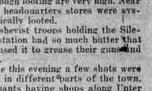


thority of the National War Labor Board to enforce its decrees now that hostilities have censed was chal-



American war or the recent world war, must be given preference in all public departments and on all public works in this state, if the bill intro-duced in the senate by Senator Hus-ton becomes a law. It will be a crime for any public official to fail to give preference to forwar colding and preference to former soldiers and sailors if such men are competent for the positions sought, and is punish-

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lehem Steel company who and oscillation of a storage tank of molasses near asked to appear to answer complaints that awards made by the board during that awards made by the board during that awards made been carried out. danger than armed domination. The financial program of the league, as viewed in these quarters, will be to consider whether the league itself should lend its aid financially and economically to the questioned the good faith of the comsmall independent states which are pany, and said its present attitude rising "colors the whole situation with a

"colors the whole situation with a sense of inustice which makes one yearn for indicial power to compel compliance." He added that the board did not have this power, but would While the apportionment of delegates to the peace congress has not yet been officially made known, the list published after Monday's session of the supreme council has caused an meet Saturday with employes' repreunfavorable impression among some sentatives to determine "what there of the missions, according to th is possible to be done in this situa-French press. The Serblans and Bel-

gians are notably dissatisfied with the giving of three delegates to Brazil PORTUGUESE REBELS while they are only permitted two

RULE ARGENTINE

today if the senate acts favorably or

Five provinces have asked for troops, At Rosario and neighboring cities

the situation is grave. In this city no attempt is being

made to run street cars after dark, with the exception of one line. Pa-

trolmen are armed with rifles and

bayonets.

workers.

a bill passed by the chamber of dep-utles yesterday. The bill gives mili-tary authorities control for 30 days.

Reports from the interior indicate national assembly. Germany's par-disorder there is not due to Bolshe ticipation in the parce congress was vists, but to strikers, mostly railroad also taken up. The meeting will be

continued today.

MARTIAL LAW TO

of smaller nations by the larger is no

lenged today by counsel for the Beth-lehem Steel company who had been and 50 to 75 injured by the explosion

the supporting pillars of the Atlantic avenue elevated railway structure, demolished several buildings, blew an electric freight car off the track, overturned a number of heavily loaded trucks and killed about a dozen

The force of the explosion knocked over the fire boat house of Engine No. 47. One of the firemen was blown into the harbor. Two others

were pinned in the ruins and a fourth Ebert-Schiedemann rovernment was was not accounted for. declared deposed and formal an-

was not accounted for. A nearby tenement house fell in. Two women and a man were taken from the ruins, all injured.

Thirty-five persons were removed to hospitals and many others received nedical attention and were sent to their homes.

LONDON, Jan. 15.—The revolu-tionist forces at Santarem, north-east of Lisbon, having refused to surrender, the government troops have surrounded the town and com-

**BEING BOMBARDED** 

menced a bombardment, according

er proposals for the meeting of the

COMMAND AT CHICAGO

BUENOS AIRES, Jan. 15.-(By Associated Press.) Martial law may become effective thrucut the country ed today. WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.-Orders directing Major General Leonard Wood, now commanding Camp Funs-ton, Kas., to proceed to Chicago and

take command of the central depart-ment were issued today by the war DISCUSSES PEACE ment were department.

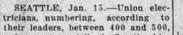
**ALLIES TO TRANSFER** COPENHAGEN, Jan. 15 .- The HUN GOLD TO FRANKFORT German cabinet met vesterday to dis cuss the new constitution and consid-

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15 .- Senate resolution requesting the state's rep-PARIS, Tuesday, Jan. 14.- German

gold reserves which the allies pro-pose to transfer to Frankfort from the Berlin Reichsbank totaled 2,262,-626,000 marks on December 31.

in Washin Montana,

DECREE OF DEPOSAL



BERLIN, Tuesday, Jan. 14 .- (By the Associated Press.)-Dr. Karl yards following a jurisdictional fight Liebknecht, Spartacan leader; Georg in the Seattle Metal Trades Council. Ledebour, head of the revolutionary Strike of the electrical workers, it is independent socialist element, and said, is liable to the up some of the

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.-Refusal Poland and Armenia, has concluded

wASTITATION, Jun. 15.—Refusal Foland and Armenia, has concluded of Northwestern railroads to furnish tha the minimum sam necessary to cars of les sthan 2,400 cubic feet ca-pacity for humber carrying was de-clared unreasonable today by the in-rmments in Europe, it is said, have

terstate commerce commission in sus-ta ning complaints of manufacturers in Washington. Idaho, Oregon and Montana.

sympathizers of these revolutionary shipyards. chiefs were so certain that their plans The disp The dispute, it is said, is between the electrical engineers and for the recent norising would succeed the that they had prepared a proclam steam engineers over the right to option dated January 6 in which the erate electric cranes.

nonneement made that the govern-ment had been taken over by the COSTS \$400,000,000 revolutionists.

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OVER OIL LEASING BILL

LUMBER MEN WIN

DEADLOCK CONTINUES

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 15 .- Folowing the obtaining here vesterday

of an order temporarily restraining Governor William D. Stephens from signing ratification of the federal such aplicants must be competent to prohibition constitutional amendmen it was said at the office of the Caliperform the duties of the positions being sought.

"And the persons thus preferred shall not be disqualified from holding fornia Grape Growers' Association to-day that similar action is possible in Arkansas, Colorado, Maine, Nevada, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Oregon, Ohio, Utah, Washington, Missouri and Neany position in said service on ac-count of age or physical disability." says the bill, "provided, such age or disability doe snot render him in-competent to perform the dutie sof the braska.

In these states, it was said, all legislative actions can be under the law referred to the people. position applied for." The bill applies to all state, county,

TO PREVENT FAMINE BOLSHEVIKI THREATEN

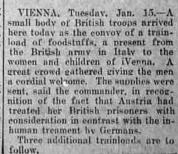
port or other public works, and pro-vision is made that when forces of empolvers are being reduced the former soldier and sailor must be the last to be let out.

MEXICAN OFFICIALS BRITISH TROOPS BRING FOOD TOJVIENNESE EL PASO, Tex., Jan. 15 .- A hand bill printed in Spanish and signed "Mexican Bolshevists" was distribut ed here today urging the death o President Carranza, Villa, Felix Diaz

Esteban Cantu, governor of Lower California; Dr. Vasquez Gomez, Fran cisco De La Barra and all other po-litical leaders and rich men in Mex-



WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—Senate resolution requesting the states rep-resolution requesting the states sen-leasing bill held another meeting to-day but were unable to harmonize dif-ferences in the legislation and ad-journed antij Friday.



DRY AMENDMENT she positions sought, and is punish-able by a fine of not les sthan \$25 nor more than \$1,000 and removal from office. In making the employment of form-

er soldiers and sailors mandatory in public office and on public works,

today went on strike in Seattle ship

PARIS, Jan. 15 .- The supres council of supply and relief, which for the last three days has been considering the situation of the liberated

countries stretching from Belgium to