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ULTA UNITESA CONTRO LE MANOVRE TEDESCHE

Itriand Mette in Guardia la Naione Francese-La Germania Mira a Creare Dissensi

GLI ALLEATI VINCERANNO

Le Germania Non Ha Ottenuto Successi Decisivi in Alcun Punto della Fronta di Battaglia

ROMA, 14 Dicembre.

ROMA, 14 Dicembre. Dutin la stampa italiana continua ad mparini dalla propetas di pace fatta dalla tranula. L'opinione unanime e' che le mative distoiano essere senz'altro re-nite come tendenti a dimostrare al mondo dirale ed al popolo tedesco che la re-matilitta' per la contriuazione della tra cado tutta sul blocco della Quadru-e Intess.

blice intesea.
Tellegrammi da Parigi dicense che leri polici nitesea.
Tellegrammi da Parigi dicense che leri polici Camera dei Deputati francese il pre-miente del Consiglio Briand, il quale ha quarta nominando Joffre comandante in muyo della forse francesi ed il generale Nivelle comandante delle armate dei nord e dell'est ciso, delle forse combattenti con-tru la Germania, ha ottenuto una immensa magrieranza, raccogliendo Sià voli contro tella fi presidente del Consiglio ha fatto alla Camera queste di chiarazioni a prop-uito delle proposte tedesche:
"Hento il dovere di mettere in guardia il presidente conto con guardia.

"Hento II dovere di mettere in guardia D Fasse contro ogni possibile tentativo di atvatimamento. Quando una masione si forma fino ai denti, quando sequestra dap-pertutto uomini in vioisalone delle leggi dalle nazioni ed impone loro di lavorare, le mi sentirei colpevole se non gridassi forte si mio passe: Attenti, state in guardia! "Prima di tutto ho il diritto di dire ai nusiti nemici per la centesima volta: Il ungue sporce le vostre mani, non le nostre. Non che lo dubiti della chiara visione che il mie passe deve avere: ma di fronte a questi tentativi di seminare dissenai tra gli aliati, le devo gridare forte che la Re-pubblica Francese non fara' nulla di meno di quello che si e obbligata a fare con le convenzioni firmate.

al quello che al e obbligata a fare con le convenzioni firmate. Io non sono stato mai accessi vamente ettimista; ma oggi piu' che mai noi dob-biamo avero la convinzione che la vittoria sara' nostra. In messun punto i successi dai tedeschi sono stati decisivi. E' vero che la valorena Rumania e' stata costretta concre ma il suo eservico annogriato a cedere, ma il suo esercito, appoggiato dalle forze russe, ritornera' alla riscossa. Per quanto riguarda l'Oriente, la quistione a ben ioniana dall'essere risolta e domani vi esza' una nuova fronte che neutralizzera' le forze nemiche.

La stampa francese naturalmente deride

La stampa francese naturalmente deride le proposte tedesche e ritiene che esse minno s qualche cosa di ben diverso della pace. Mirano a creare effetto nel passi neutrali. Sopra tutto is proposte non offereno sicuna base per la discussione. L'istessa opinione e' espressa dai glor-nali ingtesi. Tutta l'opinione pubblica in dran Bretagna e' contro l'accettazione delle proposte tedesche e per la continua-tione deila guerra fino al conseguimento data vittoria. I glornali inglesi dicono che gli alleati debbono respingere qualsiasi idea di mediazione.

Intanto in Grecia sono avvenuti av-venimenti che fanno prevedere misure di rigure ed immediate da parte delle forze



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alleafa doubtatt graci in numero di elrea 7000 hanno attanzato le fores francesi obno cocupazano Esterina e le hanno re-spinta da quella dittadina. La notizia viene da fieritzo, na sembra essere confermata da sitre fonti.

da altra fonti. Il ministero austriaco, formatosi dopo l'assassibile del conte Sturgkh, presiduto dal dr. Koerber, si e' dimesso. Non si saimo la ragioni che hanno determinato questa crisi, ma non e' improbabile che si tratti anche questa voita della quistione della con-vocazione del Reicherath che il governo, come quello di Sturgich si ostina ancora a rifiutara, monostante le pressioni che ven-gono da ogni parte. rono da ogni parte.

Senator Vare Defends **Governor From Attack**

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tion today. He dectared that the Gover-nor whipped Penrose followers into line in support of the measures, and forced their passage in the face of the Penross opposi-

Grundy, said Senator Vare, led the forces opposed to the compensation, child labor and similar measures last session, and is now asserting throughout the State that the Governor contemplates legislation aimed at the manufacturers of Pennsylvania. The antd :

manufacturers' association head is doing this, said Senator Vare, for the purpose of raising funds to conduct a fight against Brumbaugh at Harrisburg this winter.

