# KING'S PALACE

# Sandringham and Other English Towns Attacked.

One of Invaders Is Said to Have Been Struck by Fire of Ship at Hunstanton.

CIVILIANS ARE KILLED

Royal Residence, Only Recently Vacated by King and Queen, Is Missed.

LONDON, Jan. 20, 2:20 A. M .-German aircraft made long-threat- and North Pacific Lumber Company ob ened raids on England last night and attempted to blow up with bombs the King's royal residence in Sandringham, County Norfolk.

King George and Queen Mary, who had been staying at Sandringham with their family, returned to London only yesterday to resume their residence in Buckingham Palace.

### Zeppelins Reported Over Sea.

It is not definitely known whether the raiders were Zeppelins or aeroplanes, but Zeppelins were reported yesterday as passing over the North Sea in a westerly direction and there is an inclination to believe these were the raiders.

The night was calm but dark and cloudy, which made it impossible for the people in the towns over which sioner the raiders passed to distinguish even the whirr of their propellers and the GOLD POOL NOT NEEDED dronings of their motors could be Foreign Exchange Problem Found heard distinctly.

# Raider Said to Be Brought Down.

brought down by the fire of a war- A ship at Hunstanton, a few miles north after the outbreak of of Sandringham.

King's Lynn, Sandringham, Cromer, Sheeringham and Beeston and everywhere, except at Beeston, casualties undertaking was asked and granted and damage to property resulted.

ly-known seaside resort and fishing foreign exchange problem has settled town of Yarmouth. A man and woman were killed, other persons were wounded and much damage to propvisit, which lasted less than 10 minutes. Four or five bombs were dropped in Yarmouth.

# All Lights Extinguished.

When the attack began the authoriin the town be extinguished and other precautionary measures were taken. the raid. Apparently the raiders, Cromer, where they dropped bombs, diers," declared the lawmaker. and then went to Sheeringham and Beeston. Turning inland from there, they made for Sandringham, dropping Lynn, where a boy was killed and a man, a woman and a child were in-

jured. Two houses were destroyed. The damage done in Sandringham however, that the Royal Palace was not harmed. At Sheeringham a bomb tals, will leave for the war in the penetrated a house, but did not ex- Spring.

### plode. Scotland Yard Gives Warning.

Only yesterday Scotland Yard authorities issued instructions concern- charge. ing measures to be taken by the police

The towns of Yarmouth, Sandringham, King's Lynn and Cromer are all in the province of Norfolk, which abuts the North Sea about 150 miles northeast of London.

Yarmouth, known as Great Yarmouth, and Cromer are favorite wa- returned. ter resorts, while Sandringham contains the country palace of the late King Edward. King's Lynn is a sea-

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# STATE WINS HUGE ORDER FOR LUMBER

10,000,000 FEET TO BE SENT TO UNITED KINGDOM.

Westport Company's Sale to Fill Three Steamers-Inquiries Point to Revival of Trade.

Orders for ties, structural material and a general assortment of lumber aggregating 10,000,000 feet, to be exported to the United Kingdom between March CAMPAIGN CALLED SUCCESS 1 and June 30, have been placed with the Westport Lumber Company. Three ZEPPELIN REPORTED DOWN steamers will be required to the lumber, and, with two other car-

of five already is assured for the first half of the year.

A number of inquiries for lumber from the Columbia River district ar reported and there is a growing feeling that, in advance of any termination of the war abroad, a considerable amount of material will be cut for the British market. As the plant of the Westport Lumber Company has been operating on full time, the orders will not add noticeably to the number of men employed, but point to a revival

of business that is encouraging. The value of the lumber ordered is between \$10 and \$10.50 a thousand feet, it is said. Should other business be placed across the Atlantic in the near future in volume indicated by inquiries, logging camps will be reopened in the next few weeks and employment will be provided for a great number of The two cargoes preceding workers, the contract closed by the Westport Lumber Company are to be cut here, the Inman-Poulsen Lumber Company taining the business, while the 10,000,-Westport on the Lower Columbia,

# LANE MEN WOULD STRIKE

County Commissioners Object to Plan to Cut Pay to \$3 a Day.

