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Paul Revere in Town

MAYOR GREETS PAUL REVERE—last name Burke. Right up from Morristown, N. J., came Paul Revere Burke to see Boston and take part in the Legion doings. Mayor Curley took Paul's tone for the nose. (Staff photo.)

NOTED GUESTS

Governor Allen, Mayor Curley and Gen. John J. Pershing reviewed the parade at the Court of Honor in Tremont st.

Other invited guests included Patrick F. Hurley, Secretary of War; Gen. Frank T. Hines, chief of the Veterans' Bureau; Rear-Admiral Louis M. Nulton, commanding the First Naval District; Capt. Michele Barbaro, personal representative of Mussolini, and Mrs. Donald McKee, president of the American Legion Auxiliary. There were also R. Grenade, representing Belgium; Admiral William Benson, U. S. N., chief of naval operations during the war; ex-Mayor John F. Fitzgerald; Governor Norman B. Case of Rhode Island; F. W. Abbott, national president of the American Legion; Mrs. John W. Weeks, wife of the Governor of Vermont; Gen. Hugh W. Ogden, commander of the Rainbow division; Edmund L. Dolan, city treasurer; Thomas Johnson, the city's official greeter; Mary, Paul and George Curley, children of the mayor, and half a dozen G. A. R. veterans.

Auxiliary to Hold States' Dinner Tonight

The States' dinner, always the outstanding social event of the Auxiliary's National Convention, will be held this evening in Symphony Hall. Mrs. Donald Macrae, national president, will preside.

The 1,140 guests will be seated at tables by States, each table being decorated elaborately to represent its State. During the evening a one-minute toast will be given by the Auxiliary department president of each State. A procession made up of one couple from each State costumed in the dress of the year in which the State was admitted to the Union will be another feature of the evening.

The distinguished guests at the States' dinner will include Lt. Col. and Mrs. Fred W. Abbot, of Great Britain, retiring president of the Interallied Veterans' Federation; Signor Giovanni Baccarini, representative of the Italian World War Veterans; Admiral William Benson; O. L. Bodenhamer, National Commander of the American Legion; Mme. Maurice Bremez, of France; Col. John Brown, chairman of the British Legion; Lady Edward Spencer-Churchill, chairman of the women's section of the British Legion; Mayor James M. Curley and Miss Curley, of Boston; Mmes. Le Divellec, of France; General Henri Gouraud, of France; Major General Sir William Hodge, chairman of the Irish section of the British Legion; General Frank T. Iles, Director of Veterans' Affairs; Mrs. Lovell F. Hobart, President-General of the D. A. R.; Patrick J. Hurley, Secretary of War; General O. Husak, representing the World War veterans of Czechoslovakia; James E. Jewell, National Commander of the Grand Army of the Republic; M. Henri Leveque, of Belgium; Major Rene L. Hospat, of France; Hanford MacNider, Minister of Canada, and Mrs. MacNider; Mme. Julie de Mazarakli, of Poland; President of the Women's Auxiliary; of Fida Dr. B. Mihalovic, of Yugoslavia; Surgeon General and Mrs. C. E. Biggs; Mrs. Edith Nourse Rogers, Congresswoman from Massachusetts, who will represent the Governor of Massachusetts; Dr. Virgil Serdelait, of Roumania; M. Casimir Smogorzewski, of Poland, and Lt. Col. Vasconcellos, of Portugal.

The business sessions of the Auxiliary convention will continue Wednesday and Thursday. Candidates for national officers will be nominated Wednesday and the election will take place at the closing session Thursday afternoon.

Last night's session of the Auxiliary closed with the presentation of Auxiliary distinguished service medals to Mmes. Julie Ile Mazarakli of Poland and Miss Moine Michael of Athens, Ga., by Mrs. Donald Macrae, national president. This medal has been awarded to only three other women during the ten years of the Auxiliary's existence—to Mrs. Calvin Coolidge, Lady Edward Spencer-Churchill and Mrs. George Crossfield of England.

During a halt of the parade Mayor Curley aroused much enthusiasm on Federal street when he rose in the noil which he was sitting with Governor Allen, National Commander O. L. Bodenhamer and called for three cheers for the Legion's leader. Thousands of persons responded with a will and the commander was visibly affected by the greeting.
AT THE REVIEWING STANDS as the troops came striding blithely by to the stirring airs of war-time melodies were these distinguished soldiers and officials—honor guests of the Legion's greatest convention of all time. They first marched in it to the reviewing stand.
FIRST DIVISION DRAWS
ONLOOKERS' PLAUDITS

High Legion Officials and Guests of Honor Royally
Received All Along Line

Boston roared its welcome to the
parading Legion this morning. Through that long lane, flanked by hundreds of thousands of cheering. yelling spectators, the head of the parade stepped off with snappy, springing steps at 10:20, and the largest and most resplendent parade in years was
off to a good start.

In the bright sunlight of a beautiful Fall day, they marched in all of their glory, with bands playing and uniforms glistening from the starting point at Beacon st. and Massachusetts av to the finishing point at Columbus and Massachusetts avs.

Since early morning the units making up the first division had been gathering in the vicinity of the starting point. All of them had been instructed by parade orders to report at various times during the day. The first division reported beginning at 9, to be in position by 9.

Throughout the early morning uniformed men populated the entire area. Food in nearby stores was soon gone. Soda fountains were cleaned of their sandwiches, sodas and soft drinks. Long lines stood outside telephone booths. Spectators were held back by the telephone company. In the bright sunlight of a beautiful day, the units made their way around Postoffice sq. The crowd became thick and dense along the sidelines. Everywhere they were cheering and clapping. The 1st Corps Cadets brought an ovation all along the line.

Units Jam Side Streets

The units at the starting point jammed up side streets. Official cars came bringing distinguished guests to their place in line. At 10 o'clock the first companies and platoons marched to their positions to martial tunes from their bands.

Behind the Boston Police escort came Grand Marshal Paul V. McNutt on horseback, and a few yards in the rear was the long line of his official staff. Next came the military escort, a detachment of United States Marines in their natty blue uniforms with white belts and gorgets. They preceded the cars bearing the veterans of the G. A. R. Came another escort and then a car bearing Gov Allen and Mayor Cun- ley. More cars and a host of official guests too numerous to tabulate.

In one car sat Gen Gouraud and Gen Pershing together. And what a time the two great generals made of it.

All along the line of march they were greeted and cheered by soldiers who fought under them; men who called lustily, "Hey! General!" to Gouraud and "Vive la France!" They knew him of old. They liked him and were glad to see him. They tossed their caps into the air where some were gathered in a group at the corner of Charles and Beacon sts. They, themselves hoarse, threw their caps into the General's car to attract attention. And the French General loved it. He saluted them, stood up in the car and waved. He recognized his brothers in arms.

"Hello, Black Jack!"

"Hello, Black Jack" they called to Gen Pershing. At the start of the parade, the General's face was rather sober, as if he anticipated just another parade ordeal. But before his car had covered half a mile he was into the spirit of it. His face was wreathed in smiles. He stopped Gen Gouraud on the knee and laughed off.

Salute at State House

Up the long hill on Beacon st. to the State House the head of the parade tramped, by the State House where they saluted appropriately and down Beacon st. to School in front of the Mayor's office for more eyes right and salutes and through the downtown business section.

The business section did itself nobly as usual, if not more nobly. From out of windows came ticker tape, torn paper, confetti which swept down into the street, a blizzard of paper streamers and snow. The marchers relented it all. Paper caught in their hats, ticker tape wound itself around bayonets. It twined about their legs and they stepped through it. The entire vista of bobbing heads changed from the neat, natty and shining helmets and caps to Christmas tree soldiers on parade.

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Many "Wise Cracks"

Soldiers on parade took rules and restrictions and stilted army discipline and good naturedly. Their faces relaxed, into smiles and grins at some of the wise cracks from the side lines. Among the spectators were numerous Legionnaires who did not report for parade until noon, 1 o'clock and as late as 4 o'clock this afternoon. They knew their buddies in line and they knew how to "kid" them. They did it to the delight of the marchers and spectators.

The outfit from the West, with its blank cartridges and guns, was stationed on Beacon st. near Arlington. Every outfit that passed received a fitting salute of blank cartridges from it.

On Beacon at the music stopped from every band. Only drums kept time for the marching feet with their beats. Somebody issued an order that no music should be played along Beacon, School or Washington sts. Who issued it could not be learned along the parade line, and only the officers knew that it had been given.

Up among the distinguished guests in the first division were Gen Hickey, Gen Forman and Secretary of the Navy Adams, in an open automobile. In the front seat with the driver sat Boston's well-known Col Tommy Mur- phy.
PRES. GREEN FOR A FIVE-DAY WEEK

Declares Labor’s Demand From Now On Will Be to That End—Plan Endorsed by Gov. Allen

The immediate establishment of the five-day week in all industries will be sought by the American Federation of Labor. This fact was made evident by President William Green, when he announced, "beginning now" the federation's "uncompromising demand" is to that end, during his address at the opening session of the 50th annual convention at the Statler Hotel yesterday.

GOVERNOR APPROVES

The applause that greeted this announcement by the President was renewed when Governor Allen, in welcoming the delegates to the State, paused in his greetings to declare his personal approval of the five-day programme on the basis that it be extended to cover the country.

The opening day of the convention was memorable. The session was begun impressively by Cardinal O’Connell, who delivered the invocation, and in the afternoon the delegates greeted and listened to an address by President Hoover. The concluding feature of the day was impromptu. An attempt to open the convention was practically drowned out by the blare of music outside.

President Green had just declared, "We are having considerable competition, but I think we are doing pretty well, taking everything into consideration."

He had hardly ceased speaking when the convention hall doors opened and the members of the Edward A. Cum-
AMONG THE DISTINGUISHED GUESTS AT BREAKFAST

Left to Right—Gen Pershing, Gov. Allen, Henry L. Harriman, C. L. Bodenhamer, national commander, and Sec Adams

Five hundred business and professional men attending the breakfast tendered this forenoon to the Legion's national officers and other distinguished guests by the Boston Chamber of Commerce, in the auditorium of its Federal-st edifice, showed they were most profoundly impressed at the address of Secretary of the Navy Charles Francis Adams.

Secretary Adams lamented the attitude of the American people toward the incumbent President in any given period, as it is blindly expressed in criticism or a chronically hostile way. Mr. Adams gravely wondered whether this shortcoming in the national character will be cured by time, and, if not, how long mere flesh and blood can endure in the Presidency in the face of it.

In his immortal elegy, Gray reminds us that the paths of glory leadbut to the grave, Mr Adams said. "But the American people must take care lest they make the White House face of it.

Says We Expect Too Much

"We elect a man to the Presidency by an overwhelming vote. Then we overwhelm him with duties. Then we overwhelm him with criticism. We expect the President of the United States to control everything. We insist that he must be the leader of his party. We insist that he must dominate both branches of Congress. We expect him to control all men and all factions and to command and reconcile groups in our national life that are ever and always opposed.

"As I see the scene there at Washington I frequently marvel at it and wonder how long flesh and blood can sustain the demands which the Presidency of the United States makes upon it."

"This fault, as I see it, is one of the two or three rocks in our national life that are ever and always opposed. Rich though we are in wealth and virtue, and powerful beyond the imagination of the founders. Great interests have grown up in the course of our national development, and when these clash, as they do through the medium of blocs in our Legislative halls, the difficulties of handling and controlling them are enormous.

"The existence of these blocs, like those representative of sectional interests, for instance, or like those representative of the business group as against the agrarian element, indicate clearly that we are not so close-knit nationally as we were in simpler days. But we ought to realize and recognize these severe difficulties whenever we are disposed to criticize."

"I trust we shall safely find our way through, by the exercise of justice. Justice should always dominate force, but no man can say whether it will do so, when the passions of men rise again as they did when you answered your country's call."

"And as I command the navy, I ask you if we shouldn't maintain a powerful organization, so that the voice of justice may have a hearing in cases such passions are again unloosed."

"Mr. Adams, who was the concluding speaker, was given a resounding volume of applause. Gov. Allen, Mayor Curley, National Commander C. L. Bodenhamer of the Legion, and Pres. H. L. Harriman of the chamber, had preceded him in addresses."

Distinguished Guests


National Commander Bodenhamer. Gov. Allen and Mayor Curley received the noisiest demonstrations upon their presentation. Commander Bodenhamer stirred the assembly to high enthusiasm by his expressions of the appreciation of his "buddies" at Boston's hospitality.

"In the opinion of us all," he said, "Boston has given us the best setup we have ever had at the beginning of a Legion convention, and I give you our profound, hearty thanks."

"And I am informed that the Chamber of Commerce and your business and professional groups generally have made no small contribution to the excellence of this setup, and I particu-
THREE PROMINENT FIGURES IN PARADE

LEFT TO RIGHT—GOV ALLEN, NATIONAL COMMANDER OF AMERICAN LEGION O. L. RODENHAME, MAYOR CURLEY

Pickups Along the Parade Route

Mayor Curley called over little Mary Lou Green, the little girl in white who headed the Florida delegation as she passed the Court of Honor, and presented her with a bouquet. The entire Florida delegation responded to the Mayor's gift and returned the favor by blowing up a baby alligator, which the Mayor very skillfully caught in his silk topper, to the applause of the delegates.

There was one street on the parade route that hadn't a spectator on it, and, more strange, it is right in the heart of the city—Winter at. Because of the damage done to store windows the day of the tercentenary parade the police prevented anyone from entering the street. Winter at is so narrow that crowds upon the sidewalks are always pushed against the plate glass windows, and the storekeepers made up their minds that they lied buffered for the last time, and so the police protection.

Through the financial district, there was a sea of paper the equal of which has never been seen along Congress at. From State st to High st the marchers pushed their way through paper already ankle deep.

The telegraph wires along the district took on the appearance of certain rods, as the long ticker tape overhung to make a varied colored drapery.

At Church Green some enterprising truckmen built their own stands—on top of their trucks, and backed in as close as it was possible to the line, they were calmly sitting in the sun and having a fine, as well as a comfortable, view of the parade.

There were a lot of people in Post-office sq who envied one worker today, the only person allowed on the Post-office side of Congress at. He was way up in the air, as far as the beam on the steam shovel would allow him to go, at work on the excavation for the new Postoffices. He "knocked off" temporarily to view the parade from a high, if perilous perch. He was envied by the many people who were unable to get in the first line on the sidewalk butt, nevertheless, were staying—way back, where they couldn't possibly see the parade. Maybe they enjoyed the music.

The longest range view of the parade must have fallen to the people on the Elevated platform at the South Station, fully 250 yards away from High st—the only place they could view the parade—yes they were swarming there in droves and crowding for front positions along the rails.

The largest crowds were near the reviewing stand, anxious to get a glimpse of the Legionnaires as they performed for the guests. The stunts and music seemed to attract the crowd about the stands and and office windows were jammed more, if possible, at that section than anywhere else along the line. Behind the Lincoln statue, in Park sq, were more truck drivers perched on top of their trucks.

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AT COURT OF HONOR

"The Little General," John F. Fitzgerald, recent Democratic candidate for the nomination for Governor, who was compelled to withdraw from the contest because of sickness, made his first public appearance today since leaving the hospital. He was among the guests of Mayor Curley at the Court of Honor and looked well tanned and healthy.

It was a tossup for a while whether to watch the parade on land or in the parade in the air. With the Los Angeles, America's great naval zeppelin, the Mayflower, a small blimp from South Dartmouth, many planes in various stunts, the air parade was at times as good as the land march.

"Are we still in Massachusetts," a Washington, D. C., Legionnaire asked of Mayor Curley as Washington Post, the first Legion post ever formed, went marching by.

"Yes, sir," said the Mayor.

"Gosh, I thought we must be in Rhode Island by now," said the Washington soldier, looking down at his tired feet.

The German bands in comical costumes were among the laughable hits of the parade. Amos and Andy and The Fresh Air Taxi cab were there too, and a couple of flivvers trying to go over backwards, one filled with "crazy cops" and the other with clowns.

Gov William Tudor Gardiner of Maine, a Legionnaire, was presented a bouquet by Mayor Curley as the head of the Maine delegation reached the review stand.
up the hill past the State House the line moved while thousands sent up a mighty cheer.
The stands on the State House lawns were crowded with legislators, state officials and their friends. Hundreds crowded the State House balconies and others gazed from windows.

**CROWD AROUND ARCH**

Then down the hill and across Tremont street into School street. The streets were walled solidly with humanity. In front of City Hall Boston officials and their families occupied the city stands. There was no thinning of the packed-in mob of spectators as the line proceeded into Washington street and then through Newspaper row and into Dock square.

Thousands crowded the square around Boston’s arch of triumph and shouted the lined sharply into Congress street and headed into the business district.

Windows of idle business houses were crammed with men and women. There was a storm of ticker tape and torn paper as the marchers passed through the canyons of finance on Milk street and down Federal street.

Spectators were barred from Postoffice square because of the treacherous condition of the ground. Cavalcades have occurred during recent weeks and police heads kept the space clear of the crowds to prevent the marring of the marring of the parade with a serious accident.

**WINTER STREET CLEARED**

The leaders turned into High street and then Summer street to proceed back uptown. Winter street, because of its narrowness, was kept clear of spectators but windows of buildings along the street were crowded.

Then the turn into Tremont street and the march past the first reviewing stand. At Washington street and Sumner and Winter streets the head of the line halted for half an hour to await the arrival of some members of the reviewing party. Then they started again and nine minutes later the head of the great column, 28 miles long, reached the reviewing stand. The drum major of the leading band was presented with an enormous bouquet as Gov. Allen, Mayor Curley, Commander Bodenhamer, Gen. Pershing, Gen. Gouraud, Secretary of War Hurley and Secretary Adams entered the reviewing stand.

The stands along Lafayette mall on Tremont street rocked as the thousands roared their approval. Men stood in the crowds, holding children high over their heads. Thousands overflowed Tremont street into side streets.

**ROPES GIVE WAY**

All along the route the 10 miles of heavy rope stretched as the crush of the host swayed against it. Fifteen hundred police fought to keep the crowds back. In places the rope snapped and the crowd surged into the street. Mounted police rode their horses against the crowds, pressing them back. Three hundred Legionnaires, designated military police, aided the civil authorities.

At Tremont and Boylston streets the line turned to the right and moved toward Park Square. The Boylston street stands were jammed and Park square was a mass of life. Then along Columbus avenue past several more reviewing stands.

The grand marshal and his staff dropped out of line at the corner of Columbus and New and Newton streets to review the marching legion of heroes and the column went on to the finishing point at Massachusetts avenue.

Gen. Pershing received a tremendous ovation along the Back Bay and down-
was eclipsed and Boston's 300th birthday parade was cast in the shadow of a greater event.

TEARS MINGLED IN CHEERS

And there were tears mingling with the cheers. Thirteen years ago tears welled in the same eyes as the same men marched. But then they marched to face the greatest destroyer of mankind—WAR. Those were brave tears. Tears made sweet by the stoutheartedness of mothers and wives who were willing to sacrifice their sons and husbands on the Altar of Right.

Most of those boys came back to march again today. Many of them lie peacefully beneath the ground on which they fell. But as the living legionnaires marched today they were not alone. Shoulder to shoulder with them tramped the mighty spirit host of comrades who faced death with a smile and died smiling.

Side by side with the living, keeping step with the beat of the bands, the ghosts of those who have "gone west" moved invisible to the host that marched today and the mighty host that reviewed them.

Nearly 2000 gold star mothers watched with tear-dimmed eyes when memories were stirred by the magnificent sight. They saw their boys receiving the plaudits of the millions. Their hearts swelled and those mothers, robbed by war of their sons, held their heads proudly, alone with their memories as they breathed an unselfish prayer of gratitude to God that the lives of other mother's sons had been spared.

WAR MOTHERS HONORED

The gold star mothers were seated in various stands along the parade route. Seats had been set aside for them by the convention corporation. Most of them sat in the Tremont street stands.

Beside them sat the battle-maimed veterans of the war. Crushed in body but with spirits flaming with life the disabled men watched their comrades march in triumph. Perhaps they watched with hearts that ached a bit but from them came the loudest cheers.

As spectators of kaleidoscopic color this parade of today was something never before equaled. Blue and gold, scarlet and black and white, the orange chapeaux of the Californians and the yellow of the Iowans, the green and purple and red and maroon. CROWD JUST AS COLORFUL

Hardly less colorful was the crowd watching. Babes in arms, tots—who were taking their first steps, youth, and on through the years of life to those made infirm by age. Age weakened eyes watched the same marching figures as did the sparkling, dancing eyes of red-blooded boyhood and girlhood.

Some of them waited all night at vantage points. Others appeared at street curbsings at dawn. Hours before the start of the parade, promptly at 10 A. M., progress of sidewalks in the downtown district was impossible. Six and eight and ten deep the crowd lined the streets an hour before the order to march was given.

As the great host moved in a continuous line through the city, 24 planes, representing as many states, zoomed overhead. They were led by Maj. Louis E. Boutwell of the convention corporation aviation committee.

Early in the afternoon the navy dirigible Los Angeles circled the city slowly as a tribute to the marching men below. Two million heads looked upward for a moment as the huge ship approached but a glimpse was enough and eyes returned to their steady concentration on the panorama of beauty and Americanism moving before them in the streets.

PREPARED FOR IT

The throng came prepared to make a lay of it. Lunches rested on knees as they sat on curbstones. Boxes, crates, barrels and packing cases made up part of the baggage borne by the men, women and children who flocked into the heart of the city.

Merchants and business men of Greater Boston declared it a holiday. No work was done in office buildings along the parade route. The floors were filled with workers who leaned from windows.

Schools throughout metropolitan Boston were closed and children made up 30% of the crowd.

In the cities the legion has visited since 1919 the marching host of veterans has made history. The fame of their holiday marches has come before them. Since a year ago when the legion in convention at Louisville, Ky., voted to accept Boston as an annual meeting place, Greater Americans have looked forward to the event.

It will be many years before Boston witnesses another American parade of national scope. Only 11 cities have been visited since the inception of the organization. Each of the 48 states will be invaded and conquered as Massachusetts has been, and each passing year must bring a lessening of the ranks of the nation's war heroes.

The parade is, of course, limited to members of the American Legion, uniformed bodies of the Legion auxiliary, floats of a legion or patriotic character and police and military escort.

OVER 300 BANDS

Thrusted into the parade at regular intervals came the more than 300 bands and bugle and drum corps. Scuttling drum majors waving highly polished batons, tossing shakos of beaver, leathers and feathers; trumpeters flourishing slender instruments performing miracles with shiny sticks against sheepskin drumheads.

They came with. They came with music from 10,700 posts and from 48 states of the Union, Canada, United States possessions and European possessions. As the marching order came at the corner of Beacon street and Massachusetts Avenue and Martha's Vineyard, the police escort of mounted men, all veterans, started straight into the street.

McNUTT GRAND MARSHAL

Past National Commander Paul V. McNutt of Indiana, was the grand marshal of the parade. He signalled the start of the march.

Maj.-Gen. Clarence R. Edwards, "Daddy of the Yankee Division," was honorary grand marshal and the chief of staff was Past Commander William H. Griffin of Massachusetts. The honorary chief of staff was Past Department Commander Edward L. Logan.

Edward F. O'Dowd of Massachusetts was assistant chief of staff; George S. Penney of Massachusetts, adjutant, and Col. Charles A. Ranelle, of Massachusetts, chief of aides.

The champion Legion band—the Electric Post band of Los Angeles holds that distinction—preceded National Commander O. L. Bodenhamer, who rode in an automobile with Gov. Frank G. Allen, Mayor James M. Curley and Secretary or War Patrick J. Hurley. They were other cars carrying distinguished guests. In the second car were Gen. John J. Pershing, Gen. Henri Gouraud, Gen. William Hickie and Gen. Milton Foreman.

The third automobile contained Secretary of the Navy Charles Francis Adams, Adm. William S. Benson, Col. Abbott and Col. LaFleche. In the fourth car were the commanders of the Grand Army of the Republic and the Confederate Veterans Association—James J. Jewell and Gen. W. W. Stephens, respectively. More than a half-century ago they fought against each other. Today they rode as comrades.
80,000 MARCH IN BIG SPECTACLE OF CONVENTION


By FRED W. MURKLAND

The heart of America beat in Boston today with the cadence of marching music.

The Big Parade!

Crashing cymbals, rolling drums, fanfare of trumpets, rhythmic beat of 80,000 pairs of feet. Wave on wave of thrilling color, stirring music, cheers that smote the air like thunder, struggling crowds.

Like a great ribbon of welded colors the American Legion parade unrolled over streets of Boston’s centre, the greatest peacetime march of the nation’s war-marked heroes.

2,000,000 CHEER MARCHERS

Two million throats swelled to the bursting point and a mighty shout of greeting was sent heavenward. And the marching men who grappled with the God of War—and the women who played the part of heroines as they urged their sons, husbands, brothers and sweethearts on to battle—swung, with stride as sturdy as that which carried them from home 13 years ago, between two living walls which stretched over miles of the parade route.

Walls of buildings came to life as thousands hung from windows and roof-edges. From the starting point at Beacon street and Massachusetts avenue, through the uptown and downtown sections of the city, to the parade end, the tremendous throng jammed sidewalks from curbs to buildings.

Thirty-four thousand men, women and children filled the grandstands along the route. But those seated in the stands made but a handful of the hundreds of thousands who had trekked to the city from all parts of the world to witness the mightiest spectacle that has ever moved over the streets where once tramped the nation’s first soldiery.

Nearly a month ago the tercentenary celebration made parade and crowd history. Today the crowd of that day
CHOSEN "MISS AMERICA OF THE AIR"

Mayor Curley presenting a silver cup to Mrs. Cecil W. "Teddy" Kenyon of Brookline, selected as Miss America of the air.

Sidelights on Legion

Ten happy Legiionnaires from Utica, N. Y., hauled up to the Hotel Statler today in a battered and decrepit motorized police patrol, or "Black Maria." The vehicle, equipped with a wailing siren almost covered with signs bearing snappy slogans, and attracted much attention.

Mayor James M. Curley was met on the City Hall steps by a delegation from Voiture Locale 2, of the 40 and 8, of Lackawanna, Pa., and presented with an engraved piece of anthracite coal.

The coal was engraved with the heads of Washington and Lincoln and the American Legion emblem and inscribed with "From the Anthracite Regions to Mayor James M. Curley." The presentation was made by P. L. Magee, who headed the delegation.

CURLEY LAUDS VETS AS PEACE AGENTS

Characterizes Legion as the Successors to the G. A. R.

A plea for world peace featured the welcoming address of Mayor Curley at the Legion convention today.

He eulogized the Legion, paid tribute to the dead and disabled, and characterized the organization as the successor to the G. A. R. as spiritual leaders through whom may be preserved from war.

The mayor said in part:

"Thirteen years have passed since that day, freighted with uncertainty, doubt and fear, that the heart of America responded to the call for the preservation of free government as presented to a waiting world by the hero war President of the United States, the late lamented Woodrow Wilson.

"A waiting world gazed in awe at the spectacle unfolded of a peace-loving nation transformed overnight into a great machine dedicated to the task of providing not only men but food and munitions—and money—and all of the agencies essential to the successful conduct of the mighty drama staged upon the blood-soaked fields of France and Flanders.

"The glory of the American marine and the citizen soldiery will endure as long as the republic exists.

"The miracle of Congress adopting and the nation accepting the selective military draft system, and more than 10,000,000 Americans enrolling for service without protest, hot or bloodshed, furnished an example of love of country without parallel in the world's history."

AMERICAN 10/7/30
Hoover, Coolidge, Allen and Curley

Speak at First Arena Session, Are Hailed With Acclaim

Speeches by the leaders of the Nation, State and city—President Hoover, Gov Frank G. Allen and Mayor James M. Curley—marked the opening of the American Legion convention at the Boston Arena yesterday.

The Arena was a riot of color, the convention, for a sea of various colored hats showing the bright orange of California, the blue of Massachusetts and New York and the white of Illinois, colored hunting and banners and all the trappings of a national gathering of Legionnaires.

Bodenhamer Presides

After Commander O. L. Bodenhamer had read the call to order, there was the ceremony of advancement of colors. The bugles sounded and at the conclusion of Colors, the band played "The Star Spangled Banner."

Commander Bodenhamer called upon the national chaplain, Rev Fr George F. Kettell, for the invocation. James F. Barton, national adjutant, read the official call of the convention.

Gov Allen was praised for being unusually cooperative with the American Legion in making plans for the convention when Commander Bodenhamer introduced Him. In his address, pointed to the Legion as a foe of sectionalism and said in part: "Sectarian representations cannot continue when mutual knowledge spreads across the country."

"So it is that your mighty organization holds within it a great power for national service. This service you perform, not in preachment, but by your very existence, by your annual gatherings such as this here in Boston now, and particularly by the eternal bond which unites you as the American Legion,"

"It seems to me a mighty thing, that as a result of this great gathering of Americans, all the States in the American Union will forever after be more closely bound in friendship and affection. Of these things is national patriotism made."

Coolidges Arrive

Ex-President and Mrs Coolidge arrived during the introduction of Mayor Curley and the Mayor waited a moment before he began his speech while Ex-President Coolidge was greeted. Mayor Curley pleaded for a world peace program in his address and stressed the need of reason instead of force in the settlement of the Nations' differences.

Mayor Curley said in part: "Would that the lesson which the shrine to the Unknown Soldier conveys might be accepted by the entire world; the lesson of the horror of war and the imperative need of the substitution of reason for force in the settlement of differences between Nations,"

"Would to God that the spiritual idealism that America during the period of the World War might again manifest itself in the hearts of men the world over, and through the development of a program to outlaw war, make possible the preservation of peace in the world."

"The world looks to this splendid organization through whose ranks and steadfast courage the Government made possible by Washington and the handful; the Government preserved by Lincoln and his; the Government perpetuated by Woodrow Wilson and the entire American people, for a spiritual lesson fruitful of service to God and humanity, through which the world may be preserved from the horrors of war."

Other Speakers Heard

John J. O'Connell, past commander of the Department of Massachusetts; Col Carroll J. Swan, president of the 1930 Convention Corporation; Frank Schmelde, national vice commander of the Legion, who made the response to Col Swan's greeting; Mrs Mary Virginia Macar of County Bluff, La., national auxiliary president, and Chef de Chemin de Fer E. Snapper Ingram were other speakers.

A memorial service was conducted by Fr Kettel, William Gustafson Jr., James E. Allen was with him. The President backed the black top. Mrs Hoover was dressed in a black coat and carried in her left hand a bouquet of flowers of the valley, orchids. As they stepped from the automobile at the rear entrance of the Arena Mrs Hoover hastily straightened a wrinkle in the collar of her coat.

Iowa and California delegations were jubilant when the President arrived and stood in front of the platform they handed him a box containing an American flag which they presented to the President. Mayor Curley said in part: "Would to God that the lesson which the shrine to the Unknown Soldier conveys might be accepted by the entire world; the lesson of the horror of war and the imperative need of the substitution of reason for force in the settlement of the Nations' differences,"

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President Hoover registered much pleasure when Commander Bodenhamer pinned a gold Legion badge on the President's left lapel. Gen John J. Pershing sat at his right, and Bodenhamer at his left. Gen Henri Gouard was at Pershing's right. At the left of Mrs Hoover were E. Curleys.

Both President Hoover and Mr Coolidge listened intently as National Chaplain Kettel delivered the memorial address and with others were obviously moved by the chaplain's eloquent appeal to carry on that faith may be kept with those who made the supreme sacrifice.

All of the celebrities left the hall at 2:30 and President Hoover and Ex-President Coolidge, and the platform was bare except for the national lamp. The national commander was returned to the business of the session and Commander Bodenhamer's report was made.

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PERSHING PLEADS FOR FIGHT AGAINST LAWLESS ELEMENT

In Address at Dinner to Commanders' Group
He Dwells on Need to Battle Evil Forces—Scores Radical Leaders

EX-SERVICE MEN MOST STAND UP COURAGOUSLY FOR EVERYTHING THAT IS SACRED IN OUR INSTITUTIONS

"Legionnaire" John J. Pershing was the man of the hour last evening at the Commander's dinner of the American Legion held in the ball room of the Hotel Statler.

When his tall, soldierly figure appeared among the distinguished gathering of heroes and representatives of three Nations attending the dinner, the throng of 1200 Legionnaires loosed an ovation that lasted for more than 10 minutes.

His terse, direct message to his men, echoing the sentiments expressed earlier in the day by President Hoover, was received with thunderous applause.

Points to Responsibilities

He pointed out the grave responsibilities facing the men of the Legion in preserving safe, from its inner enemies, the country they so ably fought for in 1917 and 1918. And when he made a brief reference to the need for preparedness—"none know better than the ex-service men the necessity of adequate preparation to provide against another such calamity"—the throng applauded to the echo.

Several other speakers were heard before Gen Pershing arose to deliver a message that was to be borne home to listeners all over the country through the network of a national radio hook-up.

Gov Allen delivered a warm welcome to the Legion, expressing his pleasure that "the soldiers who fought in the World War are able to participate in a real way in the observance of our Tercentenary.

Mayor Curley, ascending to new heights of oratory, paid glowing tribute to Gen Henri Gouraud, "Lion of the Argonne," and to Gen Pershing, who, he said, "the man to whom America owes more than to any other World War leader." He also voiced praise to the late President Woodrow Wilson.

Curley Praises Pershing

That America's Army preserved an independent identity in the World War was due, the Mayor declared, solely to the fighting qualities, the dogged tenacity and courage of Gen Pershing who, though outnumbered 10 to one by the foreign military leaders, insisted that the American Army remain an independent unit, "and not trail the French or British Armies."

National Commander O. L. Bodenhamer, host at the dinner to distinguished guests, expressed his gratitude to the people of Boston for their warm welcome and exhorted his men to provide for the people of the city "the greatest parade ever seen in any city in the country." He said that there will be 75,000 in the line of march.

Gen Pershing, introduced as "Legionnaire," said that he was happy to be in the city to "renew old acquaintances and revive the memories of those days, when we served together for the preservation of our common country and the liberty it guarantees to us all."

Scores the Lawless

In his exhortation, the commander of the American Expeditionary Forces declared: "There are enemies to overcome in peace as well as in war. The forces of evil are ever active. They include those who would exploit the Government for personal profit. They embrace the criminal class, who defy our laws, and that other class, who are against all government. It is the duty of every loyal citizen actively to combat these evil forces with all the energy he can muster."

"One of the objects of the formation of our Government," he asserted, "was to establish justice and to insure domestic tranquility. I need not speak of conditions of the country where the fouling and evasion of the law are common, nor mention the laxity of officials in the discharge of their duties to preserve law and order. Punishment of the criminal does not always follow swiftly upon the heels of crime."

"But such a condition is largely due to the lack of interest of our citizens in the election of men to office. We can have just the kind of government we wish, and if officers elected by the people for the purpose fail to enforce our laws then the fault is ours."

Points to Responsibilities Urges Fight for Ideals

"America must arise to meet this situation as she has done in nearly all other respects. It cannot be too strongly emphasized that the men of this Government, under which we live, demand our loyal support. We have inherited the right to live under its protection and we must recognize the responsibility that devolves upon us to maintain it."

"We are to provide for the common defense. Twenty years ago the veterans of today accepted their obligations in this respect without cavil and
WOMEN FLYERS AWARDED PRIZES

LEFT TO RIGHT—CITY GREETER THOMAS JOHNSON, MRS. THEODORE KENYON, FIRST-PRIZE WINNER; MAYOR CURLEY, JEAN HOYT, SECOND-PRIZE WINNER.

DELAWARE 40 'N' 8 ON VISIT TO CITY HALL

DELAWARE TRIO AND GUIDE
Hal Robinson, with Robert Robinson of Massachusetts receiving group, and William N. Cann, president of City Council at Wilmington and Earl Donaho.

The greetings of Delaware's capital city to the people of the city of Boston was delivered yesterday at City Hall by Pres William N. Cann of the Wilmington, Del. City Council, escorted by Hal Robinson and Earl Donaho.

This picturesque trio, garbed in the blue and gold smocks of their Delaware 40 'n' 8 contingent, delivered to Mayor Curley the greetings of Mayor George W. K. Forrest of Wilmington. And Pres Cann delivered to President Lynch personally the greetings of Wilmington's city fathers.
REVIEWING THE PARADERS FROM A STAND ON TREMONT ST

LEFT TO RIGHT—SECRETARY OF WAR PATRICK J. HURLEY, GEN JOHN J. PERSHING, R. C. ALLEN, O. C. ROSENBLUMER, NATIONAL COMMANDER AMERICAN LEGION; MAYOR JAMES M. CURLEY, GEN HENRI QUECQUOUD OF FRANCE; SECRETARY OF THE NAVY CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS.
CHEERING BEGINS AGAIN

"Only once before has an American Legion convention had the pleasure of having the President of the United States as its guest. That other President was the man who is perhaps the nation's most distinguished private citizen and who is also here with us today—Calvin Coolidge."

Again the cheering started and lasted long after the Hoovers took their seats, the President sitting beside the national commander and Mrs. Hoover beside the Coolidges.

As the shouting began to die away, Iowa delegates broke into organized cheering for a native son, lending a college football touch to the convention scene.

Schoobel Impressive.

The delegates were considerably impressed by the speech of National Vice-Commander Frank Schoobel Jr., who lost both eyes in action in France. His was an eloquent plea for the Legion to rededicate itself to liberty, justice and democracy. Schoobel is from Wyncote, Pa.

Gov. Allen's address also made a distinct impression. He spoke against sectionalism. He viewed the Legion as a great instrument for leveling geographic barriers of sectional prejudice and provincialism. He called it a "league of mutual understanding."

CURLEY GREETS JERSEY MAYOR

Leading the Emergency Battalion of the Jersey City police, Mayor Frank Hague of that city called on Mayor Curley at City Hall today.

The battalion, with their blue uniforms, white leggings, white belts and shiny silver helmets, formed in the courtyard in front of City Hall, where the Jersey City police band serenaded Mayor Curley with "The Wearing of the Green" and other selections.

Mayor Curley welcomed the delegation with a brief address, in which he called on the audience to have faith in America during the period of industrial depression.

He then presented Mayor Hague with a "constitutional big stick" and a "key to the city."

City Opens Gates to Labor

WILLIAM GREEN

ALL FOR YOU, Mayor James M. Curley tells William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, as he hands key to the city to the latter at a ceremony at Hotel Statler.
DELEGATES ARE WELCOMED BY ALLEN AND CURLEY

The 12th annual convention of the American Legion was officially brought to order amidst a sea of color in the Arena, today, by National Commander O. L. Bodenhamer, whose pounding gavel launched a crowded, inspiring program.

The rank and file of delegates filled the central floor space. Distinguished guests crowded them in the horseshoe of boxes, and in the surrounding seats and gallery sat thousands of Legionnaires and members of the auxiliaries.

The speakers and national officers faced this great crowd from the front of the platform, with amplifiers carrying their voices all around the building, microphones sending their words all over the nation, and a clicking telegraph instruments distributing word pictures of the whole great assembly to all parts of the globe.

GOURAUD IS CHEERED

The hall itself was a gay scene, its walls and roof covered with bunting and streamers. The Legionnaires themselves provided plenty of color with their uniforms.

The first great cheer went up when Gen. Henri Gouraud, “Lion of the Argonne,” who sacrificed his right arm in order that he might return to the fighting front, entered the hall and was greeted by Congressman A. Platt Andrew of Gloucester, himself a veteran of the French army.

The crowd bowed in silence as Rev. George F. Kettell, D. D., national chaplain, delivered the invocation.

Then, amid a fanfare of bugles, the colors were advanced to the stage, surrounded by the color guard in charge of Sergeant-at-Arms William Carey, a Massachusetts man, who has had a glittering service career.

The audience stood as the colors swept forward through the hall and remained on their feet to sing the “Star Spangled Banner,” music for which was played by Electric Post band of Milwaukee, 1929 champion American Legion band.

GREETED BY GOVERNOR

Governor Allen and Mayor Curley, escorted by Sergeant-at-Arms Carey, and arrived just in time to present the mayor’s address.

The reading of the official call of the convention was waived on motion of a delegate, and the convention received its formal welcome from Gov. Allen, Mayor Curley, John J. O’Connell, past commander of the Massachusetts department, and Carroll J. Swan, president of the 1930 convention corporation.

ovation for Coolidges

When Mayor Curley in his remarks mentioned the name of Charles Francis Adams, Secretary of the Navy, also drew applause. The mayor extolled the illustrious Adams family.

Mayor Curley’s tribute to the women and their part in winning the war drew applause lasting five minutes.

The arrival of Calvin Coolidge and Mrs. Coolidge as Carroll Swan finished speaking was the signal for the biggest ovation accorded up to that time by the Legionnaires.

The former President stepped to the front of the platform and bowed, and the din was terrific.

Mrs. Coolidge, attired in brown and carrying a gorgeous bouquet of chrysanthemums, followed Gov. Allen’s welcoming address.

The man who has contributed as much, if not more, than any other person to the success of this convention, were the words used by the national chieftain in presenting the mayor. The delegates stood to cheer him.

PERSHING APPEARS

The mayor held a big key to the city in one hand and a cane from an old Lexington elm in the other.

“I am presenting this to a great defender of the Constitution of the United States,” he said, as he handed the cane to Commander Bodenhamer.

Gen. Gouraud was one of the first to greet Calvin Coolidge when his ovation was over, and the sight of the two men shaking hands and exchanging words of cordial greeting drew another burst of applause that rocked the building.

Gen. John J. Pershing appeared and once more the hall resounded with every variety of sound, all present standing as the leader of A. E. F. acknowledged the greeting.

Gen. Pershing shook hands with Mr. and Mrs. Coolidge and Commander Bodenhamer, then with Gen. Gouraud.

PERSHING SPEAKS

As Commander Bodenhamer signaled for silence, Pershing stepped forward and spoke to the audience, taking their applause and launching them into a glowing tribute for Gen. Gouraud and all the allied wartime high commanders, mentioning sacrifice. At each was mentioned the rafters rang with cheering.

“Boston, we are here,” he said in closing.

When Mrs. Donald Macrae, the national chief of the auxiliary, was introduced, she delivered a witty address which won the crowd.

A fifer in one of the corps was interspersing all the addresses with discordant notes that had the crowd laughing, and the speakers were taking the interruptions in good nature.

TRIBUTE TO HOOVERS

It was as Mrs. Macrae finished her address that President and Mrs. Hoover appeared. They appeared thrilled by the immense, colorful crowd as they stepped forward and bowed.

Their first appearance at the rear of the platform launched the tribute that was to last more than 10 minutes. The crowd stood as a man. They pounded the floor with their feet and canes, waved their hats into the air.

It was only after long effort that Commander Bodenhamer restored some measure of order and said, addressing the President:

“The American Legion, every man and woman, is deeply indebted to both you and Mrs. Hoover for the compliment you are paying us by attending this..."
CHEER TRIBUTE
TO PRES. WILSON

1000 Legion Diners Rise as Curley Lauds Conscription Feat

BODENBAMER HOST
TO MANY NOTABLES

A tribute to former President Woodrow Wilson's accomplishment in getting the American people in 1917 to accept the hated institution of conscription without rioting brought 1000 leaders of the American Legion to Boston last night.

Governor of the six President's work came during a speech by Mayor Curley, in which he said that "conscription, the most hated word in the English language" had become a wartime institution without a hitch because of Wilson's ability in solidifying the nation for the conflict. The six New England Governors, the secretaries of the army and navy, and military leaders of the United States and abroad were at the head table.

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PERSHING'S WARNING

Gen. Pershing, in his address, urged legionnaires and all good citizens to wipe out the racketeers that government and organized crime who are the enemies within our lines. He said:

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Gov. Allen said:

"You know, my friends of this distinguished company who have come from the distant shores of the Pacific, from the mountain cities of the West, from the rolling midland plains of the North, and from the South, how we are come to your own homeland. In this ancient commonwealth dwelt many of your forefathers. Here on this ground was sown the seed of our nationality. It is the hope of Massachusetts citizens that our honored guests may observe in our receptions, celebrations and hospitality true evidence of that spirit which makes the whole world kin."

Mayor Curley said he was the first person ever to deliver a recruiting address for an English regiment on Boston Common. He told of the filling up of the ranks of the 5th regiment with 1200 Bostonians, including several hundred members of his own Tammany club. He said that although 70 per cent. of the population of Boston had sprung from a land which had been fighting England for 700 years, not all were successful; the breach was bridged in that hour.

TODAY'S PARADE
TO BE GREATEST

80,000 Legionnaires to Pass Over Five Miles of Downtown Streets

DELEGATIONS FROM ALL STATES IN LINE

With every last detail of preparation worked out with elaborate care, the stage is set today for the largest and most colorfully brilliant parade in Boston's history—the "big parade" of the 80,000 legionnaires passing in triumphal procession through the miles of the city's downtown and Back Bay streets.

Twenty-eight miles of veterans, attired in picturequely colorful garb and stepping to the cadence of 396 bands, will provide one of the greatest spectacles of its kind ever seen in this country, with a vast crowd estimated in excess of 1,500,000 for audience.

The Massachusetts delegation alone is expected to muster more than 28,000 in line. Floats galore, colorful regalia, singing units and novel and humorous features are expected with the bands to provide a lustre and zest to the spectacle which will make it stirring and impressive in the extreme.

The parade will get under way at Massachusetts avenue and Beacon street promptly at 10 A. M., stepping off at the accompaniment of a flourish of bugles and a beat of drums. The moving spectacle will pass in ceaseless procession from then until sunset of even later.

TWO REVIEWING STANDS

There will be two official reviewing stands, one for the grand marshal and staff at Columbus avenue and West Newton street, and the other a "Court of Honor" on Tremont street, opposite West street, for Gen. John J. Pershing, Gov. Allen, Mayor Curley, Gen. Henri Gouraud and other distinguished guests.

There will also be two additional reviewing stands, one at the State House for members of the Legislature and another at City Hall for members of the city government.

Paul V. McNutt of Indiana, past national commander of the legion, will be grand marshal, with Dr. William H. Griffin, past Massachusetts department commander, as his chief of staff. Gen. Clarence R. Edwards, wartime commander of the 36th division, will be honorary grand marshal. Other officers include: Honorary chief of staff, Gen. Edward L. Logan; assistant chief of staff, Capt. Edward F. O'Dowd; adjutant, Col. George S. Penny; and chief of sides, Charles A. Ranlett.

