each Reno directly by building 130 and signed by Baron yon Freytag-Lor-

inghoven.

Teuton Officials Ask

Folks to Be Patient

London, Jan. 19 .- (I. N. S.)-For the

first time since the war began the

German general staff has appealed to

the German people to help win the

war. Complaints, grumbling and sus-

picion engendered by the hardships of

the people must cease and they must

realize the difficulties facing the gov-

ernment, says the appeal which is pub-

lished in all the German newspapers

Fire Destroys Woodland Home.

\$3000, with insurance of \$1600.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Hill Lines Reported

After N.-C.-O. Road

Entrance Into San Francisco Sought

Local Offices Do Not Credit News.

San Francisco, Jan. 19 .- (U. P.)-

nother way for the Hill railroads to

reach San Francisco by rail was re-

ported to be under serious considera-

tion today. The report was that Hill

interests have taken steps to acquire

the Nevada-California-Oregon railroad,

which extends from Reno, Nevada, to

Lakeview, Oregon, a distance of 236

If this should be done, Hill could

miles of road between Lakeview and

Bend, Or. At Doyle, on the California-

Nevada line, the N. C. O. connects with

he Western Pacific. It was reported

that, over the W. P. line from Doyle,

No credence was given at Portland

offices of the Hill lines here yesterday

to the report that the Hills were con

sidering the acquisition of the Nevada,

California & Oregon, Similar reports

have been gaining currency for months,

was said, but such negotiations

would require the practical rebuilding

of the line, it was said, in a territory

Hill hopes now to establish a direct

rail connection with San Francisco.

By Acquiring Short Line, Is Bumor;



Washington, Jan. 19. -- (L. N. S.) -Some days ago Quartermaster Lutsich. coast guard service, on recruiting duty at The Battery, New York, knocked a man down because he wiped his hands on the American flag. He wrote the

treasury department saying: "I regret to report that it has been necessary to knock a man down" for lack of respect for the flag.

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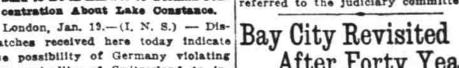
Today Byron Newton, assistant secretary of the treasury, wrote Lutsich a personal letter highly commending

Brigade Commander "This town is no place for a young country fellow like me. I am afraid Of Civil War Passes

Couple Found Asphyxlated.

General Sheldon was \$8 years old weeks were found yesterday by police n the honeymoon flat which they had and, in addition to his conspicuous occupied since New Year's day. It is military service, was for many years believed the pair were victims of ac- a leading figure in the Rpeublican party.

of heavy tonnage to warrant the ex- Swiss Fear Teutons ed to an English firm, Representative Rodenburg of Illinois today introduced in the house a resolution designed to make it unlawful for governmental departments to invite or consider bids for government supplies submitted by



the neutrality of Switzerland to invade France. Concentration of large German forces in the region of Lake Constance gives color to this impression, which is strengthened by the fact that Switzerland has just mobilized the entire second army division

and fifth divisions which had not previously been called to guard the frontier. It is significant that these troops are being sent to the line near Lake

Woodland, Wash., Jan. 19. - The Constance. ome of William Schulz, together with Observers here see a Swiss connec tion in last night's official statement all contents, was destroyed by fire

escaped from the upper story, clad artillery duels in the Vosges and in only in night clothes, which were all Lorraine." An attempt to throw back the French right wing probably would that was saved from the fire. The loss be made simultaneously with a drive on building and contents was about

against Switzerland.

Washington, Jan. 19. --- (I. N. S.) --- believed the pair we Incensed because contracts for 14 and cidental asphyxiation

-Join Our Free Classes in Lamp Shade Making

Will Invade Country Mobilization of Little Country's Troops foreign bidders. The resolution was Said to Be in Answer to German Conreferred to the judiciary committee.

London, Jan. 19 .- (I. N. S.) - Dispatches received here today indicate the possibility of Germany violating

50c to 75c Ribbons

and all those portions of the fourth

notably fine looking city." early Wednesday morning. The family from Paris reporting "rather serious

Would Stop Foreign Contracts.

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets, bruggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

After Forty Years San Francisco, Jan. 19 .- (P N. S.)-

John Kirk, retired businessman from Salem, Or., returned to San Francisco today after an absence of 40 years. He is at the Manx hotel where he aughingly said:

> of getting lost." He admitted that the San Francisco to knew in the '70s has grown into

> > Pasadeno, Cal., Jan. 19.-(P. N. S.) -General Lionel A. Sheldon, one of the last surviving brigade command-

Initial Handkerchiefs

-Of sheer lawn in all white or

with tape borders, or colored bor-

Excellent quality, very special

10c Each

ders. Initials in block style.

Akron, Ohio, Jan. 19.-The bodies of ers of the Civil war, died Wednesday W. C. Myers, 21. and his bride of three at his home on Orange Grove avenue.

