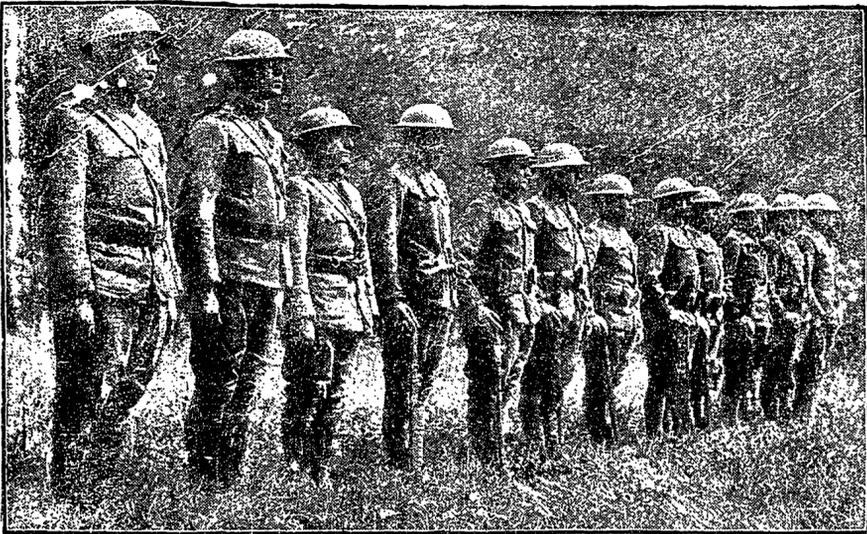


THE YANKS WHOM KING GEORGE DECORATED



There were 19 in all. The other seven are in hospital. Left to right: 1st Lieut. Frank E. Schram, 2nd Lieut. Harry Yagle, 2nd Lieut. Michael M. Komorowski, Pvt. Harry Shelly, Sgt. Frank A. Kojanc, Sgt. James E. Krum, Cpl. A. C. Shabinger, Cpl. Lester C. Whitson, Pvt. J. Sweredo, Pvt. F. E. Wilkins, Pvt. W. F. Linsky, Pvt. C. W. Kesne.

MASCOTS OF A.E.F. SHINE AT SCHOOL; 20 TAKE PRIZES French Waifs Show Appreciation by Going Strong on Their Studies

462 NOW HAVE PARRAINS Estate of 9,000 Acres is Turned Over to Y.M.C.A. by Present Duc de Valenciay

Of 43 STARS AND STRIPES war orphans recently visited by a representative of the American Red Cross, 20 have taken prizes at school, a direct result of the added interest life has had for them since their adoption by parrains in the A.E.F.

The week's total of 13 adoptions, bringing the whole number to 462, contains two requests for seconds. They come from the Nurses of Base Hospital No. 5 and from Company G, — Engrs.

Officers, nurses and enlisted personnel at the — Camp Hospital all chipped in to assemble their 500 francs, "without a single exception."

HOW TO ADOPT AN ORPHAN

A company, detachment, or group of the A.E.F., agrees to adopt a child for a year, contributing 500 francs (\$87.72) for its support. The children will be either orphans, the children of French soldiers so seriously crippled that they cannot work, or refugees from the invaded districts, as specified by the adoptive units.

FAMOUS CHATEAU FOR A.E.F. OFFICERS Regal Prison of Spanish Monarch to Be Used as Leave Club

GOLF LINKS, TENNIS COURTS Estate of 9,000 Acres is Turned Over to Y.M.C.A. by Present Duc de Valenciay

"Fit for a king" is an expression often used to denote the last word in excellence. Bien! American officers in France are soon to be offered a chance to spend their leaves at a chateau that is not only up to the specifications of royalty but that actually was used as a residence for an extended period by a full-fledged monarch.

Park of 9,000 Acres The apartments formerly occupied by Ferdinand are still kept up, with all the magnificent furnishings that helped to make the place attractive to the proud Castilian. Visitors are able to view the rooms upon request, and it is the general verdict that amid such surroundings, a seven-year sentence was all too short.

100 I.W.W. LEADERS GUILTY AS CHARGED

Chicago Cases Close Suddenly After Hearing of 138 Days

AMERICA, Aug. 22.—One hundred leaders of the Industrial Workers of the World have been found guilty in Chicago on indictments charging them with violations of the espionage act, the selective service act and the conspiracy statutes.

Jury Returns Within Hour At the end, the defense elected to submit the case to the jury without a closing address, and, to the great surprise of the defendants, the jury returned a verdict within one hour—"Guilty as charged."

