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JULY 15 1918 HUN ARMY WAS LURED TO DESTRUCTION

Paris, July 21.—The *Matin* will print tomorrow a story of the battle situation of July 14 last year as it appeared to the eyes of Foch and his staff. The Marshal himself says:

"The battle of July was our battle of the nations. The French, English, Americans and Italians all were heart to heart, shoulder to shoulder. All did their duty. All I did was to do mine. The battle of July 18 was only the beginning of the good work. When would the end come? That I did not know. But I knew well what that end would be. Never for one day or one hour did I have any doubt as to the result. In war he who doubts is lost—one should never doubt."

From the Marshal's staff, Stephane Luzanne, to whom Foch made the above statement, I received the following:

"On July 14 Foch and his staff were staying at the Chateau Bourbon near the little town of Mormont in the Seine-et-Marne department. They had their eyes fixed alternately on a map and on the clock, for they knew almost to a second when and where Hindenburg was going to attack. The information gathered from prisoners and airplanes had been exact and detailed. Since the 15th the Marshal had known the day, the place, the arrangements and the extent of the attack. All that he needed was the exact moment when the attack would be launched and that he learned in the evening of the 14th.

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SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster General will be received at Ottawa until noon on Friday, the **twenty-second of August, 1919**, for the conveyance of His Majesty's mails on a proposed Contract for four years three times per week on the Fredericton Rural Route No. 7, from the Postmaster General's pleasure.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Fredericton and Nashwaakiss, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector.

H. W. WOODS,
Post Office Inspector.
July, 4th, 1919.

"A local attack carried out by Gouraud's outposts captured 27 Germans who admitted that the first wave of the assault would leave the enemy's lines at 3 a. m. on the 15th. The artillery was to begin at midnight.

Knew They Had Him

"Among the little group of French officers on whom lay such a tremendous responsibility there was no emotion (in the words of Lauzanne's informant) 'one feels no emotion when one knows that the adversary's game is an open book and that one's own plans are a mystery to the adversary.

"Foch knew that the Germans intended to strike their final blow by cutting the right wing of the allied army in half, that they hoped to carry in a single stroke, Rheims, Epernay, Chalons and even Verdun, that they expected to envelope Paris from the east and thus strike a death blow at public opinion. But what the Germans did not know was that from Chateau-Thierry to the Argonne they would meet a formidable defensive in which troops at least as numerous as their own had been accumulated. They had no idea that between Prunet and Maun de Massiges they would find a void before them and then suddenly in the second line, facing them or in reserve, 14 divisions of infantry. They did not know that between Rheims and the Marne on the front held by Gen. Berthelot, they would meet 11 infantry divisions in the first line with three infantry divisions and one cavalry corps in reserve, or that on the left bank of the river between Chatillon and Chateau-Thierry they would have to deal with five and a half divisions in line and a half in reserve.

Ready to Fight to Death

"They never thought that at this second battle of the Marne they would find the allies—all the allies—ready to fight to the death—the Italians two divisions strong near Rheims, the Americans three divisions strong near Chateau-Thierry, the British four divisions strong west of Soissons and the French 32 divisions strong everywhere. And above all, they did not know that between Soissons and Chateau-Thierry, behind the dark screen of the forests of Compeigne and Villers-Cotterets a tremendous counter-offensive had been for weeks in preparation.

"Of all that they were ignorant, and the proof of it is that on July 15 at noon on the front of Gouraud's army they halted after nine hours of furious assaults, exhausted, anxious and surprised, and that on the fronts of Berthelot and Degoutte, although they had passed the Marne, they halted on the evening of the 17th checked and breathless; and finally that on the morning of the 18th when in turn we passed to the attack from Soissons to Chateau-Thierry the shock fell upon the enemy like a thunderbolt. Sixteen divisions—12 of the French and four Americans were hurled forward by Marguin and Degoutte upon the enemy flank which was covered by only nine.

On the whole of Mangin's front there was no artillery preparation. The troops went to the assault behind a rolling barrage preceded only by tanks. They pierced deep into the enemy's lines and threw him into confusion. From the morning of the 18th disorder reigned throughout the enemy forces. From that evening, threatened on his front and with his flank pierced between Soissons and Chateau-Thierry, he was compelled to begin a retreat across the Marne and the evacuation of the whole salient. From the 20th he was thrown back across the Ourcq. Thereafter his retreat was slow and stubborn, but a retreat nevertheless on the whole convex front from Rheims to Soissons a retreat every day and every hour.

"By August 6 there was not a single German soldier south of the river Vesle. Thirty thousand prisoners had been taken, 600 guns, 200 minierwerfer, 3000 machine guns and the front had been shortened by 45 kilometers. The railroad from Paris to Chalons had once more been rendered available and the threat against the capital removed. A terrible blow had been struck at the morale of the German army and people, while that of the Allies had been inflamed by victory."

Honey Production Increasing

Mr. L. T. Floyd, Provincial Apiarist returned recently from a tour of the province in connection with his work. Mr. Floyd expects the production of honey to be double that of two years ago. Last year the value of honey was \$30,000. An average price of thirty cents per pound is expected this year. Demonstrations in swarm control have been given by Mr. Floyd.

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MOVEMENTS OF THE STARS IN FILM LAND

Ina Claire appears in support of Mary MacLaren in "The Petal on the Current," now being filmed from the story by Fannie Hurst.

Dorothy Dalton recently had the distinction of making the first hydro-plane passenger trip from lower New Jersey to Albany, N. Y.

Thompson Buchanan, a contributor to the stage, has created a drama for Geraldine Farrar. It is called "The Golden Song," and Goldwyn will circulate it.

George Gunny, brother of John Bunny, who up to his death a few years ago was the foremost comedian of the screen, is seen in support of Montagu Love in "A Broadway Saint."

The photographing of "L'Apache," in which Dorothy Dalton is starred, has been completed. Among those in the cast are Robert Elliott, Austin Webber, Mary Harlan, George Furry, Alice Gale and Louis Darclay.

Polly Moran of Chicago and more

especially of Mack Sennett comedy fame, has transferred her baggage from Mr. Sennett's studio to the realm of William Fox and will henceforth evoke laughter by her antics in Sunshine comedies.

Spottiswoode Aiken, the character actor famed for his work in "The Birth of a Nation," who recently added to his laurels by his superb character work in Priscilla Dean's "The Wicked Darling," has been engaged by Universal to play the title role in "Auld Jeremiahs," the Henry C. Howland story which Tod Browning is making into a six reel feature with Mary MacLaren as the star.

Mary Pickford's threatened retirement from professional life is becoming as chronic as Sarah Bernhardt's farewell stage appearances. Every so often the film favorite causes it to be known that she has wearied of studio life and wants to quit permanently. Her latest announcement in this regard comes from Boston. "Only nine more pictures, and Mary will settle down to enjoy the fruits of her hard earned savings," is the way Mother Pickford puts it. "The pictures that are to come are to be the biggest and best ever developed by her, and she has been given free leave to spend all the money she likes to make the production more successful."

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