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NATIVES WHIPPED FRENCH IN AFRICA—SIGN OF THE TIMES

Fellow Men of the Negro Race, Greeting:

To us has come the news of Africa's gradual awakening. The following bit of news but augments the steady growth of the new spirit by which we hope to conquer:

"Natives Wipe Out French Troops"

PARIS, Oct. 8. — A band of 300 native riflemen attacked a platoon of sixty French camel troops fifty miles north of Timbuctoo, annihilating the whole detachment after a seven-hour battle, said a dispatch from Dakar Monday.

French Hypocrisy

At last French hypocrisy has been unearthed in Africa, and the natives now realize that all European exploiters are the same, whether they be English, French or Italian. There is only one thing for four hundred million Negroes to do, exploit and gospel-grinder hell in Africa.

Religious Camouflage

Under the guise of religion they have made their inroads into our native land, telling us of Christ, while they busy themselves looking for gold, rubber, oil, coal, diamonds and other minerals. Now, that they have discovered these things, they are endeavoring to establish themselves permanently on the land with the hope of making it another "white man's country." It is truly said that "fools rush in where angels fear to tread," and this can well be applied to Africa. The ancients have left Africa alone; all generations of men, with the exception of the present, have left Africa alone, but the present one seems to be gone mad for power and gold, and they will get all the hell they are looking for in Africa when the time comes.

Crazy Europe

The French, English, Italians et al. are crazy if they think that four hundred million black men are going to sit down and fold their hands for all time and allow them to rob and exploit Africa, their country. Mussolini, Baldwin and Poincare are drunk. They have forgotten their histories, but united scattered Africa may yet bring them back to their senses.

International Robbers

The League of Nations and the gang of international robbers may play deaf to the peaceful appeal of the Negro peoples of the world, asking that justice be given the black man and that he be restored to his country as a national entity; but the sin of retribution shall fall upon the heads of those who could have

THE BLACK WORLD SHOULD UNITE FOR AFRICA'S REDEMPTION

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saved the human race and failed to do so when the appeal was made.

Arch-Plotters in Europe

Again we warn the arch-plotters of Europe to stop their foolish game of plunder in Africa. It will profit them nothing to continue in the course they have adopted, for, indeed, they are piling up only sorrow and remorse for their children. The oil that they are going after today may be oil of tears in the future, for native Africans will yet speak with a voice that not even heaven and hell will forget.

World Gone Mad

The world is gone mad to think that black humanity has forgotten itself. We are here, and here to stay, and, like all other peoples, to create of ourselves a nation with pride and glory.

It is sincerely hoped that no black French soldier will turn against his own at the call of France, or any other nation in Africa. The time has not yet come, but when Africa calls we hope to see four hundred million black men, women and children standing together.

"Divine Confidence"

Indeed, our cry has not fallen on deaf ears. At last we have succeeded in dislodging the "divine confidence" that the native African once had in the pale-faced missionary and trader. Thank God, Africa has awakened to see the deception of the centuries. We feel sure that the little incident of defeat for the French around Timbuctoo will help to lessen the awe of the black man for the "divine robber." Let all Senegal, Morocco, Gambia, Togoland and other French-African outposts follow suit. Keep up the propaganda and "give them hell." If oil, gold, coal and diamonds are good for Europeans, they are also good for the native owners and their brothers.

Hunting for Trouble

What right have France, England, Italy, Belgium, Spain and Portugal to be in Africa? These

European robbers and plunderers are still on the path to war and rumors of wars. They are still hunting for trouble, and, by God, they will get it! "The race is not for the swift or for the strong, but to him that endureth to the end"; so that the black world is not afraid of the future, for God's own blessing falls upon us in the prophecy of His Psalmist, that "Princes shall come out of Egypt and Ethiopia stretch forth her hands."

Appeal to America

We would appeal, however, to democratic, liberal and great white America to save crazy Europe from the doom that awaits them in the continuation of their program of colonial robbery and exploitation. In fact, white America, yellow and brown Asia, and black Africa should unite to curb and prevent Europe from fermenting the greatest of wars that will wreck our civilization and destroy our humanity.

