

Disposition to Lose Faith in War Lords Appears.

OFFICIAL PRESS DEFIANT

Bavarian Socialists Make Pacific Move-Holland Advices Hint

at Fall of Maximilian.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15 -- Swiss dispatches today say the German news papers are now snowing a confusion

papers are now snowing a confusion equal to that which they showed in the interval between the proposal of Frince Maximilian and President Wil-son's message of inquiry. Some of them are quoted as follows: Frankfurter Zeitung-Evidently if the negotiations cannot be carried out, we shall turn back to arms and in des-perate combats defend the German ter-ritory, but we must have no illasions in this respect. At the most important time of her history Germany feels the lack of that very energetic military help which, according to ancient be-liefs, stands for right. However terri-ble this disillusion may be for the Ger-man people, brought up among military display, humanity will benefit by it if President Wilson is able to establish a real and true justice.

Morgen Poste-The army high com-mand believes, too, that the continua-tion of war in the present circum-stances will bring no good results.

## People's Support Claimed.

Neue Landes Zeitung, of Mannheim, organ of the Chancellor's party-Presi-dent Wilson and the entente are mis-taken if ther think that war was not made with the whole German people in

LONDON, Oct. 15.—Dispatches from Holland report there is a probability of another turnover in the German Chancellorship. The Berlin National Zeitung prints a report of a discussion by an inter-party committee, of the letter Prince Maximilian wrote to Prince Alexander of Hohenlohe, which showed a markedly different attitude in political affairs from that proposed in political affairs from that proposed to hold back the Americans. New

in political affairs from that proposed in his Reichstag address. The committee recognized that the situation rendered Prince Maxmillan's retention in office doubtful. Rumors in Berlin that Prince Maximillian's re-tirement is inevitable also are reported in the National Zeitung. Rotterdam reports to the Telegraph that Prince Maximillian's probable suc-cessor will be Dr. W. S. Solf, the new Foreign Minister, or Philipp Scheide-mann, Secretary of State without port-folio.

a tour of the most active portions of the front seemed to take the attitude in which to strafe the enemy and want-el to make the most of it. Despite the rain which streamed down all day from low-hanging clouds, the American aviation corps again per-formed wonderful work in assisting the infantry. flying constantly at an alli-tude below 600 meters. The aviators efficiently directed battery work, made reconnaissances, kept the infantry in liaison with headquarters and brought in valuable information. The artillery of both sides was active throughout the day, the American sums predominating in intensity of fire. Several positions stubbornly held by the Germans were reduced before the close of day, and countless wire hin-drances were cut or otherwise de-stroyed by shells of all calibers. Tanks were brought into action by the Americans today to break a way through the enemy wire entanglements west of Romagne.

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west of Romagne. The Germans apparently were ready to contest the ground as stubbornly as they did yesterday. The enemy artillery was being used freely to hold the Americans, but the Yankee gunners did much to break down the German resistance.

(By the Associated Press.) WITH THE AMERICAN FORCES NORTHWEST OF VERDUN, Oct. 15.-(12:16 P. M.)--Units of the Second American Army, which began opera-tions October 12 under command of Major-General Robert L. Bullard, to-day repulsed a German raid on their positions. positions.

WITH THE AMERICAN FORCES NORTH OF THE ARGONNE, Oct. 15 ----NORTH OF THE ARGONNE, Oct. 15.-(Reuters.)-Another step beyond the Kriemhilde defenses was taken yester-day by the Americans, when they moved their line up to the SL Georges and Landres-SL Georges, northeast of Ro-magne. It was the third phase of Gen-eral Pershing's operations between the Meuse and the Argonne forest.

## Woods Are Gar-Dreached.

The attack began early on Monday orning, but it was not until late in the day that any material progress was made. Almost the entire day was taken up in a bitter struggle through gas-

filled woods and over the shell-swept tops of hills that separated the Americans from the Germans, entrenched be-hind wire entanglements. To the east of the Meuse the line moved forward to Sivry and Magenta

farm, but just to the west of the River Lille advance was registered. Less ef-fort was made there because the prob-lem was to straighten the line further vest, where it joins that of the French

near Grand Pre. It is at Romagne that the Kriem-hilde positions swing in a northwest-erly direction, and there the forces of General von Gollwitz fought valiantly guards divisions were brought up at that part of the line and every device of the Teutonic fighting machine was used to'smash the pressure.

