

Queen Muriel Wears Rose Festival Crown With Grace of American Girl

COLUMBIA HIGHWAY DEDICATED TO WORLD BY FESTIVAL QUEEN

Thousands of People View Impressive and Spectacular Ceremonies Today.

TO UNFURL THE FLAG

President Wilson, at Washington, D. C., to Press Electric Button Which Will Release Old Glory.

The Columbia River highway belongs to the world. Its unsurpassed viewpoints of the gorge of the Columbia, its monoliths and waterfalls, are the possession of all who travel.

Under the imposing altitude of Multnomah falls this afternoon, the crush of falling water mingling with the music of the Rosarian band, Queen Muriel of the realm of roses, with a wave of her scepter made the dedication.

Thousands View Ceremony.

The witnesses were officials of Oregon and Portland, a crowd estimated at 10,000 people who applauded the act later in the day President Wilson at Washington, with a touch of his finger on an electric button, will unfurl the American flag to the breeze at Crown Point. Those giving sign of the nation's acceptance and formally sealing the gift.

The Columbia River highway is recognized as the greatest scenic road on the American continent. Its dedication to the tourist travel of the world gives the Rose Festival of 1916 a distinction beyond any other festivals.

Much Money Expended.

It is a way of great cost. Multnomah county alone will have spent \$1,500,000, approximately, on it, and it is to extend through Clatsop, Columbia, Multnomah and Hood river counties from the Pacific ocean to the Dalles, and, sometime, to Pendleton. But the cost of the highway is considered little in comparison with the treasure house of scenery revealed by it.

Fearing congestion in spite of the excellent traffic arrangements, many people went out on the highway this morning and secured choice of parking places in the natural amphitheatre fronting Multnomah falls. Room for people and automobiles was more than doubled by the fills made under the direction of Roadmaster Yeon. The dedicatory platform was erected at a point near the falls where as many as possible might see and hear.

Queen on Special Train.

Queen Muriel and her party came on the special train that left the Union depot at 11 o'clock this morning. After the queen had been escorted to her tent, officials and Rose Festival directors were escorted to seats to the accompaniment of hand music.

Royal Rosarians, the escorts of the queen, stood at review as Queen Muriel approached the platform, preceded by little girls strewing roses over the pathway. Little girls brought the crown to the king of the festival.

He was about to take it and place it upon the head of the queen when a war whoop from near the falls was heard. Chief Multnomah, as spirit of the falls, came rushing down the trail, protesting this invasion of the domain of his people.

He disregarded Queen Muriel's hand outstretched compassionately, but when he suddenly looked upon the great throng of happy people he gave up his protest and sadly walked back up the trail.

Miss Columbia Arrives.

Then came Miss Columbia, attended by 12 little girls and preceded by two children bearing a winged wheel impersonating progress. Miss Columbia was recognized by the queen, who unfurled about her the flag of the nation. The band played "The Star-Spangled Banner," and Miss Harriet Leach inspiringly sang the national anthem.

E. J. Jaeger, chairman of the dedication ceremonies, then introduced the officials in attendance for short addresses. Those taking part in the ceremony were: Queen Muriel of Rosaria, Muriel Saling of Pendleton, King Joy, representative, Pendleton Commercial club; Miss Columbia, address of the Columbia, Irene Albee Stewart; maids in waiting, Lucille Johnson, Edyle Fraasch, Eleanor Jackson, Rose Uptegrove, Mildred Pegg, Valie Jacobs, Jewell Carrol, Louise Taylor, Lillian C. Hendricksen and Mrs. Maud Gilman; Chief Multnomah, Marshall N. Dana; prime minister of Rosaria, Dean Vincent; Prince of Rosaria, H. Dundore; Duke of Rosaria, H. S. Pittock; lord high chancellor, F. C. Riggs; lord chief justice, R. G. Morrow; captain of the royal guard, Robert Krohn; dukes of the court, C. J. Colt, Emory Olmstead and E. J. Jaeger; director of ceremonies, W. J. Hofmann; director of royal band, J. B. Erlinger; crown bearers, Mary Betty Cook and Lollita Jaeger; royal trumpeter, Andrew Loney; bearers of the wheel of progress, Ruth and Dorothy, twin daughters of J. H. Dundore, president of 1916 Rose Festival; dancing girls and fairies from Ladd and Couch schools under the leadership of Johanna Cramer and Fay Tremblay; chaperons, Principals C. M. Kiggins and A. M. Cannon.

