

U.S. AIR RAID
Plan for Aerial
Attack Stir
German People
Means a Success
British Said to
Have Good Effect on
Enemy

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 2.—The
nervousness in the more
parts, over the reported
intention to invade Germany
This subject is universally
in Germany, where citizens
being made to believe the
population by declarations that
an American bluff.
There are the best reasons for
believing that the German air
raid are having a most salutary
effect in awakening the population
to a sense of the seriousness of the
consequences produced by the
rubbish air raid policy. Only
this means can the German home
population be brought to realize their
mistakes. Every Entente air
raid is a valuable educational influ-
ence in this direction.

Reports of explosions in Germany
are increasingly numerous, with-
out the efforts of the German
authorities to suppress them. Karl
Karl's dispatch to the Frankfurter
Blattung says that a few days ago
an explosion occurred at Kirch-
heim, in the Rhine region. It was
presumably caused by the
presence of munitions. The fire
was followed by an explosion in the
vicinity of which five persons
were killed and five injured.
The damage was relatively slight.

Experience shows that these notices
never inserted in the German
press unless it is felt necessary to
reassure the public. Slight explosions
were left unreported and large
explosions, causing much damage, generally
were reported in terms similar to
the above.

Teutons to Offer
"Modified Terms"

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Rumanian delegates reiterated their
demand and Mirbach finally promised to
communicate with Berlin on the matter.
It was formally stated that the Rus-
sians intend to demand the release of
thousands of Polish civilians who have
been impressed as laborers in Germany.

Bolsheviks Prepare
to Defend Frontier

LONDON, Jan. 2.—The Russian Bol-
sheviks are making preparations for
defense against Germany and have broken
off peace negotiations because of the
German refusal to withdraw their
troops from Poland and other
territories of Russia, according to a sen-
sational dispatch printed in the Daily
Express today from its Petrograd cor-
respondent. According to the dispatch,
"I have reliable information regard-
ing the breaking off of peace negotia-
tions, which establishes the honesty of
Bolshevik purpose," his dispatch as-
serts. The Bolsheviks have made a
detailed statement of their terms,
which has been published, includ-
ing therein a demand that German
troops be retained at Riga, Latvia
and other strategic points.

German Workmen
Try to Force Peace

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 2.—
The munitions workmen are re-
solving to sabotage the Kaiser
army, according to information
received today. Following a series
of violent explosions at several of
the most important munitions factories
in the vicinity of Cologne, the
workmen are taking extreme steps to
bring about the end of the war. They
are also the most highly critical
of the terms which have been
proposed.

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20th Year
Olds Closed Cars

are a revelation, not
only because they are
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KING PETER OF SERBIA

The seventy-four-year-old mon-
arch is seriously ill and has been
ordered by his physicians to de-
part for Southern Greece where
it is hoped the milder climate
will give him relief.

KING PETER III; GOES
TO SOUTHERN GREECE

King Peter of Serbia is very ill and
anxiety is felt over his condition, said
a dispatch from Athens today. He has
been ordered by his physicians to move
to southern Greece, where the climate
is mild, and has rented a villa at
Cape Suda, near Piræus. The king is suffer-
ing from rheumatism and a nervous dis-
order.

Coal Relief Remote
Say City Dealers

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Company, which recently declared that
its expenses as tabulated would afford
a profit of thirty-seven cents a ton un-
der the new scale. The coal under the
standard price sells for \$9.20, stove at
\$9.80, but at \$9.70 and coal at \$8.05.
The extreme cold weather has added
to the difficulties of the bituminous coal
situation, according to Philadelphia
miners and shippers of soft coal. Ship-
ments of coal for ocean use are falling
far behind normal, it was said.

City Ice-Bound;
Schools Close

to accommodate the entire winter's coal
supply and the coal must be placed as
the bins are emptied. Of late it has
not been possible to secure coal at just
the time the bins are emptied. This
school requires 200 tons a year and the
bins hold but a small portion of this
amount. There is no yard in which to
pile coal. From ten to twelve tons
per day are burned here.

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