A vote for UNION is a vote to win the war!

SANITY OR SUICIDE

In vouchsafing this information to our readers we would say that the conditions attending the present election are the most serious in the annals of Canadian history —the gravest the world has ever

Our usual political leanings, be they conservative, liberal, socialistic or otherwise, are forced from their places by the clash of arms.

The dismal clanging jar of the fetters of Germanic slavery are almost beating on our ear-drums. Are these to suppress the noise of our war drums? If we are men, No! If we are politicians, perhaps, Yes!

Let us for God's sake sink Politics for Principles:—and the only principles we can logically afford to entertain are those of war:-we ask you to vote for no. party but for WAR-red warwar to the end, against COWARD-ICE, BLACKGUARDISM and SLAVERY.

We fail to believe that there is any cur amongst us so mean as to bite the hand that feeds it. Away with petty meanness and strife. The flag first, last and all the time:-the "Union Jack":-the "Union" Government.

INSTRUCTIONS TO DEPEN-DANTS.

The female dependant of any soldier killed in the present war, or who is now OVERSEAS, can

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"D" COMPANY PAGE POSTPONED ONE WEEK

Naturally the Christmas Number -which will be a very special number-should not feature any one Company exclusively, so the exclusive page for "D" Company will be postponed one week, (to December 22).

EVERY COMPANY—

-should be well represented in the Christmas number, of courseso get busy and send in your articles, personals, squibs, knocks, boosts, jokes, etc. Appoint YOUR-SELF the correspondent for your section, and send in your stuff by MONDAY noon.

EVERY SOLDIER HAS A VOTE

Every military elector shall be qualified and entitled to vote at the coming general election set for the seventeenth instant. With regard to the use of his vote he has the following options:-

- (1) The right to vote in any electoral district wherein he has resided for four months prior to his appointment, or enlistment, or enrolment, or calling out on active service.
- (2) If he cannot specify any electoral district where he has resided for four months prior to the election in Canada, he shall be eligible to vote in any other constituency in Canada where he has resided previously for four months.
- (3) If he cannot comply with either of the foregoing rules;-that is to say, if he was enlisted in a foreign country -i. e. the United States of America—he may apply his vote in any electoral district in Canada that he may desire.

Full arrangements (to be published later) are made to facilitate men voting in camp; and all votes for whatever district and whatever the conditions can be taken there.

No man is entitled to more than one vote and only trouble can arise for himself and others in any attempt to evade the law in this respect.

> ONE SOLDIER! ONE VOTE! USE IT WISELY

vote in the electoral district in which she resides.

Dependant means: - Grandmother, mother, wife, step-mother, sister or step-sister, or in fact any dependant either having received remuneration from the Government as such or being entitled to receive same.

It is most important that these ladies should vote for the maintenance of the war and the protection of their country and them-

If the boys of the E. T. D. have brother, cousin, step-brother or relation now overseas—write to their dependants, telling them of their opportunity to vote.

Your own wives, mothers and dependants are not entitled to vote as you are not overseas.

THE ELECTION SITU-ATION OF TODAY

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the question is whether or not we shall keep our faith with the Allies and with our kith and kin, now fighting our battles in France.

It is quite unnecessary to make any reference to the nature of the common enemy which today threatens the future of our civilization.

in the districts occupied by them in Europe constitutes the most damning indictment of any nation recorded in ancient or modern

Organized murder of hundreds of innocent women and children, was far from being the worst of the German crimes. Full rein was given by the higher command to the degenerate impulse of men, whom a rigid discipline had long bereft of their finer feelings. The consequent outrages were of so black a description that they can never be recorded for decent readers.

Violation of women of all ages was carried on by individuals and by hordes of brutal soldiers, resulting in the horrible death of numberless unfortunate females. Ladies of education and refinement in captured villages and towns were forced to wait on the tables of officers and men after being stripped naked. Little children were impaled on swords and bayonets of the Huns, and carried in triumph at the heads of companies.

The German officers not only permitted their men unchecked licence, but, by their example, encouraged and abetted outrage, taking always the fairest women and girls for themselves. guilt, including that of the higher command, is proved conclusively by the well known fact that the German army is more highly dis-The conduct of the German armies ciplined than any other in the

DEFINITIONS.

Kultur:-is the art of murdering women and children: it also in-cludes violation of our wives, mothers, sisters and daughters.

Bosche: - An instrument of torture operated for the delectation of the Kaiser, some of its special functions being—clubbing and stab-bing wounded soldiers, and hold-ing up its hands while emitting a plaintive wail, "Kamerad".

-A creature of the devil with a particular predilection for murder, rape and butchery.

Bertha:—A long-range artillery piece used for the purpose of defacing churches, cathedrals and historical monuments and particularly useful for shelling hospitals.

The Kaiser:-The devil personified, (with apologies to his Satannic majesty); the individual responsible for this bloody conflict; an imbecile extraordinary.

world, and could have gone through Belgium without harming a single woman had the German Government's policy not called for terrorism.

It is to keep this fiendish horde from overrunning Europe and threatening our own shores, that Canadians today are fighting overseas. But reinforcements are urgently needed to back up our soldiers and to keep their ranks

For each man in the line there are supposed to be four men training at the rear. Owing to absolutely inadequate reinforcements, now being sent from Canada, the present situation is just the reverse, and there are four men at the front and but one man in training. Meanwhile we—you and I—and the people of Canada—have calmly accepted the sacrifices of the men

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