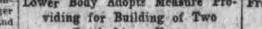


was no thaw, as at and around Omaha. Consequently the snow that had previously fallen was picked up and whirled along with the new snow when the bliz-NAVAL BUDGET BILL

Hard Blow Thursday. According to the reilrouds the wind blow all Thursday, but attained its greatest velocity early Thursday night. It continued to blow all night, growing stronger as the hours passed. Friday morning and

sard struck



States and the Monroe doctrine, Repre-

sentative Hobson urged an amendment

Representative Stephens of California

favoring the four-battleship plan, spoke

pocket is very much more in danger of

getting into trouble than the man who

is unarmed. We ought to have a rea-

sonable navy and a reasonable army.

make us start issues that will precipi-

your position in the famly of nations.

Des Moines Man Kills

Wife, Two Children

DES MOINES, In., Feb. 5.-Frank Ama-

o, an lialian employe at the Wabash

rallway round house in Des Moines, shot

and killed his wife, his s-year-old daugh-

ter and his 1-year-old son at his home

here today. They he turned his pistol on himself. He is expected to die.

The police say jealousy of a boarder

at the home of Amadeo, was the cause

of the act. Amadeo works nights. He

had been home only about an hour when he made his attack. The other children

nacaped from the house.

and Shoots Himself

shed and disaster.'

of the aword.



Lower Body Adopts Measure Pro- French War Office Says All Troops

Killed or Captured.

**GERMAN TRENCH** 

Mr. Rockefeller was asked about and west coasts of France. his meeting at his home in Tarrytown with Mr. Welborn of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company, W. L. MacKenzie King and others, at which

"The meeting af Tarrytown therein it is not feasible to take as prizes, are in Position Near Arras Were | referred to was purely social in char- chearly set out and established by long acter." he said.

Never Heard of It.

pennd. As to others I do not know."

"I think the stockholders are responsible

rectors. The directors are ultimately

responsible for the general conduct of the

buyiness, and in discharging that respon-

sibility it is their duty to select the best

ministrative officers must have discre-

tion and power commensurate with their

Big Holder Has More Say.

have more influence with a board of di-

rectors than a smaller one, and conse-

quently would have a greater responsi-

(Continued on Page Four, Column Five.)

PIERRE, S. D., Feb. 5.-(Special Tele-

the house instead of being killed by com-

mittee report was the view of the house

the bill placed on the calendar.

on the gendral calendar.

**Eugenic Marriage** 

large stockholder ordinarily would

Bill on Calendar

responsibility

en to actually administer it. These ad-

There is no precedent in dealing with the question because heretofore submatines have played no important part in warfare and all of the rules of international law are framed with special referthe affairs of the company were dis-cussed.

n must be h

the house that they would force the senate to the same sort of program which the house is trying to follow has not set-

tled well on the senators and when the edict of the house comes over to that body in the shape of slashed appropriation bills many things may happen. Three Million Men

LONDON, Feb. 5 .- The army estimates

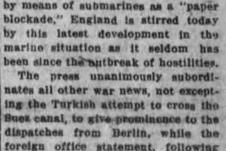
o which Parliament will devote the first

PART OF CREW OF EMDEN

2,000,000.

Arabia.

nearby.



in British Army foreign office statement, following quickly the publication of the Ger-

man decree, indicates that the gov-

ernment authorities take the Ger-

afternoon generally over the storm area it was blowing ywith as great velocity as at any time during the night. Along the Northwestern, from Norfolk

west the station yards were filled with (Continued on Page Four, Column Six.)

## **Obregon's** Attitude Toward Diplomats Is Cause of Alarm

for four battleships. "The war in Europe," said he, "has WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.-Serious fricbrought out that if a belligerent has uniton between General Obregon, the Carransa commander at Mexico City, and disputed control of the sea it will curtail nembers of the diplomatic corps, is caus- the rights of neutrals. America is the chief chronic neutral. We cannot exing much anxiety to officials and diplopand our commerce when some other matists in Washington.

Carrange's threatened deportation of nation has control of the sea. England the Spanish minister for affording asylum is now attempting to prevent developto Angel Del Caso, confidential agent of ment of American overseas com Opposition to the four-battleship amendthe Spanish government, and accused of being affiliated with Villa, has aroused ment began with speeches by Representathe diplomatists in the Mexican capital. tives Butler and Witherspoon, the latter While officials of the American governcontending the American system of gun-

ment declined to discuss the affair, it is nery was superior to Germany's. known that General Obregon's attitude is regarded as a grave development. One element increasing anxiety here is

or the Pacific coast. the difficulty of communication with Mex-Democratic Leader Underwood, who ico City. Since the reoccupation by the favored cutting the plan to one battleship Carranza forces an embargo against all and twelve submarines, declared, "The cipher messages was enforced, but has country is facing a serious financial conwithin the last few days been modified. dition," and "If you propose to enter into so that these messages may be sent, but a race of armament the end of the story are subject to delays and stoppage. may mean war."