Following the grand marshal and honorary grand marshal and their staffs will come the champion band of the legion, the Electric post band of Milwaukee, Wis., preceding the national colors with color guard. Next in line will be six automobiles bearing legion and military notables and officials of nation, state and city.

Jersey City Police Unit Visits
Curley and so Does Mayor Hague

Formalities were dispensed with yesterday when Jim Curley of Boston and Frank Hague of Jersey City met on the steps of City Hall under circumstances which caused 150 snappily uniformed and steel-helmeted Jersey City policemen much amusement.

Mayor Hague, who is as well known in Jersey as Mayor Curley is in Massachusetts, thinks so highly of the riot squad of the Jersey City department that he sent the entire personnel, with the department band, to appear on parade at the legion convention. Every member of the squad is a world war veteran and the commander is Capt. Thomas J. Hines, who not only won the distinguished service cross, but the insignia of the order of Leopold, conferred on him on the steps of New York city hall by King Albert of Belgium.

Chief of Police Daniel Casey, who boasts that he was born in Boston, preceded his squad of picked men to city hall and regretfully told Mayor Curley that Mayor Hague would not arrive until today.

Capt. Hines swung his command into city hall plaza and the band blared into a snappy rendition of the "Wearing of the Green" as Mayor Curley descended the steps. After complimenting the policemen and their leaders upon the appearance of the squad, Mayor Curley switched to an oration of "my old friend Frank Hague" and to Chief Casey, he started to hand a walking stick from an old Lexington elm.

"I'll take it with thanks, Jim," said Mayor Hague as he stepped into the picture and caught the mayor unawares. They had a short, but lively reunion. Mayor Curley campaigned for Hague when both were members of Congress.

Brookline Girl Wins Air Title

The title of "Miss America of the Air" was awarded at the American Legion air show at East Boston Airport yesterday to Mrs. Theodore W. Kenyon of Brookline.

In announcing the winners Mayor James M. Curley told the audience of 6000 that earlier in the day President Hoover had virtually assured him that Governor's Island would be transferred to the city for extension of the airport.

Mrs. Kenyon, as winner of the "Miss America of the Air" contest, received from Mayor Curley's hands a silver trophy and $300 in gold.

The second place prizes, a silver loving cup and $200 in gold, went to Mrs. Jean Hoyt of Winchester.

EIGHT IN RACE

This was the first contest to pick "Miss America of the Air." Eight feminine fliers competed, the contest beginning Sunday when the fair candidates were judged for their appearance and condition of their planes.

Yesterday they were judged for their flying ability in accuracy-lining contests and other maneuvers. A committee of expert fliers served as judges.

The other big feature of the airport day came in two demonstrations of flying over the city by 18
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Hoover Tells Labor Good Times Near

Delegates to the jubilee convention of the American Federation of Labor cheered President Hoover yesterday when he prophesied a bright economic future for America, and cheered their own leader, President William Green, when he demanded immediate adoption of the five-day week, modification of the Volstead Act and relief in unemployment.

They heard, the nation's chief executive declare that the present period of depression had been weathered and that the outlook for national prosperity had been brightened by the demonstration of nation-wide co-operation and team play.

"The absence of conflict during this depression has increased the stability and wholesomeness of our industrial structure," President Hoover said. "We are justified in feeling that something like a new tool has been added to the working kit for the solution of future problems."

In his opening address, President Green referred to the White House conference with representatives of labor and industry last November and praised the "wage philosophy" of President Hoover.

"I hope it may be the inflexible purpose of the American Federation of Labor to impress the idea on industry, that there is an uncompromising demand that the five-day working week be immediately established," said President Green.

Conveying the greetings of the Commonwealth, Governor Allen paid a tribute to the principles of the American Federation of Labor and said that Massachusetts was the first State to adopt welfare legislation for workers and regulate hours of labor.

Cardinal O'Connell delivered the invocation. Mayor Curley extended the civic welcome and other speakers were Nathan Sild, president of the Boston Central Labor Union, and James T. Peck, president of the Massachusetts Federation.

In a brief welcome, Cardinal O'Connell said:

"It gives me great pleasure to come here, especially to offer to Almighty God our thanks and to beseech Him to give us His grace and bless us, and hope to address you again on Friday afternoon."

Marchers Wade in a Paper Sea

By MELVIN G. CARR
Record Legion Editor

As all New England poured into Boston early today to swell the throngs eager to see today's epoch-making parade of Legionnaires, the city settled down just a little after one of the most colorful days in its history, which began early when President Herbert Hoover's life was imperiled by eager throngs anxious to get close-up views of him, swung through hours of spectacles of marching, practicing hands, and closed in a great burst of glory as 200,000 thronged the streets to witness the 40 'n' 8 parade last night.

There were more than 5000 of the Legionnaires in line, each one bent as all these carefree young men seem to be, on having the time of his life.

It was a veritable procession of horribles, each group being garbed or masked in costumes more grotesque than the preceding one.

New members, due to be "wrecked" as each arrived, were chained to each other, comprising a feature of the parade.

POLICE CHARGE THROUGHS

So dense was the throng lining the streets, the cordons of police were unable to keep them off the lines of marchers. It became necessary at times for the mounted police escort to charge the throngs.

Afterward, as the Legionnaires performed their secret rites, the crowds enjoyed a display of searchlights focused into the heavens from every battlehip in the Navy Yard, and later, a display of fireworks on the Charles river. Illuminated airplanes flying overhead added to the thrill for the huge throngs.

The parade started at 7:30 am.
Boston, Legion Give Hoover a Great Welcome

Strong Police Guard for Presidential Party—Guns Roar in Salute

President Hoover arrived in Boston at 9:30 this morning to fulfill his part in the American Legion convention and also to speak at the conclave of the American Federation of Labor.

The Legionnaires claimed him, however, and staged most of the impressive scene which attended his arrival. His special train of Pennsylvania Railroad cars arrived on time at the Back Bay Station and was escorted from Providence by airplanes which were despatched from the Boston airport this morning for that purpose.

Half an hour before train time a large detail of police under command of Captain John M. Anderson had established blockades both in and around the station as a result of reports that "Reds" would attempt to stage a demonstration similar to that in Cleveland. In the waiting room through which the presidential party had to pass no one was permitted to approach nearer than the second row of benches.

In addition to more than five hundred police and about thirty plain clothesmen there were present several hundred Legionnaires as volunteer police to aid in keeping the crowds back.

The greeting party included Governor Allen, Mayor Curley and his daughter Mary; Congresswoman Edith G. Rogers, Thomas Johnson, the city's official greeter; Colonel Carroll J. Swan of the Legion, Department Commander Richard Paul of Massachusetts, Past Department Commander John O'Connor, General Forman, chairman of the national Legion committee on distinguished guests, and John Richardson of the same committee and a personal friend of the President's.

The President rode in the last car of the five-car train and alighted from the rear platform. Mayor Curley was the first to grasp his hand and presented his daughter, who handed it to Hoover. Hoover presented an old-fashioned bouquet. Congresswoman Rogers gave to Mrs. Hoover a bouquet of orchids.

In company with the President as he left the train was former Senator William M. Butler, who went to Providence to join the party. The President wore a silk hat, a dark suit and a dark gray top coat. Mrs. Hoover's costume included a black velvet hat in the prevailing mode, a black taffeta dress, with pin checks of white, and a caracul collar.

Salute Fired on Common

After the hand-shakings the President and his party posed for the photographers in the trainshed, and at that point occurred an interesting feature of the reception. Nearly half a mile away on Boston Common were stationed there for the purpose of firing a presidential salute of twenty-one guns. A motorcycle policeman was stationed on Dartmouth street, under orders to lead the way. It was late, but the instant the train arrived the guns could be heard. The presidential salute was also fired by a Regular Army battery at the Army Base, South Boston.

Meanwhile, on Dartmouth street was drawn up a platoon of the First Corps Cadets under command of Captain William B. Fales, Captain James Bigger, Captain George W. Marquis, adjutant. They comprised a guard of honor and stood at attention as the party walked out of the station and posed again for photographs.

While the pictures were being taken, the drum and bugle corps of the Fairmont, W. V., Legion Post, No. 17, marched through Dartmouth street without stopping and on to the Copley Plaza Hotel which they entered through the Copley Square door. The President's party drove through cheering lanes of people on Dartmouth street and Copley Square and around to the Trinity Place entrance to the hotel through which they stepped into the elevators and were whisked upstairs to suite 801. Then the usual staid silence of the hotel was shattered by the rear of drums and the bugle notes as the mountaineers from West Virginia serenaded the Chief Executive for ten minutes, concluding their concert with a song extolling the virtues of their native State.

Coolidge, Liggett and Others Call

Soon after the arrival of the presidential party a number of prominent figures in Republican politics in this section were seen entering the hotel, among them being Louisa K. Liggett, Republican national committeewoman of Massachusetts. There were no demonstrations of unpleasant character in connection with Mr. Hoover's arrival, but all along the short drive through the hotel he was accorded applause and cheers to which he responded by smiling and lifting his hat. He and Mrs. Hoover rode in a car driven by Ralph Sennett, a Legiolnaire.

At 10:10 former President Calvin Coolidge and his wife arrived at the hotel from the Dartmouth street side and walked through the unnoticed through the throng in the lobby to the elevator. On alighting at the sixth floor they were recognized by newspaper men, with whom Mr. Coolidge exchanged greetings. They then called on President and Mrs. Hoover, with whom they remained for ten minutes after which they left the hotel as quietly as they had entered.

In the lobby of elevators on the Trinity place side of the Copley-Plaza, the street nearest to the street was set apart for the use of the presidential party and an operator was a special uniform of navy blue, which included tight fitting blue breeches and long black stockings. In the President's party are George Akerson, his secretary; Miss Ruth Foster, Mrs. Hoover's secretary; Captain C. R. Train, naval aide; Colonel C. B. Hodges, Army aide; newspaper men and secret service operatives. A number of Washington newspaper men, correspondents and news reel and camera men were also on the special train.

CURLEY LAUDS VETS AS PEACE AGENTS

Characterizes Legion as the Successors to the G. A. R.

A plea for world peace featured the welcoming address of Mayor Curley at the Legion convention today.

He eulogized the Legion, paid tribute to the dead and disabled and characterized the organization as the successor to the G. A. R., as spiritual leaders through whom may be preserved from war.

The mayor said in part:

"Thirteen years have passed since that day, fraught with uncertainty, doubt and fear, that the heart of America responded to the call for the preservation of free government as presented to a waiting world by the hero war President of the United States, the late lamented Woodrow Wilson."

"A waiting world gazed in awe at the spectacle unfolded of a peace-loving nation transformed overnight into a great machine dedicated to the task of providing not only men but food and munitions—and money—and all of the agencies essential to the successful conduct of the mighty drama staged upon the blood-soaked fields of France and Flanders."

"The glory of the American marine and the citizen soldiery will endure as long as the republic exists."

The miracle of Congress adopting and the nation accepting, the selective military draft system furnishing examples of love of country without parallel in the world's history.
Curley Extends Welcome of City to Visiting Host

Parks Back to Great Day, 13 Years Ago, "When the Men Put Down Their Arms and Declared War at an End"

In welcoming the legionsmen, Mayor Curley said:

"It is an exceedingly privilege as mayor of this city of Boston to express, in behalf of the citizenship a most hearty welcome to the membership of the American Legion, and to express the sincere wish that your sojourn with us will be replete with happiness.

TRIBUTE TO WILSON

"Today the citizens see with one another in this expedition the display of that flag whose glory your sacrifice enhanced, and whose honor you preserved during the greatest war in the world's history—the stars and stripes.

"Thirteen years have passed since that day, fraught with uncertainty, during which the heart of America responded to the call for the preservation of free government as presented by the heroic war President of the United States—the late lamented Woodrow Wilson.

"Every day, every hour—every minute after the first detachment of the citizen soldiers of the republic had started on the perilous journey over an ocean strewn with danger and death, until the news reached home of the victory of America, America responded to the call of Woodrow Wilson.

"The glory of the American marine is due to the masterly conduct of that flag whose possession of health and friends, but it must be an eternity to the countless thousands who suffered the loss of health, or limb, or of reason, and whose hours of agony are only brightened from time to time by the presence, of the members of their families, or their comrades in arms during the world war.

"To these men our hearts go out, and we owe them more than sympathy; as their service is but a part of a vast and mighty plan, we owe them an occasional visit which will convey to them the agonizing moments of the knowledge that their beneficent efforts are not unfelt by their sacrifice.

"To the peaceful shades of Arlington where still lie moldering dead of America, the heartbroken mothers who have never been privileged to learn what became of the son they brought into the world, and for whose coming they themselves went down into the world of death, make their pilgrimage.

The grave of the Unknown Soldier has become a shrine; a shrine at which stands the soldier dead of America, a monument to the virtues, the ideals, the sacrifice of a people which they represented, but a sublime expression of what is the value of America's contribution.

"We now realize that at the time of America's participation in the armistice day found the world rejoicing that the war was at an end, but—alas—the whole world did not participate in the rejoicing. Thirty millions of human lives had been sacrificed and from 30,000,000 of homes happiness had departed and sorrow had entered.

"More than 70,000 American mothers grieved for the loss of a son whose resting place, marked with a simple wooden cross, symbolizes an unselfish contribution in death to the cause—and the flag—and the land which in life he had served and in death immortalized.

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The members of the American Legion and their friends took complete possession of the city last night, on the eve of the opening of the legion convention today.

Downtown streets were filled with milling, shouting holiday crowds. They overflowed from sidewalks into the street. They eddied in and out of hotel lobbies and restaurants, boisterous, exuberant and confident their antics would be received in the proper spirit.

In the abandonment of the crowds the city approached that never-to-be-forgotten "armistice night" when the false report came that the war was over.

Even that night, as far as sheer numbers were concerned, or press of automobile traffic, fell far short of the legion's investment of Boston last night.

More than 500,000 persons flocked into the city according to the guess of Superintendent of Police Crowley. He declared it was impossible to tell how many automobiles were in the city or still trying to get into the city in lines that backed up miles out in the suburbs.

In the city automobiles progressed at a snail's pace. Superintendent Crowley declared that he thought every car in the state was in the Jain. Almost every inch of parking space, commercial and free, was preempted early in the day.

And in this traffic, too, forbearance was the rule. It was natural that scrapes and minor collisions should take place. But the result was in most cases merely the occasion for reunion and exchanges of fellowship, rather than complaints.

**HOLIDAY SPIRIT PREVAILS**

Over everything the holiday spirit prevailed. It was the thrill before the more serious days of the convention itself, the impressive arrival of President Hoover, the greeting of Gen. Pershing, to come today.

The President will be greeted at the Back Bay station at 9:30 and escorted with formality to his hotel, the Copley Plaza. He will leave the hotel twice, first to address the legion convention at 11:30, and again to address the American Federation of Labor convention at the Statler at 3 P M.

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The President was there to represent the state, to chair the meeting of the convention committee that gathered to greet the leader of United States and its greatest military expedition. Mayor Curley was there to represent the city.

荣誉 was paid to those members of the legion who have answered their last roll call, in prayer, song and renewal of the legion's promise to perpetuate the ideals and institutions for which they fought.

This morning the convention opens. Adequate pensions, sufficient aid for the widows and orphans of the world war, and renewed pressure for a comprehensive, universal draft law, will be the framework on which will be built the convention's results. Comdr. Bodenhamer will open proceedings promptly at 9 o'clock. While delegations are being placed and seated, drum corps and bands will furnish music. After invocation by National Chaplain, the Rev. Fr. George F. Kettell, D.D., colors will be saluted and the assembly will join in singing the Star Spangled Banner.

After roll call of delegates, addresses of welcome by Gov. Allen, and Mayor Curley, President Hoover will bring his message to the legion, and through the legion to the country. During the President's address the convention will be joined by the members of the legion's auxiliary.

After a memorial service for departed members, an adjournment of the convention itself will be moved. There will be no sessions Tuesday. Wednesday will see the legislative work again in full swing with reports of work accomplished and planned.

The campaigns of rivals for the 1931 convention were in full swing last night. Hotel lobbies, committee rooms and street corners heard the claims of Detroit, Los Angeles and some others. But Michigan and California were by far the most energetic. Portland, Oregon, has been heard, but is willing to make it 1932, and Chicago is willing for 1931 but most eager for 1933.

Frank J. Schneider of Wisconsin, Ralph O'Neill of Kansas, Emmett O'Neal of Kentucky and J. Monroe Johnson of South Carolina are still the most prominent candidates for the honor of national commander for 1931.

The fight will be decided, for national commander Thursday, for next year's convention on Wednesday.

**AT CHURCH SERVICES**

In many of the churches yesterday legionnaires preached the sermon. In the Tremont Temple Baptist Church, Maj. Gen. W. G. Everson, in full uniform, pleaded for the establishment of a vast "peace army" that would make it possible for the armies of the world to disarm.

At the Hotel Somerset last night, the past presidents of the Auxiliary met to hear Congresswoman Edith Rogers of Massachusetts speak for government hospitals for ex-service men who were disabled in the world war as a result of their service.

The Auxiliary's convention will be called to order this morning in Symphony hall by National Commander Mrs. Donald Macar, and will be opened with welcome from city and state officials.

The auxiliary session of the convention will hear the reports of national and committee and re-committees. In the evening the International Pidac Congress report will be made and greetings received from the D.A.R. American War Mothers, Women's Overseas League, and other allied organizations.

Lady Edward Spencer Churchill and Madame Julie Mazarak will be guests at the evening session.

During the formalities of the first convention day activities, there will be running the undercurrent of preparation for the parade tomorrow. The legion and its allied units have promised to "show Boston" and Boston is an endless waiting "to be shown."
A. F. of L. Delegates to Demand
Strong Stand Against Dry Act

Executive Council's Report on Prohibition and Five-Hour Day Fails to Satisfy Majority
Convention Opens Today

With delegates from this city and the majority of eastern states favoring an “out and out” modification of the Volstead act or its repeal, this question, the five-hour day and unemployment will feature the deliberations of the jubilee convention of the American Federation of Labor, which opens at 10 A.M. today at the Hotel Statler.

According to sentiments of delegates arriving for the convention from Massachusetts, New York and other eastern states the recommendations of the executive council, which will be placed before the delegates at this morning’s session in pamphlet form, are not emphatic enough on the prohibition question and the shorter workday.

REAFFIRMS 1927 STAND
The council, in its report reaffirms the action of the Los Angeles convention of 1927, for the manufacture, sale and distribution of beer containing 2.75 per cent. alcoholic content and reiterates that this is not to be construed as a demand for a repeal of the 18th amendment.

“We stated in our declaration in 1923,” the report sets forth, “that declaration was indorsed by the delegates in the convention by practically a unanimous vote that it is our contention that the 18th amendment under a reasonable and proper legislative interpretation would be beneficial to our country and could have the support of the great majority of our people.

“We are of the firm opinion that the Volstead act could be amended without violating the provisions of the 18th amendment. Such an amendment would provide for the manufacture of beer containing 2.75 per cent. alcoholic content that is 101 proof and would be beneficial to our country and would have the support of the great majority of our people.

Unemployment Question
In discussing the unemployment question the report, while recommending a reduction of hours in its program, is not, apparently, specific enough to suit the advocates of the straight five-hour day program, as adopted at the recent convention of the metal trades department of the federation which comes before the convention for information.

The unemployment program calls for a stabilization of industry through scientific management and co-operation between employer and employee, efficient management in production and in sales service, favors a nation-wide system of employment exchanges by state and federal government, works to meet the cyclical unemployment peaks, vocational building and training, and a special study of technological unemployment, relief proposals, etc. Figures gathered from local unions throughout the country and published in the report shows that 532,894 workers are now enjoying the five-day week of 40 hours in the nation without loss of earnings.

The report points out that unemployment, from 1921, when the depression has been in full swing, has been in full swing, and has been intensified here because of conditions abroad and conditions in foreign countries have been intensified here because of the depression abroad.

We are of the firm opinion that the Volstead act could be amended without violating the provisions of the 18th amendment. We are not attempting to repeal the 18th amendment, but we believe that it should be amended in such a way as to make it more beneficial to the country and the people.

President William Green is known to be opposed to state compulsory unemployment insurance, which has many advocates in the convention that are ready to battle to record the convention on this subject. President Green leans to a form of voluntary unemployment insurance worked out and agreed to between employers and employees.

The executive council of the A. F. of L. completed arrangements for the opening of the convention at a three-hour conference held yesterday afternoon at the Hotel Statler. At the end of the conference President Green declared that it was more of an informative meeting to make other members of the council familiar with the opening day’s program.

According to President Green, Cardinal O’Connell will deliver the invocation at the opening of the convention at 10 o’clock this morning. The morning speakers will be Gov. Allen, Mayor Curley, Senator Walsh, Nathan Sidd, president of the Boston Central Labor Union, and James T. Moriarty, president of the Massachusetts State Federation of Labor.

President Hoover will address the afternoon session at 3 o’clock. He will be met by a number of labor men at the Copley-Plaza Hotel, who will be named at this morning’s session of the convention, and they will act with others as his escort to the Statler and the labor convention.

After delivering his address President Hoover leaves for King’s Mountain, North Carolina, between 3:30 and 4 P.M. President Green will read the President’s address over the national broad-
GORGEOUS FARCE BY 40 AND 8ERS

Big Crowd Sees Antics of Fun Makers of Legion

LAUGHTER ALL ALONG LINE OF SPECTACLE

Lively Bands Add Zest to Night Parade of Visitors

There were 10,000 of these veterans in line and they parked their worries and troubles before they began marching. Along a route of three and a half miles they staged a continuing comedy act which was a circus, a mandolin and a college football rolled into one happy demonstration. Crowds of people that filled the big grandstands and jammed every inch of the sidewalks roared their approval.

In the course of the evening about 20 people fainted or received minor injuries. One legionnaire, J. H. Horgan of Danvers, received a glancing bullet wound in his left hand. A boy was struck with a lantern and another man sustained a cut on the chin with a knife.

There was only one serious note in the parade. This came with the first exhibition of the real French box car, presented by the government to the 40 and 8 Society and brought here by Sedley Peck, the commander of the Paris Post, American Legion.

It was drawn through the streets on a low-slung truck. A detail of men from the First Corps Cadets, National Guard, hung out of the open door, wearing war-time equipment and giving the car a realistic touch.

Parade Starts Out

Starting promptly at 7:30 on Beacon street, with E. Snapper Ingram of Los Angeles, the chief marshal, the parade swung up the brightly lighted Beacon Hill and traveled between crowds of massed humanity along Park, Tremont, Boylston streets to Park Square. Contiguous avenues to Massachusetts avenue, and ended at the Boston Arena on St. Botolph street, where the organization staged its "wreck"—the initiation of 100 candidates.

Along this route the units snake-danced, strutted and flocked. They were dressed in every conceivable costume. They carried their own illumination of red, green and blue lanterns. Their music came from dozens of crack military bands and drum corps recruited from all over the country. Firecrackers, toy cannon and horns told the spectators they were coming.

Reviewed at Court of Honor

At the court of honor on Tremont street, these gay marchers were reviewed by Maj. Ingraham, who is the retiring head of the organization, and Charles E. Perry of Kittery, the executive secretary of the Legion corporation and City Treasurer Edward D. Dolan. Captain Hazel Dax-elmier of the Bessie Edwards Cadets and three members of this unit were also in the stand.

There were four reproduced box cars and engines in line and the Iowa delegation had a whole freight train, an engine and four cars. They stopped at the reviewing stand to present a giant ear of corn to Mayor Curley.

The candidates who were initiated last night, officially known as "the poor goofs," marched over the route in Oakland holding on to a long rope. Their faces were smeared with soot and in spite of what was waiting for them at the Arena they smiled happily.

Except for the bands and drum corps, which marched and played with military precision, every other unit was having fun. They sang and cheered as they marched, and when they passed the reviewing stand they paid their respects to the dignitaries there by shouting at the Mayor, "Hi, Jim. How are things going?"

The crowds went home laughing and they'll be talking about last night's parade for many months. It was like a book of humor with a laugh in every line.

Every contingent went out of its way in an effort to be funny, and the one preceding it. The 40 and 8 Society, the fun-making or- ganization of the American Legion, had never trod the streets of this old city. It was the annual parade of the 40 and 8 Society, the fun-making or- ganization of the American Legion, and a more rollicking, merrier procession never trod the streets of this old city.

They came from every corner of the country and they put on a show that will be remembered for a generation. From the start to finish it was a howl.

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on earth. In its establishment they framed a constitution for our guidance in its perpetuation.

"One of the objects of the formation of our government was to establish justice, and to insure domestic tranquility. I need not speak of conditions in certain parts of our country, where the flouting and evasion of the law are common, nor mention the laxity of officials in the discharge of their duties to preserve law and order. Punishment of the criminal must always follow swiftly upon the heels of his crime. But such a condition is largely due to the lack of interest of our citizens in the election of men to office. We can have just the kind of government we wish, and if officers elected by the people for the purpose fail to enforce our laws, then the fault is ours. America must arise to meet this situation as she has done in nearly all other respects. It cannot be too strongly emphasized that the ideals of this government under which we live demand our loyal support.

Must Back Government

"We have inherited the right to live under its protection, and we must recognize the responsibility that devolves upon us to maintain it. "What I wish to say in conclusion is this: the ex-service men must stand up courageously and fearlessly for everything that is sacred in our institution. No man or woman can fulfill the obligations of citizenship which remains passive regarding the enforcement of law. "None can fulfill those obligations and remain disinterested in the relations that exist between this government and the other governments of the earth. None should rest with easy conscience without promoting, in every way, the cause of good government. We progress only by our own efforts. America will continue to move forward under the inspired leadership of her best citizens in whose front ranks will ever be found the Legion of Veterans."

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**Allied War Veterans at Chamber's Breakfast**

Nearly 500 leaders of American and foreign military and naval forces attended a breakfast tendered by the Boston Chamber of Commerce in the main auditorium of the building this morning.

Gov. Allen, Mayor Curley, a large delegation of congressmen and prominent members of the chamber were in attendance as well. When President Henry L. Harriman escorted the distinguished guests into the hall a cheer went up that echoed through the building.

**ADDRESSES BARRED**

Owing to the fact that the parade started less than an hour from the time of the breakfast, addresses were dispensed with.

Seated at the head table were: Col. Carroll J. Swan, president of the 1930 National Convention Corporation; E. S. Ingram of France; Maj.-Gen. Clarence Edwards; Col. John Brown, president of the British Legion; Col. H. W. Ogden; Gen. Henri J. E. Gouraud, official representative of France; James E. Jewell, commander-in-chief of the G. A. R.; William T. Gardiner, Governor of Maine; Carl P. Dennett, vice-president of the chamber of commerce; Gen. John J. Pershing; Mayor Curley; Gov. Allen; Henry L. Harriman; Commander Bodenhamer of the American Legion; Charles Francis Adams, secretary of navy; Admiral William S. Benson, retired; Charles W. Tobey, Governor of New Hampshire; Victor M. Custer, vice-president of the chamber of commerce; John E. Weeks, Governor of Vermont; Lt.-Col. L. R. LaFleche, Canadian Legion; Maj.-Gen. Sir William Hickie, Irish Free State; Lt.-Gen. Edward L. Logan; Col. Fred W. Abbott; Richard F. Paul, commander, Massachusetts department, American Legion, and Capt. George Parker, registrar of motor vehicles.

"The organist rendered war-time airs until the breakfast started."

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**AMERICAN 10/1/30**

**ADAMS CHEERED FOR GREATER NAVY' PLEA**

Secretary of the Navy Charles Francis Adams drew resounding applause from more than 200 notables today when he made a plea for a mightier navy at a Chamber of Commerce breakfast, tendered in the Chamber building on Federal St. to National Commander O. L. Bodenhamer of the American Legion.

"And I say that it may be well for the United States to maintain a rather stronger, greater navy, that the voice of justice to ourselves and to the world may be assured," he said.

Secretary Adams also lauded the Legionnaires for what they had done for their country and the world.

Commander Bodenhamer, in a speech of thanks, told his audience that the city of Boston has provided the best stage that a national Legion convention has ever had.

**THRILLED BY ADAMS**

"Thrifty in his remarks about Navy policies since he assumed office, Secretary Adams thrilled his hearers with his sincerity, putting himself on record for the first time as for a greater United States Navy as a means of insuring peace and justice."

"All in the hall rose to their feet and thundered their applause, and by it indorsed the words of the speaker. To the Legionnaires Secretary Adams said:

"You proved you had more spirit, courage and endurance than is possessed by any professional military organization, and it is now up to you to still further demonstrate our power for justice by avoiding the rocks which lie in the charted course of our ship of state.""

"One of these is the growing rift which is to be seen in the administration of national affairs. See to it that these rifts, these Congressional blocs, do not widen into factional political parties."

Mayor Curley also dwelt upon the importance and necessity of adequate national defense, and Governor Allen voiced words of greeting and appreciation to the Legion through Commander Bodenhamer.

**WELCOME BY HARRIMAN**

President Henry Harriman of the Chamber formally welcomed the guests.

Among those in attendance were National Commander O. L. Bodenhamer of the Legion; Gen. Henry Gouraud of France; Maj.-Gen. Sir William Hickie of Ireland; Lient.-Col. L. R. LaFleche, commander of the Canadian Legion; Secretary of the Navy Charles Francis Adams; Gen. John J. Pershing, Admiral William S. Benson, Governor Charles W. Tobey of New Hampshire; and Governor John E. Weeks of Vermont.

PERSHING CALLS LEGION TO ARMS

Dangers to Nation in Peace Pointed to Members, Whose Service Is Needed Always, He Says

In a vibrant call to the American Legion for service to their country in peace as heroic and steadfast as that which they gave in time of war, General John J. Pershing, last night, brought the Legion national commander's dinner to the convention's distinguished guests to its feet in one of the greatest speeches he ever made.

DANGERS TO NATION
As honorary commander of the Legion, as well as in the role of the commander of the American Expeditionary Force in France during the World war, the general pointed specifically to the dangers which beset the nation today, warning against lawlessness, against dishonest politicians and office-holders, against radicals who would tear down the institutions of liberty and free government.

In ringing words he emphasized the bulwarks in the Constitution of the United States, sounding a call to stand united to preserve them against the enemies of and in the State.

He was the principal honor guest at the dinner of the national commander of the American Legion, O. L. Bodenhamer, to the members of the Legion in Boston. Some 500 of the leading figures of two continents graced the board, including Governors of New England States, General Henri J. E. Gouraud of France, Secretary of War Patrick J. Hurley, Secretary of the Navy Charles Francis Adams, President William Green of the American Federation of Labor, some 40 holders of the Congressional Medal of Honor, highest award in the gift of the American nation for valor, and a host of others whose names are known around the world.

A great Legion band, of the Electric Post of Milwaukee, played in the great reception room adjacent to the banquet hall of the Hotel Statler, where the dinner was held. Flags and bunting and myriad bouquets of autumn flowers decorated the banquet room. Spirits were high, and good fellowship ran strong.

Governor Allen had preceded General Pershing, greeting and saluting the Legionnaires in the name of the Commonwealth. Mayor Curley also had preceded the General, welcoming the members of the Legion and paying high and dramatic tribute to Pershing, Foch, Gouraud, and to the memory of Woodrow Wilson, the war President, Bodenhamer, national Legion command.

Then came Pershing. Rejoicing and soldierly, with a grateful smile first, and then a sterner look as he attended to the reading of his carefully prepared address. As he progressed in it, his words became emphatic and he put more and more vigor into the message he brought.

Enemies at Work
"There are enemies in peace as well as in war," he said. "The forces of evil are active.

"They include those who would exploit the government for personal profit. They embrace the criminal class, who would defy our laws, and that other class who are against all government.

An ovation greeted General Pershing when he arose to speak. Another ovation came when he concluded. The dinner was a brilliant affair.

"It was an exceptional privilege to meet with the American Legion for service to their country in peace as well as in war," he said. "We realize," he said, "that this country was fighting for Its life. He brought the diners to their feet in a glowing tribute to the War President, Woodrow Wilson.

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Then the 40 Medal of Honor men were introduced, standing together at the special table laid for them directly in front of the broad dias on which the head table was set.

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General Pershing said in part:

"It is always a pleasure to meet with the American Legion, especially the veterans of the World War. These occasions permit me to review old acquaintances and revive the memories of those days when we served together for the preservation of our common country and the liberties it guarantees to us all.

"It was an exceptional privilege to hear arms in such a cause. When the soldier willingly offered himself in sacrifice, if need be, and the loyal citizen proved the faith within him.

"The soldier went to war to gratify personal sentiment, but deliberately to serve humanity. He was inspired by no love of gain or profit, but moved forward with far higher purpose. He obeyed no dictator or monarch, but listened solely to the voice of the people, whose impulse to take up arms is aroused only in the cause of justice.

"In view of the unique position held by the ex-service men, the duties that fall to their lot as citizens are peculiarly obligatory. These duties are as binding, today as during those days of concentrated service in the field of battle. The same lofty spirit should inspire their fulfillment.

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Jersey City Riot Squad Serenades Mayor Curley

150 Steel-Helmeted Policemen, All Veterans, Armed with Rifles and Led by Mayor Hague, March to City Hall

Mayor Frank Hague of Jersey City and the riot squad of 150 steel-helmeted policemen of that city, all veterans of the world war, stopped all traffic movement on Tremont street, this noon, and attracted salvoes of cheers from pedestrians who thronged the sidewalks.

Hague led his policemen, with rifles on their shoulders, to City Hall, where the Jersey City Police Department band serenaded Mayor Curley.

BOSTONIAN IN COMMAND

In command of the riot squad was Chief Daniel Casey, a Bostonian by birth, who beamed with joy as he told old boyhood friends that his policemen were a fair sample of his entire department.

In direct command was Capt. Thomas J. Hines, one of the very few American soldiers, decorated by King Leopold of Belgium with the Order of Leopold. Hines also wears the distinguished service cross.

Mayor Curley spoke briefly to thousands gathered about City Hall and, after lauding an old friend, Mayor Hague, for whom he once campaigned, be complimented Jersey City upon the delegation of policemen sent to the convention.

Mayor Hague received a walking stick from an old Lexington elm and Chief Casey was given a key to the city fashioned from the same tree.

The squad paraded through Province Bromfield, Tremont and Boylston streets to the Common, where a short, snappy military drill was given under direction of Capt. Hines.

Raise for Ferry Victory
But Don’t Forget Mayor and Com. Rourke

Many messages of congratulation come from the people of East Boston for uniting with them in what is now a successful contest against the closing of the East Boston ferries. One citizen writes:

“Whenever we have needed a real friend in our civic affairs, we have invariably turned to the Boston Evening American.”

Thanks. We can add only that a newspaper should engage aggressively in these affairs affecting the comfort and progress of the community and its people if it is to lay any claim to their respect and affection.

Don’t forget Mayor Curley and Commissioner Rourke. It is they who made the decision that keeps the ferries running.
Gov. Allen responding to cheers while riding with National Commander Bodenhame.
IN THE COURT OF HONOR ON LAFAYETTE MALL

Wasn't It Glorious?
The Great Legion Parade

Nearly eighty thousand young Americans on parade, and an admiring throng of 2,000,000 people.

Wasn't it glorious?

From the time that George Washington made the first Presidential trip here, Boston has been a natural mecca for magnificent celebrations.

President Grant's peace jubilee, the extraordinary reunion of the Grand Army of the Republic in the '80's, the reception of Admiral Dewey and President Wilson's return from the dispositions of Versailles—all of those, with others, are written in the gold letters of Boston's history.

We venture the assertion that in magnitude and patriotism the spectacle of yesterday takes place in the first rank.

Anyway, it was magnificent.

To Governor Allen, Mayor Curley, Commander Bodenhamer, Carroll Swan, Paul Hines and to all others responsible for the arrangements the compliments of the people will be tendered without stint.

Boston has abundant reason to be proud and to be happy.
Gov. Allen and Mayor Curley to Do Honors

Will Provide Luncheon and Dinner for Visiting Foreign Road Engineers

Awards Contract for New Bathhouse

Work will be started immediately on the new L street bathhouse, South Boston, to supplant the Franklin Park rock garden, in an out-worn structure which has served as the Park Construction Company, the lowest of seven bidders, at $37,000. The highest bid was $42,400.

A contract for the construction of a rock garden adjoining the rose garden at Franklin Park was won by A. G. Tomaselli & Son for $32,000. The building, which will be fireproof and able to accommodate twice as many bathers as the old structure, must be completed by June of next year. It will be more than 1100 feet in length and the construction will be of brick and concrete. There will be 3500 lockers for men and boys and 1100 for women.

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The tour through the North Atlantic States covers highway systems developed in an industrial area. The Southern tour is over low cost roads in a semi-industrial area where extreme cold is apt to prevail during a part of the year.

Where to Get Money for Roads?

Where to get the money with which to build roads was a question proposed and answered in varying phrases and languages by delegates to the congress. In the end, the delegates tentatively agreed that the national government should grant loans and subsidies to their States, and for the use of general tax revenues and bond issues to cover the expenses of building and maintaining highways.

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FLIERS THRILL PARADE CROWDS

Capt. Hawks, Army-Navy Pilots, at Great Speed, Stunt Over Route

The large part of the nation's air defence, including the giant dirigible Los Angeles, dipped, twisted, dived and rolled in every possible aerial manoeuvre yesterday afternoon over the big parade route, and gave Boston its third successive brilliant air show in as many days.

Diving toward the Charles River basin at a speed of more than 200 miles an hour in a few minutes intervals, formation after formation of army, navy and marine planes thrilled Boston's greatest crowd.

DIRIGIBLE HERE AT NOON

The crack pilots of the big bombers, the fast pursuit ships and the small but powerful flying blimps threw their offsprings of the air around at dozens of different angles, so that the legions crowd below would not be disappointed in the aerial side of the program. That they succeeded was evidenced in the "ohs" and "ahs" from the thousand who crowded their necks.

America's big blimp, the Los Angeles, representing the navy, was first sighted and then, after noon, flying high over Roxbury and Dorchester. The lighter than air ship came here from the naval dirigible base at Lakehurst, N. J.

She dipped to a lower altitude as the downtown area was reached and to the crowd below her motor roar was plainly audible. After everyone had been given a chance to see her glinting sides, the gigantic craft rose, for Lakehurst. An escort of eight navy Vought Corsairs, from the Boston airport flew along in V formation to the outskirts.

The Los Angeles was the regular skipper, Lt.-Comdr. V. A. Clarke. In addition to the crew of 32 and eight enlisted men, 12 officers and five student officers made the flight.

The blimp Mayflower, sent here by the Goodyear Company, looked as small as a town fair balloon as it accompanied the Los Angeles over the State House.

The aerial activities started yesterday at 11 o'clock when 24 planes flew over the city in command of the chief marshal of the air parade, Maj. Louis M. Bourwell of the national guard, was flying a Curtiss-Palones ship. Passing over the parade with seven-second intervals and in well spaced arrangement, the pilot, having two .45 calibre guns, then headed for the Boston airport.

The parade of the 24 planes opened the fourth day of an eight-day air meet at the Boston airport. Besides stunt flying at hourly intervals passenger carrying was on all during the afternoon.

The huge 20-passenger Goodyear-Comdr, piloted by Capt. Richard W. Mackie, took part in their first flight. The big blimp will leave here on Friday.

Cost $5000 to Clean Streets

30 Tons of Paper Removed by City Employes After Legion Parade

Thirty tons of torn paper, and ticker tape, and twenty truckloads of boxes and other materials converted into temporary platforms were removed from the streets along which the parade moved yesterday.

It cost the city $5000 to clean the streets, and in the work, which extended from 8 o'clock last night until 8 o'clock this morning, 200 laborers, six foremen and inspectors, 20 trucks, eight flusters, and 20 horse-drawn carts were used.

Division Superintendent Peter Gerity supervised the work. His men went to the downtown district before the parade was over, but they were far behind the crew which removed the ropes and the stakes from the pavement.

The Tremont street grandstands will not be removed until some time next week. They will be available for spectators at the Columbus day parade Monday.

Patrick Mc Govern

VISIT S CITY HALL

Mayor Curley interrupted his greetings to visiting legion members this noon long enough to shake the hand of Patrick McGovern, an old Bostonian, now a tunnel contractor in New York.

"Pat," as his friends call him, could not resist the temptation to return to his old home for the legion parade. His visit to City Hall was a continuous reception.

An Arkansas delegation presented the mayor a beautiful sample of the pottery work done in that state, as well as a bag of finest Arkansas rice.

Jersey City officials came over with the riot squad of the police department called to say good-by to the mayor.

Fail to Agree on Centre Site

Curley's Commissioners Report After Six Months of Consideration

The commission appointed by Mayor Curley six months ago to consider and agree on a civic centre today reported inability to agree on any location. One group favored the choice of a downtown site, while another suggested a location near Broadway.

Mayor Curley told the commission, headed by Ralph Adams Cram, that the need of decentralizing the business section of the city, ought to be one of the important factors in choosing a site for a civic centre which will serve the city for all time.

The mayor strongly stressed his belief that any civic centre should be located in the South End district. He pointed out that eventually the city will obtain funds from the George Robert White fund for the erection of a $7,000,000 auditorium, that $2,000,000 City Hall will be needed, that the probability is that the decision of the site of a soldiers' memorial, and that it is his judgment that the site of the centre should be based upon every factor, including accessibility to rapid transit lines, and the opportunity of extending the high value district far beyond its present southern boundary.

The mayor told the commission that the public should be sought and that the judgment of every element in the community should be weighed. He asked the commissioners to prepare a detailed report of tentative sites for release next Sunday.
New Contract for Savin Hill Sewer

Construction of sewers for the overflow beyond the Old Colony boulevard at Savin Hill Beach calls for the expenditure of another large sum of money by the city of Boston, as was indicated today by the mayor's approval of a contract for construction at Freeport street. The structure will be 7 feet wide and 6 feet high and will extend a distance of 950 feet. Already $300,000 has been spent by the city to remedy the situation caused by the State's construction of the boulevard.

STATES DINNER
BRILLIANT FETE

Symphony Hall Affair Is
Big Social Event for Legion Auxiliary

They were still talking about it today at the auxiliary convention, talking about the brilliancy, the color and the picturesque pageantry of the state's dinner last night at Symphony hall, the biggest social event of the week for the American Legion auxiliary.

Mrs. Donald Macrae, the national vice-president for the eastern division, was congratulated today for the tremendous success of her "pageant of the states" which featured the dinner. Each state was represented by a page bearing its standard, while a couple in the costume of the days when statehood was conferred upon it, marched about the hall.

The president of each department responded to a one-minute toast. Mrs. Edith Nourse Rogers, member of Congress, represented Gen. Allen. Mrs. Donald Macrae, the national president, presided at the head table.


MANY NOTABLES
 REVIEW PARADE
Greatest Gathering Ever
To Assemble Here in
Court of Honor

U. S. AND FOREIGN
OFFICIALS IN STAND

Probably the greatest galaxy of notables ever assembled on a Boston reviewing stand, stood for hours yesterday in the court of honor on Tremont street and reviewed the mighty army of legionnaires.

Secretaries of the navy and army, generals, governors, war heroes, famous war chaplains, the commander and past commanders of the legion, the head and past commanders of the G. A. R., representatives of many foreign countries, distinguished sons and daughters of the old Bay State—all were present to do honor to America's great veterans organization.

So crowded was the reviewing stand that it was practically impossible to list them all.

The parade was held up on Washington street, late in the morning to allow the Financier and present minister to take his places in the court of honor on Tremont street.

Gov. Allen and Mayor Curley were kept busy greeting personages as they arrived.

Secretary of War Patrick J. Hurley and Secretary of the Navy Charles Francis Adams took their places in the stand early in the day with Mrs. Nourse Rogers. When Gen. John J. "Black Jack" Pershing arrived Secretary of War Hurley gracefully gave up his place in the first row to the famous commander of the A.E.F.

Gen. Pershing stayed on the reviewing stand until 1 o'clock when he left to catch the 1:30 P.M. express for Washington.

GEN. GOURAUD CHEERED

Gen. Henri J. E. Gouraud, who lost an arm in France earning the sobriquet "The Lion of the Argonne," received an ovation from the crowd when he took his place beside Gov. Allen.

National Vice-Comdr. Frank Shobel of the legion, one of the two American officers brushing along the war, was accorded a hearty greeting and "saw" the great parade by hearing its stirring sounds and by vivid descriptions given him by other distinguished guests.

National Comdr. O. L. Bodenhamer of the legion, despite his strenuous program Sunday and long hours on his feet, was thrilled by the parade and continually called marching legionnaires by name, usually accompanied with "Great showing, boys! Wonderful turnout!"

Among the foreign representatives present on the reviewing stand were: Gen. William Hickie of Ireland; Col. Fred W. Abbott of London, retiring president of the D. A. R.; Gen. 0. P. Higgins, representing the French organization; L. P. Paz, representing the President of Mexico; Lt.-Col. Vasconcelles of Portugal; Dr. B. Makaiolovich of Yugoslavia; Gen. O. Husak of Czechoslovakia; Col. Michele Barbaro of Italy; M. Raoul Grenade of Belgium; Lt.-Col. L. R. LeFleche, commander of the Canadian war veterans; Charles B. D'Assey, representing the French society of the Croix de Guerre; Col. John Brown, chairman of the British Legion; Lady Edward Spencer-Churchill, representing the British Legion auxiliary; Signor Gicinni Barcarini, representing Italian war veterans, and several others.

Admir. William S. Benson, commander of naval forces during the war and Adm. I. M. Nulton of the Boston navy yard were also present.

National Comdr. James E. Jewel, 83, of the G. A. R. and several other high officials of the G. A. R. were on the reviewing stand for many hours and of some of them staying until the big parade was over at 8 o'clock.

FIREMEN’S BAND MOVED UP

Preceding the Suffolk district was the Bristol county district and the combined districts of Plymouth, Dukes, Barnstable and Nantucket counties. The 65-piece band of the Metropolitan Firemen’s Post, scheduled to march with the Suffolk district moved up behind the Essex county delegation so that the members might cover their own route and return to their stations as soon as possible.

New Bedford Post, No. 1, led the Bristol district marching behind Commander Patrick Dupla. This contingent had a striking float, “The Whaling City,” which depicted a whale fisher in a dory with poised harpoon, which was about to hurl it in a spouting whale. The tableau was supplemented by a printed inscription: “A story of life.”

