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RUSSIANS AND GERMANS COME GRIPS ON STOKHOD RIVER POSSESSION OF

Reports From Berlin Indicate Russians are Sparing No Efforts to Obtain Control of This Important Railway Centre-Cossacks Put to New and Daring Use by Invaders

13 .- The Austro-German retirement absolutely necessary. from the Czartorysk salient, just south of the Pinsk swamps, having

the approach of Kovel.

Determined to Take Kovel A Strategic Retirement.

The retirement, according to advices from Austrian headquarters, the actual charge is started. was for strategic purposes, and the

fighting has not yet been resumed. Heavy Fighting in the West

Battling of the most desperate na official bulletins. The German correspondents at headquarters are study-ing the pulicians as industriously as

THINGS QUIET

by the French fire.

the River Somme.

The statement follows:

"There has been intermittent ar-

French

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of kest.

Report

officers at the front are too engage Berlin, July 12, via London, July for anything but the bare repor

Madness, But Method in It. For some time the correspondents been completed, the opposing armies in Berlin have been hearing of the have come to grips all along the line astonishing use of Russian cavalry of the Stokhod river, where Von Lin- on the front south of the swamps singen has elected to stand and cover and getting repeated tales of char ges of masses of horsemen against entrenched and unbroken infantry Heavy fighting is already in pro-gress along the Stokhod, but appar-these tactics appear the height of may be expected in the persistent and desperate campaign of the Rusand desperate cam ently it is merely an earnest of what madness. An explanation has now sian commander, General Brussiloff, to reach this important railway
off, to reach this important railway
ployed to press home an assault, but to advance a line of skirmishers rapidly across the danger zone befor

Horses Screen the Advance. The role of the cavalry is played high degree. The Russians had work- when the infantry lines reach a ed well around the flanks of the old point some 500 yards from the Ausposition, and if material and units tro-German trenches. A swarm of were to be saved, the retirement over cavalry in widely extended lines is an almost roadless country had to be effected at a good pace. As it was, the Austro-German forces barely men dart forward at headlong speed. reached the positions behind the Stokhod before the Russians were hammering at the crossings.

Comparative quiet prevails along the rest of the eastern front. The Russian request for a short armiscommand and form a line breastive or the rest of the eastern front. The Russian request for a short armiscommand and form a line breastive in order to bury. tice in order to bury the dead at work for the riders. Under cover of Baranovichi was granted, and heavy the heavy fire from the dismounted horsemen, the infantry lines advance across the intervening country.

Men or horses, maddened by ex citement, often refused to halt at ture is going along the front in Pi-cardy, but the only news available here is that contained in the German nremediated charge. premediated charge. New Schema to Oress Rivers.

The Cossacks are being largely the neutral correspondents in Berlin used in attempts to force slightly and are producing about as little independent news of the big offensive. Russian pioneers have devised a new Claim British Losses Heavy
Members of General Von Falkenfantry where more resistance is lookscheme for the crossing of the in hayn's staff, arriving directly from ed for. Long slender rafts are moored headquarters, could give the Associalong the banks of the narrow rivers ated Press only a general idea of the with which this swampy country furious nature of the fighting, con- intersected, concealed by overhangfirming the English press reports in ing bushes. At the proper moment this respect and of the British losses, the upstream end of each raft is reparticularly in the northern sector of the front. They had little to tell across the river, forming a series of in the way of detailed description, as narrow bridges for storming parties.

OVER FIGHT FILMS AUSTRIAN DRIVE Defence Claims They Took Just a Picture of Object on Canadian Side.

JURY DISAGREES

Syracuse, N. Y., July 13-A disagreement was reported to-day by the jury in the case of the government against James J. Johnston, manager of the Madison Square Garen, and others indicted of bringing pictures of the Johnson-Willard right over the Canadian border for exhibi-

weeks in Federal court before Judge Ray and a jury. The defendants argued that they had merely taken a photograph on the American side of the boundary, a photograph of an object on the Canadian side. It is understood that the government will try the case over again.

