

Lucius D. Clay

GENERAL CLAY.

**CLAY, General Lucius DuBignon;**

U.S. Army (retd.); b. 23 April 1897; s. of Alexander Stephen and Sara Francis Clay; m. 1918, Marjorie McKeown; two s. *Educ.*: U.S.M.A., West Point, New York. Instructor, Officers' Training Camp, 1918-1919; Engr. Sch. of Application, 1919-20; Asst. Prof. Mil. Science and Tactics, Ala. Poly. Inst. 1920-21; Constr. Quartermaster and Post Engr. Ft. Belvoir, Va. 1921-24; Instr. Dept. Civil Engr., U.S.M.A. 1924-27; 11th Engrs. Canal Zone, Field Mapping, 1927-30; Asst. to Dist. Engr. Pittsburgh, in charge Construction Lock and Dam No. 2, Allegheny River, 1930-33; Asst. to Chief of Engrs. in River and Harbor Sec. 1933-37; Consultant on Devel. of Water Resources to Nat. Power Corp., Philippine Commonwealth, 1937-38; in charge constr. of Denison Dam, 1938-40; Asst. to Administrator Civil Aeronautics Admin. on Airport program, 1940-41; Director of Materiel, A.S.F., 1942-44; commanded Normandy Base, 1944; Dep. Dir. War Mobilization and Reconversion, 1945; Dep. Mil. Gov. of Germany, 1945-47; Commander-in-Chief, European Command, and Military Governor of United States Zone of Germany, 1947-49; retired, 1949; An Assistant Director of Defence Mobilization, U.S.A., 1950-51. *Publication*: Decision in Germany, 1950. *Recreations*: horseback riding, fishing. *Clubs*: Army and Navy; Army and Navy Country (Washington, D.C.).

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to King George VI; Chaplain to British Petroleum Oil Co.; to Port of London Authority; Founder Padre of Toc H, when Toc H (Talbot House) began in the Ypres Salient 1915; Vicar since 1922 of All Hallows, Barkinby-the-Tower (bombed and burnt, 1940); the Guild Church of Toc H; b. Queen's land, 12 Dec. 1885; y. s. of late R. B. Clayton, J.P.; unmarried. Educ.: St. Paul's School (Scholar); Exeter College, Oxford (Scholar), 1st Cl. Theological Final, 1909. Curate of Portsea, 1910-14; Temp. C.F. 1915; Chaplain to 16th General Hospital; Brigade Chaplain 6th Division; opened Talbot House in Popeinghe, which was named after Gilbert Talbot y. s. of the Bishop of Winchester, Dec. 1918. Chaplain and Tutor of Service Candidates' School at Knutsford, 1919; refounded Talbot House 1920, as Toc H (Royal Charter, 1922)—a movement to teach the younger generation classes in reconciliation and unselfish service; first planned and launched Tower Hill Improvement, 1926; secured opening of Tower Beach for children, 1934; brought Toc H to support British Empire Leprosy Relief, 1932-39; inaugurated Winant Volunteers (1948) and Oslo Volunteers (1950) to help East End Clubs and Settlements. Toured the Empire, U.S., S. America on behalf of Toc H, 1922, 1925, 1927, and 1952. Persia 1932. Gold Coast and Nigeria 1933.