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Sopwith Camel Successful and Versatile British Fighter of WWI. By Stephen Sherman, Aug. 2001. Updated April 16, 2012. It had wicked torque and killed a lot of novice British pilots, but the Sopwith Camel (5,490 produced) shot down more German aircraft (1,294) than any other Allied plane.. Its name derived from the slight hump forward of the cockpit.

Sopwith Camel - Successful British Fighter Plane of WW1

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Frank Luke - Wikipedia

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Fokker DVII | Aircraft

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Trench warfare - Wikipedia

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JU-88 Mistel Bomber | Aircraft

Other Nations Not all friendly errors are committed by our side. 19June1942. Seaplane tender (destroyer) Ballard (AVD-10), rescued 35 survivors from Japanese carrier Hiryu that had been scuttled by destroyers Kazegumo and Yugumo on 5 June in the Battle of Midway. They had been members of the engineering department, left below for dead in the abandonment of the ship.

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