## FOOD DENALS

 TO BE EXTENDEDFurther Conservation Is Neces sary to Save World From Starvation, Is Word.

SACRFICES PROPOSED




















 winter will be simply the amount
that our people reduce their consump.
tion month by month."

IMO HELMSMAN HELD AS SPY His Ship Ran Into Munition Vease
Causing Halifax Disaster.
Halifax, N. S., Dec. 15.- John Jo-
hansen, helmsman on the Norwegian
steaner Imo, the Belgian relief ship,
whoose collision with the ammunition whose collision with the ammunition
steamer Mont Blanc led to the disaster
of last Thursday, has been detained as a German spy suspect. He was
turned over to militiary authorities by
officials of the Massachusetts Relief officials of
hospital, w
treatment. One of the nurses at the hospita
yesterday noticed that her patient
was acting queerly and that he did not seem to be wounded. Physicians
examined him and concluded he was shamming illness. Later Johansen
offered a narse $\$ 50$ if she would go out and buy him a newspaper, the as-

## Beakes Wins in Election Contest. Washington, Dec. 14. - The house

 Washington, Dec. 14. - The housevoted to give the seat for the Second
Mich igan district, held by Mark R Bacon, Republican, to S. W. Beakes,
Democrat. Final returns showed
Beakes slighty ahead, but technica maseite it necessary to carry the contest to the house.


SALVATION ARMY WORKERS READY TO LEAVE FOR
SERVICE WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE


A group of Salvation Army workers photographed at the New York headquarters ready to leave for service
with the American army in France. They will ald the soldiers In many ways, from holding rellgious services to
writing love letters to the girl back home. The women members of the party will repair the clothes of the boys

RECORD CROPS FOR U.S This Year's Harvest To Be
Valuable Ever Known

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| Acreage, Production and |
| Value. |

Washington, Dec. 13 .-According to







BE PATRIOTIC, JOIN RED CROSS

| STRIKE OFF; U. Si TO MAKE INQUIRY | Wilson in Proclamation Asks More Members. |
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| With Carmen Order Back to Work. |  |
| LABOR BJARD COming |  |
| Special Commission, Now in West, To Meet Interested Bodies-Not Considered Intervention-Strike Response Small. <br> Minneapolis, Dec. 15.-The sympa- |  |
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| thetic strike scheduled for the Twin Cities was called off before it was really under way by federal instruc- |  |
| really under way by federal instruc-tions to a special ocmmission now iathe West investigating labor disputes |  |
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| to proced to Minneapolis and at.Paul' to study the situation here. |  |
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| in San Francisco asting that thespecial commission stop here andover the dispute withthePublic |  |
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| Safoty commission, the street railway management and labor representa- |  |
| tives. <br> Men Sent Back to Work. Immediately after the sending of |  |
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| in St. Paul issued the call to the men to go back to work. |  |
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| aid the union trainmen who are out becease of their failure to obey drec. tioas of the Public Safety commisson tion abandon their union buttons. was <br> to abandon their union buttons. wa |  |
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| NEEDS SURGICAL DRESSINGS |  |
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| Army in France Faces Calamity Unless Work is Rushed. |  |
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| New York, Dcc. 14. A serious calamity and a national disgrace are inevitable" if surgical dressings are |  |
| not sent to France with all possibie |  |
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| U.Boats Shell Madeira Capital. <br> Lisisbon, Portugal, Dec. capital of Madeira, has been bom |  |
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| barded by a German submarine. |  |
| Forty shells were of persons and dauazing several bunadyss ne trol boats. |  |
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| Miss Rankin Champions Cupid's CauseWashington, Dec. 14.-Cupid has a |  |
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| champion in congress for the firsttime in history. Jeanette Rankin, |  |
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| and Matrimony, though she herself is |  |
| a spinster. took up the cudgel for thechubby little heart-hunting chap she says has been abused by the lawmak |  |
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| ers. Her first move on Dan's behalt ras the introduction of a bill to repeathe law compelling American womei whe mars aliens to relinguish their |  |
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| the law compelling American womenwho marry aliens to relinquish their American citizenship and marry a |  |
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## GERMAN BOMBS SLAY AMERCANS

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statue of Cupld will be sent to Rome.



 What beame of that friend of
yours who was always lookivg for a aight? Did he enists?"
"No, and when the draft cane he Gave Eve a Raw Deal.
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WIfey-Don
has Improved
Why That Lame Back ?




