## **I RUSSI CONQUISTANO** criticism. LA PIAZZA DI HALICZ

Le Armate Austriache, in Fuga Verso Ovest, Sono Inseguite dalla Cavalleria di Korniloff

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Le Forze Italiane Distruggono Riparti Attacco Austriaci nella Zona del Vodice

ROMA, 11 Luglio

Mentre nulla ancora e' stato annunciato Mentre nulla sneora e' stato annunciato dal Ministero della Guerra italiano circa cio che si ritgneva dovesse essere l'inizio della ripresa offensiva del generale Cadorna, ettime notizie continuano a giungere da petrograd circa l'offensiva dei russi nella l'Agenzia Reuter di Londra dice che le armate del generale Kornitoff hanno con-guistato la piazza forte di Halicz, la chiave di Leopoli, la cui posizione e' divenuta per-ser vulnerabile.

ele' vulnerabile. Netizie precedenti dicevano che le armate rume, continuando ad attaccare violente-mente le linee nemiche, avevano stondato la fronte teutonica per una estensione di erca venti miglia tra Halloz e la catena del Carpati, e la cavalleria russa al era spinta innanzi all'inseguimento delle di-visioni austriache che si ritiravano pre-presemente. Gli austriaci si sono ritirati epitosamento. Gli austriaci si sono ritirati ad ovest del fiume Lomica, ad ovest di Halica dovo si crede che saranno presto attaccate di nuovo dalle forze russe. Si erede che il comando austriaco non potra centrare in tempo forze sufficienti per edire al russi il passaggio dei fiume e la loro marcia verso Dolina, che e' a circa 15 miglia da Stanialau

Petrograd si ritiene che li success Bettava armata russa operante a sud di Halica ha avuto per risultato quello di separare l'armata tedesca del generale von Bothmer dalla terza armata austriaca del penerale Kirbach. Questo fatto rese neces-safa fevacuazione di Halicz da parte delle forze feutoniche che la orcupavano e la difendevano, essendo case rimaste con la loro ala destra scoperta ed esposta agli attacchi

del russi. Dal 2 luglio, quando l'offensiva russa sobe inizio, il generale Korniloff, che sanda il gruppo di armate operanti in Galizia, ha fatto oltre 15,000 prigionieri ed ha caturato 55 cannoni. Queste cifre non comprendono pero' il bottino di guerra ed i prigionieri fatti nella conquista di Hallez. tanto da Berlino annunciano che si o avuta maggiore attivita' sulla parte setter trionale della fronte russa, tra Riga Inch

SULLA FRONTE ITALIANA

Ieri sera il Ministero della Guerra italiano comunicava il seguente rapporto del gene-rale Cadorna circa la situazione alla fronte -austriaca :

Dopo un intenso bombardamento ieri sera il menico, avvantaggiandosi di un violento uragano, attacco' le nostre posi-mioni sul Monte Vodice. I suoi reparti di attacco vennero distrutti dal nostro to fuoco che dmpedi' al rincalzi di avanzare in appoggio dei primi re

Nella stessa maniera noi abbiamo frustrato altri piccoli attacchi dei nemico contro is nostre posizioni nell'alta valle del Cordevole e sul Piccolo Lagazuol.

L'artigileria e' stata ieri piu' attiva del molto sulle fronti del Trentino e della Carnia, mentre si e' manter sta di una attivita' normale sulla fronte Giulia.

L'attivita' del reparti in ricognizione ha portato a parecchi scontri pluttosto violenti. Un reparto nemico che aveva tentate ancora di avvicinarsi alle nostre posizioni dei Vodice fu prontamente

#### LA MISSIONE ITALIANA

WASHINGTON, 11 Luglio,-L'Ambasciata italiana ha annunciato che la missione itafiana e' giunta felicemente in Francia. I membri della missione, con alla testa i principe di Udine, mancante soltanto i senatore Marconi, parti' da un porto ameri cano il 30 giugno u. s., segretamente, quando tutti credevano che si trovasse ancora in America e quando si era annunciato che alcuni dei commissarii avrebbero intrapreso vlaggi al centri industriali della Penn-

nia a del West. Il fatto e' che la notizia della partenza era stala tenuta segretissima da tutti. Perfino la guardia militare che era stata messa davanti alla residenza di Joseph

eriticism. All parties seem to be satisfied that Hindenburg has the west front well in hand, and the Russian offensive is ex-pected to wear itself out. There is a disposition, on the other hand, to demand more satisfactory results from the submarines or abandon the warfare which has alienated neutrals. If the sub-marities can win for Germany all will accept the warfare. But promises of Eng-hand being brought to her knees" with the date for such capitulation constantly ndvanced, have apparently ceased to be convincing.

