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**U.S. TO WRITE NEW HISTORY IN THE AIR**

**Secretary Daniels Tells of Great Program at Board of Trade Rally.**

**PAYS TRIBUTE TO CAPITAL**

Secretary Daniels of the Navy told a large patriotic meeting held at Central High School by the Washington Board of Trade last night that "before the close of this month we shall have undertaken in America the greatest constructive program in aviation of which the world has ever dreamed." He predicted that America will write a new history in the air, where the world war will be won.

The auditorium was crowded with members of the board, their wives and friends, who evinced their sympathy with the administration's program of airplane construction by great applause throughout the evening. The subject was dealt upon by Secretary Daniels, Capt. Amoury de la Grange of the French aviation mission and Edwin C. Brandenburg, president of the Board of Trade. Patriotic selections by the Marine Band stirred the audience to frequent applause.

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**CAPITOL HILL GROUCH RENAMES THE CABINET**

Probably every member of the cabinet has at one time or another had a "grouch" with a senator or a representative, as the congressman asked something that the cabinet official could not grant. So it falls out that there is a tolerably good number of individual "grouches" among the statesmen against the cabinet collectively.

At the Capitol the other day some of them were telling of their experiences and roasting the officials all down the line. "It's a fine cabinet," growled one, with deep sarcasm. "It's not a cabinet; it's a what-not," said another. And that remark broke up the party.

**WILL MODIFY PLAN FOR DESIGNATING REGIMENTS**

War Department to Make It Possible to Determine the Unit by the Number Itself.

The plan for designating regiments of the war army by number and branch of service only will be modified, so that it will be possible to determine from the number itself whether the regiment is a part of the regular army, the National Guard or the national army.

Under the plan the regulars will be designated as, now, from the 1st Cavalry, 1st Infantry, etc. The National Guard regiments, however, will now begin with the regular numbers, and will begin at the 101st Cavalry, 101st Infantry, etc.

Similarly, the national army numbers will begin at 301, the regiments being designated upward from the 301st Cavalry, 301st Infantry, etc.

Thus any regimental number under 100 will indicate regulars any number between 100 and 300 National Guard, and any number over 300 national army. A similar arrangement for numbering brigades and divisions will be used.

The designation of National Guard regiments will show in parenthesis their present state designations. For instance: 101st Infantry (1st Mass.). National army regiments will show in parenthesis the number of the regular regiment to which they are assigned, as, for instance, 352d Infantry (D.A.).

**CAPTAIN'S PROMPT ACTION CHEATS GERMAN U-BOAT**

Swerves Ship From Course of Torpedo While Watching Sinking of Steamship Archbold.

AN ATLANTIC PORT, July 19.—The experience of watching a torpedo from a German U-boat which took part in sinking the American oil tanker John D. Archbold skim along the length of his own ship about two feet away and pass on harmlessly was related today by a sea captain who returned on a French ship with his crew after delivering a steamer built on the great lakes to her French purchasers.

The captain said he was watching the sinking of the Archbold, which occurred June 16, when suddenly a submarine periscope was sighted off his own bow and he swerved his ship sharply. That this saved her was demonstrated by the course of the torpedo, which, he said, was plainly visible as it passed. By this time he had brought his stern gun to bear on the attacker and the Germans opened fire, sending four shells at the U-boat. The last one, he said, made a great splash, and the submarine disappeared. He expressed confidence the German boat was destroyed.

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**MORE CAPITAL MEN GET ARMY COMMISSIONS**

Second Lieutenants in Regular Service Announced by Adjt. Gen. McCain.

