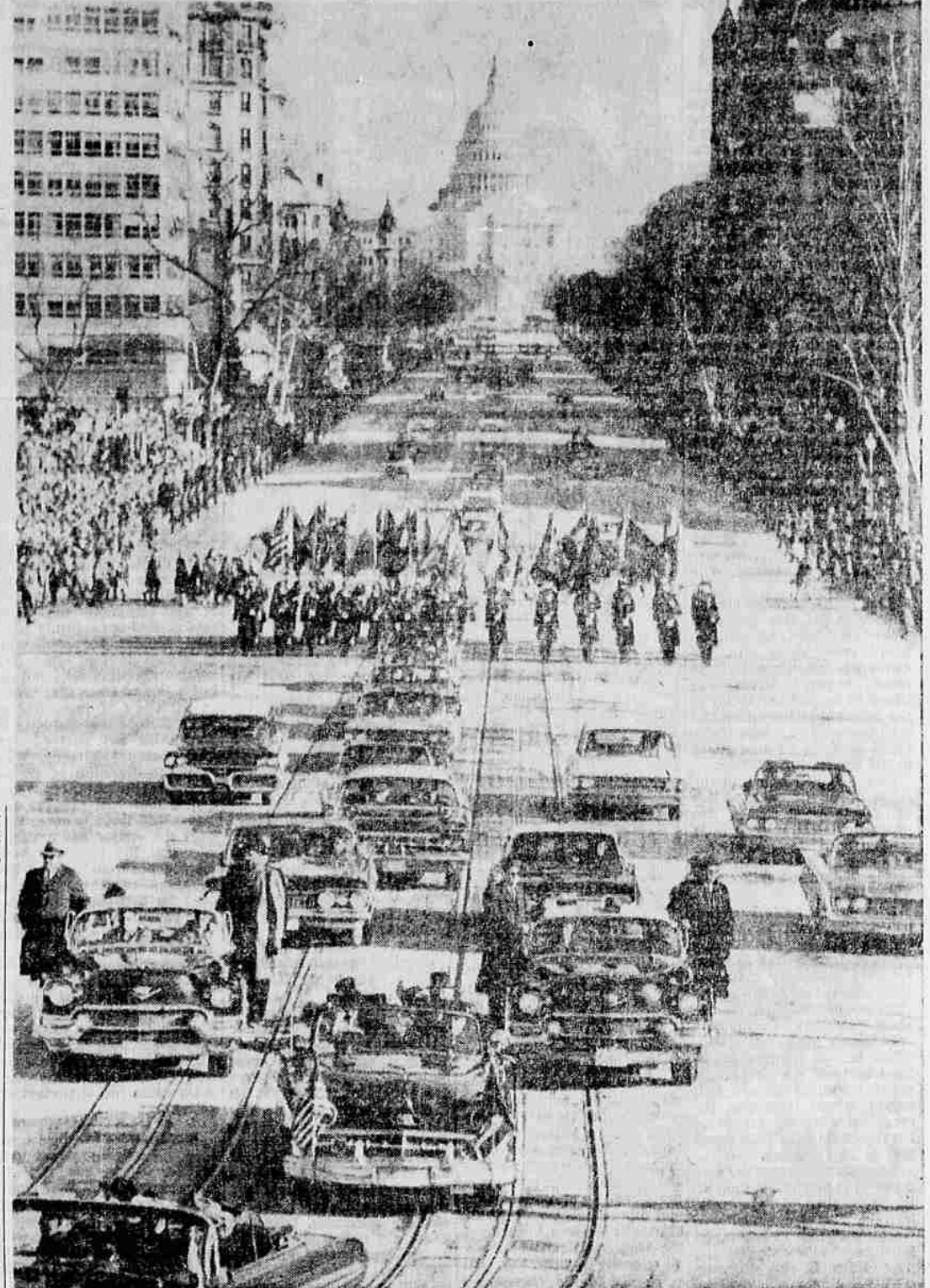
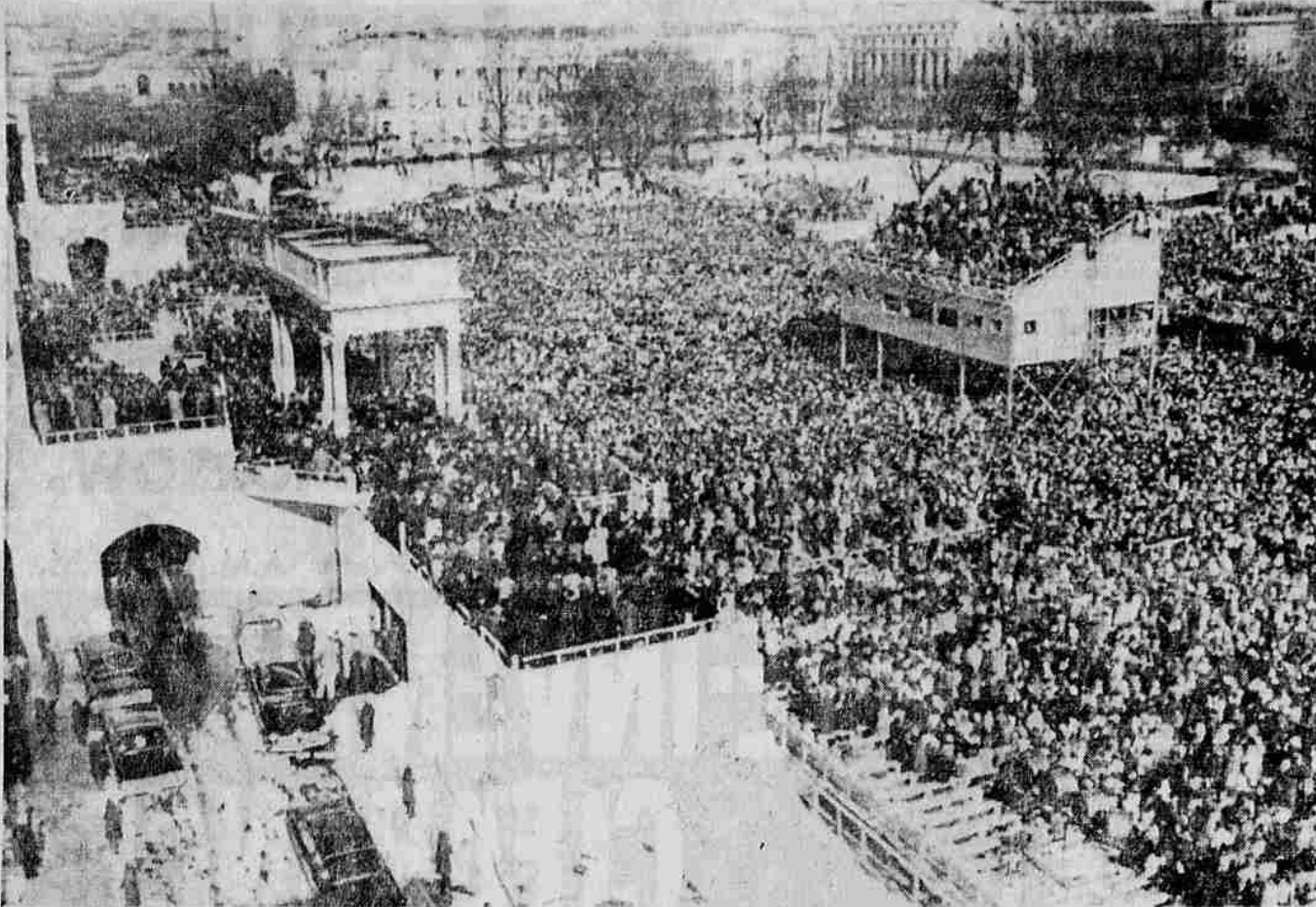