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nvincing. Whether Hollweg's retention of his post

Whether Hollwog's retention of his post would be at the price of the resignations of at least two and possibly three of his Ministers or without any sacrifice seemed to depend on the pressure which the Kaiser will be able to exert on the political re-calcurants in the Reichatag. Disputches showed no diminution in the stress created last week by the attack of the Cantrist leader. Marthias Erzberger, on Hollweg and the joint demand of the Cen-trist and Socialist leaders for internal re-forms. It was indicated, howver, that many of the Centrist party members were wavering in their opposition to Hollwey because of the Kalser's backing, and would probabily be pacified into support of the because of the Kalser's backing and would probably be pacified into support of the ministry—if certain concessions were made. Foremost among these concessions, it was reported, was decision of the Ger-man Government to reform the Prussian electoral system. Other sacrifices to hold Hollweg in his place were understood to be the resignations of Foreign Secretary Alfred Zimmermann, Vice Chancellor Cart Heifferich and possibly also Admiral von Capelle, Minister of Marine. A number of Prussian State officials werg also scheduled to go BADICAL SUPPORT

RADICAL SUPPORT Chancellor Hollweg's firm declination to subscribe to the doctrine of a peace without annexations has gained for him the fre-mendomic powerful support of the junkers, including the all-powerful Krupp business interests. Heretofore the Chancellor has not had their certics support the summer because the interesta. Heretofore the Chancellor has not had their entire support because the junkers recalled it was Hollweg who opposed the unlimited submirine program-and who was understord to have stood out to the last against antagonizing America.

At the same time Hollwer, because of the Iberalism which he exhibited on theme two occasions and on others, is commanding considerable symbathy from the radical German elements. One of the main reasons for the prediction in German dispatches to-day that he would survive the unhartal was that the liberal element in Germany, while realizing Hollward fundamental and while realizing Hollweg's fundamental atti tude of reaction, nevertheless preferred to "take a chance" with him in control rather than have him succeeded possibly by some

other intensely projunker, anti-reform chan cellor. Several German newspapers are quoted as stating that Chancellor Hollwes had pledged the Reichstag that Zimmermann and Heifferich would step down from their posts

#### GERMAN ROW NO BOON TO U. S., OFFICIALS WARN

WASHINGTON, July 11

Official warning was given here today that the American public must not regard the German situation offering any great ie at the present time

Press reports and official information show that there is virtually no criticism of Germany's military effort. And, officials venty-two years old, who is alleged to ave done the shooting. Frederick, who was the only eye-witness Germany a minutry enort, and, officials say, Germany can sacribe Zimmermann, Helfferich and even Bethmann-Hollweg, without swaying the actual conduct of the war, so long as there is no complaint against the war lords, Hindenburg and the shooting, maintains a sullen atti-

Authorities here said the situation was e strictly of internal politics which for the moment does not project any real up-heaval. They do believe, however, that the leaven of democracy is working in Ger-many and that sooner or later there will be popular uprising against Hohenzoliernis

Ludendorf.

ARGUMENT OVER WAR LEADS TO SHOOTING

ude and pleads ignorance as to the cause of the shooting. The three men were em-ployed at the Extra Dry Cafe, and Myre-mick and Kramer roomed together at 412 Robinson avenue. All three came here a few weeks ago from Philadelphia. Myremick is described as five feet two inches in height, and of ...ght complexion. Russians Split Foe, Press Upon Lemberg

cal condition, with a built in his thr and another embedded in the muscles

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ATLANTIC CITY, July 11 .- An argument over the right of the United States to war upon Germany is said to have been the terrain is flat and sandy. The River Yser's



KEY TO LEMBERG CAPTURED BY SLAVS

above map shows where Kornilog's armies have achieved their The above map shows where Kornilog's armies have achieved their latest important victory, capturing the stronghold of Halicz, which is considered as the strategic key to Lemberg. The Russians have again, as they did last year, outflanked the enemy, cutting a gap in their lines and separating two armies, just south of Halicz. Once Von Bethmer's right flank guarding Halicz lost its contact with the third Austrian army and became exposed to attacks by the Russians, the German general could no longer hold out in defending the important town, the loss of which uncovers Lemberg.

cause of the shooting of Richard Sramer. mouth empties into the ocean between Westouth Carolina avenue, conducted by Samuel nde and Broeders-Duyner

PARIS, July 11 -- Repulse of German Kramer is in the City Hospital in a critiaids around Sapignul. In the Champagne, was reported in today's official statement, a number of prisoners were taken. On the left bank of the Meuse artillery the back of the neck. Detectives are mearching for John M. Myremick, a Pole are fighting was active. In the Woevre, north f Flirey, the Germans were thrown back sharp fighting.

