would meet on Saturday and Sunday

to discuss the terms. The supreme council, it is announced. will extend the time if Austria so re-

In their covering letter the allied and bility of admitting that the people of Austria do not share the responsibility of the government that provoked the war or that they are to escape making reparation to the utmost of their ca-

Pive Days Gives for Answer.

Until the signing of the peace treaty
Austria is considered an enemy state.

Careful consideration it is declared,
has been given to the counter proposals
of the Austrians, and with some modifications which are noted, the text of the treaty as presented today must be con-sidered final. Five days are allowed

for the Austrian answer.

The allied powers have studied the frontiers of the future republic of Austria from an historical, geographical, ethnological economic and political point of view, and with the exception of one point no modification has been made in regard to frontiers.

Slovakia, it is pointed out, they have tried to assure this state a complete system of communications and have therefore departed from the historical frontier of the crown of Hohemis to the communication of the crown of the crown of Hohemis to the crown of Hohemis to the crown of the crown of Hohemis to the crown of sure east and west communities of southern Moravia and in the Gmund re-gion to give Bohemia a junction of the two large railroad lines, supplying this

Czechs to Get Access to Sea.

Provisions are made to insure Austria supplies of coal from Czecho-Slovakia and Poland, in return for supplies of will

obligated to give favored-nation treatment in its commercial relations with the allied and associated powers is reduced by the treaty from five to three

The treaty was presented to the Austrian delegates by Paul Dutasta, gengral secretary of the peace conference. He also handed them the allied reply to the Austrian counter proposals and a covering letter reiterating that Austria had precipitated the war by an ultimatum unacceptable to Serbia.

Allies Promise Assistance.

It was set forth, however, that the allies were willing to assist Austria to adapt herself to her new situation and to admit her in the near future to the league of nations. The treaty was presented in French. English and Italian.

The treaty leaves the future of Austria very largely in the hands of the league of nations. The league, that is, would be able to decide whether Austria shall be permitted to Join Germany, and as France is opposed to such a union, as are Switzerland and many other countries, there would appear to be little chance of Austria's securing permission to terminate her existence as a separate state, should she so de-

sire in the future. Vienna Seems Doomed. Under the terms of the treaty, Vienna with its 2,000,000 inhabitants, seemed doomed to lapse into comparative commercial insignificance, as there is a population of only 4,000,000 within the country outside the city to support the capital, while with Jugo-Slavia, Czecho-Slovakia and Hungary existing as separate powers, Vienna can hardly hope to recover the business formerly drawn from their terri-If the internationalization of capital and must inevitably relapse into a residential city.

Text of Note.

The note transmitting the allied reply to the observations of the Austrian delegation on the conditions of peace, addressed to Karl Renner and signed by M. Clemenceau, as president of the council, follows:

"Draft of the covering letter: The allied and associated powers have given most careful consideration to the observations of the Austrian Austro-Hungarian monarchy, Austria ought not to be treated as an enemy

sponsibilities of the people of Austria, the allied and associated powers feel it necessary to state as briefly as may be the principles which they consider must be applied to the settlement of the late war so far as Austria is concerned. The people of Austria is concerned. ment of the late war so far as Aus-tria is concerned. The people of Aus-tria, together with their neighbors, the in territories ceded to the allied pow-

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"The Austrian delegation appear to think that responsibility for these acts rested solely on the Hapsburg dynasty and its satellites and that by reason of the dissolution of that monarchy through the victory of the allies the people of Austria can escape responsibility for the deeds of the government, which was their own government and which had its home in their capital. "Had the people of Austria in the years preceding endeavored to curb the militarist and domineering spirit by which the government of Hapsburg monarchy was animated; had they made any effective protest against the war, or refused to assist or support their rulers in prosecuting it, some attention might now be paid to this plea. But the fact that the war was acciaimed on its outbreak in Vienna, that the people of Austria were its ardent turnoviers. From start to finish."