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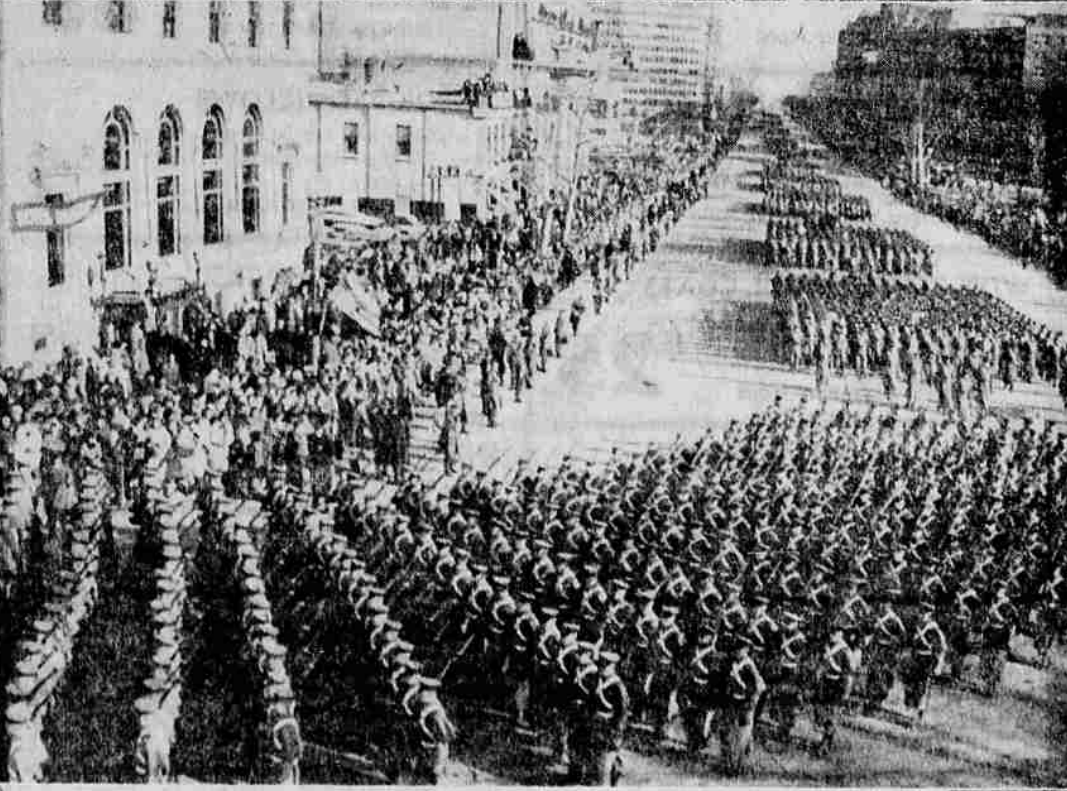


