

WAR WRECKED FORESTS.

England and France Give Attention to Reforestation.

Reforestation is one of the most important of European reconstruction problems today, not only in those countries which were actually invaded but in those which were engaged in the war, according to Charles Lathrop Pack, of Lakewood, N. J., president of the American forestry association, who has recently been decorated with the Liberty Service War Medal of the National Institute of social sciences for his valuable war garden work in the United States.

"The delegates to the Paris peace conference are having carefully prepared the necessary data on the French forest losses, and the government of France means to insist upon a large amount of cutting of standing timber in the Black forest and other forests of Germany so that France may be provided with lumber for reconstruction purposes," said Mr. Park to a representative of The Christian Science Monitor. All of this will be a part of the indemnity which Germany will be required to pay.

England Cut Half Her Timber. "I suppose many people think the forests of France have suffered more from the war proportionately than have those of any of the other countries," said Mr. Pack. "Our recent careful survey of the situation shows, however, that this is not so. We found that some 1,500,000 acres of the forest lands in France either had been destroyed by the Germans or were used for war purposes by the allied armies. This is about 10 per cent. of the total standing timber in France.

"Rather to our surprise, the investigation shows that in England alone 450,000 acres had been deliberately cut by the Englishmen themselves, and this means half the total standing timber in that country. Even the trees in the beautiful and ancient Windsor forest were cut, and 7,000 acres of this timber would have been felled had not fire destroyed the Canadian sawmill which was operating in Windsor forest just before the armistice became effective. The need for wood was so urgent that Englishmen declared they would cut down every tree in Great Britain if it were necessary to win the war.

Allies Appreciate Aid. "The work of reforesting England is a prodigious task. I am sure the people of the United States do not wish the English to do it alone. We can and must help them. The American forestry association has already secured a memorial fund to assist in this work and will furnish England and Scotland all the forest seed that may be required. We have already had many expressions of appreciation from the brave British people. They are, of course, somewhat stoical compared with the French, but they will be no less appreciative.

"We expect also to furnish forest seeds to aid in the reforestation of France, Belgium and Italy, and the American forestry association has recently decided to enter upon a campaign among the people of the United States to furnish the means for sending seeds to these countries. We purpose to make it entirely evident to our allies that this reforestation aid comes as a spontaneous gift of the American people, who have suffered little in comparison with France, Belgium and Italy. In each of these countries the forest authorities have expressed appreciation of the effort of the American forestry association.

"Forestry will be benefited by the nation-wide movement in the United States for planting tribute trees, and there will be more town, city, and countryside tree planting this spring and next autumn than ever has been before in a similar length of time in this country."

The American forestry association has issued a bulletin on tribute-tree planting and the demand for this bulletin from every State in the union is far beyond expectation, Mr. Pack said. That the American public will plant thousands of tribute trees is evidenced by the hundreds of letters received by the American forestry association in Washington, he concluded.

The New York Bird and Tree club, of New York city, has inaugurated a campaign for funds for purchasing memorial fruit trees to restore the orchards in the devastated regions of France. The club is working in cooperation with the French government and has already received sufficient funds to plant 1,200 trees.

Allendale County Is Generous. Allendale, June 16.—This county is rejoicing over the fact that, although probably the youngest county in America, it led the United States in the recent Salvation army drive, considering the population of the county and its quota. The county's percentage was 212. The next highest was 186.

MOST POWERFUL WARSHIP.

The Tennessee Carries Twelve 16-inch Guns.

First in size among the great fighting units of the United States navy, first in speed and first in size and range of guns, the super-dreadnaught Tennessee is nearly ready to take the water from the Brooklyn navy yard ways. Reputed to have "new stuff" the Tennessee has become known among "old slats" and "gold braiders" as a mystery ship. And the veil of mystery will not be lifted until after official trials are completed.

Twelve 16-inch guns, each capable of firing a projectile 16 miles with a fair degree of accuracy, is the claim set forth for the Tennessee's main armament by a naval officer. He says: "A mile an inch! Sixteen inches in each flaming rifle! No other ship in the world has the punishing power of this strength. If it were possible to use a higher elevation than is the case in naval firing it is difficult to say how far the shells would carry with certainty."

May Add to Range of Guns. As though to carry out a justification of the term "mystery ship" the officer said: "The new ship may have some device to add range elevation which might add to the 16 miles the guns will be able to carry."

The sister ships of the Tennessee, the New Mexico and the Idaho, have 14-inch guns, as also has the flagship Pennsylvania. The Tennessee is 624 feet long, has a breadth of 97 feet 5 inches and a mean draft of 30 feet. Her estimated displacement is 32,984 tons. This ship exceeds the Pennsylvania in length by 24 feet and in beam 5 1-2 inches. The displacement of the Tennessee is 31,400 tons. The New Mexico has a length of 600 feet and a displacement of 32,000 tons.

In regard to the speed of the new ship the naval officer continues: "The Utah and the Florida have speed estimates of 22 knots an hour. The estimated speed of the Tennessee on paper is 21 knots an hour. But take a tip from me, this boat will make 24 knots an hour easily which will shatter records for craft of this type."

Will Have Powerful Radio Set. The Tennessee's furniture is of metal. Upward of 100 telephones are being installed. According to naval officers the radio equipment of the new dreadnaught will prove a departure. Facts concerning the range of the wireless telegraphic range have been guarded. The radio set of the Pennsylvania is capable of sending and receiving messages up to 2,000 miles. It is reported unofficially that the equipment of the Tennessee will enable it to talk to other ships at a distance of 2,500 miles.

The wireless telephone equipment is another feature which adds to the significance of the term "mystery ship." It is estimated that the Tennessee will be able to talk with other vessels similarly equipped over hundreds of miles.—Kansas City Star.

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Pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Directors of the Farmers and Merchants Bank, of Ehrhardt, S. C., to increase the capital stock of said corporation to the sum of \$50,000.00, a meeting of the stockholders of said corporation is called, to be held at the office of said Bank, Ehrhardt, S. C., on the 1st day of July, 1919, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of considering said resolution, and to transact such other business as may be incident to or connected with the increase of the capital stock of said corporation. FARMERS AND MERCHANTS BANK OF EHRHARDT, S. C. By S. W. Copeland, President. June 3, 1919.—4t.

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Of Special Meeting of Stockholders of the Ehrhardt Banking Company, Ehrhardt, S. C.

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