#### FRENCH REGAIN ENTIRE CHEMIN-DES-DAMES

By HENRY WOOD WITH THE FRENCH ARMIES IN THE

FIELD, July 11.

Germany has organized a new branch of fighting forces..."stosstruppen." Liter-ally "storm troops." The enemy tried out the new war idea first along the Chemin des Pames. He gained ground, temporarily, Today, however, the French had completely ejected all Germans from the positions they took and once again held complete domination along this front. The Germans used ten or twelve fresh

battallons (from 10,000 to 12,000 men) n the new tactles. The "stosstruppen" are especially picked. They often attack are especially picked. They often attack in their shirtsleaves and are armed prin-cipally with grenades. The moment they capture a position the "stosstruppen" are relieved by regular but less combative troops, who bring with them trench mor-tars, munitions, machine guns, barbed wire and everything necessary to hold and or-capize the captured nositions. Just as soon ganize the captured positions. Just as soon as these troops arrive the "stosstruppen" return to the rear. There they are re-warded by long variations and other spe-

concessions The "stosstruppen" generally attack without artillery preparation, giving them the advantage of surprise.

Sunday morning's attack, when the Ger-mans retook the Fantheon-Froidmont por-tion of the Chemin des Dames, was typical of this nort of attack. The Germans launched it at 3.26 a m., without the slight-est artiflers est artillery preparation. The "stosstrup-pen" leaped from their trenches with the first cannon shot. Meantime, German airfirst cannon shot. Meantime, German ar-platics, flying very low, rattled machine-gun fire on the French lines. Right be-hind the "stoistruppen" came the German "occupation" troops laden heavily with ma-terial necessary to establish and maintain the foolhold on the French position. Although the French uncereded imme-

the foothold on the French position. Although the French succeeded imme-diately in hot hand-to-hand fighting in electing most of the Germans, a portion of the captured trenches was not retaken until Sunday hight's attack. Then the French took 1500 yards of trenches, freeing the whole of the Chemin-des-Dames from the Germans. Throughout these demon-strations the Germans were forced to ahandon material which they had brought up.

At headquarters today the greatest anger was apparent at the tactics adopted by many of Germany's nineteen-year-old sol-diers in the fighting early this week. Wideoffers in the offering carly this were. Wide-spread reports were received of these youths who would come into the open, hands aloft and yell "konserad" in token of surrender. Then, when French troops approached close, the youths would begin throwing greandes which they had con-

Three weeks of incessant and costly at-tacks all the way from Craonne to Laffaux, constituting the Crown Prince's supreme effort to take the Chemin-des-Dames, have me to naught. Today the French retain integrally all

ortions of the Chemin-des-Dames cap-ired both during and since the battle of

e Aisne. A continuous battle is still raging in this whole sector, day and night. The Germans increasantly renew their attacks. In a great many instances the French repel these with hand grenades alone. Mud is

everywhere, often waist deep. During their three weeks of attack on the Chemin-des-Dames the Germans have not succeeded in planting a single machinegun on the highway.

#### CIVIL SERVICE CUTS RED TAPE

The urgent need of men for many Government jobs which are now open has caused the Civil Service authorities to do away with much of the red tape of filing the applications for positions on certain dates, therefore a notice to this effect is printed on all announcements.

Between one hundred and two hundred vacancies have to be filled by male ac-countants in the Finance Division of the Ordnance Bureau of War Department. These positions pay from \$1200 to \$2700 year

a year. The examinations for these positions will be held in the Post Office Building. Ninth and Market streets, on specified dates which will be announced by mail to the men wishing to take the examinations.