President John F. Kennedy's inauguration took the spotlight throughout the world Friday. The inauguration ceremony, parade and ball are illustrated here.

Above left shows a general view of the inauguration ceremonies at the Capitol as Kennedy prepared to take the oath as 35th President of the United States.

At right, President Kennedy's car leads the inaugural parade down Pennsylvania ave. The Capitol building can be seen in background.

← as it gets a special salute from the new Chief Executive when it passes the White House reviewing stand during the three-hour parade.



A general view of the crowd at the inauguration ball held Friday night at the Sheraton Park hotel is shown at left. President Kennedy and members of his family are under the United States Seal at the end of the room.



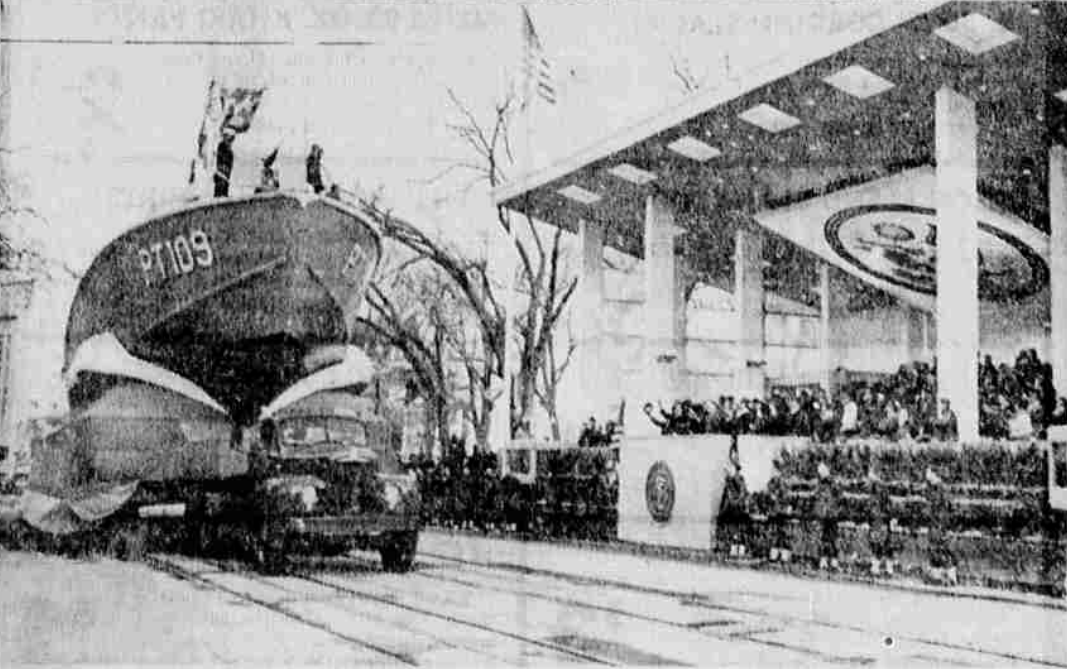
Vice President and Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson, at right, are shown as they arrived at the National Guard armory in Washington, D. C., for the Inauguration Ball Friday night.

← The President, at bottom right, is shown cutting an inauguration cake during his visit to the inauguration ball at the Mayflower hotel.

At bottom center, President Kennedy is shown in close conversation with former President Harry S. Truman at the Mayflower hotel.

← West Point cadets are shown in next picture at left which illustrates the long inaugural parade all the way back to the capitol dome.

At lower left is a replica of President Kennedy's wartime PT boat



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