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PEACE

Peace Negotiations Litovsk Report

Another Report Says
Offer.

VIEW OF A PEACE
DELEGATE.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 2.—G
will not consider the Brest-
Lithovsk declarations binding on her
the Allies accept the invitation
negotiate a general peace, ac-
cording to M. Pavlovich, non-Bolshevik
delegate, who returned from the
conference today.

"Germany's fundamental aim
in the negotiations," he said, "is
to establish an economic union
between Hamburg and Poland gulf. In
addition, Germany will demand
the evacuation of Belgium from
France, Germany will demand
the freeing of Mesopotamia, Arab
Palestine, as well as the return
of Tripoli, in case of further
negotiations against Italy.

TO MAKE NEW PEACE OFFER

BERNE, Jan. 2.—Within ten
days the Central powers will make
a declaration of modified peace
proposals, "owing to the Entente's

Ring Out The Old Ring in The New Celebrated in the Old Way.

The passing of the old
year and the birth of the New Year was
celebrated in the city in the usual
old way. Bells rang, whistles
and fire crackers cracked for
or fifteen minutes without in-
termission. Some citizens danced
year in, some skated it in,
others sang it in.

Family reunions were man-
aged around the glad some hearts
of the old year, who had flocked home
to spend the day with those
who had treated them so
kindly and nourished them with
before their wings were strong
to bear them away to later
storms of life.

Happy indeed were those to
whom Santa Claus had been kind
in giving up the family coal bin
these the stocking of the
was a joy, not a labor,
glad New Year.

However, in the midst of
happiness enjoyed by many
less fortunate were not few
and many a heart throb of sympathy
was felt for parents whose
sons, sleeping under the
Franco and Flanders, never
will assemble under the parents
on glad New Year Days to
to bring joy and happiness to
most dear to them.

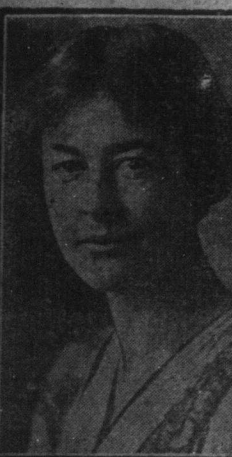
In many of the churches
were held where fitting
were made.

Mr. Edwin F. G. Kuehner Has Passed Away

Was A Former Member Of
83rd. Battalion. The Soldier
Had Been Ailing For Some
Time.

Intelligence of the death of
of the city's young men is im-
portant to many friends today. The
deceased gentleman is Mr. Edwin
Kuehner.

The young man is a former
member of the Empire's fighting
force for fifteen months he was
in the 83rd. Battalion, Toronto,
he had resided and where he en-
joyed his life. Fifteen months ago he contracted
a cold and he had been ailing for



MISS LAURA HUGHES, daughter
of Dr. James L. Hughes, Toronto,
whose marriage to Dr. Erling
of Chicago, took place Saturday