

TENS OF THOUSANDS OF BANNER-WAVING CHILDREN VOCIFEROUSLY GREET THE FIRST CITIZEN

JUBILANT TOTS CRY WELCOME

Van Ness Avenue Crowded With the Pupils of the Schools.

Head of the Government Smiles on Cheering Youngsters.

President's Party Passes Lines Extending for Many Blocks.

SIXTY thousand school children equipped with American flags greeted President Roosevelt yesterday morning. The children gathered in solid masses in the bright sunshine on Van Ness avenue. The line of little ones stretched eight or ten deep from the junction of the avenue with Market street to Pacific avenue. For them the police regulations were abandoned, and with their teachers they were allowed inside of the cables stretched along the curbs. A large detail of policemen worried themselves into old age endeavoring to hold in check the youngsters and keep them lined up in such shape as to avoid being run over by the Presidential entourage.

As soon as the reception at the Native Sons' Hall was finished the President entered his carriage and was driven to Pacific and Van Ness avenues, accompanied by the regular detail of secret service men, local detectives and police and the Ninth Cavalry of the United States army. Accompanying him in carriages were Superintendent of Schools Langdon and the members of the Board of Education. Mayor Schmitz rode in the Presidential equipage.

When the chief executive reached the head of the display he arose and looked down the long line of eager faces with a smile of approval. His appearance was the signal for an outburst of shrill cheering from the children, and the cry was caught up and carried down the line until the whole broad avenue rang with the youthful voices.

GREETING LITTLE ONES.

Slowly the President was driven along the west side of the avenue, bowing cordially to the cheering ones lined up to catch a glimpse of him. They were given much more latitude than the ordinary populace in the parade the day before. Many of the children were able to hand flowers to the President and these gifts he accepted with every evidence of appreciation. By the time the carriage had repassed the line on the east side of the avenue the equipage had assumed the appearance of a gayly flowered float so numerous were the floral offerings. One little Chinese girl, emboldened by the gracious manner of the President, tripped shyly up to the carriage and passed him a photograph of herself. Then she sought her place in the ranks, following a quizzical smile from the chief executive, as he tucked the picture in a pocket of his coat. All the children were in holiday attire and under the careful chaperonage of their teachers gave the impression of neatness, orderliness and prosperity as the hallmark of California young ones. In the vast throng of children there were notable features without limit, but the sight that seemed to attract the greatest attention from the President was the appearance of the children from Agassiz School. The teachers had arranged that each child should wear a campaign hat of the style made popular by Roosevelt and his Rough Riders. They were aligned between McCallister and Fulton streets and as the President passed them he quickly noticed the headgear they wore and he laughed quietly and bowed repeatedly to the gathering.

After passing down on the west side of the avenue the entourage returned on the east side. With great difficulty the crowd was restrained until the full circuit of the inspection had been made. Then the children poured into the avenue unchecked and within half an hour the wide highway had resumed its normal appearance.

CHILDREN IN LINE.