## The Dalles, Or., Jan. 19 -- Suit was filed in circuit court Thursday by O. E. Wilson of Mosier, against the county court enjoining the court from issuing the \$260,000 good roads bonds voted at \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* the November election. It is a friendly

FRIENDLY SUIT BEGUN

UPON WASCO COUNTY

\$260,000 ROAD BONDS

O. E. Wilson, Mosier, Starts 📱

Action to Test Validity of

QUICK ACTION IS DESIRED

Attempt Will Be Made to Get Case

Advanced on the Supreme

Court Docket.

Issue in the Highest Court. #

action. Wilson consented to appear as plaintiff in order that the true legal status of the bonds can be quickly determined. Shortly after the suit was filed a demurrer was recorded for the county court.

This precludes testimony taking. The case was taken immediately to circuit court and Judge Bradshaw is expected to render a decision Friday. No matter which side wins, the case immediately will be taken to the supreme court for final decision,

District Attorney Galloway and R. W. Montague, Portland attorney, who will appear for plaintiff, will go to Salem with an appeal in an attempt to get the case advanced on the docke in the hope of getting final settlement within a month. It is reported that S. Benson and J

B. Yeon are interested in the case, probably financing it in the interest of good roads for Oregon, owing to the general bearing of the case on the Columbia highway proposition. Opposers of the bonds raised the

question as to whether they were legally indorsed at the polls.

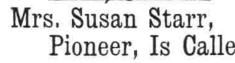
# Mrs. Clements Is Injured.

The Dalles, Or., Jan. 19. -- Mrs. Louisa Clements slipped on the frosty steps of her home Thursday and suffered a broken hip. Owing to her advanced age, her condition is considered serious. She was an early settler of and amendments they make must be this section, and is well known.

# Columbia River Frozen.

The Dalles, Or., Jan. 19 .- The Columbla river is frozen over at this point. All river traffic was suspended.

vertooth, long time resident owner of a mercantile store at Antelope and Silver Lake, died Thursday. Will Silvertooth, his son, lives in Portland.



Widow of Missionary a Member of



CONSTITUTION

Resolution Allowing Voters to Pass on Question Adopted industry the "liquor dealer who perby a Large Majority.

Four Big Sisters

Dislike Decision,

San Rafael, Cal., Jan. 19.-(P. N. S.)-Four sisters of Julia Odell, of an average height of

six feet, and of great, indeter-

minate muscular amplitude. swept into Justice of the Peace

Magee's court, in San Rafael, yesterday, and, not liking Ma-

gee's decision in the trial of Harry Odell, under arrest for

**Clean** Courtroom

Brewers Will Stand Alone. Los Angeles, Jan. 19 .- (P. N. S.)-

sistently violates the law."

CALIFORNIA LIQUOR

INTERESTS DENOUNCE

Recommend Revocation of

Licenses in Places Known

SALOON INFRACTIONS

The brewers of Los Angeles, it devela constitutional convention, which has oped today, have planned to cut away from the saloons and in the forthcoming election on the 21 per cent state platform, are brighter today, as initiative proposal the latter will stand alone.

Against them will be arraigned not only the brewers, but also the wine men and the wholesale liquor dealers. Already a large number of saloon men, anticipating the adoption of the 21 per cent ordinance, have laid their plans to go into the wholesale liquor business. In breaking away from the saloons, the brewers and wholesalers have followed the lead of their con-

A national commission is to be selected to administer a plan for settlement of returned soldiers, which includes the granting of free land to all

New Drape Veils -Of a soft finish, with fancy borders, in all the latest shades and colorings. 11/2 yards long and 18 frames. inches wide. 95c Each

Sterlum Picture Frames -Warranted not to tarnish. With ball feet and velvet easel back. Exact reproduction of sterling Saturday only, very special 33c Each Limit 3 frames to a customer.

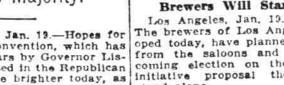
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# Saturday We Shall Offer Our Entire Stock of





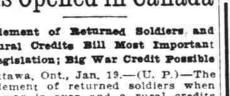


ter and was indorsed in the Republican the first step has been taken in the long journey.

The house, by a large majority, passed a resolution which, if adopted by the senate, will give the voters of the state in November, 1918, the right to say whether or not they want a convention held. If they do, at a later election the convention members must be chosen and after that the changes

Olympia, Wash., Jan. 19 .- Hopes for been urged for years by Governor Lis-

temporaries in San Francisco.



# Double Economy January passed at the weekly meeting of the United California industries. This organization, which carried its fight against prohibition at the last lection, is affiliated with all branches

of the liquor industry in the state. The resolutions, which were unanimously adopted, scathingly denounce as an enemy to society and the liquor