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**HUN RETREAT BECOMES ROUT**

Austrian Losses Are Appalling in Killed, Captured and War Booty, Says Gen. Diaz

**40,000 PRISONERS TAKEN**

Enemy Corpses Cover the Ground of Battle on Piave River Front Showing Terrible Punishment Sustained in Enforced Retreat.

Washington, D. C.—Austrian losses in the retreat across the Piave included an appalling number of troops killed, more than 40,000 made prisoner and an enormous amount of war booty, said a report from General Diaz, the Italian commander, cabled from Rome to the Italian embassy.

Rome.—Premier Orlando publicly announced from the bandstand in the center of a garden party, given by the British embassy for disabled soldiers, that the Italian army had been victorious on the Piave.

News of the victory has spread throughout Italy. Everywhere there have been demonstrations and rejoicing.

Extremely heavy losses in men and material have been suffered by the Austro-Hungarians in the defeat which the Italians have administered to them on the Piave front, the war office announced. The enemy has been driven from the entire west bank of the Piave, except at one point, and was able to cross the river only under the deadly fire of the Italian artillery.

The number of prisoners actually counted exceeded 40,000.

The Austrian dead cover the ground of the battle in extraordinary numbers. With the American Forces on the Marne—American troops on the Marne front captured the northwestern part of Belleau wood. The Americans cleared this strategic position of all Germans, captured some prisoners and took five machine guns.

The Americans now are in complete possession of the woods. The attack was begun with a heavy barrage, after which the Americans went over almost immediately and smoked over the Germans, whose positions were regarded as almost impregnable. The operation lasted only half an hour.

**Blizzard Along Southern Coast.**

Buenos Aires.—A snowstorm that began Saturday developed into a terrific blizzard throughout Southern South America doing great damage on land and spreading havoc among the shipping along the southern coast. Nothing afloat has yet been able to enter or leave Montevideo Harbor. An American merchantman anchored here was forced to signal for assistance to prevent her being torn from her moorings. Wireless calls were received from several large ships at sea.

**Amundsen Ready to Start.**

Copenhagen.—A report says that Roald Amundsen is ready to start for the North Pole from Christiania. The expedition has provisions for five years.

**Wants Pacific Monroe Doctrine.**

London.—William M. Hughes, the Australian premier, upon the conclusion of the imperial conference in London, will go to the United States to place before President Wilson a full and frank statement of Australia's policy regarding a Monroe Doctrine for the Pacific. Premier Hughes will explain that the position of Australia is one such as is essential to its territorial integrity and that it should control the islands of the Southern and Western Pacific or that they should be in the hands of "friendly civilized nations."

**No Police Court in Two Days.**

Wheeling, W. Va.—No police court in two consecutive days is what the war department closing order of the famous red light district here has done for the city.

**Prelate Against Prohibition.**

Milwaukee.—In a letter sent to all the pastors in the Milwaukee Roman Catholic archdiocese, and made public here, Archbishop S. G. Messersmith forbids priests under his jurisdiction assisting in prohibition movements, and denies to prohibitionists use of church property for holding meetings.

**10,000 Sailors Vote to Strike.**

Chicago.—Ten thousand lake seamen, on nearly 400 vessels, were reported to have voted in all ports on the Great Lakes, to strike July 29, unless the employers, members of the Lake Carriers' Association, agree to the abolition of discharge books. The sailors of the Lake Seamen's Union also will ask increased wages.

**Bolshevik Official Killed.**

Moscow.—Voldarsky, commissioner for press affairs, and a prominent Bolshevik, was shot dead in a street of Petrograd.

**Two Airmen Killed in Fall.**

Miami, Fla.—Lieut. Duncan C. Cameron of Pittsburgh, Pa., and Sergt Ernest L. Ahlstrand of Chicago, both members of the Marine Corps, Aviation Section, were instantly killed at Curtis Field, near here, when an airplane in which they were making a practice flight fell about 900 feet.