"The break at the very start between the Governor and Penrose was caused by Pen-rose's withdrawal of support of Ambler for Speaker two years ago, after agreeing to give Ambler his support," mid Senator Vare.

"The Governor then had to take the

held the Philadelphia caucus two years ago. Penrose was busy all that day trying to stop a majority from attending that caucus and supporting Ambler. In which purpose he failed. After that failure it was easy sailing for Ambler. "So far as the humanitarian legislation is concerned, the Governor forced through legislation like the workmen's compensation and child-labor laws to my personal knowl-edge. While some Persona personal knowl-

edge. While some Penrose people voted for those and other similar bills, they were bsolutely forced to do so by the Governor

"The hitterest kind of apposition was pot by from the day the last essention opened will it similed by Pencoss's funds. County leader, Joseph R. Grunby, and his asso-ciates. They never loft Harrisburg while the Legislature was in sension, from be-ginning to end.

"The same influences that tried to stop these laws have been circulating all over the State and trying to frighten the manu-facturing interests by telling them that the Governor is going to hamper their business at the next session of the Legislature by other laws other laws.

"These reports have absolutely no foun-dation in fact. I personally know that the Governor has nothing of the sort in mind. "The latter scars is for the purpose of squeezing out of the manufacturing inter-stats money for a supposed legislative pro-gram at Harrisburg next year."

The McNichol charges were made in a speech hefore the newly organized Over-brook Republican Association, 1541 North Sixtisth street. The association will be used as a McNichol ward committee in the Thirty-fourth Ward next year. McNichol attacked both the Governor and the

Mayor. Mayor Smith today declined to answer

When the election was over it looked When the election was over it hooked like sumshine and as pretity as a bed of red fused; but what has resulted? As con-fused a condition as I remember in my pointcal career. And the only cause is that some people are jealous of Senator Penrose, a man giving the best of his big

stain to the Commonwealth without the thought of a dollar's compensation." Concerning the Governor, his remarks

"The schoolmaster, in professing a desire

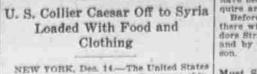


to he Governor, was just as gental and socialite as any man could be. Its pro-reserve, and he professed, behind closed doors, that without the sanction and ap-proval of Penross he had no aspiration to

be Governor. "He was elected with the hearty sup-port of Penrose, but he had not been in pussession of his certificate of election twenty-four hours before he began set-ting up for binself. A man may do as he likes, but I protest that loyal Republi-cans of long standing should not be de-prived of their livelihood just because they are not willing to subscribe to and follow such as Brumbaugh." ba Governo

Other attacks were made on the Smith administration by Frank Gaven, former city committeeman, and Thomas G. Morris, ex-Magintzite and former McNichol leader in the Twenty-ninth Ward.

Indictments Hint at Shore Probe ATLANTIC CITY, Dec. 14 -Considerable ATLANTIC CITY, Dec. 14.—Conmiderable perturbation exists here today over the fact that a large batch of indictments re-turned at Mays Landing by the Grand Jury immediately have been impounded by Judge Shinn. The jury is said to have been investigating alleged offenses at the November election.



RELIEF TO MILLIONS

collier Cassar, sailing as a Christmas ship, will leave New York this afternoon for Beirut, Syria. The ship is loaded to the hatches with the most necessary articles of food and clothing. There is condensed milk for children, rice, lima beans, wheat, flour, petroleum, cottonseed oil, sugar and large quantities of warm plothing.

large quantities of warm plotning. Preceding the ship the American commit-ree for Armenian and Syrian relief cabled \$410,000 to Tiffis, Tabiz, Beirut, Jerusaiem and other cities where the need is groat. It was impossible to await arrival of the white according to members of the commit-tee. The Caesar's cargo is valued at \$250,000.

Estimates by the committee place the summer of persons in need of food and clothing in Sprin at 1,000,000. Another



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million digrians and Nestorian Christian are dependent upon charity. The committee declares that to mave these persons from starvation, through the winter at least, 5,000,000 is meeded. To repatriate the thousands of Armenians and Syrians who have been driven from their homes will re-quire another million, it is said. Before the Christinas ship isaves its pler there will be speeches by former Ambassa-

there will be speeches by former Ambassa-dors Straus and Morgenthau, Maror Mitchel and by a representative of President Wil-

Must Stamp Baseballs on Importation WABILINGTON, Dec. 14.—Imported baseballs for use on American diamonds hereafter must a stamped with this name of the country in which they were manufactured. The Treasury Denatiment has ruled that teamping the name of the originating country on cartons in which he balls are packed is insufficient to meet the cupiercents of the law.



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