LOCLAMATION MAY BE GIVEN MAYOR

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Napierville, Que., reports A. Monet, elected by a majority of 95, and Matane, Que., Fortin elected by 43 matanic, Que., Fortin elected by 43 matanic.

IT IS A GERMAN LIE. LONDON, Dec. 27.—Reuter's, Limited, learns that the alleged British admiralty order regarding Bolshevism in the German fleet, received from Berlin by way of Amsterdam today, is a "tissue of

its "steel-cut" grinding and

GERMAN ARMIES UTTERLY BEATEN ON BATTLEFIELD BY INDOMITABLE MORALE

Campaign of 1918 Was Begun With All Apparent Advantage on Ludendorff's Side -Foch Excelled in Brains and Quality of Troops.

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NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Each year, since the opening of the wgg, I have, at the close of the season, reviewed the military operations of the campaign. To complete the series, I shall now make a brief survey of the final campaign which won the struggle, and thus close the military articles which I have been

which won the struggle, and thus close the world war.

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The German Plan.

The German was conscious of his opportunity and had found in Ludendorff a leader calculated to get the greatest possible advantage out of the peculiar derivant methods and system. Ludendorff made the basis of his strategy the cert that from the Argonne to Ypress had the circumference. In this time was becoming restless. In this time was passing, and the German public was becoming restless. In this time was passing and the German public was becoming restless. In this time was passing and the German public was becoming restless. In this time was passing and the German public was passing, and the German public was becoming restless. In this time was the first learn of the freat on both had a great moral effect on both sides of the firing line. As it turned out, this was the beginning of the long out, this was the first gleam of sundight after three months of agony.

The Final German Blow.

Finally, on July 15, Ludendorff flung his remaining reserves against the remaining reserves against the French and Americans holding the line from Chateau Thierry to the Argonne. His purpose was to break through east and west of Rheims envelop and take the remaining and west of Rheims, envelop and take the purpose was to break through east and west of Rheims envelope and take the purpose was to break through east and west of Rheims envelope and the could be purpose was to break through east and west of Rheims envelope and the could be purposed to the from the free of the first plean of the free o

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Overwheimed Four to One.

On Narch 21 the blow fell. On a front of 30 miles 46 German divisions fell upon fourteen British. After a brief artiller; peparation mexampled in fury and reinforced by gas shells in enormous quantities. The surprise was complete in its effect, a fog deprived the doomed fifth army of the advantage of most of its preparations, its suport lines were at best in poor condition, and in the first day of the string slowly, but maintaining its front intact.

By the third day, however, the ruln was complete, the fifth army had dissolved into gallant fragments, a great gap was opening between the British and the French, and continued to widen for several days, during which all the French, and continued to widen awaiting a German attack upon their sown front at the Chemin-des-Dames, were ruished up and thrown in. In this time the German host pushed rejentlessly on, passed the Somme, crossed the battlefled of 1916, reached the Ancre, took Albert, and south of the Somme approached within ten miles of Anices, took Albert, and south of the Somme approached within ten miles of Anices, took Albert, and south of the Somme approached within ten miles of Anices, took Albert, and south of the Somme approached within ten miles of Anices, took Albert, and south of the Somme approached within ten miles of Anices, took Albert, and south of the Somme approached within ten miles of Anices, took Albert, and south of the Somme approached within ten miles of Anices, took Albert, and south of the Somme approached within ten miles of Anices, took Albert, and south of the Somme approached within ten miles of Anices, took Albert, and south of the Somme approached within ten miles of Anices, took Albert, and south of the Somme approached within ten miles of Anices, took Albert, and south of the Somme approached within ten miles of the Maning Albert of the

crs the Belgians and British retook all the lost ground about Ypres. pressed over the hilis and descended to the plain, driving a wedge between the Germans and the Belgian seacoast and threatening eventual isolation.

Rolling Them Back.

But it was to the south and against the main wall of the Hindenburg line that the main blow fell. Beginning about September 29 the main mass of British troops, with several American divisions in line, pounded their way through the whole twelve miles of defenses between Cambrai and St. Quentin. By October 8 the line had been left far behind, the last complete barrier to Allied advance was gone, while anorthward the French, British and Belgians were sweeping through Westerve Belgian, clearing the seacoast and approaching the Scheldt, Lille and Roubaix, with Bruges and Ostend had islen or were about to fall, Laon to the south had gone. The Germans still had defence systems and were fighting with resolution, but it was apparent to all that the Jig was about up. Along the whole line, save before the Americans, where the Germans were massing reserves and making a desperate stand, the Allies were advancing and the Imit the Allies were available by The last blow on July 15 of Ludendors was as great a gamble as Napoleon's use of the Old Guard in the closing hour of Waterloo. Had Ludendorff retired rather than advanced in July, re gained strategic freedom by retreat as Hindenburg had done in 1917 he might have escaped final disaster for the campaign of 1918. But this was his last chance, nor is it improbable that in doing this he would have precipitated a collapse of the German public which would have hastened rather than delayed the end.

In March the British were beaten beaten as they have never been beaten.

in five hundred years of history. Eve

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