

7 MILES OF WOMEN TRIP FOR SUFFRAGE AS 2 MILLION CHEER

Greatest Parade of Opposite Sex of Modern Times is Held in London by Equality Workers.

PAGEANT IS THREE HOURS PASSING A GIVEN POINT

Applauding Throngs Pack the Pavement Along Entire Line of March.

(By the International News Service.) London, June 17.—The greatest procession of women of modern times, in which it is estimated 50,000 marched, was that which passed through seven miles of London streets today. The pageant, which was witnessed by more than 3,000,000 persons, was three hours passing a given point. Cheering throngs packed every inch of the pavement along the entire course of the march. The parade formed on the banks of the Thames and proceeded from Northumberland avenue to Albert hall, where there were addresses by suffrage leaders. Famous Women March. Scores of famous women marched. Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst and her daughter, Sybil Pankhurst, Mrs. Petrick Lawrence and Mrs. Golden Sanderson headed 700 women in the vanguard of marchers, including Muriel, countess of Delaware, and her daughters, Ladies Idina and Alice Sackville, Lady Robert Cecil and Lady Macmillan, formerly of Louisville. Gertrude Elliott and Mrs. Kendall led the actresses, who included Yvette Guilbert, Lena Ashwell, Julie Opp and Olive Terry. Beatrice Harragan, Sarah Le Grand, Cicely Hamilton, Elizabeth Robins and Irene Zangwill paraded with the actresses. Mrs. Fisher, wife of the premier of Australia; Anna Bosant, Barie Brema and Mrs. Ayrton, the London Christian Science leader, paraded. All walks of life, from the nobility to the factory girls and all nations were represented. Paraded as Notables. Women who have figured in politics paraded as Queen Elizabeth and other notables. These characters were represented by women in gorgeous costumes, Elizabeth walking under a royal canopy. Miss Aman Bryce, niece of the British ambassador to the United States, led the procession as Joan of Arc. She was roundly cheered owing to her great beauty. The foremost personalities of the procession, summoned to parliament by Edward III, then the abbesses, called to parliament, and the great nineteenth century women. Mrs. Browning in hoop skirts amused the crowd, which was at first derisive, but later became interested. The American division attracted much attention. There were 49 men in it and the hand painted banner, a magnificent work of art, was headed by the stately Inez Milholland of New York city. Mrs. G. W. Mitchell, of Massachusetts. (Continued on Page Seven.)

Detective Indicted



Photographic studies of William J. Burns, celebrated detective, who was indicted in Indianapolis yesterday on a charge of kidnaping in connection with the summary removal to Los Angeles of John J. McNamara.

TRUE BILLS AGAINST M'NAMARA, W.M. BURNS AND 1 OTHER

Only Three Are Involved by Indictments Returned by Indianapolis Grand Jury—Investigation to Continue.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Indianapolis, June 17.—The grand jury having returned indictments today charging Detective William J. Burns with kidnaping and implicating John J. McNamara in another alleged dynamiting plot, County Prosecutor Frank Baker announced tonight that he will resume his investigation into every phase of the McNamara case with the empanelling of the July grand jury. Baker intimated that both trials would be deferred until after the McNamara brothers and Orin G. McManis are tried on the charge of dynamiting the Los Angeles Times. Leads Mapped Out. The July grand jury will follow leads unearthed by the present grand jury and will investigate any charges, he said. This announcement has lead labor leaders to hope for indictments against Walter Drew, attorney for the Erectors' association; J. A. G. Badorf, his assistant, and possibly District Attorney Ford of Los Angeles, in connection with the alleged kidnaping of McNamara, together with Frank Knox, who drove the automobile which carried McNamara from the state. These men will probably be released from jail as a result of the present grand jury's action in declaring that no violation of the criminal laws had been found in their conduct. Three Are Involved. In the eight indictments returned by the grand jury, it is authoritatively stated that but three persons are involved. Detective Burns is charged with kidnaping John McNamara. McNamara is charged with conspiracy in dynamiting property of the Peoria and Peoria Railway at Peoria, Ill., in 1910. It is also said that two of the indictments charge McNamara with having unlawfully stored explosives in Indiana. It is stated that the third person in-

TWISTED AND TORN, OLD MAINE RISES AS SILENT REBUKE

Battered Hull of Battleship Testifies to Falseness of Spanish Assertion That She Was Cleared for Action.

