

CONTINUA L'AVANZATA DELLE FORZE ITALIANE SU GORIZIA E TOLMINO

Le Due Piazze Forti sull'isonzo Minacciate di Arruolamento dalle Armate di Cadorna. Borgo Bombardato.

ROMA, 5 Agosto. L'offensiva italiana sul Carso continua. Il centro della forza italiana ha fatto notevoli progressi mentre l'ala destra avanza rapidamente nella zona di Monte Sei Busi dove si svolgono ancora asprissimi combattimenti.

Nel frattempo le batterie d'assedio italiane continuano il lavoro di demolizione dei forti che sbarrano le vallate del Cadore ed hanno già ridotto al silenzio alcune batterie austriache nella zona fortissima di Malborghetto.

La tenacia che gli austriaci mostrano nei loro contrattacchi contro le posizioni italiane di Monte Sei Busi si spiega facilmente col fatto che l'avanzata italiana in questa regione minaccia seriamente di tagliare nell'area di loro base di comunicazione e di ritirata delle quali deve usare la guarnigione di Gorizia, giacche il generale Cadorna continua a sviluppare la sua manovra sviluppante verso il centro della minacciosa da un momento all'altro.

Intanto, oltre che respingere i contrattacchi austriaci gli italiani mandano truppe contro le forte attaccanti, costoro che tentativi del nemico sono soltanto inutili, ma anche pericolosi, come si è visto nel tentativo dei Jaegers contro le posizioni occupate dai Bersaglieri nella regione di Monte Sei Busi.

Le truppe italiane continuano anche l'avanzata verso Rovereto, i cui forti sono ora bombardati dall'artiglieria italiana. In queste condizioni di inferiorità gli austriaci devono non soltanto difendere il loro territorio, ma anche cercare di bloccare le forze di Gorizia e di Tolmino, che sono attaccate dagli italiani, ma devono anche opporsi all'avanzata degli italiani sui fianchi di questa piazza forte.

IL CASTELLO DI DANTE DISTRUTTO. L'idea Nazionale dice che gli austriaci, per semplice atto di vandalismo, hanno distrutto il storico castello di Lizzana, chiamato il Castello di Dante, perché il poeta vi passò il suo esilio. Il castello di Dante sorge sulla destra dell'Adige, tra Rovereto e Cortina, dove appunto si svolge ora la lotta tra austriaci ed italiani, ed era meta di grande interesse per i turisti e per gli studiosi.

PER LA GUERRA ALLA TURCHIA. La situazione e gli incidenti che precedono e determinano il movimento di guerra del 1915 si riprotono ora ogni giorno in forma di provocazioni da parte della Turchia verso l'Italia.

50,000 DU PONT EMPLOYEES PLACED ON AN 8-HOUR DAY. Wilmington Powder Company Reduces Workday One-Fifth.

WILMINGTON, Del., Aug. 5.—It was announced by the du Pont Company today that the order posted yesterday, giving the men an eight-hour day at the same pay, now gives for 15 hours, will apply to all the men in the employ of the company.

BOOM OF COL. J. G. TOWNSEND. Kent County Man Urged for Governor of Delaware.

COURT'S DECISION WILL PROTECT SHORE VISITORS

Practice of Holding Baggage for Excess Charges Declared Illegal.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Aug. 5.—Scores of seashore visitors who have encountered difficulties in reclaiming baggage held by small hotel proprietors, will rejoice over a new interpretation of the hotel act by Judge Smathers, of the District Court. It will apply to all of the resorts on the Jersey coast.

Samuel Singer, proprietor of the hotel, however, refused to surrender the young woman's baggage, declaring she had contracted to pay him for one week's board. The same claim has been raised in scores of cases here this summer and strangers have been muted for hundreds of dollars.

MOVIE DRAMA WAR TAKES A NEW TURN

William Fox, Engaging Robert Mantell, Announces That No Photoplay Star of His Company May Appear in Drama During Current Season.

By the Photoplay Editor. Several exciting if problematic events have just taken place in the photoplay world. One is the engagement of Robert Mantell and his wife, Genevieve Hamper, by the Fox Film Corporation and the possibility that he is not to play Shakespeare in the regular theatres this season.

When Mr. Fox announced the engagement of Robert Mantell he added: Artists appearing under my management in photoplays in future will not be permitted to appear on the speaking stage during the current season of their picture performances.

William A. Brady, with whom Mantell made Shakespearean plays pay in New York, sees the doom of appearing plays in the regular theatres this season. The other is the announcement of a retaliatory fight by the photoplay men against the orders of the Frohman interests and Al. H. Woods forbidding any of their players to appear in the movies.

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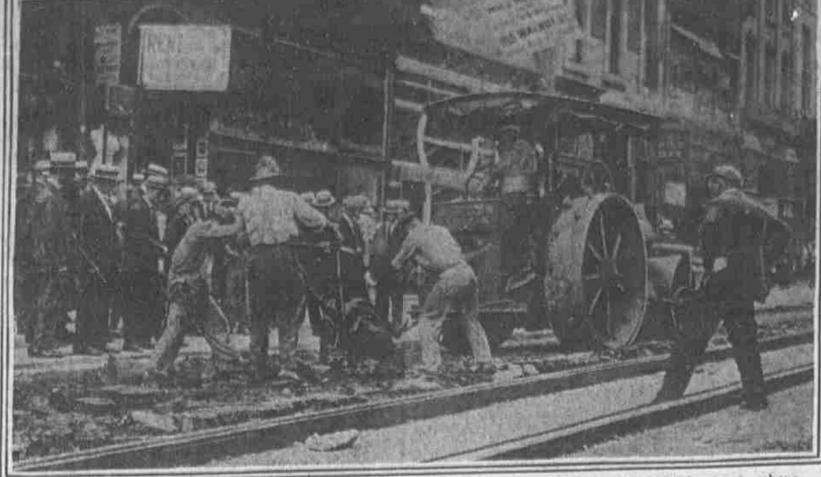
Following the discovery that bids were not asked according to the law on six items incidental to the 4th of July celebration in this city, it is expected that the courts will be asked to give an opinion on the matter should Council make an additional appropriation of \$200 to settle outstanding obligations of the celebration.