900,000,000 Darker Peoples

Again I say, Europe is crazy, if they think that 400,000,000 black men and 500,000,000 yellow and brown people are going to allow them another quarter century of headway to steal and plunder in the name of Christ. Lloyd George would do well to tell his people to stop fooling themselves about the "guardianship of native peoples." These native peoples know them to be a "bunch" of sharks, plunderers and gospel-grinders, and we have all lost confidence in you. You have sold Christ beyond the redemption of your own souls and we have purchased Him with the hope of light, truth and justice.

Negro Needs Justice

The Negro needs nothing more than the things that are his, and for these we now ask the League of Nations, Europe and the rest of the world. The Negro believes in and loves peace; hence, our appeal to reason, but in the name of God and our race we shall possess the land of our fathers.

Natives of Africa

The demonstration of the natives around Timbuctoo suggests to us that we need a great deal of scientific preparation, for the test of combat will be purely on scientific lines. Let every Negro prepare himself scientifically for Africa, for when hell is again let loose on earth we will have to hold our end in the Motherland.

Let us praise God for this awakening, and let us march steadily on till Africa is free.

With best wishes for your success, I have the honor to be

Your obedient servant,

MARCUS GARVEY,

Provisional President of Africa.

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Announcement has been made from London that the Imperial Conference, now in session, has decided to substitute as proper the British Commonwealth of Nations for the British Empire. The difference is radical and far reaching. Downing Street is no longer the last resort and despair of the wronged and oppressed colonist, with appeal to Parliament; he must look for that to the government of his Dominion. That places the wronged and outraged native peoples of the Union of South Africa, for example, at the mercy of such an imperial brute as Jan Smuts and his Dutch advisors, although, if it had not been for the loyal support of the native blacks included in the present Union of South Africa, the British may not have conquered Oom Kruger and his Dutchmen of the Transvaal.

IS THERE ANY SUCH THING AS 'THE WHITE SOUL OF AMERICA'? The editor of the Negro World has received the following letter from Mr. A. Muldivin, of 251 Fifth Avenue, New York: 'Mr. Garvey's appeal, perhaps, might have been more effective, were it made to the white soul of America rather than the soul of white America. As a member of the white race, I admire his frankness towards my own race as well as his, but I question his wisdom in so doing.'

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tolerable existence in the present and reasonable hopes in the future. We believe Mr. Muldivin will concede as much. Marcus Garvey could claim no less in his contention for African redemption from white rule and exploitation and for a political and economic deal for Negro people wherever they are a part of the national systems in which they live, as in the colonies of the United States and Great Britain. And has the United States no colonies? Perhaps not. But do we not treat the people of Haiti, the Virgin Islands, Porto Rico and the Philippines as if they were dependent colonies? Even so.

Yes; the Negro needs to think broadly and speak frankly and to have the courage of his convictions wherever his lot may be cast among the nations of the earth and in his native Africa. Is there any such thing as the white soul of America? And what are the constituent attributes of the Soul? The wise men of the ages stammer and stutter here. However, if we accept the theory that the soul is the higher consciousness of the breath of life, we shall not be far amiss if we say that the white soul of America represents the whole people, the Government, and that the soul of white America represents the individual American. While we have received much from white individual contention for political economic justice for us, we have received mighty little from the Government, the white soul of America; which the soul of white America forced slave upon us over its protest and against which it has been striving by fire and sword and class legislation to make of no effect ever since Lee surrendered his sword to Grant at Appomattox.

It has come to the point where the soul of white America, the Government, and the white soul of America, the individual citizen, are equally deaf or indifferent to our appeal for civil and economic justice. Class legislation and discrimination in the apportionment of representation and common taxation and mob rule have the right of way at this time. If there is any soul in either of them which responds to constitutional guaranty of equality of privileges and immunities, with Christian commandment of brotherly love and consideration, it is provokingly in the minority and is heard but indistinctly, and in spots.

Both in Christian Europe and the United States, civil government and the economic system upon which it is built and which sustains it, is on trial; its life is in the balance. The economic system is basically wrong, but unless it can be so reconstructed as to meet the modern requirements of owners, laborers and consumers of the products, it will go to pieces and carry down civil government in the smash. That is threatened now in all Christian governments, ours as well. We can see no advantage in changing from government by capitalism to government by trade unionism, neither of which cares a rap about government by the people, in which the rights of capitalists and laborers are measured by the same rule, and not by special rules, as the rights of those who are neither capitalist nor trade union laborers. We do not say that laborists receive more than they should for their labor, but we do say that capitalists receive a great deal more than they should, while consumers of their products pay for it all, when they have the price demanded. Their struggle for 'a crust of bread and a place to sleep' is the logical reduction of existence in the competitive industrial slavery.