WATCHERS WONDER HOW ANY PERSON ESCAPED

All of Vessel Forward of the Engines Is Shattered and Destroyed.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Havana, June 17.—The Spanish assertion that the battleship Maine was cleared for action as she lay in the harbor just prior to the explosion of February 15, 1898, was proved false today. As the giant pumps cleared the water from the cofferdam and revealed the twisted and torn bits of rusted steel that was once a powerful fighting machine, they showed the rusted guns in the port turret aft, ranged to the rear and at rest, with the music caps in their places. Wonder at Escape. Gazing at the shattered wreckage covered with mud and slime, members of the American board wondered tonight how any person on board escaped with his life. All forward of the engines was shattered and destroyed. Aft, however, the old sea dog is solid, and it is believed, could be made watertight. The explosion seems to have been forward on the starboard side, but the experts refuse to hazard a guess whether the magazine exploded after the initial detonation. It was expected that some of the bodies known to be in the hull would be uncovered by today's pumping, but not one was seen. It is possible some of them are covered with the 11 years accumulation of mud and silt and the workers are proceeding slowly and deliberately. Protest Against Collier. There is a general feeling of protest among the Americans here over the program of the government to bring the bodies of the heroes home in the soldier coffins. They assert that the least the government should do for the honored dead is to send a battleship for them and it is understood a suggestion will be made to Washington to that effect if any bodies are found. The Cuban government has already arranged to honor the Maine's dead when they are sent to Arlington. The harbor forts will be manned, and as the vessel carrying the coffets clears the harbor mouth, a national salute will boom from the big guns in the fortifications. RETURNING FROM ERRAND, FINDS MOTHER MURDERED (United Press Leased Wire.) New York, June 17.—Running into his mother's room this afternoon to tell her he had completed a small task given him 15 minutes before, 12-year-old Peter Morando found his parent with skull split and feet and hands behind, lying dead on the bed. Both ear lobes were torn where diamond earrings had been pulled out, supposedly by two men who had followed her home from a store two doors away, where she had been seen with a sum of money. The police are without a clue to the murderers.

TO CELEBRATE THEIR TWENTY-FIFTH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY



President William H. Taft and Mrs. Taft, who will observe their silver wedding anniversary by an elaborate entertainment at the White House Monday evening.

PRESIDENT AND MRS. TAFT RECEIVE ELABORATE GIFTS ON OCCASION OF THEIR SILVER WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Congress and Many Individuals High in Government Service Pay Respects to Nation's Chief Executive and His Wife—"Aunt" Della Torrey Arrives at White House for the Monday Night Reception—5000 Guests Expected.

(By the International News Service.) Washington, June 17.—Aunt Della Torrey, escorted by her great nephew, Robert Taft, son of the president, arrived in Washington this morning to attend the silver wedding festivities at the White House on Monday night. Despite her 83 years, Aunt Della did not appear to be tired out by the journey from Milburn, Mass. She seemed to enjoy the novel, modern experience of being snap-shotted, as she stepped from the train. She told the reporters that the president had been "quite nervous" on the wedding morning 25 years ago. She solemnly expressed the belief that her nephew could be re-nominated and re-elected. On arriving at the White House, Aunt Della was greeted affectionately by the president. Among others of the Taft families who reached Washington today were Henry W. and Horace Taft, the president's brothers, and Master Charles P. Taft, the youngest son of the president. 5000 Guests Expected. If the weather is favorable the grandstand will be on the White House lawn under a canopy. The 5000 guests will approach the president and Mrs. Taft, but without the formality of the passing down a line of cabinet officers, as at the winter receptions. A feature of the anniversary is a wedding cake so big that each guest will be given a sovereign box to save for posterity, and enough will be left for the younger folks to dream on. The cake is a masterpiece, a mass of white frosting, circled around which are 25 crystal hearts embedded in artistic scrolls. On the top is a great cornucopia filled with exotics, for which cherubs and angels are clamoring. Alternating with the crystal hearts are 25 silver star spangled banners, and the stars and bars of the president. At the base are beautiful roses, cut from their stems and flung against the lowering sides, while fluttering on the edge of the great cake are turtle doves. Many Gifts Tendered. Many of the presents have already arrived at the White House. The gift from the senate is a massive five-piece tea set, with two additional pieces, a tray and a hot water kettle. This set is modeled on colonial lines, after one used in the family of Paul Revere. The house of representatives is sending a magnificent silver service of a dozen pieces. Mrs. Taft is a great favorite among the women of the army circle, her popularity dating from the time Mr. Taft was the secretary of war. The wives of 40 generals each contributed \$10 and purchased a diamond-studded plate. (Continued on Page Nine.)

BATTLE ROYAL IN LAND GRANT SUIT WILL BE FOUGHT

Southern Pacific to File Answer to Government's Attempt to Get Back Tracts Valued at \$40,000,000.

COMPANY VIOLATED AGREEMENT IS CLAIM

2,500,000 Acres in Oregon Involved in Litigation to Be Resumed.

