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Frisco Does Pretty Well By Jolly Tars

Half California's Population Turns Out to See Big Fleet Enter Golden Gate

FIGHTING BOB EVANS Gets Tremendous Ovation as He Drives About City Looking Thin and Pale

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) San Francisco, Cal., May 7.—San Francisco rose to the crowning heights of patriotism and affection today to do honor to the American fleet within its harbor. Twenty-six splendid ships of war steamed through the Golden Gate yesterday and cast anchor within the shadow of the United States fort.

For days and days the sailors have been saving up for their arrival at "Frisco," the big event of the world cruise. It marks the culmination of a long trip, and the enthusiastic reception being tendered their evidences the feelings of the people. At daybreak today, when the first rays of the sun flashed on the waters of the bay, they revealed the stately lines of the American armada dancing at anchor, the great gray walls of the ships with the rigging and grim towers which were set off by the flashing of flags which sent their messages from ship to ship.

GULF CANAL MEN MEET AT MOBILE

Plan to Dig Waterway From Mississippi at New Orleans to Atlantic

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Mobile, Ala., May 7.—The convention of the gulf coast Canal Association convened at noon today at the rooms of the Commercial Club. Quite a number of delegates were present and others are expected this afternoon. Hon. John Craft, president of the Commercial Club of Mobile, presided over today's meeting.

Alice Longworth and the Countess to Stump Ohio

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Bellefontaine, O., May 7.—The Countess of Warwick, England's famous socialist agitator, will be pitted against Alice Roosevelt Longworth, daughter of the president of the United States, in the congressional campaign in the eighth Ohio district this fall.

TOWN LIKELY TO GO UP IN FLAMES

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Bridgeport, O., May 7.—The three-story brick building occupied by the Hicks Hardware Company is in flames, and the entire business section of the town is threatened with destruction. One man is reported fatally burned.

KENTUCKY RACES WILL CONTINUE

Court of Appeals Declares Legal Purchase of Combination Pools on Courses

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Frankfort, Ky., May 7.—As the result of a decision of the court of appeals, holding that the statutes of Kentucky exempt from arrest, indictment or punishment the seller or purchaser of combination or French mutual pools on a racecourse during a race meeting, the future of thoroughbred racing in Kentucky, which has hung in the balance several days, is settled and racing in Kentucky will continue undisturbed in the future.

TRAIN ROBBERS KILL MESSENGER

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Denver, Col., May 7.—Train robbers crept into an express car on the Rio Grande road early today, overpowered the messenger, and, when the train was under way made a deliberate search for money.

GUNNESS WOMAN WAS PRETTY BAD

Head of Murder Bureau That Enticed Affinities to House and Killed Them

YOUNG BESSIE WALLACE Held as Girl Who Probably Has Key to Unlock Many Grewsome Mysteries

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Laporte, Ind., May 7.—An amazing development in the Guinness wholesale murder mystery came today, when information was placed in the hands of the officials here establishing the active connection of Mrs. Belle Guinness, whose body was supposed to have been found in the basement of the burned home with her three children, with a Norwegian matrimonial agency near Jola, Wis.

WOOD PULP MEN CONFER IN WISCONSIN PAPERMILL TOWN

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Appleton, Wis., May 7.—A dozen or more prominent wood pulp manufacturers and wood pulp supply men of the middle west held a secret meeting here yesterday to discuss the efforts now being made to have congress remove the tariff on their product and to prepare a report to congress of their side of the question.

BAD MAN FERRIS ADMITS WRECK

Says He Tried to Dynamite Burlington Flyer in Mountains of Montana

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Butte, Mont., May 7.—Lewis Ferris, 24, arrested as a suspect Monday morning, last evening confessed that he dynamited the Burlington "flyer" last Friday night, causing the death of Engineer Bussy, Charles Ming and Fireman George Elie.

"I went to the Tivoli brewery saloon first on Friday night. Then I went to the W. R. Peterson mine and broke off the lock on the cabin. I stole 45 sticks of powder, two pocket knives, eight caps and two hammers. I put half of these on the board crossing and went into the mills and hid the balance.

MECHANICS AND TRADESMEN GET CASH FROM CARNEGIE

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) New York, May 7.—Andrew Carnegie has given \$200,000 more to the General Society of Mechanics and Tradesmen of the city of New York, bringing the total of his gifts to that body up to \$2,700,000.

Another Incendiary Tenement House Fire

ALL NIGHT FIRE IN NEW ORLEANS

Does Damage of Half Million to Business District of Crescent City

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) New Orleans, May 7.—A spectacular blaze lasting through the night and still burning caused \$500,000 damage and for a time threatened an entire block in the heart of the business district. No water was available for some time, and the flames made great headway before the water towers were put in working order.

STEEL AND WIRE COLLUSION TO FEEL FEDERAL PROBE

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Washington, May 7.—United States District Attorney Asa P. French of Boston, spent today closeted with Assistant District Attorney General Purdy on what was given out as "official business connected with his office."

Torch Fiend Gets In His Work in Hebrew Quarter Again Today

HUMAN CHAIN FORMED TO SAVE WOMEN AND CHILDREN FROM FIGHTING MOB ON FIRESCAPES

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) New York, May 7.—Heroic rescues and deaths as frightful as even the history of New York tenement fires can show where features of two incendiary crimes early this morning.

NEGRO HANGED TO TREE BY MOB IN TEXAS

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Texarkana, Ark., May 7.—Immediately following his preliminary trial at Naples yesterday on the charge of assault to murder and rob, John Williams, a negro, was taken in charge by a mob and hanged to a tree near the depot.