

17 AMERICANS GIVEN WAR CROSS FOR GALLANTRY

Impressive Ceremony Takes Place Back of Fighting Lines; Colonel Tinley of Bluffs Cited.

With the American Army in France, Monday, March 18.—Citation of three more American soldiers, carrying with it the French war cross, was announced at American army headquarters today, while on the Luneville sector six officers, six sergeants and two privates were receiving the war cross at an impressive ceremony just back of the fighting line.

The men decorated near Luneville today were: Colonel Douglas MacArthur, Lieutenant Colonel Matthew A. Tinley from Council Bluffs, Ia.; Major William J. Donovan, Buffalo, N. Y.; Captain Thomas Handy, Lieutenant W. Arthur Cunningham, Detroit; Lieutenant Oscar Buck, New York; Sergeant S. G. Rossell, New York; Sergeant Abraham Blaustein, New York; Private Charles Jones, New York; Sergeant William Moore, New York; Sergeant Daniel O'Connell, New York; Sergeant Carl Kahn, New York; Sergeant William Bailey, New York; and Private James Quick, New York.

Withstand German Attack.

All the sergeants and privates assisted Major Donovan on March 7 and 8 in aiding a new unit in withstanding a German bombardment. Lieutenant Colonel Tinley on March 5 directed the defense of the American line against an enemy infantry attack, aided by the artillery.

Private A. A. Crawford of Alabama, Corporal Harry W. Fanning of Baltimore and Private Leonard Black of Baltimore were the men cited today. Private Crawford was killed while carrying dispatches through a German barrage. His citation says that he was "an excellent soldier, courageous and devoted, and was killed in the trenches in the performance of his duty."

Suffrs Feel Certain of Victory in South Dakota

Pierre, S. D., March 19.—Woman suffrage advocates today confidently predicted the adoption of the South Dakota woman suffrage constitutional amendment at the November election as a result of a proposed revision of the measure by the special session of the South Dakota legislature, to eliminate constitutional provisions allowing aliens to vote in South Dakota elections.

24 Bodies Recovered From French Explosion

Paris, March 19.—The French press is unanimous in expressions of gratitude and praise for the admirable work performed by the American Red Cross on Friday, following the explosion at La Courneuve.

British Steamer With Crew Of 41 Sinks Near Nova Scotia

Halifax, N. S., March 19.—The British steamer Batisca, a coal carrier, having a crew of 41, is believed to have been lost with all on board somewhere off the southern coast of Nova Scotia.

French Patrols Cut Half Mile Into Foe's Lines

Paris, March 19.—French patrols operating last night in the vicinity of Rheims penetrated the German line to a distance of more than three-fifths of a mile, according to today's war office announcement. In the same region, to the east of Silery, the attempt of a German raiding party was frustrated.

Heavy Fighting on Verdun Front; Enemy Forces Expelled

Paris, March 19.—Heavy artillery fighting is in progress on the Verdun front, says tonight's official communication.

U. S. Consul at Odessa Safe in City of Roskoff

Washington, March 19.—The American consul at Odessa escaped before the German occupation of that city and is now safe at Roskoff, according to a dispatch to the State department today from American Consul Summers at Moscow.

RUSS TREATY NO DISGRACE TO SLAYS

Hertling Declares Entente Cannot Make Explanations When Neutral Nation is Under Allied Yoke.

Copenhagen, Monday, March 18.—Chancellor von Hertling, on the first reading in the Reichstag of the peace treaty with Russia today, declared that he did not wish to discuss the opinions of Germany's enemies regarding the treaty.

Allies Blamed for War.

The imperial chancellor declared that Courland and Lithuania were united to Germany politically and economically and militarily and added:

"Polonia and Estonia are the eastern frontiers fixed by the treaty, but are none the less they also will have close and friendly relations with Germany, not, however, to the exclusion of their friendly relations with Russia. Poland is not mentioned in the treaty and we shall endeavor to see if it is possible to live in stable and good neighborly relations with the new state."

WILSON'S NOTE TO RUSS RECOGNIZES RULE OF SOVIETS

Moscow, Saturday, March 16.—President Wilson's message to the Russian people is very significant and is a limited recognition of the soviet government, in the opinion of the non-socialist and conservative newspaper Ranneve Outro. The message shows the determination of the United States not to interfere in Russian internal affairs, adds the newspaper, which continues:

"In the grave days there is great moral support in the firm intention of the powerful trans-Atlantic republic to obtain for Russia complete sovereignty and independence in her own affairs. The United States, which was declared to be capitalistic by the bolshevik, proves faithful to the principles proclaimed by her, and the sincerity of her position was acknowledged by the bolshevik in the hearty reception the soviet congress gave to the president's message."

Appeal to Farmers to Market Wheat on Hand

Washington, March 18.—Although a continued increase in the movement of corn to primary markets is shown in reports today to the railroad administration, the quantity of wheat transported remains at about one-third normal, despite efforts of the government to induce farmers to release what they have on hand.