Homing Pigeons on Way With Message

Birds Carrying Portland's Invitation to Columbia River Fly From Highway to Cotes in Distant Cities.

Forty homing pigeons are flying to the most remote places of the Pacific coast this afternoon, bearing messages

Beautiful embroidered Waists, Nightgowns, Luncheon Sets, Pillow Tops, Scarfs and Infants' Wear. Samples from our wholesale department. Now selling at big sacrifice in prices. All this week.

NEEDLECRAFT SHOP

Northwestern National Bank Building.

THOUSANDS ATTEND OPENING CEREMONY OF FESTIVAL AND WITNESS THE CROWNING



Scene attending crowning of Rose Festival queen at festival center last night. Left to right—Mayor Albee, holding key to city; J. H. Dundore, president of Rose Festival association. He is shown placing crown upon head of Queen Muriel; Queen Muriel, seated on throne; King Joy (Thil D. Taylor of Pendleton); Frank Riggs; in foreground of throne are shown two little flower pages.

WARSHIPS ATTRACT VISITORS BY SCORE TO THE WATERFRONT

Launches From Morrison and Stark Streets Carry Capacity Loads.

Three thousand people visited the warships South Dakota and Oregon yesterday, and many times that number are expected to view the big craft today.

Visiting hours are from 9:30 to 11 a. m. and 1:30 to 5 p. m.

A myriad of launches are running from Morrison and Stark streets to the vessels.

A charge of 10 cents each way is made for the trip by launch.

of invitation. They were released at Multnomah falls immediately after the Columbia river highway was officially dedicated to the world.

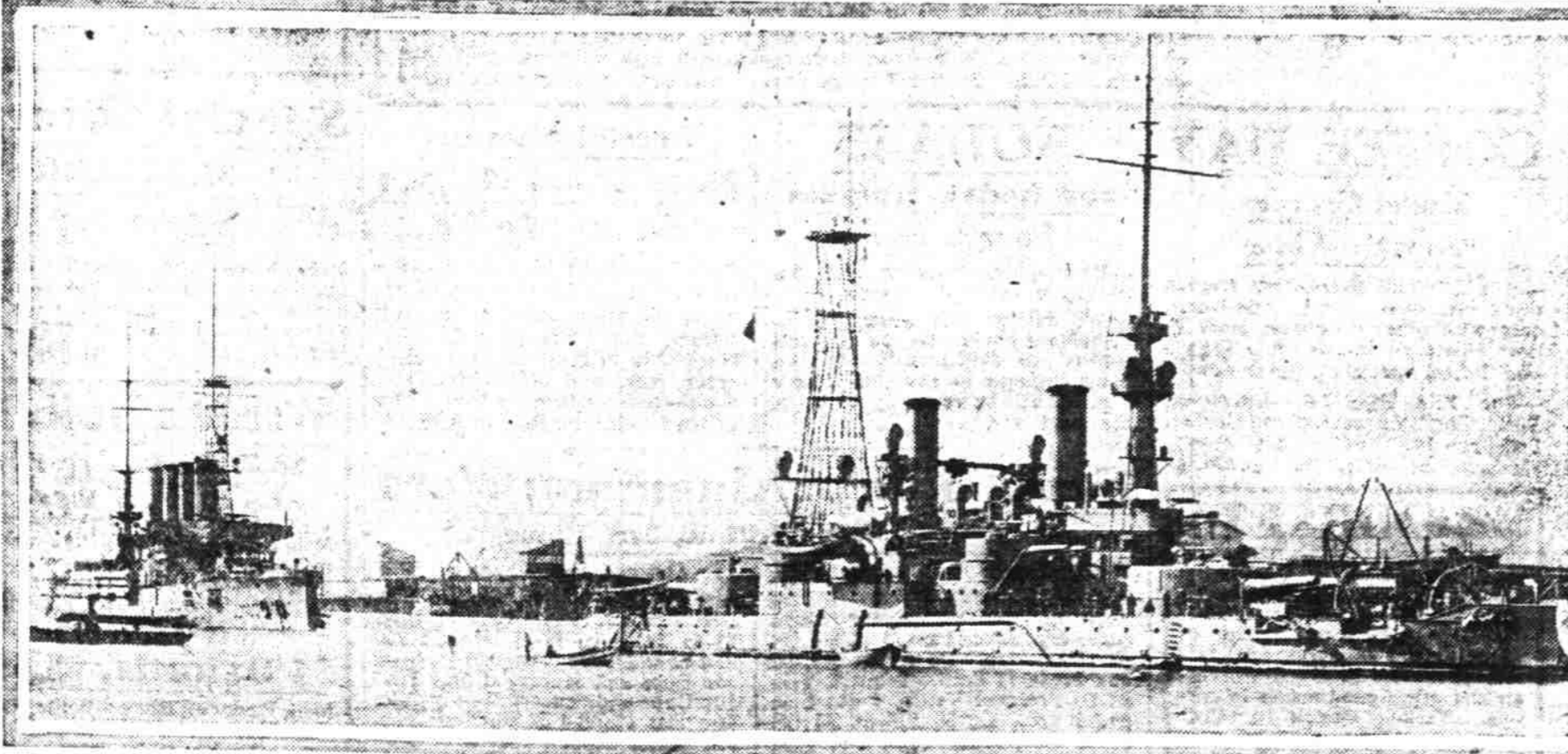
Expressly for this event, pigeons were brought here from Los Angeles, San Francisco, Sacramento, Pasadena, Seattle, Vancouver, B. C., and Victoria. They will enter their coasts tomorrow with the official invitation of Oregon, Portland, the Rose Festival association and the highway dedication committee.