Within the last few days only two brief 'I am no naval expert," said Mr. Untelegrams have been received from Moxderwood, "but I believe the man who ico City. travels around toting a pistol in his back

tomaha Testerday.



Forecast till 7 p. m. Saturday: For Omaha, Council Bluffs and Vicinity -Fair, colder,



Comparative Local Record.

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| Sioux City, snow                          |                    |    |      |     |      |
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caster.

Battleships a Year.

HOBSON STANDS OUT FOR FOUR ARTILLERY FIGHT AT ADINFER

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5 .- The PARIS, Feb. 5 .- The French war house today after a long debate office this afternoon gave out a rupassed the naval appropriation bill port on the progress of the fighting. providing for two battleships. which reads as follows: Declaring the 'Anglo-Japanese alliance "In Belgian German aviators yesaffected the vital interests of the United

terday showed great activity. "The announcement given out he said: last night reported the occupation of

a tench of the enemy to the west of for the choice of the best men as dithe road from Arras to Lille. This trench was a cause of annoyance to the troops occupying the positions won by us several days ago to the east of this road. Consequently we blew it up with a mine and immediately afterwards a detachment of Zouaves and of our light African infantry installed itself securely in the conquered positions. All the Germany in the trench thus occupied were

Artillery Silences Batteries. "Our artillery silenced the Eatteries of the enemy at a point near Adinfer (to the

either killed or taken prisoner.

south of Arras); near Pozieres (northeast of Albert); near Ham (northeast of Peronne), as well as in the sector of Pailiy (south of Noyon). There is nothing new in the region of Perthes. In the Argonne there was yesterday one attack at Bagatelle. This attack, which in the beginning took from us about 109 yeards of trenches, provoked

two counter attacks on our part which resulted in our not only getting back this 190 yards, but in gaining ground bebut I do not want to see either that will youd where our lines had been previously. "In the Vosges, yesterday saw artillery exchanges

tate our people into a cauldron of blood-"Along the rest of the front there is "Would you surrender the Monroe doc- nothing to report.", trine?" demanded Representative Hobson. "The time never will come," replied Body of German Mr. Underwood, "when it will be necesbill was placed on the senate calendar sary for this country to maintain the for Monday, February 15. Aviator is Found principles of our forefathers at the point in Thames River Illinois Deadlock is "As long as we only maintain for our national government a position of what is right and just we will succeed with-LONDON, Feb. L.-Finbermen have out the battlefield. You can make a ound in the Thames estuary the body reasonable cut in the appropriations proa German aviator with a sheapnel bulrided for in this bill without endangering

let in the hings. It is supposed that he irepped from an actoplane which was tonight without an organization having driven off by British gunfire on Christ-

War Pictures

From the Front

Full Page in

The

Sunday Bee

SPRINGFIELD, HL. Feb. 5 .- The fifth week of the Illinois legislature closed herebeen effected in the house. A contest over the speakership precipitated by a herbood.

wet and dry" situation caused the dead-

MAJORITY SUFFICIENT FOR RECONSIDERATION (From & Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Feb. 6 .-- (Special.) -- A change in the house rules was made today when Norton's motion was passed. It provides that whenever a bill has been recommended by a committee for indefinite postponement a majority of votes shall be sufficient to bring the bill back for reconsideration. Under the previous rule a three-fifths vote, or sisty votes, was necessary to procure the desired review of the measure.

boarded and either made prize or sunk. But in the latter case crew and passen gers must be taken off.

As for the educational institutions al-While it was noticeable the proclamatering their policies or form in order to get donations from the General Education is directed against "onemy shipa" and applies to neutral ships, only when tion board, Mr. Rockefeller said he had the attacks "were meant for enemy 'never heard of anything of that kind." ships," through suspicion of misuse of "As to our foundation," he said, "I don't think such things have ever hapthe neutral flags, officials expressed grave concern over the implied threat to Regarding the responsibility of stockink merchant vessels, probably without warning or taking off of noncombatant holders and directors for labor conditions, passengers and crews.

During consideration of the subject by the State department American mariners probably will be expected to heed the German warning and enter forbidden waters only at their own risk, precisely what they have been doing in the North sea since notice several months ago, from both the British and German governments that owing to the planting of mines it would be regarded as within the war zone.