"The allied and associated powers endeavored to determine the boundaries of the states formed out of the late Austrian-Hungarian monarchy in such an equitable way as to bring a lasting peace to central Europe. Thus they have drawn for Czecho-Slovakia the historical frontiers of the crown of Bohemia, and, so far as Austria is concerned, they have only departed from this frontier in two minor instances where the economic interests of the new state appeared, and still appear, to outweigh the claims of the Austrian republic.

"In the case of Jugo-Slavia, the althe people of Austria were its ardent supporters from start to finish and they did nothing to disassociate themselves from the policy of their govern-ment and its allies until they had been ment and its allies until they had been defeated in the field, makes it clear, that, according to any canen of justice, they must be held to bear their full measure of responsibility for a crime world.

maintaining the ascendancy of the Ger-man and Magyar peoples over a ma-jority of the inhabitants of the Austro-Hungarian monarchy. This ancient and effete autocracy, with its militarist traditions, was maintained in existence through the vigorous support of the in-habitants of Austria and Hungary be-cause it gave to them a position of

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The allied and associated powers feel bound to point out that the disabilities from which Austria will suffer will arise, not from the provisions of the treaty, of the treaty, which had already undergot ascendancy which its people have pursued in the past. Had the policy of ascendancy which its people have pursued in the past. Had the policy of Austria-Hungary been one of liberty and justice to all its peoples, the upper Danube states might have remained in friendly economic and political unity. As it was, the policy of ascendancy produced one of the crueity and interest and the policy of ascendancy produced one of the crueity and interest and the policy of ascendancy produced one of the crueity and interest and the policy of ascendancy produced one of the crueity and interest and the policy of ascendancy produced one of the crueity and interest and the policy of ascendancy produced one of the crueity and interest and the policy of ascendancy produced one of the crueity and interest and the will be mailtoned in friendly economic and politication of the subject peoples of Austria-Hungary were driven, under the pain of death, to fight against their will in an army which was being used to perpetuate their own service, as well as to compass the destruction of liberty in Europe.

"Many of these peoples protested against the way and for their own are feel bound to point of the treaty, which had already under the treaty, which had already under to June 2, must be accepted to June 2, must be accepted or rejected in the exact terms in which had the policy of austria-Hungary the allied and associated powers require from the Austrian delegation within a period of five days, counting from the days, counting from the days, counting from the days counting the make of the purpose of efficiency, involving the produced to sign this they are prepared to sign this they are prepared to sign this they are produced on self-interest alone; the following statements:

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"Many of these peoples protested against the war, and for their protests suffered confiscation, imprisonment or death. Many more, who were captured or escaped, joined the armies of the allies and played their part in the war of liberation. But they are the wars of liberation. But they are the war of liberation. But they are now, one and all, determined, and rightly determined, to set themselves up as independent states. They will truse Vienna no more. The policy of ascendancy has borne its inevitable fruit in the face of partition and it

is this partition which lies at the root of Austria's troubles today. "Vienna was made the economic and political center of the empire; every-Flume were provided for, as is expected by many quarters, it is pointed out. Austria's shrunken commercial interests would thereby be protected to describe the capital might thrive. The break up Austria's shrunken commercial in-terests would thereby be protected to some extent, but it is generally thought that Vienna is doomed as a great tralized filaments in two can hardly fall to inflict the severest blows upon the state of Austria and its capital. But the dissolution of the monarchy with its consequences, is the direct outcome of that fatal policy of domination for which the people of Austria are

themselves principally to blame. No Wish to Add to Hardships.

The allied and associated powers, however, have no wish to add to the hardships of Austria's position. On the contrary, they are anxious to do to the observations of the Austrian all in their power to assist her people delegation on the draft treaty of peace. The reply of the Austrian delegation new position and to recover their prospherts to the draft treaty on the grounds gerity, provided always that it is not that in view of the dissolution of the

out of the late empire.
"The break-up of the monarchy has given rise to many different problems cial way inheritor of responsibilities in regard to reparations to which the Austro-Hungarian monarchy would undoubtedly be liable, did it still exist.