Dame Nature's Own Cleanser and Beautifier

OUT of the great Desert of Death Valley, California, comes 20 MULE TEAM BORAX—Nature's own cleanser—the simplest, cheapest and best of all.

USE 20 MULE TEAM BORAX IN YOUR BATHROOM—it keeps the bathtub and fixtures bright and shining, and more important still, it keeps them sanitary.

Use 20 Mule Team Borax for your own bathing, too.

Borax is recommended by the leading authorities in sanitation and hygiene in their published works. See the picture of the 20 Mules on every package of Borax you buy.

30 SAMMIES ON CASUALTY LIST FROM PERSHING

James F. Alford, Omaha Boy, Reported Dead of Meningitis; Officer Among Killed in Action.

Washington, March 19.—The casualty list issued today by the War department contained only 30 names: Captain Phelps Collins was included among those killed in action. Lieutenant George O. Middleitch died of accident.

The casualties were divided as follows: Killed in action, 2; died of accident, 3; died of wounds, 3; died of disease, 12; wounded severely, 2; slightly wounded, 8. The list follows:

KILLED IN ACTION:

Captain Phelps Collins.
Private Frank J. Konopek.
DIED OF ACCIDENT:
Lieutenant George O. Middleitch.
Cadet Edward E. Butler.
Private Martin J. Murphy.

DIED OF WOUNDS:

Privates:
Alma M. Martin.
Arthur P. Vaudreuil.
Wilbur Wilkerson.

DIED OF DISEASE:

Sergeant William F. Carroll, pneumonia.

Privates:
James F. Alford, meningitis.
Charles R. Burch, pneumonia.
Hermon Crosby, pneumonia.
Tommy Dudley, pneumonia.
Frank E. Fisher, pneumonia.
Arvel Johnson, pneumonia.
Darre Montez, pneumonia.
Ralph H. Peters, diphtheria.
James Walter Moore, pneumonia.
Emanuel Scott, pneumonia.
Oliver W. Seaton, pneumonia.

WOUNDED SEVERELY:

Sergeant Frank Hickman.
Private Austin R. Schumacher.

WOUNDED SLIGHTLY:

Privates Robert O. Baughn, Charles Bibeau, Graden B. Godfrey, Daniel J. Healey, William J. Mulligan, Sam Todor, Stewart Treible, Kazimer Wolpunk.

Two Killed, 33 Injured in Naval Air Station Accident

Miami, Fla., March 19.—Two men were killed and 33 others were injured early today in the collapse of an unfinished hangar at the Dimerhey naval air station, five miles south of here, during a storm.

Nine of the most seriously injured were brought to Miami for treatment; the others were given first aid on the grounds. The dead are:

MATTHEW MULLEN, Brooklyn, AN UNIDENTIFIED MAN.

BEAUTY SPECIALIST TELLS SECRET

A Beauty Specialist Gives Simple, Home Made Recipe to Darken Gray Hair.

Mrs. M. D. Gillespie, a well known beauty specialist of Kansas City, recently gave out the following statement regarding gray hair:

"Anyone can prepare a simple mixture at home, at very little cost, that will darken gray hair and make it soft and glossy. To a half pint of water add 1 ounce of bay rum, a small box of Barbo Compound and 1/2 ounce of glycerine. These ingredients can be bought at any drug store at very little cost, or the druggist will put it up for you. Apply to the hair twice a week until the desired shade is obtained. This will make a gray haired person look twenty years younger. It does not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy and does not rub off."

Home Sewing Is Efficiency

and the most efficient way to do it naturally, is with the most efficient Machine

The Free Sewing Machine

The World's Best Sewing Machine is sold here exclusively in Omaha.

A beautiful Cabinet design, finished in all different woods—a magnificent piece of furniture for your home and the best Machine that you can buy at any price.

\$1.00 initial payment buys it, \$1.00 a week pays for it.

We make a liberal allowance for your old Sewing Machine.

Brandeis Stores

Have You Put Into Your Home The Very Best That Your Money Will Buy?

You owe it to yourself to surround yourself with things that you will grow to like better as day and months and years roll by—things that you will come to regard as "friendly"—friendly to your moods and soothing to your senses in their harmony—Rugs and Draperies have much to do with your daily moods.

We Are Ready to Serve You In the Most Satisfying Way.

Wall Paper Offerings At Very Special Pricings

ALL PAPER has increased considerably in cost, but we were fortunate enough to purchase this lot of Wall Paper, in excellent assortment of likeable patterns and colorings, at such low prices, that we are enabled to quote figures quite impossible otherwise.

We purchased the entire stock of a manufacturer, and will give you another opportunity to share in this offering on Tuesday.