Unless Christian governments prove that they are able to harmonize the conflicting claims of owners and managers of public service utilities, wage earners and consumers, they are not going to endure. They will crumble as autocratic Russia crumbled, and as imperial Britain is admittedly crumbling. And what will be built upon the ruins? Where is the prophet who knows? Mr. Garvey, therefore, will stick to his program as being the wisest and safest; that is, of contending for the redemption of Africa from white domination and exploitation of the liberties and labors of its people and the development of their own governments, and for the largest possible political and economic justice for Negroes under whatever flag they may serve and strive and hope for higher and better things in living.

PROF. LOCKE AT KING TUT'S TOMB. When Howard Carter, the co-worker of Lord Carnarvon of the discovery of the tomb of King Tut-Ankh-Amen, at Luxor, in Egypt, which interested millions of people, and which reached the death of Lord Carnarvon, opens the tomb, far as to reach the remains of the king, which it is not supposed to disturb, we understand, the Negro race will have a competent representative on the spot to see what there is to be seen and to report it on his authority as a student of anthropology. The fortunate circumstance was made possible by the foresight and generosity of the Negro Society for Historical Research. The Society for Historical Research, in July last, sent Dr. Alain Royer Locke, of Howard University, abroad to be present when Mr. Carter should open the tomb again. He has been spending the time in Berlin studying upon Egyptology and conferring with his German professors and friends, and will be ready to proceed to Egypt at the psychological moment. Our readers who wish to know about the matter should read what Sir John Edward Bruce has to say on this issue of 'The Negro World' in 'The Passing Show'.

The Negro Society for Historical Research has placed the race under obligation by sending a scholar as Prof. Locke to be on the spot when further opening of King Tut's tomb shall be made. We want to know the truth from one of our own, and Prof. Locke is capable of grasping and giving it to us.

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BRITISH ENSLAVEMENT OF SOUTH AFRICANS. Natives, Enslaved and Robbed, Will Yet Throw Off the Yoke of Alien Oppression.

Under the name of 'The British Enslavement of South Africans' a book has been published which is a very appropriate and scathing criticism of the British Empire. The book is a very appropriate and scathing criticism of the British Empire. The book is a very appropriate and scathing criticism of the British Empire.

The natives of Cape Colony and Natal were told that the war was being waged to overthrow the menace of Boer rule in South Africa. The natives were told that the war was being waged to overthrow the menace of Boer rule in South Africa. The natives were told that the war was being waged to overthrow the menace of Boer rule in South Africa.

A MIGRATION REMEDY. The 'Louvain Letter' in its issue of Oct. 3 prints the following editorial: 'President Coolidge is reported to be greatly interested in the suggestion of the National Republican National Committee from Arkansas, who recommended to the President that a commission of representative Southern Negroes be appointed to advise on the subject of migration from the South to the North.'

135TH ST. LIBRARY NOTES. The library has been closed for several days. The children's reading and reference room is open daily from 2 to 6. Saturday from 9 to 6. A librarian is always in attendance for story telling, reading aloud or for assistance in reference work. Parents are always invited.

BIRTH. Mr. L. B. E. Jones, vice-president of the chapter of the Palmetto Division No. 100, Orléans, Ohio, announces the birth and baptism of a son, 'L. B. E. Jones, Jr.', on Oct. 14, 1923. Baptism on the 16th under the auspices of the Red, Black and Green.

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THE PASSING SHOW. By JOHN EDWARD BRUCE.

Words come from Mr. Howard Carter, who is in charge of the excavations of the tomb of King Tut-Ankh-Amen at Luxor, that he will open but will not remove to a museum what has been left by the tomb of the pharaoh. This is a very appropriate and scathing criticism of the British Empire.

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COLUMBUS DIV. HONORS. FOUNDER OF MOVEMENT. Monster Parade Staged.

The visit of the Hon. Marcus Garvey to the Columbus Division was an occasion for a monster demonstration. The streets were thronged with people to catch a glimpse of the great Negro Leader who was recently released on bail.

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NASSAU DIVISION. STAGS MASS MEETING.

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TORONTO DIVISION. CAN. A Message to the Women of the Race.

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