EUGENE, Or., Jan. 19 .- (Special.)-"There's likely to be a strike of the day granted the Associated Press the Lane County Commissioners if the first interview given any correspon-Legislature should cut the salary down dent. to \$3 a day, as has been proposed," commented George Hawley, County Commissioner, on the bill of Senator Bingham, of Lane County. He was affirmed by Commissioner Harlow.

"I can make that much on the farm, ontinued Hawley.
"Huh!" exclaimed Commissioner Har-

low "I can beat that on my ranch." "We only get \$5 # day when we're actually working, at that," rejoined the "But if they'll take care of our paupers, if they'd put in a Commis to take care of the poor, we'd be able to get along on less money."

to Have Settled Itself.

the European war will be abandoned because bank-ers believe the necessity for it has Bombs were dropped in Yarmouth, passed. Bankers back of the pool, it became known today, have communicated this decision to the Federal Re-

before the plans were completed. The abandonment of the gold pool is The first place visited was the wide- taken by officials here to mean that the

serve Board, whose sanction for the

# VETERANS MAY FISH FREE

erty was done by the raiders in their House Bill Would Grant Right to Old and Young War Heroes.

STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Jan. 19. (Special.)-Veterans of the Civil War and the Spanish-American War will be permitted to hunt and fish in Ore-When the attack began the authori-gon without the payment of licenses ties gave instructions that all lights it a bill introduced in the House this afternoon by Representative Blanchard

is passed. The bill first was drawn to provide Few signs of panic were seen during for the Civil War veterans, but upon further consideration the younger veterans also were included, but not at after visiting Yarmouth, flew over their own request, Mr. Blanchard says. We can't do too much for the sol-

# OSLER TO AID WOUNDED

explosive missiles there and at King's Services Offered as Assistant at

Canadian Base Hospital. MONTREAL, Quebec, Jan. 19,-Sir William Osier, regius professor at Oxford, England, has offered his services has not been reported. It is known, to aid the McGill base Hospital corps, which, with students and professors from the McGill and from local hospi-

> Sir William made his offer in a letter to Dean Birkett, of McGill Unlversity, and said he would be pleased to join the unit as supernumerary colo nel and as assistant to the doctor in

# and other officials in the event of an GIRL LOST; FEE IS ASKED

Toney Klancher Gets License Before Bride Consents.

OREGON CITY, Or., Jan. 19 .- (Special.)-Because his bride-elect refused him Toney Klancher, of Camas, Wash., appeared before County Clerk Harrington today and asked that his money be He bought the license De cember 28 before he had asked the girl to marry him.

His disappointment was further increased when he was told that the king Edward. King's Lynn is a sea-license could not be used with any port and market town. It contains other girl. He smiled when told that the document was good indefinitely.

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BLOCKADE IS MINIMIZED

General Falkenhayn Says Manufac tured Copper Now in Country Will Last Indefinitely and Food Supply Is Sufficient.

GENERAL FIELD HEADQUARTERS OF THE GERMAN ARMIES, in France Jan. 16, via London, Jan. 19,-"More of such offensive (referring to the present offensive operations in the ampaign of the allies) can only be

"The British are good fighters, but an army without the necessary officers and non-commissioned officers is scarcely an army."

"We are fully prepared for any attempt at a landing in Belgium, the sooner it comes the better."

Situation Frankly Discussed. These are some of the phrases, full of quiet optimism, of Lieutenant-General Erich von Falkenhayn, the Ger man Minister of War and chief of staff of German armies in the field, who to-

