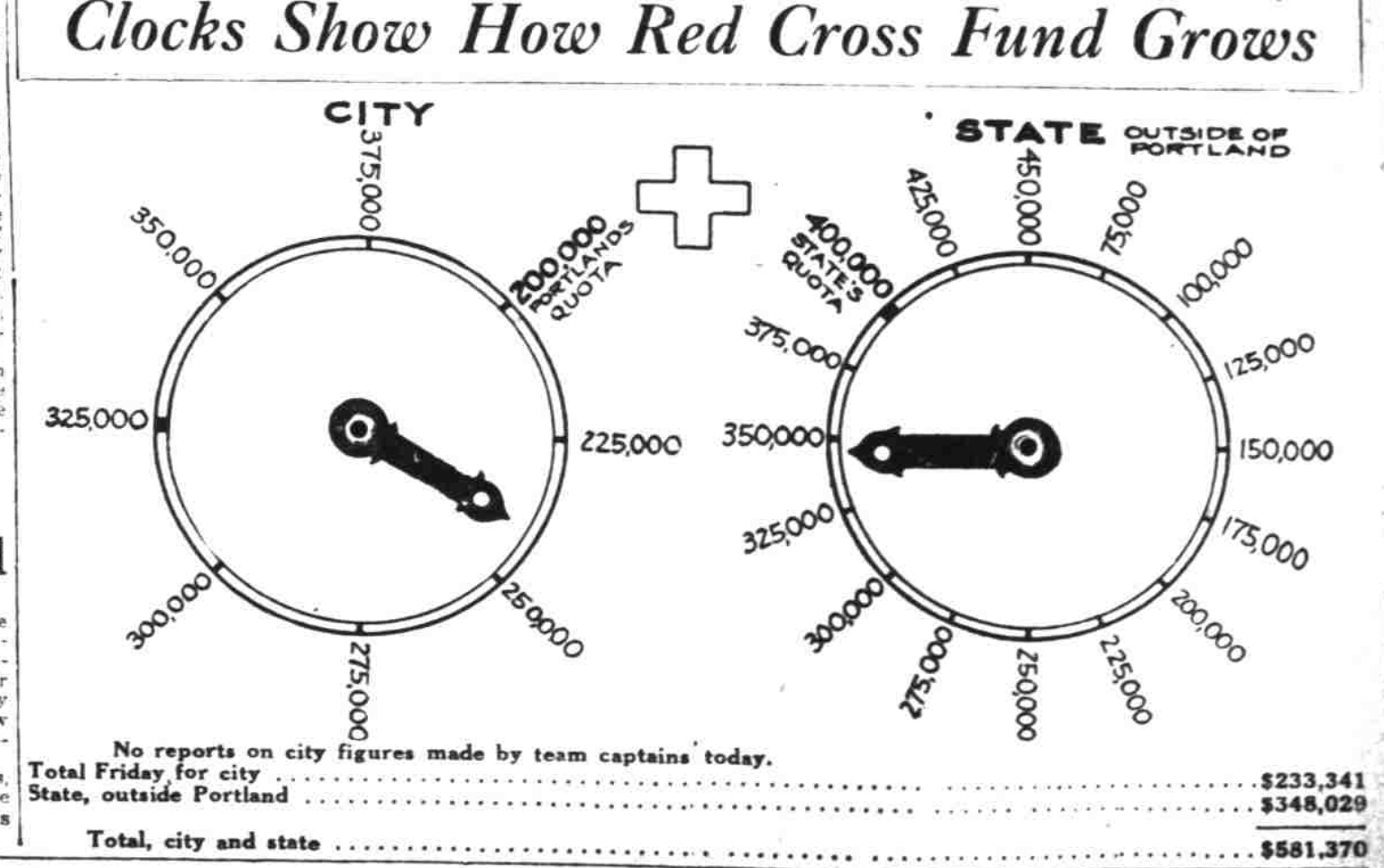
Oratory and Music to Attract Dollars Into Red Cross Coffers Tonight.

Robert H. Strong, campaign manager for the Red Cross drive, today estimated that Portland would roll up about \$225,000 when the team captains shall have made their final reports next Monday night.
This estimate is based on a number of large subscriptions which have been promised, but which have not yet been made public, on the clean-up by the house-to-house canvassers who are combing every section of the city. Final returns of the 20 team captains who have 200 workers in the field, totals from cash donations from various sources.
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JOURNAL ONLY PAPER ON COAST OUTSIDE OF S. F. WITH EAST WIRE

International News Service Absorbs P. N. S., Giving City Unrivalled Facilities.

New York, June 23.—In order to obtain a still greater news efficiency the International News Service has absorbed the Pacific News Service of San Francisco, it was announced here today.
Although the Pacific has had a working agreement with the International whereby news of both organizations was exchanged, they have been operated as separate systems. Now both will be conducted as one great news gathering and distributing organization, having clients from coast to coast and in Alaska.
The Pacific News Service is comparatively recent entrant in the telegraphic news field, having been organized less than two years ago. But in that short time it has made rapid strides in the west and today is supplying news to the largest papers on the Pacific coast from San Diego to Alaska.
F. J. Wilson Manager
Fred J. Wilson, who organized the Pacific News Service and who has been general manager of the International for some time, will continue at the head of the consolidated organization.
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Red Cross Is Most Needed, Says Pershing

Sends Message As Five Americans in Humanitarian Work Are Decorated

Paris, June 23.—(U. P.)—"America can show her colors in no better way than to subscribe generously to the Red Cross," was the message sent to the people "back home" today by Major General John J. Pershing, who will command the first army of Americans to take their places in the allied trenches.
Pershing's message was cabled to H. P. Davison, now directing the Red Cross campaign to raise \$100,000,000. Simultaneously, five Americans were receiving decorations from the French government for bravery in carrying on their work with Red Cross divisions now in the field.
Congratulations on the splendid Red Cross campaign," Pershing's message to Davison read.
"Never before has there been such need in Red Cross work. America can show her colors in no better way than to subscribe generously."
Pershing sent the message shortly before lunching with General Duhal at noon.
"Somewhere in France" today, General Davin personally pinned the war cross on the breasts of Dr. C. Briggs of Schenectady, N. Y.; C. H. Forbes and Sidney Brooks of Boston, John Bridges and Norman Lee of New York.

RED CROSS HAS \$80,000,000 OF ITS HUGE SUM

Oversubscription of Fund May Rival, Comparatively, the Oversubscription of Liberty Loan, Is Belief.

Washington, June 23.—(U. P.)—Oversubscription of the Red Cross \$100,000,000 war fund may rival, comparatively, the big oversubscription of the Liberty loan.
With three days to go, the "war chest" boasted nearly \$80,000,000 today, and some of the heaviest contributions are yet to come.
Church collections throughout the nation tomorrow will swell the fund which is to soothe the wounds of America's soldiers in France. A supreme effort is to be made Monday—Tuesday.
The latest grand total at Red Cross headquarters is \$77,529,400.
New York city, with \$40,000,000 as its goal, has already reported nearly thirty-three million dollars.
States Exceed Quotas
The north central division, which retains its lead by distance, has reported \$20,000,000 of its \$2,000,000 allotment.
Several states have already exceeded their quotas. Ohio is more than \$1,000,000 above its original goal of \$6,000,000. Michigan reported \$2,261,224, and its allotment was \$2,500,000. Delaware has more than tripled its original \$30,000 and is now \$75,000 over. Its \$200,000 allotment. Illinois has not yet reached the half way point in its campaign for nine million.
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