

General Pershing Makes Memorial Address

Romagne, France, June 1.—"Farewell, dear comrades. Here under the clear skies of the green hillside and amid the flowering fields of France, on the quiet hush of peace, we leave you forever in God's keeping."

With these words General Pershing, commander of the American expeditionary forces closed his memorial day address at Romagne in the Argonne cemetery, where more than 9,000 Americans who fell in the fighting are buried. General Degoutt, representing the French government, and Marshal Foch, allied commander in chief, spoke briefly, mentioning all the battles in which the Americans had participated and dwelling upon the everlasting memory in which those who had died for the cause of liberty, justice and civilization would be held by all France.

The speaker's stand was on a hillside overlooking the sloping acres of the white crosses. In the center of the plot a huge American flag was flying and at the corner other staves held the national colors at half mast. With the conclusion of General Pershing's speech, four 75's of the Third Division artillery fired the national salute. The guns were the ones which had been turned on the enemy on the Marne when last July the Germans started their last great drive toward Paris.

Amid the booming of the guns a soldier sang "Lead Kindly Light," and after this a company of infantrymen from the Fifth Division fired three volleys off towards the north over the

graves. A bugle corps sounded "Taps" and all the flags were raised to mast top as the exercises ended. Ten thousand troops representing all the divisions that participated in the Argonne engagement, were present.

"Memorial Day this year has for us a peculiar significance," said General Pershing. "Our nation has taken an important part in the greatest war of history. With tremendous expenditures of life and treasure an end has come to the terrible conflict which has wrung the world for four years. It was a war of humanity. It was waged against militarism and a despotism and their arbitrary extension to other lands. Thousands of brave men had fallen in defense of their firesides, till allied hope seemed all but lost. In righteousness, more people rose and our armies in ever increasing numbers vigorously threw their strength to the allies on the side of civilization. Reared in the land of freedom, these valiant men, but partly skilled in arms, came willing to give their lives to the cause without desire for gain. By their energy, their devotion, the tide of war turned, invaded homes were set free, and human liberty was saved from destruction.

The principles which our forefathers fought to establish, the heroic dead who lie here fought to maintain, and their ideals have brought our gift to the old world. But beyond this our own people through these sacrifices gained much honor as individuals and as a nation. There is given us a more lofty conception of the grandeur of human liberty and with it a distinct vision of a better world. To realize this fully the foundations of society must be laid deeper and the structure

more firmly built.

"The times demand of us clearness in thought and firmness in action. The solidity of our nation must be the bulwark against incidious and destructive tendencies. The glory of our independence must remain the leaven and our flag the emblem of all that free men love and cherish. Strengthened by the practical test of war and with an abiding faith in the Almighty, let us be steadfast in upholding the integrity of our traditions, as a guide to future generations at home and a beacon to all who are oppressed.

"It is especially given the soldier to know clearly the price of liberty. Those to whom America pays tribute here today came with us in the full vigor of their youth. They left their homes encouraged by beloved ones who remained behind. As they went to battle they were united with a holy inspiration, realizing their mighty task and their obligations to their country and they fought with unparalleled stoicism and determination.

"We saw enthusiasm and confidence carry them on with irresistible force. We saw them at Cantigny and again at Chateau Thierry, at St. Mihiel and on this historic field in the decisive battle of the war.

"We can again see them yonder moving forward as they steadily advance across the shell torn field under withering fire. They cheer and gallantly charge the enemy's strong positions. They put him to flight in the shock of arms. Onward, ever onward, they go through weary days and sleepless nights of continuous struggle, on to the final great victory.

"We weep today over their graves because they are our flesh and blood,

Secretary Daniels Wants Ready Navy

Between Now and End of War Department Will Have Time to Carefully Consider Situation.

Washington.—Although the navy department has placed itself on record as being opposed to launching new building programs which would give the United States a navy "second to none in the world," it is in favor of rushing to completion all capital ships already authorized and of maintaining temporarily at least, a force of men capable of handling "any emergency which might arise."

Secretary Daniels, continuing his testimony before the house naval affairs committee, read a communication from the general board which recommended that the 10 battleships and six battle cruisers authorized in the 1916 program should be completed as soon as possible.

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"Never since 1865 have the cotton producers attained a fair measure of prosperity. Every effort to better prices for them have been vigorously assailed in manufacturing and financial circles in the East and in England.

"If the South had never produced a bale of cotton it would have been infinitely better off today. Without cotton the South would be the center of the food producing power of America."

LYNCH IS LYNCHED BY AN ANGRY MOB AT LAMA, MO.

Springfield, Mo.—Jay Lynch, slayer of Sheriff John Harlow and Harlow's son March 3, was hanged by a mob at Lama, Mo.

Lynch, who was captured in Colorado a few weeks ago, was being arraigned in the Barton county courthouse. A mob quickly assembled and, taking the prisoner from the officers, hanged him in the courthouse yard.

Lynch was mobbed while seated in the courtroom. Men held the officers and seizing the prisoner, dragged him down the steps of the courthouse to an elm tree about 25 feet from the entrance. Lynch had entered a plea of "guilty" to the charge of murdering Sheriff Harlow and his son and had been given a life sentence.

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