Members of Attleboro Post, attired in white uniforms with yellow sashes, advertised jewelry made in Attleboro. A float also advertised Attleboro-made jewelry.

The last three districts of the Massachusetts division were kept standing on Commonwealth avenue for more than two hours after leaving Boston Common, where they formed on the athletic field. Some of the marchers became so chilled while waiting for the order to march that they made small bonfires out of paper and leaves to warm themselves.

Once underway on Beacon street there were no further delays until the greater part of the column had passed the reviewing stand. Then the marchers were held up for almost 19 minutes while fire apparatus made its way through the street in a Tremont street building.

Governor Allen, Mayor Curley and other officials remained on the reviewing stand until the last of the marchers had passed. Several times groups of denominational flags shouted, “Thanks for waiting,” and passed by holding their canes at salute.

ALL RECORDS GO

RRAILROADS AND STREET CAR LINES ENTERING BOSTON DID THE BIGGEST DAY’S BUSINESS IN HISTORY YESTERDAY

The railroads and trolley and bus lines last night were bogged down trying to find out how many thousands of people they carried to and from the great Legion parade yesterday, making what is believed to have been the record for all time in transporting in and out of the city.

The Boston Elevated estimated that it had carried 1,500,000 people on its system yesterday, building every bit of equipment it possessed all day long, from 6 o’clock in the morning until between 2:30 and 3 o’clock this morning. This is something like 200,000 more than it carries on an average weekday, it was stated.

The New York, New Haven and Hartford, the Boston and Maine and the Boston and Albany railways running special trains from and to distant points, as well as extra local trains, and additional cars on every train on their rails, transported more thousands than they were able to catch up with on their records last night, with a big force of clerks working virtually all night to find the numbers.

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STAND, HEADS UNCOVERED

From the time the notables arrived in glistening automobiles shortly before 11 o’clock yesterday morning until the last man had passed just before 3 o’clock last night, Commander Bodenhamer did not leave the reviewing stand, continually bowing acknowledgment, as was Governor Allen, for the parade. The Boston and Maine ran slightly less.

The Blue and the Gray

The fast thinning ranks of the blue and the gray were represented yester- day by generals from the highest point of honor by James J. Jowell, representing the Grand Army of the Republic—its commander—and General W. W. George W. W. of the Grand Army of the Republic, representing the Grand Army of the Republic—its commander. Only the roughest estimate was possible last night as to the numbers it carried.

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CRISIS OUT HIS CHEER TO BUDDIES

Legion Chief in Smiles

Until All Marchers Pass By

National Commander O. L. Bodenhamer smiled through it all as he reviewed the seemingly endless lines of marching men he has headed the past year, standing in the court of honor at the Mayor’s reviewing stand on Tremont street, surrounded by notables of city, state, nation and of other nations the national head of the Legion shouted praise to the marching hosts, often personally...
**Parade Sidelights**

And did you see—

That bit of American womanhood, the Das Molina's outfit, who weighed a scant 100 pounds and she carried a flag that weighed almost as much with the wind playing with it. She finished up as strong as an ox, in a job that would have taxed many a male. She was Mrs. Andrew Cumps, the mother of four children, and she served “over there” as a nurse.

Those unheralded heroes—the 18 Boston police horses who went on duty at 7:30 a.m. and worked right through until long after the parade was over, without a single whimper of complaint.

The Oregon cavemen, clad in scanty fur skins, and grunting with apparent relish on great big beef bones. The crowd started laughing the minute they came into sight and when they passed eyes followed them out of sight.

When the Florida legionnaires marched by Mayor Curley was presented an aggilator, one of the pair which staged a race for him at the 8 and 8 parade. The mode of presentation was a little unusual. The veteran who made it tossed it to His Honor at the court of honor and the Mayor showed his delight by catching it in his silk hat.

Some of the police on duty yesterday “did” 26 hours straight service while the Legion was in town. The “Co-ops,” the Legion’s own police department, have been working just as hard. Many of them have had only eight hours sleep since last Friday.

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That’s nothing!” shouted a wit on Tremont street. “Wait till Massachusetts comes along. They got ‘Ollie’ Garrett and Judge Crater doing a hula-hula dance for them.”

There were some tough jobs in yesterday’s parade. For instance, one boy from Moline pushed a wheelbarrow, heavily loaded, the entire route. Then there was the job of holding the great canvas which announced the advent of the New York department. It stretched from sidewalk to sidewalk, several of those carrying it were women. There was a stiff wind and going through Post Office Square it was head directly at the carriers. They said after they finished the route that the canvas seemed as though it weighed several tons.

From Amsterdam, N. Y., came the John Wyszomirski Post. Its name baffled the spectators, but its band won their applause. It was clad in checkered blue and white, and the uniforms were among the most colorful in the parade.

When the sun went down and it got a little chillier, the hospital unit in Post Office Square built itself a fire from paper gathered in the knee-deep mess of telephone books and ticker tape.

Little Rhody sent up two snappy women’s bands that went over big with the crowd, and they were bossed by two of the most capable band leaders in the city.

Rudy Vallee hurried, or rather tried to hurry to the Boston airport after the parade. He was a big hit with the Brookline, Me., boys, but the Pine Tree Strings went over the finish line Rudy wasn’t recognized among the spectators.

St. Ambrose Fife and Drum Corps was the only authentic marching with the California delegation. The boys from Fields Corner received the invitation to supply some music for the Golden Gate contingent when they arrived and they needed another band to make the assembly complete.

The Jersey City police were among the snappiest outfits in the parade. They were led by Inspector Charles Wilson, who, being both a brilliant detective, is also well known as a finished air pilot who can hold his own with the best fliers in the crowd.

The delegation was led by County Commander Charles J. McCarty and his staff. Directly behind marched the Suffolk County Cadets, their dress of white and their three-cornered hats and clasps of purple, trimmed with gold braid.

One of the outstanding exhibits of the Suffolk district was the “Prosperity Express” of the Crosscup-Plehn, Boston advertising men’s post. This was a locomotive with a pleasing contrast to their three-cornered hats and clasps of purple, trimmed with gold braid.

Harvard Band With Roxbury Post

Roxbury Post scored a big hit along the parade route with the Harvard University band, snappily attired in white uniforms and red and crimson sweaters. Perhaps the most striking float in the Suffolk district was the “William L. Harris Postal Envelope” Post.

This was a greatly enlarged reproduction of a stamped and addressed envelope with the name of the post printed in large letters. It could be seen far down the street as it approached and created its appearance along the entire route.
Pageants in Line

Behind them followed, in striking rhythm and color, to the beat of drums and gay flash of bugles, the thousands of legionnaires from Berkshire, Franklin, Hampshire, Hampden, Worcester, Middlesex, Norfolk and Essex Counties. Still farther behind were Bristol, Plymouth, Barnstable, Dukes and Nantucket Counties, and last, Suffolk County, including Boston, host to the great Legion convention.

The big punch in the Massachusetts division was the seemingly endless hordes of marching men, column on column, rank on rank, as though they would continue without end. Next in this line of pageant was the procession of the discoverers of America, explorers and pioneers, featuring, too, the Indians, witches, Pilgrims and other groups and individual heroes, Cambridge produced this one.

Wakefield's Unique Tableau

Then a contribution by the Wakefield legionnaires was a marching tableau of the development of the American Legion, showing the rawboned, awkward men arriving in April, 1917, in the great draft, the rookies of a few days later, next the trained soldier and sailor, and the expatriate soldier, with German prisoners, followed by the Legion men of today.

There were lively bands and drum and bugle corps and snappy units of women's auxiliaries in striking costumes. There were floats, historic and symbolic. One of the simplest and most effective, which drew a big hand all along the route, was the “suicide squad,” showing a one-pounder cannon, with a crew of three doughty gunners, sprawled as in action, in a uniform bronze.

The Salem Witches

Of the marching corps the Salem unit in white uniforms, bright tall hats and flowing hair, and with broomsticks was a highlight.

The biggest gangs of men, with the largest number of trucks and wagons, were working all last night and will be working probably all of today, cleaning up the paper and rubbish left in the streets after the parade of the American Legion yesterday.

The litter in the streets was the greatest ever known here after any parade in the city's history, street department men said last night. Not only did the storm of ticker tape, confetti and torn paper constitute Boston's greatest such shower on paraders, but the number of boxes, whole and broken, left on sidewalks, where spectators had been standing on them, was the biggest ever recalled for Boston.
Blue Bird Chorus and Valets

The Minnesota delegation walked by with long fish poles and cardboard boxes suspended from the end of each pole. They bore the message: "It's a poor fish that hasn't seen Minnesota's six lakes," and put on a good show. First there were the Ozark Smilers, girls, all young and pretty musicians and wearing white uniforms. They also had the Blue Bird Chorus, six girls on a truck, with a piano to accompany their songs. The M. M. Eiber Drum Corps, with its white and black uniform, was one of the most brilliant in line.

Rudy Valle, who marched with the Maine delegation, got the biggest personal tribute of any individual in the parade. Wearing Legion cap and white Maine sweater, he marched at the head of the 161st Infantry band from Auburn. They played the "Stein Song" over the entire route, and as they passed the court of honor, Mayor Curley presented Rudy with a bouquet.

Governor William Tudor Gardner, dressed in white flannels and a legion coat and hat, headed the Maine delegation and was followed by various small bands along the route. The Waterville Auxiliary chorus club, with their white dresses and blue caps, also made a hit.

George Washington Here

Captain Charles F. Shaw took the part of Washington in the District of Columbia unit. He is a past commander of the George Washington Post, one of the first to be organized in the country. Another feature of this unit was a child welfare float, depicting a huge snow with children peeping out the door. It was made from old paper money. West Virginia had Pocohontas riding on a coal float, and one of the largest delegations, carried two banners that stretched across the streets. One said: "Connecticut came to the defense of Boston in 1775," and the other read: "Connecticut returns in 1929." Sergeant William Connolly of New Haven led a company of police officers from that city who paraded with their night sticks. The New Britain Drum Corps in scarlet and white uniforms attracted wide attention.

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Lights flashed on, the streetlight through the afternoon skies, while the arm with the man who didn’t live over the father who saw his soldier’s seize die.

Inining hack to Antietam: Mayor Cite—like the Los Angeles group bearing the colors of the evening sun; Wisconsin’s red and white.

French Post at Head
All trod upon each other’s heels, so to speak, up the avenue of humans and festooned streets, mingling with the sun’s rays to make the procession the most inspiring and picturesque sight ever witnessed here.

Canada in Place of Honor
Canadian veterans and officials of the FIDAC, the inter-allied veterans’ association were given a place of honor in the line, coming in a section just ahead of the Yanks who make their homes In France and Italy.

Florida’s Pretty Girls
Florida’s pretty contingent of girls reflected the warmth of that State. California’s brilliant hues and pretty girls, reflected the warmth of that State.
America marching—to the thrill of 10,000 bugles and the throb of 10,000 drums—strode through the streets of Boston yesterday.

The men and women of the World war in the glamorous garb of peace—beneath a gaudy paper blizzard—surged like a conquering army—in the spirit of America that was and the spirit of America that is—through the gray morning, the sunlit afternoon and the starlit evening—for nine heart-lifting hours.

Heroes of Cantigny and Argonne-Meuse, the mine-layers and the convoy fleets—12 years after the mud and the blood and the pain—12 years after the red dawns and the flaming midnights—12 years after the shell-pitted plain and the sub-infested sea—paraded in a rollicking way beneath a canopy of flags of five bright miles to the thunderous tribute which 2,500,000 people hurled at them from the shouting sidewalks and the roaring rooftops.

MORE THAN 70,000

More than 70,000 legionnaires and Legion women walked that route, in the greatest array of dress uniforms ever looked upon, from 10:15 in the morning until 7:45 at night, under sunlight and arc-light, Alaska and Maine, Pennsylvania and Texas, Montana and Florida, Italy and France, wherever the sunburst of the Legion shines, carried on.

While they thrilled and entertained with a marching spectacle, the like of which National Legion officers last night claimed was never before seen in the United States, about 400 men, women and children were listed as casualties. That number, crushed by the crowd, fainting from hunger or exhausted by the chill wind which sprang up as sunset came, were treated at 70 first aid stations along the route. About 75 were taken to hospitals for additional treatment.

It wasn't the marching of men who learned to step when they offered their lives for their country. It wasn't a long column of men and women who, still young and virile, are veterans of a bitter, bloody conflict. It was the color, the humor, the banter— the things not found in the usual parade—booming cannons, crackling revolvers, the rat-a-tat of machine guns—animals enough to fill a good-size zoo—the pick of all the pretty girls in the nation—the songs of the war and their native States.

BUDDIES IN PEACE

And adding to its majesty and magnificence, was the background—the folks who marched, the well and the wounded, the men grown gray and the men still spry, the colonel and the corporal—the commander and the seaman, the banker and the laborer, from the maliognay office and the dusty mill, from Main street and Pride street—of many races and countless creeds but Yankees all, still buddies in peace as they were welded by war.

And over all, the stirring feeling that 2,500,000 spectators could not help feeling, that those who walked, with all their gaiety and grinning, were still bearing the torch for the other 70,000 whose marching days ended in the crimson wheat at Chateau-Thierry or the icy waters of the Atlantic.

OLD LEADERS THERE

And— the wartime commanders— Pershing, straight and military with all his 70 years, still clenching his jaw and surveying the crowds with his snapping eyes, bowing to the cheers that greeted him as he passed from the start of the parade at Massachusetts avenue and Beacon street to the Court of Honor reviewing stand on Tremont street.

Then New England's own generals, Edwards, Logan and Cole, riding spirited mounts, bowing to salutes of shouts and applause, hurrying from the skycrapers—then the dignitaries like Commander Bodenhamer of the Legion, who watched his buddies pass without sitting down once for nine long hours; Secretary of the Navy Adams, Secretary of War Hurley, Commander Jewell of the G. A. R.
COUNCILMAN BUSH, WOUNDED IN WAR, TAKES SALUTE OF BUDDIES AT CITY HALL

Ten thousand spectators thronged City Hall plaza and School street yesterday and watched a disabled, medal-bedecked world war veteran acknowledge the city council the salute of the marching legionnaires.

Councilman Herman L. Bush of Roxbury, who lost a leg, several fingers and the sight of an eye in action with the machine gun battalion of the 25th division, was delegated by President William G. Lynch to take the salute of his "buddies." In his legion uniform, upon which were pinned the distinguished service cross, the French croix de guerre, the insignia of service at the Mexican border, and the service ribbon with its bars indicating the world war engagements in which he was a participant, the Parker House, Matthew Quigley of Blackstone split Elwyn Joslin of New York. "Hey, what're you doing here?" Quigley demanded. "I saw you killed in the Argonne." "I wasn't, even scratched," laughed Joslin.

A 4th division veterans' association of New England was formed at the "Ivy" reunion, attended by 400, Mayor Curley, Gov. Allen and Gen Edward E. Booth were guests of honor.

WAR COMMANDER IS GUEST

Mayor O'Hara of Worcester, B. Lor- ling Young, representing Gov. Allen, and Col. Morris E. Locke were guests at the 101st field artillery reunion at the Brunswick, Col. Locke, wartime commander of the outfit, has just been returned to its command by the war department, and was given an ovation. A telegram was read from Col. John F. J. Herbert, prohibition administrator at Chicago, expressing regret at being unable to meet with his old regiment. Capt. Lawrence B. Page presided.

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HURLEY GREETED

Patrick J. Hurley, secretary of war, veteran of the 76th field artillery, and Leonard H. Asaam, author of soldier stories, were among the guests of the 101st reunion, which filled the ballroom of the commerce building with more than 500 former members.

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The grand ballroom of the Copley-Plaza was turned into a dug-out for Boston's own 101st regiment, which had the largest reunion of any outfit, with 750 members in attendance. The same entertainers who made them laugh in France were present, a little slutter and a little grayer and a little balder now.


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Colonial Ball, Oct. 17, at
Garden to Be Brilliant
Event

Boston will become the Galveston of
the world Friday, Oct. 17, when the
fairest of the fair, representing 22 na-
tions, compete with beauty contest win-
ners for the title of "Miss Tercentenary"
at the colonial costume tercentenary
ball which will be society's contribution
to the 300th anniversary of the bay
colony in Boston Garden.

To add to the contest all the glamor
of the title of Miss Universe, repre-
sentative of the racial groups of Greater
Boston met at the home of Mrs. Will-
liam Lowell Putnam, Back Bay social
leader, and agreed that each will enter
at least four of their most beautiful
girls, thus lending the colorful inter-
national aspect.

DANCE OF NATIONS

Selected numbers of each group, in-
cluding in many cases the contest en-
tries, and numbering not more than 10
in all, will participate in the dance of
all nations, a feature of the entertain-
ment planned for the ball which will
present a veritable kaleidoscope of in-
teresting and unusual glimpses into the
home life of foreign lands.

From the big demand for tickets to
the affair, Russell Codman, Jr., gen-
eral chairman, predicted last night that
the expected attendance of 20,000 may
be exceeded. Requests for reservations
which have flooded his office at the
Chamber of Commerce indicate that
while a great number of the dancers
will wear costume, the preponderance
of the crowd will assume the role of
spectators and view the festivities from
vantage points on the main floor and
in the gallery. All seats are reserved.

BOSTON'S $400 TO AID

Prominent Boston society women who are interested in the Colonial
costume tercentenary ball, Oct. 17 at Boston Garden. Top row, left to right,
Miss Louise Fessenden, Mrs. Ronald Lyman, and Mrs. Henry Bohlen. Below,
Mrs. Powell Cabot.

Mayor Curley, honorary chairman, has from the proceeds of the ball and the
been added the support of the charter active participation of Boston's 400 in
pole organizations which are in need of the completion of arrangements to
secure the success of the affair.
Mayor Curley presents a bouquet to Carrol Swan.
Notables Review Legion's Greatest Parade
OUTSTANDING SOCIAL EVENT OF SEASON

The brilliant states dinner, the most outstanding social event of the national convention of the American Legion Auxiliary, was held last night at Symphony Hall with more than 1,500 guests present. Paris gowns mingled with quaint costumes representing epochs in the history of the various states. With the memory of three perfect convention days behind them, the auxiliary settled down for their evening of pleasure and mutual felicitation.

A highlight of the states replete with mementos of the days when they were admitted to the union was a glowing climax of an unforgettable evening. Each state was represented by a page bearing the standard of one couple dressed in a costume of the period when statehood was conferred upon them. The parade, paraded before the audience as the climax of the colorful evening. Each star of state and a couple dressed in costumes of the period when statehood was conferred upon them paraded before the audience. The pageant was arranged and directed by Miss Adelaide Fitzgerald, national president, and the dinner arrangements were handled by Mayor Curley and officials of the American Legion.

Everybody Took Part

It was a parade everybody participated in, whether he was in the middle of the street doing a drum major's strut, whether he was in a grandstand or whether he was one of those who stood among the 15-deep throngs that surged and surged and surged against the line of march.

There was a tumult and an experience in parade watching as the drum major's strut shook off the mobs that officials on the reviewing stand must keep. It is a grandstand seat holder's goal to be able to stand up at will. The others had to stand from beginning to end. It is a privilege of the multitude to stand anyway, and see if they can catch the excitement, catch the excitement, used yesterday. Like the bowing and waving distinguished guests, the interallied veterans and officials and the crowd continued to look for more as if the climax of happiness depended on the drum and bugle corps to come next.

Police Donnie Lunches

Wide ranges of marchers bore down on the expectant multitudes, who struggled back to give room. Many of them landed there by means of police cooperation with high hands in back that rescued tots from the feet and passed them along overhead for safe keeping. Genial policemen bought them sandwiches and pop. Sometimes they gave their away to them. When police, who have not eaten since early morning, will get their only chance for a sandwich disappeared, it becomes evident that a rare spirit of generosity is abroad, but they did it willingly, eating happily and smiling, as they took in another hole in their belts and remembered they were kids once.

Anybody who watched the parade continuously yesterday might as well have been in its as far as the effects of marching go. All a bystander latched are the blisters and there are bystanders who will wince at that sentiment. The din of bugles and drums, drum and bugles, bands and bugles and drums, plus the spectacle of endless lines of people passing rhythmically set up in everyone's nerves a rhythmic marching movement, that will not be shaken off in a night and another day.

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Sunflowers for Kansas

Kansas came next in line with all of its marchers wearing sunflowers in their lapels. Oregon appeared in wool skins, socks and shoes and carrying canes. Wisconsin had a drum and bugle band, a color guard, and auxiliary dressed in red velvet. The women wore red velvet jackets and white skirts. Then came the Wisconsin delegation, in 11 to 101 line with a collection of massed colors. Newport, N. H., appeared in Colonial uniforms, and that State also brought with it a tricks automobile which brought howls of laughter from the spectators. It reared up on its hind wheels. Its fenders folded up unexpectedly, and it did all kinds of tricks on the street.

The New Hampshire delegates were all equipped with canes and marched with them over their shoulders. The Rochester Bugle and Drum Corps was placed in tropical whites. Salem had in its center a replica of the 40 'n 8 car.

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Kansas came next in line with all of its marchers wearing sunflowers in their lapels. Oregon appeared in wool skins, socks and shoes and carrying canes. Wisconsin had a drum and bugle band, a color guard, and auxiliary dressed in red velvet. The women wore red velvet jackets and white skirts. Then came the Wisconsin delegation, in 11 to 101 line with a collection of massed colors. Newport, N. H., appeared in Colonial uniforms, and that State also brought with it a tricks automobile which brought howls of laughter from the spectators. It reared up on its hind wheels. Its fenders folded up unexpectedly, and it did all kinds of tricks on the street.

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George Washington rides

Next came the District of Columbia with silver helmets and bright blue uniforms; a group of pretty girls; the pick of the District of Columbia, apparently in natty uniforms of blue coats and white flannel shirts. George Washington rides a horse. He was also present in this delegation, mounted, with two men leading the horse.

Wisconsin had a delegation with a great coal truck with an Indian girl in costume sitting atop. The next delegation was Connecticut, another long one. The delegation was announced with a banner declared to be the greatest parade ever seen in Boston in 1775. It was the most gorgeous of all of the bands in line. Artillery and Mass Guards, in red coats, white breeches and low-cutting hats and plumes. The Ansonia Fife and Drum Corps attracted considerable attention, the Connecticut police in line drew a big hand. The delegations from Vermont were blue jackets and white trousers. The delegation from West Virginia was out of its place and Welcome Post, Danbury Fife and Drum Corps was a good showing in snappy uniforms and helmets. A small delegation from Colorado and a talking moving picture truck ended the first division.

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LONG FIRST DIVISION IS BLAZE OF COLOR

Slightly Delayed In Getting Away, It Depicts Glories of States Nearby and Far Away

The first division of 47 units reported at Massachusetts av and Beacon street at 8 o’clock yesterday morning. At 9, Massachusetts av from Beacon at across Harvard Bridge was crowded with thousands of men standing at ease, ranks waiting the word to go. Men were standing in ranks on side streets, seated in buses and street cars, awaiting the word which would dispatch them in their proper place in line. Floats were similarly standing by while messengers scurried from a headquarters tent.

The parade was late in getting under way yesterday morning for various reasons. Fractious horses dismounted a few drivers but without injuring them. At 10:20 the command ‘Forward March!’ was given and the biggest parade Boston has ever seen was under way.

Sergt Cain at the Head

The very first man in line, the man who led the parade, was Sergt Cain of the Boston Police Department, mounted and with a detail of mounted police following.

Then came the grand marshal of the parade, Maj. General Frank R. Deady of the National Commanders, who received, perhaps, more applause than anyone else in line, the Daddy of the 26th, Gen Clarence R. Edwards, mounted. Bringing up behind them were the staff; Chief of staff, Past Department Commander William H. Griffin; honorary chief of staff, Past Department Commander Edward L. Logan; assistant chief of staff, Capt Edward F. O’Dowd, O. R. C.; adjutant, Col George S. Penny; chief of aids, Col Charles A. Randlett. All were mounted.

Bringing up in the rear of them was an automobile with National Commander O. S. Bodenham and a group of distinguished guests. Falling in behind were a detachment of men from Battery B; then the Boston Navy Yard Band and a long turnout of marines and bluejackets, with bayonets fixed and glistening in the morning sun.

Cadets Newly Uniformed

Then came the 1st Corps Cadets in new uniforms of white and blue with high hats, plumes, and the band, stepping off from the starting point playing "Maryland, My Maryland." A banner announce the date of 1918, it was the first time since 1918.

Behind them came the 1st Corps was followed by the Lawrence Light Guard Engineers of Medford in horizon blue uniforms and colonial white caps, led by Col E E of the 1st Corps, stepping along to the Maine "Steam Song.”

Then came the champion Legion band, the Electric Post Band of Milwaukee, in bright blue uniforms and in hats blaring for the national colors and color guard. After the color guard came a dozen automobiles, more than a dozen decorated floats. In the first rode Mayor James M. Curley and Frank G. Allen in their tail tip hats, doffed them frequently and smiling genially at the crowd. The next came an automobile with the two foremost Generals associated with Legionnaires, Gen John Q. Pershing, who commanded the American troops, and Gen Henri Gou d, who commanded the first American units sent to France.

Other Cars Follow

Behind them came cars with some of Boston’s visiting celebrities, Gen William Hickie, Secretary of the Navy, and splendid Adams and Gen Foreman, with Col Thomas H. Midway of the 28th as a guard of honor. Several cars were the Commanders-in-Chief of the G. A. R. and the Confederate Veterans’ Association.

The main body of the parade followed behind. The first eight units were small ones from the United States possessions and foreign countries, among them Alaska, which appeared both at the head of the 1st Division and at the end of it, because its delegates decided so at the last minute. A few delegates from France, Hawaii, Italy, Mexico, Panama, Philippine Islands, Porto Rico and Canada, Panama and the Philippine Islands. The band of Arizona, a drum corps of youngsters who carry a banner announcing: “We want your votes on stretcher! Look at us now!”

Arizona made a long march to advertise the healthful properties of its climate. Another banner depicted a scene of the desert with reptiles, snakes and gila monsters in the line of march. The large tombstone advertised Tollstone, Ariz, and made a bid for a future convention there.

Dakotans in Red and White

Then came delegations from Wyoming and South Dakota. The Estelline, South Dakota, Fife and Bugle Corps was in white breeches, red tunics and shining black trousers. Behind them came the first Florida delegation. The entire delegation wore orange trench helmets and advertised the oranges of their State prominently. The Florida Bugle and Drum Corps was in white flannel uniforms with red leg bands, the women were in white polo coats and yellow. The men in the delegation wearing baby alligators and considerable fun with the women, making them shriek by waving them in their faces.

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Nebraska was next in line with an excellent and spectacular women’s drill team in white flannels, cadet tunics and red and white visored caps. They entertained crowds all along the line of march by trick drills and formations, never losing step or beat and keeping right up with the procession.

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CROWDS SEE WILD NIGHT ON STREETS

Bonfires Made From Paper—City a Gay Carnival

The big crowds that jammed the streets last night after the parade, filled with a wild carnival spirit of hilarity, milled their way around town until after midnight this morning.

Never before in Boston's history, has Boston witnessed such a sight. Roadside ran wild, tipped over automobiles, started impromptu bonfires by piling up huge masses of the paper that littered the streets, and otherwise made themselves obnoxious. Difficulties on the streets were frequent and there was no attempt to hide the most profuse display of bottled goods.

In addition to the tons of paper that a small army of workmen labored to clear from the streets over which the parade passed, old boxes, crates, wooden pails, etc., that had been used as seats during the parade, were left on the streets.

Hooligans caused grave danger by scooping up armfuls of the paper debris and amothering automobile drivers as they guided their cars through the heavy traffic. In many instances the driver was completely covered, and his vision was blunted. Fortunately the operators of these cars had sense enough to bring their cars to an immediate stop until they had cleared their vision.

Vet's Fun, Good-Natured

But while there was a good deal of obnoxious crowding on the part of young men who were too young to be legionnaires, the veterans themselves, for the most part, confined their gaiety to good-natured fun.

They pulled off all kinds of stunts and seemed to take a great deal of delight in the snarl of traffic, but there was nothing malicious in their behavior.

Stotler park was a scene of wild confusion as legionnaires, their friends and others from rooms in the Hotel Stotler on the Columbus avenue side fairly drenched passers-by below. Water was being tossed out the windows in quantities that would rival a heavy rain fall.

Attractive looking girls riding in automobiles seemed to be particular targets of the water throwers. Police and others along the sidewalk in addition to being unable to cope with the problem received a thorough drenching.

The grandstands along Columbus avenue were practically jammed with cheering spectators, who seemed to be getting a tremendous "kick" out of it all.

Grandstands Jammed

Post 10/8/30

The skill and ability with which Mayor James M. Curley handles crowds and his admirable stage presence are among his most noted qualities. Last night his boxers added to his glory by revealing a hitherto concealed talent for boxing. The mayor rewarded the most brilliant with bouquets of flowers which he gracefully presented the leaders as the tribute of Comdr. Bodenhamer.

It is safe to say that every available spot from which the parade could be viewed was occupied from morning till night. Yesterday, in fact, where windows overlooked the route from distances up to a quarter of a mile they were filled with eager faces.
“TEDDY” KENYON
QUEEN OF THE AIR

Chestnut Hill Matron Wins Cup and $300 Gold at Airport---Fliers Give Crowd Day of Thrills

WINS MISS AMERICA AVIATION TROPHY

Left to right: Mrs. Jean Hoyt, second prize winner; Mayor James M. Curley and Mrs. Cecil "Teddy" Kenyon, who won first place and title of Miss America.

It was a comely young matron from Chestnut Hill who dropped out of the clouds in her tiny biplane and "stole the show" yesterday at the American Legion air meet at the East Boston Airport. She is Mrs. Cecil W. Kenyon, better known as "Teddy" of 370 Chestnut Hill avenue, Brighton, a woman pilot of the eight contestants for the honors proved herself the queen of the American skies by her skilful performance in the air and her general ability as a pilot.

WINS $300 GOLD

As a tribute to her accomplishments, Mrs. Kenyon, after being selected by the judges, was awarded a loving cup and a prize of $200 in gold and the title, Miss America of the Air. She was conferred upon her. Mayor Curley made the presentation before a crowd of several thousand spectators. He presented another cup and a prize of $200 in gold to Mrs. Jean D. Hoyt of Winchester, winner of second honors.

The selection of "Miss America of the Air" and the awarding of the prizes by the Mayor were the outstanding features of the Legion air meet's third day—a day that was crowded with spectacles and thrills, which despite the presence of President Hoover to town, drew thousands to the airport and at times had virtually all of Boston gazing away.

Throughout the day and even after nightfall the air was filled with the roar of planes that climbed and dived, twisted and swooped in every direction to fill the spectators with awe. Planes shot to the ground with high dignitaries of the nation aboard and with aviators of the greatest renown at the controls.

NOTABLE GUESTS IN GREAT PARADE

First car—National Commander Bodenhamer, Governor Allen, Mayor Curley, Secretary of War Hurley.

Second car—General Pershing, General Gouraud, General Hickie, General Foreman.

Third car—Secretary of the Navy Adams, Admiral Benson, Colonel Abbott, Colonel LaFleche.

Fourth car—Commander-in-Chief Jewell of the G. A. R.

Fifth car—Governors of New England States.

Sixth car—Massachusetts War veteran Congressmen.

BRING MAYOR MESSAGE ON PIECE OF COAL

One of the unusual features in connection with the Legion convention was the appearance yesterday afternoon at City Hall of a delegation of Legionnaires, with their crack bugle and drum corps, from the anthracite coal region in Scranton, Pa.

After duly serenading the Mayor, as the assembly of hundreds of cheering spectators stood around, the delegation, through P. L. Magee of Local No. 2, 40 and 28 in Lackawanna, presented the Mayor with an unusual souvenir. It was a message engraved on a large piece of anthracite coal.
President Bodenhamer thanked the President for the "rare privilege" of having his attendance at the convention.

The President reached Boston at 9:30 a.m., and was accorded a warm reception by several thousand Legionnaires gathered in the vicinity of the Back Bay station.

As the seven-car presidential special roared to a stop the first reverberations of the 21-gun presidential salute thundered across the city, the Fairmount, W. Va., Legion Band lined up in front of the station and played "Hail to the Chief," and overhead four army planes zoomed in echelon formation.

OFFICIAL WELCOME

With President and Mrs. Hoover in the party were George Akerson, the President's secretary; Miss Ruth Fesler, secretary to Mrs. Hoover; Capt. C. R. Train, naval aide; Col. C. B. Hedges, army aide; William M. Butler, Republican senatorial nominee; secret service operatives and Washington newspaper correspondents.

Mayor Curley and Gov. Allen were the first to greet the President and Mrs. Hoover as they stepped off the observation platform. With the two officials in the reception committee were Col. Carroll J. Swan, director of the Legion convention activities; Congressman Edith Nourse Rogers of Lowell, John Richardson of the distinguished citizens' committee and Mary Curley, daughter of the mayor.

The "First Lady" smilingly accepted a huge bouquet tendered by Miss Curley.

The extraordinary precautions taken to guard against a repetition of the Cleveland Communist demonstration on the occasion of the President's visit there last week had resulted in the clearing of the entire lower level of the Back Bay station of all except the reception committee and newspapermen.

On the upper level several thousand legionnaires in uniform were gathered and outside the station, in Dartmouth st., the First Corps of Cadets was drawn up as the escort of honor.

The reception throng lined Dartmouth st. eight and 10 deep and massed on the two bridges. President and Mrs. Hoover walked to the upper level from the train platform of the station. The President doffed his silk hat to the legionnaires, who stood on the station waiting room seats to cheer him as he walked through to the cars lined up in Dartmouth st.

JOYOUS WELCOME

In their motor, proceeding to the Copley-Plaza hotel the President and the First Lady were escorted by eight motorcycle policemen with the secret service men immediately preceding and following and Richard Jarvis, the President's special guard, standing on the running board of the presidential car.

Through the lanes of cheering thousands with uniforms bright, spatterings of color in the sun, the presidential party was whisked to Copley sq. and around to the Trinity pl. entrance to the Copley-Plaza.

In the square in front of the hotel the crack Harper-Van Dyke legion band of Detroit played "Hail to the Chief" and then formed in the hotel lobby to render "Over There" and "Hinky, Dinky" as the President and Mrs. Hoover stepped into an elevator and were whisked to the sixth floor private suite of Arthur R. Race, the hotel manager. The entire floor was reserved for them.

3 ADDRESSES HERE

At the hotel while resting before his start for the Arena to address the veterans, President Hoover received former President Calvin Coolidge and Mrs. Coolidge. Louis K. Liggett, Republican national committeeman, was another caller.

Senatorial Candidate Butler had joined the presidential party at Providence for breakfast on the train.

Other callers at the president's suite included Hanford MacNider, American minister to Canada and former national commander of the Legion; Leverett Saltonstall, speaker of the House; Mrs. Nathaniel W. Thayer, Republican national committeewoman from Massachusetts; John S. Lawrence of the New England Council and Gen. Milton J. Foreman of Chicago, first commander of the Legion.

During the wait for the President's start for the convention, the Harper-Van Dyke band continued its serenade in Copley sq. and several thousand Legionnaires remained perched on the square and Trinity pl. sides of the hotel.

In addition to his Legion address, President Hoover attended the Governor's luncheon at the Copley-Plaza and later in the day will address the American Federation of Labor convention at Hotel Statler.

Facing the war veterans at the Boston Arena, Mr. Hoover urged the legion to "renew and expand" its mission of citizenship through the teaching in every community of the essentials of good-will toward foreign peoples, that the foundations of government is respect for law and the road to self-government is through "discharge of our obligations at the ballot box."

PART OF SAFETY

"We need," he said, "the teaching of the essentials of good-will toward other nations in every community—that the foundations of peace arise from the sense of justice within the citizenry of a nation.

"We need the teaching that the foundation of government is respect for law. A quickened interest on the part of the community can insist upon proper enforcement of law, can arouse public opinion, while an amelioration of lawlessness remains unchecked in that community.

"You can impress upon the citizens that the road of self-government is through the discharge of our obligations at the ballot box; to understand that the basis of defense is a willingness to serve in our citizen soldiery; actively to participate in these and a multitude of duties of citizens—all are an inseparable part of the safety and progress of the nation.

"Through your local posts you can awaken the minds of the communities throughout our nation to a higher ideal of citizenship."
The American Legion Auxiliary, which is represented in Boston by 55,000 women, opened its greatest national convention with much pomp yesterday at Symphony Hall. Greetings from distinguished guests continued until a late hour last night.

**GREETED BY ALLEN**

Governor Allen paid them an unexpected visit in the afternoon and he was congratulated by the auxiliary on his 50th birthday anniversary which fell on the opening of the convention. He told the women they would appreciate his one regret and that was that Mrs. Allen could not be with him yesterday because of the birth 10 days ago of a daughter. Mrs. Donald Macrae, president, presented and introduced the distinguished guests.

The Iowa delegation presented Mrs. Macrae with a Queen Anne chair of walnut, which will be known as the "President’s Chair" at national headquarters in Indianapolis after Mrs. Macrae leaves. It will be used in Boston for the duration of the convention.

Commander O. L. Bodenhamer of the Legion paid tribute to the Auxiliary and said that the women could be depended upon at all times for financial support. He thanked them for a check of $30,000 which they sent him for rehabilitation work in the Legion.

**Hub Has “Made Good”**

Mrs. Eliza London Shepard, sister of the late Jack London, brought greetings from California and expressed the hope that Los Angeles might welcome them. "Remember, if Detroit doesn’t want you, we want you," she said. She spoke about the perfect Boston weather, saying that if it is always as it has been, California will have to join hands with Massachusetts. "We were promised everything last year at Louisville by the Bostonians, and they have made it very good to every respect even to the weather."

In the evening the greetings continued. Mrs. Franklin Lee Bishop of Massachusetts received the guests. They were Mrs. L. L. Townes of Virginia, and Mrs. Dorothy Harper of the District of Columbia.

President Hoover told the 12th annual convention of the American Legion here today that the "peace of our country has never stood more assured than at this moment," and the realization of the Legionnaires’ ideal to promote peace and good will through active citizenship “is the greatest guaranty of its continuance.”

A wild outburst of cheering, stamping of feet and whistling, mingled with beating of drums and a cascade of sound from the brass instruments of all the bands greeted President and Mrs. Hoover as they stepped upon the platform. The ovation lasted 10 minutes.

Both the President and Mrs. Hoover stepped to the front of the stage and bowed in silent acknowledgment of the thunderous applause. All in the crowd were on their feet. Hats were rocketing through the air.
Little Mary Curley Central Figure in Court of Honor

Slim little Mary Curley, who has become Boston's official hostess, was the target for admiring eyes in the Court of Honor today.

Dressed in a chio little black frock banded with ermine touches and wearing a smart little tricorn hat that breathed Paris all over it, with its white coquilette, she helped keep little brother George Curley in his seat and answer his eager, thousand-and-one questions.

HATFUL FOR THE MAYOR

There was a spirit of good humor among the marchers and the millions who cheered them. But the humor did not overlap the dignity. There were many humorous incidents.

For instance, the Florida delegation had a baby crocodile. Mayor Curley, at the Court of Honor, held out his hat in salute. The crocodile landed in the hat.

And the parade had its moments of seriousness as, for instance, when it swung past the reviewing stand where the Legion had provided seats and lunches for the Gold Star Mothers. It was "Eyes right!" past that stand, and tears dimmed many an eye.

Yes, the Legion marched.

The groups of planes, staging the biggest air demonstration of the day, were the first pursuit group of Selfridge Field, Michigan, consisting of 18 high powered fast pursuit planes, a unit of the second bombardment group from Langley Field, Virginia, consisting of six large twin engine bombing planes, and a unit of the first observation group of Mitchel Field, New York, consisting of from nine to 15 fast and powerful observation planes.

A day which bristled with excitement. Navy cutter races on the Charles River, football game between Boston College and the Quantico Marines, contests for drill teams, corps, bands and singing contests, and ideas to gold star mothers, was scheduled. A highlight was the parade of the 40 'n 8, traditional during which Rudy Vallee, radio crooner, will march chained to Andrew J. "Bossy" Gil- liss, "bad boy" mayor of staid old Newburyport.

EL DORADO, Texas, was given a tumultuous reception at the arena, Vallec and Gilla

MARINES AND SAILORS

From Portland, Me., the Fifth Infantry came to join the military escort and behind them marched detachments of marines and sailors from the navy yard.

Then the First Corps of Cadets with their crack band and behind them the Wectric Post Band of Milwaukee in blue uniforms and gold-braided caps.


The first band was the Drum and Bugle Corps of Franklin Post, Phila., a "private" initial of all the Legion's musical groups.

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The speakers dwell on the appropriateness of the hall for such a service, told how the World War troops emulated their forefathers who gave their lives in defence of liberty.

In the height of last evening's...
BOSTON ECHOES WITH CHEERS FROM 2 MILLION THROATS

Sun Shines Forth

It was cool and at first the skies were overcast. But after the sun came out after the start and the skies cleared as they did over the battlefields one November past all forgetting, it was weather to make the Legionnaires step out—and they did. The head of the parade reached the finish line in eight minutes less than two hours after the start.

Into the city long before marching time, New England poured its thousands for the pageant. It was a Greater Boston holiday, with schools and stores closed, business suspended, streets jammed with humanity along the route, all vehicles excluded from the downtown district, 2000 police and the Legion “M.P.’s” struggling with crowds throughout the day to keep the narrow lane of march cleared.

It was a gathering and a parade of the men who lead in war as well as the men who lead in peace. For riding at the head of the great outpouring of the veterans was Gen. John J. Pershing, who directed their parade of the men who lead in war as well as those who lead in state and state.”

His Last Lead

There was General Clarence R. “Daddy” Edwards, General Hickie, the Irish leader; Colonel Brown, who heads the British Legion, riding with Secretary of the Navy Charles Francis Adams. Governor Allen and the chief executives of eight other states. Commanders A. L. Bodenhamer, riding for the last time as the head of the American Legion.

The city itself was in its grand dress, decorated as never before in 200 years of history. Myriads of flags strung across the streets, waving in the breeze, flags and bunting fluttered across the flag of nearly every building along the route, in a profusion of patriotic color.

Overhead planes roared across the sky. Its colors, white, blue, and the dirigible Los An-

WARTIME MELODIES

Boston throbbed with the music of those 300 bands. It flowed over the heads of the crowd. It rose, echoing from the downtown can-
von walls. From this tramp of feet, over the city, like one sustained note. It was composed for the most part of those songs of the war that cling to the men who went to war, associated with war’s hardships and sorrows and its light-drawn mask of protest humor.

“Hinky, Dinky Parley Voo!”, “The Long, Long Trail” of poignant recollection, the with its swing of the “Marseillaise.”

Over There”—ah, yes, over there! My Boy Was a Song—That song, oh, yes, “The Stein Song.” They played that, too.

The Legion marched! The parade of the men who lead in war as well as the men who lead in state and state.”

$500,000 in Paper Snowstorm

Down lower Beacon and School st., the reviewing stand at City Hall with the crowd deep and backing up into the intersecting thoroughfares, straining at ropes. Young America sat on the curbstones.

GRAND ARMY MEN THERE

Down Washington st. to Dock sq., where 75,000 persons stood in close proximity to old Faneuil hall and watched the lines flow beneath the Tercentennial arch, the Republicans, the state and Federal halls, with the paper snowstorm at its height. Through crowded Summer st. and Winter st.—closed to all—down Tremont st., past the reviewing stands and State House, seating 25,000.

In those stands on Tremont st., there were Gold Star mothers who saw beyond the swinging lines that passed before them. In them, too, were grand old veterans of the Civil War.

Dark blue and gold, light blue and white, apple green and red, the skirts and the capes of the auxiliary groups flowed behind them.

AS IN DAYS OF WAR

The Legion marched! And one did not need a vivid imagination to visualize the unison of the bands of the martyred dead swinging along there beside the Legionnaires, shoulder to shoulder with them in the march through life.

Their heads up, their eyes to that steady tramp of feet, that never forgot by those who cheering it, thrilled to it, caught up in the emotion it inspired. Along the line of the marching stands had sprung up among those on parade, shoulder to shoulder with them in the march through life.

The heaviest crowd congestion over the entire route was along Beacon st. from Berkeley to Tremont and along Tremont from Winter to Boylston st., from the starting point to Berkeley, pure of room for spectators needed but to close his eyes to that steady tramp of feet, that have not forgotten how to march and visualize those men a dozen years ago—moving up! Moving up through the blood and mud of the Argonne, of Chateau Thierry, of Belleau Wood.

Yet, the Legion marched! A spectacle never to be forgotten by those 2,000,000 who cheered it, thrilled to it, caught up in the emotion it inspired.
States Dinner of Legion Auxiliary Comes Tonight

Social Event of Convention to Be Held in Symphony Hall with Distinguished Guests; Nomination Day Tomorrow; Elections Thursday

The biggest social event of the week for the American Legion auxiliary is the states dinner which will be held tonight at Symphony Hall, with Mrs. Donald Macrae, the national president, as toastmistress.

COSTUMED PROCESSIONAL

The 1140 guests will be seated by states, each table being decorated elaborately to represent its state. During the evening, a one-minute toast will be given by the department president of each state. A procession made up of one couple from each state, costumed in the dress of the year in which the state was admitted to the union will be a feature.

Distinguished guests at the dinner will include:

Lt.-Col. and Mrs. Fred W. Abbott of Great Britain, retiring president of the Interallied Veterans' Federation; Signor Giovanni Baccarini, representative of the Italian World War Veterans; Admiral William Benson; O. L. Bodenhamer, national commander of the American Legion; Mme. Maurice Bremard of France; Col. John Brown, chairman of the British Legion; Lady Edward Spencer-Churchill, chairman of the women's section of the British Legion; Mayor James M. Curley and Miss Curley of Boston; Mme. De Dvelliac of France; Gen. Henri Gouraud of France; Gen. Sir William Hickey, chairman of the Irish section of the British Legion; Gen. Frank T. Hines, director of veterans affairs; Mrs. Lowell F. Hobart, president-general of the D.A.R.

