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THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1918

## Will Accept But With Reservations

Amsterdam, Oct. 16.—The Nieuwe Rotterdamsche Courant, has withdrawn its statement made in a special addition, reporting the capitulation of Germany and the abdication of Emperor William.

This step was taken, the newspaper says, because it was unable to obtain any confirmation of the report.

London, Oct. 16.—Reuter's Limited learns that the German reply to President Wilson is expected to be communicated immediately and that it is likely to constitute a general acceptance of the President's conditions.

According to news received here through diplomatic channels from Holland the reply will be an acceptance of President Wilson's terms, with some stipulation to the effect that the interests of the German people must be respected.

Amsterdam, Oct. 16.—Emperor William has issued a decree saying that martial law in Germany can only be administered by an agreement between the civil and military authorities, according to a report received here.

Germany's federal council has accepted the proposed amendment to the constitution, article 2, making it read: "The consent of the federal council and the Reichstag is required for a declaration of war in the empire's name, except in a case where imperial territory has already been invaded or its coasts attacked."

Section 5 of article 2 is amended to read: "Treaties of peace and treaties with foreign states which deal with affairs coming under the competence of the Imperial law-giving bodies require the consent of the federal council and the Reichstag."

"Not Immediately Attainable."

Amsterdam, Oct. 16.—The semi-official North German Gazette of Berlin says: "President Wilson's reply has partly carried the discussion further and partly extended it."

A fresh counter-attack by the German government, therefore, is necessary, so that the bringing about of an armistice and the inauguration of peace negotiations are not yet immediately attainable."

Not Another William.

Paris, Oct. 16.—According to a source of information not without value, Berlin is considering how Emperor William can disappear without endangering the dynasty, says a despatch from Geneva to the Temps. One solution being considered, it is said, is the abdication of the emperor in favor of his grandson, William, the eldest son of the German crown prince, with the emperor's brother, Prince Henry, as regent.

The Journal Des Debats yesterday mentioned editorially the possibility of such a plan but it condemned it as unacceptable.

MAKE 'EM SHORT.

(Ottawa Citizen.) We respectfully call the attention of prospective correspondents to the regrettable fact that newspaper is now at a low ebb. Write them short.

## Allies Everywhere Defeating Enemy

New York, Oct. 16.—The Associated Press tonight issues the following: "Hostilities are proceeding without cessation, and, as in days past, the forces of the Allies everywhere are defeating the enemy. In Belgian Flanders, the British, Belgian and French troops under King Albert are sweeping forward for further material gains in the process of driving the invader from Belgian soil; on the front in France, the British, French and Americans are hard after the Germans and are making progress, although slowly, as a result of the strenuous defense that is being offered."

In Albania the Entente troops are well to the north of Durazzo on the Adriatic Sea, and in Serbia a considerable distance beyond Nish, with the enemy falling back toward the frontier of Austria-Hungary.

In the Palestine theatre the British cavalry has driven far to the north and northwest of Damascus, having reached Tripoli, near the Mediterranean coast, forty-five miles north of Beirut and Hama, eighty-five miles north of Damascus.

In Flanders, Thourout, at the head of the railway leading to Bruges, and numerous villages to the south have been taken, while Courtrai, the junction point of the railway to Ghent, is almost entirely surrounded. Large numbers of prisoners and many additional guns have been captured by the Belgian, French and British troops, who are carrying out the operation.

To the south of this region the Germans are continuing to withdraw, closely followed by the British, who are within two and a half miles and three and three-quarter miles of Lille, respectively southwest and west of the city.

In the Champagne regions, where the French and Americans are driving their way northward, Reims, the important junction point for the railways running to Metz and other points inside the enemy-held territory, is all but captured by the French. Eastward the Americans also have again pressed slightly forward.

ROYAL YEAST

### VICTORY WITHIN GRASP

Ottawa, Oct. 16.—"Conscious of lurking dangers in the present situation from a battlefield denuded with the blood of their comrades, the men who may die in the battles of tomorrow expect and pray that our young nation shall raise its voice and exert its full strength to defeat the devilish endeavors of German diplomacy. Complete victory is within our grasp. Let us save it so that the blood of our bravest and best shall not have been shed in vain, and that generations yet unborn shall know that the sacrifices we consent to make and the bitter sorrow we have endured have not been without justification or purpose."

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THE LIBERTY LOAN. Washington, Oct. 16.—In the face of figures still showing the fourth Liberty Loan only a little more than half raised up to \$200,000,000, the chief source of hope tonight lay in the assurances of campaign managers for each of twelve districts that their respective fields would prove up when final returns are counted.

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Oysters. 10c. tin.

Shrimps. 21c. tin.

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