San Francisco, June 17.—Peter F. Dunne has decided, as attorney for the Southern Pacific, to file an answer in the federal court in Portland to the government's suit to forfeit the railroad's 2,500,000-acre land grant in Oregon along the line of the Oregon division of the Mt. Shasta route. This will cause the suit to go to trial on its merits. Then a battle royal is expected to ensue, because practically all of the grant is timber land and is estimated to be worth from \$40,000,000 to \$75,000,000. In its complaint the government states the land is worth \$40,000,000. United States Judge Wolveston recently overruled a demurrer by the railroad. Dunne could have appealed from this decision, but after several weeks of study, and after, it is understood, a conference by cable with William F. Harris, who is now in Europe, he decided on a fight in the lower courts. It is admitted that no matter how the federal court at Portland rules, the losing side will not rest until it is carried to the United States supreme court. The government contends that the land grant should be forfeited because the railroad company, contrary to the act of congress, has refused to sell the land in tracts not greater than 160 acres to bona fide settlers at a price not exceeding \$2.50 an acre. The grant was first made in 1856 and contained no mention of sales to settlers, but in 1858, at the request of the company, congress extended the time and granted 2000 additional acres of land. At that time it embodied, as a part of the entire grant, the condition of sale to settlers. In 1879 further extension of time was granted. Later the Southern Pacific chose to abandon the rights under the act of 1858 and claim title under the acts of 1869 and 1876. The contention of the company is over the right of congress to make a subsequent grant paramount to the rights conferred in the original grant.

MURDERER STILL FREE; HOUNDS LOSE THE SCENT

Trained Dogs Follow Trail of Slayer From Scene of the Crime to Delk House—Men Beat Woods in Vain.

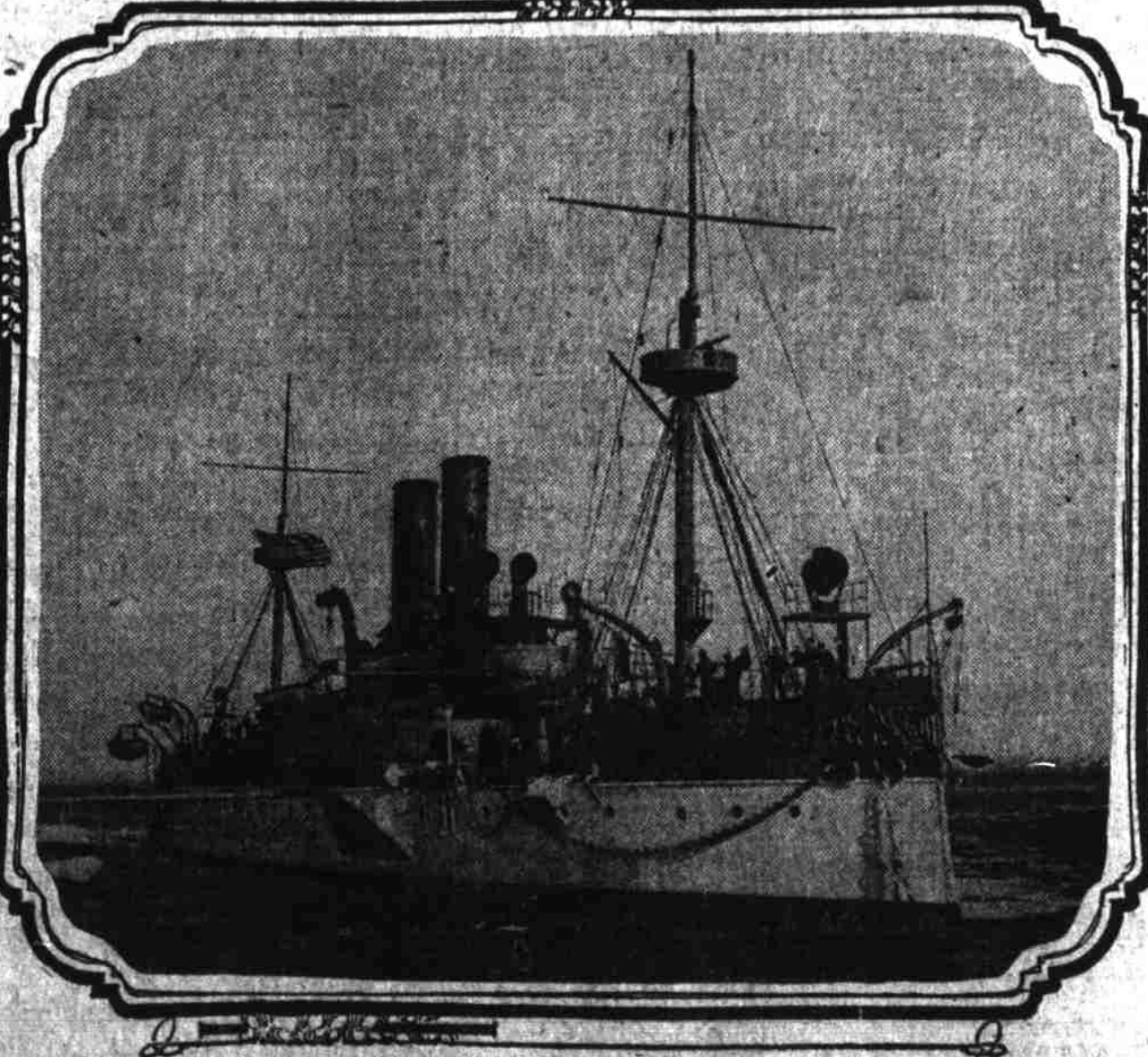
For four hours bloodhounds covered the district in the neighborhood of Ardenwald yesterday afternoon, hunting for the murderer of William Hill, his wife and her two little children. Though the dogs, taking their scent from the bloody towels found by the Hill home, took up a trail and followed it directly to the gate of J. T. Delk, whence the axe with which the murders were done was taken, so long a time has elapsed since the killing of the Hills and the escape of their murderer that the officers consider this trail of no importance. It is probable, however, that the dogs did start up the midnight prowler who has been hiding in the woods near Ardenwald and terrorizing the neighborhood since the killing of the Hills. Search in Vain. While T. H. McDermott was trawling the bloodhounds through the woods back of the Delk home and between the Willsburg road and the Southern Pacific tracks a farm hand came racing up to where the sheriff's posse was waiting the result of the dogs' hunt and, out of breath from hurrying, managed to tell the posse that a man—the same one, apparently, who has been seen about the neighborhood since the murders and who jumped out of the woods upon Gus Ohlert at daybreak Thursday morning, had crossed the track and was running through the woods in a southerly direction. It seemed to think the dogs were chasing the man. Sheriff Stevens and Mass and their deputies jumped into automobiles and dashed down the road to the deserted powder houses which mark the southern limit of the stretch of woods the man was believed to be hiding in. Here the posse left the cars and began beating the brush in the direction from which the dogs were coming. Dogs Given Scent. The woods were gone through twice, but if the man was there the marvelous skill at concealment that he has exhibited thus far did not desert him and he outwitted both men and dogs. At 2 o'clock, after a thorough search of the woods, the posse and the dogs returned to Portland. The bloodhounds, which are the noted escape dogs of Harry Tracy, Harry Brown and Stensburg fame, were taken out to the Hill house, where the murders were committed, early yesterday afternoon. Sheriff Mass of Clatsop county is in charge of the dogs. (Continued on Page Seven.)

