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Seven Members of U. S. Destroyer Risked Lives For U-Boat Victims

By Associated Press
London, March 13.—Sir J. Fortescue Flannery, member for the Maldon division of Essex, announced to-day that he would call the attention of the First Lord of the Admiralty in the House of Commons to the remarkable heroism and seamanship displayed by the American crew of the destroyer Parker in rescuing nine survivors, including the unconscious navigating officer, of the hospital ship Glenart Castle, sunk in the Bristol channel late in February.



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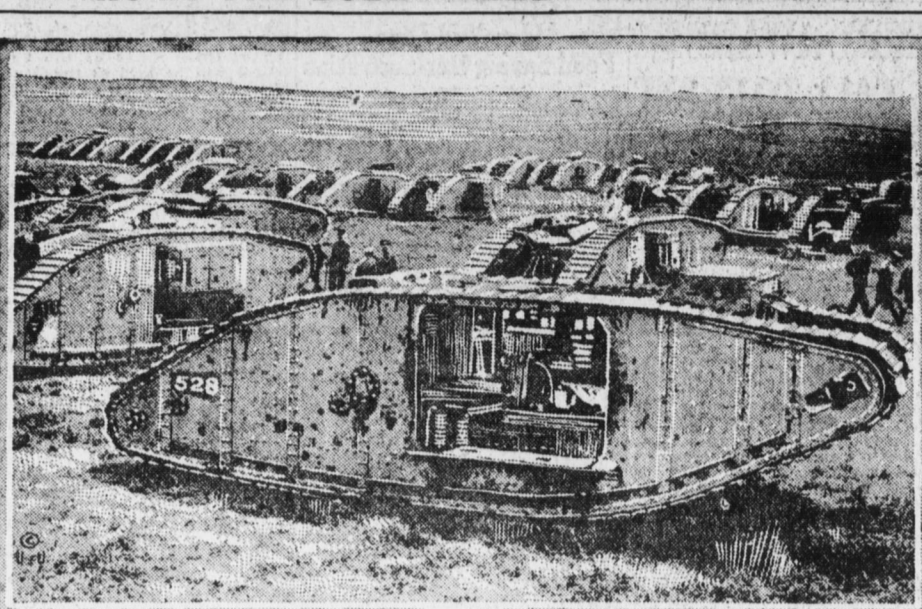
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ANIMALS HAVE DAMAGED TREES

Game and Rodents Fed on Bark During Long Winter

Fruit trees in many parts of the state have suffered from the hunt of mice and rabbits for food during the severely cold periods of this winter and many valuable orchards have been considerably damaged according to reports reaching the State Commission of Agriculture.

The bulletin says: "Some of the trees undoubtedly can be saved if the owners will act quickly. In gnawing off the outside bark it sometimes happens that the rodents do not seriously injure the cambium layer enough being left to sustain life in the tree until growth takes place. In such cases the wound should be covered with something to keep it moist. Common practices are to cover it with clay or with cow manure or a mixture of both holding it in place by wrapping rags or burlap about the injured portion. Another method sometimes used is to melt grafting wax and dip strips of cotton cloth in it and wind them about the tree. Three or four thicknesses of this will be enough to prevent the drying of the wound.

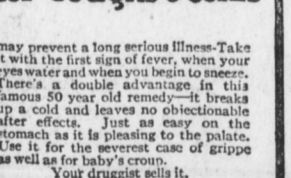
Where more serious injury has been done and the cambium layer has been destroyed the only way that the trees can be saved is to bridge graft. Small twigs of the size of a pencil are cut just long enough to fit into the bark above and below the wound. The ends are trimmed down the same as when grafting and inserted under the bark. Then the wound is covered with grafting wax. These should be applied before the wax cools.

"Some of this injury has been done by the pine mice. These little creatures work in the mole's runs and so are seldom seen. They peel the bark from that portion of the trunk that is underground and also from the roots. In such cases but little can be done.