John H. Baizley, chairman of the committee of Council to supervise the celebration, admitted yesterday that he had not advertised the bids, and said he did not believe the law required such advertising. "When asked how this was done he replied: "Oh, I just sent after them."

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CHESTNUT STREET FASCINATED BY ASPHALT PLOW



Crowds stand around and watch a big tractor easily ripping up the tough pavement at 12th street, where new sections of pavement are to be laid down by Contractor J. P. McNichol.

TAYLOR READY TO OPEN BIDS ON TRANSIT WORK

Director Hopes Commission Decision on Certificate Will Be Favorable.

Although the State Public Service Commission has given no indication of what its decision will be in the matter of granting a certificate of public convenience to permit the beginning of construction work on the Broad street subway, and the Frankford elevated lines, Director Taylor has made every arrangement to open bids for the work on August 16.

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COURTS MAY DECIDE ON 'FOURTH' EXPENSES

Failure of Committee to Advertise for Bids May Cause Complications.

Inquiry into the expenditures of the Fourth of July Committee questions the legality of the actions of that body in incurring \$200 expenses in excess of the \$12,000 appropriated for the occasion by Council, and again for having failed to advertise for bids incidental to the field sports at Belmont, badges, music, stands, printing and engraving and a dinner.

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WILMINGTON, Del., Aug. 5.—County officials are inclined to think that despite the fact that Wilmington is complaining of powder workmen from Carney's Point coming here and getting drunk with the result that they are arrested, this city has the better of the county in the matter.

WANT LAWSON SET FREE

10,000 United Mine Workers Protest to President Against Imprisonment.

MOUNT CARMEL, Pa., Aug. 5.—Upward of 10,000 United Mine Workers, at the suggestion of National President John P. White, who delivered an address here yesterday, unanimously adopted a resolution protesting to President Wilson against the imprisonment of John R. Lawson.

Lawson, a national board member, who headed the striking miners at Colorado, is in jail at Trinidad, Col., charged with conspiracy in the killing of Deputy John Nelnet during the recent strike. He is a former Mount Carmel man.

INDEPENDENT VOTERS ASKED TO REGISTER

'One Hundred' and Washington Party Committee Working on Campaign Plans.

A call for the registration of all independent voters in Philadelphia, the unopposed voters, has been sounded by the Executive Committee of the Committee of One Hundred as the first step toward mobilization of the reform forces in the fight

EXILE OR JAIL FACES PUZZLED RESERVISTS

Must Return to Fight, But May Not Go Until Families Are Provided For.

Luigi Nicotri, the Italian reservist, is in a quandary. "If I go to fight for It-a-lee, I become a hero, but I am arrested before I leave. If I go not to answer the summons of my coun-tree, I am not arrested here, but I may pass upon that sunny It-a-lee nevermore."

A meeting of the entire membership of the Committee of One Hundred has been called for next Thursday, when a subcommittee from the executive committee will submit recommendations drafted as a plan of procedure for the general committee in the coming election contest.

FIVE RESCUED FROM YACHT

Men Taken Off by Life Guards in a Precarious Condition.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Aug. 5.—Five men were rescued from the schooner yacht Caroline by the Wood Island life savers and landed in a precarious condition at Newcastle, N. H., early today.

WILMINGTON, Aug. 5.—Nether Stanley Clark now the schooner yacht Caroline is known here.

Merion Wants to Vote at Home. Merion-on-the-Main Line will have its own voting place if a movement backed by the Merion Civic Association is successful.

Stork Holds Up P. R. R. Train. The stork held up a Pennsylvania train at Piqua, O., according to dispatches received today, when Mrs. H. H. Palmer, of this city, gave birth to a baby girl.

Geuting's 14th Semi-Annual SHOE CLEARANCE. Half-Price Savings on Shoes for Men, Women and Children. \$5.00 Bostonian Shoes for Men (Both Stores) \$2.50. \$4.00 Queen Quality Shoes for Women \$2.00. Attention, Mothers—Boys' Rubber Sole Oxford 95c. Boys' \$4 and \$4.50 Double-wear Oxfords—the kind you can't get elsewhere in these days of high leather prices. \$2.45 and \$2.90. Boys' \$3.50 Trotmoc Play Shoes, \$1.90. Children's and Misses' Ankle-Straps, formerly \$1.90 & \$2.50 \$2.00 and \$3.50. Now \$1.90 & \$2.50. In Babies' sizes, 85c. Children's \$2.50 and \$3.00 Sure Treads \$1.45 and \$1.90. Growing Girls' \$3.50 and \$4.00 Pumps \$2.65. Growing Girls' \$3.50 White Canvas Pumps \$1.90. 1230 Market Street Shoes and Stockings for the Family. 19 South 11th Street Exclusive Men's Shop. The Geuting Idea is a shoe service unique, combining style authority in famous shoes with orthopedic fitting knowledge. Every Foot Professionally Fitted—Three Geuting Brothers Supervising. Both Stores Closed All Day on Saturdays During August.