E. J. Jaeger, chairman of the dedication committee, and G. V. Adams, secretary of the Oregon Homing Pigeon club, released the birds and sent them on their long flight. The message carried was as follows:

"Portland sends greetings. We invite your good people to come and enjoy with us the pleasures of looking on the beauties of the Columbia gorge as they motor over our great Columbia river highway, which on this date has been dedicated to the world.

"GOV. JAMES WITHYCOMBE.
"MAYOR H. R. ALBEE.
"J. H. DUNDORE.
"President Rose Festival Assn.
"E. J. JAEGER.
"Chairman Dedication Com."

UNCLE SAM'S WARSHIPS VISIT THE ROSE FESTIVAL AND RECEIVE MANY VISITORS



Two United States war vessels in harbor. Left to right—Cruiser South Dakota, moored in stream off North Bank dock; battleship "Oregon," just above the Dakota and short distance below the Broadway bridge. Thousands of people have planned to inspect these two fighting ships. The "Oregon" was made famous by her record dash around Cape Horn during the Spanish-American war.

QUEEN'S CHAPERONE COMMENCES DUTIES



Mrs. Max Asmus, wife of one of the Royal Rosarians, is the official chaperone of the queen and her 10 maids of honor.

Mrs. Asmus took up her duties bright and early yesterday morning. There is just the faintest whisper that one of the first things she did was to see that the queen and her maids arose in time for breakfast.

After that she got them all lined up and headed for the dining room in the Portland hotel. Later she had the girls taken to the festival center to have them pose for the motion picture men and newspaper photographers.

China imports nearly 200,000,000 gallons of kerosene a year.

The United Artisans will have spe-

JOYOUS FESTIVAL CROWDS ENJOYING PROGRAM DELIGHTS

All Portland in Holiday Dress and Spirits as Season of Fun Gets Into Swing.

With the queen crowned, the festival center opened and the children's parade a great success, the 1916 Rose Festival is fairly under way.

All Portland is making a holiday. The city is filled with visitors and hotel accommodations in most of the hostleries are taxed to the utmost. Many of the larger hotels report the largest house counts in their history.

Business houses in many instances closed during the parade this morning, and hundreds of persons are expected to be at Multnomah falls for the dedication of the Columbia river highway this afternoon.

Portland is making a three-day holiday. The festival spirit permeates the city and glorious weather adds to the enjoyment of the spectacles and entertainments on the program.

Rose Show Opens.

The twenty-fifth annual rose show opened in the Meier & Frank store this afternoon with a splendid display of Portland's flower.

Beginning at 5 o'clock local Chinese will stage the first annual Chinese baby show. Babies and children up to 8 years of age are entered for prizes in a number of classes. They will be garbed in native costume and the event bids fair to be the most unique of the entire festival.

At the festival center tonight McElroy's band will give a concert beginning at 8 o'clock. Miss Ana Genevieve Paget, a talented Portland dancer, will introduce her specialty, "Portland's Fame: The Rain and Rose," and the quartets of the Portland Ad Club and Progressive Business Men's club will sing.