The General talked frankly of the present military situation and the prospects of the war, which he evidently loes not expect will be a short one. General Von Falkenhayn is the mar responsible, under the Emperor, for the strategy of the great world war. He is comparatively young, as com-manders go—the youngest of any of the leaders of the European armi with a tremendous capacity for hard,

concentrated work. Hand on Throttle of War Machine. He is at his desk in an old French government building, which houses the German general staff, from dawn until late at night. An unbroken stream of officers with reports and plans calling for his decision flows all day long in and out the little square conference room, with its table leaded with maps He performs the dual functions of WASHINGTON, Jan. 19 .- The \$100 .- Minister of War and chief of the gen-A Zeppelin is reported to have been 000,000 gold pool organized to meet eral staff, and has little time for ex- Basel and from Lausanne to St. Gall. the throttle of the big machine, and yet his slender figure is as erect, his manner almost as vigorous as the day disturbance he flashed into public notice with his the Alps. emorable defense of the German army in the Zabern debate in the Reichstag.
"This war is not a war of aggression," said General von Falkenhayn taking up the causes of the conflict. "It is not a war brought about by a

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# QUAKE SHAKES WAR ZONE Northeastern France, Switzerland

and Mediterranean Feel Shock. RELFORT. France, via Paris. Jan 19 .- A severe earth shock rocked the houses in Belfort about 10:30 o'clock last night. In some cases furniture was overturned and the doors of resi-

dences were burst open. GENEVA, Switzerland, via Paris, Jan. 19 .- An earthquake occurred throughout Switzerland last night. The shock was felt between 11:30 and 11:40 o'clock. It extended from Lugano to ercise or recreation. He sleeps at head-quarters with his hand, as it were, on severest, however, at Neuchatel, where several houses were damaged. Else-where the shocks were slight. The disturbance caused many avalanches in

> PARIS, Jan. 19 .- Violent earthquakes occurred Monday in Zante and Cepha-lonia, islands in the Ionian group in the Mediterranean, according to an Athens dispatch. It is feared considerable damage resulted.

Campaign in North Will Be Strengthened.

# RIVAL FORGES SCATTERED

Carranza Army Believed to Be the King's estate. King George and Queen Mary had only recently left Approaching City.

## PRESENT GARRISON SMALL

Scarcity of "Articles of Prime Necessity" Is Reported and Prices Are Abnormally High-Zapata Is at Cuernavaca.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19 .- Evacuation Villa and a campaign to strengthen his n the north were considered likely by officials here, following advices today that the convention officials were pack ing up and the offices of the National Railways had been ordered moved

north. Such action, it was conceded, would muddle even further the tangled relations which the contending factions in Mexico row maintain.

### Situation Badly Tangled. The various forces were reported to-

night somewhat as follows: set up in Vera Cruz, with their main forces at Puebla, under General Obre-Hindenburg's forces from forming gon, approaching Mexico City. Some-junction with the German troops where between Mexico City and Puebla is General Gutierrez and 5000 men who accompanied him when he quit the Mexican capital last Friday. General

Garsa, as temporary executive, holds Mexico City.

General Villa's forces control the railroad south from Juarez to Aguas Calientes, while General Angeles, a staunch Villa supporter, has taken pos-

# Capital Reported Quict.

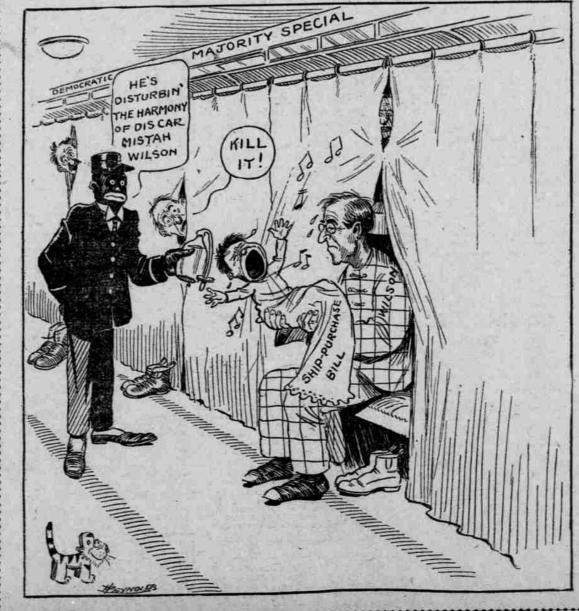
The State Department's last dispatch from Mexico City, dated 3 P. M. yesterday, was summarized in the follow-

are reports that he will not come farther south than Queretaro, where he The general offices of the National Railways have received orders to move north, and the various departments of the railroad are busy packing all records and furniture.