TAX ON SUNDAES LIKELY.

AMERICA, Aug. 22.—You can't tell a luxury until you pay for it. It looks now as if sodas, sundaes and soft drinks were soon going to set the drug store back two cents extra per each as a luxury tax.

TWO SQUADS HOLD BRIDGE OVER VESLE Falling Buildings Cover Platoon Three Times Before Yanks Charge

Three times they were covered up by falling buildings, and three times they dug themselves out, recovered their machine guns, set them up and turned the fire on the Germans, who sought with their artillery to stop the hail of bullets from the bridge that was being held by one platoon of American Infantry.

Shells Begin to Come The squads took up their stand, and no sooner had they begun pouring lead in the German forces, just beyond the bridge than the Boche artillery opened up on them.

WOULD ELECTRIFY ROADS

AMERICA, Aug. 22.—Director General of Railroads McAdoo has announced that his recent journey through the United States and his observation of the nation's water-power resources have impressed him with the idea of electrifying the railroads of the whole country.

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TOP HIS BROTHER, BUT THAT DIDN'T GET HIM ANYTHING

Not Until "Mother" Hogan Discovered the Kid's Body After the Fight

DOUBLE SCORE TO SETTLE Henry Now Doing His Own Share and That of Brother Who Died on Transport

All six of the Hogan brothers from Neilsville, Wis., were in uniform before the war had run its course many months, but only two of them, Arthur, an old soldier, had served six battles, and his kid brother, Otto, landed in the same regiment.

For a while after they reached France Otto was even in the company where Arthur, generally known as "Mother" Hogan, was top sergeant. His kinship to the amiable firm disciplinarian did not get him anything, as he found out the night he tried, in larky mood, to keep lights on in his billet after taps and, for his unruliness, was soundly thrashed by the top in full view of the deeply impressed company.

Captain's Slicker as Shroud It was the older brother who buried the younger on the field where he had fallen. Because there was no blanket at hand to serve as a shroud, the captain whipped off his own streaming slicker and wrapped the dead boy in that.

It means I must account for 20 Germans," Henry said at the graveside when he buried his brother in France. "We'd each agreed to kill ten of them."

In one contest, using a Springfield rifle with telescopic sights, he achieved 27 consecutive hits on a five-inch bull's eye at a distance of 300 yards, so there is small wonder that there were five carefully recorded notches in his gun when his outfit was summoned into the fight between the two and the Ourag.

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80,000 PRISONERS FIVE WEEKS' TOLL

French Strike New Blow—British Attack North of Ancre

The number of prisoners captured by the Allies in five weeks has passed the 80,000 mark. The returns are not all in. The week ending Wednesday, August 21, saw no ebbing in the tide which set in on July 15 in favor of the Allies.

On Wednesday the British, attacking on a 10-mile front north of the Ancre, swept far forward into the 1916 battlefield of the Somme.

On the Vesle, still a disputed river, there was only the steady play of artillery. In the Vosges, the Americans improved their positions at several points, and captured the village of Frappelle.

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Minute Tapioca Company Orange, Mass. From the Minute Man of '76 to the Minute Men of 1918 in France. COMRADES: When we Continental Minute Men went out to fight at Paul Revere's summons, one thing they didn't tell us was that we were going to learn a lot from this thing and come back better educated and with broader minds. I suppose you fellows are pretty well fed up on that sort of talk, even though you know it's true. It is like telling a girl she will make some man a good wife. She knows it's true, but she could murder any married woman who tells her so. Well, you will know a lot more than a lot of the old fellows who did not go to war, anyway. Maybe you know more before you went away. This story will illustrate what I mean. Two army officers were making a practice night flight in a dirigible balloon. The night was dark and windy, and a little after daybreak they figured out that they were somewhere in southern Indiana, but were not sure just where. So they flew low over a farm where an old chap was just going out with his team, and called down to him. The Hoosier farmer at first couldn't imagine where those voices came from, but at length he looked up. "Where are we?" called the military men. "They?" asked the farmer. "Where are we?" they roared again. "Why," said the old fellow, in a querulous voice, "you be up in a balloon, bein' ye?" As I said, a few fellows are going to find out that there are other places on earth besides the one where they used to live, other towns besides their old county seat. New York boys are learning that there is a whole United States on the other side of the Hudson River, and Boston boys are finding other foods besides codfish and beans. Here's hoping all of you take a look at Berlin. I salute you! THE MINUTE MAN OF '76.