Strong in Military Sense Whe re She Was Weak at Begin-

ning-Has Crushed Germa ny Outside of Europe, and

Enlisted Best Part of W orld Against the Huns.

By Fran's H. Simonds

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beginning of another calendar year is a logical and inevitable time for

No man who had lived through the last year could fail to realize that

those German peace proposals which were designed to

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there had been a marked change in the feeling of all the peoples at war. The desire for peace has grown since this time last year, when the Allied nations

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TORONTO, Dec. 23.-Alleged to have murdered her new-born child, Mrs. Virginia Ellis was arrested here tonight. The body was found at the rear of a house near the city hall on October 19. It is said the child was born without medical or other assistance. Two days later, rMs. Ellis left her bed and the following day the body was found,

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[Special to The Advertiser.] OTTAWA, Dec 28 .- At the request

and electricians to Halifax for relief of Hon. W. J. Hanna, food controller, reconstruction. In this connection Col R. S. Lowe in charge of the reconstruc-tion work here, has issued a notice to the effect that at present carpenters only are required for the work here. We have sworn The new regulation is to prevent delay free for in cars being put into service after attacks shipment reaches its destination, and Sickness also to force food upon the market immediately on its arrival at any point. Railway companies are compelled, under the regulation, to immediately on free unloading of foodstuffs. The consignees who refuse or delay to unload such commodities are liable to a fine not exceeding \$500, or six months' im-Feb. 16-t prisonment, o. both.

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can prevent Germany and Austria from arranging their eastern frontiers as they choose and, temporarily at least, remaining masters of the Polish state which must now be established. Equally clear is the fact that the opportunity for the liberation of the Austrian Slavs and Rumanians well nigh disappeared since the state which must now be established. Austrian Slavs and Rumanians well nigh disappeared since the state of the past year. This means that the conditions of the same and compared the state of the past year. This means that the conditions of the lands within Russia than a reapportionment of those in the Hapsburg monarchy or the Balkan pennsula. One will not venture to prophesy even now, but there is at the least good reason to suspect that Austria has yet once more escaped the doom that has always seemed to be indiminent and that all the idealing her aubject races will have to be laid aside. Italian ambitions belong to a different order of ideas. In addition to the insertation of her Italian-speaking brethren in the Trentino and in Trieste, italy cherished the dream of restoring the Venetian tradition along the eastern shores of the Adriatic and in the Laguery of the Laguery of the Laguery and the Laguery of the L taking an account of stock in that business which is now the main occupation of the world, the business of war. With what prospects do we begin the new

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the British of all her overseas possessions.

We may say quite accurately, then, that the last year has served to make patent the fact that all of Germany's western hopes have been descroyed. France will survive the war strong and bound in firm alliance with a British Empire now prepared for war strong that the larger aspirations of the Allies, the creation of Jugo-Slavia, like the Italian ambition for mastery of the Eastern Adriatic, have suffered great and probably enduring diminution.

Britain Again Cuts in.

As to Asia and Africa, I shall not endeavor to discuss these continents and these problems at this time, et it is British Empire now prepared for war and possessing an army which, joined to the French, will make a repetition of the events of 1914 impossible, in our own generation at least. And Belgian independence is uitimately certain, because unless Germany agrees to this she will have to fight the United States, Britain and France for an indefinite time.

But, by contrast we are bound to perceive that many of the eastern plans of the Allies seem to have come to an end. Assalled by Germany the western provers at the outset were green.

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The greatest dangers that now face the world are not that Germany will win the war, that she will enslave Belgium or reduce France to the estate of a vassal. These dangers are no longer real. What is to be feared is that the growth of war weariness will bring with it a rapid abandonment of all the idealistic aspirations of the nations at war with Germany, and that the close of the war will see, not a settlement, not a

# **BUNCO GAME OF** GOVT. IS BARED IN CIRCULAR 21

Promising Exemption To Get Votes in Violation of Order.

FARMERS. TAKE

Only One Son To Be Left on Farms of Less Than 100 Acres.

their day since the election took place. There has just come to light a military order issued at the time these representations were being made,

which reads as follows:

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"Circular letter No. 21, re farmers.
It has come to my notice that many wrong exemptions have been allowed in the farming communities. Many families having four or five sons of military age arrange that they shall not all appear before the same tribunals. Quite a number are in possession of deed or mortgage to one farm that has been split into sections, making it difficult to arrive at a proper understanding as to ownership. Many farmers have small holdings from five to fifty acres and in many cases the only product is hay. This all should be taken into serious consideration and my own opinion is that no farm of less than 100 acres where farmer own opinion is that no than 100 acres where less than 100 acres where farmer and wife are alone should have more than one son left to assist them. Farm laborers must not be

exempted.
"(Signed) D. R. STREET. "(Signed) D. R. STREET.

"Lieut. Col. D. M. R., M. D. No. 3."

That the above order was official so far as the military authorities who are now in full charge of the administration of the act are concerned, and that it was not countermanded by the alleged orders-in-council circulated during the closin, days of the campaign, has been proven right at the capital during the past few days, when the appeal of a number of farmers have been disallowed on the grounds laid down in the above circular letter.

# KITCHENER FIRMS ARE RETALIATING AGAINST BOYCOTT

Will Not Buy From Cities Which Are Unfriendly.

KITCHENER, Dec. 28.—It was learned today that a movement is starting among local manufacturers to retaliate against the boycott that is bereadiness in Britain, faced by Lloyd George recently, to send the question of the German colonies to a peace congress.