OTHER NOTABLES

Patrick J. Hurley, secretary of war; General O. Husak, representing the world war veterans of Czechoslovakia; James E. Jewel, national commander of the Grand Army of the Republic; M. Henri Leveque, of Belgium; Mayor Rene L'Hopital, of France; Harford MacNider, minister of Canada and Mrs. MacNider; Mme. Julie de Mazarakis, of Poland; president of the women's auxiliary of Fidae; Dr. B. Mihailovitch, of Yugoslavia; Surgeon-General and Mrs. C. E. Rugg; Mrs. Edith Nourse Rogers, congresswoman from Massachusetts, who will represent the Governor of Massachusetts; Dr. Virgil Sertlak, of Roumania; M. Casimir Smogorzewski, of Poland and Lt.-Col. Vascenczels of Portugal.

The business sessions of the auxiliary convention will continue Wednesday and Thursday. Candidates for national officers will be nominated Wednesday and the election will take place at the closing session Thursday afternoon.

GOURAUD, PERSHING WILDLY ACCLAIMED

Famous War Leaders Ride Side by Side Along Route

Not even New England's own got a warmer welcome in the parade than that accorded the Legion's most distinguished guests, Gen John J. Pershing, commander of the A. E. F. and the French General, Henri J. Gouraud, the "Lion of the Argonne."

As the car carrying the two generals passed, cheers and handclappings rose from the packed stands, from the jammed sidewalks, and from roofs and windows, where lucky spectators held box seats for the big parade.

Men and women in the towering stands along Beacon st stood while the generals passed. So did many of those whose only seat was the curb.

Few men have had such a spontaneous tribute.

Both Manifest Appreciation

Both men showed, each in his own way, that they were moved by the greeting. "Black Jack's" usually rather grim face was smiling broadly as he acknowledged the shouts and applause. Occasionally he spoke to his companion, apparently pointing out someone or something to the French commander. Gen Gouraud, too, was almost constantly raising his hand to the visor of his cap, and his grave, bearded face was softened by smiles. Ahead of the car which carried the two generals was that of Gov. Allen and Mayor Curley. With them rode National Commander O. L. Bodenhamer, head of the Legion, and Secretary of War Patrick J. Hurley. In the third car were Charles Francis Adams, Secretary of the Navy, Gen Sir William Hickey of the Irish Free State, and Gen Milton J. Foreman of Chicago, former National Commander of the Legion.

Prominent Civic Leaders

Governor Frank G. Allen, Col. O. L. Bodenhamer, Legion national commander, and Mayor James M. Curley, left to right, as they rode in their machine near the head of the great Legion parade yesterday. All along the line a tumultuous ovation was extended to the three.
Riding Together in an Automobile, Mr. Allen (at left), Commander O. L. Bodenhamer of the Legion and Mr. Curley Frequently were called upon to Acknowledge the Applause

Curley's Street "Dream"
It Merits Boston's Ardent Support

For those who attack Mayor Curley's $25,000,000 street development plan as fantastical, chimerical and impossible of achievement we have utterly no patience.

Impossible, indeed?

"It can't be done," has been the cry of the reactionaries and unimaginative from the dawn of the first day.

The first locomotive was "chimerical." At the outlandish speed of twelve miles an hour it would play havoc with the country and slaughter all the people.

The airship was "fantastical." The Wright Brothers were loco.

The telephone and the telegraph were the "works of the devil." Bell and Farmer and Morse, examples of sorcery and witchcraft, should have been burned at the stake.

Folks tapped their foreheads significantly and pointed at Columbus with scorn when he set out on his memorable adventure. He was a "visionary" and "dreamer," they said.

Well, let us have some of this "dreaming." Where would we have been without it!

Instead of standing off and pelting rocks at Mayor Curley's plan, let's all get together and put it across. Modern Boston needs it, if traffic congestion ever is to be eliminated and if the city is to maintain its rank in the forefront of American municipalities. Modern Boston does not heed the "it can't be done."
Hundreds of Bands and Drum Corps in Bright Uniforms Thrill Crowd

Features Numerous

Ideal Weather Contributes to Pleasure of Veterans and Their Admirers

To Last Until Evening

Massachusetts Posts Are at the End of the Long Line of Marchers

Two Million Spectators

The vast throng was delighted. In an almost insufferable press, bands of men, women and children stood their ground on both sides of the long route. It was officially estimated by Police Commissioner Holtman that 2,000,000 spectators, and as, hour after hour, the Legionnaires paraded in review, the throng gave no evidence of tiring. In fact, its enthusiasm seemed to mount as it proceeded to the finish. The police handling was excellent. Spectators were given every possible advantage by the officers, but were kept back of the ropes and were not permitted to encroach upon the marching space. In the handling of a great mass of marchers such as this, one of the most difficult situations at the finish. Although confronted with the problem of keeping the units going until they reached the dismissal point and with the necessity of not clogging the outflow, the police handled the situation efficiently and kept dispersing the thousands of marchers through the South End way to make room for others. A great many of those who had covered the route in the early sections of the parade, returned downtown and increased the already densely-crowded throng along the route.

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Meantime, as the forenoon advanced, all along the line of march, the crowds began to gather and long for the time for the beginning of the big procession. The grandstands were filled, windows and other points of advantage were crowded and those not so fortunate as to have secured a preferred position hummed the stirring music playing, the wind made conditions ideal for marching, but not as comfortable for the spectators, who settled themselves for an all day stay.

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Long Line Gets Away at 10.20

The parade started at 10.20 after a rather confused half-hour of waiting. Sergeant Cain of the Boston police department and eight men led off the line of march. Directly behind this squad came the Electric Post Band of Milwaukee, led by Sergeant Michael Sullivan of South Boston. They started off in the rain and had to be stopped again because the horse of Post Commander Paul V. McNutt was scared by the band. The commandant then took a horse of his own that was mounted by a Legionnaire. Frontal a Legionnaire volunteered his services and the commander went his way, the horse becoming more fearless. Behind Commander McNutt came General Clarence R. Edwards, "Daddy of the Twenty-sixth." He was accompanied by Lieutenant General Edward L. Logan, who had stopped the start of the parade a few moments so that he might be photographed riding his horse "Dandy," because he said this was the last time he would ever ride that horse.

Before the start of the parade, cars containing the Governor, Curley, Governor Allen and Commander Bodenhamer of the Legion, and several other cars loaded with dignitaries who were in the parade, came up Beacon street. They were given a great ovation by the crowd. All the windows along the whole length of Beacon street were crowded; there were people on the roofs.

The first of the parade formed at Harvard Bridge in hazy October weather. On the bridge were Marines from the Navy Yard, men of the Fifth Infantry and the First Corps of Cadets in their light blue-uniforms. The bridge was clear by 10 o'clock.

Milwaukee Band Plays "Stein Song"

The band music was the University of Maine "Stein Song" by the Milwaukee band.

"Is this your Rudy Vallee coming?" one woman asked another.

Several bands could be heard in the distance in side streets playing this tune which seems to have become the official marching song.

Among those seen watching the parade at the headquarters tent in front of the Herrick's house on Beacon street was Colonel Eben E. Draper, resplendent in a blue Legion uniform and bare-headed. Great amusement was afforded the crowd impatiently waiting for the start of the parade when two miniature cars slipped under the police line and dashed down Beacon street.

Police arrangements at the start of the parade were perfect. Twenty men were under the command of Captain Mosher and Sergeant Michael Sullivan of South Boston. There were several people in automobiles on Beacon street who were chartering three dollars for the privilege of standing in their windows.

Lunch and Supper Too

Beacon street probably has never seen such a crowd as it did today. Men, women and children not only brought their lunches but many of them came families of people tried to keep together and wrapped the selves up in automobile blankets which they brought along.

The sun had not reached Beacon street until long after the parade started. As the chief marshal and his aide went down the street hats came off and the people who, up to then, had been quiet and orderly
Burro Presented to Mayor Curley by Legionnaires of Arizona

Left to Right—Hal Crimsaw, Jack Halstead, Mayor James M. Curley, Jack Aldous, Lyman Kidoo, Bud Conley, George H. Curtis, M. V. Coffey

‘Miss Arizona,’ Legion Burro, Given To Curley; Now in Franklin Park

Mayor Curley became the owner yesterday of Miss Arizona, the four months old burro, which Legionnaires of that state have shown about the city since Sunday night.

The mayor immediately made Park Commissioner Long the custodian of the little burro and it was added to the group of animals at Franklin Park.

The burro has been riding around town in taxicabs with Hal Crimsaw, of Douglas, Arizona, who also brought the menagerie of reptiles from the desert, which attracted much attention in the parade Tuesday.

There was a constant procession of department commanders and visiting members of the Legion to the mayor’s office yesterday. It seemed as if every delegation had instructed its commander to make a formal call on the mayor.

Most of them gave him souvenirs of their states. Arkansas presented a watermelon, weighing 160 pounds which the mayor sent to the Hospital for Crippled Children.

In return the mayor gave every caller an autographed photograph and he lost no chance to sell Boston to the visitors.

Among the visitors who attracted attention were Maj. Gen. Fox Conner, new commander of the 1st Corps Area, Commander-in-chief James E. Jewell of Colorado of the Grand Army, and Capt. Sidney G. Grumpertz of New York and Sergt. Benjamin Kaufman of Trenton, N. J., who Boston escorts declared are the only two soldiers of Jewish parentage who were awarded the Congressional medal of honor.

Ohio Legionnaires Pay Visit to Curley

A new gavel from Ohio wood was promised Mayor Curley by official representatives of the Ohio American Legion delegation who called on the mayor at city hall yesterday. The legionnaires brought the greetings of Gov. Cooper of Ohio, and regretted that they had been too busy with legion convention details to arrange for a gift to Boston’s mayor. In the party were Dudley White, Ohio state commander; Walter Trask, liaison officer; Alvin Geary, state finance officer, and Capt. P. H. Pullarow.
Stadium Sunday—Italian Dedication of Columbus Park

MO Parades are the most elaborate ever planned. Sunday will witness the dedication of Columbus Park, South Boston, and the formal turning over of the park by Chairman William P. Long of the park department, and on Monday there will be two parades, first, that of the police department and later that of Italian societies.

The city's leading guests for the celebration will be Ambassador Giacomo de Martino of Italy. Mayor Curley will preside at the Columbus Park ceremonies. He will be introduced by John B. Archibald, chairman of the Columbus Day committee. Indians will first appear and then will enter Columbus and his followers, Rt. Rev. Richard J. Haberlin, D.D., V.G., will give the invocation.

Following the presentation and acceptance of the stadium will be a display of the flags of Italy and the Part of America. The event will be followed by the invocation of the national flags, with the choristers and band offering "Keep on Hoping," after which there will be an all-American feature with flags of all countries and a military and naval escort of the American flag to the central position.

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Mayor to Call Help to Locate Civic Centre

Mayor Curley yesterday announced that prominent business and professional men of the city will be called in to help a committee he appointed some time ago for the selection of a site for a civic centre in Boston. Ralph Adams Cram, Boston architect, is head of the Mayor's committee.

The committee has reported, Mr. Curley announces, that it is evenly divided as to where the location should be.

CITY HALL AND AUDITORIUM

The two sites favored are, it is announced, some place in downtown Boston and in the vicinity of Broadway, South End. The committee, which conferred yesterday with the Mayor on the matter, reported that it has visited several sections of the city and that it was given the matter much time and study. Efforts to avoid the even division of opinion could not be removed, it was mentioned.

Mayor Curley announced that a report of the committee's work will be made later this week. The Mayor also said that at that time prominent Bostonians who are interested in the project will be invited to discuss the matter. A new City Hall to cost $5,000,000 and an auditorium to be erected at a cost of $7,500,000 are included in the civic center which would be put up at some future date.

Preferences South End

The Mayor stated that the money for the construction of the auditorium will probably be furnished from the George Robert White Fund.

In discussing the matter yesterday the Mayor declared himself to be in favor of some suitable spot in the South End for the location of the proposed civic centre. He expressed himself as being against putting the civic centre in some intown congested area where valuations are high. The Mayor said he believes that if the proposed centre were put in reasonably close proximity to rapid transit lines that the valuation of property in the neighborhood of the centre would jump appreciably in the South End.

A War Memorial

The Mayor also expresses the hope that arrangements will be made whereby a suitable war memorial will be erected by the city in testimonial to the efforts of those who fought for their country.

With reference to where the most suitable location of the civic centre should be, the Mayor pointed out that although he at the present time personally favors the South End he is anxious to secure as many and diversified views and opinions on the matter from qualified experts as possible.

CHECKERS ON COMMON TODAY

Champion Banks to Give Blindfold Exhibition

Newell W. Banks, American checker champion a prominent member of the Detroit Legion, made a call yesterday at City Hall on Mayor Curley and was presented a key to the City by the chief executive.

The mayor also promised to give every assistance for the exhibition which Banks will stage for the Legion on Boston Common today and tomorrow. The champion will play blindfolded, chess and checkers, against all comers. Legionnaires and in addition to the regular playing tables he intends to have several large vertical platforms on which boards can be placed and the pieces moved by means of pins set in the squares. In this way thousands can watch the play on the various boards which are hung on the walls but at outdoors play the vertical platforms take the place of walls. The mayor said he hoped to be present today to start the play.

DISAGREE ON SITE FOR CITY HALL

New Sewer Will Clean Up Savin Beach

The fight of Dorchester residents to have conditions at Savin Hill beach improved was crowned with victory yesterday when Mayor Curley answered their plea for assistance by approving an order for the construction of a new sewer to take the overflow from catch basins in that section away from the vicinity of the beach.

Since the various improvements in the vicinity of the beach were made the matter of sewage disposal has been a constant problem. Swimming at the beach has been almost impossible at times. With the construction of the new sewer it is hoped conditions will be much improved.

The sewer will be 960 feet long, seven feet six inches wide, and six feet, 10 inches high. It is estimated that it will cost $146,000.

LEGION LEADER PRAISES BOSTON

Bodenhafer Thanks City For Welcome and Treatment of Veterans

LAUDS POLICE FOR AIDING EX-FIGHTERS
FIRE APPARATUS MONOPOLY HIT

Secret investigations by the finance commission will result in determined efforts to break the fire apparatus contract monopoly which has extended over a period of years, and to stop the department of school buildings from paying exorbitant prices for allegedly superior floor oil which analysis reveals consists of linseed oil, water and a small percentage of dryer.

The custom of paying the American-La France Fire Apparatus Company prices for apparatus purchased annually, which are reported to be in excess of prices paid by other cities, has been the subject of a searching investigation by the commission.

It has been revealed that Joseph Webber, son of a former chief of the Boston department and at one time a lieutenant assigned as aide to the late Chief John A. Mullen, has always negotiated the sales of apparatus to Boston.

The inquiry has disclosed that Boston does not buy apparatus equipped at the factory. Other cities receive full equipment, but Boston, according to the investigation, buys ladders, trucks, without ladders, and pumping engines and hose carts, which are without equipment.

In explanation of the continuance of the monopoly of the American-La France company, it has been reported to the commission that a board of experts, during the Peters administration, advised standardization of apparatus, and approved that made by the American-La France company. Since then no other manufacturers have been able to obtain consideration.

THAT "SECRET" FORMULA
Inquiry into the purchase of floor oil by the department of school buildings uncovered a repetition of the "Tylose" and "Repello" cases of recent years. The attention of Superintendent of Construction Louis K. Rourke was called to the situation weeks ago, but recent bills of his department show that the practice of paying from $5.50 to $7.50 per ton for oil, purported to be mixed in accordance with a secret formula, has not been discontinued.

The finance commission does not contemplate that the oil fails to keep the floors in satisfactory condition, but the payment of an exorbitant price for a mixture which chemists have reported is 82 per cent linseed oil and the balance water, with a small percentage of dryer, is considered to impose an unnecessary burden upon the taxpayers.

All of the contracts to "treat" schoolhouse floors are given a Charlestown resident, who has insisted to the finance commission that he has a secret formula by which he mixes the ingredients. The analytical reports do not show that there is any secrecy about the preparation.

WILL THANK MAYOR FOR HOSPITALITY TO LEGION

Two State Commanders Will Call at City Hall Today

Edward J. Neary of Westbury, L. I., New York state commander of the American Legion, and Dudley White, Ohio state commander, will call on Mayor Curley this morning to thank him for the city's hospitality during the national convention.

The provost-marshal credited New York's delegation of 18,000 members with being second largest to Massachusetts here. New York sent 36 bugle and drum corps and 12 bands, including the Buffalo drum corps which won second prize at the national convention at Paris in 1927, the Illion bugle and drum corps, New York state champions, the Saber band of Rochester, state champions, and the Onondaga bugle and drum corps, former state champions.

Curley's Hat Menaced As He Boards Frigate

Mayor Curley arrived late for the rededication of the old ship Constitution which sailed on the harbor yesterday. The gangplank had already been hauled up, but lowered again, and the mayor entered the ship through a small, square gun port, with imminent danger to his silk hat.

and drum corps, former state champions.

Ohio's delegation included the Canton band, national prize winner in 1929, and official Ohio band; Kent drum corps, second prize winners of the state and Elyria drum corps, three times state champions. Ohio sent 1500 delegates.

SULLIVAN ANSWERS CONTRACTORS' PROTEST

The protest of the executive committee of the Association of General Contractors of America against the use of day labor on the construction of Governor in the extension of the state capital was brought sharp reply from Col. Thomas F. Sullivan, chairman of the transit commission, yesterday.

"By doing the job with day labor, we have been able to furnish employment to a great many men in dire need of work," he said. "We were also able to start the job immediately after the necessary arrangements had been made, but if the work had been let on a contract, months if not a year would have been necessary for the preparation of the detailed plans, which we, of course, were not obliged to wait for."

The protest of the contractors' association was in the form of a resolution and was received yesterday by Mayor Curley.

STREET CLEANING BILL

$5000 AFTER PARADE

Thirty tons of torn paper and ticker tape, and 20 truckloads of boxes and other materials converted into temporary platforms were removed from the streets along which the parade moved yesterday.

It cost the city $5000 to clean the street, and in the work, which extended from 8 o'clock last night until 5 o'clock this morning, 200 laborers, six foremen and 15 inspectors, 20 street cleaners, six motor trucks, on.

Give 160-Lb. Melon to Mayor Curley

Mayor Curley today presented with a watermelon, as a gift from the Arkansas department of the American Legion, which was said to be the largest melon ever shipped out of the State. Its weight was 160 lbs. It was so heavy that Charles H. Kelley, representing his department commander, and his associates declined to carry it into City Hall. It remained on the grass plot near the central entrance for an hour or more, where it attracted much attention.

When Mayor Curley was asked to step to the front door to receive it, he expressed his pleasure and declared that he would have it sent to the Hospital for Crippled Children, where, he believed, all inmates could have a taste of it.

Soon after this visitation there strode into the mayoral chamber the only two Jewish veterans of the World War now wearing the Congressional Medal of Honor. They are Benjamin Kaufman of Trenton, N. J., and Captain Sidney Gumpertz of New York. These men were in the group of fifteen officers of the American Legion, who were accompanied by Commissary General Herman L. Bush, also a high medal recipient, with a stick fashioned into a cane from wood taken from an old elm tree which stood on the Lexington Green for two hundred years.

Give 160-Lb. Melon to Mayor Curley
Fleet's Guns Boom Salute

Benson Recalls His Service on Craft

Curley Recites Holmes Poem

Story of Restoration Is Told as Frigate Moves

**By JOHN BARRY**

Old Ironsides has returned to the sea and the storm. Beneath her keel the waters of the Atlantic flowed once again yesterday afternoon. The fleet was anchored in majestic tribute. Guns flashed and boomed a national salute, whistles shrieked their white-plumed sirenade and sirens screamed across the waters of Boston Harbor.

Overhead waved the ensign never to be torn down, the flag of 13 stars. It wavered with the wind and with it waved the Starks and Stripes of today and the Union Jack.

"She fought and won for us the freedom of the seas." Once more she sails these seas.

**Benson Again Aboard**

Fifty years ago the United States frigate Constitution was warped into a berth at Newport News after her last cruise to the Windward Islands. Her days at sea were over. She was brought to Boston, to the Navy Yard, there to stay and rot away.

Among the midshipmen who marched down the gangplank from her last cruise was a youth named Benson. Yesterday he stood on her deck again, Admiral William S. Benson, U. S. N., retired, commander-in-chief of the Naval forces of America in the World War.

And from her decks the words of Admiral Benson went across the Nation to the far off Pacific on radio’s "Eagle of the Sea" returned to the scenes of her 42 battles without defeat was one long to be treasured in memory. Gray sides, a northeast wind, a drizzle of rain, low-hanging clouds and snow enfolded her. Although only the noon, it might have been evening, so dark was the water front. Flashing searchlights from the cruisers stationed in the harbor pierced the fog as a distinguished company boarded the almost completed frigate.

Down the harbor the fleet was stretched out in a line to welcome her, the crews standing at attention on the decks, all the gun crews waiting to fire the 21-gun salute. The flagship Detroit was at the head of the line and standing at attention on her forward deck was Rear Admiral O. G. Murfin, commanding the fleet. And the cruiser Detroit’s band was behind him playing "The Star Spangled Banner" as Old Ironsides went soaring by.

Soldiers, sailors, national, State and city leaders, Legionnaires were among the guests on the first cruise of the refinished Constitution. Radio transmitting sets, talking picture cameras—these were the only anachronisms in her reborn state.

**Mayor Curley Recites Poem**

"Ay, tell her tattered ensign down—" the poem of Oliver Wendell Holmes which aroused a Nation a century ago to this shrine of the Navy went out on the air from the lips of Mayor James M. Curley. And from the Detroit Police Legion quartet went the popular strains of "Give Yourself a Pat on the Back," a modern world’s way of paying tribute.

The program opened at 3 o’clock. Legionnaires and families from all parts of the State were grouped in the yard. The Marines stood at attention as the guests went aboard and the Navy Band took a position to play for Old Ironsides’ venture to sea. Two short-wave transmitting sets were placed, one on the docks a second on one aboard ship. The Naval radio station interrupted the broadcast of the exercises once and the transmission jumped from ship to shore so that there was no interruption in continuity, as far as the radio audience was concerned.

William Burke Miller, director of special events of the National Broadcasting Company, Richard B. Cram on the wharf and described the frigate’s departure down the harbor with not a wave but a whisper. They confer with the Navy, until George Hicks, aboard Old Ironsides, could resume on the regular wavelength.

**Tugs Give Her Power**

Two tugs, lashed to the Constitution’s sides, conducted her down the bay. From bow to stern, up over the newly-rigged masts, she was hung with bright pennants. No canvas was on her yards but guns were missing. But these details are to be added to the old floating craft. The exercises was opened again by May 1, 1931. Coast Guard patrol boats acted as convoy and many small craft joined the sea parade. Destroyers at the yard held their crews on decks standing at attention as the band played "Anchors Aweigh." Down and the stream she
Legionnaires in Curley Official Family

Photo taken at City Hall yesterday shows Mayor Curley and five members of his official family, all members of the American Legion. In front are James P. Mahoney of Bunker Hill Post, Mayor Curley and Cornelius A. Reardon, secretary to the Mayor, of William F. Sinclair Post. In rear are William F. Mullen of Thomas J. Roberts Post, Joseph Mikolajewski and John A. Sullivan, both of William F. Sinclair Post.

Mayor Curley Gets Largest Watermelon

Mayor James M. Curley, right, shown yesterday as he received a watermelon weighing 160 1/4 pounds, the gift of American Legion members from Little Rock, Ark., where watermelons are watermelons. Shown are, left to right, W. E. Burns, R. W. Sisson, Robert M. Wilson and Mayor Curley.

Boston must provide facilities for the city not only of today but of the far future, not only for the present municipality but for the Greater Boston that should be obtained by the adoption of some form of federation. It must not be too remote from other districts in which the work of the state and of the courts is carried on, or too far from the business centre. It should be capable of development for beauty as well as for utility. It should be easy of access.

Upon these matters it may be assumed there will be general agreement. There will be disagreement, presumably, on the part of the public, as now there is division of opinion in the committee which has been studying the project since January, on the question of where that most suitable site shall be found. Three have been under consideration. One of these, the present site of the City Hall and the annex, we assume to have been eliminated. The mayor and the committee believe it to be entirely inadequate. But the committee, which is made up of a group of architects headed by Ralph Adams Cram and the city planning board, is almost evenly divided between the two remaining sites, the one downtown in the vicinity of Scollay square, the other uptown in the Park square region.

There are arguments each way. There is an intimate connection between the activities carried on in the City Hall and the courthouse and the City Hall and the State House, and in the interest of efficiency and convenience the civic centre ought not to be removed from the immediate neighborhood of those other sections. To move the City Hall several blocks away out into the Park square region would affect unfavorably the vested interests in the neighborhood of the present City Hall. To place the new group in the Scollay square neighborhood would tend to pull development in general in that direction and strengthen the financial and retail districts. These are arguments which are bound to be offered in support of the downtown site.

The question may be raised as to whether these alleged perils are so great as to supersede the desirability of conforming to the natural and probably irresistible tendencies now in operation in the development of the city. The town is moving toward the west and the south. The South end has several great advantages in its favor. Property values are relatively low. The land is level. The streets are handsomely laid out. An abundance of room would be available. One or more avenues could be run through the region, making the site easy to reach and improving the looks of the neighborhood. The present development of that district indicates definitely what is bound to occur there in the next twenty years. These arguments are offered in behalf of the uptown site.

Those who advocate the uptown site doubtless will stress also the desirability of decentralization. The great rectangle bounded by Tremont and Washington streets and Court and Boylston streets is a very congested district where values are high. The tract in the South end would lift property values vastly in that district and would tend to reduce congestion.

These are some of the principal aspects of a question which is likely to become a topic of wide discussion when the report of the committee is given to the public on Sunday. For the details of that guarded document we must wait yet a few days. But the major issues at stake are easy to foresee. The more debate the better. Let no mistake be made. A splendid civic centre would be a great benefit.
Day Labor to Save Year at Governor Sq.

Colonel Sullivan Answers Criticisms of Body of Contractors

Not only will the employment of day labor in the work of expanding Governor square make a saving of $1,060,000 a year from the period of construction if otherwise provided for, but, in the opinion of the mayor and the Transit Department, will prove equally advantageous in the actual saving of money to the taxpayers, as was the case with the day labor work on the East Boston tunnel project.

The Mayor Curley exhibited a badge which was presented to him by the American Legion yesterday at about the time when the federal and state contractors' board was passing its resolution in Rye, N. Y., criticizing the city of Boston for its labor policy. The resolution had been presented by the committee headed by Bert L. Knowles of Worcester and refers to the Boston project as having been a premeditated and known desire on the part of the Associated General Contractors, Board was passing its resolution at the meeting in Rye, N. Y., criticizing the city of Boston for its labor policy with the Governor square work.

The resolution had been presented by the committee headed by Bert L. Knowles of Worcester and refers to the Boston project as having been a premeditated and known desire on the part of the Associated General Contractors' Board. The resolution had been presented by the committee headed by Bert L. Knowles of Worcester and refers to the Boston project as having been a premeditated and known desire on the part of the Associated General Contractors' Board. The resolution had been presented by the committee headed by Bert L. Knowles of Worcester and refers to the Boston project as having been a premeditated and known desire on the part of the Associated General Contractors' Board.

The resolution concludes:

The employment of local citizens and wage labor upon a specific construction project can and is being accomplished with equal facility and more advantageously by the approved contract awards. There is an irrefutable record that construction by day labor is an uneconomic injection of government into business.

Colonel Sullivan Replies

In reply, Colonel Thomas F. Sullivan, chairman of the Boston Transit Commission, said:

I have not yet to hear of anybody questioning the ability or the qualification of the supervising engineers of the transit department to perform the work on Governor square. But on the contrary, I think that construction by day labor is an uneconomic injection of government into business.

President Harding asks the public authorities to help the unemployment situation and in particular to give preference to the men who had lost their continuity of employment by serving with the colors in the World War.

"At that time an opportunity was given to approximately 700 war veterans to reserve the repeated statements that the veterans preferred the dole to employment.

"The manner in which that exceptionally difficult and complicated project was carried to completion was an irrefutable answer to the contractors' propaganda that the work could not be carried out with promptness and economy, and the taxpayers of the city of Boston have been paid out $81,000,000 by this policy.

"Upon the completion of the work the usual claims of extras, etc., which were incident to, and adjunct to contract work, were entirely eliminated. The accident record was the lowest in the history of any similar project in this part of the country.

"There is no permanent addition to the payrolls of the transit department in day labor work because all the men are temporarily employed and will be dropped as the work nears completion, so this disposes of the usual cry of the contractor that employees will be retained when there is no necessity therefor.

"The city's books are open to the public so that the wages paid can be definitely determined, and these are at least ten per cent on the union scale of wages in this vicinity.

"There can be no secret agreements regarding the wages between the city and day laborers as is frequently done in contract work.

"In the thirty-five years of its existence the transit department has had to assume the responsibility of the work on Governor square made it possible to finish the work on Governor square in five years, which was impossible with the usual delays necessitated by the construction of a public project.

"The situation was explained by Mayor Curley when he said that the public funds can be secured at a cheaper rate. The supervising force that is required to watch the contractor can be, of course, dispensed with, as there is no objection to the day labor force attempting to conform to the specifications. It is admitted, also, that the city can purchase its materials at least cheaper than the contractors because of its financial standing and prompt payments.

"Day labor work will save the large bonding premiums that are an important addition to the cost of work when done by contractor. Moreover, the project now under way is no more complicated than the East Boston tunnel extension completed in Mayor Curley's previous administration. At a time similar to that of a few months ago when President Harding was asked to help the unemployment situation and in particular to give preference to the men who had lost their continuity of employment by serving with the colors in the World War."
DETECTS DAY LABOR
FOR GOVERNOR-SO WORK

Chairman Sullivan of Transit Commission Replies
To Contractors' Board

Both Mayor Curley and Col Thomas E. Sullivan, chairman of the Transit Commission, take very lightly the criticism of the Associated General Contractors' Board, in a resolution passed at the convention in Rye, N. Y., yesterday, against the employment of day labor. Instead of the awarding of a contract for the Governor sq Subway extension.

The Mayor exhibits a badge, which he received from the American Legion at yesterday's session, in recognition of his activities in behalf of the Legion convention, and the hospitality shown the visitors. He declares that the badge was presented to him at about the time that the contractors were criticizing him.

The contractors, in their resolution, adopted by the committee of which Bert Knowles of Worcester is chairman, referred to the Boston day labor job as having been undertaken upon the pretext of affording employment to American war veterans, and charges that day labor operations on public works are "inefficient, wasteful and therefore not in the public interest."

The resolution concluded: "The employment of local citizens and war veterans upon a specific construction project can and is being accomplished with equal facility and more advantageously by the approved contract award system, where such an objective has been achieved because desired, and the highest Federal, State and municipal officials have repeatedly expressed their conviction that construction by day labor is an un-economic injection of Government into business.

Col Sullivan's Reply

In reply to the contractors' resolution, Col Sullivan of the Transit Commission said: "I have yet to hear of anybody questioning the ability of the supervising engineers of the Transit Department. There is no reason why the work on Governor sq could not be better performed by day labor forces.

"If the financing of the project is concerned, everybody admits that the bond rating can be secured at a cheaper rate. The supervising force that is required to watch the contractor can be, of course, dispensed with, as there is no object in the day labor force attempting to beat the specifications. It is admitted, also, that the city can purchase its materials at least cheaper than the contractor, because of its financial standing and prompt payments.

"Day labor work will save the large bonding premiums that are an important addition to the cost of work when done by contract. Moreover, the project now under way is no more complicated than the East Boston Tunnel extension completed in Mayor Curley's previous administration. It is a more detailed plan and specifications."

APPROVE SEWER
IN SAVIN HILL

The fight of Dorchester residents to have Savin Hill beach improved was victorious yesterday when Mayor Curley approved an order directing the construction of a sewer to drain the low-lying area from salt basins in that section.

Since improvements in the vicinity of the beach were made sewage disposal has been a constant problem.

The sewer will be 680 feet long. The cost is estimated at $140,000.

DEADLOCKED ON
CITY HALL SITE

Prominent Boston business and professional men will be called in to help a committee in the selection of a site for a civic center in Boston, Mayor Curley announced today.

The committee, headed by Ralph Adams Cram, has reported, Curley announces, that it is evenly divided as to where the location should be.

The two sites favored are, it is announced, some place in downtown Boston and in the vicinity of Broadway, South End. The committee, which conferred yesterday with the mayor on the matter, reported that it has visited several sections of the city.

A new City Hall to cost $5,000,000 and an auditorium to be erected at a cost of $5,000,000 are included in the civic center plans.

The mayor stated that the money for the construction of the auditorium will probably be furnished from the George Robert White Fund. The mayor declared himself to be in favor of some suitable spot in the South End for the location of the proposed civic center.

The mayor also expresses the hope that arrangements can and will be made whereby a suitable war memorial will be erected by the city in testimonial to the efforts of those who fought for their country.
From Out the Harbor Mists—Old Ironsides

American Legion Pays Tribute to Famous Frigate with First Voyage in 33 Years

By Franklin Jordan

CIVIC CENTRE SITE IN SOUTH END URGED

Curley Cites City Hall, Auditorium, Veterans Memorial as Units

The South end offers alluring possibilities and advantages as the site for the projected civic centre, in the opinion, expressed yesterday by Mayor Curley to the committee, which he named early in the year, to suggest satisfactory locations. His belief in the need of decentralizing the present high-value downtown district and moving its southerly boundary deep into the South end inspired a suggestion that this district should be seriously considered as the location of a civic centre.

A municipal auditorium, costing $75,000,000, to be erected from the income of the George Robert White fund, a new City Hall, costing $5,000,000, and of sufficient size to provide quarters for all municipal departments, and a memorial to the war veterans were cited by the Mayor as probable units of a civic centre.

ROXBURY'S CHARTER DAY COMMEMORATED

Roxbury's Charter day anniversary was celebrated last night with exercises held in the auditorium of the High School of Practical Arts under the auspices of the Roxbury School Centre, Roxbury Civic League and Improvement Society, Roxbury Historical Society, Roxbury Board of Trade and Roxbury tercentenary committee.

The Rev. Charles L. Page was the speaker, accompanied with William G. O'Hare, commissioner of penal institutions, representing Mayor Curley; Walter E. Meeks, president of the Roxbury Historical Society; Edwin D. Mead and Sherwin L. Cook, historians of the Roxbury Historical Society.

MAYOR'S NIGHT AT STATE EXPOSITION

Mayor's night will be observed tonight at the state exposition being conducted at the Commonwealth armory by the state of Massachusetts as part of the tercentenary celebration. Mayor Curley will visit the exposition at 8 o'clock and will deliver an address.

The exposition is being staged under an act of the last legislature and is being held in connection with governmental activities.

VETERANS SAIL ON 'IRONSIDES'

Mayor Curley nearly lost out on the cruise of 'Old Ironsides' yesterday, held for the entertainment of the American Legion. The gang-plank had been drawn when the mayor arrived and he had to crawl through a small square porthole to get aboard.

The old frigate, which has been entirely renovated, hadn't left her berth for nearly 40 years until some months ago when she was towed to South Boston to have her masts stepped. Yesterday she was towed around the harbor by two tugs.

About 60 Legionnaires availed themselves of the novelty of sailing on the Constitution and treading her historic decks.

Among the guests were Gov. Allen, Maj.-Gen. Sir William Hickle of Dublin; Rear Admiral Louis M. Nulton, commandant of Boston navy yard; Rear Admiral Philip Andrews and W. S. Benson, both rear admirals; Maj.-Gen. Clarence R. Edwards, and Col. Carroll J. Swan, president of the American Legion convention corporation.

Rear Admiral Andrews praised Lieut. J. A. Lord of Bath, Me., for his work in renovating the frigate.

SEWER PROJECT TO IMPROVE BEACH AT SAVIN HILL

Another step toward better bathing conditions at Savin Hill Beach in Dorchester, was won yesterday by residents in that vicinity with the announcement by Mayor Curley that he would visit the beach at 8 o'clock and will deliver an address.

The beach was being staged under an act of the last legislature and is being held in connection with governmental activities.

MAYOR RECEIVES TWO CONGRESSIONAL MEDAL MEN

Councillor Herman Bush, a D. C. man, called upon Mayor Curley today accompanied with two Congressional Medal men, Capt Sidney G. Gumpertz and Sergt Benjamin Kaufman of New York. Both got the highest decoration of the Government for mopping up German machine gun nests. Gumpertz served with the 133rd Infantry, 334th Division, and Kaufman was with the 72nd from New York.

Mayor Curley notified today by a representative of the Military Academy at West Point that the Cadets would on Saturday morning, Oct 18, at 9:30, drill on Boston Common before going to the Stadium for the annual game with Harvard.

Mayor to View Police in Big Annual Parade

Supt. of Police Crowley yesterday called on Mayor Curley at City Hall and formally invited him to review the annual police parade Monday. The mayor accepted the invitation and complimented the "super" on the splendid appearance of his officers and their fine work in handling the crowds who witnessed the Legion parade on Tuesday.
OLD OCEAN QUEEN
UPON NEW CRUISE

Constitution Proudly Floats Through Lane of Warships in Harbor---Is Given National Salute

In a gray mist that caressed her sides like the folds of a royal robe, the ancient frigate Constitution—Old Ironsides—rode once again to glory, yesterday, while representatives of a remembering nation thundered tremendous tribute.

AFTER 33 YEARS

Sturdy as oak could make her, proud of line as in the days when her name was a menace on the Seven Seas, though her masts were bare of canvas, and her gun ports empty of guns, like the prior queen of the seas she has always been she made her bow to the waters of Massachusetts Bay for the first time in 33 years.

Renewed in every fiber by loving, skilful hands which children's pennies paid, she went on proud parade from her long-time berth at the navy yard to the harbor mouth and back again, but the nation must know she is ready again, that the nation might know she is ready again; Old Ironsides can never die.

All New, Yet Old

It is three and a half years now since a patriotic nation entrusted the task of her restoration to the care of naval shipbuilding experts, under the command of Lieutenant John A. Lord. In that three years, she has been reconstituted and rehabilitated in every line and fiber, restored to the condition in which she made her name as Old Ironsides—the fighting ship which never lost a battle, which first showed a waiting world the potential strength of a new nation on the sea.

Trim, proud—even a trifle arrogant, as befits a thoroughbred—in her bearing, clean from her maiden trip, her first "sea voyage" in 33 years, yesterday afternoon, with an admiral in command, just the length of Boston harbor and return.

Receives Visitors First

Her return to the sea, in itself an historic event, had been arranged as a feature of the national convention of the American Legion, and it was fittingly celebrated with legionnaires as sponsors.

The scene was dramatic beyond description. For an hour before her scheduled time of "sailing," the grand old ship sat at her dock like a quaint relic of a fighting past, while a procession of distinguished laymen and naval heads marched through lines of crack marines and up her gangplank.

Moves From Dock

At 3 o'clock, with a naval crew aboard and Admiral Louis N. Nulton, who had been the patient, from a dangerous perch on her rail, a whistle screamed from the siren of a tug. Two towboats pulled alongside and made fast. A moment later, and for the first time since she saw her last active duty, Old Ironsides began to move away from her berth.

As the valiant old ship thrust her prow beyond the pier end, a band on her afterdeck struck up. The brassy strains wafted through the harbor, and instantly maritime and naval Boston responded.

Chorus of Screams

A screaming whistle split the mist in wild salute. Another answered. And as the Constitution gradually forged out into the harbor, every craft had picked it up. Small craft sped alongside to constitute an escort of honor. Great liners and ships from every port responded. The great wooden frigate, a strange craft among those many ships of steel and iron, speeded on ahead with the din increasing momentarily. A lone airplane soared and dived in salute above her.

Double Lane of Ships

The tugs straightened her course. She headed for the harbor mouth, entering a double lane of waiting ships. To her starboard lay a long lane of battleships, great gray monsters of modern war, in perfect alignment, impressive in their might, crowned like so many panthers with their heads forward on their paws.

21 Mighty Roars

The Constitution, riding disdainfully as though ignoring the tumult all about her, drove straight ahead. Her prow came abreast of the first of the lane of warships. At once, by prearranged signal, the guns of the fleet belched smoke and flame.

With a single mighty voice, speaking as one, the guns gave out the national salute. Twenty-one times they roared, and the echoes threw it back to ring against their gray steel sides.

The slow-moving frigate proceeded down the lane of battleships. On each ship, from stern to stern, stood the

members of the crews, in full uniform, appolling, at salute.

Glory Proven Again

Down the line moved Old Ironsides, down to the harbor mouth, then turned and slowly remade her way. An hour, or less, after she had pulled away, she slid slowly back into her dock, her maiden trip over—her glory proved again to the whole world.

It was an amazing trip, a spectacular event. Yet it was somewhat touched, just here and there, with pathos.

For one thing, they hadn't had time to set up her rigging. Her great gun masts were up, and ready, even to the ancient fighting platforms. But not a single rag of canvas fluttered from them, where once full-bellied sails had slapped and lashed in the breeze. And all along her sides, where, in her fighting days, blunt cannon thrust their arrogant noses in challenge, her gun ports were bare and empty. True, she could pull back to fight again. Yet she was a warship. And a warship carries guns.

And then, the weather. A heavy mist frowned over the harbor, a cold mist that changed at time to rain, and took a bit of pageantry from the event, a bit of the color that is due to Old Ironsides.

And finally, though it passed unnoticed to most of those aboard her at the time, the man who made her what she is rode on her decks almost unnoticed.

He is Lieutenant John A. Lord, the naval architect who built the ship. And in the ceremonies which took place on board her during the trip he was an obscure figure. And other notables, hosted another the man who built her, who knows and loves her every line.

Found by Admiral Nulton

There was nothing in the nature of a slight in it. Admiral Nulton found him, standing in the crowd, just before Old Ironsides left the dock, and brought him to the microphone to tell his story to the radio audience, as the ceremonies were being broadcast. Somehow or other, the time arrangements would not permit. And those who listened at their radios did not know of the man who made Old Ironsides what she is today.

The dignitaries who rode on the dedicatory trip included Governor Allen, with the members of his Council; President Gaspar G. Bacon of the State Senate; Mayor Curley; Rear-Admiral W. R. Benson; General Sir William King of Ireland, Admiral Phillip Andrews, retired; General Clarence E. Edwards, Colonel Carroll J. Swan, president of the American Legion national convention; A. Lorimer Krey, chairman of the Legion committee on naval affairs, and others.

MAYOR CURLEY TO REVIEW POLICE PARADE MONDAY

An invitation to review the parade of the Boston police force Monday was received today by Mayor Curley, who accepted.
Curley Commission

for unemployment relief met at a lunch-
on yesterday. The commission includes
James Wilson, J. A. Cousen, Daniel L.
Marsh, P. L. McNeal, Sara Landau, S. E.
Hecht, W. H. Taylor, Emily C. Brown and
Frank P. Spear, above left to right.

AWARDS TRAFFIC SIGNAL CONTRACTS

Conry Says Work Will Begin Next Week

Contracts for seven new automatic
traffic signals have been awarded and
installation work will get underway
next week Traffic Commissioner Conry
announced last night. Under the terms
of the contract, the signals will be in-
stalled at intersections throughout the
city must be in operation within 12
weeks.

They will be installed at Chelsea
street and Bunker Hill street, Charle-
town; Arborway and Centre street;
Centre street and West Roxbury park-
way; Centre street, Spring street and
Temple street; Washington street and
Grove street; all in West Roxbury;
Commonwealth avenue and Washington
street and Market street and North
Beacon street, both in Brighton.

At the same time, Commissioner
Conry announced that proposals are
being advertised and bids will be re-
ceived Oct. 28 for the installation of
signals at the following intersections,
scheduled to be in operation the first
of the year. Curtis street and Saratoga
street, East Boston; Brookline avenue
and Longwood avenue, Roxbury; St.
Alphonsus street and Tremont street
Roxbury; Adams street, Gallivan boule-
vard and Grenville avenue, Dorchester
and Cleary square in Hyde Park.

CURLEY SEEES AMERICA
 SOLVE UNEMPLOYMENT

Addresses Huge Throng at State Ex-
position—11,000 Attend

America will solve and solve rightly
the problem of unemployment. Mayor
Curley last night told a huge throng
that crowded the state exposition of
Massachusetts governmental activities
in Commonwealth armory.

Approximately 11,000 persons viewed
the exposition last night, bringing the
total for the day to 36,817.

The mayor appeared as the guest of
the tercentenary commission on Mas-
sachusetts governmental activities, in
charge of the exposition as the result of
a legislative act.

Mayor Curley last night announced
that he has approved a contract for the bitulithic paving
of Rogers Park ave. and South
Hobart st. in Brighton, to Samuel
J. Tomaszello, lowest bidder. The
contract will approximate $21,292.15
Work must be completed Dec. 15

Curley Gets Relics of Santo Domingo

In connection with the observ-
ance of Columbus Day, Mayor
Curley today announced he had
received a collection of photographs
of relics of Santo Domingo, includ-
ing ruins of the castle of Diego Ca-
lumbus, son of the navigator, from
Santo Domingo consulate at Wash-
ington.
Mayor Curley Opens Tremont Golf Course

The Tremont Golf Course, Boston's newest and one of the finest of its kind, opened last night on the second floor of the Butler building, 50 Tremont street, when Mayor Curley and City Treasurer Edmund L. Dolan teed off and drove to the first of the 18 holes.

The course is 18 holes, and expressly designed to furnish the nearest approximation of real golf on a small scale. It is laid out in the country club manner, with miniature palm trees, regulation water hazards, and even shower baths and a buffet lunch to carry out the country club idea.

The Butler building is located next door to Tremont Temple, making the new course easy of access.

The course was designed and built by the Multicare Golf Course of America, Inc. The lighting effects were installed by Albert Frank of the Eastern Electric Company, with experts in every other line handling details of other installations.

The course is temporarily set at 44 for the holes, with every feature so laid out that the player must exercise a maximum of real skill to attain that figure. Mayor Curley in dedicating the course clashed against City Treasurer Dolan's and defeated the latter, one up. Incidentally, the Mayor showed plenty of form and actually made the 36th hole in one. He did not give out his total score, however. The course is operated by the Karl Burrie.

In a statement issued yesterday, Commander Richard F. Paul of the Massachusetts Department of the American Legion said:

"I desire to go on record on behalf of the Massachusetts Department of the American Legion in expressing my approval of the practical encouragement to the supervising engineers of the Transit Department. There is no reason why the work on Governor sq could not be better performed by day labor forces."