Plain Three-inch Papers in tan, green, brown, blue and gray, with beautiful cut out borders for each, Wednesday, a roll, at 15c

A Large Variety of Papers in light and dark colors, suitable for Dining Room, Living Room and Parlor, with cut borders for each; special, Wednesday, a roll, at 9c

Bed Room Papers; every one suggestive of the newest; you will be pleased with our display; special Wednesday, a roll, at 11c

A Large Selection of Grass Cloths, Blends, Figured Out-meals, Two-tones, and Air-cons with beautiful cut out decorations for each; worth to 85c a roll; special Wednesday, a roll, at 28c

Papers for Kitchens, Bed Rooms, Living Rooms; a number to select from; cut-out borders for each; special Wednesday, a roll, at 6 1/2c

Basement

Put the Right Kind of Rugs In Your Home When You Are Spring House-Righting

Bring your problems and wants right to this Rug Department. It is a difficult thing to satisfy your particular needs in the matter of Rugs, unless you describe the surroundings and the furnishings and about what you desire to expend.

This is an age of specialization, and it is as much a matter of moment to you to select the right rug as it is to select the right furniture or the right pictures for your wall.

Take into consideration the fact that you have to LIVE with the things you buy, day in and day out, and season after season—and also consider well the fact that if you select the right place to make your purchases in, you will have no difficulty in being helped to select just the right things for your needs.

Rug Buying Here Is a Very Simple Matter, Modest Prices and Great Variety of Merchandise

As a matter of information, we direct your attention to our complete line of

Hartford and Bigelow Axminsters and A Wonderful Showing of Royal Wiltons

9x12 feet Axminsters, at \$35.00
9x12 feet Royal Wiltons, at \$65.00
Smaller sizes priced proportionately.

We are showing a particularly good line of Rag Rugs for Summer Bedrooms and Living Rooms
Third Floor

Economy and Best Effect in Curtains Comes With the Right Selection

From the exquisite patterns of Lace Curtains in our Drapery Department, you can always choose one that strikes just the right note for your bed room, your living room—in fact any room in the house.

Curtains that let in the bright cheer of morning sunlight, that soften and dispel the noonday glare, and at night touch the whole room with a sheltering, intimate charm.

Curtains reflect the personality of the house to the passer-by—as your windows are draped, so will it lend good cheer and a kindly feeling to those who pass and re-pass in life's little journeys from day to day.

True economy consists of buying what you need, but paying no more than you need to pay, and selecting goods which will last long and be permanently satisfactory.

Such wise purchases of Window Curtains are made possible by our new stock of the beautiful Laces, in a wide variety of exquisite designs—made up complete or by the yard.

Orinoka Sunfast Draperies

are a specialty here—we are headquarters for these splendid "Sunfast" Draperies in Omaha; you can obtain them in every good shade and scores and scores of different weaves and textures. Prices are very moderate.

WE SHALL BE GLAD to offer suggestions on any problem you may have, and solve them for you satisfactorily.
Third Floor

Do You Know That This Art Embroidery Is Full of Suggestions for You?

YOU CANNOT go through this Department right now and preserve an indifferent attitude—scores and scores of dainty and desirable things beckon for your attention and so unusually distinctive and desirable are these offerings that you simply cannot resist the modest prices.

R. M. C. Crochet Cotton—Special Offering, 7c a Ball
You will want a goodly supply of this Cotton right now, and here's the chance to get it. Fine quality, highly mercerized Crochet Cotton, in white, linen, ecru, pink, blue, yellow and lavender; all fast colors.

Spring Dresses for Little Girls; Made Up, Ready to Embroider

IS THERE ANYTHING in a dress for a little girl more dainty than one embroidered by hand? It is evident that hundreds of mothers regard these as the most desirable wear for their little girls, for we are selling quantities of them.

Spring Dresses for girls from 2 to 10 years, ready to embroider, from the dark play dress to the fine white voile party dress; choose from the display models.

Girls' Dresses, medium blue Shot Gingham, plaited skirt, plain waist, white pique collar and cuffs, ready to embroider.

Dress of Blue Chambray, box plaited skirt on pointed yoke; tan poplin collars and cuffs to be embroidered.

Dresses of White Mercerized Poplin, plain front, belted back; embroidered yoke effect in tans; two pockets and slashed collar; ready to embroider.

Dresses of Pink Striped Lawn, white yoke, picot collar, edged with pink; embroidered collar; dress ready to embroider.

Other styles of Dresses, made in latest models, also Infants' and Small Children's Dresses, in white only.

Third Floor

Dame Nature's Own Cleanser and Beautifier

USE 20 MULE TEAM BORAX IN YOUR BATHROOM—it keeps the bathtub and fixtures bright and shining, and more important still, it keeps them sanitary.

Use 20 Mule Team Borax for your own bathing, too. It is antiseptic, purifying and healing. It softens the water. It is a wonderful skin cleanser, mouth wash and eye wash—in short, an indispensable adjunct for every bathroom every day.

Borax is recommended by the leading authorities in sanitation and hygiene in their published works. See the picture of the 20 Mules on every package of Borax you buy.

For sale by all dealers