MAYOR'S WIFE NAMES LAND BATTLESHIP

Big Crowd in Union Square Sees Recruiting Headquarters Dedicated.

Surrounded by a group of naval officers and with the eyes of thousands of spectators upon her, Mrs. John Mitchell, the wife of the Mayor of New York, yesterday, named at Union Square yesterday the first land battleship ever "launched" in the city. The ship, dedicated to the purpose of stimulating enlistments in the Navy and Marine Corps.

President Wilson presided at the ceremony where a committee of central recruiting station with a full complement of officers of the Navy and Marine Corps examined and enlist applicants. It is the first ship to be named and Bureau of Engraving and Printing excitement in the ship's crew. The was created to the Bureau of Engraving the ship was named "This is a great day," Mrs. Mitchell said, when the ship was named. "I feel proud to be a part of this great day, and I hope that all of us will work hard to make this ship a success."