The notice from the British government that it is contemplating retaliation against Garman trade, though not formally before the State department, has given rise to much speculation on the part of officials as to what the British have in mind. statement follows:

Although it has been denied that official declaration that food supplies are contraband has been issued, it is believed the British notice forecasts the speedy issue of some such declaration. And, in addition to this trying to cut off Germany's supply by water, it is believed to gram.)-That the cugenic marriage bill be possible that the British may make should be given a chance on the floor of the blow more severe by prohibiting the transportation of cotton to Germany. Cotton is a base of some forms

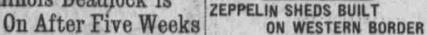
on the first contest of the afternoon. smokeless powder, as well as the high when on motion of Jacobs the adverse explosive gun cotton used in the warcommittee report was turned down and heads of torpedo and submarine mines. Aside from depriving Germany of that The five-mile saloon limit will at the necessary article, the British enforcement soldiers' home at Hot Springs was placed

of such an order would deal a heavy blow to the German textile factories, Weller's bill, cutting out free scholarwhich are now just beginning to receive

ship privileges given legislative members, almost normal supplies from the United was killed by adoption of the report States. Officials did not view the German In the senate the capital punishment

proclamation as a threat to destroy neutral ships if found in the war zone, but as a warning that all ships entered there

at their own risk.



LONDON, Feb. L-New Zeppelin sheds ave just been completed near the German-Belgian frontier and Zeppelin and Parseval airships and numerous aeroplanes are maneuvering in that neighto appear before the commission at it hearing.

> TWENTY-SIX PER CENT RESERVE IS HELD IN BANKS (From a Staff Correspondent.) WAEHINGTON, Feb. &- (Special Telegram.)-The abstract of the condition the national banks of Nebraska, exclusi of reserve cities, at the close of busin on December 31 shows the reserve held to

Railway commission has granted permission to the Maxwell & Brady Telephone empany to raise its farm line rate from \$1 a month to \$1.50, with a discount of 2 conts per month for each paid in advance. The company is further authorized, to establish a switching, rate for

forces. Their landing was not molested

by a French armored cruiser which was

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Feb. 5 .- (Special)-The State

OF PHONE RATES GIVEN

PERMISSION FOR RAISE

farm lines of \$6 a month. The company was formerly and still is in name a corporation, but it is now owned by George L. Swancutt. In auhorizing the increase the commission makes a finding that it was necessary in order to keep up the service. Certain sul

been approved by the comptre

currency, with a capital of \$40,000.

part of next week's session give the man threat as one requiring a prompt number of effective men in the army, counter stroke. As a statement says, the authorities exclusive of those serving in India, at

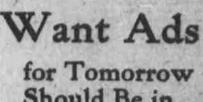
are considering "more stringent measures There is this year a novel change in against German trade." The ministers the form of the estimates, as no totals are treating the subject as a particular of estimated expenditures are given. The urgency and a full official statement as amount under each of the fifteen head- to the attitude of Great Britain should ings is set at the nominal figure price be forthcoming shortly.

of £1,000. This gives the House of Com- The German press, in the meautime mons opportunity for the discussion of hails this newly announced policy of the each heading, while the government may navy with great satisfaction. The comspend whatever is necessary under these ments received in London today indicate that the newspapers consider the warnarious headings to prosecute the war. ing to neutral ships that the waters sur-

rounding the British isles are to be considered a military area after February 18 **REACHES TURKISH ARMY** and that ships attempting passage outside of the channels specified do so at BERLIN, Feb. 5.-(By Wireless to Saytheir own risks.

ille)-According to a statement made to-Some English newspapers declare today day by the Overseas News agency, part that the German announcement should the crew of the famous German in the end benefit England, in that ft cruiser Emden evaded capture, escaping rightfully entitles the British government on the schooner Aysha, on which they to declare contraband all foodstuffs desleft Cocas Island last November at the tined for Germany. time the Emden was destroyed. The

Aside from confirmation of the report that no fewer than 12,000 Turkish troops "H. M. S. Aysha reports that Lieucomprise the expedition which has atenant Commander von Muecke, with the tacked the Sues canal, little news has landing force of the Emden arrived near been received in London relative to the Hodieda, on the southwest coast of operations in Egypt. That the attempt The men were received with to cross the canal will be renewed in even enthusiaam by the Turkish troops. Durgreater force, however, is the general ing the passange of Perim channel they bellef. were not detected by English and French



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