

THREE OF THE STRONGEST PLAYERS IN THE GIANTS' LINEUP.



Left to right: Fred Merkle, first baseman; Charley Herzog, third baseman, and Chief Meyers, catcher. Copyright by International News Service.

**GREYHOUNDS OF THE DEEP ARE REVIEWED**

**Secretary Of Navy, Admiral Meyer, Looks Upon Grand Spectacle Of Parade**

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—An honor never before accorded the official head of the United States navy fell to the lot of Secretary George von L. Meyer today. He reviewed the biggest American fleet ever assembled and the greatest ever gathered in any harbor of the world.

There was no delay in getting the ceremonies under way, for Secretary Meyer and his aides on the Dolphin were all ready shortly after 8 o'clock for the beginning of the day's official events.

While the Dolphin was getting under way for the Connecticut, the flagship of Rear Admiral Hugo Osterhaus, commander-in-chief of the fleet, the Nashville with more than 250 representatives of the press was making her way up the Hudson from Forty-second street to Eighty-first street, where the flag-ship rode at anchor.

In the meantime, between 8 and 9 o'clock, the various division commanders were assembling on the flagship Connecticut for the official visit of Mr. Meyer.

**Commanders Gathered.**

The commanders of the four divisions of the fleet, who gathered upon the flag-ship were: Rear Admiral B. A. Fiske of the first division, Rear Admiral N. R. Usher of the second division; Rear Admiral C. McK. Winslow of the third division and Rear Admiral F. F. Fletcher of the fourth division. Others on board were: Captain Frank E. Hill, chief of the staff of the Atlantic fleet, and Rear Admiral A. M. Knight, commander of the Atlantic reserve fleet.

Although nothing of the ceremonies could be seen from the shore save the salutes, Riverside Drive was lined with thousands of persons, feasting their eyes on the unrivaled war display in the Hudson. There was much waving of signal flags and flapping of "conversation" pennons from the masts of the great battleships.

It was close to the hour of 9 when Secretary Meyer's flag was broken from the foremast of the Dolphin as the yacht steamed abreast of the Connecticut. As she did so the guns of the flag-ship thundered their salute of 19 guns.

Before the smoke had lifted above the skeleton masts Admiral Osterhaus followed by his fellow officers were putting off in small boats to pay their respects to Secretary Meyer on the Dolphin which had come to anchor nearby.

While Admiral Osterhaus and the division commanders were going on board the Dolphin, launches bearing members of the House and Senate naval committees were steaming up from Seventy-ninth street. The members of both these committees had been invited on the Dolphin to take part in the ceremonies.

**Inspects Dreadnoughts.**

After the brief and formal visit of the commanding officer, was over Secretary Meyer put off in a launch and paid his respects to Admiral Osterhaus on board the Connecticut.

And now came the most interesting part of the program, as far as Mr. Meyer was concerned, inspection of the two new Connecticut dreadnoughts, Arkansas and Wyoming.

These two monsters were the most powerful ships in line, representing the last word on sea fighting material

in the United States navy. They carry such powerful armament that they could anchor on the ocean side of Long Island and pour their fire over the harbor and drop 500-pound projectiles into the inland towns in New Jersey a dozen miles off the coast.

Mr. Meyer looked with interest at the great batteries of 12-inch guns which cost a fortune to fire.

The division commanders returned to their ships. Rear Admiral Fiske went to the Florida; Rear Admiral Usher to the Louisiana; Rear Admiral Winslow to the New Jersey, and Rear Admiral Fletcher to the Ohio.

Up to this time the ceremonies had been of a preliminary character.

The review of the 12-mile fleet now began. The Dolphin with Mr. Meyer, Rear Admiral Osterhaus and the official guests began its cruise past the guns of the great men-of-war. Following in the wake of the Dolphin steamed the steamer Hendrik Hudson with the members of the citizens' committee on board.

**Mayflower Appears.**

No sooner was the review over than the presidential yacht Mayflower, upon which President Taft is to review the fleet tomorrow as it passes out to sea, made her appearance, with the President on board, at the head of the line at Twenty-third street.