# Rain Hampers Observation.

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Except for a brief period in the lat-ter part of the day, when the visibility alightly improved, it was a battle without adequate observation for either there would be n allied war efforts.

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 peace efforts. Self-government for the

 German states also was demanded.

 LONDON, via Montreal, Oct. 15.—A

 telegram received here today from Mos-cow confirms reports that the situation in Germany is becoming critical, owing to the magnitude of the American ef-fort, which, it is said, is beginning to be realized in Berlin.
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 Intransigeant says. It is a clear and which covered the high hill south of the way around the sides of this great natural obstacle forming one of the ine. Time and again they were thrown back until late in the day. Then, cov Repty Heid Magnificent. Intransigeant says. It is a clear and magnificent reply, inspired by right, justice and humanity, and would only be weakened by comment. If it closes the door to the present German direc-to the German people."
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British Find Conditions Laid Down Satisfactory.

# SPIRIT OF FRENCH JUBILANT

Canadian Opinion Warmly Commendatory-Real Issue, Elimination of Kaiserism, Is Defined.

(By the Associated Press.)
LONDON, Oct. 15.—President Wilson's preply to Germany is regarded here as the set of the set of

End of War Seen.

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led, that great central fact stands es the stands control fact stands es-tablished, which means a speedy end of the war. On the question of an armistice, the Guardian suggests as security the temporary occupation of Essen, the evacuation of the whole of Alsace-Lorraine and the surrender of the German U-boat fleet,

MANCHESTER, England, Oct. 15. Minston Spencer Churchill, British Minister of Munitions, in a speech here today, says that President Wilson's stern and formidable answer to Germany is whole-heartedly indorsed by all the allied countries.

# Efforts Must Not Relax. The answer, Mr. Churchill declared,

has tended to prolong the conflict, but there would be no relaxation of the

PARIS. Oct. 15 .- President Wilson's

Killing Norbetto Lasaro.

Mexican Is Accused of Stabbing and

of Paris-

jury recommended that the defendant e held for the grand jury. Lasaro was stabbed to death at Fourth and Burnside streets Monday night. Hernandes was arrested and held on a charge of murder by Inspectors Goltz and Howell a few hours later. The detectives say Hernandes confessed that he had done the stab-bing because Lasaro struck him with a Inter.

Lasàro was,18 years old. Hernandes s only 17.



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effective.

The Westminater Gazette gives first place to President Wilson's demand for the destruction of every arbitrary The Manchester Guardian says that Germany has surrendered, and although much remains to be defined and set-

 YANKS RIP UP HUN LINE (Continued From First Page.)
 cred by their own artillery, they were able to gain its summit and to domi-plate the country beyond. Patrols are now well in the Bantheville woods. Ap-proximately 1000 prisoners were sent filading fire from both sides.
 following statement in connection with President Wilson's reply to German peace overtures: The President's answer to the note of the German Chancellor of date Oc-tober 5, acquiesced in as it undoubt-clas de Chartliner, which commands the
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Continued From First Page.) also encountered vast quantities of wire which had not been sufficiently cut by the artillery, and faced an en-filading first from both sides. A big fight ensued for the strategic Cote de Chatillon, which commands the terrain northward and which was at-tacked by the encircling method, the Americans taking the Tuillerics farm to the northeast. unnecessarily long lines of prospective

## Advance In Steady.

buyers at bank windows, or to take the The American advance at this point involved the capture of Le Mansard farm and infiltration through the wire guarding the Sommerance-Landres road. The opposition against the right time of workers which would be de-

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The standing of the divisions in the 12th Federal Reserve Bank district, ac-cording to subscriptions actually in bank, was announced tonight as fol-

hird liberty loan.