The United Artisans will have spe-

cial features at the festival center from 7:30 to 9 o'clock.

The chief event of the evening, however, will be the display of fireworks at the Oaks which will be attended by Queen Muriel and her court.

Floral Parade Tomorrow.

Tomorrow is the day of the floral parade with S. Benson as marshal and O. K. Jeffery as Rose Festival director in charge. Many entries have been made in automobile and horse drawn sections and the floral pageant will undoubtedly eclipse the floral parades of past years. The parade moves at 2 o'clock.

In the evening there will be an invitation ball at Cotillion hall in honor of Queen Muriel under the auspices of the Royal Rosarians.

From 10 o'clock to midnight there will be street dancing on the park blocks south of the festival center. Two bands will play continuously.

Street dancing was introduced in Portland at last year's festival and was one of the hits of the fiesta.

To Illuminate City.

Illumination of the city will begin at dusk tonight, and Broadway will be closed to traffic through the court of honor. The decorations showing episodes and characters in Oregon history will be lighted until midnight. They are arranged in order, beginning at Washington street and extending to the festival center.

Judging of community flower exhibits booths in the Festival Center began this afternoon, and will be continued through Friday.

Vessels in the battle fleet in Portland harbor were thrown open to visitors this afternoon, and will be open to inspection by the public each day of the festival.

Parade Throng Was Biggest in History

Captain of Police Moore said the crowd at the children's parade this morning was undoubtedly the largest that had ever witnessed this particular Rose Festival feature. Along the entire distance the people were banded solidly across the sidewalks and he estimated that over 100,000 people saw the spectacle. He rode at the head of the parade and had ample opportunity to make careful observation.

MURIEL IS CROWNED ROSARIA'S QUEEN IN GORGEOUS CEREMONY

Coronation Officially Opens Tenth Annual Rose Festival With Pomp and Splendor.

THOUSANDS VIEW EVENT

Dancing Girls and Pages Cast Showers of Petals Upon Royal Fair to the Weird Music of Ukuleles.

When Queen Muriel ascended the throne last night, the tenth annual Portland Rose Festival came into being.

With all pomp and ceremony, this little Pendleton miss, who in private life is Muriel Saling of the Round-Up city, was crowned queen on a throne raised on a dais in the park block opposite the Ladd school. And she wears her crown with the grace of a typical American girl.

With greenery swaying overhead and hundreds of softened lights casting their gentle radiance, with the scent of rose petals filling the air, the scene was perfect.

Thousands upon thousands crowded the park blocks and the streets to witness the ceremony, forming a hollow square around the throne.

All Portland Bows Knee.

It seemed as if everyone in Portland was there. So many were there, in fact, that the royal party, coming from the city hall, had a difficult time in approaching the throne.

The queen-elect had been serenaded at the Hotel Portland, she had met the mayor, she had turned the switch that made Broadway bright as day, and here she was come to be made queen.

An escort of naval militiamen, under the command of Ensign C. J. Dyer, and the Royal Rosarians, acted as the official convoy, with police and manager's cars leading the way.

The Rosarian band took up a position abreast the throne. The jacks formed a line facing the royal cars. The Woodburn Ladies' octet, the court musicians, slowly marched toward the dais strumming their ukuleles and singing a gentle melody.

From out of the crowd burst forth a bevy of dancing girls in filmy dresses. They bowed and saluted the queen. And then came another group of girls, leaders from the several schools of the city, who strewed rose petals in the path of the advancing queen.

Dowager Leads Maids.

The maids came first, led by the dowager queen, Mrs. Maud C. Gilman. Then came the festival directors, and then Queen Muriel and King Joy, who is none other than Sheriff "Thil" Taylor of Unatilla county.

How the people did cheer! Mayor Albee, bearing the key to the city, some three feet in length, brought up the rear with President Dundore.

The maids seated themselves on the dais. Muriel advanced to the throne. A trumpet sounded. Two little pages placed a cushion, and President Dundore placed the crown on Muriel's head.

Again the trumpet sounded. Mayor Albee presented the new-crowned queen with the key to the city. The band burst forth in triumphant song, and then the fairies from the Fernwood school and the garden-bearers and rose-petal girls danced in turn in honor of the sovereign.