Adjt. Gen. McCain has announced the appointment as second lieutenants in the regular army of residents of Washington, D. C., and vicinity and their assignment to regiments as follows: Elmer F. Gonnell of the District of Columbia, to the 15th Cavalry; Francis E. S. Turner of the District of Columbia, to the 22d Cavalry; William B. Baughman of the Signal Corps, D. C. N. G., to the 21st Cavalry; James F. Brittingham of Troop A, Cavalry, D. C. N. G., to the 3d Field Artillery; Charles W. Jacobson of Troop A, Cavalry, D. C. N. G., to the 24th Cavalry; Henry P. Ames of Troop A, Cavalry, D. C. N. G., to the 22d Cavalry; Rosser L. Hunter of Troop A, Cavalry, D. C. N. G., to the 23d Infantry; Leo W. Glass of Troop A, Cavalry, D. C. N. G., to the 35th Infantry; John L. Brooks of Troop A, Cavalry, D. C. N. G., to the 61st Infantry; John E. Selby of Maryland, to the 16th Cavalry; George A. Goodyear of Virginia, to the 8th Cavalry; Paul H. Morris of Maryland, to the 6th Cavalry; Guy D. Thompson of Maryland, to the 17th Cavalry; Frederick L. Topping of Virginia, to the Coast Artillery Corps; Virginia, to the 55th Infantry; George Miller of Maryland National Guard, to the 3d Infantry; Ashley S. Le Gette of Virginia, to the 55th Infantry; George R. Owens of Virginia, to the 51st Infantry; John W. E. Thompson of Virginia, to the 47th Infantry; David L. Hooper of Virginia, to the 17th Infantry, and the 24th Infantry.

**SCHOOL OF NAVIGATION TO OPEN IN BALTIMORE**

Fifty Applications Received for Admission to Course Tonight.

The navigation school which the governmental shipping board will establish at Baltimore, will be opened in the customhouse at that city this evening. About fifty applications have been received for admission to the school from young men desiring to become officers in the American merchant marine, but a number of these will be eliminated, not having the necessary requirements for entrance into the school. Two sessions of about four hours each will be held daily, one in the morning and the other in the evening. The course will be about six weeks. Capt. Thomas P. Platt, the veteran master of the steamer Somerset of the Merchants and Miners' service, has been selected as instructor, his wide experience in both sail and steam craft making him particularly fitted for the work. On the completion of the course the young men will have to pass an examination before the officials of the United States steamboat inspection service, and will then be granted certificates as junior deck officers on American ships.

**FOURTEEN BRITISH SHIPS OVER 1,600 TONS SUNK**

Four Smaller Vessels and Eight Fishing Craft Among Those Sent to Bottom by Enemy.

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, July 19.—Fourteen British ships of over 1,600 tons were sunk by submarines or mine in the last week, according to the official report last night. Four British vessels under 1,600 tons were sunk and eight fishing vessels. The official report follows: "Arrivals, 2,828; sailings, 2,920." "British merchant ships sunk by mine or submarine over 1,600 tons, including one previously, 14; under 1,600 tons, 4." "British fishing vessels sunk, 8."

The admiralty report of the previous week announced the sinking of 14 vessels of over 1,600 tons and three of less than 1,600 tons. The fishing vessels lost numbered 7.

**ONE ITALIAN STEAMER SUNK**

ROME, July 19.—One Italian merchant steamer and four small sailing vessels were sunk by submarines in the week ending July 15, according to an official statement.

Arrivals at Italian ports for the week numbered 558; clearances, 499.

**FIVE FOOD LESSONS ISSUED.**

Part of Series to Be Used in Summer Normal Schools.

Five lessons of a series of ten on food conservation to be used in summer normal schools have been issued by the food administration. School teachers attending the courses will be instructed to preach "the gospel of economy throughout America in unforgettable terms."

The lessons are on the following subjects: Herbert Hoover's food administration plan, general food conservation measures, wheat conservation, meat conservation, fat and sugar conservation, canning, food drying, fundamentals of adequate diet and methods of organizing local groups in working units.