Southern Situation Unsettler.

"It is said that this movement prob-(Concluded on Page 2)

WOODROW HAS ANOTHER NEW BABY.



# Tuesday's War Moves

with towns in the County of Nor folk as its objective, and the roys résidence at Sandringham as its espe cial mark, is the latest enterprise un dertaken by the Germans. Bombs were dropped near Sandringham Palace.
Other bombs fell on Yarmouth, Kings
Lynn, Cromer, Sheeringham and Beeston. The casualty list has not yet been made up, but it is known several

Ax and Cut. persons were killed and a considerable amount of material damage was done One report has it that a Zeppelli dirigible was brought down by the fire from a warship at Hunstanton, lies eight or 10 miles north of Sand

The royal residence was not dan aged, although it is said bombs fell in Sandringham to resume their residence in Buckingham Place.

Weather conditions have become a evere in France and in Flanders, where there have been heavy falls of snow, that the fighting has been co fined almost entirely to artillery engagements. There has been an exception, however, to the southwest of Verfun near Font-a-Mousson, where th French are reported to have approached a few hundred yards nearer the German front.

Military men attach considerable in portance to the operations in this quarter, for they say that in conjuncion with the continued French pressur on the German lines to the west of the of Mexico City by General Francisco fortress of Perthes they will check, it villa and a campaign to strengthen his successful, the German operations position in his old stamping grounds against Verdun, around which they have had a full circle drawn since they nyaded France.

Of the progress of the battles in East Prussia and Poland the official reports give less information than usual. Loquacity seems to be avoided when a big new movement is fermenting such as that which the Russians are carrying out between the Eastern Prussian border and the lower Vistula. In this operation, as far as can be judged. from the scant details furnished, the Russians are making a big sweep to General Carranza and his Cabinet are the west and north evidently in an endeavor to prevent Field Marshal von junction with the German troops in

Some Petrograd newspaper corres-pondents credit the Russians with crossing the Vistula River to the south as well to remind ourselves that to-Zapata is believed to be at Cuernavana with the bulk of his forces, while a comparatively small garrison commanded by Colonel Roque Gonzales holds. army, which has been trying for weeks to force its way to Warsaw.

In some quarters in London there is mans soon will retire to their own session of the railroad from San Luis frontier in the fear that a Winter Potosi to Monterey. nunications with which are declared to be bad, would result in a heavy loss of

The Russian troops which crossed the "Mexico City is quiet, but there is much uncertainty as to what turn affairs may take in the near future. It has been widely published in Mexico City that Villa to so his meritainty and control of the Carpathian Mountains are reported to

> corps, which are declared to have been thereafter until discharged. even more severely handled than the First corps.

von Falkenbayn, in a statement to the introduced by Senatora Day, armies in France, while making no definite prediction as to the length of the war, said it was possible for it to The resolution also fairly meets the go on indefinitely; that the advantage suggestions of Governor Withycombe thus far had been with the Germans; in his inaugural message. Several of that nothing could force the Germans the specific changes in state govern-to stop fighting, and he added: the specific changes in state govern-ment which he recommended are now to stop fighting, and he added:

and is prosperous, we should go down, suggested that a commission be apwe shall go down with honor, fighting pointed to report on changes, other to the last ditch and the last man." than those he commended, to the next Furthermore, he declared that Ger- Legislature. The pending resolution

pleiely eliminated." BOY, 9, KILLS MOTHER

-Mrs. O. R. Meye, 35 years old, was committee, but economy and etholescy killed accidentally by her S-year-old cannot be accomplished in a haphatard killed accidentally by her S-year-old son Tuesday afternoon at their ranch home near Hay, in Western Whitman resolution was not adopted earlier in

to Mrs. O. R. Meye, of Hay.

County. Mr. Meye was hauling straw and had sent his son to the house for his shotgun. The lad, while leaving the house, discharged the gun, the shot striking his mother in the breast and shoulder. She lived less than an hour.

