

The Bloody Battle That Crimsoned the Piave



THE ABOVE MAP SHOWS THE FIELD OF OPERATIONS ON THE PIAVE, TO WHICH THE ITALIANS HAD RETREATED AFTER THE CAPORETTO DISASTER, AND THE MONTELLA PLATEAU, TAKEN IN PART BY THE AUSTRIANS, WHO WERE AFTERWARD DRIVEN ACROSS THE RIVER IN A CRUSHING DEFEAT.



ITALIAN RED CROSS STRETCHER BEARERS BRINGING IN TO FIRST-AID STATIONS WOUNDED AUSTRIAN SOLDIERS WHO HAVE FALLEN ON THE ISLAND OF FAGARE IN THE RIVER PIAVE.

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