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British naval gun mounted for shore work on the western front. The caterpillar wheels permit rapid advances despite the weight of the weapon. This unusual photograph snapped just after the moment of firing.



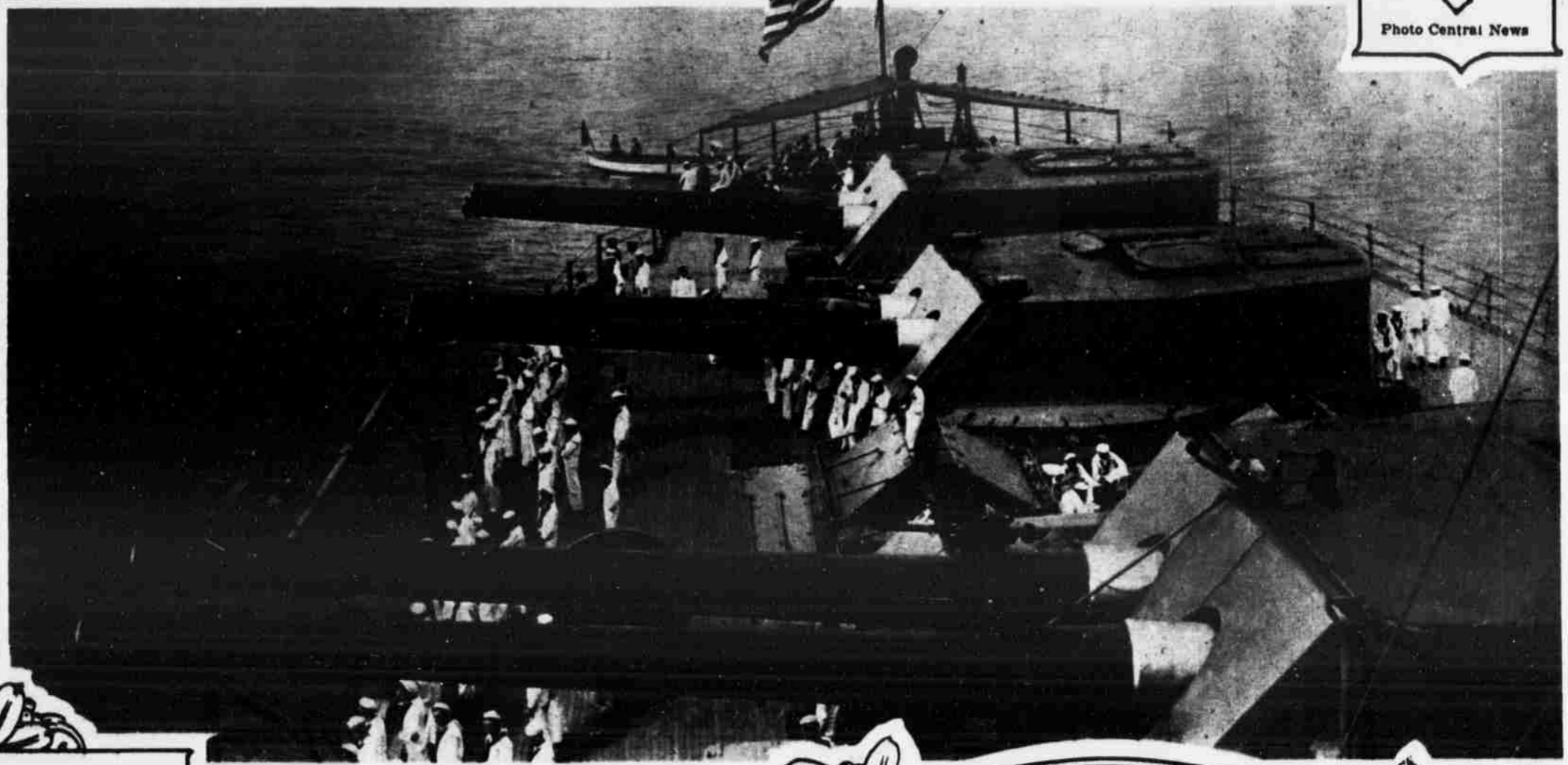
Aircraft alarm improvised from a church bell on the Balkan front. British observers ready to signal approach of hostile fliers.

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To left—
Mme. Frances Alda, opera star, at work in her garden at Great Neck, L. I., her way of conserving the food supply.

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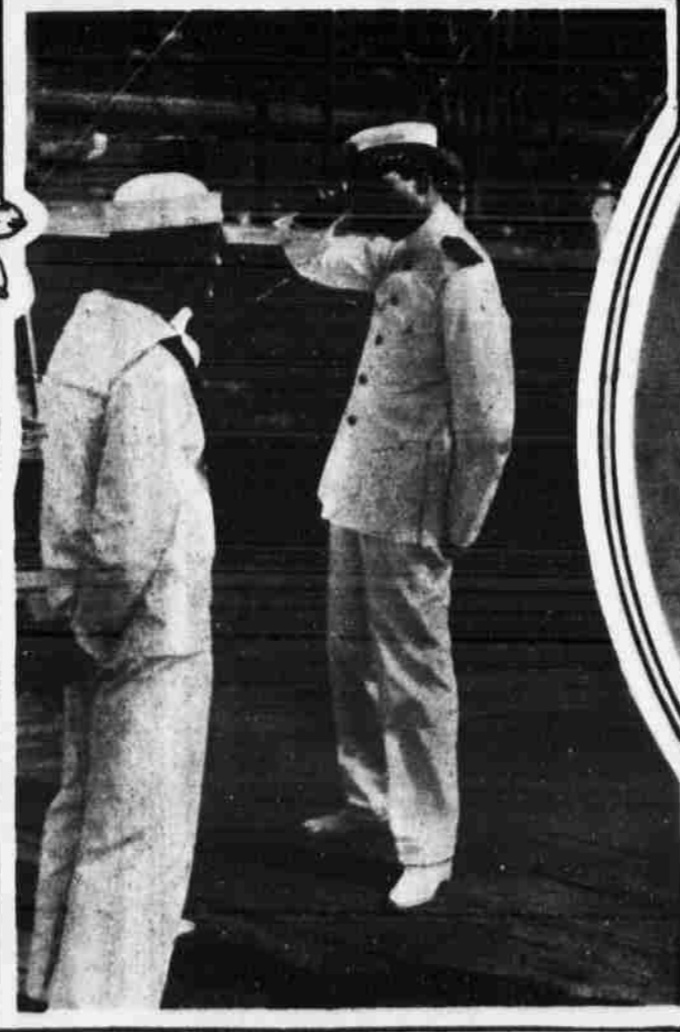


After battery of one of our dreadnoughts, showing the magnitude of the six 12 inch guns, battle hatches, range finders, &c. A salvo from these weapons would sink almost any craft afloat.

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Big business provides active head of Red Cross service John D. Ryan, president of the Anaconda Copper Company, who will have charge of supplies and fifty or more base hospitals here.



Vincent Astor, Ensign, U. S. N., now on duty abroad with the submarine hunters. In the background of this snapshot is one of the airplanes he presented to the Second Battalion, N. M. N. Y.

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Composite photograph showing three positions in which aviation candidates are examined for the vital "sense of balance." The chair and aspirant are revolved rapidly, and any sign of vertigo bars him.