**TOO WEAK TO FIGHT**

The "Come-back" man was really never down-and-out. His weakened condition because of overwork, lack of exercise, improper eating and living demands stimulation to satisfy the cry for a health-giving appetite and the refreshing sleep essential to strength. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules, the National Remedy of Holland, will do the work. They are wonderful. Three of these capsules each day will put a man on his feet before he knows it; whether his trouble comes from uric acid poisoning, the kidneys, gravel or stones in the bladder, stomach derangement or other ailments that befall the over-zealous American. The best known, most reliable remedy for these troubles is GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. This remedy has stood the test for more than 200 years since its discovery in the ancient laboratories in Holland. It acts directly and gives relief at once. Don't wait until you are entirely down-and-out, but take them today. Your druggist will gladly refund your money if they do not help you. Ask for GOLD MEDAL on every box, three sizes. They are the pure, original, imported Haarlem Oil Capsules.—Adv.

**First Fiction Known.**

The oldest work of fiction extant is thought to be the "Tale of Two Brothers," written 3,200 years ago by the Theban scribe Echna, librarian of the palace of King Menepthah, the supposed Pharaoh of the Exodus. The tale, it appears, was written for the entertainment of the crown prince, who subsequently reigned as Seti II. His name appears in two places in the manuscript, probably the only surviving autograph signature of an Egyptian king. This piece of antique fiction, written on nineteen sheets of papyrus in a bold hieratic hand, was purchased in Italy by Mme. d'Orbigny, who sold it in 1857 to the authorities of the British museum, where it is now known as the D'Orbigny papyrus.

**MAKING MEN FIT FOR THE SERVICE OF UNCLE SAM**

The kind of men Uncle Sam must depend upon for the winning of this war are oftentimes subject to piles, Blind, bleeding, internal, external and chronic are the various forms. Strains, overwork, constant sitting or standing are the causes.

You can be your own physician and cure this malady quickly and effectively by the use of Eagle Pile Remedy. Being an internal treatment it is entirely different and certainly most practical. Eat the tablets like candy.

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**Cutting Olive Trees Forbidden.**

The felling of olive trees is forbidden by a decree published at Rome, which prohibits also the cutting of the principal branches of such trees except when pruning. It is provided that the regulations may be extended to mulberry trees and fruit trees by ministerial decree. The present decree is effective from the day of its publication until the end of the agricultural year following that in which peace is established.

**Cuticura for Sore Hands.**

Soak hands on retiring in the hot suds of Cuticura Soap, dry and rub in Cuticura Ointment. Remove surplus ointment with soft tissue paper. For free samples address, "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." At druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 65.—Adv.

**Couldn't Be Worse.**

The Elector—No, sir; I'll vote for 'other fellow!  
The Candidate—But you've never seen him.  
The Elector—No; but I've seen thee!  
—London Tit-Bits.

**There's nobody so busy as the man who doesn't want to do something else.**

**Libby's Such Flavory Sliced Beef!**

THE tenderness of Libby's Sliced Dried Beef, will delight you—but you will find the greatest difference in the flavor!

Have Libby's Sliced Beef with creamed sauce today. See how much more tender, more delicate it is than any other you have ever tried.



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**Alfalfa in New Zealand.**

The raising of lucerne or alfalfa in New Zealand is receiving much attention of late, and the different varieties are being tested, with the result that there was cut during 1917 three crops of Turkestan lucerne with a total of 6.1-5 long tons per acre of the green lucerne, weighing shortly after cutting 11½ tons of Peruvian per acre, 12¼ tons of Polton, 11½ tons of Russian, 12 tons of Spanish, 12 1-3 tons of Hungarian, 14 tons of Patagonian, and 14¼ tons of Marlborough lucerne. It is estimated that the Patagonian and Marlborough lucerne, when converted into hay, would give an approximate yield of 3½ tons each, which at \$19.46 per ton gives a total value of \$68.13 per acre.

**The Shoe Ma Used.**

A lady saw a little boy go into a shoemaker's shop with a small parcel. She asked him what was in it. His reply was: "Oh, it's just mamma's shoe, which has a nail sticking out of the bottom of the sole, so I've come to have it taken out."  
"You are a good little boy to have so much thought for your mother," remarked the lady.  
"Oh, it is not so much for that, madam," was his reply, "but this is the shoe ma spansks me with."—Pearson's Weekly.

**FRECKLES**

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots  
There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as Othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.  
Simply get an ounce of Othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it at night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and give a beautiful clear complexion.  
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