"If attempts to save your trees fail which will be known in the late spring, it is advisable to cut the tree off at the lower edge of the wound and let a good sprout develop into which a bud or two can be set in July or August, of the desired variety, or allow that sprout to grow and trim it up in the following spring. There will be the disadvantage of leaving a bad stump.

"The unusual winter with deep snows has caused the rabbits and mice to feed principally on bark. The depth of snow has brought injury in many orchards to the branches of the trees above the trunk. Every owner should examine his trees at the first opportunity."

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Methodists Plan Merger; Combined Branches Would Make Huge Membership

Louisville—Unification of the two great branches of the Methodist church, the Northern and the Southern, beginning April 19, for the purpose of about 7,000,000 persons, is practically certain to take place within six years, according to a statement by the Rev. Frank M. Thomas, pastor of the Fourth Avenue Methodist Church, who has just returned from Savannah, Ga., where he spent two weeks as secretary of the joint commission appointed to consider plans for unification.

Another session of the joint commission will be held in St. Louis beginning April 19, for the purpose of adopting proposals already tentatively passed upon.

"Only a thin line now divides the two great branches of Methodism," said Dr. Thomas. "Practically every problem of re-union has been solved. Another thing, the formation of a new church is not laid from the best elements of the old. We have really got to build a world church, for Methodism is at home in every land.

One General Conference
"The union of the Methodist Episcopal Church and the Methodist Episcopal Church South will make a membership of about 7,000,000, and we are expecting other Methodist organizations to come in later. One is the Methodist Protestant Church, which has been independent. In forming a world church the idea is to have one general conference, and in time associate with the Japanese, the northern Asia, one for India, one for Europe, one for South America and perhaps others later.

"The meeting at Savannah was most important and successful. The commission felt that solution of all problems involved in unification was near.

"If everything is agreed to at the St. Louis meeting the plan of unification can be brought before the Methodist Church South for ratification at the general conference in Atlanta next May. While the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church will not be held regularly until 1920, the bishops of that denomination have the authority to call a special session if they deem it best.

"The St. Louis session developed agreement on every point it would be four or six years before we could get everything worked out. It has been discovered that \$750,000 has been expended annually by the two great branches in competitive territory, places where one Methodist church could have done the work. This would be \$7,500,000 in ten years, or enough money with what they already have to provide for all the supernumerary ministers."

The name for the proposed new church has not been determined. Several titles are under consideration.

WAR ROMANCE ENDS IN PARIS

Pierre Giraud, Hero of Charleroi, Sentenced to Five Years in Jail

Paris.—One of the stirring romances of the war had a melancholy ending in one of the criminal courts of Paris a few days ago, when Pierre Giraud, one of the heroes of Charleroi, was sentenced to five years' imprisonment for purloining letters containing money and valuables to the amount of more than 400,000 francs. The execution of the sentence was suspended on the recommendation of the jury.

Under Military Ace, Enlisted
Giraud, under military ace, enlisted at the outbreak of the war and was in the disaster at Charleroi. Hit by an explosive bullet, he lay on the field three days and three nights before he was picked up by a Belgian manufacturer who went over the field with a motorcar seeking for overlooked wounded.

Taken to a hospital in Charleroi, he was nursed by the daughter of the man who saved him. Later she aided him to escape. Helping him into one of the coffins provided for the dead at the hospital, she got him into the morgue, where he remained ten hours before a chance was found to transfer him in a wheelbarrow to the home of the girl's father.

His hiding place was discovered through denunciation, but Giraud escaped on crutches before the Germans could get him, and he was on the frontier of Holland, from whence he returned to France by way of England. His nurse followed him and their adventure developed into a marriage as soon as Giraud's wound was healed.

Giraud Was Reinstated
Decorated with the military medal and the war cross, Giraud was reinstated in his former employ at the general post office.

He was charged with the supervision of the department of registered letters, in which important thefts occurred.