Every ship blazed forth the Presidential salute of 21 guns as the Mayflower steamed slowly up the Hudson. If the big guns had been fired nearly all the windows in Greater New York would have been broken, but the naval officers considerably used 3-pounders. These made considerable noise and plenty of gunpowder smoke but had very little concussion.

Mr. Meyer and his aides went on board the Mayflower and the Presidential flag was hoisted down.

Then the Mayflower moved up the river to a point near the Connecticut, where another round of visits took place. This time, however, Admiral Osterhaus and his fellow officers went on board the Mayflower instead of the Dolphin. Later Mr. Taft returned the call. Following the example of Secretary Meyer, Mr. Taft made a trip to the new superdreadnoughts Arkansas and Wyoming, accompanied by Admiral Osterhaus and the chief-of-staff. Mr. Taft as Mr. Meyer had done before him showed keen interest in the leviathans of war with their ponderous machinery of destruction.

After President Taft's return to the Mayflower his formal visit was returned by Admiral Osterhaus. Then there was a second review of the fleet this time with both President Taft and Secretary Meyer upon the Mayflower while the Dolphin and Nashville followed in the wake of the presidential yacht.

Cheers from the lusty throats of the bluejackets greeted the presidential yacht as she passed slowly beneath the great ships in their somber coats of war paint.

Tonight there will be an official dinner at the Hotel Astor in honor of President Taft, Secretary Meyer and the officers of the fleet.

**Three-Fingered Brown Sold.**

CHICAGO, Oct. 14.—Mordecai Brown, the three-fingered pitcher of the Chicago National League baseball team, has been sold to the Louisville team of the American Association. It was announced yesterday. C. W. Murphy, president of the Chicago Nationals, asked for waivers on Brown some time ago. He has been sold by Murphy because of lameness resulting from a twisted knee.

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**VANDERBILT LEADS IN AGGREGATE SCORE**

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—The football team of Vanderbilt University stands at the top of all the college elevens thus far this season on a basis of aggregate scores made. The Southern University has taken 259 points in three games to its opponents "nothing." Other teams against which no touchdown has been made are Harvard, Swarthmore, Trinity, Army, Pennsylvania State and Georgetown. The total scores of the big Eastern teams are as follows:

Harvard 59-3, four games; Yale 54-3, four games; Princeton 172-6, four games; Pennsylvania 135-0, five games; Cornell 24-32, four games; Carlisle 227-7, six games; Dartmouth, 163-9, four games; Brown 23-7, three games; Army 46-0, two games; Navy 7-17, two games.

**YALE MEETS WEST POINT SATURDAY**

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 14.—The Yale football squad will devote this week's practice to active preparation for the game against West Point on Saturday, the first real test of the blue team. The work will be secret and special plays designed solely for the purpose of defeating the cadets will be taught. Captain Howe was pleased with nothing in the Lafayette game except the score. Speaking of the game he said:

"The team didn't understand the signals and the quarterback did not seem to be able to tell the men what to do. The games showed that there is much work to be done before meeting West Point."

**Big Bout on Program.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—The feature of the boxing program in New York this week will be a ten-round battle between Johnny Coulon, bantam champion, and Kid Williams of Baltimore, in Madison Square Garden Friday night. The weight conditions call for 116 ringside. Williams has whipped all comers this year and is generally regarded as Coulon's best and most formidable opponent.

**Tigers Face Hard Campaign.**

PRINCETON, N. J., Oct. 14.—With the early season's schedule over, Princeton is facing a stiff trio in Syracuse, Dartmouth and Harvard during the next three weeks.

The coaches have hopes of repeating last year's triumph over Yale and Harvard. Princeton probably will have an effective attack as Pendleton, Baker, DeWitt and Wall are extremely elusive when once in their stride.

**Big Bout Staged.**

CLEVELAND, O., Oct. 14.—With both boxers confident, Eddie O'Keefe of New York and Johnny Kilbane of Cleveland, the featherweight champion, are to have another encounter here tonight. They are scheduled to go 12 rounds.

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