"I have yet to hear from anybody questions the ability of the supervising engineers of the Transit Department. There is no reason why the work on Governor sq should not be better performed by day labor forces."

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The dedication exercises will be followed by a reception at the Hotel Statler in honor of Ambassador de Martino. More than 500 leaders in the business, industrial and civic life of the city will be in attendance.

Ambassador de Martino will be the guest of the Italian residents of the city at a luncheon at the Hotel Statler at 12:15 on Monday.

PARADE MONDAY

The Columbus Day parade, composed of five divisions, headed by Chief Marshal Vincent Brogna, will start from Hanover st., North End, at three o'clock that afternoon. It will pass through Scollay sq. to Court st., Washington st., Boylston st., Tremont st., Park st., to Beacon st., to Boston Common. In the case of rain the marchers will continue through Beacon st., to Huntington ave. and to Irvington st., to the South Armory where the Columbus Day exercises will be held.

Speakers at the exercises will be Governor Allen, Mayor Curley and Senator David L. Walsh. At six o'clock that evening the various dignitaries taking part in the exercises will be the guests of the Boston chamber of commerce at an informal dinner and the celebration will close with a musical program by Martino orchestra at the Tremont at 7:30 o'clock.
At Opening of New Golf Course

Mayor Curley, with the experts who built and operate the course, shown as he teed off at the opening last night of the new Tremont Golf Course, 90 Tremont street. Left to right: Albert J. Zank, Karl Burns, S. S. Eisenberg, Richard F. Dahlhaus, D. L. Robaisiott, Mayor Curley, City Treasurer Edmund L. Dolan, D. A. McPhee and J. L. Wasserman.

MAYOR'S NIGHT AT STATE SHOW

37,000 Attend Exhibition at Commonwealth Armory

Mayor Curley was the guest of honor last night at the State's tercentenary exhibition being staged for two weeks at the Commonwealth Armory. Nearly 37,000 persons attended the exhibition yesterday and close to 200,000 since the opening.

In observance of Mayor's Night, Mayor Curley was greeted by the three State officials delegated by Governor Allen to conduct the exhibition of the 20 departments and six commissions of the Governor's Council. Mayor Curley praised the State officials for the exhibitions and gave a brief historical sketch of the Massachusetts Bay Colony. The 182d Infantry Band gave a concert during the evening.

STATE LEGION HEAD COMMENDS CURLEY

Richard E. Paul, State Commander of the Massachusetts Department, American Legion last night issued a statement commending Mayor Curley for his efforts in helping to keep hundreds of war veterans at work in the present period of depression. The commander's statement follows:

"I desire to go on record on behalf of the Massachusetts Department of the American Legion in expressing my approval of the practical encouragement to the veterans of Boston, and warmly commend Mayor Curley for his prompt action in taking such a forward step for the relief of unemployment."

MAYOR TO CONFER ON CHINA RELIEF SITUATION

The China relief situation and its suggestion that there be a shipment of 200,000,000 bushels of wheat to China, thereby helping the hungry Chinese as well as the American farmer, will be discussed next week in New York by Mayor Curley.

In a letter to D. O. Lively of the Chinese famine relief organization, Mayor Curley today announced he would call on Mr Lively in New York on the matter which the Mayor considers one of the most important subjects for consideration by the people of America.

MAYOR GREETS GENERAL

Major-General Fox Connor, the new commanding officer of the First Corps Area, yesterday afternoon called at City Hall to pay his respects to Mayor Curley. The general was accompanied by his aides. General Connor and Mayor Curley chatted privately for several minutes relative to matters here of mutual interest to them.

LEGION THANKS CITY OF BOSTON

Praises Co-operation in Making Convention an ‘Unparalleled Success’

The American Legion yesterday adopted a resolution expressing thanks and appreciation to all who helped make the Boston convention the most successful in the organization's history. The resolution, adopted unanimously amid applause and cheers, follows:

The American Legion, in the 12th annual convention, assembled in the City of Boston, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, desires to take this opportunity to tender to the Governor, His Excellency Frank G. Allen, to the City of Boston and its mayor, His Honor James M. Curley; to the president of the Senate of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Hon. Gaspar O. Bacon; to the superintendent of the Boston Police Department, Michael H. Crowley; to the Department of Massachusetts of the American Legion and all the American Legion posts throughout the commonwealth; to the American Legion departments and posts of all other New England states; to the departments and units of the American Legion Auxiliary of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts; to the National Convention Corporation; to the Boy Scouts of America; to the Harvard Athletic Association; to the Yale Athletic Association; to the commandant of the Boston navy yard; to the commanding general of the First Corps Area of the United States army; to the Boston Chamber of Commerce; to the National Broadcasting Company; to the R. C. A. Victor Company; to the John Hancock Life Insurance Company; to the newspapers of the City of Boston; to the Boston Herald Publishing Company for arranging the good-will tour of the airplane New Arbeia; to numerous other civic organizations of the City of Boston, and to all others who so wholeheartedly gave of their time and ability, the sincere thanks and appreciation for the generous manner in which they and each of them have cooperated and contributed towards making this our 12th annual convention, such an unparalleled success.

The warm hospitality of which we have been the beneficiaries, and the efficiency of the preparation for the convention will remain in our hearts as abiding recollections.

We leave the City of Boston, filled with admiration for the kindness and generosity of its citizens. It is our desire that this resolution be made part of the permanent record of the convention as an everlasting indication of our appreciation; and we further direct that a copy of this resolution be sent to each of the appropriate organizations and persons for their efforts on behalf of the convention.
ITALY'S SONS LEADERS IN FESTIVAL

Governor, Mayor, Ambassador From Washington and Other Notables on Program

A two-day celebration commemorating the 428th anniversary of the discovery of America and Boston's Tercentenary will be given tomorrow and Monday by the Massachusetts Grand Lodge of the Order Sons of Italy in America, in collaboration with Mayor Curley and city officials.

A colorful program of events throughout the two days and the presence of out-of-town notables, as well as of local dignitaries, will make Columbus Day a memorable event in Boston. His Excellency Nobile Giacomo De Martino, ambassador of Italy at Washington, will come especially for the occasion and will be the principal guest. Mayor Curley, tomorrow, will be Mayor Curley's guest, and on Monday the guest of the Sons of Italy. Diplomatic representatives of Pan-American countries will also be present.

TO DEDICATE STADIUM

Mayor Curley will preside over the dedication tomorrow afternoon of the stadium at Columbus park, South Boston, and Ambassador Martino will make the principal address. The Rt. Rev. Richard J. Haberlin, D. D., V. G., will offer invocation; Park Commissioner William P. Long will present the stadium to the city, and it will be accepted by the mayor. Following the dedication there will be a patriotic display and salute to the flag of Italy and the Pan-American countries.

Four principal features have been planned for Monday's celebration by the Sons of Italy. They are a luncheon, a parade, a mass meeting on the Common and a pageant, also on the Common.

There will be a Sons of Italy luncheon at 12:15 Monday at the Hotel Statler, Ambassador Martino will again be the guest of honor and will deliver the only address. Governor Allen, Mayor Curley, Senator Walsh, a group of leading Boston Italian business men, city officials will be present.

BIG TIME ON COMMON

At 2:30 the Columbus Day parade will start at Hanover and Commercial St., and proceed to Boston Common. A committee of five divisions composed of military units, civic organizations, and Lodges of the Sons of Italy in the area of Greater Boston, will be reviewed by Mayor Curley, Governor Allen and Ambassador Martino in the stand-on-Tremont at.

After the parade a mass meeting will be held on the Common. At 4:30 o'clock activities will start with the christening of the Italian and American flags. Mr. William Lowell Putnam will act as godmother to the American flag and Cavalier John Ciffrino as godfather to the Italian flag. Speeches will be made by the ambassador, the mayor, the governor, and Commandatore Nobile Giacomo De Martino, Italian envoy to the United States.

FESTIVAL LUNCHON AT 12:15 MONDAY

A special luncheon will be held at 12:15 Monday at the Ambassador Hotel Stetler in honor of Mayor Curley, Governor Allen, Mayor Curley's guest, and on Monday the guest of the Sons of Italy. The program will be broadcast by radio.

BOSTON'S FINEST TO PARADE MONDAY

1500 to Be Reviewed by Mayor and Comr. Hultman

Hardly recovered from the long hours and extra duties of the American Legion and tercentenary parades, Boston's police department will stage its own parade Monday morning at 9 o'clock when 1500 men will be reviewed for the first time by Commissioner Hultman.

Dressed in the regulation fall uniforms, white collars and gloves, the marchers will be reviewed at 10:20 by Mayor Curley, at the State House by Adj.-Gen. Jospe F. Stevens, representing the commonwealth, and by Commissioner Hultman.

The line of march will begin at Dartmouth street and extend along Commonwealth avenue to Arlington street, to Boylston street, north side between Arlington and Charles streets, to Tremont street to Temple place, to Washington street, to School street, to Beacon street, to Charles street and then to Boston Common.

Every member of the department has been ordered to spruce up for the parade in orders sent out from police headquarters last night. They include no chewing of any substance, silence in the ranks and no acknowledgment of greetings from friends along the route.

Maley honorary chairman of the police department, will lead the parade in the line of march. He will be followed by the executive officers of the department, and the police drill squad, which will be composed of two platoon companies, 24 files, under the command of Capt. Louis R. Lutz. Capt. Lutz will be assisted by Lt. Cavanaugh, assistant drill master of the Boston police department. There will also be six sergeants, two of their color guards, two color guards and two guides of the company. The police squad will perform the manual drill of the regular United States army and will also engage in other maneuvers.

The ball will be the concluding feature of the tercentenary observance in Boston and the proceeds will be donated to local charities. Mayor Curley is honorary chairman.

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The Boston police department this morning will hold its annual parade through downtown Boston before what is expected to be the largest crowd of spectators and group of notables ever to witness the event.

Starting at 9:50 A. M. at Commonwealth avenue and Dartmouth street, 1400 policemen will parade to the tune of several bands along Commonwealth avenue, Arlington, Boylston and Tremont streets, Temple place, Washington School and Beacon streets to the Boston Common entrance as Charles and Beacon streets. The order for march will be given by Supt. Michael H. Crowley, who will lead the parade to the review on the Common parade grounds. The superintendent will be preceded by 12 police officers and followed by Deputy Supt. James McDevitt, who will lead the first battalion.

Capt. James Fitzgerald will lead the second group and Deputy Supt. Thomas F. Goode the third division.

With Mayor Curley in the court of honor on Tremont street will be Nobile Glacomo de Martino, Italian ambassador, and a number of city officials, while at the State House Commissioner Hultman, Gov. Allen and Lt.-Col. Sir Hugh Trumbull, K. B. E., police commissioner of the city of London, will review the parade.

FIRST CORPS CADETS WILL DRILL AT BALL

Colonial Costume Tercentenary Fair to Be Held Friday

The committee in charge of the colonial costume tercentenary ball, which will be held at the Boston Garden, Tuesday afternoon, announces the First Corps Cadet Drill Squad will appear at the ball and give an exhibition and another exhibition will be presented by the drill squad of the Boston police department.

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URGES EMPLOYERS TO KEEP WORKERS

Mayor's Conference on Unemployment Issue

Leading Educators Hear Plea to Banish Fear

Mayor Curley's luncheon yesterday at the Parker House to leading educators on the question of unemployment had for a visitor James Wilson, vice president of the American Federation of Labor, who delivered an address on the subject.

Other speakers were Prof. Harvey A. Bostroer of Tufts College and J. W. McNeel.

Among those present at the luncheon were Miss Freeda MacLeod of the Portia Law School, William H. Taylor of the Board of Public Welfare, Francis John Cronin of St. John's Seminary, Daniel L. Marsh of Boston University, Frank P. Speare of Northeastern University, Onge G. Keating, secretary, Robert O. Small of the Massachusetts Department of Education, Morris Freidberg of Simmons College, Simon E. Hecht of the Board of Public Welfare, Sara Landau of Wheaton College, Charles H. Emmons of the Lowell Textile Institute, and Milt D. Campbell, national vice commander of the American Legion.

The conference, in a resolution, urged employers to retain as many workers as possible as a means of promoting optimism and destroying fear.

"Unemployment is the greatest problem confronting this Nation at the present time," said Wilson, "and nothing threatens the very existence of the Nation as does this problem."

The problem was to furnish the requirements of our own people. American inventive genius solved that. Let us reduce working hours to prevent the very thing that is now confronting us.

1,000,000 Jobless

"Records will disclose that even in good times 1,000,000 men are out of work. If we could pay these men a wage of $30 a week we would create the greatest purchasing power in the country.

"The labor movement contends there should be no unemployment in America. When labor says it favors a five-day week it does not mean that there shall be no Saturday industry. It recognizes that some industries must operate seven days a week, but it wants an even distribution of work.

"Unemployment is not a problem that labor is responsible for. It is a problem of management. Organized labor is ready to cooperate with management to eliminate this great tragedy."

Prof. Wooster said in part: "If we are to work out a constructive program we must have to get at the cause of unemployment. Some of our unemployment is a matter of seasonal ups and downs. We haven't done as much about that as we could. A good deal has been done by individual enterprises. Much more could be done by government, both city and State.

"Another cause of unemployment is inventions, new methods to substitute machinery for men. We don't want to stop invention, but we do want to do something about the unemployment that goes with it."

"We might do as the Typographical Union and thelinotype was invented. They agreed that it should be introduced gradually and as a result there was no widespread unemployment. Another cause of unemployment is the hazards way in which concerns hire and fire.

"Still another way is that young men and women take the first job they get and tend to get into blind alleys for jobs and become a menace to trained workers. We might work with school officials, and reconsider vocational training in our schools.

"We need to regularize employment over the whole year so that a man or woman would be employed 52 weeks. We need to stabilize employment by some better system of bringing the man and the job together."

Mayor's Suggestion

Mayor Curley, who presided at the luncheon, suggested that it might be time for the establishment of a Federal planning board that would have power to make recommendations to Congress and interest industry to develop a program for the stabilization of employment."

"The five-day week does not seem unsound," the Mayor said. "It would provide more work and would do much to solve the unemployment problem. Men and women have performed noble service for humanity and for the Nation."

They proposed that the American Legion, the Massachusetts Federation of Labor, and others work together as a means of promoting optimism, decreasing fear, due to the belief on the part of some that the United States Senate and Chairmen of the State committee addressed large meetings at Worcester and Greenfield. Several other conferences will be held on the way back to Boston today.

The Worcester conference, with nearly 100 Democratic leaders present, was held at the Bancroft Hotel, yesterday afternoon, while the Greenfield meeting was staged last night at the Hotel Walden. Meanwhile, in Boston and in several other cities campaigns for registration of voters were in full progress.

In Boston the Democratic State and city committees worked together, with a large force of girls mailing postals and making personal telephone calls to men and women whose names are not on the voting list.

Mayor Curley, who gave $1000 for registration work in Boston, was cooperating in the registration work of the Massachusetts Democratic State Committee and the Boston City Committees. Curley is recognized as the Curley leader in the city organization.

MORE TRAFFIC LIGHTS WILL BE ERECTED

Traffic lights will be erected and set in operation at seven intersections in Charlestown, West Roxbury, and Allston within the next 12 weeks, according to an announcement made last night by Traffic Commissioner Joseph A. Conry.

Contracts have already been awarded, and in addition the commission is ready to receive bids for the construction of lights at six other intersections, it was stated. The other six lights will be in operation before the first of the year.

Contracts have already been awarded for lights at the following points: Chelsea and Dummer Hill sts, Charlestown; Arborway and Centre st, Jamaica Plain; Centre st and West Roxbury Parkway, West Roxbury; Centre, Spring and Sample sts, West Roxbury; Washington and Grove sts, West Roxbury; Commonwealh av and Washington st, Allston, and Market and North Beacon st, Brighton.

Bids will be received for the erection of lights at Curita and Saratoga sts, East Boston; Brookline and Longwood avs, Roxbury; St Alphonaus and Tremont avs, Roxbury; Adams st and Dorchester av, Dorchester; Adams st, Gallivan boulevard and Granite av, Dorchester, and Chestnut and Broadway.
COLUMBUS DAY
PROGRAM IN DETAIL

South Boston Park to Be Formally Accepted

Italian Societies Plan Great Parade on Monday

Columbus Day ceremonies will take place on Sunday and Monday, at Columbus Park, South Boston, at 2 p.m., Sunday, the program will include the formal turning over of the park to Mayor Curley by Chairman William P. Long of the Park Department and an address by the guest speaker, Ambassador Giacomo de Martino of Italy.

Monday’s program will include the parade of the Boston Police Department, with review on Boston Common, at 2:45 p.m., and the dedication of the Italian Societies of Massachusetts at 2:30, a mass meeting on the Common at 4 p.m., with addresses by the Ambassador, Gov. Allen, Mayor Curley and Senator Walsh; informal dinner by members of the Boston Italian Chamber of Commerce at 6 p.m., and a musical program on the Common at 7:30 p.m. by Prof. Martino’s orchestra of 50 pieces and a large chorus.

Mayor Curley will preside at the Columbus Park ceremonies. He will be introduced by E. Archibald, chairman of the Columbus Day committee. Indians will first appear and then the chorus and band will enter the stadium, the first as he wandered from country to country; then before the Council of Savants of the University of Salamanca; before Queen Isabella; the Mutiny on the Santa Marta, and the Landing at Havre de Grace.

The ceremonies at the park will be broadcast, are scheduled at 4:30 p.m., and the Italian Ambassador will occupy the reviewing stand on Tremont street.

The exercises at the tribune, which will precede the principal address, the program includes the dedication, entertainment at the tribune.

At Columbus park, Mayor Curley will preside. The Rt. Rev. Richard J. Haberlin, D.D., V.G., will offer the invocation.

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Will Present Consult

Following the presentation and acceptance of the stadium the national flag will be raised. The chorus and band will enter the stadium and after which there will be Pan-American features with flags of all countries and a tableau depicting the rise of the American flag to the central position.

Mayor Curley will present Consul Generale Giovanni Mario Pio Margotti, Royal Italian Consul General at Boston, and Vincent Brogna, grand master of Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, Order of Sons of Italy in America, after which addresses will be delivered by Chairman John E. Swift, the Knights of Columbus and Ambassador de Martino. The ceremonies, including the parade, will be broadcast, and at 4:30 p.m., and the Italian Ambassador will occupy the reviewing stand on Tremont street.

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Flag Christening

At the Tribune on the Common before the speeches there will be a christening of American and Italian flags on the reviewing stand, at the Ambassadors’ Lodge for the occasion. Rt. Rev. Richard J. Haberlin, Vicar General of the Archdiocese, has been invited to perform the ceremony. John Cifirino will be sponsor for the Italian flag and Mayor Lowell Putnam for the American flag.

The evening’s pageant will be living tableaux depicting the high lights in the historical and cultural achievements and contributions by Italy to the world, namely, Galileo, Diderot, Voltaire, Delino Marconi, Dante, Petrarch, Leonardo Da Vinci, Michelangelo, Palestrina, Paganini, Verdi, Puccini, Amerigo Vespucci, Columbus.

Five sections are devoted to Columbus, the first as he wandered from country to country; then before the Council of Savants of the University of Salamanca; before Queen Isabella; Mutiny on the Santa Maria, and the Landing at Havre de Grace.
Boston Returns to Normal as the Legion Departs

Several Hundred Legionnaires Remain but Most Have Dispersed to Homes

With the majority of the 60,000 Legionnaires who came to Boston to attend the national convention of the American Legion on their way home, the activities which have kept the city in a turmoil for more than a week were history today. However, there are a few hundred Legionnaires remaining in Boston for the rest of the week and they will attend the football game at the Harvard Stadium tomorrow, while today they spent their time visiting historic sites in Greater Boston.

The headquarters of the Legion at Horticultural Hall and of the Auxiliary in Symphony Hall were closed last night. The many files, office supplies and other paraphernalia, making almost three carloads, brought from the national headquarters at Indianapolis, were hauled away by vans and loaded aboard ears to be shipped back late last night. The many hotels in which the visitors stayed looked deserted today. The crowded lobbies of the past few days once more have resumed their normal appearance. The furniture which was removed from the Hotel Statler lounge has been replaced, as it has been at the Copley-Plaza, and many valuable paintings which were removed from the walls of the Parker House are once more in their customary places.

The only busy spot now is the office of the National Convention Corporation in the W&Pier Building. This office today is a meeting place for those who have money to collect either for services or for goods sold to the corporation.

Bodenhamer Thanks Mayor

A letter accompanied by a box of flowers was received today at the home of Mayor Curley from retiring National Commander O. L. Bodenhamer of the American Legion as an expression of his appreciation of the reception and hospitality accorded the Legion during its national convention which closed yesterday. The letter reads:

My dear Mayor—My term as national commander is nearly completed, but before retirement I want to express to you personally my genuine appreciation of all that you have done individually to make my sojourn in Boston so thoroughly delightful. I know that I speak for the entire American Legion, as well as myself, when I add a word of gratitude for the exceedingly generous efforts you have exerted to make this twelfth annual national convention the outstanding success it is proving to be.

Nobodv has yet figured how many souvenirs Mayor Curley has presented to the American Legion visitors at City Hall, but they run into the hundreds, comprising walking sticks and large keys made from an elm tree which stood at Lexington Green at the time of the Minutemen and the British; specially designed Colonial dinner plates of blue stained China; autographed pictures of himself and a card suitable for framing, containing his speech at the dedication of the Lincoln Memorial, Washington; copies of the program book of the Boston Tercentenary Celebration; medals struck off by the city for that occasion and copies of the Boston Year Book.

Every day this week the mayor has been visited by distinguished delegates to the American Legion convention, visiting mayors and other guests. Today he greeted a group of the Congressional Medal men entertained by the city of Cambridge this week. The group was accompanied by Mayor Russell and all of them received walking sticks. He also greeted Rev. Jean Pfeilger, S. J., of France, who is making his second visit to this country. The priest enlisted in the war as a private and won remarkable honors in the way of medals. He is said to be the only enlisted man to receive the French Legion of Honor Medal.

Other visitors today included Mrs. Ora Bundy, wife of the mayor of Ogden, Utah, who was accompanied by her sister. The ladies were loaded down with souvenirs.

Given Gold Medal by Legionnaires

While members of the Associated General Contractors Board were expressing their dissatisfaction with the mayor's system of hiring day labor on city work, members of the American Legion were presenting him with a gold medal for providing work for jobless ex-soldiers, Mayor Curley said yesterday.

Under the law, veterans are given preference under the day labor system. This system was condemned by the contractors and was praised by the vets, the mayor said.

Mayor Curley presenting canes made from famous Washington elm to Mexican legionnaires who called upon him at City Hall today. Visitors, left to right, are Signor Francisco Dorla Paz, personal representative of President of Mexico; Senator Luis Satela and Col. Rudolph Ruíz, Mexican congressman.
BOSTON POLICE STAGE PARADE MONDAY WITH 1500 IN LINE

Still receiving praise for the excellent handling of Boston's two biggest outdoor demonstrations in many years, the Tercentenary and American Legion parades, Boston's police officers will put on their own dress parade and review Monday morning at 9:30 o'clock, marking the annual police exhibition on Columbus Day.

Every police officer, who is not sick, will be on active duty during the parade, either in the line of march, on street duty, or in the stationhouse ready for duty. About 1500 officers, dressed in the regulation Fall uniform, white collars and gloves, will take part in the parade.

The marchers will be reviewed at 10:30 o'clock by Mayor Curley, at the State House by Adjt. Gen Jesse F. Stevens, representing the Commonwealth, and, after the dress parade on the Common, by Police Commissioner Eugene C. Hultman.

It will be the first review under Commissioner Hultman and the first opportunity afforded the police head to see his entire department in a body.

The police will start from Dartmouth st and march along Commonwealth av, to Arlington st, to Boylston st, north side between Arlington and Charles st, to Tremont st, to Temple pl, to Washington st, to School st, to Beacon st, to Charles st, onto Boston Common.

The police hope to make their best appearance in years and officers are using spare moments to spruce up for the occasion.

Orders are "To refrain from chewing any substance; to preserve silence in the ranks; to pay no attention to greetings or remarks friendly or otherwise, which may be made by spectators along the line."

Officers who are veterans and are entitled to wear decorations or insignia other than service buttons are asked to have them on their uniforms, as well as those who have won police awards.

Members of the riot gun companies and Thompson submachine gun unit will march fully equipped.

Sergt Edward B. Cain and 12 mounted officers from the Back Bay station and four officers from Division 20 will lead the parade, followed by the police heads, Commissioner Hultman and Supt Michael H. Crowley.

The battalion commanders will be Deputy Supts Thomas F. Goode and James McDevitt and Capt Richard Fitzgerald. Their adjutants are Lieuts Harry P. Burns, John J. Coughlan and William Hyland.

Probe Reveals City Inspector Fired, Contractor Using Sand for Cement

Two investigations by the municipal finance commission, one into the activities of contractors engaged in city work requiring large quantities of cement, and one into the administration of the house of correction on Deer Island, have resulted in the discharge of a department of public works inspector charged with collusion with a contractor, and in the recommendations soon to be made to Mayor Curley relative to correction of certain conditions said to exist at the island institution.

According to the commission, the discharged inspector, whose name has not been made public, permitted sand to be substituted for cement in the mixing of concrete.

Several contractors who attempted to make substitutions on other jobs have been detected at the outset of their operations. The finance commission maintains a force of inspectors who visit street paving and sewer construction jobs, and whose activity has resulted in the strictest adherence to specifications by contractors in years.

The most definite information which could be obtained about the forthcoming recommendations with regard to Deer Island are the commission will ask no such drastic reorganization of the administrative and medical staff as that which took place early in the year at Long Island hospital following a probe there. It has found certain conditions which need to be changed, however.

The commission's report is due to reach Mayor Curley within 10 days.
Curley Will Sample Coffee of New Shop

Mayor Curley, Lillian Gish, and many society women are expected to attend the opening of the new Brittany coffee shop next week. It was announced today by the board of directors of the Household Nursing Association, under whose auspices the shop is conducted. Proceeds of the shop go toward maintenance of the school for attendant nurses at 222 Newbury street. This is a one-year course of training.

The committee in charge of the shop opening includes Mrs. Carl Dreyfus, chairman; Miss Natalie S. Whitwell, Mrs. C. Alexander Newhall, president of the nursing association; Mrs. Charles L. Scudder, Mrs. John L. Ames and Mrs. David Evans.

Lillian Gish Also to Be Guest at Opening of New Restaurant Operated by Household Nursing Association

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March and Review of Hub Police

Boston’s Finest, 1400, to Parade Monday Morning

The brunt of their work handling tercentenary crowds at an end, Boston’s finest, 1400 strong, will hold their annual police parade through Back Bay and downtown streets, Monday morning, finishing with a dress parade and review on the parade ground on Boston Common.

Notable Guests

This year will witness the most important group of guests at the review in the history of the police parades. Among these will be Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Hugh Turnbull, K.B.E., police commissioner of the City of London, in his official regalia; Mobile Giacomo de Martini, Italian ambassador to the United States; Governor Allen, and Mayor Curley. It will be the first review at which the Mayor has been a guest.

The parade will be reviewed by Governor Allen, Police Commissioner Hultman and the Governor’s staff at the State House, and Mayor Curley and his staff at the Court of Honor in Tremont street. Superintendent Crowley will lead the parade on foot. He will also issue commands at the review and dress parade on the Common.

Route of Parade

Sharply at 9:50 a.m. the parade will start at Dartmouth street and proceed along Commonwealth avenue, Arlington street, Boylston street, Tremont street, Temple place, Washington street, School street, Beacon street to Charles street, where it will enter the Common.

Every officer who is not sick will either be in the parade, along the line of march to handle the crowds, patrolling routes or in reserve at station houses. Routes in the outlying sections will be patrolled by automobiles with riot guns during the parade.

Commissioner Hultman last night ordered all officers to have their “trousers creased, buttons, badge and cap ornament polished, hair trimmed, face shaved and shoes shined.” Chewing of tobacco or gum was banned during the parade and orders given to pay attention to greetings from persons in the crowds.
SUGGEST FEDERAL PLANNING BOARD

Conference of Educators Called by Mayor Sees Great Aid in Preventing Unemployment

Acting on the suggestion of Mayor Curley, the group of prominent educators whom he has called together, devise ways and means of relieving the present unemployment situation, late yesterday, at their meeting in the Parker House, adopted and had forwarded to President Hoover a resolution calling for the creation of a Federal Planning Board.

COUNTRY-WIDE FIELD

Copies of the resolution also were sent to Speaker Longworth of the House of Representatives and to Vice-President Curtis. Purpose of such a board, it was said, would be to work for the stabilization of industry throughout the country. In consequence of the efforts of such a board, it was pointed out, jobs would cease to vanish and unemployment thereby diminish.

This is the second meeting that the group has held. Mayor Curley announced last night that the same group, which comprises mainly college presidents and college economic department heads, would meet next again next Thursday afternoon further to discuss unemployment problems. The Mayor said that at the next meeting additional educators of prominence would be invited to express their views.

Harvey A. Wooster, of the Tufts College economics department, urged at the meeting that preventive measures be taken to stop unemployment. In this connection he advised that the causes of unemployment be determined, and then measures be followed to prevent their recurrence. He said he does not believe enough has been done to remedy the evils of seasonal unemployment. He urged the municipal, State and federal governments take a keener interest in this particular phase of the problem.

Must Be Regulated

"We don't want to stop inventions," Wooster declared, "but something must be done whereby men can be taken care of when machinery is substituted for them. The introduction of machinery gradually, in preference to rapid installation, might help. Machinery has also resulted in a hazardous way of hiring and firing men."

The speaker expressed the belief that the time has come for school committees to reconsider the matter of teaching vocational training. He said that in many instances the boys and girls are limited in their ability and cannot get into another job once they have lost their work. Wooster asserted that employment must be systematized, and declared success along these lines depends upon co-operation between employers and employees.

At this point Mayor Curley offered his suggestion with reference to the creation of a federal planning board. He recalled that when the Federal Reserve Bank system and the Federal Commerce Department were first suggested, the ideas were scoffed at, but that now both agencies are favored.

"Such a board," the Mayor said, "could make recommendations to Congress and advance suggestions for federal legislation. If the results represented the sound crystallized opinion of the country, it would be difficult for Congress to resist the recommendations. The board would be representative of the leading industrialists and their opinions throughout the country. This is one way that industry throughout the country could become stabilized and unemployment greatly relieved."

Must Make Jobs Secure

The resolution was drawn up by President John A. Cousens of Tufts College, President Elisha L. Marsh of Bowdoin University, William G. Ham of the Radcliffe economics department, and Miss Sara Landau of the Wheaton economics department, whom the Mayor appointed to serve in this capacity.

The following resolutions also were adopted:

"Whereas the representatives of Massachusetts universities and the professors in charge of the economic departments of the said universities in conference assembled this day to consider the question of stabilizing employment are of the opinion that the most necessary step to be taken at the present time is to establish a plan for the rainy day," the speaker said, because of the effect upon the psychology of fear, due to the belief on the part of persons now employed that they may suffer the loss of their employment, labor has adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, that in our opinion labor must be regulated in such a manner as to prevent the recurrence of a condition of unemployment. It is our opinion that industries must or should be closed down on Saturdays. It is our opinion that industries must be open on Saturday, and in this connection mentioned that it is the arrangement of heartbreak to constitute the equivalent of a five-day week in which labor is interested. Unemployment and responsibilities cannot be attributed to organized labor," Wilson said. "Management is to blame. Labor is willing to co-operate with management any time to eliminate this tragedy which now faces us, and unless industry arranges its affairs to keep men at work, history shows that men can make a way to advance and live decently."

Shorter Depressions

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LEGION THANKS CITY OF BOSTON

Praises Co-operation in Making Convention an 'Unparalleled Success'

CHEERS, APPLAUSE GREET RESOLUTION

The American Legion yesterday adopted a resolution expressing thankfulness and appreciation to all who helped make its Boston convention the most successful in the organization's history. The resolution, adopted unanimously amid applause and cheers, follows:

The American Legion in the 12th annual convention, assembled in the City of Boston, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, desires to take occasion to express its appreciation to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and its Governor, His Excellency Frank G. Allen; to the City of Boston and its mayor, His Honor James M. Curley; to the president of the Senate of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Hon. Gaspar G. Bacon; to the superintendent of the Boston Police Department, Michael H. Crowley; to the Department of Massachusetts of the American Legion and to the American Legion posts throughout the commonwealth; to the departments and units of the American Legion Auxiliary of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts; to the National Convention Corporation; to the Boy Scouts of America; to the Massachusetts Bay Territorial Commission; to the Tercentenary Marine Commission; to the National Athletic Association; to the Yale Athletic Association; to the commandant of the Charleston navy yard; to the commanding general of the First Corps Area of the United States army; to the Boston Chamber of Commerce; to the National Broadcasting Company; to the R. C. A. Victor Company; to the John Hancock Life Insurance Company; to the newspapers of the City of Boston, who, by their building, Herald Publishing Company for arranging the good will tour of the airplane New America; to numerous other civic organizations of the City of Boston, and to all others who so wholeheartedly gave of their time and ability, the sincere thanks and appreciation for the generous manner in which they and each of them have co-operated and contributed towards making this our 12th annual convention, such an unparalleled success.

The warm hospitality of which we have been the beneficiaries, and the efficiency of the preparation for this convention will remain in our hearts as abiding recollections.

We leave the City of Boston, filled with admiration for the kindness and generosity of its citizens.

CADETS TO DRILL HERE DAY OF HARVARD GAME

West Point cadets, who will come to Boston, Saturday, Oct. 18, to attend the Harvard-West Point football game, will not only be reviewed on the parade ground, but will give a short drill on the parade ground. The parade is scheduled for 9:30 in the morning.

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MAYOR TO MEET ENVOY

Following his arrival at the Back Bay station at 7:15, Ambassador de Martino will go to the Ritz-Carleton for breakfast and Mayor Curley will meet him there and escort him to the Cathedral of the Holy Cross where the Rev. P. Neil Cronin will greet him and present him to Cardinal O'Connell.

The Columbus Park dedicatory exercises will follow in the afternoon at 2:30, with the ambassador and Mayor Curley as principal speakers. In the evening the official dinner will be at the Statler, where among the added guests will be Gen. Edwards, former commander of the 26th division, and the Rev. Mr. Richard J. Haberlin.

The Italian societies will parade Monday afternoon, more than 6000 having entered for the spectacle, which will be one of the most colorful ever arranged by the numerous organizations which have been building floats and parading their brilliant costumes for several weeks. The procession will begin in the North end, make its way through downtown streets and end at the tribute, where there will be patriotic exercises with Gen. Senator Walsh, the mayor and the Italian ambassador as speakers.

Italian Societies Will Parade, with Exercises on Common

ENVY DE MARTINO ARRIVES TOMORROW

The Italians of Boston will celebrate Columbus Day in spectacular fashion with street pageants, exercises at the tribute on Boston Common, entertainment, and join with the American societies in commemorating the discovery of the continent 438 years ago.

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Other distinguished guests bidden to the Mayor Curley for the celebration are Manuel Castro Quevedo, minister of Costa Rica; Dr. Ricardo J. Alfara, minister of Panama; and Raphael Barche, minister of the Dominican republic.

Dr. Modesto Martinez, secretary of the Costa Rican legation, will accompany the minister from that country and the Italian ambassador will be accompanied by his secretary, Count Carlo Beardi and his military attaché, Lt. Col. Marco Panaroli.
ITALY'S AMBASSADOR ARRIVES TOMORROW
Will Be City's Guest at Columbus Day Observance
Will Visit Cardinal, See Stadium Dedicated, Review Parades

Nobile Giacomo de Martino, Italian Ambassador to the United States, who will be the guest of the city at the Columbus Day celebration in connection with the Tercentenary program, will arrive at the Back Bay railroad station at 7:15 tomorrow morning. He will be met by a committee, escorted to the Statler and later to the Cathedral of the Holy Cross, where he will attend the 10 o'clock mass, with suite. After the mass he will be escorted by Mayor Curley and Rev. Neil Cronin, administrator of the cathedral, to the sacristy, where he will be received by Cardinal O'Connell.

At 12:30 he will attend the dedication of the Columbus Stadium at South Boston. In the evening at 7:30 the ambassador will be tendered a banquet at the Statler by the city.

Will Review Police Parade

Monday he will accompany Mayor Curley for a review of the police parade at both City Hall and Boston Common.

At 12:15 Monday Ambassador De Martino will be the guest of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, Sons of Italy, at a banquet in the Statler. At 3 p.m. the Italian societies will hold a parade, which will be reviewed by the ambassador, Mayor Curley and other distinguished guests from the grandstand on the Common side of Tremont St.

It is believed that Ambassador De Martino and suite will return to Washington Monday evening on the Federal express, after the banquet to be tendered him at 7:30 by Mayor Curley in the ballroom of the Statler.

Guests for Banquet

Mayor Curley has invited a distinguished list of special guests to dinner. The list includes:

- Commendatore Giovannello Maria Pio Margutti, Royal Consul General of Italy at Boston; Count Carlo Giusgaja, secretary of the Embassy of Italy at Washington; Lt. Col. Mario Pernaccoli, military attaché of the Embassy of Italy at Washington.
- Commendatore Manuel Castro Quesada, Minister of Costa Rica at Washington; Dr. Don Ricardo J. Alvarez, Minister of Panama at Washington; Raphael Brache, Minister of the Dominican Republic at Washington; Commandant Guy Davis, U. S. N., Boston Navy Yard; Nat. Whitmore, secretary of Legation of Costa Rica, Washington; Judge Frank Cronin, Massachusetts Superior Court; Francisco Duria Paz, representing the Government of Mexico, Mexico City.
- Capt. Alvan C. Hayes, Massachusetts State Department commander; G. A. R.; Maj. William Lowell Putnam, Foreman G. G. Bacon, Massachusetts Senate; and Mrs. Bacon; Speaker Leverett Saltonstall, Massachusetts House of Representatives; Mrs. Saltonstall; Senator Louis Smith of Mexico, Col. Rudolph Ruiz, member of the Congress of Mexico, soldier of United States Army during World War and member of the American Legion.

Mayor Honors Cambridge War Heroes

Mayor James M. Curley, left, shown yesterday at City Hall as he presented cases fashioned from the wood of the old Constitution to three World War heros from Cambridge, who were introduced by Mayor Richard M. Russell. The mayor also presented them with Tercentenary medals.
Plan Welcome for Italian Ambassador

The Italian Historical Society of Massachusetts, Inc., will hold its inaugural exercises tomorrow morning at 10 A.M. at Jacob Sleeper Hall, 588 Boylston Street, with the Royal Italian Ambassadress, Nobile Giacomo de Martino, as the guest of honor and inaugural orator. Monday morning, the ambassador will attend a series of exercises at Revere which will include a reception by Mayor Andrew A. Casagrande and other officials at city hall at 10 A.M.

After the reception, the Italian Central Committee of Revere will escort the ambassador to a special stand at Columbus Square, where he will deliver his address.

The other speakers will be Rev. Ernesto Royal and Mayor Casagrande.

From 3 to 6 P.M. there will be a band concert at the same stand by the Verterica band. In the evening at 8 sharp there will be a display of fireworks at the Paul Revere Park, Park avenue, under the direction of the Pearl Fireworks Company. The chairman of the committee is Albert G. Termine.

World's Two Most Sightly Streets

"As the mayor has pointed out," says Horace Guild, secretary of the Back Bay Association, in a bulletin to members, "completion of the plan for removing restrictions and widening Newbury and Boylston streets and removal of surface cars by the construction of the proposed Huntington avenue subway will give Boston the two most sightly retail streets in the world. Strenuous efforts to speed accomplishment of this project should be unsparing. The land to be used cannot now be built on, although its ownership is worth more than valueless to owners because of the tax burden and it brings no income. Why should the city pay for relieving owners of that burden? On the other hand the city cannot expect to secure land for making streets for nothing. An understanding in the city that no better assessments should be laid on the abutters for the widenings seems fair to both city and owners."

Speaking of the city planning board's thoroughfare plan, Mr. Guild calls it "a notable contribution to a solution of the through traffic problem and thereby to the local traffic problems," and goes on to say:

"There is doubt that the money recommended must be spent in the course of the next twenty-five years and there is doubt that the present traffic situation is correctly analyzed. The only possible solution seems to be whether the plan is correct for the future.

During the past two decades Quincy and Medford have been the fastest-growing cities in the metropolitan district. Because of the density of population now reached in those cities it is to be expected that more rapid growth somewhere else will occur in the next two decades. Present through traffic difficulties are occasioned by what has happened during the past two decades. Future traffic ill will arise out of what happens in the next two. In so far as the report recommends for the future does not appear to what extent future suburban growth has been considered or what places in the suburbs the planning board anticipates the most rapid growth will occur in the next twenty years."

"The major items recommended are needed to meet conditions now. It changes in suburban development or otherwise require it in the future the plan can be modified to meet those requirements. It is highly proper to work on a definite plan rather than hit-or-miss, so that we give our heartiest support to the plan as outlined."

PLAYS SIX CHECKER GAMES BLINDFOLDED

Newell W. Banks Wins
Five on Common

Newell W. Banks, blindfold checker champion of the world, played six games of checkers simultaneously at the Tercentenary Tribune on Boston Common yesterday afternoon, won five of these and was played to a draw by A. Paul Herbst of 12 St. Botolph st.

Six large checker boards were erected on the platform. Opposite each board sat the opponents: George Avery of 270 Eustace ave, Roxbury; Lester Silver of 39 Brunswiek st, Mt. Herbst; Celie Recchuti of 85 Water st, Wakefield; Murray Roth of 44 Floyd st, Dorchester, and Frank Kennedy of 9 Emrose st, Dorchester.

Banks sat in front with a microphone before him through which his responses to Saul Weslow's announcements were carried to loudspeakers. He sat on a line with the board and it was impossible for him to see them. His ability to make clever moves quickly and to check up on the moves of his opponents amazed the audience.

William L. Anderson, representing Mayor Curley, introduced Banks to the audience and announced that it was the champion's 43d birthday. Banks started to play checkers when he was a child and has been playing in public for 37 years.

He came from Detroit to Boston for the American Legion convention in 1924. Banks will play at the Boston Athletic Association this afternoon at 2 and this evening at 8, free of charge, in the Hupmobile salesrooms at 1055 Commonwealth.

ESCORT AT DEDICATION OF COLUMBUS STADIUM

Members of Bishop Cheverus Assembly of the Knights of Columbus will act as guard of honor and escort to Mayor Curley, Nobile Giacomo de Martino, ambassador of Italy, and the Pan-American representatives at the dedication of Columbus Stadium, Columbus Park, South Boston, at 2:30 tomorrow afternoon. Navigator Edward A. Hurley will be in charge of the delegation.

MAYOR CURLEY GIVES CANES TO MEDAL OF HONOR MEN

The Congressional Medal of Honor men who have been the guests of the city of Cambridge and Cambridge Post, A. L., during the Legion convention, yesterday paid a visit to Mayor Curley, accorded by Mayor Richard M. Russell of Cambridge.

Mayor Curley presented each of the honor men with a "gold verification supporter" cane, made from the elm tree which stood on the battlefield at Lexington from where the "shot heard round the world" resounded in 1775. She will return to this city today ready for the program planned for Columbus Day and Monday.
COLUMBUS DAY PARADE PLAN READY

Five Divisions Will Include Many Floats

The programme for the Columbus Day celebration Monday, under the auspices of the Order Sons of Italy in America, was announced yesterday. A feature of the programme will be the largest parade ever held here by this organization in connection with the celebration of that holiday. Special centenary observances will also be conducted.

PARADE AT 3 O'CLOCK

Preceding the parade, which begins at 3 p.m., there will be a luncheon at 12:35 p.m. at the Hotel Statler in honor of the Nobile Giacomo de Martino, Italian Ambassador. There will be about 600 persons at the luncheon. Distinguished guests and speakers will include Governor Allen, Mayor Curley, United States Senator David I. Walsh, the Rt. Rev. Mgr. Richard A. Haberlin, Italian Consul Pro Margottini, Vice Consul Carlo Vitale, John Ciferno and Mrs. William Lowell Putnam.

There will be five divisions in the parade. The route follows: Hanover street, South End square, through Court street, to Washington street, to Boylston street, to Tremont street, to Park street, to Beacon street. With good weather, it is announced, the parade will enter Boston Common for special centenary exercises through the Charles street entrance. If the weather is unfavorable the parade will continue on Beacon street to Dartmouth street and through Copley square, Huntington avenue and Irvington street to the South Armory.

The parade will be reviewed by Governor Allen, the Ambassador, Mayor Curley and other guests from the reviewing stand on Tremont street, where the Court of Honor is, and by the chief marshal and Grand Council of the order at Beacon and Charles streets.

In Five Divisions

Headed by a police escort, the first division will be composed mainly of military units with their bands. The second division will contain North End legionnaires and Veterans of Foreign Wars, as well as floats symbolizing the contributions of people of Italian descent to the various wars of the United States. Civil organizations will constitute the next division for the most part.

The marshal and his eight aides head the fourth division. There will be a large number of bands and appropriate floats in this division, as well as scores of lodges of the Italian order. Among the floats in this division will be one depicting Columbus, one symbolizing Italy's contribution to Science, and another in honor of Virgil, the greatest Roman poet, in celebration of the 1900th anniversary of his birth.

The fifth and last division will include about 20 decorated automobiles. The exercises on the Common after the parade are scheduled for 4:40 p.m. The order has arranged to have these addresses broadcast between 4:30 p.m. and 6 p.m. Speakers will include the ambassador, Governor Allen, Senator Walsh, Mayor Curley and others.

An informal dinner is to be given at 6 p.m. by the Boston Italian Chamber of Commerce. No special programme has been arranged for this affair.

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ARIZONA BURRO GIVEN TO CITY

Animal to Be Sent to the Franklin Park Zoo

A delegation of Arizona legionnaires called upon Mayor Curley in City Hall yesterday and presented him with the burro they brought here to take part in Tuesday's parade. The animal is to be turned over to the Franklin Park Zoo. In the parade on Tuesday the burro carried a saddle on which appeared the words, "Miss Arizona."

