

## ALEXANDER GETS REDFIELD'S POST

Missouri Man Selected by President for Secretary of Commerce

IS MEMBER OF CONGRESS

By the Associated Press  
Washington, Dec. 2.—Joshua Willis Alexander, of Gallatin, Mo., representative in Congress, has been selected by President Wilson to be secretary of commerce, succeeding William C. Redfield.

The nomination will go to the Senate late today or tomorrow, it was said at the White House.

Nelson B. Gaskill, of Burlington, N. J., was nominated by the President as a member of the federal trade commission to succeed J. Franklin Fort, whose resignation because of ill health was announced yesterday.

Seven general officers of the army were nominated to higher rank, Joseph T. Dickman, James G. Harbord and Francis J. Kernan were nominated for the rank of major general, which they held during the war emergency, and Major General Henry P. McCain, James H. McRae and William S. Graves and Brigadier General Frank T. Hines were nominated to the permanent rank of brigadiers.

Edgar E. Clark, of Iowa, was re-nominated a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Colonel Gaskill is a lawyer, with a military record. He has been assistant attorney general of New Jersey in which post he had large part in the preparation of legislative acts pertaining to Department of Labor, corrupt election practices, civil service, workmen's compensation and similar subjects. He has appeared frequently as the state's representative in the Court of Errors and Appeals.

His military activities include service in the New Jersey National Guard, where he achieved the rank of lieutenant colonel and he was on the staff of



JOSHUA W. ALEXANDER

Governor Fort, whom he now succeeds as the federal trade commissioner.

During the war Colonel Gaskill was commissioned as major in the United States army and was assigned to duty as recorder of the War Department board of appraisals.

**CABINET MEETING POSTPONED**  
Washington, Dec. 2.—(By A. P.)—The regular weekly meeting of President Wilson's cabinet was postponed today. A number of the cabinet officers planned to be at the Capitol to hear the President's annual message.

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## ITALIAN SOCIALISTS ARE BADLY BEATEN

Orlando, Government Candidate, Elected President of Chamber of Deputies

DELAY FIUME SETTLEMENT

By the Associated Press  
Rome, Dec. 2.—The struggle for domination of the Italian Chamber of Deputies has developed into a fight in which the Socialists and Catholics have been definitely aligned. The Socialists yesterday were red carnations, while 100 members of the Catholic party appeared in the chamber with white carnations. The first real test of strength came today when the chamber elected ex-Premier Orlando, the government candidate, as its president.

Socialists attended the session, took the oath of office and offered a resolution that the oath be expunged from the constitution. They nominated Deputy Lazzari for president of the chamber. Orlando strangely enough had Lazzari imprisoned sometime ago for

conducting an agitation against the war. Deputy Alessio was first selected by the government as its candidate for president of the chamber, but there was objection from Catholic delegates because he has been violently anti-clerical. The result was that Signor Orlando was selected by the government, which is anxious to retain the Catholic strength in the anti-Socialist columns. Signor Orlando won by a large majority. The Socialists, who were virtually alone in opposing him, have but 166 out of 506 votes.

The Senate as well as the Chamber assembled for organization today, the king naming the president. Former Foreign Minister Tittoni has been suggested for the office and probably will be appointed by King Victor Emmanuel. For hours after the opening of Parliament yesterday the streets of Rome were thronged with crowds demonstrating against the Bolsheviki.

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Beaver	125.00	95.00

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Wolf (all colors)	\$24.50	\$16.50
Taupe Nutria	29.50	22.50
Brown Fox	32.50	24.50
Taupe Fox	32.50	24.50
Beaver	32.50	24.50
Moleskin	49.50	35.00

**Muffs**

	Regularly	Sale
Hudson Seal	\$22.50	\$14.50
Nutria	29.50	19.50
Beaver	35.00	24.50
Skunk	39.50	29.50
Moleskin	62.50	35.00
Squirrel	67.50	39.50

**Coates**

	Regularly	Sale
Australian Seal	\$125.00	\$89.50
Taupe Nutria	125.00	95.00
Mink	175.00	135.00
Taupe Nutria	185.00	145.00
Hudson Seal	225.00	175.00

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