LONDON AWAITING DAY WHEN GEORGE IS CROWNED KING

Ancient City Is Thronged With Britain's Subjects From All Parts of World—Royal Guests Now Arriving.

(By the International News Service.) London, June 17.—London, swathed in bunting, with the historical edifices on the route of the royal procession from Buckingham Palace to the Abbey party of wholly different character, stands and with the statues of England's heroes boxed in by reviewing stands erected around them, awaits the coming of Thursday, June 22, the great day upon which the king George will be crowned as king of England with Queen Mary as his consort. With the return of the king and queen to Buckingham Palace today the coronation festivities were inaugurated. Royal Guests Arrive Monday. Monday will see the arrival of royal guests and special missions from abroad. John Hays Hammond, special ambassador of the United States, will make his official entry into the city at noon. He will be met at the Victoria station by the Duke of Connaught, representing King George, and other officials. Dowager Empress Maria of Russia, who will pass the coronation period with Queen Mother Alexandra at Sandringham, arrived this afternoon. She was welcomed at the railroad station by King George and Queen Mary, Queen Mother Alexandra and a host of other members of the royal family and diplomats. This afternoon the king received at Buckingham Palace the American and other foreign officers participating in the jumping competitions at the horse show at Olympia at the Victoria station. All Kinds and Conditions of Men. In the great human maelstrom which is surging through the city there are hundreds of thousands of men and women who made up the empire upon which the sun never sets. Evidently, in high caste Brahmins from India's Coral Strand, jostled against gaunt, glaucous subjects of the king from Australia; the energetic, hustling Canadian, bound to Britain by sympathetic ties.

ITS BATTERED HULK, LONG NEGLECTED, NOW BEING EXAMINED



Battleship Maine as it appeared before its destruction in Havana Harbor thirteen years ago.