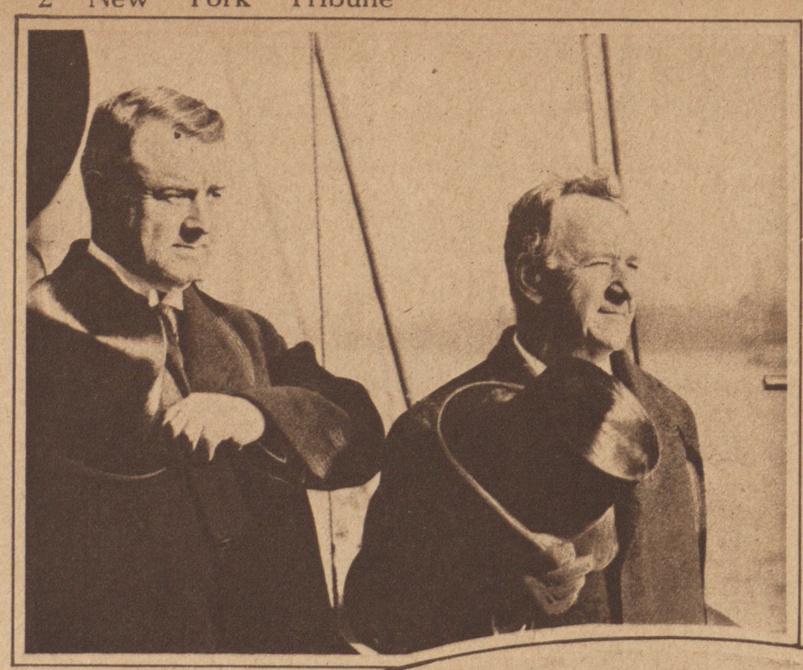

From the U. S. destroyer Meredith Secretary of the Navy Daniels reviews the fifty-seven mine sweepers from the North Sea's "Suicide Fleet," anchored in the Hudson. On board these ships, which arrived in port last Sunday, were 3,600 officers and men, the last of America's forces to return home. Since the armistice this doughty little fleet and the heroic lads who manned it have swept foreign waters of more than 50,000 mines (two years' work in nine months!), a record that eclipses that of the British sweepers. The photo above shows Sec. Daniels and Lieut. Gov. Walker standing at attention on the Meredith. To the right, the fleet passing in review as seen from the aftermast of the Meredith. Below, one of the thirty-two mine sweepers and one of the twenty-one sub chasers which, together with the two mother ships, make up this little fleet.

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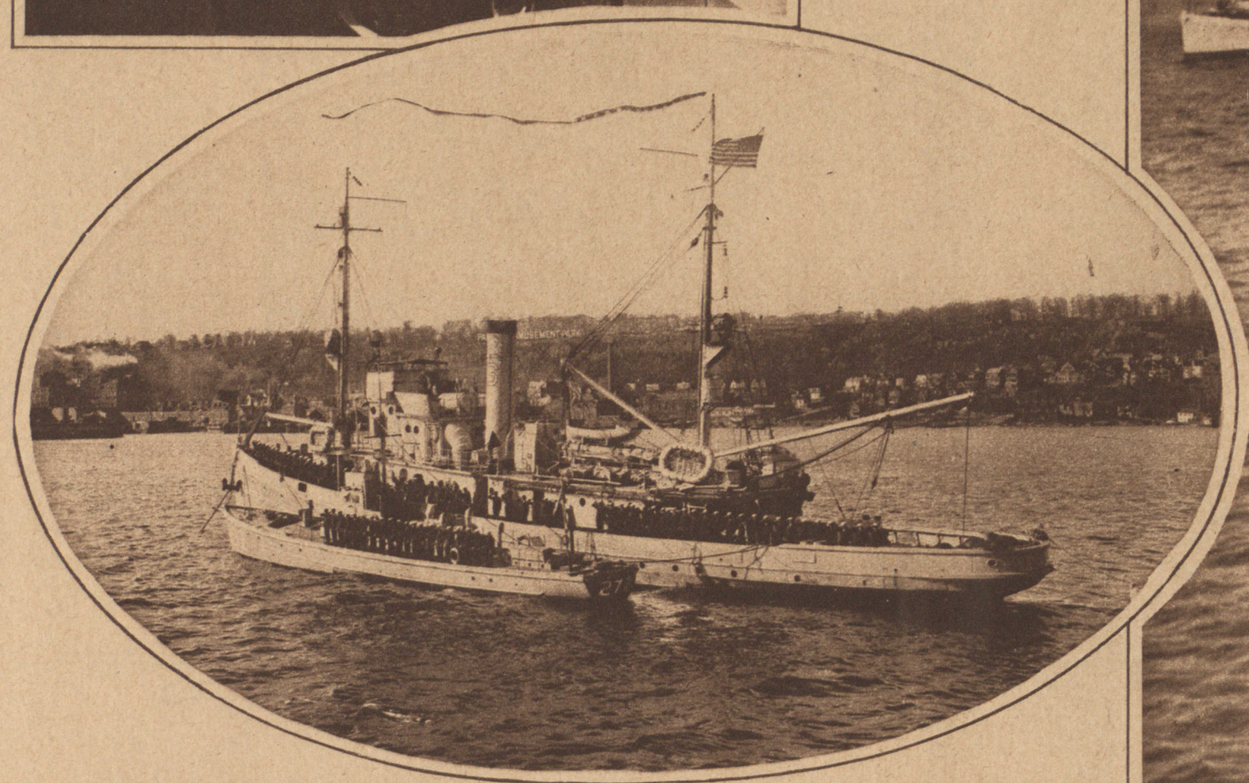