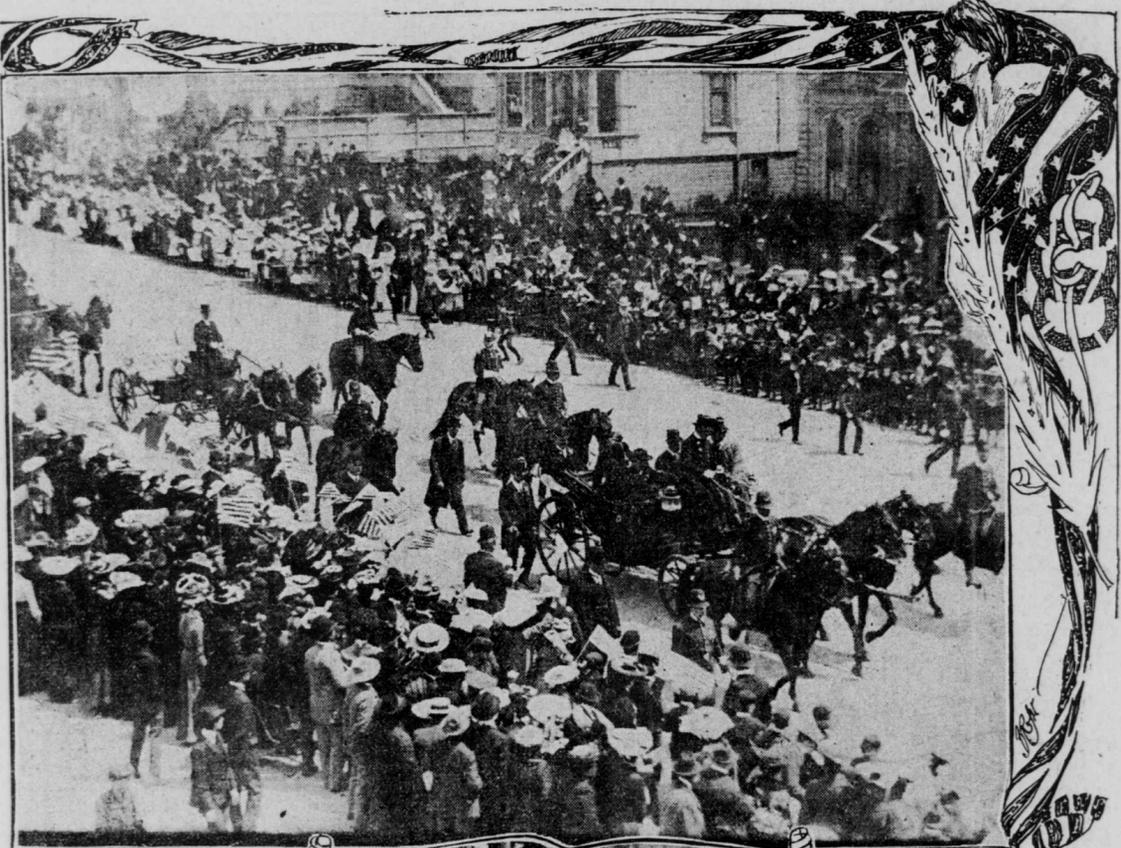
An estimate of the pupils from the various schools who took part in the display is as follows:

- Primary schools—Agassiz, 720; Bergeret, 115; Bernal, 570; Buena Vista, 430; Chinese, 145; Cleveland, 400; Douglas, 140; Hamilton, 425; Dudley Stone, 415; Edison, 430; Emerson, 690; Fremont, 515; Garfield, 480; Golden Gate, 425; Grant, 350; Harriet, 430; Harrison, 340; Lincoln, 485; Henry Durant, 520; Humboldt, 515; Hunters Point, 20; Irving, 425; Jackson, 210; Jefferson, 225; John W. Taylor, 35; Lafayette, 465; Laguna Honda, 170; Madison, 240; Marshall, 685; Monroe, 290; Montez, 550; New Valley, 390; Ocean House, 35; Park, 185; Peabody, 510; Redding, 400; Richmond, 470; Sheridan, 280; Sherman, 515; South End, 245; Star King, 500; Sunnyside, 165; Sutro, 280; West End, 90; Whittier, 370; Winfield Scott, 380; Oceanwide, 45.
- Grammar Schools—Adams Cosmopolitan, 800; Burnett, 550; Clement, 720; Columbia, 350; Crocker, 570; Denman, 720; Everett, 300; Fairchild, 105; Franklin, 1140; Hamilton, 475; Hancock, 410; Heart, 1040; Horace Mann, 800; Irving M. Scott, 725; James Lick, 600; Jean Parker, 150; John S. Galt, 925; Lincoln, 1050; Mission, 615; Pacific Heights, 810; Rincon, 515; Spring Valley, 800; Washington, 500.
- Commercial Schools—Adams Cosmopolitan, 800; Burnett, 550; Clement, 720; Columbia, 350; Crocker, 570; Denman, 720; Everett, 300; Fairchild, 105; Franklin, 1140; Hamilton, 475; Hancock, 410; Heart, 1040; Horace Mann, 800; Irving M. Scott, 725; James Lick, 600; Jean Parker, 150; John S. Galt, 925; Lincoln, 1050; Mission, 615; Pacific Heights, 810; Rincon, 515; Spring Valley, 800; Washington, 500.
- Hugh schools—Girls', 525; Lowell, 630; Mission, 200; Polytechnic, 255.

In addition to these it is estimated that fully 30,000 pupils from private schools took part in the welcome to the President.