No Surprise to

lise in Bank Rate Merely Precau tionary Measure to Protect

Exchange London, July 13 .- The rate of dis-The advance in the bank rate came as no surprise to the money market measure to protect exchange and re-

of German inspiration.

The bank rate had been undisturb"The second blunder was the mom ed since it was reduced to five per ent chosen for the Austrian blow. cent. in August, 1914, and huge fin- One must give the Austrians full ancial operations for this country as well as for the allies have been transforces in the Trentino and the vigor

With America doing a good deal of financing which would ordinarily be done here, besides finding money for its own enormous trade expansion, money is becoming in greater demand, especially as the coming gross

of disturbance in trade and money see any rout, much as he admired now taking place on the Somme circles, necessitates higher deposit the excellent dispositions of General increasing and I find a counterp

education opened with a dignified reply to a ducal insult and ended admid cheering such as is seldom reply to a ducal insult and ended admid cheering such as is seldom reply to a ducal insult and ended in the select of the fear the reproach that they are hold-ing back with their human matter. In fact, yesterday and the day before, heard."

The Morning Post says: "Many people will feel with the Duke of Buccleuch that Viscount Haldane ought not to take any part in public debate until he has cleared nimself as to certain grave matters. Man-Eating Shark The public at present believe Visount Haldane's influence was used either wittingly or unwittingly to disturb the Entente with France with Matawan, N.J., July 13.—Hundreds of armed men in row boats and launches were hunting to-day visits to Berlin and what happened for the managing shark that was for the man-eating shark that yes- there, we only had a brief and beterday killed a boy and a man and lated account unsupported by the dangerously injured another youth papers, but one thing is certain—in Matawan creek and caused a reign Germany which before had been of terror all along the New Jersey given no reason to doubt the sincer-

> "Lord Haldane's effrontery is extraordinary, but it is really too much that he should seek to obtrude his unsought advice on the House of Lords before he has answered the grave charges which have been brought against him out of his own

Cost of War to Hungary

German Alliance.
Amsterdam, July 13, via London, their guns to prevent them from re 2.20 p.m.—In the course of a speech in the lower house of the Hungarian

TO THE RESIDENCE OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PROPER

Socialist Editor

Should Have Waited Until Cadorna Was Committed to Offensive.

COULD THEN HAVE But as Things Stand Now Italians Can Adhere to Original Plan.

London, July 13 .- (New York Herald cable)—In an article entitled "Why Austria struck," a Times corthe Money Market respondent, presumably Colonel Repington, writes from the Italian

"I have not seen anywhere in the Italian or foreign press an apprecia-tion of the Trentino according with my views. The popular view is that the Austrians have been fools and their armies routed. Austria count of the Bank of England was raised from 5 to 6 per cent to-day. ders in this campaign of 1916 so far

Under-estimated Russia. rates are not made sufficiently attrac- cause. The blunder was probably

to prevent the delivery of a serious Commented Upon attack on the Isonzo simultaneously with the allied offensive.

Some Think He Answered Critics,
Others that He Did Not.
London, July 13.—(New York
Times cable)—The Daily News partimes cable of the Company and the Sommet Konrad waited until General Cadorna
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Konrad waited until General Cadorna Haldane's great speech on dignified education opened with a dignified education opened with a speech on the education opened with a dignified education opened with a dignified

> "I think the Austrians are playing storms, in vast masses in ever fresh for time in order to tempt Italy waves. away from her main objective. If Here they can hold the Italians in the hills Germans are forced to fight against begin to fall, and the best of the sea-son of 1916 will be passed." the English again undertook to attack son of 1916 will be passed."

Trentino Not worth Taking. enough to block the Trentino and continue the general scheme of the war concerted between the allies to "An Unshakable Foe." 1edeem the southern Tyrol at Vienna and not at Trent.

