

Article 17.—Originally providing for the "unconditional capitulation" within one month of all German forces operating in East Africa, is substituted by a clause requiring only "evacuation by all German forces operating in East Africa within a period to be fixed by the Allies."

Article 18.—Providing for the repatriation of all civilians belonging to the Allies or associated powers other than those enumerated in article three, is amended to eliminate a reservation that any future claims or demands by the Allies and the United States shall remain unaffected.

Article 22.—Providing for the surrender of 150 German submarines is changed to read "all submarines now existing" with the added stipulation that "those which cannot take the sea shall be disarmed of their material and personnel and shall remain under the supervision of the Allies and the United States."

Further provisions are added requiring that all the conditions of the article shall be carried into effect within fourteen days; that submarines ready for sea shall be prepared to leave German ports immediately upon orders by wireless and the remainder at the earliest possible moment.

Article 23.—Providing for the disposition of German surface warships, has additional clauses requiring that vessels designated for internment shall be ready to leave German ports within seven days upon directions by wireless, and that the military armament of all vessels of the auxiliary fleet shall be put on shore.

Article 26.—Providing that the Allied blockade remains unchanged has this sentence added: "The Allies and the United States should give consideration to the provisioning of Germany during the armistice to the extent recognized as necessary."

Article 28.—Providing conditions of evacuation of the Belgian coast (from which the Germans actually had been driven before the armistice was signed), was changed in minor particulars.

Article 34.—Providing that the duration of the armistice shall be thirty days, and that if its clauses are not carried into execution, it may be renounced upon forty-eight hours' warning, has the following added: "It is understood that the execution of articles three and eighteen shall not warrant the renunciation of the armistice on the ground of insufficient execution within a period fixed except in the case of bad faith in carrying them into execution. In order to assure the execution of this convention under the best conditions the principle of a permanent international armistice commission is admitted. This commission shall act under the authority of the Allied military and naval commanders-in-chief."

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