VANCOUVER, B. C., May 13.—As a result of a dynamite explosion this morning in the Protection mine, owned by the Westcoast Fuel Company, John T. Wilson was tragically injured and died on his way to the hospital and three other miners were badly hurt, but they may recover. Gus Lawson was handling the explosive and was making ready for a charge, when the dynamite, from some unknown cause, went off in his hand.

PORTLAND, Ore., May 13.—The American District Telegraph messengers went out on a strike this afternoon for an increase in wages. The boys are receiving 1 1/2 cents per message and they demand 2 cents. A number of printers were stationed about the American District office and three of the leaders who attempted to interfere with non-striking boys were arrested.



PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT WELCOMED BY THE SCHOOL CHILDREN OF SAN FRANCISCO.

WAWONA EXPECTANT.

Elaborate Decorations Being Arranged to Honor President.

WAWONA, May 13.—Elaborate preparations are being made here for the President, who is due Friday evening. Washburn Bros. are bending every effort to insure Mr. Roosevelt a hearty welcome. Many workmen have been employed all week decorating. When the President comes down the mountain from the Mariposa big trees he will see a very beautiful sight. The scheme of decoration is to have the hotel a mass of evergreens, with lights shining through like an immense Christmas tree. Bunting and American flags will also be in evidence. An extra supply of water has been added to the three fountains about the hotel and they will be in full blast and played upon by many colored lights. Bomb upon bomb will salute the President as he enters Wawona. The dining-room will be especially beautiful, decorated with all the varieties of wild flowers of the Sierra. Mr. Hill's finest painting of the Yosemite will adorn its walls. Nothing has been spared for the menu. Washburn Bros. are widely known for their hospitality and patriotism and the President's visit will be a long remembered one.



THRONG OF SCHOOL CHILDREN OF THE CITY GREETING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES AS HE RODE IN HIS CARRIAGE ON VAN NESS AVENUE.

SECRETARY MOODY VISITS MARE ISLAND NAVY YARD

All in Readiness There and at Vallejo for the Coming of the President This Afternoon.

VALLEJO, May 13.—Postmaster Luchsinger visited the navy yard this afternoon and had an interview with Secretary of the Navy Moody and Admiral Miller, with the result that the yard will be closed at 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon. This will permit the employes to participate in the reception to the President on the Vallejo side.

Mayor P. B. Lynch presided at an enthusiastic meeting of the citizens' Roosevelt reception committee at the City Hall yesterday. Chairman W. B. Pressey of the parade committee reported that the formation of the parade will be as follows: Band from naval training station and 200 apprentices, Spanish-American War veterans, four rough riders, carriage containing President Roosevelt, Mayor Lynch and others, G. A. R. veterans on either side of carriage, naval veterans following carriage, Fremont Signal Corps.

DETAILS OF TRAGIC DEATH OF JOHN PAPE

San Franciscan Makes Brave Struggle to Save His Life, but Succumbs to Cold.

SEATTLE, May 13.—A special to the Post-Intelligencer from Dawson says: "The details of the tragic death of John Pape of San Francisco at Rampart in March have just been received by mail. Pape became exhausted and was frozen to death while en route from Thanksgiving Creek to his cabin on Baker Creek. He was accompanied by another man. An overflow of water from the stream prevented the two from crossing Baker Creek when eight miles from their camp. The men cached their outfit there, and put on rubber boots. Pape's boots were too small, so he put the rubber boots on his naked feet. When two miles from the cache he broke through the crusted snow and was immersed to the waist in water. Pape's boots filled with water, and his feet began to freeze rapidly. His partner removed the boots, and began to rub Pape's feet vigorously with snow, and this is said to have completed the freezing. The partner then carried the freezing man until he also began to freeze. In this extremity Pape then crawled over

carriages containing guests and St. Vincent's band. It was reported that everything is ready for the demonstration by the school children, and for the dedication of the Sailors' Clubhouse.

William Henry Moody, Secretary of the Navy, arrived at Mare Island at 11:30 to-day on the tug Unadilla and was received with military honors at the landing and later was given a social greeting and luncheon at Admiral Miller's home. The navy yard tug Unadilla, flying the Secretary's flag, came up the straits shortly after 11 o'clock, and as she approached the landing all saluting ships followed the Independence in a salute of seventeen guns. Thirty line officers, in full dress, awaited the Secretary, and lined up opposite the landing were 100 marines, also in full dress, and under command of Colonel R. L. Mead, U. S. M. C., and his staff of officers.

