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Unless Wilson's Reply is Satisfactory, Huns Will Fight to Last Ditch CHANCELLOR SPEAKS

TWO CENTS

Addresses Reichstag on the Subject of Present Peace Negotiations

By Courier Leased Wire. New York, Oct. 23 .- The Associated Press this morning issues the following: Defensive warfare will be carried on by the German nation if the present government fails to secure a peace with justice, said Prince Maximilian, the German imperial chancellor, speaking before the Reichstag yesterday. The address lends new light on the latest note sent from Berlin to Washington. The German people want first, to know what President Wilson's fourteen points mean to the future of Germany. If a satisfactory answer is not to be obtained a call for national defense will be

from Pont-a-Mousson to an average miles. This advance has aggregated S8 miles from Chateau. Thierry to Grandlup: 59 from Amiens to the Sambre River, and 38 from Dixmude Sambre River, and 38 from Dixmude to the Becloo-Zeebrugge canal. The grand average is held to a low figure by the fact that attacks east of by the fact that attacks east of Rheims have not carried the German line back, over permanent fortifica-tions and against desperate resist-ance, as far as the enemy was forced to flee further west and north. In this sector, the progress made, however is as important as At an early hour this morning our troops attacked on the Le Cateau Colmes front, and are reported to be making Further north between alenciennes and Tournai, we have taken Bruay and reached the west bank of the Scheldt much greater advances in some other parts of the front. Standing behind the Scheldt River, the Germans seem at Blesaires and Espan. Considerable resistance was enthe Scheldt River, the Germans seem for the moment at least to have stabilized their line and the aviit advance of the Belgians, British and French has been slowed down. Brit-ish troops, however, have succeeded in crossing the river east of Pecu, north of Valenciennes. That city, too, has been entered by the British, but it seems that part of the place is still held by the enemy. countered on this front yesterday, and sharp fighting took place in which our troops, pressing the enemy vigorously, inflicted many casualties upon him, and drove him from his train which left Toronto at 8 o'clock this morning. The messenger, Williamson, of To-ronto, and his assistant reported that when the train started to leave Sunnyside two men board-ed the express car, held them up and leaped off with the bag as the train began to pick up speed. Further south the British, Ameri-eans and French are fighting hard in their attempts to break the Hunding line. This defensive position, while not as formidable as the Hindenburg not as formidable as the Hindenburg system, is sufficiently strong to de-lay the Allies' advance materially. At last reports the British and Am-ericans were advancing slowly east of the Selle River. The same situa-tion obtains further down the Mne, around what remains of the Laon sallent. LATER DETAILS. Hamilton, Ont., Och 23.—A sealed bag, containing \$20,000, was stolen from the express car of the Grand Trunk train which 6.20 this morning. The rob-bery was perpetrated by a lone bandit who apparently boarded the platform of the express car at Toronto. Just as the train began to pick up speed at Sunny-side the robber entered the ex-press car, held up William Wil-lamson of Toronto, the express grabed the bag and made his escape. The train was stopped and the police authorities noti-tied.

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certainty. Until then we must in all our thoughts and in our actions pre-pare for both eventualities—first free discussion with our opponents that the enemy governments are that will give the decision. anxious, for war, in which case there is no choice for us but to put ourselves in a posture of defence legal questions involved will not stop with all the strength of our people driven to the last extremity. Should this necessity arise I have no doubt for violence.

"The principles upon which we that the German Government in the name of the German people will have agreed as a rule of conduct issue a call for national defence in the same way that it spoke for the From many quarters it has been German people when it took action for peace. He who honestly took a of President Wilson's conditions stand on the basis of peace will also would mean submission-anti-undertake the duty of not submitting German submission-to anti-German to a peace of violence without a courts of justice which would decide fight. The government which would legal questions entirely from the act otherwise would be left to the viewpoint of its own interests. If mercy of the fighting and working that is the case, why then is it the people. It would be swept away by extreme apostles of force in the Enpublic opinion. tente fear the council chamber as the "There is also another possibility. guilty fear the court of justice?"

**IDEAL LEAGUE of NATIONS** 

"The oscence of President, we shall find in it a cure for our pres-Wilson's program for a league of ent wounds and a reservoir of future nations cannot be achieved when all strength."

peoples have not the right of nation-al self-determination. This realiza-tion of community law means the abandonment of part of the unquali-fied independence which hitherto has been an indication of sovereignty, both by us and others. Should we at home maintair as fundamental the national egoism which, until a short time ago, was the dominating force of the people's life, there would be no restitution and no renovation for us. There would be a feeling of bit-terness which would cripple us for generations. "But if we comprehend that the significance of this frightful war is above all, victory for the idea of juspeoples have not the right of nation- Prince Maximilian said that he

above all, victory for the idea of jus-tice, and if we do not resist this idea, but submit with all good faith, then but submit with all good faith then but submit su

WEATHER BULLETIN WE CAN GO WITH ANYTHING BUT VICTORY

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## Board Is Controlling Organization Coordinating With Special Committees --- Situation Better To-day, Officials Make Announcement

The Board of Health met last evening for the purpose of coufirm-ing the actions of the sevenal special committees and thus legalizing any actions taken to date. The following summary was auth-orized to be given to the press, to-gether with a summary of the meet-

gether with a summary of the meeting: That no reports in future be given out by the Board of Health or any of the subordinate committees unless duly passed by the said board and officially signed by the Mayor. This action is deemed rdvTsable in the public interests in order that there may be no misunderstanding through unofficial newspaper re-ports.

By Courier Leased Wire Hamilton, Ont., Oct. 23.—A bug, reported to have contained \$20,000, was stolen from the ex-press car of the Grand Trunk ecure a list of all voluntary helpers

good progress.

positions, capturing a number of prisoners.

speed.

LATER DETAILS.

The eyes of the Allied world are how directed at the Lorraine and Woevre sectors in expectation of an American onslaught of Metz. There have been raiding operations there and further west during the past two days and raids are usually the per-courses of an attack. It has been established that Metz is the hinge upon which the whole German line is retiring and a blow at that fortness might, if successful, throw into con-tusion the whole retrograde move-ment which is going on from the Meuse to the North Sea.