Losses of letters containing large sums of money continued through the months before Giraud for under suspicion. A search of his residence revealed a hoard of about 400,000 francs in banknotes and securities that he had extracted from registered letters. Of that sum, less than 10,000 francs had been applied to Giraud's personal use.

Giraud said in court that he had no idea what he would have done with the money and securities. The jury concluded that he committed the thefts under mental aberration resulting from his wound and the sufferings he had endured.

An odd development of the case is that the owners of the money and securities have no recourse against the state for the recovery of their property, because in each case they had infringed the laws governing the expedition of valuables by registered letter. Consequently, the state is richer by 282,000 francs in bank bills and 150,000 francs in securities and jewelry through Giraud's aberrations.

BUTTON'S SIDE OF IT

Seward E. Button, State Chief of Mines, to-day declared his department was not in politics and denied that inspectors had been sent blank petitions for Democratic support. Reports from western counties have been to the effect that inspectors had refused to circulate petitions.

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710,000 Muskrat Skins Brought \$500,000

St. Louis.—A lot of 710,000 muskrat skins brought \$500,000. Many of the skins brought \$1.50 each, an average price for good pelts being 75 cents. A few years ago muskrat skins sold on the market as low as 5 cents each. A collection of beaver brought \$25 per skin and the small lot of martin from Alaska set a record price of \$57 each.

The Arctic Night Lasts For Seven Weeks

London.—Imagine what the inhabitants of Vardo, on the shore of the Arctic ocean, near the North Cape in Norway, have suffered this winter. The sun sets there at the end of November and does not rise again until the middle of January, and the Arctic night lasts for seven weeks. At midday in fine weather one can just see to read for about an hour. All the rest of the time artificial light is necessary.

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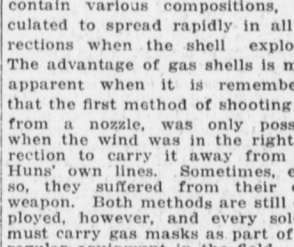
War Time Lexicon

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Poisonous Gas:
First employed by the Germans at the battle of the Somme. The first gas used was chlorine and after the first surprise attack, the British learned to know it by the yellow, low-rolling clouds sweeping across No Man's Land. Since then other gases have been employed by both sides, the composition of which is regarded as a military secret. One gas employed by the Germans is invisible and not distinguishable, it is said, until the victim falls dead. Protection against this deadly chemical is found in the trenches and succumb more quickly than men to its effects, thus acting as detectors. Gas shells contain various compositions, calculated to spread rapidly in all directions when the shell explodes. The advantage of gas shells is more apparent when it is remembered that the first method of shooting gas from a nozzle, was only possible when the wind was in the right direction to carry it away from the Hun's own lines. Sometimes, even so, they suffered from their own weapon. Both methods are still employed, however, and every soldier must carry gas masks as part of his regular equipment in the field.

Gas inhaled destroys the lung tissues, and is both very painful and suffocating.

American Envoy's Wife Back Home From Sweden



MRS. IRA NELSON MORRIS.

Mrs. Ira Nelson Morris, wife of the United States Minister to Sweden, is back home fresh from the great storm center of European intrigue. The reports furnished to the American State Department by her husband have kept the Government in close touch with inside conditions both in Germany and Russia. Mrs. Morris has labored incessantly to alleviate suffering Sweden, and recently was publicly thanked by King Gustave for her help to the poor.

Boards Must Give Card Data at Once

Called upon draft headquarters to-day called up all local draft boards in the state to forward at once statements regarding the condition of the occupational cards for the information of the provost marshal-general. A number of boards are behind in gathering this information and it is proposed to issue a bulletin upon the manner in which they have complied with the orders. Those which fall down will be bulletined in newspapers.

Draft headquarters to-day received schedules for the movement of the men to the aviation field at San Antonio. There will be 466 started from Pennsylvania on Friday and 224 the following day. Two special trains will start from Philadelphia. The quotas for each board for the latest call are being worked out.