Yaquina Couple Start Fire With Oil one Commissioner only, to abolish the and Now May Die.

NEWPORT, Or., Jan. 18 .- (Special.)-Lighting the fire with a can of gasoline a department of public works and

hands, throwing the flames over both.
Their screams brought neighbors, who smothered the flames, but not until they were critically burned.

# 15 ECONOMY BILLS IN SO FAR

Session Is Fairly Started on Saving Route.

# PLANS UP TO JOINT BODY

Nine to Investigate Suggestions as to Abolishment or Merger of State Offices-Election Needed to Expedite Laws.

BY BONALD G. CALLVERY. STATE CAPITOL, Salem, Or., Jan. odies move slowly. The Legislature

of Oregon is a large body. Therefore.

etc., and so forth. Particularly is this noticeable in the matter of putting through that programme of economy. Figuratively speaking the Legislature has already dashed its hat onto the ground, spit on its hands a few times and now is taking off its coat. Foon it will roll up its sleeves and later will grasp the ax handle. Predictions at this time as to how much wood it will out are unsafe. Therefore I do not make them.

# Ten Days Alrendy Gone.

However, this is not written in a pessimistic vein. Abolishment of useless departments, consolidations wher they are practicable and elimination of duplications constitute more than day's or a week's work. But it is just morrow is the tenth day of the acacustomary period of work will have

passed. About 15 bills have appeared which look to the accomplishment of the economy to which most of the mem-bers are committed. Nine have been tendency to believe that the Ger- introduced in the Senate and six in the House. Some of them are of the same import. Adoption of all without some correlation would put conditions

### in a chaotic state. Intelligent Policy Objective.

The Legislature is now started along the road that seems to lead more

This new policy is the creation of a Reports from the Caucasus say the consisting of the President of the Sen-Russians are still busy pursuing the ate and Speaker of the House and remnants of the Turkish army corps three Senators and four Representathat they have defeated. These reports tives. This committee is to have the say that even the snow does not seem power to subpens witnesses, to comto interfere with the movements of the pel the introduction of necessary books Russians, who are harrying the Turk- and documents, to receive, prepare and ish first army corps, which was de-feated at Ardahan, driving it across the Chorokh River as well as gathering in and offices. The committee is directed nore prisoners and materials belong- to report on or before the 22d day of ing to the Ninth, Tenth and Eleventh the session and continue its duties

# Governor's Plan Followed.

This resolution, which was presented The German chief of staff and Min- by the resolutions committee in the ister of War. Lieutenant-General Erich Senate, is a combination of resolutions. Associated Press, made at the general and Kellaher. It passed the Senate field headquarters of the German today, went over to the House and was

"If in this war to crush a nation in the form of introduced bills and whose offense is that, through indus- doubtless will go to the committee if try and hard work, it has prospered it is finally created. The Governor than those he commended, to the next many would carry on the war until the provides for at least a preliminary reopposing side was so defeated that port within 12 days, but infers that "the possibility of a repetition of this the committee may be unprovoked attack upon us is com- throughout the session, and even longer if it is found that it cannot finish its labors before final adjournment.

# Method Deemed Fair.

To my mind this resolution presents Accidental Discharge of Gun Fatal a fair and practical way of handling a difficult task. Naturally results will depend a good deal upon the COLFAX, Wash., Jan. 19 .- (Special.) earnestness and industry of the joint committee, but economy and efficiency It is to be regretted that the

An idea of what now is before the Legislature, much of which properly is matter for consideration by such a committee, may be gained from a re-capitulation of bills of definite economy import now before the Legislature. These include bills to abolish the Im-GASOLINE BLAST BURNS State Accounting Board, to repeal the existing horticultural law and appoint Desert Land Board and transfer its duties to the State Land Board, to repeal continuing appropriation for conbatting bubonic plague and to create this afternoon resulted in an explosion merge several departments therewith which probably will prove fatal to Mr. The list includes Senate bills to merge and Mrs. Clarence Backus, of Yaquina. Industrial Welfare Commission, the In-