Boches Fight Grimiy. Perhaps the most interesting devel-copment of the day was the fact that the Americans and the Germans, too, fought with a flerceness, stubbornness and tenselty utterly belying any belief that their part in peace in a matter of the near future. The Americans are al-most unanimous that the German pro-per co-per alneere or not, the enemy must be se-verely punished. Many witnesses with whom the correspondent talked during

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Department Stores Will Live Up to Ruling of Defense Council. Permits, issued by the State Council

of Defense, authorizing the exchange of hosiery purchased at Portland stores, will have to be secured unless the de-sired exchange is made within the three-day limitation, under an interpre-

tation placed upon the regulations yes-terday by the state council. The ruling was made at a conference between representatives of department stores and Executive Secretary Kollock, of the State Council of Defense. Under it there will be no exchange in any department store after the expiration of the fixed limit, without a special per-mit from the Department of Commercial Economy, 311 Corbett building

## Coleman Named Vice-President.

MONTREAL, Oct. 15 .- D'Alton C. Coleman has been named vice-president in charge of western affairs of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company. It was announced here today.

Read The Oregonian classified ads.

red by their own artillery, they were following statement in connection with east.

tral powers that they would be allowed to escape the righteous consequences of the four years of unjust and bar-barous warfare and of the cynical and inhuman methods by which they have exploited the weakness of those whom have for the moment overpow-

"It also relieves entirely a tensior who may have escaped earlier solicita- which was clearly observable during the short interim lest in some way, by the tedious and uncertain methods of diplomatic discussion, the full results

Hohenzollern Must Go.

"In both respects the world now reathes more freely; the real issue appears in definite clearness; hereafter he great contest goes straightforward until the Kalser and his clique disap-pear as a factor in German national-ity and their wicked and menacing influence is eliminated from the counils of the nations.

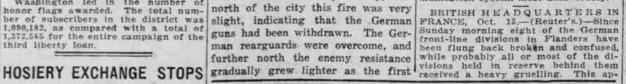
clis of the nations. "Those who know President Wilson best and trusted him most have not been disappointed when reading his candid and conclusive answer."

THOUROUT IS CAPTURED (Continued From First Page.)

and a regular harvest of mortars and machine guns.

Oregon, 97 per cent; Washington, 71 The enemy artillery reacted heavily Oregon, 97 per cent; Washington, 71 per cent; Arizona, 61; Utah, 60; South-ern California, 58; Northern California, 49, and Nevada, 47. Washington led in the number of honor flags awarded. The total num-ber of subscribers in the district was 1,990,182, as compared with a total of 1,372,585 for the entire campaign of the third liberty loan.

HOME PROD-UCT.



Menin of the sacrificos already made by the allics might be delayed or diminished. Belgians Advance Swiftly.

> nearly five miles toward Thourout and captured the villages of Rumbake, Iseghem, Cortemarck and Handzaeme "The French army attacked with the Belgian troops on both flanks and

The British army of General Plumer on the right wing of the allied advance now is only three miles from the immain Roulers road. LONDON, Oct. 14.—The official statement issued tongint relative to

the offensive in Belgium says: perllous, and that at Ghent not much

"The Flanders group of armies under the King of Belgium attacked at limited objectives, but rather a drive 5:35 o'clock this morning. The secand where towns resisted at all strong ond British army advanced about four and a half miles in the direction of parties to finish the work.

Courtrai, capturing the important villages of Ledeghem and Moorselle and SANITARY RESERVE FORMED reaching the northern outskirts of

Senate Gives Increased Authority to

Combat Epidemics.

"The Belgian army advanced also WASHINGTON, Oct. 15 .- Increase authority in combating epidemics wil be granted the Public Health Service

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The French sinity actached with the Belgian troops on both flanks and occupied Roulers as well as the villages of Devren. Hooglede, Gits and St. Joseph. They also captured the pla-teaus of Gits, Hooglede and Gibbete. The prisoners counted exceed 8000. Thirty-three hundred were taken by the Belgians, 2500 by the French and 2200 by the British. The exact number of guns taken is unknown, but six complete basteries with their teams serious loss to the Germans. Although the Belgian railway system is dense enough to provide alternative routes to a certain extent, the alled advance into Roulers on the first day of the offensive is bound to affect the German com-munication system most unfavorably. BRITISH HEADQUARTERSIN FRANCE, Oct. 15.-(Reuter's.)-Since Sunday morning eight of the German front-line divisions in Flanders have heen flung back broken and confused, while probably all or most of the di-visions held in reserve behind them

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original French Baume. It quickly relieves the pain of rheumatism, neuralgia, gout and sciatica, and is good for colds and catarrhal affections of the

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