Chained to Guns

German Soldiers Tied So They Could Not Run Away. London, July 13-(New York Sur cable)-The British soldiers on the fighting line and those wounded on Higher and Higher It Has to Pay for German Alliance.

ranging from 560,000,000 to 600,000,000 crease in the number of new cases and a marked increase in the number of new cases lightning struck the plant of the Semet Solvay Company, on the Niagara Process of the war had primarily ber of deaths during the last twenty-ber of deaths during the last twenty-ber of the solvay from the city surmounted by a crown and the letter "W" and flanked by the figures "1914" and "1915." Below the huge torquoise are four smaller stones, the Persian sun and lion, and on the medallions on which the

Amsterdam, July 13, via London, 11.35 a.m.—Rosa Luxemburg, princi-pal editor of the Berlin Socialist newspaper, Vorwaerts, was arrested at her home in Berlin on Monday last, according to the Leipsiger Volks-Zeitung. The reason for her arrest has

Criminal proceedings against Rosa Luxemburg and others were instituted about a year ago on account of alleged treasonable articles in the monthly Internationale, which was suppressed by the German Govern-Government. She was subsequently Government. She was subsequently released. In 1914 she was sentenced released. In 1914 she was sentenced to serve a year in prison for accusing The recovery of the Russian armies long stretch of the front.

The recovery of the Russian armies long stretch of the front.

Since their defeats of last year and Verdun Still Strong

Pays Tribute to "Unexampled Heroism" of the British Troops.

OF COURSE THEY

Despite Steady Allied Ad- Erzerum, so that the vance, Germany Still "Unconquerable."

New York, July 13-The New fork Times this morning has the fol-

"Consequently when the plains rere not invaded a shout of triumph ras raised. In Italy as abroad perons spoke of the Austrian rout."

Osborn, the Vossische Zeitung)—As some days before the decision is a similar request was made to forego reached, as the Teutons have brought up very strong reinforces where the decision is a similar request was made to forego reached, as the Teutons have brought up very strong reinforces where the decision is a similar request was made to forego reached, as the Teutons have brought up very strong reinforces where the decision is a similar request was made to forego reached, as the Teutons have brought up very strong reinforces where the decision is a similar request was made to forego reached, as the Teutons have brought up very strong reinforces where the decision is a similar request was made to forego reached, as the Teutons have brought up very strong reinforces where the decision is a similar request was made to forego reached, as the Teutons have brought up very strong reinforces where the decision is a similar request was made to forego reached, as the Teutons have brought up very strong reinforces where the decision is a similar request was made to forego reached, as the Teutons have brought up very strong reinforces where the decision is a similar request was made to forego reached, as the Teutons have brought up very strong reinforces where the decision is a similar request was made to forego reached, as the Teutons have brought up very strong reinforces where the decision is a similar request was made to forego reached, as the Teutons have brought up very strong reinforces where the decision is a similar request was made to forego reached, as the Teutons have brought up very strong reinforces. mand, especially as the coming crops reed financing and the authorities here found it necessary to raise the value of monye to well over New York.

The higher rate causes a good deal and money to be a considered and mon circles, necessitates higher deposit nates, market discounts and probably treasury bills, which mean increased cost of financing the war. At the same time the six per cent. bank rate makes London the dearest centre and exchanges probably will move in favor of this country.

Haldane's Speech

the excellent dispositions of General Cadorna. He adds:

"The Austrians retired mainly at night. It is likely that they expected to invade Italy with fifteen divisions when they must have known that General Cadorna had some fifty? Why did the Austrians retreat? Because they had effects, their object, which was to compel General Cadorna to make fresh dispositions and to prevent the delivery of a serious there remains nothing but to marvel and to thank them, for we know maintaining the conquered territory. but to prove the unconquerability of Germany and to defend the Rhine on

they drove forward in continuous

Here, north of the Somme, the south of the Ancre brook, partly with gas, but without success. Trentino Not worth Taking.

The correspondent does not consider the Trentino unconquerable, but thinks it is not worth the cost. He believes in wisdom of Gen Cadorna's original scheme, and thinks Italy strong to plock the Trentino and less conded fruitless for the English

South of the Somme after renewed artillery preparation. the second French attack took place yesterday East of Toronto, in Particu-Paris, July 13, noon— There was no infantry fighting of importance last night on the Verdun front or over the portion of the Somme front held by the French, to-day's official report says. Intermittent artillery entermittent artil

The losses of the French and Eng- Special to The Courier. lish whose compact masses were caught by our machine guns, must have won practically nothing in these bloody days. Their charges are still of Commissioner, relative to the apple great power and toughness, but of a situation in Ontario: free flowing offensive there can for the present be no talk.

