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Paris, Monday, June 10.—Praise is given the marines and other American troops who took part in the fighting last week northwest of Chateau Thierry in an official statement issued tonight, giving a summary of the operations there. It is declared that with "strong will and irresistible activity" the American troops continue absolutely to dominate the adversaries they oppose.

"The operations on the sixth of June advancing our line," the statement adds, "gave us a view of the enemy which permitted us to exploit the situation. Also in the evening the American troops pushing forward to the American Bussières and Torcy and continuing to clean up Balleau wood from local opposition, advanced their line for more than a mile.

"Finally, toward 6 o'clock in the evening, some of our troops penetrated in Thourcheses. The American infantry showed itself very skillful in maneuvering. The courage of the officers and men bordered on temerity. One lieutenant, hindered in his advance by a machine gun, threw himself almost alone into the woods, where it was established and, having killed his crew, returned with the gun over his shoulder.

"The courage of the combat troops was equalled only by the magnificent coolness of certain of their ambulance men who, amidst a hail of bullets, gave first aid to the wounded before carrying them to field dressing stations.

"Operating in liaison with the Americans, our troops the next day won considerably the gains of the day before, while the division on the left progressed northward. Both effected a very skillful maneuver. During the morning our troops captured Veully-La-Poterie cemetery and, finally, by a single dash, they carried the heights southwest of Hautevignes. Our troops met with stubborn resistance which they broke down completely.

"The Germans suffered irreparable losses. One of the companies opposed to us which counted 100 bayonets at the beginning yesterday, only mustered 23, five of whom belonged to another company, and five to the regimental reserves."

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FORECLOSURE SALE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage made by Harry Adams to the Wilmington Home Loan and Loan Association and registered in book 43, page 389 of the records of New Hanover county, the undersigned will sell to the highest bidder at public auction, for cash, at the courthouse door in the city of Wilmington, on Friday, the 21st day of July, 1918, at 12 o'clock noon, the following described property situated in the city of Wilmington: That lot beginning at the intersection of the western line of Eighth street with the northern line of Nixon street; runs thence easterly along the western line of eighth street 69 feet; thence westerly parallel with Nixon street 150 feet; thence southwesterly and parallel with eighth street 69 feet to the northern line of Nixon street; thence easterly along the northern line of Nixon street 150 feet to the beginning, and being part of lot 5 of Block 204, and the same as conveyed to J. J. Quillman to S. A. Adams on the 5th day of November, 1917, to which deed reference is made for a more particular description, said deed being registered in book 68, page 108. This 11th day of June, 1918. WILMINGTON HOMESTEAD AND LOAN ASSOCIATION. By John D. Bellamy, Attorney. 6-11-304

Resigned Fireman Is Not Satisfied

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about Sprunt's cotton warehouse, saying he was an American citizen and asking the undersigned to get work for him. It was a typewritten slip, giving an address, and saying he sent the letter by a friend, but to say nothing about it. I do not know whether he wrote it or not; it may have been bogus, but I do know that I had nothing to do with the man; had never seen him and did not know him. I carried the letter to J. O. Carr, at the time, and told him I had nothing to do with the man. Mr. Carr will substantiate this. I gave him the letter.

"The other thing was this. I had borrowed some hay from the engine house. After my discharge I asked my wife if she had returned it—she called the boy, who works for us, and being informed he had not, she directed him to do so at once. He did so. I never saw the hay. The next thing I heard was that Mr. Carr was sent for upon the report the hay was poisoned. The intimation was that I had doctored the hay so as to poison the horses. On examining the hay, then at the engine house, it was found to be wet with some chemicals used at the engine house, but it was apparent, when the hay was moved aside, that the chemicals had been put on it, at the engine house, for underneath where it lay, the liquid had dripped down and wet the floor. This could not have been if it had been doctored by me at my house, because the chemicals would have dried on it in a few minutes and would not have wet the floor, after being carried from my house to the engine house. It was so apparent somebody was putting up a job to prejudice the government against me that Mr. Carr and Mr. Phillips did not pay any attention to it. Somebody did it to injure my standing as a loyal citizen.

"I feel that a great injustice has been done me; that because of unjust prejudice, instigated by some evil-disposed persons, taking advantage of the German birth. I have been made to lose my job, after more than 20 years of faithful service in the department."

"That is not all. Having served 20 years I am entitled to suspension under the fireman's pension law, as a number of persons had assembled to demand the board should expel me. If I had been better advised, perhaps, at the time, I would have fought it out, but under the circumstances I yielded to and trusted to time to vindicate me.

