

Missing U. S. Flyers Stole By San Line Men in Manager

Managua, Nic., Nov. 11.—A report that Second Lieutenant E. A. Thomas and Sergeant Frank Dowdell, American marine aviators who have been missing for more than a month, ever since they crashed in their plane while on patrol duty, were killed by followers of the former liberal General Sandino after a fight at a cave entrance, was received here today from Nicaraguans living in the Central region. The report is believed here to be authoritative.

The report reveals that the American fliers were killed only after putting up a desperate resistance against 20 or 40 guerillas who trapped them in a cave after one of the American fliers had been wounded by a machete in the hands of two men whom they met in the jungle undergrowth after abandoning their plane.

The story of the last stand of the American aviators as pieced together on the advice received here was as follows:

After bombing the Sandino forces on Mount Chipot, the American aviators found their plane out of control and crashed. Both escaped unhurt but soon after the plane caught fire and was destroyed. Meanwhile Lieutenant Thomas and Sergeant Dowdell, the observer, had managed to get the machine gun from the plane.

The American fliers then escaped into a deep valley, eluding Sandino's followers who rushed upon the fallen plane in the hope of capturing the aviators. The country in this section is very mountainous and covered with a dense virgin forest, thus protecting the marines' escape.

Following the valley for some distance Thomas and Dowdell encountered two men whom they made prisoners in order to serve as guides to Jicaro through the forest. While marching through Jicaro one of the prisoners suddenly wheeled and turned on one of the marines—which one is not stated—and inflicted a severe wound upon his shoulder and neck with a machete. The unwounded American whipped out his revolver and killed the assailant, but during the melee the remaining prisoner escaped.

The unwounded marine then continued down the valley carrying his wounded companion. Arriving at a cave they took refuge for the night. In the meantime the escaped prisoner reached Sandino and related what had happened. The guerilla leader thereupon dispatched a patrol of 30 or 40 men who picked up the trail, spotted with blood left by the wounded marine.

Reaching the cave, Sandino's men concealed themselves near it and opened fire on the marine aviator with his wounded companion as they left the cave for Jicaro. The two marines opened fire upon their assailants and killed several men each before they fell.

"How long you in jail fo', Mose?"
"Two weeks."
"What am de cha'ge?"
"No cha'ge, everything am free."
"Ah mean, what has you did?"
"Done shot my wife."
"You all killed yo' wife and only in jail fo' two weeks?"
"Dat's all—then I gits hung."

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He—I don't see it. We were both foolish enough to marry you.

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COOLIDGE PRAISES LINDBERGH FOR GREAT ACHIEVEMENT

President Presents Trans-Atlantic Solo Flier With the Hubbard Medal.

Washington, Nov. 14.—Awarding the Hubbard medal for conspicuous achievement to Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, on behalf of the National Geographic society President Coolidge paid another high tribute to the flier both as an aviator and a man.

Lindbergh's flight from New York to Paris stirred the hearts of the people, the President said, but it was the flier's unselfish dedication of himself to advancement of aviation that displayed his clear conception of public service.

"He determined to capitalize his fame not for selfish aggrandizement but for the promotion of the art he loves," Mr. Coolidge said. "He was unmoved by the many opportunities for private gain."

The President declared that as a result of Lindbergh's flight across the Atlantic and his subsequent trip to every state in the union, an activity in aviation for 1928 "far beyond any dream of six months ago" is indicated.

Significance of Medal
The Hubbard medal is an award of the National Geographic society for outstanding accomplishment in exploration. The award places young Lindbergh alongside such illustrious pioneers as Commander Robert S. Peary, Sir Ernest Shackleton and Commander Richard E. Byrd, who were among the seven to receive the medal previously.

Those invited to hear President Coolidge present the medal tonight at Washington auditorium and to hear Lindbergh speak of his epochal flight included the most prominent members of Washington governmental and diplomatic circles. And privileged to sit with the President and Lindbergh on the stage were 17 of the intrepid American aviators, the one girl, who survived hops over the Atlantic and Pacific oceans, and Lindbergh's mother, who came here with him from New York by airplane.

