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**TIDE OF RUSSIA RE-REAR TURNED;  
TEUTON DRIVE IS STEMMED AT LAST**

**Valiant Resistance Offered by Korniloff's Forces to Austro-German—Armoured Cars Aided in Checking the Rout; Deserters Shot Down**

London, July 31.—Apparently the turn in the tide of retreat by the Russians in East Galicia is beginning. On several sectors the loyal troops have halted and now are facing the Austro-Germans and offering resistance as best they can with their badly depleted forces.

Although the stands they have made have as yet been unsuccessful in holding back to any great extent the numerically superior Austro-German armies, they serve to show that the spirit of loyalty is still alive in many of the men of General Korniloff's contingents and that it is not their purpose to surrender further terrain without a contest.

One of the main attempts of the Russians to hold back the enemy has been on the heights east of the River Zbrocz, which flows along the border between Galicia and Russia, but despite the resistance offered, they have been compelled by overwhelming numbers to cede ground to the Austro-Germans, who crossed the stream. The Teutons also have crossed the Galician frontier and now are invading Bukovina by way of an invading Bukovina by way of immediate objective being the town of Seletyn, while the force that recently was successful in its operations against the Russians in the region of Kirilbaba, has reached the territory lying to the east of the Upper Moldava valley.

Despite the activity of German spies, who are trying to create disaffection in the Roumanian army, the Roumanians and Russians fighting near the north-western border of Roumania continue to press forward in the Casin and Patras valleys, having captured six additional villages and added materially to the aggregate of men made prisoners and guns captured. Fifty of the German spies, disguised as Russian soldiers, are reported to have been caught and shot.

**A British View**

London, July 31.—Telegraphing to the Times from the headquarters of the Russian 7th army on the 29th, Robert Wilson tells a fuller story of the British and Belgian armoured cars saving the Russians from a worse disaster. On the Tarnopol roads the cars at close range held up the advancing Germans and Austrians for several hours, during which the enemy artillery arrived. The Russians remained in their trenches so long as the armoured cars stayed with them, but as the Austrians advanced with the Germans crying out hurrah, the Russians of their own accord, flung away their rifles and ran for their lives. We attempted to keep the enemy back in order to tide the retreat, but it was impossible. The fleeing Russians crowded our cars, breaking them down so that we lost three.

A similar state of affairs occurred with the other squadrons which checked the Austrians and managed to keep the advancing infantry back until the artillery arrived. The Russian retreat became a rout though we were in action time and again during the day. The effect produced was only local. Every car fired over 2,000 rounds.

The hottest fighting occurred in the villages of Pantelichea and Darahow, 10 miles east of Trembovia. At the latter place we ambushed the enemy from the houses and courtyards, destroying them wholesale.

On the twenty-fourth we operated on the high road between Barahow and Buczacz. At four in the morning the corps commander, General Locker Lamson and told him two divisions had bolted, leaving a gap of 15 miles north of Liaskowtse as far as Trembovia. To our cars was entrusted the task of protecting this huge space. Working along the road to Poolevka and Barahow we did great execution on the advancing infantry, mainly Austrians. On the Buczacz and Tarnopol road we went into action with four cars. The situation was desperate. There were great gaps in the front caused by the flight of whole divisions. Lamson, himself went into action. We spotted an Austrian officer standing on a knoll and drove the car in that direction, and came plump into a large force of the enemy at a range of 50 yards. Opening fire we mowed them down and got out safe. The enemy never ventured to direct the attack against Kemlovka, but making a detour over the fields where we were unable to operate, he tried to surround the village. The attempt was unsuccessful. Our cars proved invaluable on the road and fought a series of rear-guard actions frequently under the fierce fire of the enemy's field guns. One car had its engine completely blown out by a direct hit, and had to be abandoned. The crew saved the guns and material and had them withdrawn to safety. Another car was struck by a shell, which smashed the plate, and wounding all the crew. Driver Swan was badly wounded, but drove his car out of action. Another car got afire but was safely removed. The car with Lamson had its dynamo damaged. On the 26th at the village of Kobylowki, half way to Osofkow Trembovia, the cars got into action for the first time with German cavalry, which all immediately decamped.