Tale of Two Cities

Several People Killed and Injured in New York and Buffalo.

New York, July 13,—Seven persons are reported to have been killed and a number of others injured when district. In western and northern Hamilton yesterday, for the purpose and a number of others injured when district. In western and northern Hamilton yesterday, for the purpose and a number of others injured when districts are not the new transfer of the new transf Special Wire to the Courier.

monthly.

Naturally, added the minister, the amount had increased during the course of the war, being smaller at the beginning of hostilities, but now ranging from 560,000,000 to 600,000,000 to 600,000,000 arguing monthly.

But Deaths from Infantile Paralysis

More Than Ever.

New York, July 13.—A slight decrease in the number of new cases in the number of new cases and a marked increase in the number.

with hand grenades."

KILLED BY EXPLOSION.
Pompton Lakes, N.J., July 13.—One of the powder houses of the Dupont Powder Works, near here, blew up at 11.20 o'clock to-day, shaking the surrounding country. It could not at first be ascertained whether there had been any casualties.

It was later reported that four had been any casualties.

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Arrested in Berlin AMAZING RECOVERY OF RUSSIA FROM DEFEATS OF A YEAR AGO

To-day, Czar's Armies Have Apparently Inexhaustible Supplies of Guns and Ammunition--Verdun Again Becomes Centre of Interest For the West

the apparently inexhaustable supplies of guns and ammunition with which they are provided, continues to be a source of wonder to military writers. At least six great armies are engaged against the Austrians a

Grand Duke Active Again

licholas in Armenia and Persia have dense masses of troops since the opbeen fighting vigorously against the erations began some five months ago. Turks for months. A few weeks ago The Germans have made a slight parts of these forces, particularly gain, but apparently this has not those west of Erzerum, were com-lessened the confidence of the French pelled to fall back in the face of a in their ability to hold fast. They CANNOT WIN stronger Turkish army. Early this still have three solid lines of defense which must be penetrated before the offensive in this region and recaptur- German objective can be gained ed Mamakhatum fifty miles west of have fallen back some 25 miles from the furthest points reached in

Great Battle for Kovel.

Meanwhile the armies directly outh of the Pinsk marshes are workers to forego their August holifighting a pitched battle with the days, owing to the demand for mun-Austro-German forces of General itions in France. Some unions already Von Linsingen, along the line of the have suggested that this be done, so West Front," July 10 (by Dr. Max Osborn, the Vossische Zeitung)—As

North of the Pinsk marshes, the fighting at present is largely with artillery. In Galicia, the Russian arm-

In the west, the renewed efforts of and Germans on Russia's western front. All of them are using great quantities of ammunition even those not definitely on the offensive.

In the west, the renewed efforts of the German crown prince at Verdun temporarily are taking precedence in the public mind over the battle of the Somme. The attack just deliverin the public mind over the battle of the Somme. The attack just deliver-ed by the Germans before Verdun is The forces under Grand Duke the seventh great onslaught with

> Clearing Up the Debris The British are still engaged clearing the Germans from fortified positions which must be taken before the general offensive can be renewed

The government has decided to ask

now taking place on the somme is increasing and I find a counterpart Fighting Continues, But Little Change Registered

London, July 13, 8.32 p.m. Fighting continues at various points along the battle front in the region of the river Somme in France, but there has been no change in the situation on any part of the British line, says an official statement issued by the British War Department this afternoon. Attempts of the Germans to raid trenches west of Wyschaete and south of La Basse canal were frustrated.

The official statement which is timed 2 o'clock this afternoon

"Heavy artillery duels were in progress in certain sectors of the battle area since the last report, and fighting continues at various points on the front, but there was no change in the situation on any part of our line. West of Wyschaete and south of La Bassee canal the enemy attempted to raid our trenches, but he was driven off in each case by our fire.