That the passage of time had not dulled Lindbergh's popularity in the capital, to which he returned for his first triumphal welcome in this country, was attested throughout the day. Throngs cheered him from the time he landed. His appearance was marked everywhere by a quick gathering of admirers, and when he walked to the White House, accompanied by fellow aviators, he did not succeed in avoiding attention by passing in the rear of the crowd awaiting him.

Meets Ruth Elder
The first meeting between Lindbergh and Ruth Elder took place as they waited for luncheon to be served at the White House. Lindbergh accompanied Mrs. Coolidge to the table, while the President accompanied Miss Elder.
Upon leaving the executive mansion, Lindbergh blushing posed for photographers standing beside Miss Elder. When he had left, she said: "He's a peach." Lindbergh, guarded by police, dodged across the White House lawn to the war department for a talk with F. Trubee Davison, assistant secretary of war.

The only airman invited to the luncheon who could not attend was Bert Acosta, who was detained in New York state by engine trouble while en route here by air.

May Find Name of Unknown Soldier

Paris. —The day is approaching when the Unknown Soldier sleeping in Arlington Cemetery may no longer be unknown.

There is little possibility that his name and rank will ever be exactly known; but within ten years at the most, it will be possible to post a list of ten or twelve heroes of the A. E. F. and say that one of them lies under the imposing slab at Arlington.

Of the 50,000 Americans killed in France the War Department knows of the burial place of all but 3,000. It is to find this missing legion of 3,000 dead that a staff of men is combing the battlefields, systematically, a work which will require ten years more to complete.

Last year 206 more burial places were found, peasants' ploughs unearthing the resting places of a few American soldiers, others being found in clumps of bushes or in gulleys where wounded men crawled to die. This year's work on the battlefields probably will result in clearing up the mystery of several hundred more.

Included among the 2,925 missing of the A. E. F. are a hundred whose bodies have been found, but whose identity is unknown. The records of the War Department are now being searched for clues which will be able to fix a name on the roll of missing for each body.
The coming of the American Legion for its convention in Paris aid-

of the Graves Registration Service in finding several bodies and in identifying others, but the returned veterans left behind them a mass of information which will be carefully studied over and which may result, in greatly increasing the number of bodies found within the next year.

The legionnaires told where bodies fell, several of them having pointed out where they personally scratched a few choicest of earth over a comrade's body.

Notice Trustee's Sale of Land

By virtue of authority vested in the undersigned trustee in a certain deed of trust executed the 27th day of Mar. 1923 by Mrs. J. J. Stone, K. B. Stone, John Stone and wife Maggie Stone of Surry County, N. C., C. G. Stone, W. E. Stone of Guilford County, N. C., J. E. Stone and wife Belle Stone of Rowan County, N. C., C. G. Hill and wife Cora Hill of Yadkin County, N. C., to the undersigned trustee for The Bank of Mount Airy and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Surry County, N. C., book 89 page 38, default having been made in the payment of the note therein secured and at the request of the holder, I will sell for cash to the highest bidder, at public auction, on

Saturday, Dec. 17th, 1927 at 1 o'clock P. M.

the following described real estate: Adjoining the lands of Will Crisman, Lee Wood and the Tyson lands in Sileam township on the head water of branch. Beginning on a black jack on the South side of the public road leading from Sileam to Dobson, formerly J. W. Hardy's corner and runs along the said road as it now measures, N. 70 deg. E. 3.50 chains; North 45 deg. East 2.50 chains; North 87 deg. East 5.50 chains; South 80 deg. East 10 chains; South 65 deg. East 6 chains; South 45 deg. E. 13.50 chains to the Lee Wood corner of the Wesley Whitaker tract; thence West with this old line 33.45 chains to a small black jack or stake; thence North 8.50 chains to the beginning. Containing 33.50 acres more or less.

Second tract. Beginning on a post oak, corner of the Wesley Whitaker old track (Northwest corner) and runs South some 9 chains to an ash, thence bearing a little East of due South and runs about 8 chains to a stake and pointers; thence East about 20.50 chains on West side of a small branch, Wood's corner; then North about 7 deg. West 17.50 chs. to a stake in the old line of the Tyson Evans corner of the 33.1-2 acre tract see above; thence West along this old line to the beginning. Containing 33.10 acres more or less.

See deed book 66 page 534.
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Edw. M. Linville, Trustee.

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