**Russian Congress**  
London, July 31.—A Petrograd special of Saturday says that what at one time prevents the Provisional Government's assembling the elected representatives of the country at the national congress, at Moscow, on August 5, hence it has issued an invitation to the public men. Kerensky gave the first invitation to send delegates to the Soviet, which accepted with enthusiasm, and the Provisional Government hopes to put before it in a full report the condition of the country and the measures it proposes to take.

The events of July 16 to 20 have shaken public opinion in the country, and the Provisional Government, therefore is seeking for the support not only of the masses, but of the classes, through the conference now

selected, which it is yet hoped will be sufficiently representative of Russia today to make it authoritative. The extremists are not receiving invitations. Extremist discontent is broken for the time being, but most of the organizers of the movement are still at large. A well founded rumor states that Lenin escaped abroad, while Troskull, of Kronstadt, reportedly, gave himself up to the authorities yesterday.

There is no time at present to consider internal measures. All energy should be applied to the three urgent questions—the army, the transport of food to the field, and means to end the revolution. At the same time the Provisional Government is faced with the agrarian question. The peasants are land hunters, and cannot be held in check. Everywhere they are taking over land from the landlords, and the economic and financial situation are becoming daily worse.

**THE BRANT**

The famous character actor of the screen, Theodore Roberts, supported by Anita King, in "The Austrian Spy," is seen in a role that is possibly superior to any that he has yet portrayed. In the characterization of Anton the Terrible, chief of the Austrian Secret service, yet in the employ of another power, Theodore Roberts is allowed full scope to his versatile ability. The story is one of intrigue and revenge and discloses the stringent measures adopted in operation of the secret service of the Teutonic powers. Dick and Alice McAvary present a somewhat original singing and dancing melange, while Marseno, Navaro, and Merson, comedy equilibrists also have a programme that is different, and entertaining. A rollicking Christie comedy and the 10th chapter of "The Great Secret," complete an unusually good programme.

**THE REX**

The popular Douglas Fairbanks, one of the sovereigns of the comedy screen is the headliner at the Rex Theatre for the first half of the week in "Flirting with Fate." In pure dare-devilery Douglas Fairbanks holds an unapproachable reputation with motion picture fans, and his laurels are well maintained in his latest production. Another of the famous O. Henry stories and a laughable Keystone comedy that made the fairly large crowds that visited this playhouse yesterday forget the heat, are the other features of an attractive bill.

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**CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.**  
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**TORONTO CATTLE MARKET.**  
By Courier Leased Wire  
Toronto, July 31.—Receipts at the Union Stock Yards this morning were 291 cattle, 80 calves, 295 hogs, 101 sheep. Trade in cattle was steady; other sorts were higher.  
Export cattle, choice \$11.00 to \$11.50; butcher cattle, choice \$11.00 to \$12.00; medium \$10.00 to \$10.75; common \$7.75 to \$9.75; butcher cows, choice \$8.00 to \$9.50; medium \$6.75 to \$7.50; canners \$5.25 to \$5.75; bulls \$6.50 to \$9.00; feeding steers \$7.75 to \$9.25; stockers, choice \$7.00 to \$8.25; light \$6.00 to \$7.00; milkers, choice each \$40 to \$70; springers \$50 to \$120; sheep, ewes \$6.00 to \$9.50; bucks and culls \$5.00 to \$8.50; lambs \$10.00 to \$11.25; hogs, fed and watered, \$16.25; calves \$9.00 to \$14.25.

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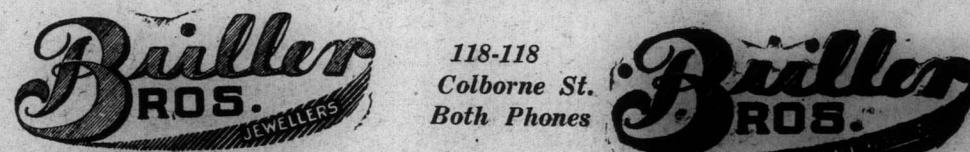


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