It is five months old and was caught running wild on the prairies in Casa Grande, Ariz., a week ago Saturday. It was turned over to the Mayor by "Hal" Orlashaw, who represented the Arizona State Department Legion commander, Charles Meadows. Jack Halstead, who was present with the delegation, the Mayor in turn presented the visitors with Constitution walking sticks and other souvenirs on occasion of their visit.

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Tract of Seventy-Seven Acres
Has Stadium for the Seating of 10,000

When the new stadium at Columbus Park, South Boston, is dedicated on Sunday afternoon by the formal presentation by William P. Long, chairman of the park commission, to Mayor Curley, a dream of years will have come true. This great project originated with Mayor Curley during his first administration, and though he had to fight the filling of this waste land and its transformation into a park would cost more money than an appropriation of $750,000 was made. The work was completed when court action developed over the character of filling being supplied by the contractors and payment was stopped at City Hall, but the four years of Mayor Nichols' administration the project lay flat, only to be resumed by the present mayor and the tract put in fine condition for football, baseball and other sports and the huge stadium authorized. To seat 10,000 persons at a playground this venture, which is large enough in scope to accommodate practically all of the park department had ever contracted for, though concrete bleachers have been rapidly supplied in various areas of this kind, one of the most notable instances being that of the playground in the Penns. It will be possible to provide seating capacity at Columbus Park for seventy thousand persons.

Naturally, South Boston is proud of this wonderful park, which is large enough in scope to accommodate practically all of the children of the district. Mayor Curley calls it the biggest playground in the country, and hundreds of Tercentenary and American Legion visitors have visited the playground this summer. With the new bathhouse to supplement the old structures at L Street, one of the recommendations in Mayor Curley's inaugural, the district will be able for the first time to realize the hopes of many years and to add as a fitting decoration to the Metropolitan District.

Sunday's dedication of the stadium will have a most realistic air, for it will be dominated by the appearance of many figures to represent the Indians, the original settlers, and the appearance of Curley and his followers. There will be large chariots and band and the raising of the National Flag with military ceremony of "Colors." No executive will be more Pan-American feature, symbolizing the all-American character of the holiday, which will be dominated by the entrance of the flags of the States and Central American republics with their color and the placing of the Stars and Stripes in a central position.

The presentation of Commendatarias

Giovanni P. Pietro Marzogli, royal Italian consul general at Boston, and Vincent Brogna, grand master of the grand lodge of Massachusetts, will be present. The order of Sons of Italy, under the leadership of Governor Allen, Mayor Curley and Senator Walsh, will be Governor Allen, Mayor Curley and Senator Walsh. The ceremony will be followed by a review. The celebration has been directed by J. Philip O'Halloran, director of public celebrations.

Monday's Celebration Is
Under Italian Auspices

Never before have the Italian residents of Boston been given so great an opportunity to celebrate in recognition of their achievements, as will be the case on Monday. With the co-operation of the city of Boston a program has been arranged which will provide varied entertainment.

At 12:30 o'clock on that day a luncheon will be given at the Statler in honor of the Italian ambassador, who will be the guest of the city of Boston for Sunday and Monday. Among the distinguished guests will be Governor Allen, Mayor Curley, Senator Walsh, Rev. Mgr. Richard J. Haberlin and Mrs. William Low. The tables will be set for 500 persons, mostly Italians.

The parade, which will be composed of five divisions, will start at three o'clock in the afternoon and will pass from Hanover street to South street, through Court street to Washington street, to Boylston street, to Tremont street, to Park street, to Beacon street. A review will be held by the governor and mayor at the stand on Tremont street and by the chief marshal and grand master of the Order of the Sons of Italy, at the corner of Beacon and Charles streets. The fifth division will be composed of decorated automobiles.

At 4:30 o'clock there will be a mass meeting at the Tribune, where addresses will be given by the ambassador, Governor Allen, Mayor Curley and Senator Walsh and they will be broadcast. At six o'clock an informal dinner will be given by the Italian Chamber of Commerce and at 7:30 o'clock there will be a parade of the Italian band and the open automobile, high-lighting in the historical and cultural achievements and contributions by Italy.

Boston Chosen for Hotel Convention

At the final session of the annual convention of the American Hotel Association held in San Antonio, Texas, yesterday, Boston was chosen as the convention city for 1932. There were more than five hundred delegates present from all parts of the country, but none of the hotel operators of Boston were in the New England delegation.

Before the special train left New York last Monday morning with fifty or more of the Eastern delegation, comprising some of the largest operators of this section of the country, talk of Boston was heard, but it was relegated. The hotel men would feel about the city of Boston Hotel Association, comprised the members. Everybody was enthusiastic and the delegation was thus informed.

The national organization elected the nominee of officers, who included Arthur L. Race, vice president for the New England States.
COLUMBUS DAY MARCH TO FEATURE

Fine Programme for the Celebration of Anniversary

The most elaborate and colorful Columbus Day programme in the history of this city is scheduled for the holiday week-end. From the arrival at 7:15 o'clock this morning of Nobile Giacomo de Martino, Italian ambassador, from Washington, until his departure, on the Federal Express tomorrow night, a crowded list of events has been arranged.

PARADE FEATURE

A special feature of the 438th Anniversary of the discovery of America, and also of the tercentenary anniversary of the Massachusetts Bay Colony, will be a parade sponsored by the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, Order Sons of Italy, and other Greater Boston Italian societies, at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

The two events of importance for today include the dedication by the city of its new Municipal Stadium at Columbus Park, South Boston, at 2 o'clock, and the entering of a large parade in honor of Ambassador de Martino at 3:30 p.m. in the Hotel Statler.

Upon his arrival at the Park Bay Station this morning, Ambassador de Martino will be escorted to the Ritz-Carlton where he will be greeted by a reception committee in accord with Southern hospitality. The reception committee will be composed of the Sons of Italy in America.

Dedication of Stadium

Mayor Curley will preside at the dedication exercises of the new Municipal Stadium in Columbus Park this afternoon. He will be presented by John E. Archibald, chairman of the Columbus Day committee, Following a miniature pageant, portraying the appearance of the Indians on Columbus' arrival, the Right Rev. Pte. J. Habberlin will give the invocation.

Addresses are scheduled by Ambassadors de Martino and Supreme Director John E. Swift of the Knights of Columbus. A special musical programme, featuring by the Boston public schools department. During the exercises, Mayor Curley will present Commendatore Giovanni Mario Pio Margotto, Italian Consul General at Boston, and Vincent Bruno, grand cunn

TABLE OF THE Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, Order Sons of Italy in America.

Banquet Tonight

At 7:30 tonight the city, with Mayor Curley presiding, will tender a banquet in the Hotel Statler to Ambassador de Martino. A large number of distinguished guests, including many of Italian extraction and representing Italian societies, have been invited to attend.

The Italian Historical Society of Massachusetts, Inc., will hold inaugural exercises in Jacob Sleeper Hall, 68 Boylston street, at 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning. At 10 o'clock tomorrow in the Hotel Statler the Sons of Italy will hold a banquet in honor of Ambassador de Martino. The ambassador is the only one listed to speak. Many prominent guests, including Cardinal O'Connell, however, have been invited to attend. Jerome A. Pettiti is in charge of the luncheon.

The major feature of the Columbus Day activities in Boston will be the parade which starts at 3 o'clock. It starts from Hanover street, going to Scollay square, along Court street to Washington street, to Boylston street, to Tremont street, to Park street, to Beacon street.

Exercises at Tribune

If weather conditions are favorable the parade will enter Boston Common through the Charles street entrance for special tercentenary exercises at the tribute. If conditions are unfavorable, the parade will continue along Beacon street to Harvard square and through Copley square, Huntington avenue and Irvington street to the South Armory. Frank Chamilli is chief marshal of the parade and John V. Carchia his chief of staff. The parade will be composed of four divisions. It will have several picturesque and appropriate floats.

In the first division will be military units, the supreme and grand officers of the order, the death fund commission and the grand deputies, six military organizations, three bands and two floats. The second division will be composed of Ancona Council of the Knights of Columbus and of the Order of the Legionnaires, besides bands and floats. In the third division there will be 22 civic organizations, two floats and six bands. The fourth division is to consist of the order, eight horses and four floats, and the fifth division of decorated automobiles.

Pageant at Night

The chief marshal and the eight aides he has named will head the fourth division. The exercises at the Tribune on the Common are scheduled to begin at 4:30 when the parade ends.

They will be broadcast, continuing until 6 o'clock. The exercises at the Tribune on Common are scheduled to begin at 4:30 when the parade ends. They will be broadcast, continuing until 6 o'clock. The exercises at the Tribune on Common are scheduled to begin at 4:30 when the parade ends. They will be broadcast, continuing until 6 o'clock. The exercises at the Tribune on Common are scheduled to begin at 4:30 when the parade ends.

A story in circulation this morning that police have been notified there is a plot on foot to stage an anti-Fascist demonstration tomorrow against the Italian Ambassador, Nobile Giacomo de Martino, during the big parade of the Sons of Italy, was branded a s also by Superintendent of Police Michael H. Crowley.

The superintendent, notified of the story, declared that the police have made no extraordinary precautions to guard the Italian ambassador, nor have any arrangements been made to have a large squad of uniformed and plain clothes officers on watch anywhere because of such an anti-Fascist demonstration.

The superintendent stated further that he has heard of no such anti-Fascist plot as reported, adding that he believed if any word of such a thing had been given to Commissioner Hulman or anyone else at headquarters, he would have been notified of it as it would be his duty to order extra police.
6000 to Take Part in Columbus Day Parade of Sons of Italy

Nine Floats and 20 Bands Included in Monday's Spectacle—Exercises on Common Will Be Celebration Feature

About 6000 persons, 20 bands and nine floats are expected to take part in the parade that will be one of the features of the Columbus day celebration and tercentenary observance under auspices of the grand lodge of Massachusetts. Order Sons of Italy in America, Monday afternoon. The parade will be composed of five divisions. In the first division there will be military units, the supreme and grand officers of the order, the death fund commission and the grand deputies, the military organizations, three bands and two floats. The second division will be composed of Aemona council of the Knights of Columbus and of the Order of the Legen-
daires, it will have one band and one float. In the third division there will be 22 civil organizations, two floats and six bands. The fourth division will be composed of 49 lodges of the order, eight bands and four floats, and the fifth of decorated automobiles.

Cav. Frank Ciambelli will be chief marshal of the parade, with John V. Carchia as chief of staff, and the following aides: Cav. Prof. Felix Porte, Joseph Bongianni, Michael C. Belluse, Diego Grosso, Tommaso Cellini, Modesto De Vito, John Saporite and Amosco Di Puglia, Amadeo D'Auria will be in charge of the second division as marshal, and James Pinta and Armando Di Nicola will be the third division will have John Cicinneti as marshal and John B. Oneco and Emilio Picicco as aides. In the division will be the grand officers of the order, the following aides: Henry Savellita, Angelo Biondano, Anthony Julian, Alfredo Viglione, Philip Massarella, Alfred B. Cenedella and James Di Biasio.

The first division will form on Hanover and Commercial streets, the right resting on Hanover and Clark streets and the left resting on the left side of Commercial street. The second division will form on Battery and Commercial streets, the right resting on Battery and Hanover streets and the left on the right side of Commercial street. The third division will form on Charter and Hanover streets. The fourth division will form on Fleet and North street, the right resting on Hanover and Fleet streets and the left on North street. The fifth division will form on North Bennet street.

The parade will start at 2:30 P.M. and will follow this route: From Hanover street to Scollay square, through Court street to Washington street, to Boylston street, to Tremont street, to Park street, to Beacon street. With favorable weather the parade will enter the Commons through the Charles street entrance, and flag exercises will be held. With unfavorable weather, the parade will continue along Beacon street to Dartmouth street and through Columbus avenue and Huntington avenue to Irving street, and will go to the South armory. It will be reviewed by Gov. Allen, Mayor Curley, the Italian ambassador and other dignitaries.

Following is a complete roster of the parade:

**FIRST DIVISION**

**FIRST SECTION**

Mounted Police

Chief marshall and aides:

First Band: A company of United States sailors

A detachment of the Second Chief Artillery. Civilian Band.

Second Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

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**SECOND DIVISION**

**FIRST SECTION**

Chief marshall and aides:

First Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

Second Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

**THIRD DIVISION**

**FIRST SECTION**

Chief marshall and aides:

First Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

Second Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

**FOURTH DIVISION**

**FIRST SECTION**

Chief marshall and aides:

First Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

Second Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

**FIFTH DIVISION**

**FIRST SECTION**

Chief marshall and aides:

First Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

Second Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

**SIXTH SECTION**

**FIRST SECTION**

Chief marshall and aides:

First Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

Second Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

**SEVENTH SECTION**

**FIRST SECTION**

Chief marshall and aides:

First Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

Second Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

**EIGHTH SECTION**

**FIRST SECTION**

Chief marshall and aides:

First Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

Second Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

**NINTH SECTION**

**FIRST SECTION**

Chief marshall and aides:

First Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

Second Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

**TENTH SECTION**

**FIRST SECTION**

Chief marshall and aides:

First Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

Second Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

**ELEVENTH SECTION**

**FIRST SECTION**

Chief marshall and aides:

First Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

Second Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

**TWELFTH SECTION**

**FIRST SECTION**

Chief marshall and aides:

First Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

Second Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

**THIRTEENTH SECTION**

**FIRST SECTION**

Chief marshall and aides:

First Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

Second Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

**FOURTEENTH SECTION**

**FIRST SECTION**

Chief marshall and aides:

First Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

Second Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

**FIFTEENTH SECTION**

**FIRST SECTION**

Chief marshall and aides:

First Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

Second Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

**SIXTEENTH SECTION**

**FIRST SECTION**

Chief marshall and aides:

First Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

Second Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

**SEVENTEENTH SECTION**

**FIRST SECTION**

Chief marshall and aides:

First Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

Second Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

**EIGHTEENTH SECTION**

**FIRST SECTION**

Chief marshall and aides:

First Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.

Second Band: A company of the Massachusetts National Guard.
NEAR TO OTHER BRANCHES AND MORE SIGHTLY

Central Location Also Held by Planners to Be More Convenient to People

PARK SQ. ALSO FIGURES

Civic Center There Would Further Present Development; Suggestions Asked

Boston's proposed civic center should be located in the vicinity of Scollay sq. or in close proximity to Park sq., the committee appointed by Mayor Curley early this year to consider plans for such a unit reported.

The present site of the City Hall would not make a satisfactory location for the new center, because of the restricted amount of land available and because of the great cost of additional land, the committee reported.

Scollay sq. would make an ideal location because the site would be convenient to the public and to the various city departments and because of its adaptability to a diversified architectural setting, according to the committee's report.

ADVANTAGES EITHER WAY

Some members of the committee believe that the Park sq. site is better in many respects than Scollay sq.

It is pointed out that this site has the advantage of being near the North Station, members of the committee who favor Park sq. point out that it is convenient to the public and to the various city departments and because of its adaptability to a diversified architectural setting, according to the committee's report.

While Scollay sq. has the advantage of being near the North Station, members of the committee who favor Scollay sq. point out that it is convenient to the public and to the various city departments and because of its adaptability to a diversified architectural setting, according to the committee's report.

SUGGESTIONS WANTED

Plans for the civic center call for the erection of a City Hall at a cost of approximately $6,000,000, an auditorium at a cost of $7,500,000, and a permanent war memorial, the cost of which has not been determined.

Representatives of the various businesses, industries and professions in this city will be asked to submit suggestions to the committee and to confer with them on the matter.

Ralph Adams Cram is chairman of the Civic Center committee. Other members are William Stanley Park, Charles D. Maginnis, Charles A. Coolidge, Clarence H. Boardman, the following members of that body:

Miss Elizabeth M. Herlihy, Miss Mary A. Barr, S. S. Conrad and Nathan Sidd.

The matter will be given further study by the committee and other suggestions will be made to Mayor Curley before the matter is definitely decided upon.

The proposed site in Scollay sq. is bounded by Hanover, Sudbury and Parkland sts., while the Park sq. site is between Stuart and Warren sts. and Broadway.

Noble De Martino to Be Dined and Feted During Two-Day Visit

Boston and other New England communities begin today a two-day celebration of Columbus Day, commemorating the 383rd anniversary of the discovery of America.

Outstanding events of the celebration include the dedication of the new stadium at Columbus park, South Boston, at 30 this noon, with His Excellency Noble Giacomo De Martino, Italian ambassador at Washington, as guest of honor and principal speaker; a banquet in honor of Ambassador Martin in the Hotel Statler tonight; a luncheon in honor of the ambassador by the Sons of Italy in the Hotel Statler tomorrow noon; parade of the Boston police department tomorrow morning; parade of Italian societies tomorrow afternoon, and musical concerts and pageantry.

BANQUET TO AMBASSADOR


CELLAR TO ATTEND

Ambassador Martino will again be the guest of honor at the noon luncheon in the Statler tomorrow given in his honor by the Sons of Italy. After the luncheon the ambassador will address the guests.

Among those who will attend the luncheon are Cardinal O'Connell, Mayor-Alcide Curley, Senator David L. Walsh, Commandatore Pio M. Margotti, Mrs. William Lowell Putnam, Brig. Gen. Jesse S. Connolly, Silvio Vitali, and other Italian vice-consuls.

Mayor Andrew A. Cassara of Revere, Vincent Borgna, grand master of Sons of Italy in America; Speaker of the House, Hon. G. Bacon, president of Massachusetts Senate; Hon. Leverett B. Fenton, Speaker of the House, and Rev. John J. Walsh.

POLICE PARADE

The parade of the Boston police department will begin at 30 0'clocl morning at Common wealth ave. and Dartmouth st., proceeding along Arlington, Boylston, Tremont, Temple pl., Washington School, Beacon st., to Tribunum for review.

Supt. Crowley will lead 1400 men in the parade, which will be reviewed by Lieut.-Col. Sir Hug Trumbull, police commissioner London, Ambassador Enrico Martino, Gov. Allen and Mayor Curley.

About 5000 persons, 20 bands and floats are expected to participate in the afternoon parade under the auspices of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts. Order of Sons of Italy in America, parade will consist of five divisions and start at 2:30 p.m.

The route of the parade will be from Hanover st. to Scollay sq. through Court st. to Washington st. to Boylston st. to Tremont st. to Park st. to Beacon st. and the Common through Charles st.
LITHUANIANS PARADE TODAY

The united Lithuanians of the Greater Boston district today will commemorate the 500th anniversary of the death of Vytautas the Great, Grand Duke of Lithuania, and the Bay State Tercentenary, by a joint observance to include a street parade, a religious observance to be preceded over by Cardinal O'Connell and an evening entertainment in Symphony Hall.

One parade line will form and start from the Immaculate Conception church, in Cambridge, while another will be formed simultaneously at St. Peter's, in South Boston. They will converge at Columbus sq., and march from there to the Cathedral of the Holy Cross. The two lines will move promptly at 1 o'clock.

In his address in the Cathedral, Cardinal O'Connell will excul the service of Grand Duke Vytautas for his work in the establishment of civilization and the Roman Catholic faith.

After the service at the cathedral the line will be reformed and the march resumed to Symphony Hall, where, at 4 o'clock, there are to be patriotic and religious addresses.

At this meeting Mayor Curley will be represented by Traffic Commissioner Joseph A. Conry. Rev. J. Swingds of Brockton will talk of the progress of the Lithuanians as a nation, and J. Miller, a Worcester attorney, will speak.

ROAD EXPERTS HERE TUESDAY

Highway engineers of 17 foreign countries and 100 United States government officials in charge of highways will be entertained by state, city and local organizations in Boston, next Tuesday during their tour of eastern states.

The visitors are delegates to the international roads congress which has just terminated its sessions in Washington, D.C.

Governor Allen will entertain the visitors at a luncheon at Hotel Somerset at 2:30 o'clock. After luncheon they will tour the city. The speech in charge to the guests at the Boston City Club Tuesday evening. They will stay overnight in Boston and leave for Fitchburg Wednesday.
URGETWO 
SITES FOR 
CITY HALL

Either Park Sq. or Scollay Sq. Favored by Committee

In a report made public last night, the committee appointed early this year by Mayor Curley to study, in cooperation with the City Planning Board, possible sites and locations for a contemplated new civic centre for Boston, expresses the opinion that Park square and Scollay square are the two most choice spots.

TWO SITES ARE FAVORED

The only other location that was given any consideration was the site of the present City Hall and Annex. This, however, was quickly eliminated from further consideration and attention focused on either Park square or Scollay square. The committee reports it is divided in its opinion as to whether Park square or Scollay square would be the better place.

According to proposed plans, the new civic center would include a new City Hall, an unusually large auditorium, and possibly a war memorial to be erected by the city, besides other attractions. Mayor Curley himself just recently announced that personally he favors the Park square site in preference to any where else.

Accompanying the committee's report are arguments in favor of the Park square site and arguments in favor of the Scollay square site, as well as maps showing diagrammatically where the new civic centre would stand in either case.

The maps showing the relative location at Park square disclose that the new civic centre in that spot would be bounded on one side by Warren street and Broadway. This would practically necessitate the elimination of Caucus street, as there would be a part from the rear of the new city hall, so that the front of the building could face directly out into Park square. Stuart street would cut across in front of the new City Hall between the front lawn of the proposed building and the park that would extend from Stuart street to that point to Park square proper.

Scollay Square Plans

At Scollay square it is noted that the proposed site would be bounded at the back by Portland street and on either side by Hanover street and by Sudbury street, the new building to face out into Scollay square. According to accompanying sketches, the street area in front of the proposed City Hall building in Scollay square would be somewhat opened up so that directly across the street would be the proposed Court House extension.

Ralph Adams Cram is chairman of the civic centre committee. The other members are Clarence H. Blackall, Charles D. Maginnis and William Stanley Park.

The city Planning Board is headed by Frederic H. Fay. The committee, which met for organization on Jan. 18, announces that it held 15 meetings. Three of these meetings included conferences, it is declared, with business and financial interests, the real estate interests and representatives of several of the city departments.

The committee's report says in part: "The restricted amount of land available at the present City Hall site, the very great cost of additional land and the great difficulty, if not impossibility, of finding additional suitable sites, have resulted in opposition to the present City Hall site.

"Particular consideration was given to the site, but in the subjection of transportation, accessibility to the Court House, State House, and other similar public buildings and matters in choosing the site of the proposed civic centre.

"There is a divergence of opinion, says the report, regarding the relative merits of these two sites (Scollay and Park squares), and the committee feels that its only course is to submit both to your Honor's consideration. The multifarious interests involved, so many of them technical, commercial and matters of communication and administration, indicate the desirability of the course we have purposed."

Arguments for Sites

Under a supplementary report captioned "Arguments in Favor of Park Square Site," it is made that the proposed location is handy from the standpoint of transportation. Mention is also made that it is doubtful if the Scollay square site would help real estate values to jump there. It is declared in favor of the Park square site that land values would immediately jump and building continue further to increase the Park square site also is declared to be more ideal for better architectural effects.

Arguments advanced in favor of Scollay square site are that the proposed civic centre there would be a great stimulant to the downtown district. It is also argued that the Scollay square site would result in greater convenience to public, greater convenience to city departments, the enhancement of the general interests of the city, and would have adaptability to a dignified architectural setting.

According to tentative plans as recently dictated by Mayor Curley, an amount approximating $3,000,000 would be expended in the construction of the new City Hall. The proposed auditorium would cost about $7,500,000. In the latter instance, Mayor Curley believes, he says, that the money could be secured from the George Robert White fund. Nothing of any definite nature is to cost or probable design has been advanced relative to a possible war memorial.
The warning which Amos L. Taylor, chairman of the Republican State Committee, gave last week to unnamed members of his party to the effect that they cannot vote the Democratic ticket in the primary election and still wear the Republican label will probably not frighten anybody who has made up his mind to cut some of the Republican candidates. Mr. Taylor doubtless seeks upon party irregularity as a crime, or at least as a calamity, from which everybody should shrink; but most people do not regard it in that light, especially the acts which make up the offenses will be done in private.

It is no worse, except from the Republican viewpoint, for Republicans to vote for Democratic candidates than it is for Democrats to vote for Republican candidates. Everybody knows that Republican nominees are doing everything in their power to obtain Democratic support, in some instances with considerable success. The Republicans hope that the quarrel between Mayor James M. Curley and Chairman Frank J. Dohabie in the ante-primary campaign has brought about among the Democrats a disaffection which will balance the trouble caused among the Republicans by the prohibition issue. Thus, so far as right and wrong are concerned, there is little to choose.

Fuller Coming Home

The Republicans find their present situation anything but amusing, and the reason is as plain as the nose on your face, which has hitherto existed in this State since the days of the Progressive party. Things, to be sure, are not quite so unfavorable now as they were then for the Republicans, but they are bad enough. Therefore desperate efforts will be made to change them in the next few weeks. It is as well that Ex-President Coolidge has consented to make one speech during the campaign, and some Republicans pretend to feel encouraged by the fact that William Mr. Butler, the party nominee for the Senate, rode from Providence to Boston the other day in company with President Hoover. The latter cause for optimism is much like the Democratic hope that a good many Republicans who will vote for Marcus A. Coolidge of Pittsfield, whom the Democrats have nominated for the Senate, will really accomplish something. Mr. Butler is an effective campaigner. Further, he will receive much more than the average Democratic candidate in that part of the State west of Worcester; the people of the western counties Republicans as well as Democrats, look on him as one of their own. They have not had the opportunity, since W. Murray Crane ran for office, to vote for a citizen in their own community, as a candidate at the head of the ticket, and all the information is that they propose to use the present one.

Mr. Coolidge is not so well known. He was once the Democratic nominee for Lieutenant Governor and he has been Mayor of his own city; the active Democratic politicians know him because of his connection with the State organization, but he is an unfamiliar figure to the voter at large. For ex- pectation that he will receive votes because his name is Coolidge is perhaps outweighed by the fact that both he and Senator Walsh are registered in the same city. But the nomination of Mr. Coolidge has taken away some of the effectiveness of his opponent's issue that he (Mr. Butler) should be elected because he is a business man. Mr. Coolidge, too, is a business man. Almost everybody says that both Gov. Allen and Mr. Butler will lose some Republican votes. The important question is whether or not they will receive enough Democratic votes to make up for the losses they have suffered. Republicans themselves admit that their State ticket is weak in other places. A. B. Cook, the nominee for State Auditor, has never received the full party vote since he first ran for that office, and the indications are that he will not receive it this year: the State organization has done its best in the current campaign to give him full party standing and he himself has appeared at some of the important Republican gatherings, but he will doubtless run considerably behind the head of the ticket.

The General Outlook

The general opinion on the street is that Gov. Allen has a better chance of being elected than Mr. Butler has. The former is in office and is highly popular; moreover the wets have not specifically been against the voters in cut Mr. Butler is unfortunate in that he exhibits in public few of the characteristics which bring popularity, although one might expect that the story of his career, which has carried him from poverty to what is commonly called affluence, might appeal to the average American. And, because he has taken a stand for the 18th amendment and the Volstead Act, the wets are aiming all of their ammunition at him.

On the other hand, the Democratic nominee for Governor, Joseph B. Ely of Westfield, seems to be in many ways a stronger candidate than his associate on the ticket, Ex-Mayor Marcus A. Coolidge of Pittsfield, whom the Democrats have nominated for the Senate. No Democrat who lives outside Greater Boston, with the notable exception of Senator David I. Walsh, is better known or more liked than Mr. Ely. He is an effective campaigner. Further, he will receive much more than the normal Democratic vote in that part of the State west of Worcester: the people of the western counties Republicans as well as Democrats, look on him as one of their own. They have not had the opportunity, since W. Murray Crane ran for office, to vote for a citizen in their own community, as a candidate at the head of the ticket, and all the information is that they propose to use the present one.

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GOODWIN REGIME CALLS BIG AID

CURLEY'S BACKING CLAIMS SAVINGS

Says Taxpayers Will Benefit by Millions Over Period of Years

An unprecedented record of actual achievement, in the interests of the taxpayers of Boston is claimed by the finance commission during the first year of the administration of Chairman Frank A. Goodwin, which will end Wednesday, Oct. 16, 1920, of maintaining direct contact with the mayor, and thereby abolishing the old system of informing the public of every communication or report of the commission, the claim is made that far more constructive benefits have been accomplished than under the practice previously followed by the commission.

Mr. Goodwin makes his complaints, criticisms and recommendations to Mayor Curley. In no instance since January has the mayor failed to cooperate with the commission in eradicating evils and rectifying inefficient systems of departmental management which have been officially and secretly called to his attention. Though the suspicion, which in some cases exists, of the actual knowledge, exists that Mayor Curley has invited the commission to make specific investigations, denial has frequently been made by the commission members that the mayor has provided the inspiration for activity.

A summary of the achievements claimed by Mr. Goodwin during the year includes:

- A saving of $50,000 in the purchase price of a site for a new Charlestown high school.
- Reorganization of the administrative and medical staffs at Long Island Hospital and the inauguration of a system of efficient and economical management.
- Reorganization of the refuse collection service of the public works department and the elimination of graft due to collusion between city employees and speculators.
- Forced school committee to present a one-year building program which resulted in a material reduction in the number of proposed buildings.
- Abandonment of the plan of the school committee to erect a new girls' high school, regarded as far less necessary than elementary schools.
- Revision of method of purchasing furniture for school buildings.
- Reorganization of the electric and gas departments that had paid no attention to regulations for a period of many years.
- Substantial saving in costs of small schoolhouse repair goods due to the practice of constantly policing the work.

"SAND RACKET" EXPOSED

Adoption of an inspection plan which has compelled contractors to obey specifications in detail, a policy which led to the discovery of several instances of the use of sand instead of cement.

Investigations that have not resulted in recommendations but which have provided facts on which specific recommendations will soon be made concern the monopoly of fire apparatus contracts held by the American-La France Fire Apparatus Company and the administration of the house of correction at Deer Island.

In the East Boston tunnel project, the commission claims to have effected a saving of $50,000 to the taxpayers of $2,000,000 in the cost of land takings by successfully opposing the adoption of the Harriman plan by which real estate speculators would have been unwarrentedly enriched.

In addition to the list of enumerated achievements, the commission has maintained a force of catchers who have examined the records of numerous branches of city departments and have recommended changes to correct objectionable conditions, which have invariably been speedily made.

Mr. Goodwin is entirely satisfied with the record of the first year of his administration. He has worked in harmony with Mayor Curley and there appear to be no indications that any change in the co-operative policy is imminent.

A letter thanking Mayor Curley for the reception of one of the greatest historic events of the American republic.

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WEST POINT CADETS TO PARADE OCT 18

Commandant So Notifies Mayor Curley

To Pass in Review Before the Tribune on Common

Mayor Curley received a wire from the commandant of the military academy at West Point yesterday, stating that the cadets would parade in Boston Saturday, Oct 18, before leaving for Cambridge and the annual football game with Harvard at the Stadium. The Mayor was authorized to make any plans he desired, the cadets to be placed in his charge Saturday morning.

It is expected the parade route to be followed will start from Mechanics Hall on Huntington ave, the cadets will detrain. They will march to Copley sq, thence via Dartmouth at to Beacon and from Beacon to the corner of Charles, where they will probably be in review before the Tribune.
ITALY'S AMBASSADOR ARRIVES TODAY FOR CELEBRATION

Nobile Giacone de Martino, Italian Ambassador to the United States, who will be the guest of the city at the Columbus Day celebration in conjunction with the tercentenary program, will arrive at the Back Bay railroad station at 7:15 this morning.

He will be met by a committee, escorted to the Statler and later to the Cathedral of the Holy Cross, where he will attend the 10 o'clock mass, with his suite. After the mass he will be escorted by Mayor Curley and Rev. Neil Cronin, administrator of the cathedral, to the sacristy, where he will be received by Cardinal O'Connell.

At 2:30 he will attend the dedication of the Columbus Stadium at South Boston. In the evening at 7:30 the Ambassador will be tendered a banquet at the Statler by the city.

At 3 p.m. Monday the Italian society will hold a parade, which will be reviewed by the Ambassador, Mayor Curley and other distinguished guests from the grandstand on the Common side of Tremont St.

GUEST OF HONOR MONDAY AT REVERE OBSERVANCE

REVERE, Oct. 11—Signor Nobile Giacone de Martino, Italian Ambassador to the United States, will be the guest of honor at the Columbus Day observance in this city next Monday. He will arrive at City Hall with his party at 10:30 a.m. and will be received by Mayor Casassa, members of the City Council and State officials. He will be escorted to the midst in front of St. Anthony's Church, on Revere St., where a large stand, which has been erected, and will make an address at 11 o'clock. Mayor Casassa and Rev. Ernest Reval, pastor of St. Anthony's Church, will also speak briefly. Albert G. Terminiello, president of the Italian central committee, is chairman of the committee in charge. There will be a military and civil escort for the distinguished guest. An augmented band will play American and Italian airs.

In the afternoon there will be a band concert from 3 to 6 and at 9 in the evening there will be a brilliant fireworks display. This is the first time in the history of the city that such a distinguished diplomat from Washington has been officially present at exercises.

UNITED TYPOTHETAE HERE NEXT WEEK

Boston Printers Hosts for Convention

The 44th annual convention of the United Typothetae of America will be held in Boston this week, opening on Tuesday and continuing through Friday. There will be about 1,000 attendances. The convention was held here previously in 1890 and 1895.

The United Typothetae of America is one of the oldest trade associations. It has been in continuous operation for more than two score years. At the opening session at 10 o'clock on Tuesday morning the address of welcome will be given by Mayor James M. Curley. Dr. Albert C. Dieffenbach, editor of the Christian Register, will give an address on "The Spirit for Successful Industry." The departmental conferences will be devoted to the discussion of the four major problems—finance and accounting, production, marketing, and education.

Among the speakers are George R. Kellar, president of the association; Elmer J. Koch of Cleveland on "Developing the Budget" and "Standardization of Accounting Statistics"; Tru William Blum, United States Bureau of Standards, Washington, D.C., on production problems; Ernest Elmo Calkins of Calkins & Holdren, New York, on marketing; David Gustafson, head of the department of printing, Carnegie Institute of Technology, Pittsburgh, on "Engineering and Management Training." At the management session Friday morning an address on "Toward Science in Management" will be given by Joseph H. Barker. Mr. Barker is assistant to the president of Walworth Company.

Registrations for the Typothetae convention have been received from all sections of the country. A goodly share will bring their wives and the entertainment will include, Monday afternoon, an historical tour of Boston and vicinity; Monday evening, the Supply Men's Guild will present a play, "The Yankee Travelers" in the ballroom of the Statler; Tuesday evening, a theatre party; Wednesday, an excursion to Plymouth, and annual ball; Thursday, tour of Lexington, Concord and Way- side Inn; Friday, a boat trip around Boston Harbor.

On Tuesday evening there will be a special conference at the Hotel Statler for all New England printers, whether members of the Typothetae or not. Local problems of immediate interest will be presented and discussed.

The United Typothetae of America is the leading trade association in the commercial branch of the printing industry and it represents the collective interests of both the United States and Canada. Its general offices are in the Tower Building, Washington, D.C., are clearing houses of information.
Scollay and Park Squares
Both Urged for Civic Centre

But Mayor Favors South End Site for Proposed
$5,000,000 City Hall, $7,000,000 Auditorium
and Other Buildings

Scollay and Park squares appeal as
advantageous and logical sites for a
proposed civic centre to the committee
selected by Mayor Curley to suggest
locations for a group of public buildings
of which a City Hall shall be the
central and predominant unit.

One group of the committee, which
consists of Frederic H. Fay, Mary A.
Barlow, Sister offices, Misses Waight,
Nathaniel Sidell, representing the
planning board, and Ralph Adams Cram,
Clarke, are against any of the two
squares. Hanover Street, extending
to Portland street, is the ideal
location, they claim. Another group
strongly favors Park square and a
pretentious development of Broadway
to Harrison avenue.

CURLEY'S VIEWS
Mayor Curley is disinclined to accept
the recommendations of either group
and believes that the South end offers
far more impressive and satisfactory
sites for a civic centre than either of
the two areas suggested by the commit-
tee. It is the mayor's belief that a
$3,000,000 City Hall, a $7,000,000 auditor-
umum to be financed by the income of
the George Robert White Fund, a mem-
orial gift to the city, Veteran's buildings and other
public buildings will compose the struc-
tural group which Boston will ultil-
imate in.

The divergence of opinion about the
question of site, which carries with it
an estimated action in the immediate
future, has impelled the mayor to
impress upon the committee of city
planners and architects the wisdom of
studying the two areas suggested by the com-
mittee. It is the mayor's belief that a
civic centre would occupy a location which
is now the site of the Animal Rescue
Refuge, to which it is to be moved, and
the office buildings in which are
located the executive quarters of
contractors and others who are the
most frequent visitors to City Hall.

SEE GAIN IN VALUES
Another argument is that the Scol-
lay square development would result in
a very appreciable gain in taxable val-
ues because of the replacement of ram-
shackle structures in that vicinity with
modern buildings.

Fears are expressed in the report of the
advisory board that the removal of
the buildings on the block bounded by
Scollay and Park squares, between
Hanover and Sudbury streets, and
widening of the street to Harrison
avenue, would form a definite hazard to
property values and that group challenges
the claim that Park square values would
be greatly enhanced by the acquisition
of a civic centre.

A further argument is offered in this
statement: "The historical heart of Bos-
ton is in the downtown district in the
immediate vicinity of the present City
Hall, the old State House, the present
State House, the Old North Church
and other public buildings. The
historical and financial values of this
district are not to be lightly haz-
darded. To say the district is "blighted"
or "depreciating" is, if true, a cause for
a serious attempt to rehabilitate or
redevelopment, To point out that
removal of buildings is easy but apt to be
unwise, to permit or in any way to stimu-
late the destruction of the heart of our
city is to injure its entire well being and
should be guarded against in every possible
way. The Federal building is being
rebuilt on its old site. The City Hall
should be kept substantially in its pres-
ent location.

Accessibility of the Scollay square site
by rapid transit and by motor is one
of the arguments in favor of its ac-
ceptance.

The Park square proposal is multi-
plied by the advantages of a site which
is now the site of the Army Reserve
museum, to which it is to be moved, and
the office buildings in which are
located the executive quarters of
contractors and others who are the
most frequent visitors to City Hall.

BODENHA:ER'S LAUDS
BOSTON RECEPTION

Gratitude for the reception of Boston
people and neighboring cities to the American
Legion convention is expressed in a
statement made by O. L. Bodenhamer,
retiring national commander, on his
departure from the city last night.

Mayor Bodenhamer said in part:
"I wish to take this opportunity to
thank the people of Boston for the
splendid way in which they received, with
open-hearted welcome, the
thousands of legionnaires who have
been their guests this week.

"I cannot praise too highly the ef-
ficiency and good cooperation of Boston's fine police force. The Gov-
ernor has been magnificently in his
help, and the mayor has taken a
personal interest in making the con-
vention and parade a success. Busi-
nesses and social leaders of the
city have given their time and
money in unstinted amounts. The
legion officials have been unsparing
in their constant devotion to duty.

"In all my experience at national
conventions I never believe that ever
have I found the populace, itself,
more sincerely happy, courteous and
well-behaved. Particularly was this
true during the exceedingly difficult
task of holding the gigantic parade
Tuesday afternoon.

"The Boston people, and the Mas-
achusetts legion, have set many
records in the future national con-
ventions. Among these I think, one
of the most constructive and finest
was the hospitality of neighboring
cities and towns, and the local legion
posts entertained delegations from
other states.

LEGION ENRICHED
CITY BY $3,000,000

Hotels, Cafes and Stores
Reaped Golden Harvest

The 12th convention of the Ameri-
can Legion in Boston last week put at
least $3,000,000 in rapid turnover cir-
culation, according to estimates of offi-
cers and committeemen who have been
working for almost a year to make the
convention a success.

Department stores and specialty
shops did a heavy business during the week, thousands of legion-
naires and members of the auxiliary
buying clothing or jewelry to take
home. Doctors, dentists and 

dentists and doctors and the legions
were crowded for the week.

Transportation lines, with special
trains, buses and boats, took them
most of them handling the
thousands of legionnaires and mem-
bers by special trains, buses and boats.
The appearance of an editorial entitled "The Drunken Legion" in yesterday's Harvard Crimson, undergraduate publication, which declared that the American Legion convention was "merely an excuse for wholesale brawl," roused Mayor Curley and local Legion and city officials, last night, to bitter denunciations of the college paper and to a stalwart defense of the Legion.

Mayor Curley said: "Seventy thousand paraded in the Legion uniform Tuesday, but no single man showed evidence of having taken liquor. If men under the influence of liquor in the streets of Boston they were not members of the greatest fighting army this country has ever known.

"The Harvard Crimson is living up to its reputation as a purveyor of filth, to the disgrace of the university at least, to the disgust of hundreds of undergraduates, and to the great dishonor of the institution." The editorial declared.

Mayor Curley last night when informed of the contents of the editorial. Mayor Russell of Cambridge, John D. Crowley, executive secretary of the convention committee; Ralph W. Robart, past commander of Cambridge Post 7, and others issued statements, in which they denied the correctness of the contents of the editorial and criticized those responsible for the editorial.

The editorial was as follows:

"Two days ago in South Carolina, President Hoover spoke of the party and inherent rights of American institutions, but surely whatever the moral correctness of its institutions, no other country in the world would comemorate such an event as the recent American Legion convention in Boston. The highest official of what other land would have lent his presence to what, in effect, was merely an excuse for a wholesale brawl, exceeding in its disgusting completeness any similar spectacle the United States has ever offered.

"Even Boston, with a police commissioner who has been astonishingly vigorous since he has been in office, has seen fit to allow a total relaxation of law and order during the stay in the Hub of the country's largest Legion. Those glorious Americans who fought, the slogan says, to make the world safe for democracy, and who have come back to raise hell annually so no one can forget it.

Mayor Curley.

"College students are no Aunt Pruners. The Harvard at least, have few conscientious observers of the Inamendem, but the worst subway riot, the drunken football crowd, are piddling trifles in the way of disturbances compared to a Legion convention. Boston must have wanted the convention or it would not have had it. Detroit has been awarded the convention for next year. By God, we hope she's satisfied."

At his home last night Mayor Curley said: "I attended all the important functions of the convention and maintained in the parade. At no time did I see anything to warrant such an editorial. Those I did see under the influence of liquor on the streets were too young to be legionnaires. I think the police did a great job in the way they handled the tremendous crowds." He described the editorial as "most unfortunate."

Ralph W. Robart, former Cambridge City Councilor and chairman of the Cambridge reception committee for the convention, not only defended the Legion but charged that many "undernourished" Harvard students done unmitigated acts in the past, especially in connection with municipal exercises in Cambridge.

"The editorial appearing in the Harvard Crimson headed "The Drunken Legion" is one of the most cowardly thrusts at the heart of any organization I have ever witnessed," he said in part.

"While we of Cambridge realize that this editorial does not reflect the attitude of the college, we demand that the person or persons responsible for it be discharged from the staff."

Mayor Russell's Statement

"The Memory Day exercises, which means so much to those of us who had the privilege of serving in time of war, during the last, and long before as we pass Harvard Square. Only last Patrion's Day, several students were taken from dormitories for unmitigated utterances that interrupted the observance. We have been most tolerant with the undernourished student and have endeavored by our gentlemanly conduct to set an example which, assisted by education they might profit by, but this stab at the heart of those who have their life's blood in their country cannot go unanswered."

Betimes Harvard Students

"The Kasen" agreed with Mayor Curley and Mayor Russell that there had been no drinking in evidence by legionnaires at legion functions. "I visited several of the hotels where my comrades were stopping and to my disgust observed hundreds of undergraduates, many of whom I recognized as Harvard students, taking full advantage of the spirit of the reunion." Mayor Russell said.

"Harvard College graduates have made great sacrifices in our way. Let us pray that the youth now privileged to attend the institution will hold the torch high."

President of the Boston City Council William G. Lynch, who used to make any statement, saying that there was "no use in bothering with the Harvard Crimson. The newspaper who write them always apologize the next day whenever they find they have written something wrong in the spirit of the reunion." Mayor Russell added.

Carroll J. Swan, president of the convention corporation, was out of town last night. In his place, Judge Frankie J. Good, vice-president of the corporation, said: "It is evident that the editorial is the work of an immature boy or boys and is therefore of no importance. There is no need for anyone to get alarmed or to get alarmed as the same time it is a mean thing to read."

TRIBUTE TO BOSTON

Retiring Commander of American Legion Says That People Here Showed Wonderful Hospitality to Visiting Legionnaires

O. L. Fozzlerhamer, retiring national commander of the American Legion, paid a lavish tribute to Boston as a convention city on his departure from the Hub yesterday. "I wish to take this opportunity, upon my departure from Boston, to thank the people of Boston for the splendid way in which they received us, with open-hearted welcome, the thousands of legionnaires who have been here during the week."

"I cannot praise too highly the efficiency and close co-operation of Boston's fine police force. The Governor of Massachusetts has been magnificent in his help, and the Mayor, likewise, has taken a personal interest in making the American Legion convention and parade a success. The business and professional men of the city have given their time and money in unstinted amounts. The Legion officials have been loyal and helpful in their legion work of President Judge Francis J. Good, among others, on police duty."

"In all my experience at national conventions of the Legion, never have I found the convention city more hospitable, more considerate, more courteous, more kind, and helpful."

Particularly was this true during the exceptional lack of holding the gigantic parade of last Tuesday. The spectators were appreciative of the difficulty confronting the police in keeping the line of march open for the Legion files of bands, the massed military units and massed departments. Not once, so far as I have been brought to my attention, was the parade interfered with by crowds surging into the street. The spectators were universally good humored, and seemed surprised that another make the parade a success in every respect."

"The Boston people, and the Massachusetts Legion, have set many precedents for future national conventions. Among these, I think one of the most productive and finest, was the hospitality of neighboring towns and people, where local Legion posts entertained delegations from other states. In turn the delegations returned favors, and especially on the Legion pilgrimage to France in 1927. The Legion embraced
REPORTS NO DAMAGE IN THREE HOTELS

Not one dollar of damage to L. C. Prior’s hotels in Boston was reported during the American Legion convention, the hotel man said in a statement last night. He controls the Brunswick, Lenox and Bradford hosteries. He said the accounts of the individuals were settled when they departed and the local committee of the Legion called to ascertain damage. He states that the Legion convention was one of the most pleasing and desirable in every respect ever held in Boston.