MILL HAND IS VICTIM OF A COWARDLY ASSAULT

Assailants Mistake Him for an Editor and Beat Him Into Unconsciousness.

GRASS VALLEY, May 13.—News has just reached this city of a cowardly attack on a mill hand, whose name has not been learned, at Loyaltan, in which he was left for dead by his assailants. The attack was due to a case of mistaken identity, the cowards believing they were dealing with W. H. Neville, editor of the Loyaltonian. The men had evidently been on the lookout for Neville, and as the ice creek to his cabin on Baker Creek. He was accompanied by another man. An overflow of water from the stream prevented the two from crossing Baker Creek when eight miles from their camp. The men cached their outfit there, and put on rubber boots. Pape's boots were too small, so he put the rubber boots on his naked feet. When two miles from the cache he broke through the crusted snow and was immersed to the waist in water. Pape's boots filled with water, and his feet began to freeze rapidly. His partner removed the boots, and began to rub Pape's feet vigorously with snow, and this is said to have completed the freezing. The partner then carried the freezing man until he also began to freeze. In this extremity Pape then crawled over

the ice, on his hands and knees, until he was completely exhausted. "Pape succumbed on the ice and his partner had all he could do to drag himself to a place of refuge. Pape weighed 200 pounds, and his great weight was probably largely responsible for his poor progress on the trail."

WASHINGTON TO ROOSEVELT.

Sons of Revolution Send Greeting to President.

On behalf of the Sons of the American Revolution Colonel J. C. Currier yesterday presented the following resolution to President Roosevelt: Theodore Roosevelt, President of the United States—Dear Sir and Comrades: The California Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, at a banquet at the California Hotel, on the 30th of April, 1903, in honor of the 14th anniversary of the inauguration of the first President of the United States, the immortal George Washington, desiring to recognize in fitting manner one of his most worthy successors in office, Resolved, To extend cordial greetings and hearty good wishes, on his arrival in San Francisco, to our distinguished patriot—the man—and the President of our glorious country of to-day, Theodore Roosevelt, thus fulfilling the prevailing sentiment of the occasion, to-wit: "From Washington to Roosevelt."

GILES H. GRAY, President California Society Sons of American Revolution. Attest: EDWIN BONNELL, Secretary.

ANNOUNCES CURE FOR CONSUMPTION

Berlin Medical Society Makes Public New Discovery.

BERLIN, May 13.—The announcement made to-day by the Berlin Medical Society of a new remedy for consumption, called sanosin, has attracted much attention. Dr. Danielus of Summerfeld read a paper on the cure before the society. He showed that a number of patients, mostly workmen, had been cured of consumption, and said they were treated without interference with their work. The remedy was discovered by Robert Schneider.

ALLEGED CALIFORNIAN FACES MANY CHARGES

Paul Adams, Wanted in Chicago, Is Captured by Police of Newark.

NEWARK, N. J., May 13.—A man calling himself Paul Adams of California is under arrest here charged with having attempted to rob a safe in a jewelry store in this city. New York detectives have identified him as George Shea, who, on January 27, 1899, stole \$10,000 from the Metropolitan National Bank in Boston, and who served two and a half years for the robbery. He is also wanted in Chicago.

CHICAGO, May 13.—Paul Adams, known to the police here as Phil Bailey, was held to the Criminal Court by the Grand Jury for the murder of W. B. Tracy in a saloon fight about a month ago and was released on bail pending his trial. Prior to the commission of that crime he was implicated with a man known as William Gilhooley in the robbery of a jewelry establishment to the extent of \$8000. In that case Adams' attorney, by restoring the stolen goods, secured a nonsuit.

Poor Showing Made by Aceful.

LONDON, May 13.—At the second spring meeting at Newmarket Tuesday the Newmarket handicap was won by Bostonian. Patron Saint was second and Valenza third. Aceful, Derby candidate from America, was not placed, which was considered as extinguishing that horse's chances of winning the Derby.

LISTENS TO MUSIC OF WAVES

Luncheon Is Served on Balcony of the Cliff House.

Roar of Surf and Barking of Seals Proves Diversion for Guest.

President Enjoys Respite From More Formal Functions.