Manager McDowell unrolled the royal carpet, and the king and queen and the party passed down the festival dais to the cheers of the multitude and the soft strumming of the ukuleles.

The festival was on.

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ORDER FOR MILITARY PARADE

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the following circular order has been issued by publication by the commanding officer, Colonel Leonard McLaughlin and Lieutenant H. C. Braunbaugh, acting adjutant:

The Third Infantry, Sanitary troops, Battery "A" field artillery, Troop "A" cavalry and Eighth company coast artillery corps, Oregon National guard, will participate in the Rose Festival parade on Friday, June 9.

First call 9:30 a. m., assembly 9:45 a. m., adjutant's call for formation of battalions 9:50 a. m., adjutant's call for formation of regiment 10 a. m.

Service uniform will be worn.

Companies of the Third Infantry stationed outside of Portland will, upon arrival at the depot in Portland, proceed direct to the Armory.

Field staff officers will report to the colonel at the Armory mounted. Non-commissioned staff, band and field music will report to the adjutant at the Armory at first call.

All troops participating in the parade will form on Eleventh street. The order of formation will be announced before second adjutant's call.

Scout Young Camp in Line.

Efforts to have a record-breaking representation in the fraternal parade Friday morning were agreed upon at a meeting of Scout Young camp, Spanish War Veterans, last night. A call has been sent out for all members to be in attendance at the court house at 9:30 o'clock Friday morning, in uniform.

Stone Is Reappointed.

Salem, Or., June 7.—In accordance with his promise made some time ago, Governor Withycombe has reappointed C. F. Stone of Klamath Falls, as a member of the state fish and game commission.

Friday Is Holiday By Official Edict From Mayor Albee

To the people of Portland: Friday, June 9, has been declared by the city council a holiday for municipal employees.

The spirit of the day will be gayety and a good time for every one. It will be the day upon which our great Rose Festival will reach the zenith of its glory and splendor. All subjects of Queen Muriel and King Joy should arrange for a full holiday upon this occasion and make of it a time long to be remembered. As mayor of the city, it is my earnest hope that every one in Portland shall have an opportunity to enjoy this festival occasion and to that end, insofar as is at all possible, I trust that employers will enter into the spirit of the day and provide for their employees in such manner as to permit them to participate in the exercises. Let us lay aside just so far as is possible, our business cares and combine untidily to make of Friday the greatest and most fitting close of any Rose Festival in the history of Portland.

Long live Queen Muriel and King Joy!
H. R. ALBEE, Mayor of Portland.

Food can be kept warm for half an hour or more in new tableware that is hollow and can be filled with hot water.

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Bring us your Kodak Films and we will have them developed by our own expert and make no charge except for prints. All our developing is done by trained men with up-to-date equipment and facilities. Work guaranteed and delivered the day after it is left with us.

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SPECIAL TRAINS

FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 9

FROM PORTLAND, account of

Rose Festival

Oregon Electric Ry. Special Trains Allow Visitors to See All Parades and Ceremonies During the Afternoon and Evening

Special trains will leave North Bank Station at time shown below and Jefferson Street Station 15 minutes later. Stops will be made at regular street crossings.

For Garden Home and Intermediate Stations 10:35 P. M.
For Forest Grove and Intermediate Stations west of Garden Home 10:55 P. M.
For Woodburn and Intermediate Stations South of Garden Home 11:30 P. M.

Stops will be made only to discharge passengers from Portland.

CHANGES IN REGULAR TRAINS LEAVING PORTLAND

THURSDAY, JUNE 8

Due to Leave	Will Start From	For
NORTH BANK STATION	SECOND AND SALMON	
Train No. 55, 1:00 P. M.	4:10 P. M.	Tualatin
Train No. 37, 1:45 P. M.	1:25 P. M.	Forest Grove
Train No. 9, 2:05 P. M.	2:20 P. M.	Eugene

FRIDAY, JUNE 9

Due to Leave	Will Start From	For
NORTH BANK STATION	SECOND AND SALMON	
Train No. 53, 10:15 A. M.	10:25 A. M.	Garden Home
Train No. 35, 10:25 A. M.	10:35 A. M.	Forest Grove
Train No. 7, 10:40 A. M.	10:55 A. M.	Corvallis
Train No. 19, 9:20 P. M.	9:30 P. M.	Salem

Other regular trains will run on usual schedules. Consult agents for ROUND-TRIP FARES. Retain this notice for your information.

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