KANGAROO CANNOT MEET BOSTON’S MAYOR TODAY

Trip From Australia Interrupted at Border Until Permit Arrives From Washington

ST ALBANS, Oct 14—“Centmont” was born in Australia seven months ago and traveled across the broad Pacific to Vancouver and then to Montreal, but because some one failed to secure the right kind of a passport for him soon enough, he was denied admittance to the United States at this port of entry last night despite the fact he had an appointment this morning with Mayor James M. Curley of Boston.

The freedom of the port of St. Albans had already been extended to “Centmont” by Customs Inspector Harry C. Whitehall at Mayor Curley’s request, but last night when A. A. Gardiner, who is assistant general passenger traffic manager of the Canadian National Railways, was ready to leave Montreal as “Centmont’s” escort, he discovered that the passport demanded by the local officials of the Agricultural Department before the Australian visitor could enter the United States had not arrived here so the little chap from down under had to postpone his Boston trip a few days. As “Centmont” happens to be a baby kangaroo, Uncle Sam has certain regulations he must live up to before he enters this country.

“Centmont” is going to Boston just the same, as Mr. Gardiner was advised late last night that the necessary permit is being issued in Washington and will be in the hands of local officials before the end of the present week, so the interrupted trip may be completed before Saturday. The kangaroo has had many masters in his short life, being found first in the Australian bush by Gordon Johnston of the Canadian National Passenger Department at Sydney. Johnston gave him to a Canadian National Steamer captain who in turn presented him to Mr. Gardiner in Montreal. Gardiner, however, soon passed “Centmont” along to Mayor Houda of Montreal who decided to prove Montreal’s friendship to the Hub by presenting the little chap to Mayor Curley for Boston’s zoo.

J. E. Gourley of the Boston & Maine Railroad, passenger traffic department, who is president of the American Association of Ticket Agents, accepted the kangaroo in behalf of Mayor Curley and the Canadian national official was designated by Montreal’s Mayor to make the official presentation in Boston today, which had been planned.

Delay in receiving the Agricultural Department permit in St. Albans, however, made it impossible for the little wallaby to cross the border last night. He was crated and again parked in Mr. Gardiner’s back yard, but will be on his way to Boston before the end of the week if everything goes according to schedule.

Sons of Italy Tender Ambassador Luncheon

His Excellency Nobile Giacomo De Martino, second left, guest of honor at a luncheon yesterday at Hotel Statler, tendered by the Sons of Italy, who paraded in honor of Columbus Day. Shown are, left to right, Vincent Bregna, Envoy DeMartino, Jerome A. Pettite, Mayor James M. Curley, Rt. Rev. Mgr. Richard J. Haberlin and Lieut.-Gov. William S. Youngman.
**Maj Gen Conner Talks**

Answering the toast to "the United States," Maj Gen Fox Conner, U. S. A., commander First Corps Area, addressed Ambassador de Martino, that Americans appreciated the great work Italy had done in the World War and credited the American soldiers of Italian extraction who fought in the war. He also thanked Mayor Curley for the many courtesies he had received from him since his arrival in Boston as commander of the First Corps Area.

Commander Guy Davis, U. S. N., paid a fine tribute to the genius of the great Italian navigator, Christopher Columbus.

**Bodenhamer's Thanks**

In reply Ex-Commander Bodenhamer said:

"That statement, coming from the chief executive of our host city to the American Legion in its 12th annual national convention, will be received with pleasure and will strike a responsive chord in the hearts of the 880,000 men and women who compose the Legion in the United States. We honor the hosts of friends who have defended our good name. Never has the American Legion been more royally and courteously entertained in any city in America than here in Boston."

**Ambassador Touched**

Ambassador de Martino got a warm reception. He was especially touched by the presentation of the flag of the city of Boston by Mayor Curley "to be treasured by Italy."

The Ambassador said he was so deeply touched he could not find words to express the emotion he felt in receiving the flag, nor the emotions stirred in him by the events of the day and evening. He said:

"The city of Boston has given to the celebration of Columbus Day a magnificent splendor for which I am grateful, because in this city of culture you are in a position to realize fully the great achievement of Christopher Columbus. The discovery of America was important, but the discovery was the result of an idea, and it is ideas—spiritual values—that count in the world and in the progress of humanity. In fact, spiritual factors are the real foundation of the evolution of humanity.

"You see this in the Italy of our day. You see the power of the spiritual factor. If you look deeply into the present state of Italy you will see at bottom this power of an idea, of a spiritual force. For present-day conditions in Italy are inspired by a high spiritual purpose. It is false to say that Italy is under a regime of constriction. Let me say one thing that may not be necessary: that we Italians are so blessed with our system of government we do not wish it different. We understand that Fascism means a high, philosophical idea. You know it is easy to condemn a new idea. But nothing is new and nothing is old, because nothing is eternal.

**Says Fascism Righteous**

"What is best for a system of political and social organization? First, it must be righteous and conform to moral laws. Second, it must have the consent of the people. Fascism meets both these tests."

**MAYOR'S BROTHER HONORED**

John J. Curley, brother of the mayor, was 58 years old yesterday and his family surprised him with a party attended by more than 100. The mayor and his son, James M. Curley, Jr., presented John Curley with a green desk set on which was mounted a bronze tiger. The picture shows, left to right, first row: Elileen Curley, Rita Curley (on floor); second row, Mrs. Curley with daughter, Mary Curley, at her left the mayor, John J. Curley, Joseph E. Walsh and Marguerite Curley.
CURLEY HITS LEGION CRITICS AT BANQUET

He and Bodenhamer Give Dramatic Touch to Dinner For Italy’s Ambassador, De Martino

A caustic reply by Mayor Curley to the critics of the American Legion convention held in this city the past week, and heartfelt words of the Ex-Commander Bodenhamer of the Legion for the Mayor’s words—and gratitude to the city of Boston for its courteousness and treatment of the Legion—marked in a dramatic way the closing of the exercises at the banquet for Ambassador Nobile Giacomo de Martino of Italy, at the Statler Hotel last evening.

This Columbus Day banquet was the climax of a hectic day for the Italian Ambassador to the United States—a day which began on his arrival in the city early in the morning, and which was full of excitement up to nearly midnight. And behind it all was a rumor that gained currency throughout the day: a rumor that there might be an anti-Fascist demonstration either at the Ritz Hotel, where the Ambassador is stopping, or at the Statler during the banquet.

But nothing occurred. There were more than a score of policemen in plain clothes at the Statler, and Supt Michael Crowley was at the dinner, seated at one end of the head table. In all there were about 600 persons present at the banquet—men and women—and it was in every sense a notable affair. And one of the notable features of the banquet was the Ambassador’s defense of Mussolini.

Hall Darkened

The banquet hall was richly decorated with American and Italian colors and just before the guests were seated the hall was darkened, curtains were drawn on the stage and the spotlight revealed the figure of Columbus standing on a globe. There was music by D’Avino’s orchestra and singing by Lilian Tomassi, Rocce Panciullo and Iside Pilla.

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"When the materialistic forces in the world, blind with power and wealth, threatened by their excesses the destruction of the social system, the order and society which has found necessary for the preservation of home and homeland, and hungering for spiritual guidance from the Holy See."

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Il Duce “Master Mind”

"This act of supreme daring was in keeping with the sublime courage displayed by his comrades in arms—the Italian Army—during the War. When the brilliant leadership of the Italian Premier, Benito Mussolini, the people of Italy were facing not only the present but the future with hope of supreme courage, and give promise not only on Italy but throughout the entire world of nations. The future was as valued, if not more valued, than in the glorious past."

"It has been truly said by a poet of my own race, "A Nation’s greatness lies in man, not acres. One master mind is worth more than a million hands."

"And fortunately indeed is the nation and the people when led by a master mind."

"I ask all present to rise as a mark of respect to the preserver of Christian civilization in the world—the master mind and leader of Italy—Benito Mussolini." (Applause)."
Mal Gen Conner Talks

Answering the toast to "the United States," Maj Gen Fox Conner, U. S. A., commander First Corps Area, assured Ambassador de Martino that Americans appreciated the great work Italy had done in the World War and eulogized the American soldiers of Italian extraction who fought in the war. He also thanked Mayor Curley for the many courtesies he had received from him since his arrival in Boston as commander of the First Corps Area. Commander Guy Davis, U. S. N., paid a fine tribute to the genius of the great Italian navigator, Christopher Columbus.

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The Ambassador said he was so deeply touched he could not find words to express the emotion he felt in receiving the flag, nor the emotions stirred in him by the events of the day and evening. He said:

"The city of Boston has given to the celebration of Columbus Day a magnificent splendor for which I am grateful, because in this city of culture you are in a position to realize fully the great achievement of Christopher Columbus. The discovery of America was important, but the discovery was the result of an idea, and it is ideas—spiritual values—that count in the world and in the progress of humanity. In fact, spiritual factors are the real foundation of the evolution of humanity. You see this in the Italy of our day. You see the power of the spiritual factor. If you look deeply into the present of Italy you will see at bottom this power of an idea, of a spiritual force. For present-day conditions in Italy are inspired by a high spiritual purpose. It is false to say that Italy is under a regime of constriction. Let me say one thing that may not be necessary: that we Italians are so blessed with our system of government we do not wish it different. We understand that Fascism means a high, philosophical idea. You know it is easy to condemn a new idea. But nothing is new and nothing is old, because nothing is eternal."
CURLEY HITS LEGION CRITICS AT BANQUET

He and Bodenhamer Give Dramatic Touch to Dinner For Italy's Ambassador, Dr. Martino

A caustic reply by Mayor Curley to the critics of the American Legion convention held in this city the past week, and heartfelt words of tribute from Ex-Commander Bodenhamer of the Legion for the Mayor's words—a gesture to the city of Boston for its courtesy and treatment of the Legion—marked in a dramatic way the closing of the exercises at the banquet to Ambassador Nobile Giacomo de Martino of Italy, at the Statler Hotel last evening.

This Columbus Day banquet was the climax of a hectic day for the Italian Ambassador to the United States—a day which began on his arrival in the city early in the afternoon and which was full of excitement and up to near midnight.

And behind it all was a rumor that gained currency through the day—rumor that there might be an anti-Fascist demonstration at the Statler Hotel, where the Ambassador stopped or at the Statler during the banquet.

But nothing occurred. There were more than a score of policemen in plain clothes at the Statler, and Supt. Michael Crowley was at the dinner, seated at one end of the head table. In all there were about 600 persons present at the banquet—men and women—and it was in every sense a notable affair. And one of the notable features of the banquet was the Ambassodor's defense of Mussolini.

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Dr. Julian D. Lucas, State Department commander; Veterans of Foreign Wars; Maj. Gen. H. W. Lombard, State Department commander; Spanish War Veterans; Hon. William J. Lynch, president of the City Council; Joseph M. Kirby, State Department commander, Knights of Columbus; Mrs. William J. Lynch; Hon. Frank Leveroni, judge of the Municipal Court; Ex-Commander Bodenhamer of the American Legion, U. S. A., retired; Rt. Rev. Richard, pastor of Police Michael J. Skehan.

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At exercises attended by distinguished guests from Pan-America and Italy yesterday, Mayor James Curley accepted for the City of Boston the handsome new South Boston Stadium, located at Columbus Park, near the Dorchester line, another step in the South Boston waterfront $2,000,000 improvement project started by Mayor Curley during his first administration.

Long before the time for the exercises, the stands in the new stadium, constructed to seat 10,000 persons, were filled. Later, crowds gathered in a semicircle around the stadium, and when the program actually started there were fully 25,000 persons in attendance.

The special guest was Noble Giuliano deMartino, ambassador of Italy at Washington.

The program was opened with a band concert. The Lawrence, Shurtleff, Thomas N. Hart, Norcross, Bigelow, Gaston and Oliver Hazard Perry Schools, of South Boston, seated at the front of the bandstand, were led by John A. O'Shea, director of musical education, in Boston schools, in singing of several numbers, including "The Star Spangled Banner" and "O'Shea's Grandson Billy" O'Shea, aged 5, assisted his grandfather, swinging a baton for the children.

John B. Archibald, chairman of the Columbus Day Committee, presented Mayor Curley as presiding officer.

"Columbus" Arrives
Prior to the opening of the speaking program "Christopher Columbus" with his party arrived, costumed as in Columbus' time, Joseph A. F. O'Neill impersonated Columbus and as he walked on the "New land of America" a group of Indians, ISarful of the strangers, made ready to fight, with Joseph Crosson in the role of Indian chief. Columbus waved his hands in friendly greetings, soon won over the confidence of the Indians, placed the cross and flag, and then knelt in prayer.

Mayor Curley said that it was a great pleasure to him, on the 438th anniversary of the discovery of America by Columbus, to dedicate the great outdoor stadium, sometimes termed a reservoir of public health.

The Mayor referred to Christopher Columbus' ideals and acts and traced to them the spirit which exists today in North and South America. He referred to the abiding faith of the great mariner, Columbus, which made him carry on to the successful culmination of his mission. He averred that the same faith, held by Americans, will solve the problems which confront the Nation.

He paid tribute to the American Legion, to the Federation of Labor for their plan to cooperate in a program to benefit the worker. He referred to the address of President Roosevelt, to the sermon of Cardinal O'Connell.

The Mayor expressed his hope that the example of South America will better understand the attitude of the United States toward them. He referred to the United States as the "big brother" of these small countries, pointing to what this Nation has already done for them, and urged the representatives of South American countries present to make their people more fully acquainted with the real American spirit.


"Palm Beach" at South Boston
In accepting the stadium, the Mayor said it had not been an easy task, but he was proud to state that within the next 12 months the great development will be completed, and "Palm Beach" will be brought to South Boston.

He said that in the new L-st baths will be a specially designed section for violet rays treatment and salt-water bathing. Under a roof. He said that the new L-st baths will be completed within 12 months.

After he had accepted the stadium, the distinguished guests marched to the large bagpole, and Mayor Curley raised Old Glory to its top, while the band played "The Star Spangled Banner." Bishop Cheverus Assembly, K. of C., in charge of faithful navigator John A. Hurley, formed the guard of honor to and from the flagpole.

After the party returned to the grandstand the colors of the South American countries were brought in and while the band played anthems of the various countries Roxbury High School Cadets, in command of Capt James J. Kelley, carried the flags to the center of the stadium and formed to await United States colors. After a short parade through the field each flag was taken to the spot designated for the country, on the outskirts of the track in the stadium, and the boys remained there until the closing ceremony. United States taking the position in the center.

Consuls from Pan-American countries were presented and bowed their salute to Boston.

MGR. HABERLIN GIVING INVOCATION AT DEDICATION OF COLUMBUS PARK STADIUM, SOUTH BOSTON. IN THE STAND ARE REPRESENTATIVES OF CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICAN COUNTRIES

Manuel Castro Quesada of Costa Rica extended his thanks to Mayor Curley and the city for its welcome to him. He promised the better understanding that Mayor Curley had asked.

Brogna and Swift Talk
Vincent Brogna, grand venerable of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, Order of Sons of Italy, spoke of the history of Italy and its great deeds. He said his organization helps the newcomers here to better know the institutions for which America is most famous. He extended an invitation to all to take part in the big celebration today on Boston Common.

John E. Swift, supreme director, Knights of Columbus, spoke of Christopher Columbus.

The final speaker was Ambassador De Martino of Italy, who expressed his personal appreciation to Mayor Curley and the citizens of Boston for the invitation to be present, and stated that, on the day before he left for America, he had a long talk with Mussolini, and the latter had expressed his pleasure at the invitation from Boston and had stated he was interested in Boston as a great cultural city.

The Ambassador urged brotherly love among peoples and declared that the statue to the unknown soldier should not be looked upon as a monument of hate, or the spirit of revenge, but should be symbolic of human understanding and love.

The exercises were closed with a review of the school cadets, the participants in the pageant and Bishop Cheverus Assembly. These organizations marched before the grandstand.

A large police detail was under command of Capt Skillings of the City Point station. Supt of Police Michael Curley was present.

The program was arranged under the direction of J. Philip O'Connel, director of public celebrations. Walter M. Smith directed the Boston Municipal Band, which furnished music.
ambassador de martino and italian party outside holy cross cathedral

from that day the rights of the laboring man have been more and more respected, until today the laboring man understands perfectly well the dignity of his life, he understands perfectly well that brutal greed and oppression will crush him and ruin him unless there is cooperation on both sides. Why is it that these who possess wealth, the greedy capitalist, the tyrannical boss, continue the oppression will crush him and ruin him unless there is cooperation on both sides. Why is it that these who possess wealth, the greedy capitalist, the tyrannical boss, continue the oppression will crush him and ruin him unless there is cooperation on both sides.

Fr Corrigan Speaks

Fr Corrigan in the sermon said that the "economics of Mammon" were being taught in many schools, colleges and universities and were partly responsible for distress in many parts of the Nation.

"A false economy that ignores human rights, needs and standards still flourishes in American business," Fr Corrigan said, "greed and antagonism have not yet surrendered to justice and charity in the industrial relation. The lust of lesser returns rules many minds, keeping the American standard of living far below what the natural resources of the country warrant for millions of the people."

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CARDINAL ASSAILS GREED
IN TALK TO LABOR FOLK

400 Delegates, Headed by Pres Green, Attend Mass at Cathedral Here

Four hundred delegates to the American Federation of Labor convention in this city, as well as a large congregation, heard Cardinal O'Connell and Rev Fr Jones J. Corrigan, S. J., professor of economics at Boston College, preach sermons in the Cathedral of the Holy Cross yesterday morning that dealt with labor and present economic conditions.

In the congregation at the solemn high mass was Nobile Giacomo de Martin, Italian Ambassador to the United States, who was accompanied by members of his staff and by a large delegation of Italian citizens of Greater Boston. Following the service they went to the sacristy, where they met Cardinal O'Connell and were photographed with him, as well as Pres William Green of the American Federation of Labor and other officials of that organization.

Mayor Also Attends

Mayor James M. Curley, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Mary Curley, also attended the mass and met the Cardinal and distinguished visitors later. The Mayor was in conversation with the Italian Ambassador, the executive officers of the Federation and also with the Cardinal.

The solemn mass was celebrated by Rev Fr Thomas H. Reynolds, director of the Diocesan Charitable Bureau, Rev Fr Harry M. O'Connor was master of ceremonies, and Fr Corrigan and Rev Fr Robert P. Barry were the chaplains to the Cardinal.

The solemn mass was made impressive by a splendid musical accompaniment, rendered by the seminarians' choir, under the direction of Prof Ferraoro, while the sanctuary choir was directed by Rev William B. Foley.

The Cardinal's Address

The Cardinal spoke late in the service, as follows:

"It is a very great pleasure to all of us to welcome here in this beautiful church Pres Green and the officers and members of the American Federation of Labor. This association, which was

at the head of Church, was the only influence in those times that could bring the hard-hearted rich to a sense of their responsibility toward labor. And the church did it. Well, you know what happened then. There was a great break, and that wonderful power, the united power of our churches, was broken and the Kings and powers of the earth made their own church and put themselves at the head of it, so that in all those places where the church was the King and the noble, Where was the working man?

Where was the poor man then? Had
PRAISES MUSSOLINI ON UNEMPLOYMENT

Ambassador de Martino Discusses Situation

Stresses Fact That Italy Has Given No Doles to Her Jobless

The means used by Premier Benito Mussolini in dealing with the unemployment situation have been so successful that proportionately Italy has less unemployment than Germany or England, according to Nobile Giacomo de Martino, Italian Ambassador to Washington, who arrived in Boston yesterday. He emphasized the fact that Italy has handled her unemployment situation without recourse to the dole.

The Ambassador admitted that like the rest of the world Italy has been affected by the business depression, but claims that the conditions in Italy are not such as to cause worry.

"The spirit of the Nation is high," he told reporters yesterday. "Every one understands that these hard times can only be overcome by discipline and the spirit of sacrifice."

Ambassador de Martino has just returned from a two-and-a-half month trip to Italy. He said that the district affected by last Summer's earthquake is making rapid recovery and that the seriousness of the disaster had been considerably exaggerated. Villages which were destroyed are being rebuilt in modern fashion, he added.

"I have been in the United States nearly six years," he said, "and I have spent two Summers on your North Shore, once at Beverly Farms and once at Gloucester. I know Boston well.

"I admire Boston as a center of culture. You have here universities with old traditions. I want to express through you my friendly feelings for the city of Boston."

Ambassador de Martino arrived in Boston early in the morning and was met by Standish Willcox, Thomas J. A. Johnson, the city's official greeter, and a reception committee, including Judge Leveroni, Joseph A. Tomasetto, Dr. Joseph Santostasso, Frank C. Ciamelli, Vincent Brooks, John Cifino, John E. Swift, Saverio Romano, Pio Magotti, Italian consul general; Silvio Vitiello, Vice consul; Jerome Petit, Louis Barrasso, Romeo Montecchi, Consul at Providence, and Ubaldino Guidi.

LITHUANIANS SING AT SYMPHONY HALL

A grand Lithuanian choral given by the combined choirs of the Lithuanian societies and churches in Massachusetts, featured the celebration in Symphony Hall last evening. The crowded hall presented a colorful appearance, large delegations appearing in their native costumes, and all carrying flags of their country.

The program opened with the singing of "America," followed by the Lithuanian hymn by the combined choirs under the direction of John Zilevichus of New York. Joseph A. Conroy, Traffic Commissioner, represented the city and brought greetings from Mayor Curley.

Commissioner Conroy spoke on the patriotism of the Lithuanians in this country and the loyalty shown by their children to American ideals.

Joseph E. Ely, Democratic candidate for Governor, greeted the audience and brought an expression of appreciation from the western part of the State. He referred to the large number of Lithuanians residing in Western Massachusetts and to their value as an asset to the citizenship of the State. Other speakers were J. Svagys and J. Mileris.

SPEAKERS HEARD AT BANQUET TO AMBASSADOR DE MARTINO

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He gained a world; he gave that world. It's greatest lesson: "On! Sail on!"

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EXPERTS ON ROADS
COMING TOMORROW

Foreign Group to Inspect City and State Highways

Representatives from 17 foreign countries, who have been attending the international roads congress just completed in Washington, will be guests in Boston tomorrow. The party, including 100 Government officials in charge of highways and highway engineers, is making a tour of the Eastern States, studying highway conditions.

The delegates will arrive in buses in Boston from Worcester at noon. On the route from Worcester, officials of the State Department of Public Works will show State highways, particularly the new Boston-Worcester Turnpike. Gov Frank G. Allen will entertain them at luncheon at the Hotel Somerset at 12:30 p.m. Later they will be taken on a tour of the city by Thomas A. Mullen of the Commercial, Industrial and Publicity Bureau of Boston. Mayor James M. Curley will tender them a dinner at the Boston City Club in the evening. They will stay overnight at the Hotel Statler and will leave Boston for Fitchburg Wednesday morning.

Among the local organizations participating in arrangements are the Boston Automobile Club, the Boston Automobile Dealers' Association, Boston Chamber of Commerce, and New England Road Builders' Association.

The committee in charge includes:


The countries represented by the delegates include Argentina, Belgium, China, Cuba, Denmark, France, Germany, Great Britain, Irish Free State, Italy, Netherlands, Portugal, Romania, Sweden, Switzerland, Uruguay and Venezuela.

BOSTON POLICE PRaised FOR CONVENTION WORK

Praise for the fine work of Boston police officers during the American Legion convention is contained in a letter addressed to Police Commissioner Eugene C. Hultman, from City Councilor Clement A. Norton of Hyde Park, chairman of the Legion registration committee. The letter follows:

"As the only member of our City Government serving on the board of directors that governed the recent national convention of the American Legion, I want to tell you how proud I am of the splendid work done by the Boston police force under Supt. Crowley."

"As chairman of the registration committee, I came in contact with thousands of Legionnaires and did not hear one criticism but continued praise for the manner in which our police force handled a delicate situation—better, it was declared, than that of any other police force at any previous national convention.

"The magnificent manner in which our Governor, Mayor and Police Commissioner cooperated to handle the largest crowd ever to assemble in New England to entertain that great assemblage royally and with dignity, will for many generations remain a bright chapter in Boston's history."
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This coming winter we are going to have very hard times. According to all signs we are going to have very disagreeable times, and now is the time for those who control industry, those who control the banking system, to stop and think that unlimited and co-operating with this great movement which is going on for the welfare of all, for the welfare of the whole nation, we may avert in some measure at least the catastrophe that threatens.

DENIED SOCIAL JUSTICE
Fr. Corrigan spoke to the text, "Behold the hire of the laborers which by fraud has been kept back, crieth; the cry of them hath entered the ears of the Lord of Sabaoth," St. James, v. 4. He spoke in part, as follows:

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CURLEY RAPS CRIMSON FOR LEGION ATTACK

Denouncing the authors of the article as "sons of slackers who never wore a uniform," Mayor Curley repeated his censure of the Harvard Crimson for its "Deplorable Legion" editorial at a banquet tendered Italian Ambassador Nobile Giacomo de Martino at the Hotel Statler last night.

At the conclusion of the mayor's speech, Comdr. O. L. Bodenhamer, of the American Legion, arose to thank the mayor for his defense and to assure him that he would earn a warm spot in the heart of every Legionnaire.

The speech was an enlivening highlight in the festivities sponsored in honor of the Italian ambassador.

An impressive array of notables gathered for the banquet and included Count Carlo Soardi, secretary of the Italian embassy; Count Carpo di Giacomo; Count Carlo Margotti, Italian consul to Boston; Lt. Col. Marco Penchecchi, royal Italian vice-consul at Providence; Dr. Romeo Montecchi, American consul at Boston; Dr. Nobile Glacome de Martino, Italian ambassador to the United States.

The climax of the day's activities was reached yesterday afternoon at the dedication of the Columbus stadium, Columbus park, South Boston, at which 20,000 persons were present.

Arriving in Boston early yesterday morning for the Columbus day exercises, Nobile Giacomo de Martino, Italian ambassador, was immediately heavily guarded by police, but completed a round of receptions and observances without the slightest anti-Fascist demonstration against him.

Ambassador de Martino arrived at the Back Bay station and was greeted by city dignitaries, prominent Italians and officials of the Italian government. Flight clothes were worn by the former cabinet ministers who were assigned to guard the ambassador during his visit and Supt. Crowley personally supervised the detail and was present at the public appearances of the prominent Italian guest during the day.

The Italian ambassador is not a stranger to Boston, having spent two of the six years in this city on the North Shore during the summer. Two years ago, he said later in an interview at the Ritz Carlton, he had a summer place at Beverly and two years ago another at Gloucester.

A dignified and impressive appearance, combined with a gracious manner and pleasing personality immediately revealed why he has the utmost confidence of Premier Mussolini and has held highly important diplomatic posts for his country.

TANGLED BOSTON TRAFFIC
Ambassador de Martino amusingly told of his most exciting experience in Boston several years ago when he tried to operate an automobile "through your charming but very crooked streets." He finally tangled traffic by going down the wrong way of a one-way street and gave up in despair, he said.

"But that is certainly not my most pleasant memory of your city," he said. I have always admired Boston as the city of culture whose famous institutions and universities, surrounded by years of history and tradition, are respected and admired throughout the world.

"Your section of the country truly represents the spirit of those rugged Puritans who settled here after our own Christopher Columbus when he discovered this beautiful country."

Ambassador de Martino returned a trip to Italy, where he spent two and one-half months. He said that Italy, like other nations throughout Europe, is experiencing a general economic depression, but that under the energetic measures undertaken by his government the people of the country believe the days of prosperity are just around the corner.

He said Italy has less unemployment than Great Britain or Germany, per population, that the spirit of the country is high and that the program instituted by Premier Mussolini is doing much to alleviate the depression. He said reconstruction work following the earthquake in southern Italy was speedily started and that the disaster was less serious than it first appeared.

Ambassador de Martino is 62 years old and is a graduate of the University of Social Science, Florence, Italy. He has served as a diplomatic representative in Constantinople, Turkey; Ceylon; Ceylon; Berlin; London; and Tokyo. He was secretary of general foreign affairs of Italy in 1923.

SERVED IN BERLIN
He served in Berlin in 1920, at the court of St. James's, London, 1921-23, and in Tokyo in 1923 and '24. He was in Tokyo at the time of the Japanese earthquake and was warmly commended by the Japanese government for his speedy rushing of relief and supplies to the stricken country.

Ambassador de Martino was greeted by Mayor Curley at his suite at the Ritz Carlton and accompanied by the representatives of the Italian government. He attended mass at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross, where His Eminence William Cardinal O'Connell delivered an address and later received the ambassador and the party in the sacristy. The entire party was escorted by the Rev. Neil Cronin, pastor of the cathedral.

Among the members of the party were Thomas J. A. Puchalski, official Boston greeter; Commendatore Giovanni Pia Margotti, royal Italian consul at Boston, Montenegro, royal Italian vice-consul at Providence; Silvio Vitali, royal Italian vice-consul at Boston; Marco Penchecchi, royal army of Italy, military attaché of the Italian embassy at Washington; Judge Forconi, Dr. Joseph Santorussi, Joseph A. Tomasso, John E. Swift, supreme director of the Knights of Columbus; Vincent Brogna, grand venerable of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, Order of the Sons of Italy and Mayor Curley and Miss Mary Curley, daughter of the mayor.

Cardinal O'Connell conversed with the distinguished guest and the delegation in Italian before the commencement of the mass and later extended his greetings in the sacristy of the church.

The climax of the day's activities was reached yesterday afternoon at the dedication of the Columbus stadium. Mayor Curley, of South Boston, at which 20,000 persons were present.

John B. Archibald, chairman of the Columbus day committee, introduced Mayor Curley who presided. The mayor declared that the dedication of the stadium was the climax of the tercentenary observance. He urged the people of Boston and the country to do all they could to have the abiding faith of Christopher Columbus when he sailed on his voyage of discovery and prediction that the present depression will be solved in "God's own good time." The problems of unemployment and other ills shall disappear.
Cardinal Lauds Principles
On Which A.F. of L. Is Founded

Prelate Presides at Mass Attended by National Officers, Mayor Curley and Italian Ambassador and His Staff

Before a congregation that numbered nearly 4000 persons, including President William E. Green of the American Federation of Labor, other national officers of the federation, the Italian Ambassador to the United States, Noble Giacomo de Martino and his staff, and Mayor Curley and daughter, Mary, Cardinal O'Connell yesterday welcomed the federation of labor and its officers and members. It was at solemn mass at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross.

The cardinal said the "principles which lie beneath and about the action of the federation are sound, based as they are in the main on the principles enunciated a quarter of a century ago by the great Pontiff of Labor, Pope Leo XIII, in his famous encyclical."

The cardinal also said that this must be clear to everyone who has followed the proceedings of the convention of the federation.

The head of the archdiocese of Boston also said that, "The two great principles underlying the rights of labor are justice and liberty, justice in the remuneration of the laborer for his share in industry, and liberty of organization for the protection of his legitimate interests. The laborer has a right to his due share in industry as he has a right to unite with his fellow laborers to protect that right."

"The laborer is not a chattel nor a machine. He is a human being with all the rights to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness which the dignity of his manhood and the worth of his labor so sacredly guarantee."

The sermon was preached by the Rev. Jonas J. Corrigan, S. J., professor of economics at Boston College.

The mass was begun at 10 A. M. by the cardinal. The Rev. Thomas R. Reynolds, director of the Catholic Charitable Bureau, was the celebrant. Seminarians from St. John's Ecclesiastical Seminary, Brighton, acted as deacon and sub-deacon. The Rev. Harry M. O'Connor was the master of ceremonies.

The music of the mass was by the choir of seminarians under the direction of Prof. Philip Feraro, organist, and the boys' sanctuary choir, under the direction of the Rev. William B. Foley.

RECEIVED IN SACRISTY

Superintendent of Police Michael H. Crowley, accompanied the Italian ambassador and his staff.

The regular corps of ushers of the cathedral under the direction of James J. Deery, had charge of the seating of the great throng.

Following the mass the cardinal received the ambassador, President Green and federation officers, and Mayor Curley in the sacristy. They were presented to the cardinal by the Rev. Dr. Nell A. Cronin, administrator of the Cathedral.

In the course of his address, the cardinal said in part:

It is rather a singular thing to look back a very short time, even within our own life and remember the apathy, the indifference which capital, the employer, had for laborers. The laborer was paid the smallest possible pittance. His condition was despised, his labor sweated and he was cheated out of his wages by a type of inhuman employer who had no heart for his employe and no brains to understand his responsibilities.

It is almost incredible that that condition should exist in our lives. In those early days, so changed from what they are even in our own lifetime, it is hard to realize that such hard-hearted greed and inhuman oppression could exist among the very class that prided themselves on their moral and intellectual superiority.

Finally the day came when the great Leo XIII raised his voice, and that voice was so just and so strong that the power of no one could close his ears to it. It was the voice of Leo calling out to employer and employee, to labor and capital, to cease in God's name this bitter fratricidal war and come to terms of understanding and co-operation. It was that voice which said that the basis for success was not greed and power, but co-operation.

From that day the rights of the laboring man have been more and more respected, until today the laboring man understands perfectly well the dignity of his life, he understands perfectly well that brutal greed and oppression will crush him and make him a mere element in co-operation on both sides. Why is it that those who possess wealth, the greedy capitalists, are the last to begin the work of unification? Because they are the last to begin the work of unification?

But in these days the laboring man has a voice that must be heard. My dear men of the federation of labor, let us all continue the work for more security. It is insanity, but we see it all around us.
TWO-DAY FETE OPENS IN HUB

With the Italian ambassador to the United States, His Excellency Nobile Giacomo De Martino, and an impressive list of city and state dignitaries attending, the new stadium at Columbus Park, South Boston, was dedicated yesterday before a throng of 35,000 people. Mayor James M. Curley, shown at the microphone, presided at the ceremony, while Ambassador De Martino was the principal speaker. A chorus of 500 school children joined in the singing of Columbia.

South Boston Park Dedicated

In a blaze of pomp, Boston yesterday opened a two-day fete in observance of the 438th anniversary of America's discovery. The program is sponsored by the Massachusetts Grand Lodge, Sons of Italy, in alliance with Mayor Curley and city dignitaries. A gala list of events is scheduled for today with a host of dignitaries from far and near present.

Before a crowd of 35,000, His Excellency Nobile Giacomo De Martino, Italian ambassador to the United States, was the chief speaker at the dedication of the new stadium at Columbus Park, South Boston.

Mayor Curley presided and Mgr. Richard J. Haberlin pronounced the invocation. Others in attendance were diplomatic agents of Pan-American countries. The new stadium was turned over to the city by Park Commissioner William P. Long.

POLICE TO PARADE

The festival will reach its climax today with two parades. The first will be the annual parade of the Boston police department when 1400 of the city's "finest" will pass in review. It will start at 10 o'clock in the morning and will be led by Supt. Crowley. It will be reviewed by Gov. Allen's representative, Adjt. Gen. Jesse F. Stevens; Mayor Curley, Ambassador Martino and Lieut. Col. Sir Hugh Trumbull, police commissioner of London, Eng.

At 3 p.m. the second parade, under the auspices of the Sons of Italy, with 6000 persons, 20 bands and nine floats, will swing into line. It will be composed of five divisions.

The route will be from Hanover st., to Scollay sq., through Court st., to Washington st., to Boylston st., to Tremont st, to Park, into Beacon and enter the Common through the Charles st. entrance.

TO BROADCAST EXERCISES

Frank Campbell is chief marshal of the parade and John V. Carcich is chief of staff. In the first division will be military units, the supreme and grand officers of the order; the death fund commission and six military units.

The second division will be composed of the Ausonia Council of the Knights of Columbus; the third will include 22 civic organizations; the fourth, 49 lodges of the order, and the fifth, decorated autos.

When the parade ends, exercises, which will be broadcast, will be held at the Tribune on the Common. Speakers will include Gov. Allen, Mayor Curley, Ambassador Martino and U. S. Senator David I. Walsh.

This morning a reception to Ambassador Martino and Consul-General Morgatti will be given at Revere City Hall. The distinguished guests, escorted by Mayor Andrew A. Casassa and members of the City Council, after the exercises, will go to St. Anthony's Church for further exercises before the statue there of Christopher Columbus.

CARDINAL TO BE GUEST

The Italian Historical Society will hold inaugural exercises in Jacob Sleeper Hall, Boylston st., at 9:30 in the morning. At noon in the Hotel Statler the Sons of Italy will hold a banquet in honor of the Italian ambassador. The guests will include Cardinal O'Connell.

A colorful spectacle on the Common tribune at 7:30 at night will close the observance. It will be a historical pageant depicting Italy's cultural achievements and contributions to the world. The highlight will be 17 tableaux showing epochs in the history of Italy up to and including the landing of Columbus at San Salvador.

GUARD FOR ENVOY

Earlier Ambassador De Martino was given a reception at the Ritz Carlton following his arrival in the city. To prevent rumored anti-Fascist plans against him, a detective detail has been assigned to guard him while he is in the city.

In the afternoon, a band concert was given in the North End, which was elaborately decorated with flags, bunting and colored electric lights for the occasion.

A banquet last night, with Mayor Curley presiding, was tendered the Italian Ambassador, with 500 attending. Addresses were made by the mayor, the ambassador, Commandatore Giovanni Pro Mero Margotti, Italian consul-general; Rt. Rev. Haberlin; Maj.-Gen. Fox Conner, commanding the First Corps Area, Senior Dr. Don Ricardo J. Alforo, Costa Rican envoy at Washington, and John E. Swift, state deputy, Knights of Columbus.
Italian officials and Mayor James M. Curley attended an American Federation of Labor mass on Columbus Day yesterday in Holy Cross Cathedral at which Cardinal O'Connell officiated. (Left to right) Count Sordi, rear, Pio Maria Maragotti, Boston Italian consul; Nobile G. DiMartino, Italian ambassador to U. S.; Cardinal O'Connell, Mayor Curley and Lt.-Col. Horace Ponneroli, aide to the Italian royal family and to the Ambassador.

All through our Tercentenary observances we have honored the founders of this nation, the founders of our first colonies, the founders of the various communities.

During the weeks leading up to Columbus Day our residents of Italian birth or descent have sat modestly back, yielding to the acclaim paid the Puritan and the Pilgrim.

Columbus Day—a two-day celebration this year—carries us back of these founders of 300 years ago. It carries us back 483 years to one man, Christopher Columbus, the forthright Genoese navigator who FOUND the country in the first place.

The country was there for some one, anyone, to find.

An Italian was the finder, and so we honor him now.

That an Italian was the discoverer of America was only one more gem in the dazzling crown of Italian accomplishments through the ages.

More and more the Italian becomes a part of this land. The number of Italians in the United States is estimated at 5,000,000. In Massachusetts they are upward of 250,000 strong, with probably 75 per cent of these living and working in Greater Boston.

In their thrift alone they set powerful example to persons of other races and racial descents. A large Italian bank in our North End has 2500 depositors, whose aggregate passbook figures run to more than $1,000,000.

Italians are enthusiastic patrons of Uncle Sam's postal savings bank. They have faith in our Government and back that faith with their weekly savings.

Did you know that our Hanover st. branch postal savings bank is the third largest in the postal system, exceeded only by New York city and Brooklyn? Ninety-five per cent of the depositors in the Hanover st. branch postal savings bank are Italians. Their deposits amount to more than the deposits in all the other stations in Boston postal district.
SEES FASCISM AS SAVIOR OF ITALY

Italian Ambassador Defends Mussolini Regime—Curley Hits Legion Attackers As Sons of Slackers

Mayor Curley delivered a withering attack on Harvard University and the Harvard Crimson for its "Drunk Legion" editorial when he stated last night, at the dinner to the Italian ambassador, Nobile Giacomo de Martino, that in all probability any excesses at the time of the American Legion convention "could be traced to sons of slacker representatives of that university, who never wore a uniform during the war, but seek to bring discredit on a great citizen soldiers whose heroism made possible the preservation of liberty."

DEFENDS FASCIST REGIME

The other high light of the brilliant dinner at Hotel Statler held in honor of Italy's representative, was the statement by Ambassador de Martino that it is utterly false to pretend that his country was under a regime of restriction and violence and his assertion that Italy did not desire to implant Fascism in the other coasts of the world.

The dinner was a climax of a busy day for Ambassador de Martino. The bitter reply of Mayor Curley to the editorial in Harvard's undergraduate publication which termed the Legion convention "an excuse for a wholesale brawl," came in his introduction of O. L. Bodenhamer, retiring national commander of the Legion. The fact that the guests were unprepared for such a vehemence reply made it the more dramatic.

The Mayor stated that Boston had witnessed a remarkable demonstration during the convention when 70,000 Legion members paraded and every man in line conducted himself like a gentleman.

Then he presented Past Commander Bodenhamer with a gavel carved from a post of Faneull Hall, before it was reconstructed.

"The last statement," said the retiring head of the Legion, "coming from the chief executive of the host city of the American Legion at its 13th annual convention, will cause a great deal of pleasure and will bring a responsive cord in the hearts of the 600,000 men and women of this country who compose the American Legion."

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"Columbus had ideals to support him, spiritual factors in this history of mankind are the real foundations of progress. They are the bases of the evolution of mankind and in the Italian way you see the power of spiritual factors in all their significance."

Inspired by High Ideals

"Contrary to what many people believe, the spirit of the politician and economic government which we call Fascism, is inspired by high philosophy and ideals."

"It is utterly false to pretend that Italy is under a regime of restriction and violence. The opposite is demonstrated in every way. We have often declared that we Italians are pleased with our system of government. And we have not the slightest idea of attempting to implant this system in other countries. Each of the other countries are different and we therefore say that Fascism is an Italian idea as we want it for our country."

"It is easy to criticize a new system because it is new. But what is new in mankind? Nothing is new. Nothing is old. Nothing is determined. And what is the test of a system of political and social government? First, its morality and righteousness. Second, it must have the consent of the people. Both of these principles are fulfilled by Fascism in Italy.

At the end of the World war two forces came out of the conflict for Italy. One was Bolshevism that threatened to destroy social order and the other was Fascism that meant progress.

All Support Mussolini

"It is false to say that Fascism has not the support of the people. Italy has thousands of years of history and experience behind her, both glorious and sad. Do you think that a nation with such a gift would institute a system of government not in accord with the wishes of her people? All the people of Italy support the government of Premier Mussolini with their heartfelt consent.

"In these days of general trade and economic depression it attacks all the nations of the world and our country. We have just returned from Italy and the country faces unemployment much less than in this country. An observer can readily see the spirit of cooperation and discipline which exists there. We appreciate everything that is efficient, and believe that the understanding between the two nations which we have realized will be fruitful. They must unite in working together for the progress of humanity."

"Cross in Hand"

"Cross in hand," said this speaker, "he waded ashore to an unknown land and now State vies with State in paying him honor."

He called attention to the proud position of Italy in the world of art and science and said that on our own day we had never been more noble than the handings of Pope and King. Captain Major-General Fox Connor, commandant of the First Corps Area, said that the Americans in the army of the United States were always various soldiers.

Commander Guy Davis of the Boston Navy Yard said that no one who had been in the army and spent many weeks on the sea could appreciately do the 72 days which it took Columbus to cross an unknown ocean in ships about the size of the Arabela."

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TRIBUTE TODAY TO DISCOVERER

City Will Join With Italian Societies of New England in Honoring Memory of Columbus

Boston will pay tribute today to the memory of the great discoverer with one of the most colorful and elaborate Columbus Day programmes ever arranged here.

Under the auspices of the Order Sons of Italy in America, and with the co-operation of the Governor, the Mayor and other officials, a series of luncheons, banquets, band concerts, parades and a pageant, from early morning until late at night, will usher in and close the day set aside to commemorate the 438th anniversary of the discovery of America.

TWO PARADES HERE

Two outstanding features will mark the celebration. One is the presence in the city of Nobile Giacomo de Martino, the Grand Duke Vytantas, who is regarded as the greatest living Lithuanian patriot, and was granted one of his escorts down to Park street, otherwise it will continue along Beacon street to Dartmouth street, to Copley square and Huntington avenue and Irvington street, where it will swing into the South Armory. The parade will pass through the Charles street entrance, otherwise it will continue along Beacon street to Dartmouth street, to Copley square and Huntington avenue and Irvington street, where it will swing into the South Armory.

The parades will be reviewed by the Italian ambassador, Governor Allen, Mayor Curley and other dignitaries.

Pageant Tonight

The programme will be brought to a close following a colorful programme arranged for 9:30 o'clock at the tribune, to include a special musical programme, with a 50-piece orchestra and a large chorus included. It will be a pageant consisting of living tableaux depicting the high lights in the historical and cultural achievements and contributions by Italy to the world.

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Notable Guests Invited

While the city's chief guest today will be the Italian ambassador, a number of prominent representatives of Latin-American countries, invited here for the observances by Mayor Curley, are expected to attend the various functions arranged throughout the city. The Mayor's invitation included prominent members of the diplomatic and consular representatives of all the Latin-American countries at Washington.

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A gala Lithuanian celebration was held last night at Symphony Hall in memory of the Lithuanian patriot, the Grand Duke Vytantas, who is regarded as their George Washington. A chorus of more than 40 voices was grouped upon the stage. They wore native costumes and presented a musical programme by Lithuanian composers.

Joseph B. Edy, democratic candidate for Governor of Massachusetts, outlined briefly the history of the Lithuanians in paying tribute to the oldest civilization in Europe. He stated that the Lithuanians had culture long before the coming of the Teutons and Slavs into middle Europe. Joseph A. Conry, representing Mayor Curley, also made an address.

Conry said: "Mayor Curley extends the official greeting of Boston to the Lithuanians of Massachusetts, who assembled in honor of the memory of a man distinguished as a soldier who established Lithuanian independence, as a scholar who destroyed paganism and on whose firmly laid the foundations for the Catholic Church."

Revere a lunch on programme will mark the day's observances with band concerts, fireworks and open-air exercises scheduled at City Hall, Paul Revere Park, and Columbus square.

The exercises at the tribune after the parade are scheduled for 9:30 o'clock, and the addresses to be made there. Among the speakers will be the Italian ambassador, Governor Allen, Senator Walsh and Mayor Curley.

THE MAYOR'S COURTESY

To the Editor of the Post:

I want to thank his Honor Mayor Curley, through your paper, for the kindness he showed to my two sisters and myself Monday evening at the "40 and 8" parade.

We were standing in front of the Court of Honor, and Mayor Curley granted the privilege of doing so by two very courteous police officers who were on duty there.