THE luncheon at the Cliff House, given by the reception committee yesterday presented the following resolution to President Roosevelt: Theodore Roosevelt, President of the United States—Dear Sir and Comrades: The California Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, at a banquet at the California Hotel, on the 30th of April, 1903, in honor of the 14th anniversary of the inauguration of the first President of the United States, the immortal George Washington, desiring to recognize in fitting manner one of his most worthy successors in office, Resolved, To extend cordial greetings and hearty good wishes, on his arrival in San Francisco, to our distinguished patriot—the man—and the President of our glorious country of to-day, Theodore Roosevelt, thus fulfilling the prevailing sentiment of the occasion, to-wit: "From Washington to Roosevelt."

Long before the appointed time of the luncheon crowds of people in all kinds and modes of conveyances, from the swagger four-in-hand of Henry Crocker to the most plebeian of the peddler's roustabout two-wheeled cart, wended their way to the beach. They filled all the available space in front of the hotel and on the approaches and hundreds clambered up the steep rocky Sutro bluffs, where they perched themselves on points of vantage, some fortified with copious baskets of luncheon, and nearly all armed with cameras.

It was nearly 2 o'clock when the booming of cannon announced the approach of the nation's chief and almost simultaneously the clattering of hoofs was heard and a squadron of the Ninth Cavalry under command of Colonel Joseph Garrard dashed up the roadway in a fast gallop and wheeled into place just as the President's carriage swung around the curve, where he received the shouts of welcome raised on high by a thousand throats. The cheers were supplemented by the roar of the surf, to which was added a strenuous chorus from the seagulls, which apparently had come up from the depths of ocean to do especial honor to the chief executive.

The President was accompanied by Mayor Schmitz, M. H. de Young and Secretary Loeb. As they alighted they were received by Admiral Glass, commander in chief of the Pacific squadron; Captain McCalla, from the naval training station; Commander Thomas of the Bennington; Captain Perkins of the Boston, Lieutenant Symmonton of the New York, George A. Newhall, A. A. Watkins and W. W. Montague. The President was at once escorted to the west balcony, where the luncheon was served. Out over the broad expanse of the Pacific the shifting fog permitted occasional glimpses of the Farallon Islands.

To the immediate right of the President sat Admiral Bicksford, H. M. N.; Secretary Loeb, Dr. Rixey, Admiral Kempff, Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler and General Dickinson. To his left were M. H. de Young, Mayor Schmitz, Admiral Glass, General MacArthur, Assistant Secretary Barnes, Captain McCalla, President Woodward and Colonel West, while the members of the committee and invited guests arranged themselves as suited their fancy.

The balcony was profusely decorated with flags and flowering shrubs of many varieties. From the Golden Gate Park came a wealth of fragrant blossoms, which were showered in artistic profusion over the tables.

As a souvenir of the event Mrs. J. M. Wilkins presented the President with a superb pearl shell album containing pictures of Golden Gate scenery and clusters of beautiful moss. The President in accepting the gift thanked the donor in a most gracious manner and turned the album over to one of the secret service men for safe keeping.

As the President departed from the Cliff House a heavy fog set in, so that overcoats and wraps were in great demand, but the inclemency of the weather in no way abated the ardor of the crowd, who pressed against his carriage, cheering and waving hats and flags. As the President was driven away he stood up and bowed repeatedly his acknowledgment of the expressions of good will and kindly sentiments that were so liberally showered upon him.

GOVERNOR PENNYPACKER SIGNS THE LIBEL BILL

Yellow Journal Methods Supply the Pennsylvania Executive With a Reason.

HARRISBURG, Pa., May 13.—Governor Pennypacker approved the Grady-Salus libel bill to-day and at the same time issued a long statement giving his reasons for his action. In this statement the Governor says: Within the last quarter of a century two Presidents of the United States have been murdered and in each instance the cause was readily traceable to inflammatory and careless newspaper utterances.

The bill, which was in the Governor's hands for more than a month, goes into effect immediately and repeals all laws or parts of laws inconsistent with the new act. The Governor says in his statement that the questions raised by the bill are of grave importance and affect large interests—the freedom of speech and the press, the right of the citizen to be informed concerning current affairs and the conduct of government, as well as his right to protect his reputation and home from the injuries that rise from careless or negligent as well as malicious false reports.

The Governor says there is nothing in the terms of the measure which prevents any newspaper making such comments upon legislative measures or upon the official acts of State, municipal, county or minor offices as are proper information for the public or are in the line of legitimate public discussion.