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NEEDHAM ROBERTS HONORED IN HIS HOME TOWN.

Citizens of Both Races Join in Royal Welcome to Colored Winner of the French Croix de Guerre—Reception Directed by Mayor Donnelly—Ring-ling Letter from Emmett J. Scott.

Trenton, N. J., Nov. 11.—Crowds of people, including citizens of both races, of Trenton and the adjoining counties, joined in a monster homecoming reception last Wednesday night in honor of Private Needham Roberts, the Negro soldier hailing from Trenton, member of the 369th Infantry—the "Fighting Fifteenth" of New York—who so signally distinguished himself in France some months ago by his ravery and rare fighting qualities as to win the French Croix de Guerre and a personal citation for valorous conduct from General Pershing, Commander in Chief of the American Expeditionary Forces.

It will be remembered that Roberts, with a fellow-soldier in arms, Harry Johnson, put to rout twenty Germans, who attacked them while they were doing guard duty at one of the Allies' most important strategic points on France's western front. They thus saved the lives of thousands of their sleeping soldier comrades. The reception was general throughout Trenton and its environs, an im promptu parade was one of the striking features of the occasion, participated in by the appreciative citizens, regardless of race or color.

At a big mass meeting, held in the State Armory, Hon. Frederick W. Donnelly, Mayor of Trenton, through whose earnest co-operation the reception was conceived and made a brilliant success, presided and delivered a stirring address in which he lauded without stint the mastery courage of Trenton's hero. A ringing letter was sent by Dr. Emmet J. Scott, Special Assistant to the Secretary of War at Washington, who was prevented by official business from being present. Dr. Scott's letter was as follows:

An Appreciation from Emmett J. Scott War Department.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 5, 1918. Hon. Frederick W. Donnelly, Mayor, City of Trenton, Trenton, New Jersey.

My dear Sir:—I note with pleasure that the people of Trenton have planned to hold a reception of city-wide proportions on Wednesday night, at your suggestion, in honor of Private Needham Roberts, who so proudly distinguished himself on the battlefield in France as to win the Croix de Guerre. I am further gratified that you have done me the honor to invite me to be present and participate in the exercises you have arranged for the occasion.

It is with the deepest regret that I must inform you that, owing to the tremendous pressure of official business here in the War Department, accumulate by reason of frequent and enforced absences from my desk for the past few weeks, it is impossible for me to be with you and to add in person my tribute to the general fund of praise which this New Jersey hero has so richly earned. Although absent, in Washington, my heart will be with the liberty-loving citizens of New Jersey, and I shall rejoice with them that the first of her sons to receive the Croix de Guerre and the personal citation of General Pershing for bravery of a most extraordinary type, has been returned to you alive, even if bearing the scars of the world-wide combat for freedom and democracy.

To have had the opportunity to render this signal service at a crucial moment is in itself a reward and an honorable recognition, but the plaudits which you are reserving for Needham Roberts Wednesday night places a capstone upon his marvelous achievement that proves to him and to all of us that "Republicans are not ungrateful" to those who brave dangers for their preservation.

Last Saturday night I was in New York, attending a meeting at Carnegie Hall—a monster meeting which also testified its admiration of Needham Roberts' wonderful courage and rare resourcefulness as a fighter and as a patriot. Irvin Cobb, whose hearty encomiums of the valor of the Negro soldiers on the western front in France, known to him—not by hearsay, but of which he was an eyewitness, has won the gratitude of colored Americans everywhere, gave to Needham Roberts a merited acknowledgment of the nation's indebtedness. He said that the timely action of this fearless warrior, in risking death that thousands of his fellow-countrymen might live, entitled him to a place in history beside the immortal Crispus Attucks, whose blood was the first to be shed in the Revolu-

tionary struggle, and who thus helped to lay the foundation, firm and deep, of the American Republic—the grandest exponent of democracy in government that the world has ever seen.

You do well to honor Needham Roberts while he is yet in the flesh—while he is able to be inspired by your salvos of applause. The inspiration that you offer him goes out and beyond him to the 12,000,000 American Negroes, each of whom will be heartened by the generous words and public-spirited appreciation of patriotic duty nobly performed, which appreciation you are to exhibit through your cordial reception Wednesday night.

Wishing for the occasion the full est measure of success, I am Sincerely yours, EMMETT J. SCOTT.

The speech of Roberts at the close of the exercises was a sturdy, but modest recital of the story of the dramatic encounter which has made the Negro soldier a central figure in this war for world-wide democracy. Roberts has been at Lakewood Hospital for some time, convalescing from the wounds he received on the battlefield, and will now remain for an indefinite period at the home of his parents in this city.

EDITORIALS. If you do not advertise how will anyone other than your immediate friends know you are in business? Call us and talk it over.

The Sun wonders why some Negroes with an eye to business does not open a confectionery store at 10th and Charlotte streets. Judging from observation at least a hundred dollars is spent each Sunday by our people on that corner which should by all the rules of the game go into the till of the Negro business man.

The Sun is in receipt of an invitation to a very elaborate program at the commencement exercises of a class in Beauty Culture, under the instruction of Madame M. Eliza Dishman of Denver, Colo. Judging from all reports, Madame Dishman is doing exceedingly well in this line of work. Madame Dishman was formerly Miss Eliza Thompkins of this city.

OUR NEGRO REPRESENTATIVE. The election of Dr. Wm. Riley of St. Louis as a member of the next General Assembly of Missouri marks an epoch in the history of the race in this state, and brings forcibly to the minds of the people of this grand old commonwealth the indisputable fact that the Negro is making progress and that the bitter and unreasonable prejudice of other days is slowly but surely passing. Although the "solid South" has always attempted to include this state in its columns, Missouri has invariably resented that imputation and both prefers and insists that it be classed among the progressive and patriotic states of the Nation, and The Sun believes that Missouri is preparing to take a high place in 1920 among the leading states of our country. The Sun congratulates Dr. Riley upon his election and prays that he make such a favorable impression upon the electorate of Missouri as well as upon the members of the General Assembly as will influence both political parties in this state to give to the race that recognition due for long, faithful and patriotic service.

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