## **BOARD OF VIEW FIXES** AWARDS ON PARK SITES Report on Thousands' Worth of

Property Made to Court

In a report filed today in Common Pleas ourt No. 5 by the board of view composed of Francis S. Cautrell, Jr., Robert B. Scott and J. Parker Norris, Jr., damages are awarded property owners whose land was taken for the enlargement of Fairmount Park. The land taken is in the Twenty-first Ward, bounded on the north by Wal-nut lane, on the east by Park Line drive and on the southwest by Fairmount Park. The individual awards are as follows: Basi Festate Tener Constitution Real Estate Trust Company, trustee, No other claims for damages were made.

\$800; Susan R. Scott and Common Title Insurance and Trust Company, tru tees, \$1525; Prolvdence General Hosp \$\$0,000; Mary K. Bender and Bernard h McConnell, \$2265; M. Theodora Burt and Edith Burt, executrices, 1641; George G. Bowker and John F. Bowker, \$1100; a. Cooke Ingraham, Sarah J. Taylor, Charles H. Ingraham, Arthur J. Ingraham, Edward M. Cleare, Arthur I. Cleare and Eliza E. Heim, \$2800; Charles H. Mercer, executor, \$3500

13200. The board of view composed of Charles W. Boger, Alfred Gratz and Robert B. Scott filed a report in Court No. 2 in which they award damages in the matter of the condemnation for police and fire purposes of a lot on Twenty-fourth street, from Wolf to Ritner street. The ground in que-Wolf to Ritner street. The ground in the tion, which is 400 feet by 112 feet 6 inches, was owned by Burton C. Simon, who is awarded \$25,000 for the plot. The award awarded \$25,000 for the plot. The award bears interest from February 23, 1917, when the condemnation proceedings were taken.



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Leiter, dove la missione alloggiava, c' stata mantenuta fino a che non si ebbe notizia che la missione era sbarcata in Francia. In questi ultimi giorni centinaia di lattere

telegrammi indirizzati ai membri della Missione sono giunti all'Ambasciata italiana. Il senatore Marconi rimarra' in New York Encora per parecchie settimane.

Si e appreso al Dipartimento di Stato che l'ambasciatore degli Stati Uniti a Roma, Thomas Nelson Page, ha ricevuto truzioni di accertarsi se il governo italiane Intende, dal momento che gli Stati Uniti Mono intervenuti nella guerra ed hanno Ghiamato alle armi cittadini naturalizzati naturalizzandi, di cessare di richiamare In mervizio militare in Italia quegli italiani che muna divenuti cittadini americani o che hanno dichiarato l'intenzione di divenirfo.

## Liberals' Help Gone, Hollweg Gives Sop

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uled for today has been postponed "on ac-count of party differences," according to word received from Berlin. Imperial Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg was reported conferring with leaders of all factions. One dispatch carried the report that all the Prussian State Ministers had resigned their posts.

### LIBERALS SEEK REFORM IN INTERNAL AFFAIRS

COPENHAGEN, July 11. The political situation in Germany threatens to take on a revolutionary trend. if re-The German censorship has been tight-the distribution of the second second second second the distribution of the second second second second the second second second second second second faces second second second second second second second faces second secon

faces serious uphenvals. Leaders of the Liberal factions in Ger-many are threatening trouble unless they succeed in their parliamentary aims, and this has led to open talk of revolution in the Danish press

the Danish press. Tacidentally, the fact that the Kaiser and Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg are now that neares with is political league show that peace with anexations and indemnities for Germany would be a "Kaiser's peace." The Em-peror has been won over to the most radical demands of the Pan-Germans, cyl-

radical demands of the Pan-Germans, evi-dently, if he was not always in sympathy with their ampirations. A big faction of the Liberal element wants not only immediate political reforms within the empire, but a speedy peace. They walks that peace will be far distant if the Government comes out decisively with the pronuncement that it will make peace only on terms of indemnities and annexations.

#### HOLLWEG STILL STRONG

Reports received here today lead to the lief that while Chancellor von Bethmannlives will weather the storm, radical inges in the Cabinet may be expected him the next twenty-four or forty-eight ra

That Hollweg has the backing of the Lass is certain. It is believed, however, that it will be necessary for the Chancellor o sacrifice some of the men he has spon-field in the past to maintain even half-

d in the past to maintain even half-ted support from the Centrist-Majority-alists coalition. This dispatches from Germany are vily tensored, it is cortain that the many are playing a big part. To date has been nothing to inducate that the

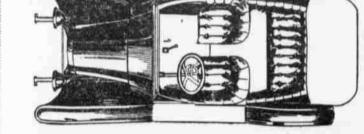


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