# TERMS ACCEPTED. REPLIES GERMANY

Evacuation of All Occupied Areas Agreed To.

## MIXED COMMISSION ASKED

Chancellor Says He Speaks in Name of Both Government and People. Peace Is Far From Assured.

(Continued From First Page.) Tork tonight and reserved comment on the note, his views cannot be stated now, and none of his official family here in Washington cared to speak for

End of War Not Seen

Without any attempt to discount what appeared to be, at a casual reading, an acceptance of the terms the President has laid down, officials here were very positive as not accepting the German note as a document which means the end of the war. It needs to be examined and fully considered before the views of the American Government can be stated.

Should President Wilson finally decide that there is enough sincerity in Germany's proposition to transmit it to the allies, as the German Chancellor requested, it should be borne in mind that Great Britain, France and the other entente nations must be taken into consideration for decisions then as to whether an armistice should be granted or whether discussions should be undertaken to carry out the details of the application of President Wilson be undertaken to carry out the details of the application of President Wil-son's peace termit.

Publicity Puzzies Capitat.

All efficial Washington was at a complete loss to understand the text of the note becoming public, in this way. Neither the State Department nor the Swiss legation, which is looking after Geaman interests, wad received the reply, and it was very evident that it had been made public, through a faux pass. There was, however, no attempt to dispute its authenticity and the diplomats to whom the dispatch should have been sent could only express regret that the dispatch had been made public.

Early this evening the newspaper correspondents were summoned by telephone to the offices of the diplotelephone to the offices of the diplo-matic mission, where many diplomatic dispatches are received every day. An attache there gave out copies of the dispatch in the regular way, bearing the usual distinguishing marks. It was at once flashed to the country.

Dispatch Sent to Wilson.
The confents of the dispatch were a once communicated to President Wil-son in New York and to Secretary

One of the closing phrases which declares that the present German government has been formed by conferences in agreement with the great majority of the Reichstag, and that the Chancellor "speaks in the name of the German government, which has the support of the majority of the Reichstag, has undertaken responsibility for this step toward peace.

LINE OF ACTION AGREED ON

What has become of the Kaiser, was the question asked on every hand as the question asked on every hand as that phrase was read. The world knows very little of what has been going on in Germany during the last few months, when, with armies steadily beaten at the front, things at home have been going from bad to worse.

It was regarded as not without the realm of possibilities that the great power of the Kaiser which brought on the war has been taken from him.

The official text of the German note had not been received here would be no official comment at least until it arrived.

LONDON, Oct. 12.—Ministers of the Cornements, said the Express, and the Express, have discussed the German peace overtures and agreed upon a line of communicated to the fighting lines until much later.

The British, French and Italian Ministers tonight.

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The American Institute for Criminal French Cabinets confirmed the conclusions.

LONDON, via Montreal, Oct. 12.—

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LONDON GETS BOCHE REPLY

Text of Peace Proposal Is Like One Received in Washington.

LONDON, Oct. 12.—The reply of the German government to President Wilson's note was forwarded to Washington at noon today. The text was made public here this evening.

In brief, Germany accepts the terms laid down by President Wilson for the foundation of a permanent peace of justice. It declares lisely ready to comply with the President's proposals for the evacuation of occupied territory.

It suggests that the President may



## TERMS OF PEACE LAID DOWN BY PRESIDENT WILSON JANUARY 8

Great Issues of War Concisely Stated in Mt. Vernon Speech July 4.

THE programme of world peace laid speech in New York September 27, the down by President Wilson in his President thus defined the great issues message to Congress, January 8, 1918, of the war:

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The one point which appeared to loom up in the text of the unofficial copy is whether Chancellor Maximilian and prepresent the German people as the reply declares they do.

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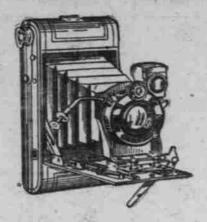
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Eighty-three women are working in the Philadelphia rapid transit repair

Other pastors of the city, unable to wait until the day when the ban will be lifzed, gave out short messages to their people last evening to serve instead of sermons from the pulpits this

"Most gladly do the people of the Wilbur church comply with the request from governing bodies that shall mean

Wilbur church comply with the request from governing bodies that shall mean protection of health or the successful culmination of the great war," said Dr. Francis Burgette Short, pastor of Wilbur Methodist Church.

Rev. Joshua Stansfield, pastor of the Flirst Methodist Church. took a less enthusiastic view of the Kaiser's reply: "White in the interest of the public health and safety we are deprived this day of the privilege of public worship let us think of this not so much as a deprivation but rather as a glad and willing war-time, sacrifice and services Let there be on this holy day devotions, prayers and religious ministrations, in every heart and home. Remember our boys on sea and land, in cantonments and in the trenches. Pray for our nation and allies and the human freedom for which they fight. Rejoice for the victories of our armies. Be not misled by cries of peace where there is no peace by those who would heal the hurts of my people slightly. Strengthen the mornle and purpose of this Américan Nation and people for a peace anly in righteousness and the complete demolition of the Prussian programme. Let the day be also a real day of rest in a complete recess and change from the orderly work of life by wholesome outings, recreations and diversions. Let the day be spent in a way worthy of a free and Godly people."

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