**Changes in Diplomatic Service.**

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**Two Appointed by President.**

With the concurrence of the civil service commission the President has authorized the appointment of Benejah D. Dyas as a stockkeeper in the competitive classified service of the government printing office "without examination," and the appointment of Mrs. Mary C. Bryan "at an appropriate position" in the Department of Labor in connection with problems arising out of the enforcement of the new immigration law.

**BAND CONCERT.**

In Franklin Park this evening at 7:30 o'clock, by the United States Marine Band, Jacques L. Vanpoucke, acting second leader. March, "On the Square"; Panella Overture, "Nabuccodonosor"; Verdi Intermezzo, "Sparklets"; Zamenik Selection, "The Serenade"; Herbert Waltz, "Jolly Fellows"; Volstead Characteristic fantasia, "Down South"; Myddleton Excerpts from "High Jinks"; Friml March, "Peace and Liberty"; Gordon "The Star Spangled Banner."

The audience is requested to stand at attention, men with their hats removed, while the band is playing "The Star Spangled Banner."

**BIG SUMS FOR STORAGE.**

Defense Council Estimates Expenditure of \$50,000,000 Necessary.

Importance of ample storage facilities at our ports to accommodate great stocks of supplies for American forces in Europe was emphasized today by the national defense council's storage committee.

"Expenditures in excess of \$50,000,000 for terminal storage areas at or near the seaboard will undoubtedly be necessary," said a committee statement. "Not a moment should be lost in providing these facilities. The equipment which it is necessary to provide for each soldier going overseas amounts to about five and one-half tons. This storage load will be put upon the nation before the end of the year. We must handle it, but to do so will require carefully designed and equipped areas probably 2,000 acres in extent. They must be in operation by January 1, 1918."

"Both at the cantonnements and at the terminal depots on the Atlantic seaboard it is essential that the storage areas should be of a size that will permit immediate unloading of freight cars."

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**NINE PELLAGRA CASES UNDER OBSERVATION**

Eleven Patients Discharged as Cured in District During the Past Week.

There are nine cases of pellagra under observation in the District of Columbia, according to a report of the health department. During the past week eleven cases of this disease were discharged by recovery. Three new cases were discovered this week, two being at Washington Asylum Hospital and one at the Walter Reed Hospital.

One hundred and nine deaths were reported during the week ending July 14. Fifty of these deaths were white and 14. Fifty-eight colored. The most prominent causes of death were organic heart disease, which killed seventeen; tuberculosis, with sixteen deaths; malignant growths, from which two died, and diarrheal diseases, from which nine deaths resulted, eight of which were of infants less than two years of age. Eight deaths were attributed to chronic nephritis and six to pneumonia. There were two suicides and two homicides.

Inspectors of the department who are closely watching the foodstuffs in the markets and stores of the District condemned and denatured the following: Three crates cantaloupes, twenty cantaloupes, six crates peaches, three bushels potatoes, five baskets cucumbers, one dozen cucumbers, one dozen grapefruit, fifteen quarts cherries, two pounds prunes, one pound beef and four pounds smoked sausage.

**Board Doing Its Bit.**

The meeting was opened by President Brandenburg, who introduced the speakers. Mr. Brandenburg told of the work of the Board of Trade for the city of Washington, and said that "the present crisis, the organization is doing all in its power, through these patriotic meetings, to make us know that the light is the second this summer, to do its bit."

Secretary Daniels, in the course of his address, complimented the local Board of Trade by saying: "Hitherto, when we thought of the Board of Trade, we thought of a body of business men. But this year we have found that in Washington as well as in every other part of the country there is only one business, and that is the business of winning this war. One of the chief benefits that has come out of the war is to make us know that while Americans may be rich, after all, these things, in the minds of our business men, are as but dross when weighed in the scale with liberty and justice."

More than an hour of motion pictures, depicting aviation activities in France, were shown following the addresses. The pictures were shown last night at the first time with the exception of a private exhibition at the Capitol last week. They were explained by Capt. De La Grange.

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