"Despite unfavorable weather our aeroplanes have been constantly at work. Hostile machines were active, but all their attacks on our aeroplanes operating over the German lines were driven off. One of our aeroplanes is missing.'

lar, Prospects Are Disappointing.

Ottawa, July 13, 1916-The following information has been received sident of the Theosophical Society at ty telegram at the office of the Fruit London in 1907. She has made sev-

East of Toronto the crop is very Spent Yesterday disappointing and will not exceed that of 1915. There has been very serious development of scab, and a heavy dropping of fruit in all secions. Unsprayed orchards are practically worthless on account of the poor quality. There has also been

ANOTHER ATTEMPT.

Shackleton Will Try Once Again to

Rescue His Comrades.

Special Wire to the Courier. London, July 13.—(New York London, July 13.—(New York so engaged in, the visitors being Times cable)—In a message to The again victorious. The game was even Daily Chronicle from Punta Arenas, up to the 15th end, after which the

Mrs. Besant Restricted

NONE TOO GOOD Leader of Theosophists Must Not Enter Bombay Presidency. ter Bombay Presidency.

By Special Wire to the Courier. London, July 13-Mrs. Annie Besant, one of the leaders of the movement for Home Rule for India, has been prohibited under the Defence of India Act, from entering the Bombay presidency, says a Bombay despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co. Mrs. Annie Besant was elected pre-

in Hamilton

Local K. C's. Journeyed down the Mountain for Enjoyable

and a number of others injured when an ammonia tank in Brooklyn butch- larts of the province there is a meder shop exploded to-day. The entire ium crop, but the quality, particu-Cases Decrease or snop exploded to-day. The entire three story building in which the butcher shop was located, collapsed, burying the occupants beneath it. Brantford, J. Hanley and J. Kler-sey; Hamilton, A. Nootry and H. Mc-

Hamilton 3 4 5

A one-rink bowling match was al-

ection alongside his homestead. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties—Six months residence in each of three years after earning homestead patent; also 50 acres extra cultivation. Preemption patent may be obtained as soon as homestead patent, on certain conditions. A settler who has exhausted his homestead right may take a purchased homestead right may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 50 acres and erect a house worth \$300. The area of cultivation is subject to reduction in case of rough, scrubby or steny land. Live stock may be substituted for cultivation under certain conditions. W. W. CORT, C.M.G., Deputy of the Minister of the Interior. N.B.—Unanthorized publication of this advertisement will not be acid for acid. pied the southern side of the crater. "On the right bank of the River Meuse there has been no infantry fighting. During the night, however, there was an intense bombardment in the sectors of Souville, Chenois AS USUAL

"In the Vosges, an attack by the enemy upon one of our trenches to the south of Carspach, has been re-

Hunting For

report says. Intermittent artillery engagements occurred in the Somme Chenois and La Laufee, before Verdun, a heavy bombardment was maintained by the Germans.

In the Champagne the French pendernet of a calcart of the Germans.

and took prisoners. Two German laids in the Argonne were stopped Gave Wilhelm

tillery exchanges along the front of He Will Need It Badly Enough Be fore War Is Over

penetrated a salient of the German line in the vicinity of Prosnes and his monogram in diamonds.

For the talisman, Gassem cho

years old, who was attacked by the In the vicinity of Souville, shark while swimming with his bro-

a Talisman

"In the Champagne district we Vienna, July 13.—(Correspon dence of The Associated Press) .-"In the Argonne two surprise attacks delivered by the enemy upon the northern and eastern portions of the Bolante salient failed under our fire. At La Fille Morte we caused the explosion of a mine, and then occupied the southern side of the crater.

miration of all Mohammedans,"
Mehdi Gassem, Persia, a residnt of Vienna, has presented Emperor William of Germany with a huge talisaid that the 23 months of war had liam of Germany with a huge talisaid that the 23 months of war had cost Hungary an average of from man, fashioned by himself, out of turquoises. In return the emperor monthly Representing "the gratifude and adhas given him a stickpin contain ng

one of the three largest turquoises in existence, a stone the size of an os-