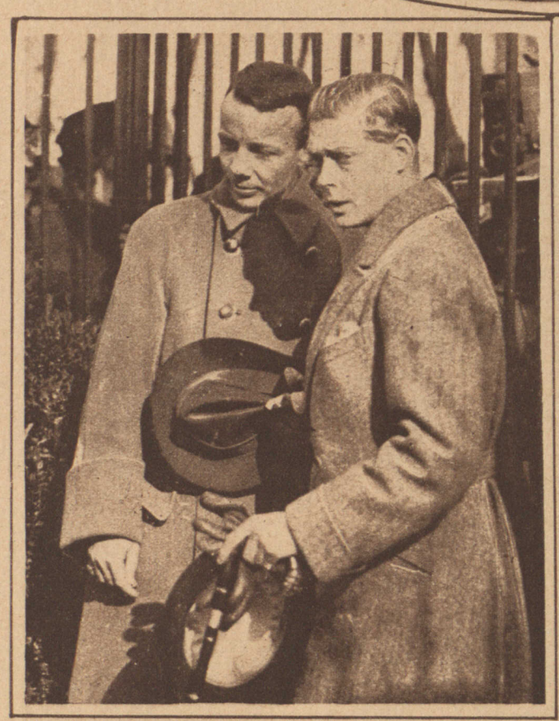

The day before the Prince of Wales sailed he motored to Oyster Bay to pay tribute to the memory of the mighty hunter who, nine years ago, fresh from adventure in Africa, told thrilling stories to a little boy in Windsor Castle. Lieut. Col. Roosevelt and the Prince beside the simple stone that marks the grave of Theodore Roosevelt.

International

Left—Herr Fokker, the German aeroplane manufacturer, in one of the speedy monoplanes which were the dread of the Allied armies. Fokker recently fled to England with several million dollars he made out of his 'plane factory. Just what kind of reception he received from John Bull is not reported.

Underwood

Right in circle—Whoa, hold your horses! It's not a runaway! It isn't an accident. Simply Fräulein' Somebodyorother sideswiping with her team of ponies a bridge in an obstacle race at the great riding and driving tournament recently held in the stadium in Berlin. It's our guess she received the black and blue ribbon.

Wide World Photo

Right—In order to hasten the completion of the new skyscraper in course of construction at 39th Street and 7th Avenue they're playing both ends against the middle—one gang of masons working up and the other down—twice as many workmen can be kept on the job by this method.

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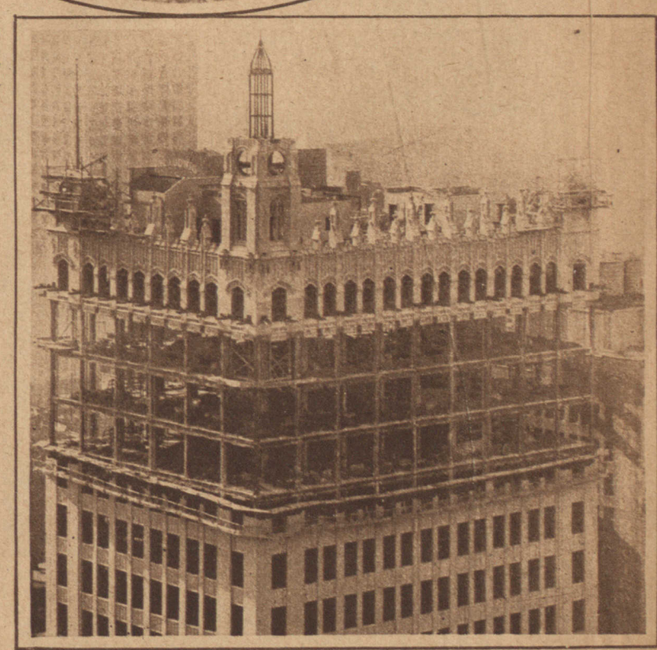

Left—The recent quarter of a million dollar fire that destroyed three buildings inside the prison walls at Sing Sing, photographed at its height. Armed guards patroled the prison walls to prevent a jail delivery, while Ossining firemen, handicapped by low water pressure, fought the stubborn blaze. Prisoners are believed to have started the fire.

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