

DISARMAMENT HIT BY ADMIRAL MAYO

Grand Idea, but Not Practical, Navy's War Commander Tells Forum

Describing in some detail the work of the American navy in the war, Admiral Mayo, rear admiral, retired, commander-in-chief of the navy in the war, last night told the PENNSYLVANIA Forum at the Academy of Music that "battles cost more than battleships; tribute costs more than battleships; and a little navy is a dangerous thing."

FOR TAXES, NOT TRIBUTE

Admiral Mayo hastened to declare he had not underestimated the danger to naval forces of the airplanes and Congress ought to be influential in developing the single funds to aid in developing the air service.

Bombs Can't Pierce Armor

"A barrage would hinder battleships," said he, "but I do not believe it would destroy them. Airplane bombs won't go through the armor of the air destroyers. The chief of the air destroyers says he can drop battleships without difficulty. Yet it would be difficult to drop a bomb from a great height upon a ship. The operator would have about a half-second in which to decide he was at the right angle and to release the bomb."

How Navy Expanded

Detailing the work of the navy in the war, he said that from the first plans of this country, the allied naval strategists, he said the navy expanded from 100,000 men and 100 ships to 520,000 men and 407,000 men in 1918. This resulted from training officers and men for merchant ships and for other special work across in the war.

Made Transport Possible

"The repair of this machinery by the navy, using the electric welding process, was one of the great successes of the war—and to this success, possibly largely due to the navy's ability to transport troops to France in the spring of 1918 in numbers greater than had been thought possible."

Destroys Served Well

"The destroyers did valiant service," he said. They kept the sea in all weathers—and winter cruising was by no means a picnic. But they were always effective and reliable and the German submarines grew to fear them," he added.

...said Admiral Mayo, the United States played the greatest part. He said that in 1917, Ralph C. Brown, of Boston, Mass., showed the Navy Department a "submersible gun," the electric feature of which naval designers at once used to good effect. The United States suggested to England the idea of the North Sea mine barrage and that country, dubious of the ability of the Allies to lay the mines across the North Sea from the Orkney Islands to the coast of Sweden, accepted because America offered to provide \$40,000,000 worth of mines and the ships and men to lay them. Up to the armistice, he said, there were laid 58,611 American and 13,900 British mines in depths ranging from 40 to 160 fathoms.

Praises Almen's Work

American navy aviators sunk or damaged fifteen German ships, he declared. In 1917 the service was thirty-eight officers and 163 men and this force was increased to 2,900 officers and 36,000 men, who had 2100 planes and about 300 lighter-than-air craft. He said this development was remarkable, and praised the work of the aviators.

Work of the United States Submarines

Work of the United States submarines, of the convoys and defense against the submarines, and of the Atlantic coast of this country, and other phases of the war came under his observation. Special features, such as the German U-boats, which helped convince the German command that fighting further was useless.

SEEKS HUSBAND AND CASH

Girl Coming Here to Find Lost Bridegroom and \$10,000. Unable to find a man who gave his name as Tolbert Irving Dale and his residence as Scranton, Pa., a girl, formerly Mrs. Elizabeth Strief, of Los Angeles, is on her way to this city today in the hope of getting a line on him. She would like to recover \$10,000 which she says Dale got from her to come East to settle his father's estate.

Deaths of a Day

GEORGE A. GRIFFITH

Delaware County Magistrate and Political Power Dies. Magistrate George A. Griffith, for many years a Delaware county politician, died of pneumonia at 7:30 o'clock last night at his home in Clifton Heights.

Edward C. Dungan

Edward C. Dungan, 3234 North Effingham street, a merchant, banker and treasurer of William Henry Maule, Inc., died yesterday at the Medical College Hospital. He had been ill for several months. He was fifty-eight years old. Mr. Dungan was former president of the American Seed Association and a member of the Manufacturers' Retail Business Society, Post-Richard and Athletic Clubs. He is survived by his widow.

John Riley

John Riley, veteran agent at Clifton station on the Pennsylvania Railroad, died yesterday morning at his home at Aldan. He had been in poor health for many years. Entering the employ of the railroad in 1880, he served as telegraph operator at Rockdale, then went to Angora station and to Clifton in 1885, remaining there ever since. For twenty-two years he was postmaster of Aldan, giving up the office several years ago. He is survived by his widow, a sister, Mrs. Anna Purcell, of West Grove, and a brother, Edward J. Riley. Funeral services will be held Monday morning.

The Old Corner House

Camac and St. James Streets. Just Below Walnut. Will be open March 5th. Those who have things to sell or buy, you will find it a place for which you have sought. It is a place for the sale of furniture and decorated with the addition of comfort and convenience, and everything else in its line.

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Who Will Tell of "THE MAN WHO MEANS BUSINESS" Everybody Welcome This is the Third of a Series of Open Meetings Which Will be of Interest to Every One Under the auspices of the Unitarian Laymen's League

THE STOKOWSKIS IN SILHOUETTE



Leopold Stokowski, conductor of the Philadelphia Orchestra, and Mme. Olga Samaroff, noted pianist, in private life Mrs. Stokowski, as seen by Miss Katharine G. Buffum, silhouette artist. These clippings are on exhibition in the foyer of the Academy of Music today.

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PENN CO-EDS CLASH OVER THE "TODDLE"

Writer in University Daily Calls New Dances Outrageous; Hits Boys' Smoking, Too. NO HARM, SAYS ANOTHER. Toddlers—a little dance that was conceived that exponents of the Bel-Field, Washington Johnnie and glides might not collide—had a decidedly opposite effect at the University of Pennsylvania.

Compensation Board Head, So Addressed, Answers Appeal for Help

Among the many curious letters received daily at the headquarters of the Workmen's Compensation Board, one today stood out as unique. It came from the Austrian Tyrol and was addressed to "The honored Sir Hari Makei," known to Philadelphians as Harry A. Mackey, chairman of the board.

'HARI MAKEI' AIDS AUSTRIAN

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VANDERVERE HOME AFIRE

Family Routed by Small Blaze at Gladwyne House. Fire damaged the rear of the first and second floors of Mrs. Peter Vandervere's home at Gladwyne, Lower Merion township, early today. Mrs. Vandervere and her son, George, were aroused by police who discovered the chimney ablaze.

'Rocks' and 'Reds'

Meaning respectively Democrats and Reds in the political department, said: "I see no harm in toddling. Most of the dances at the University are very crowded, and unless one can toddle."

100-YEAR-OLD MAN MISSING

Hasn't Been Seen Since He Bought Pack of Cigarettes. New York, March 5. (By A. P.)—A city-wide police search was instituted today for Abraham Brown, 100 years old, missing since he bought a package of cigarettes in a Bronx store yesterday morning.

Where to Dine

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Doesn't Cause Collisions

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NO FIANCE WAITS FOR BRIDE ON SHIP

Italian Girl on America Searches Crowd in Vain for Mail-Order Lover. Romanesque and adventure were encountered by the steamship America which arrived here last night from Italy and docked at Vine street wharf. She carried more than 2100 passengers.

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