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"In the case of Jugo-Slavia, the al-

lled and associated powers have, so far as was possible, followed the admitted linguistic boundary. As regards Hun-gary, they have included within Aus-tria certain German speaking districts itherto included within the Hungarian frontier.

"They believe that the frontiers now which has brought such misery on the world.

Minerity in Control.

Arranged are those which will best guarantee the existence of all the peoples concerned, including Austria. without exposing them to anarchy or

sternecine competition.
"As regards Tyrol, the allied and asociated powers have been impressed by the fact that for decades the Italian people have suffered from a menace deliberately directed at their heart by the retention in Austro-Hungarian hands of military outposts commanding the Italian plains. In these circumstances, they have thought it best to sances, they have thought it best to sances, they have thought it best to sances.

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shall be considered as having terminated, and the allied and associated powers will take such steps as they may judge necessary to impose their conditions."

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PRODUCERS PLAN FUTURE CIVIL WAR VETERAN DIES

Circulars were sent out Tuesday to 110 proprietors of stalls in the Yamhil public market apprising them of the plans of the Market Producers' associa-tion, of which Arthur K. Mickey is sec-

An adjourned meeting is to be held Thursday afternoon by the board of control for the purpose of lining up a

Your Daily Bread -and Ours

This is a story of square dealing and what it led to: From May 12, 1918, to October 1, 1918, the wholesale price of bread in Portland was fixed by the Food Controller at 9 cents a loaf. WHILE THE 9-CENT PRICE WAS IN EFFECT THE AVERAGE COST PER BARREL OF FLOUR, AFTER ADDING THE SUBSTITUTES, WAS \$11.50. After the substitutes were discontinued the average price of flour was about \$10.50 a barrel, or slightly more at times. As a result the price on October 1, 1918, was dropped to 81/2 cents wholesale.

Then, in January, the bakers of Portland voluntarily reduced the wholesale price to 8 cents.

Soon after the price of everything increased sharply. On May 1 wages advanced more than 25 per cent; flour swept upward, until today the present average price is \$11.50, the same as it was when the wholesale price of bread was 9 cents. Milk advanced 15 per cent, and shortening about 31 per cent.

As everyone in business knows, the percentage of overhead costs decline as output increases. During the war period the volume did increase tremendously because housewives could not secure sufficient flour and could not make good bread with the substitutes. THIS INCREASED VOLUME MADE BAKING PROFITA-BLE AS A DIRECT RESULT.

As soon as flour was again available the home breadmakers discontinued the use of bakery bread and the output dropped fully 50 per cent in the majority of cases.

Meanwhile material and labor costs advanced sharply. That is why the bakers are losing money. Circumstances beyond their control have forced them into a position where three courses are open: First, to operate as long as they can under heavy losses; second, to cut the quality of their product; third, to equalize their sales price in a way that will make it possible to continue operations and maintain high standards of production.

It is a problem which each individual baker must solve for himself. These are facts which politicians, the profiteers in popularity and the ill-informed have attempted to keep from the public,

Along with them the fact that the wholesale price of bread in the east ranges from 9 to 91/2 cents has not been given to the public.

While the bakers in Portland have conscientiously tried to keep prices at the minimum and have proved it by voluntarily reducing their price when they erroneously believed conditions warranted it, they have been grossly attacked and the facts have been suppressed.

According to compilations made and approved by Julius Barnes of the United States grain corporation bakers are entitled to charge between 91/2 and 93/4 cents a pound for bread wholesale.

Excepting New York and Chicago, where there are strikes on, the price has been advanced from 81/2 to 9 cents east of the Mississippi. At Detroit and Rochester, N. Y., the price is 91/2 cents. It is 9 cents at Boston, Providence, Cleveland and Pittsburg. It is 10 cents at Seattle and Duluth.

With the exception of Seattle the cost of materials is generally less;

and the cost of labor far below the cost in Portland. Under such circumstances, have Portland bakers had a square deal? Master Bakers' Association

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choose those that they think are best suited ments incident to advanced age. He

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