After standing there awhile the Mayor sent one of his escorts down to escort us up to a seat in the reviewing stand, which we sincerely appreciated.

Also many thanks to the two police officers.

I. G. M.

Dorchester
Though a story had been put in circulation that an anti-Fascist demonstration might be staged at the public arms parade at Columbus Day, nothing of this nature occurred. Details were made by representatives of the Italian government that they feared a demonstration or were apprehensive for the safety of the visitors.

Following a concert by the municipal band, a group of Indians, headed by Joseph Crouson, took a position in the center of the stadium and warily watched the approach of "Columbus" and his crew. The part of the great navigator was taken by Joseph A. O'Neill, who greeted the Indians by holding aloft a rude cross. The visitors were then received by the natives.

**Cites Change of Attitude**

The meeting was opened by John B. Archibald, chairman of the Columbus Day committee, who presented Mayor Curley. The latter said it was a fitting climax to the tercentenary celebrations this year to dedicate the stadium on the anniversary of the discovery of America. He commented on the change of attitude in the country and said it was an era of C. L. Bohemian, the retiring commander of the American Legion, that his organization planned to work in harmony with the American Federation of Labor. He said it was also pleasing to hear the courageous announcement of Cardinal O'Connell at the Cathedral asking for justice for those who work.

**As Lungs to the Body**

"I do not feel I need any words of praise for this improvement," said the Mayor in response. "One of the great statesmen has said that the most important thing the government is the improvement of public health. Every park of this kind bears the same relation to the community that the lungs do to the human body."

This project was started in 1917 and while it was out of office the work was not carried forward. I suppose the reason was the old feeling of origin. The work has gone ahead and at the end of another 12 months, when the development will be completed. On the completion of the new L street baths, the utilities there will be completed and Palm Beach will be brought to Boston. For the first time in the United States a municipal resort will be available with a quartz glass roof and cots to enable all the city of Boston to enjoy health-giving violet rays of the sea.

Led by a delegation of the Bishop Cheverus Assembly, Knight of Columbus, the Mayor and the distinguished guests marched from the grandstand to the flagpole where the Mayor raised the American flag.

**Flags of Latin-America**

The flags of the Central and South American countries were carried into the stadium by cadets from the Roxbury High School and Senator Don Manuel Castro Quevedo, minister of the Republic of Costa Rica, was introduced as a representative of the Pan-American Union. In presenting him to the audience Mayor Curley stated that he hoped the unselfish attitude of the United States in dealing with the Latin-American countries would be just.

**FLAG-RAISING AT COLUMBUS PARK**

Scene as Mayor Curley, with hands upraised, tugged at the halyards and raised the flag at dedication of stadium at Columbus Park yesterday.

A little bit better understood for our sole aim is to promote harmony and better relations between these countries and our own.

The Costa Rican minister delivered his address in Spanish and closed by stating: "Boston beat; Boston always and Boston forever."

Giovanni Mario pio Margott, the Italian consul at Boston, waved his flag at the speaking programme in reference to the presence of the ambassador and Vinvent Brogna, the general president of the Grand Lodge of the Order of Sons of Italy, was present. Mr. Brogna stated that many people had the idea that the Sons of Italy was an organization whose purpose was to care for the widows and orphans of their countrymen. This activity was only one feature and the main purpose of the order was to create a better understanding between the Italian residents in this country and their neighbors, he stated.

John E. Smith, supreme director of the Knights of Columbus, said that it was fitting that we should pay tribute to the courage and daring of Columbus, and called attention to the hardships which he endured to find a new path across the unknown ocean. In this day, he said, the spirit of Columbus bids us to renew our faith in the Almighty.

The Mayor lauded the Italian ambassador as one of the helpers of Mussolini, and stated that he had held the important posts of Italian ambassador at Berlin, London and Tokyo. At the time of the Japanese earthquake in 1923, every government in the world praised him for his service.

"I am very grateful to you for having asked me to be your guest at your observance of the works of Christopher Columbus," said Ambassador de Martino. "You here in America have no greater pride than to belong to a country that gave birth to Columbus. I thank the Mayor for his gracious expressions to my city and to the map who is leading Italy to a happy destiny. Before I left Rome I had a talk with Premier Mussolini and told him I was coming to Boston to participate in this observance.

"He expressed his appreciation for the invitation and told of his regard for Boston and its chief executive. He is familiar with Boston, the city of Emerson, the thinker, and he well knows your history of culture and education. "Columbus attempted and solved the mystery of the Atlantic and opened up a great road of progress in the world. He was the first soldier in the army which has among its members George Washington, Jefferson and Lincoln. The last of this army, the unknown soldier who lies on the hills of Arlington Cemetery and all the tributes at the grave of the unknown soldier mean a better understanding among nations of the world."

The consuls of a number of countries were introduced to the audience, including Kurt von Tippelskirch of Germany George N. Frifiti of Albania, Carl W. Johanson of Sweden, Filomena Mata of Mexico, Enrique Narange of Colombia and Johannes H. Heer of Holland. A military formation by the high school cadets, and the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner" by 500 South Boston school children, led by John A. O'Shea, director of music in the public schools, completed the programme.
"Greedy, Heartless Rich"

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"But in these days the laboring man has a voice that must be heard. My dear men of the Federation of Labor, lift up your hearts and thank God and ask Him to preserve you from the greed of the rich, the heartless rich—not the rich who have plenty and who are all the time trying to do something for their neighbor—God bless them. I am not condemning them. I am talking about the greedy, wealthy, heartless rich, and there are such.

Duty of Rich to Help Now

"This coming winter we are going to have very hard times according to all signs unless we are saved by a miracle of God. According to all signs we are going to have very disagreeable times and now is the time for the rich if they have any hearts at all, to stop and think that united and co-operating with this great movement which is going on for the welfare of all, for the welfare of the whole nation, we may avert in some measure at least the catastrophe that threatens.

"May God's blessing rest upon you, as it does rest upon you here this morning and may the time which we all hope for be brought about, so that this land will be what it really was intended to be, a blessed land of peace and prosperity.

Sermon by Fr. Corrigan

The Rev. James L. Corrigan, S. J., of Boston College preached the sermon of the day and dwelt at length at the injustice which has been done to labor for many years. He also complimented the American Federation of Labor as being the one organization that has successfully fought Bolshevism.

The solemn high Mass was sung by the Rev. Thomas R. Reynolds, who was assisted by seminarians from St. John's Seminary as deacon and sub-deacon. The Rev. Harry M. O'Connor was master of ceremonies. The music was furnished by the regular choir and the boys' sanctuary choir under the direction of the Rev. William B. Foley.

With Ambassador de Martino, who occupied front pews on the left side of the main aisle, were Mayor Curley and his daughter, Miss Mary Curley, Lieutenants Colonel Marco Pennaroli, military attache at Washington, D. C., Vincent Brogna, Jerome Patitelli, Giovanni Marta Pio Margottl, Italian Consul-general at Boston, Count Carlo Scardone, secretary to the ambassador and others.

ITALIAN AMBASSADOR AT COLUMBUS PARK EXERCISES

Nobile Giacomo de Martino, Italian ambassador to the United States, shown as he addressed crowds at dedication of Columbus Stadium, Columbus Park, South Boston, yesterday.

The new Columbus Stadium, at Columbus Park, South Boston, was dedicated and a reception tendered to Nobile Giacomo de Martino, Italian ambassador to the United States, and to Pan-American representatives, with pageantry, music and patriotic addresses, yesterday afternoon.

WITNESSED BY 20,000

A crowd of 20,000 people that filled and surrounded the structure listened to the speeches which had for their themes the better understanding between the nations of the world. The Italian ambassador brought the greetings of Premier Mussolini to Mayor Curley and the city of Boston.
CARDINAL O'CONNELL AND LABOR LEADERS MEET AFTER MASS AT CATHEDRAL

Labor leaders shown with the Cardinal after mass at the Cathedral yesterday. At the Cardinal's right is William Green, president of the A. F. of L. At his left is Mayor Curley, the Rev. Jones I. J. Corrigan, S. J., and Frank Duggan, vice-president of the Federation.

CARDINAL IN PLEA TO WEALTHY

Predicting hard times during the coming winter, Cardinal O'Connell, in an address during the solemn high mass at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross to delegates attending the American Federation of Labor convention, called upon the rich of the country to come to the aid of the poor. "If they have any hearts at all."

He urged the rich to co-operate with the American Federation of Labor in finding some solution for the "hard times" before it is too late. He also paid tribute to the work of the A. F. of L., and said if it had not been for that organization labor would be in the same position it was in olden days.

Following the mass, the Cardinal received President Green and more than a score of international officers and delegates, who entered the sacristy along with Ambassador Nobile Giacomo de Martinis, Mayor Curley and others connected with the Italian ambassador's party.

After the brief reception in the sacristy, the Cardinal posed for photographs with the ambassador's party and with the labor leaders. Before addressing the labor delegation he said a word of greeting in Italian to Ambassador de Martinis.

"It is a very great pleasure to all of us to welcome here in this beautiful church President Green and the officers and members of the American Federation of Labor. This association, which began, as all great things begin, very humbly and quietly, has grown to be of gigantic proportions.

"This association contributes not only to the welfare of the individual members of the organization, but to the whole country, and indeed to the whole world. It is rather a singular thing to look back a very short time, even to our own life, and remember the apathy, the indifference which capitalized the employer, had for laborers."

"Cheated Out of His Wages"

"The laborer was paid the smallest possible pittance. His condition was despised, his labor sweated and he was cheated out of his wages by a type of inhuman employer who had no heart for his employee and no brains to understand his responsibilities. It is almost incredible that that condition should exist in our lives."

"In those early days, so changed from what they are even in our own lifetime, it is hard to realize that such hard-hearted greed and inhuman oppression could exist among the very class that prided themselves on their moral and intellectual superiority."

"Great Influence of the Church"

"Fortunately for the working man, the great moral power of the pulpit was the only influence in those times that could bring the hard-hearted rich to a sense of responsibility toward labor. And the church did it. Well, you know what happened then. There was a great break and that wonderful power, the united power of our church, was broken and the kings and the powers of the earth made their own church and put themselves at the head of it, so that in all those places where the church was broken the head of the church was the king and the noble. Where was the working man then? Where was the poor man then? Had he a voice or a right to raise his voice. It was incredible that a thing of that kind should happen, but it did."

"Great Leo XIII. Raised His Voice"

"It was treason to bring the word of God into England and some other countries. The rich and wealthy could do what they liked and there was no one to say them nay. In fact, the moral power of the church was throttled by the wealthy."

"Finally, the day came when the great Leo XIII. raised his voice, and that voice was so just and so strong that the power of no one could close his ears to it. It was the voice of Leo calling out to employer and employee, to labor and capital, to cease in God's name this bitter fratricidal war and come in terms of understanding and cooperation. It was that voice which said that the basis for success was not greed and power but co-operation."
COLORFUL CLIMAX FOR COLUMBUS DAY

Brilliant Program on Common Attended by 50,000, as Italy Is Honored by City and State

Magnificently spectacular was the culminating event of the Columbus Day celebration at the Tribune on the Common, immediately after the parade yesterday in the center. There must have been 50,000 people assembled in front of the Tribune. The crowd flowed back across the parade ground to the top of Monument Hill.

The Mayor’s speech, especially immediately in front of the Tribune where those who took part in the great parade were assembled with their flags, and bands, all further emphasized by the picturesque uniforms and costumes of the men and women in the different units.

The day was perfect for such an event and that vast crowd with the hundreds of American and Italian flags made an unforgettable picture as the sun set melted into twilight and the darkness was relieved by the powerful electric lights. It was a responsive crowd to all the patriotic words that were spoken from the Tribune.

Grand Lodge Auspices

It was all done under the auspices of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts and Order of Sons of Italy in America, and it was exceptionally well done. In fact, the best Columbus Day celebration ever seen in this city for the Italians entered into it with all their well-known enthusiasm and their good nature, parade, display and their sense of the dramatic as well as the artistic in such things.

The Italian Ambassador, Nobilo Giancarno de Martino—the special guest of the occasion—was deeply impressed by it all and very proud of it. He showed it in actions and words.

The paraders came in through the gate at Beacon and Charles streets and took their places in front of the Tribune with a display of massed colors in the center. The women paraders—there must have been more than 1000 of them—were given seats in the Tribune and in front of the Tribune. They made a fine showing and nearly every woman carried a small American flag.

Three of the bands were stationed—one in front and one on either side of the Tribune—and they played alternately patriotic American and Italian airs.

There were four people who received ovations from the crowd and one of them wasn’t there—Mussolini. But his spirit was there. Mayor Curley, Gov. Allen and Ambassador de Martino. They and Mussolini were the heroes of the hour—

at the Tribune. Of the entire quarter Mayor Curley had a shade the best of it in applause.

Blessing of Flags

An impressive incident in the exercises was the blessing of the flags—an American and an Italian flag presented by the Grand Lodge by Mgr Habelin. The American flag was sponsored by Mrs William Lowell Putnam and the Italian by John Cifirino.

The guests on the grandstand in the Tribune were Ambassador de Martino, Gov. Allen, Mayor Curley, Mrs William Lowell Putnam, Pio Mario Margotti, Italian Consul; Saverio R. Romano, Vincent Bregna, John Cifirino, Michael A. Fredo, Nazzareno Toccano, Giuseppe Barresi, Frank Ciambrelli, Hon Joseph T. Zolotti, Joseph V. Moresche and Romeo Moustelci.

Vincent Bregna, Grand Venerable of the Grand Lodge, was chairman, and in opening the exercises said he wished to extend the gratitude of the order to Mayor Curley for his acceptance of the invitation to be present. He also extended the gratitude of the order to Ambassador de Martino for his assistance and cooperation, without which this day might not have been the success it has been.

He said the discovery of America by Columbus 438 years ago and the establishment of a free Government in Massachusetts 300 years ago seemed like something inspired by a higher power.

Object of Order

Mr. Bregna explained that the object of the Order of the Sons of Italy in America was to make clear the American culture to the new Italian arrivals—and to those already here—as well as to preserve the Italian culture.

He said: “It is an effective instrument in battling down race prejudice and arming the spirit of cooperation with all other elements in American life. It is based on the true spirit of Americanism.”

Gov. Allen got a warm reception. He said it was a great privilege to be present and to witness such a scene in the place where the Tercentenary of the Massachusetts Bay Colony had been celebrated at Boston Common. So it was a pleasure to extend the greetings of Massachusetts.

Gov. Allen paid a fine tribute to Christopher Columbus and he said the world owed a great debt to Italy and Italian culture and in conclusion he said: “Let us all stand together and do our part.”

Ambassador de Martino got a great welcome in response to which he gave the Fascist salute. He said that as a representative of Italy the whole thing was a wonderful and joyous sight. “Just to see the flags of Italy and America coming together in this magnificent way. It is inspiring and conveys to us a deep feeling of friendship and love.”

Traces Liberty Fight

He then traced the fight for liberty and consolidation which Italy had made in 1867 under Garibaldi, Victor Emmanuel and Count Cavon, and told how that work had since progressed and how it had been accelerated by Benito Mussolini.

At the mention of that name there was an uproar and the bands struck up the Italian national air, while the Ambassador held his hand aloft, giving the Fascist salute.

He told of the vast program of education and public enterprises going on in Italy and he said that although they had an unemployment problem in Italy it was not nearly as acute as in the United States, and that the Government had the matter well in hand.

Mayor Curley was introduced as “the most capable Mayor we ever had,” and he certainly got a big reception from both bands and audience. The Mayor paid a fine tribute to Columbus and to the Italian race, which had done so much for civilization.

“He is this Tribe for the past three months we have been seen in pageantry, music and art the various racial cultures which make America, all celebrating the Tercentenary of the Bay Colony of Massachusetts—all contributing something of importance to our common country,” he said.

The Mayor told the real story of Italy’s fight in the World War, and how for three years she stood almost alone holding back the Austrians from the western front—it saved the day for Italy and allies.

Saverio R. Romano made an address in Italian.
MAYOR ASKS INDUSTRY TO HELP ITSELF

Calls on Typothetae to Stabilize Their Business

Calling upon the United Typothetae of America, organization of employing printers of the country, to stabilize their business so that a continuity of work throughout the year, and year after year, will be maintained. Mayor Curley yesterday, said, "In the field of business, the same principles of continuity of work should be extended as are now the rule in the fields of manufacture and production."

SHOULD HELP ITSELF

He urged industry to help itself, by organizing and regulating its business, so that production and distribution would go on evenly throughout the years, without excessive ups and downs which so often spell disaster to the men and women employed by the industry.

Faith Only Thing Lost

"The only thing we have lost is faith in ourselves, and our ability to devise a programme that will make for economic, social, and industrial progress."

Mayor Signs Texas

Cowboy's 10-Gallon Hat

E. J. Hickey, the hitchhiking cowboy from Texas, University, called on Mayor Curley at City Hall yesterday and presented his annual address of the Typothetae of America, organization of the United States.

START TO RAZE CITY REVIEWING STANDS

Acting on order of Mayor Curley, workmen yesterday began the immediate demolition of the reviewing stands and columns which were in the rear of the parade routes and columns which were in the rear of the parade routes and columns which were in the rear of the parade routes.
50,000 Line Streets to View Annual Police Dept. Parade

While a record throng of 50,000 people packed the streets for the annual police parade on the Common, the crowd was three times greater than any parade witnessed in the past. The parade started at 2 p.m., and the Reviewing Stand was located at the corner of Massachusetts Avenue and Beacon Street. The parade route was approximately 6 miles long, and the floats were decorated with flags of the United States and Italy at the head of the parade. The parade was divided into eight sections, and each section was comprised of different organizations, including the Sons of Italy, Italian War Veterans, and military units.

The parade was led by the Boston Police Department, followed by floats representing different organizations, including the Italian War Veterans, Italian American Societies, and the Sons of Italy. The parade ended with a review of military units, including the 110th cavalry with their mounted band, the First Corps Cadets, and the Italian War Veterans.

Notables in the stand reviewing the police parade on the Common were left to right: Admiral Louis M. Nulton, Sir Hugh Turnbull, Police Commissioner of London, Lt. Colonel Kavanagh, Commissioner Kavanagh, Sup. Crowley.

The parade was a great event for the people of Boston, and it was a great opportunity for the city to show off its pride in its Italian American community. The parade was a testament to the hard work and dedication of the Boston Police Department and all the organizations that participated in the parade. The parade was a wonderful event that brought together people from all walks of life and celebrated the rich history and culture of Boston.
ITALY'S CHILDREN IN GREAT PARADE

Procession of 6000 Climaxes Day of Celebration -- Ambassador De Martino Feted by Throngs

The children of Italy in the New World, marching in a long, colorful procession through the crowded streets of Boston yesterday afternoon, paid high honor to the memory of Christopher Columbus.

The parade was a climax of a day crowded with patriotic functions and demonstrations. Helping Boston to celebrate the achievement of the intrepid navigator was the highest representative of the Italian government in this country, Ambassador Nobile Giacomo de Martino.

EXPLAINS FASCISM

Every minute of the day, this quiet, serious diplomat, was feted and acclaimed as he went from one function to another throughout Greater Boston. He participated in six of these events and to his countrymen in Boston he brought an explanation of the Fascist government; the expressed desire for harmony between Italy and America and the advice that "a good Italian makes a good American citizen."

Before leaving Rome for Washington late last night, the ambassador stated that never had he been the recipient of such a continual round of official and sincere hospitality.

The events he attended during the day included the organization meeting of the new Italian Historical Society of Massachusetts; a reception by the Mayor and officials of Revere; a luncheon in his honor at the Hotel Statler; the parade exercises on the Common; a banquet last night at the Copley Plaza where he was the guest of the Italian Chamber of Commerce.

6000 Marchers

Yesterday's parade fulfilled the celebration of previous years. It was under the auspices of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts; Sons of Italy, and the Italian residents of New England gathered in Boston to participate in the demonstration.

There were a score of bands in line, nine floats and 6000 marchers who paraded from the North End to the Common in brilliant uniforms, costumes and the insignia of their organizations. Heading the parade as grand marshal was Cavalier Frank Ciambelli and with him marched his staff of prominent citizens.

The grandstands which saw service at the tercentenary and Legion parades were again filled with thousands of spectators yesterday as the marchers toward Tremont street to the music of their bands. At the Court of Honor on Tremont street the Ambassador was received by a group of dignitaries that included Ambassador de Martino, Governor Allen, Mayor Curley, the Right, Rev. Richard J. Haberlin, Sir Hugh Turnbull, police commissioner of London, England; Lt. Col. Robert L. Collins, representative of Gen. Fox Connor, new army base commander; John Cifirino, Joseph Tampascio and Judge Frank Leveroni.

A single accident marked the parade. Anthony Palmaccia, 14, of 69 Webster avenue, fell 15 feet from a coping at 160 Tremont street, almost directly opposite the reviewing stand. The boy was taken to the Haymarket Relief Station. An American Legion parades, again filled to capacity. From the North end, where greetings were shouted from open windows to marchers from the district, to the Common, where the paraders broke ranks for the following exercises, there was not a single break in the crowds that packed the sidewalks.

In the processions there were float's telling of the history and accomplishments of Italy, thousands of marchers, many in brilliant costumes, from scores of lodges of the Order of Sons of Italy, soldiers, sailors and more than 20 bands. The parade took 2½ hours and 16 minutes to pass the reviewing stand.

Ambassador de Martino, Italiam consul general at Boston, and attaches of the embassy at Washington, who accompanied the ambassador here, returned the salute of the marchers, many of them the outstretched hand of the missions greeting at the court of honor on Tremont street. Gov. Allen and Mayor Curley were on either side of the ambassador in review, and others in the stand included Sir Hugh Turnbull, police commissioner of London, England; Rt. Rev. Mgr. Richard J. Haberlin, Dr. Thomas De Marco, Italian consul at Springfield; Lt.-Col. Robert L. Collins, representative of Gen. Fox Connor, new army base commander; John Cifirino, Joseph Tampascio and Judge Frank Leveroni.

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The signal which started the parade at 2:45 P. M. Moving up Hanover street to Boylston square and through Washington to Boylston street, the parade
Gillen, as well as a number of retired police officers. Judge Henry N. Blake, father-in-law of Police Commissioner Hultman and one of the oldest Harvard graduates, was among the reviewers. He occupied a front seat with his wife and Mrs. Hultman. It was the first time that the Mayor of the city reviewed the parade on the Common.

Curley Gives Flowers


The parade started just as scheduled, at 9:30, on Commonwealth Ave. at Dartmouth st., and proceeded to Arlington st., to Boylston st. to Tremont st. to Temple pl. Washington, School and Beacon sts. to Charles st. and through the main gates of the Common. where the review was held on the parade grounds.

A skeleton force patroled the city on foot and in fast cars while their 1400 brother officers marched. Mayor Curley reviewed the parade at the Court of Honor on Tremont st. As the marchers passed the grandstand on Tremont near West st. a section of the crowd broke into flames, which started in refuse underneath.

People hurried from the stand while a couple of men tore away the flaming section. Sergt Edward Carey brought a fire extinguisher into play and the blaze was quickly put out.

Record Crowd on Hand

Patrolman Leo J. Herlihy of Back Bay Station, drum major, received much applause. The crowd, which witnessed both the parade and review, was by far the largest that has gathered for an event of this kind. Congratulations were showered on Commissioner Hultman and Supt. Crowley as well as the drillmasters, Capt. Louis E. Lutz and Lt. Thomas S. J. Kavanagh, for the fine appearance made by the men.

Gov. Aumen did not review the parade, but was represented at the State House by Maj. Gen. Jesse F. Stevens. There was no competition among the divisions this year. All of the 20 divisions were marched by its commanding officer, were in the parade as well as the mounted, machine gun, motorcycle and shotgun units and two of the latest type patrol wagons.

The divisions appeared in line according to the seniority of their commanders. Capt. John E. Driscoll, being the oldest commander, Division 19, was the first in line.

In order to make a full company for the Hyde Park and Harbor Divisions, officers from the divisions were assigned to march with them. This was the first parade reviewed by Commissioner Hultman since he took command, and he seemed much pleased with the men. He thought they did a fine job. In spite of the fact that they were so busy during the past week and hardly had time for practice and drill.

25,000 AT TRIBUNE

Speakers Laud Art, History and Valor of Italian Race; Governor, Mayor and Ambassador Address Gathering

Appreciation of the art, the history and the valor of the Italian race was expressed late yesterday afternoon at the Tercentenary Tribune on Boston Common where 25,000 men, women and children made up the most colorful audience at this edifice which has played such an important part in the observance of the founding of the old Bay State.

It was here that the 600 marchers in the Columbus Day parade ranged themselves around the structure in their brilliant uniforms and costumes. They were joined by a small army of spectaculors who emulated the parade grandstands to participate in the exercises and listen to addresses by Ambassador Nobilo Giacomo de Martinis, Governor Allen, Mayor Curley and others.

The meeting was opened by Attorney Felix Force who stated that it was fitting that the exercises take place at the spot where the arts and drama of so many races had been exhibited during recent months. Besides being the anniversary of the discovery of America, he recalled that the present year was also the 200th anniversary of the birth of the great Latin poet, Virgil.

Gand Venerable Vincent Bologna of the Sons of Italy welcomed the audience and said that the Italians of Massachusetts appreciated the visit of the highest minister of the Italian government. He was in observance of the two greatest events in history, the discovery of America by Columbus and the establishment of a free government in the new world by the Puritans. He stated that in the past, some people were inclined to criticize the display of the Italian and American flags together, but he said all the demonstration in the Italian race signified their American patriotism. Some 30 years ago, he stated, an effort was made to have the Italian forget his past and his native country, but this member of American society still points with pride to his heritage.

A unique ceremony took place at the tribute when the Rt. Rev. Richard A. Haberlin blessed the flags of the United States and Italy. Mrs. William Lowell Putnam was the sponsor of the American flag, while John Cifrione sponsored the Italian flag.

Governor Allen stated that the world owes a debt to Italy, whose men have been leaders in every land. In our own Commonwealth, he said, there have been high public office and have constantly demonstrated their sterling qualities of good citizenship.

Aid Back in 1867

Ambassador de Martinis told of his deep emotion at seeing the thousands of his native countrymen marching together in the parade and to see the flags of Italy and America blended together to represent peace and harmony.

In 1867, when Italy was fighting a war of independence, he said that here in Boston a subscription for the Italian force was started which furnished a gun for the Italians. But today, he said, there is no need for guns but the desire on the part of both countries to work for the peace of the world.

SONS OF ITALY HOSTS

Ambassador Tells 500 Members of Grand Lodge That If They Are Good Italians They Will Also Be Good Americans

Ambassador de Martinis was feted by 500 members of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, Sons of Italy, at noon yesterday at a luncheon in his honor at the Hotel Statler. The big ball room of the hotel was decorated with hunting and the flags of Italy and America, and Italian dishes were served to the guests.

Jerome A. Petiti, chairman of the committee in charge of the affair and the toastmaster, said that the activities of the day would bring home to the people this proud heritage of the Italian race. Not always is the Italian appreciated in his new home, he said, but it seems that he is the first man who is fired and the last to be hired.

The ambassador, speaking in Italian, paid a tribute to the popularity of Mayor Curley and then stated that Premier Mussolini had advised that there be fewer and shorter public speeches. He told the guests that if they were good Italians they would also be good American citizens.

The toastmaster introduced to the guests, Mayor Curley, the Rt. Rev. Richard A. Haberlin, Lieutenant Governor William S. Youngman, Consul Giovanni Maria Pio Margotti of Boston, Mrs. William Lowell Putnam and Lieutenant-Colonel Marco Punnaroll, military attaché at the Italian Embassy at Washington.
Many thousands were on the parade grounds on the Common as the police regiment lined up for the dress review. This year the officers on review faced different than in other years, being brought up in formation in front of the tribune where Commissioner Hultman and his guests were seated.

Sir Hugh Turnbull, in his colorful regalia as police commissioner of the city of London, was prominent among the guests, as was Mayor Curley, Lieutenant Governor William S. Youngman, Traffic Commissioner Joseph A. Conry and army and navy officials.

Bouquets to the Officers

The appearance of Mayor Curley on the reviewing stand at the dress parade marched the first time that a mayor of the city has been a guest since the dress parades were inaugurated 10 years ago. As the troops passed the tribune Mayor Curley, through Sergeant Patrick H. Purcell, presented bouquets of flowers to Superintendent Crowley, Deputy Superintendent Thomas F. Goode and Deputy Superintendent James McDevitt.

The collapse of Captain Driscoll occurred a few minutes after the finish of the street parade. He was lining his men up for the dress review when he suddenly collapsed and dropped. He was rushed to a waiting ambulance. Lieutenant Emerson F. Marsh, aid to Captain Driscoll, took over command of the company and led it through the review. Captain Driscoll, who had regained consciousness before the ambulance reached the Relief Hospital, returned to the parade ground and refused to go home until his men had finished drilling.

Herlihy as Drum Major

Patrolman Leo J. Herlihy of the Back Bay station, leader of the police band before it was disbanded several years ago, was given a hearty cheer by the crowds on the Common as he led the two combined bands which had been in the street parade before the tribune. His skill at twirling the drum major's baton was greeted with great applause by the crowd. Everywhere along the line through Commonwealth avenue, Arlington, Boylston, Tremont streets, Temple place, Washington, School and Beacon streets the crowd cheered the riot squad battalion led by Lieutenant Edward F. Fallon of the Back Bay station, the youngest lieutenant in the department. The sub-machine gun and motorcycle squads also came in for a large share of the applause.

Marching in their heavy uniform dress coats, in the Summer heat of yesterday, Boston’s policemen presented a fine appearance and received favorable comment from the 60,000 persons who lined the streets of the parade route to witness the annual spectacle.

Only one officer suffered greatly from the heat. He was Capt John E. Driscoll, veteran commander of Division 19. He was taken ill on the Common. Removed to City Hospital in the police ambulance, he refused to enter, stated that he was again feeling fine and ordered the officers to take him back to the Common.

Feel Severe Heat

Every policeman in line felt the severe heat and wished that he had not changed from his Summer blouse into the Fall uniform. But Columbus Day is the official date for changing the uniforms, so the officers were obliged to wear them and suffer patiently.

The marchers were reviewed at the Tribune on the Common by Police Commissioner Eugene C. Hultman, who had as his special guest Sir Hugh Turnbull, K. B. E., police commissioner of the city of London, appearing in the full regalia of his office.

50,000 SEE 1400 POLICE MARCH PAST IN REVIEW

Mayor Curley First City Official to Be Guest on Stand
---Captain Driscoll Collapses After Finish of the Parade---Crowds Very Orderly

MOUNTED MEN OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT AS THEY PASSED IN REVIEW ON THE COMMON
Mounted police in the big parade of yesterday morning shown as they approached the Tribune on Boston Common yesterday, in charge of Sergeant Edward B. Cain. The mounted men, on dancing steeds, got a big hand along the parade route, as 50,000 people looked on.

Spick and span in their dress uniforms, war medals flashing on the breasts of nearly all, 1400 of Boston's finest held their annual parade and review yesterday to the cheers of more than 50,000 persons, three times greater than any crowd ever to witness a police parade here.

CAPT. DRISCOLL COLLAPSES
Discovery of a fire burning briskly under the grandstand about 50 feet from the Court of Honor in Tremont street where Mayor Curley, army and navy officials and city councillors were reviewing the parade, and the collapse of Captain John E. Driscoll during the dress review on the Common were the only untoward incidents of the parade. Scores of persons fled from the stands when the fire was discovered burning in refuse under the platform. Men in the crowd tore the railing of the stands away and lifted the platform while Sergeant Edward A. Casey of the LaGrange street station put out the fire with a hand extinguisher rushed from a nearby theatre.

Crowley Leads His Men
Captain Driscoll, who was heading his men from the Mattapan station at the time of his collapse, was rushed to the Haymarket Relief Hospital, but refused to go in, insisting on returning to the Common where he was ordered home. Instead, he returned to his station and was later ordered home by Superintendent Crowley.

Led by Sergeant Edward B. Cain and 20 mounted men, the parade swung into action at Dartmouth street and Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay, sharply at 9:60 a.m. Superintendent Crowley acting as colonel of the regiment, led on foot, followed by his staff.

Stands in Boylston, Tremont and Beacon streets were packed with people while crowds standing several deep lined the sidewalks from Boylston street to the Charles and Beacon streets, and thousands gathered to witness the review. The hill at Soldiers' Monument was black with people, the crowds extending out to the playgrounds.

Reviewed by Mayor Curley
The first to review the parade was Mayor Curley and his guests from the Court of Honor in Tremont street. Among the guests of Mayor Curley were Major-General Fox Conners, U. S. A., commander of the first army corps area; Admiral Louis M. Nulton, commandant of the first naval district and the Boston navy yard; Commander Guy Davidson, U. S. N., and city officials.

Governor Allen was not present to review the parade this year from the stand in front of the State House, being represented by Adjutant-General Jesse F. Stevens. Police Commissioner Hultman, Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Hugh Turnbull, K. B. E., police commissioner of the city of London, Assistant Corporation Counsel Leo Schwartz and Timothy Manning, assistant secretary to Commissioner Hultman, were present at the State House reviewing stand.

Crowds Well Behaved
With but a handful of police stretched along the line of march to hand the crowds officials reported that not a single instance had been discovered where the crowds didn't voluntarily stay out of the streets to allow the paraders room to march.
Typothetæ Open

44th Convention

Nearly five hundred delegates to the forty-fourth annual convention of the United Typothetæ of America, which opened this morning at the Hotel Stetter, heard Mayor Curley's characterization of unemployment and depression as "psychological"; Dr. Albert C. Dieffenbach, editor of the Christian Register, discussed "Cycles of Depression," and George R. Keller, president, denounced those "who, knowing better, have given out Pollyanna statements creating business." The sessions will continue through Friday.

The convention, with nine past presidents in attendance, was opened by President Kanistree and the earthquake was delivered by Rev. Francis E. Webster of the Old North Church. George H. Ellis of Boston, past president of the U. S. A., 1904-07, delivered an address of welcome on behalf of the Boston Typothetæ of Trade to which William Pfaff of New Orleans, first vice president of the organization, responded. President Keller then spoke.

He urged stabilization of the trade, although "business is hard to get at present." This condition has been aggravated, he said, by conflicting statements being made by various organizations and the president assured that "it is not the fault of the newspapers." The more lies in the absence of good businessmen. A well-balanced organization has expert mechanics as well as expert management. The latter organization does not always emerge unscathed from a period of business depression, but neither does it suffer serious injury. This is not a year to add new departures and expenditures, as advised by Pollyanna advocates.

Dr. Dieffenbach, after outlining the Tercentenary activities in which he declared that 5,597 conventions will be held here at the expiration of the current year, said the present wave of pessimism can be attributed to psychology. He added that the state of affairs can be overcome by a clear statement of facts. Depression in this country, he believed, is more severe than in any other nation in the universe with the exception of France. At the conclusion of his speech he presented to Mr. Keller a key to the city which, he said, was cut from an elm in Lexington near the scene of the battle in 1775.

Speaking on "The Spirit of Successful Industry," Dr. Dieffenbach said that the movement is composed of three elements, a positive attitude, "to be applied to business and life; a method, "to be emphasized by service;" and a proper philosophy "to determine the principle of equal status. "Economics never change, laws of life never change, so why should there be no cycles of depression," he said.

He concluded his address with the statement that the consumer is the greatest stabilizer.

Appointment of committee on nominations, resolutions and novelty, concluded the morning session. The afternoon program was devoted to a conference on "Cost Accounting and Finance." The International Trade Composition Association, the College Annual Fund, the United Fund of the United States, the Typothetæ Secondary-Manager Association, and the Typothetæ Secretary's Association, all of which are affiliated with the U. S. A., also held sessions today at the Stater.

No Funds to Operate Fine Plant In Memorial High School Building

Finished more than two years ago, a finely equipped swimming pool erected as part of the Roxbury Memorial High School at a cost estimated at more than $50,000 has never been opened to the pupils and facing the prospect of remaining idle for at least another year, unless something unforeseen happens.

Inquire last Saturday revealed several reasons for this situation. One is that it would take approximately $15,000 a year to run the pool properly, which is more than twice the amount the Department of Physical Education has to put in the pool. Another is that there is a rule to the effect that schools cannot purchase uniforms or other equipment that goes on the person.

A third reason, it is believed, is the feeling of several members of the School Committee that the money necessary to run the pool might well be diverted toward other school purposes. Another is that if the money were available there would be sufficient votes in the committee to make the opening possible. The swimming pool was introduced and built by a previous School Committee.

The department would like to have playground work. This, the chairman of the department stated, would provide a staff of teachers, engineers, attendants, and also the purchase of towels, bathing suits and soap, and the cleaning of the towels and suits.

Playground Fund Only Source

After the tank was built, a ruling was received that all expenses connected with the pool would have to be charged up to physical education and that it would not be taken out of the general funds. Since salaries are a more or less permanent part of the department's budget, the department could not do so; it would force the money to be used for playground work. Thus, the school authorities could not do anything that could deprive many children of their play.

The School Committee last year voted to appropriate another cent in the tax rate for the Department of Physical Education. This would have provided about $17,000 additional, but this request was turned down.

The second complication lies in the fact that the Department of Physical Education, the granting of which would make it possible to open the pool. Another bill could also have been submitted requesting permission to purchase athletic equipment. The latter affects all high school athletics.

It is understood that as a solution to the problem facing the School Committee, the pool be turned over to the city—either to the Department of Physical Education or to the Recreation Department to be operated as a municipal project out of their funds. This was looked upon favorably. It has also been learned that there was talk of having the pool chopped up and made into small classrooms, but that the project was dropped because it was felt that the place would be unsuitable educationally because of the poor lighting and because it would involve great expense.

Should the petitions be submitted to the Legislature, and granted, the pool could not be opened for at least another year.

What the solution to the swimming pool difficulty will be remains to be seen.

Another feature will be the dance of all nations in which each group will present dances characteristic of their country. The grand march will have hundreds in line in costumes depicting the history of the State from Puritan times to those of the many nations.

Music will be furnished by five Boston bands and the grand march will be led by the city's new fire force band of 150 pieces and by that of the First Corps Cadets.
Boston Italians Honor Columbus

With parade and pageant, music and feasting, Greater Boston Italians yesterday paid impressive tribute to Christopher Columbus in observance of the 450th anniversary of his discovery of America.

The occasion was marked by the presence of His Excellency Noble Giacomo de Martino, Italian ambassador to this country, who came in response to Mayor Curley's invitation and who was feted by his countrymen. In all, he participated in six functions during the day. These included the organization meeting of the new Italian Historical Society of Massachusetts; a reception by the mayor and officials of Revere; a luncheon in his honor at the Hotel Statler; the parade; exercises at the Tribune on the Common and a banquet last night at the Copley Plaza, where he was the guest of the Italian Chamber of Commerce, staged locally by the Italian people. It was under the auspices of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, Sons of Italy, and had in line about 6000 marchers, as well as many bands and some beautiful floats which depicted events in the life of the Genoese navigator. At the reviewing stand in the Court of Honor, on Tremont street, was the ambassador, Governor Allen, Mayor Curley, Right Rev. Richard J. Haberlin, who represented Cardinal O'Connell, Sir Hugh Turnbull, police commissioner of London and many prominent Americans of Italian descent.

The parade was in five divisions and at the head of each were carried the flags of America and Italy. Ambassador de Martino, Italian ambassador to this country, called to an adjoining room where he was greeted by 200 Italian war veterans. In a brief speech to them he decried false reports of conditions in Italy and declared the country is prosperous and happy.

Later in the evening, a musical program and pageant were presented at the Tribune. Arias and choruses from the works of great Italian composers were heard, there were folk dances and music by the Italian Symphony Orchestra.

Interest Growing in Big Colonial Ball on Friday Night

Two hundred or more feminine hearts in Greater Boston and the city itself are beating a bit faster this week as they look forward to enter the contest for "Miss Tercentenary," who is to be chosen Friday night at the colonial costume ball at Boston Garden.

The contest is to be an international affair, representatives from every country having been asked to enter two young women in the final review Friday night.

CHARITIES TO BENEFIT

The ball is to be a brilliant pageant with society attending in large numbers. Several Boston charities are to profit from the event.

Mayor James M. Curley is honorary chairman of the executive committee and Russell Codman, Jr., is chairman. Miss Louise Fessenden heads the women's committee.

A representative group of Boston men and women are serving on various committees. All seats are reserved.

The steady flood of requests for reservations indicates that more than 20,000 persons will be in attendance. Nearly all the boxes have been taken by patronesses and society leaders of Boston and other cities. Tickets include a reserved seat and a numbered program which gives the holder a chance to win the grand prize of the ball, a round-trip to Bermuda, all expenses paid.

SEATS FOR DISABLED VETS

Tickets are on sale at all agencies, hotels, department stores, the Garden, Chamber of Commerce building, suite 534. A block of 100 seats has been donated for disabled veterans.

Among the young women competing for "Miss Tercentenary" are Miss Helen Davis, Miss Dorothy Davis, Miss Diana Varnum, Miss Barbara Bean, Boston; Miss Natalie Dietrich, Boston; Miss Claire Winslow, Stoneham; Miss Elizabeth Bowley, Boston; Miss Hazel Brandt of West Roxbury and the Misses Ellen Exton, Helen Fieldston, Johanna Nefdt, Barbara Kuska and Vida Wetslover of Boston.

Foreign Highway Engineers Make Visit to Boston

Group of Delegates to International Road Congress Are Here as Guests of State and City

Men who have charge of the building and maintenance of highways in many foreign countries are in Boston today as guests of the State and city.

The party, numbering about one hundred, arrived this noon from Worcester and was entertained at luncheon at the Hotel Somerset by Governor Allen. This evening they will be given a dinner at the Boston City Club by Mayor Curley.

The group of engineers visiting Boston is one of three parties composed of delegates to the International Road Congress held in Washington, D. C., last week, at which more than sixty foreign Governments were represented. Under the auspices of the Highway Education Board, in cooperation with State highway departments of commerce, automobile clubs and other organizations, the visiting delegates are this week being given opportunity to see various parts of the United States and to study road conditions and construction methods.

Lowell Putnam and Lieutenant Colonel Marco Pennaroli, military attache of the Italian embassy at Washington, the principal address was made by the ambassador.
Sons of Italy

Honor Columbus

Italian Ambassador Is Guest at Dinner

He Urges His Countrymen to Be Patient and Work Hard

The Columbus Day celebration banquet under the auspices of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts Order Sons of Italy at Hotel Statler yesterday noon was attended by about 600 Italian-American citizens—men and women—and a number of notable guests. The dinner was also made the occasion of an enthusiastic welcome to the Italian Ambassador to the United States, Nobile Giacomo De Martino.

Seated at the head table were Mayor James M. Curley, Ambassador De Martino, Lieut Gov William S. Youngman, Jerome A. Petitti, toastmaster; Pio Mario Margotti, Italian Counsel General; Mrs William Lowell Putnam, Mon. Ignor Richard J. Haberlin, Adj. Gen Stevens; Lieut Col Marco Pennaolo, Italian military attaché; Count Carlo Scotti, Secretary of the Italian Embassy; Vincent Broqua, Grand Venerabile; John Cifrino, Hon Joseph T. Zottoli, Mayor Andrew A. Casasas of Revere, Judge Frank Leveroni, Joseph V. Moreschi, Achille Persino, Amilcare Romo, Saverio R. Romano, Frank Ciambelli, Silvio Vitale, Italian Vice Consul; Col Anthony H. Dyer, Col R. G. Dalton, Michael A. Fredo, Joseph Gonzalez, Nazzareno Torciano, Giuseppe Barresi and Frederico De Francesco.

Speaking Curtained

Owing to the fact the dinner was not started on schedule—12 o'clock—and as the great parade—which all wanted to see—was to start from the North End about 2:30, it was necessary to cut out practically all of the speaking.

Toastmaster Petitti said he regretted being obliged to limit the speaking to just one speaker—Ambassador De Martino. But he introduced the prominent quests at the head table beginning with Mayor Curley and each was applauded. The toastmaster then said he personally could not refrain from saying a few words which seemed absolutely necessary on the occasion about the great man whose memory was being commemorated—Christopher Columbus. He said:

"I know you all realize this is a momentous occasion—this celebration of the discovery of America by Christopher Columbus. I say it is momentous, because the discovery of America was perhaps the most momentous event in history since the Christian era.

"You all realize that by that discovery the world was given two continents on which there are 21 Republics with a population of 20,000,000 people. Imagine the wealth, the power, the potentialities of these Nations. Nothing ever so marvelous happened in the world as that which Columbus did.

"I first would like to address myself to Mayor Curley to whom I am indebted for many courtesies the past two days. I have met a great many mayors since I have been in this country, but I must say sir that you are certainly the most popular mayor I have met." (Applause.)

"Ambassador de Martino then spoke briefly in Italian urging all Italians of people of Italian blood in America to be good citizens of the United States to be patient and to work hard all of which would bring its own reward.

Invention Stimulated

"By reason of the discovery of America by Columbus there are thousands of millionaires enjoying their fortunes in America; millions enjoying their limited wealth, and millions of workers who live happily. Invention was stimulated by American colonization and as a result of these marvelous inventions we have even means of traveling through the air.

"Are the people of America grateful to Columbus? I sometimes think they are not. We find there are a great many Italian unemployed in America at the present time. The Italians are apt to be the last hired and the first fired. Let us hope things will improve in this respect, and bear in mind we are descendants of one of the greatest men history has registered."

"Ambassador de Martino got a warm reception. He said:"

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CURLEY WILL WEAR COSTUME AT BALI

Declines to Reveal It, but Promises a Surprise

Mayor Curley will appear in costume at the tercentenary observance to which over 10,000 persons will be admitted.

The event, which will close the city's tercentenary observance, will be attended by more than 10,000 persons, the majority of whom will be in costume. The proceeds will go to charity.

The grand march, made up of the thousands attired in costumes ranging from the early days of the Puritans to the days of the gax nineties, will be led by the Boston fire department of 150 pieces and that of the first corps cadets. Five orchestras will play for dancing which will last until 2 A. M.

There will be a beauty parade and of the more than 150 to participate, "Miss Tercentenary" will be chosen. Every ticket holder for the event will be in the running for the free trip to Bermuda which will be allotted by a drawing from a hat by "Miss Tercentenary."