In sum, it seems to me that the situation that exists as the new year opens, while it points unmistakably to the persistence of the present and past decisions on the west front and between Germany and her western enemies, decisions which insure the defeat of all Germany's purposes with reference to France and to Great Britain, it quite as manifestly points toward a failure of the world allied against Germany to the world allied against Germany to as manifestly points toward a failure of the world allied against Germany to as manifestly points toward a failure of the world allied against Germany to as manifestly points toward a failure of the world allied against Germany to as manifestly points toward a failure of the world allied against Germany to as manifestly points toward a failure of the world allied against Germany to as manifestly points toward a failure of the world allied against Germany to as manifestly points toward a failure of the world allied against Germany to as manifestly points toward a failure of the world allied against detections in gain distant cities in Canada. It is gatated that a start has been made by one prominent manufacturers to retallate against the boycott that is be-ing placed upon this city by neighboring and distant cities in Canada. It is gatated that a start has been made by one prominent manufacturer, who refuses to place an order with a Brantford traveler because of the severe sentiment against Kitchener which has emanated from that city. The manufacturer is said to be one of the Brantford all ford traveler because of the severe sentiment against Kitchener which has emanated from that city. The manufacturer is said to be one of the Brantford to be one of the Brantford all facturer is said to be one of the Brantford all facturer is said to be one of the Brantford all facturer is said to be one of the Brantford all facturer is said to be one of the Brantford would be unable to do business from Kitchener. The manufacturer retorted that he could do business from the infernal regions if his goods and prices were right. He proved this to the boards of trade delegates by selling them all an order for shirts.

#### TRIBUNAL IGNORES HUTCHINGS' APPEAL

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### CHILDREN NEED FOOD-NOT ALCOHOL

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French Academy To Immortalize Joffre

PARIS, Dec. 28.—Marshal Joffre soon is to become one of the im-mortals of the French Academy. This became known after yesterday's session of the academy, when the following announcement was made:
"The French Academy, having been sounded on the subject of the candidature of Marshal Joffre, it will show itself happy to receive in its bosom the glorious victor of the Marne."

U. S. CENSORS FILMS

# HON. A. L. SIFTON FOR SUPREME COURT, IS **RUMOR FROM OTTAWA**

Hon. Martin Burrell May Become Clerk of House of Commons.

Col. Wigle Is 1,692

Windson, Dec. 28.—But few errors were found in the original figures for the North Essex parliamentary election by Returning Officer Smith and Deputy Panet, who completed their recount today. The officials started their count on December 26, as required by law, and completed their work this afternoon. A general recapitulation shows that the majority obtained by William C. Kennedy, Liberal candidate, over Lieut.—Col. Wigle, Unionist, is 1,692. The official majority of the Liberal candidate in Windsor was 112. Several errors on the part of deputy returning officers were discovered, but these were purely clerical. A total of 12,450 votes were cast in the riding of North Essex, against 7,056 in the 1911 election.

[Special to The Advertiscr.]
OTTAWA, Dec 28.—It is stated here that Hon. A. L. Sifton, minister of cast the Hon. Albert Sevign the few court of Canada, in the place of Sir Louis Davis, whose health has not been good for some time past, and who will probably retire.

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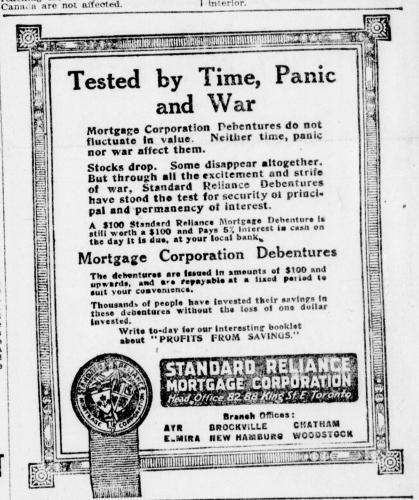
ON NEUTRAL COUNTRIES

[Special to The Advertiser.]
OGDENSBURG, N. Y., Dec. 28.—Orrespondent representations assiduously circulated in the rural ricts during the closing days of the campaign to the effect that all farmers and farm laborers should be exempted from military service has been proven every day since the election took place.

UNNSIGNED TO NEUTRALS
OGDENSBURG, N. Y., Dec. 28.—Use of zeppelins in connection with the German spy system in neutral countries as well as for surveying navigation for the benefit of submarines, is described in official dispatches received today from Prance. The message tells particular-sof the Canadian border, it was announced today. The ruling, it was said, is to prevent military information from reaching the enemy. Films consigned to Canadia are not affected.

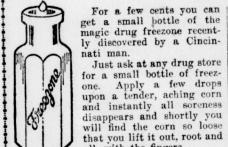
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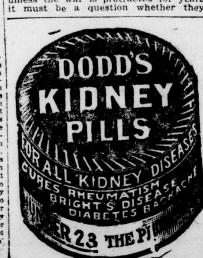
# Stomach Upset? Stop Indigestion, Gases, Sourness---Pape's Diapepsin

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to an end. Assailed by Germany the
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moved by the conviction that one consequence of an unsought war would
be the liberation of those subject races
whose sufferings had been a constant
reproach to nineteenth century humanity. On the morrow of the Marne,
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when the Allies first realized that they would not be conquered by a sudden thrust, they began to frame a program which looked to the liberation of the Poles of Austria and of

Germany, to the re-creation of a free

Poland; they began to design a new map of Europe which should see the Southern Slavs rescued from Austrian tyranny, the Czechs emancipated, the Balkans remade, the Rumanians delivered from Hungarian chains. In Carlots to the Armanian and the