

ITALIANS HOLD ROAD TO TRIESTE AGAINST ATTACK

Austrians Fail in Repeated Attempts to Dislodge Foe from Monte Nero.

ABRUZZI'S CRAFT SINK TWO SHIPS

Torpedo Boats Send Merchantmen to Bottom and Damage a Cruiser.

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Reports from the northern coast announce that two Italian torpedo boats yesterday morning sank two merchant vessels and damaged an Austrian auxiliary cruiser in the Gulf of Trieste.

Austrians Destroy Own Town. In the Plavice Valley, which is a part of the valley of the River Avisio, northeast of Trento, the Austrians have practically destroyed the health resort town of San Martino di Castrozza.

Monte Nero, which the Italians are holding in the face of Austrian attacks, dominates the whole Pitali Valley. Possession of this ridge enables the Italians to dominate the town of Trento...

Invaders Meet Obstacles. The advance of the Italians across the heights of Monte Nero has been accomplished in the face of numerous difficulties. In consequence of heavy rains it was impossible to find the roads, except for detachments of mountain troops...

Advance Is Slow. Progress is slow, but the invaders made their way up the mountain side, taking with them heavy artillery, machine guns and transport, with supplies. The mountainous terrain, steep and rugged, and the frequent rain, have made the advance of the Italians in their efforts to dislodge the Austrians...

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Order in Milan. There are still posted on the walls the Austrian proclamations ordering the people to remain within doors between 8 o'clock at night and 6 in the morning, and imposing other restrictions on the movement of persons.

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SCENE OF ENGLAND'S MOST DISASTROUS TRAIN WRECK.



Troop train wrecked near Gretna Green, close to the Scottish border, is shown burning fiercely. More than two hundred were killed, most of them being burned to death.

MRS. PANKHURST'S UNION TO MOTHER WAR BABIES

British Militant Suffragist Organization Takes Up Question in Practical Way—First Appeal Brings \$15,000

London, June 3. To-day the Women's Social and Political Union gave an exhibition of all its old organizing tactics and poked the Palladium Theatre not only with suffragettes but with representatives of every class in the community, including even a batch of wounded soldiers in charge of nurses.

London, June 3. In an address to the House of Commons, the speaker declared that the cause of Italy's joining the Entente powers was Italy's engagement in the war.

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APPEAL TO NATION BY LLOYD GEORGE

More than that, we should have actually penetrated into Germany.

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POPE TO CONTINUE GERMAN RELATIONS

Italy Will Not Interrupt Communications to Bishops.

Rome, June 3. Count Eduardo Soderini, one of the leaders of the Catholic party in the Italian Parliament, declared to me to-day that the relations between the Italian government and the Vatican were satisfactory. Although the diplomatic representatives of Germany and Austria to the Vatican have left Rome, the Italian government will place no obstacle in the way of papal communications to bishops in Germany and Austria and will respect the inviolability of such correspondence.

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Saks & Company 34th Street. Specialists in Men's, Women's and Children's Apparel. Saks' Suits for Critical Men at \$17.50, \$20, \$23 and \$25. claim your careful consideration upon several important points, not the least among which is the fact that at these prices there are 135 patterns and colorings of fabrics alone and you may choose between 1/4, 1/4 and 1/2 lined Suits, made in every prevailing model.

AMERICAN LINE DEFIES ENGINEERS. Refuses Double Pay Demand and Will Send Ship Out To-morrow. Shortly before the American Line office closed yesterday officials of the line were confronted with a demand from the senior engineers of the steamship Philadelphia for double pay. The Philadelphia, which arrived in the forenoon, is expected to sail for Liverpool to-morrow, and the demands of the men came as a surprise.

Franklin Simon & Co. Fifth Avenue. Men's Clothing Shop. 8 West 38th St.—Store Floor. (To-day) Friday—At Special Prices. Men's Unlined Suits. With Silk Lined Sleeves. FOR MEN OR YOUNG MEN, 33 TO 46 CHEST. Two or three button soft roll front models of overplaids, Glen Urquhart plaids, checked or pencil striped cassimere or worsted, tartan plaids, Oxford vicuna, English tweed and navy serge. 17.50 Regular Price \$24.50.

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