"I applied for my pension. The board of trustees, acting upon the advice of the city attorney, Mr. Ruark, decline to allow it. The attorney held that I am not entitled to it because I am not in the active service of the fire force of Wilmington.

"I am advised that, having served 20 years, I am entitled to pension in the spirit of the act, but in order to relieve all doubt, I feel I should be reinstated—the resignation allowed to be recalled and its acceptance revoked, and if my services then be not continued, I should be 'retired' on pension, which I have earned by 20 years service, and it should be given me as my just due.

"I deny that I have been in word, thought or deed, at any time, disloyal to my adopted country; I have not any interests or attachments to bind me to Germany, and, in this war crisis, both my wife and myself before and since my discharge have done what we could to help support our country, not only subscribing to liberty bonds, but soliciting and inducing

IS TIME WHEN KINGS MUST STICK TOGETHER

Letter From Emperor Charles
Was Turning Point For
Rumania in War

(Correspondence Associated Press.)

London, May 31.—A private letter written to King Ferdinand of Rumania by Emperor Charles, of Austria-Hungary, in the latter part of February, marked the turning point in Rumania's participation in the world war, and was one of the deciding factors in the long series of intrigues which eventually broke the spirit of the Rumanian king.

Under this outside pressure King Ferdinand changed from an ardent supporter of the war against Germany, into a lukewarm and vacillating opportunist and finally into a distinct peace advocate.

"This is a time when kings must stick together."

This is the most striking sentence of the letter of Emperor Charles.

A summary of its contents was communicated to the American minister and to the Associated Press correspondent in essay by a high official. In intimate terms the Austrian emperor directed the attention of King Ferdinand to the great danger from all monarchial institutions from the wave of socialism which was sweeping eastern Europe. He drew a heartfelt picture of the danger to Austria from the spread of Bolshevism across the Russian border and declared the Rumanian dynasty was in equal danger from the same source.

Emperor Charles pleaded with the Rumanian king to join with other monarchies in Europe in the death struggle with democracy and promised that if Ferdinand would abandon the allies Germany and Austria would support him in retaining his throne.

APPEAL TO AMERICA TO SEND FORCES

Washington, June 11.—An appeal to the United States and the allies to send an expeditionary force to Russia to repel the German invaders, forwarded by the central committee of the Cadet party in Russia, was transmitted to the state department by the Russian embassy. It is asked that the expedition, if sent, be put under international control to guarantee the rights of Russia.

others to do so, as also to the Red Cross work; and I resent the imputations which the government has found to be untrue, that I have not been faithful and true to my allegiance to the United States.

"I therefore respectfully ask that you will re-open my case, hear evidence on any charges which may be brought against me and I be given an opportunity to exonerate myself; and if so, that I be reinstated in the fire department, on active duty, which I prefer, but if my services are not desired, then that I may be retired and allowed to receive my pension for 20 years service."

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MOVEMENT OF POTATO CROP MORE ASSURING

Some Anxiety Had Been Felt
Because of the Freight
Congestion

Special to The Dispatch.)

Washington, June 11.—A reassuring statement regarding the movement of the potato crop of eastern North Carolina was made to Senator Simmons by the United States railroad administration. Some anxiety had been felt in the state because of the possibility of freight congestion affecting a crop which must be moved quickly. Senator Simmons is now promised that a sufficient number of cars will be provided and while the crop may not be moved as rapidly as heretofore there will be no serious delay.

After urging upon the railroad administration the necessity of quick action, Senator Simmons issued the following statement:

"During the past few days I have had up with director of transportation, Mr. Chambers, the matter of the movement of the potato crop in eastern North Carolina and have emphasized to the transportation authorities the urgent need of immediate action in furnishing a sufficient number of cars to the potato growers of the state and in seeing that this perishable crop is moved promptly and with dispatch. The railroad administration is giving the matter close attention and Mr. Chambers now advises me by telephone that the administration is acting and that no alarm need be felt as to the proper movement of the crop. He says that steps have been taken to furnish a sufficient number of cars and that while the movement may not proceed as rapidly as in former years, the crop will get on the market in plenty of time."

Beveridge the Speaker at Purdue.

Lafayette, Ind., June 11.—The class of 1918, considerably smaller than in previous years owing to the war, received their degrees at the annual commencement of Purdue university today. Albert J. Beveridge, former United States senator, was the commencement orator.

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