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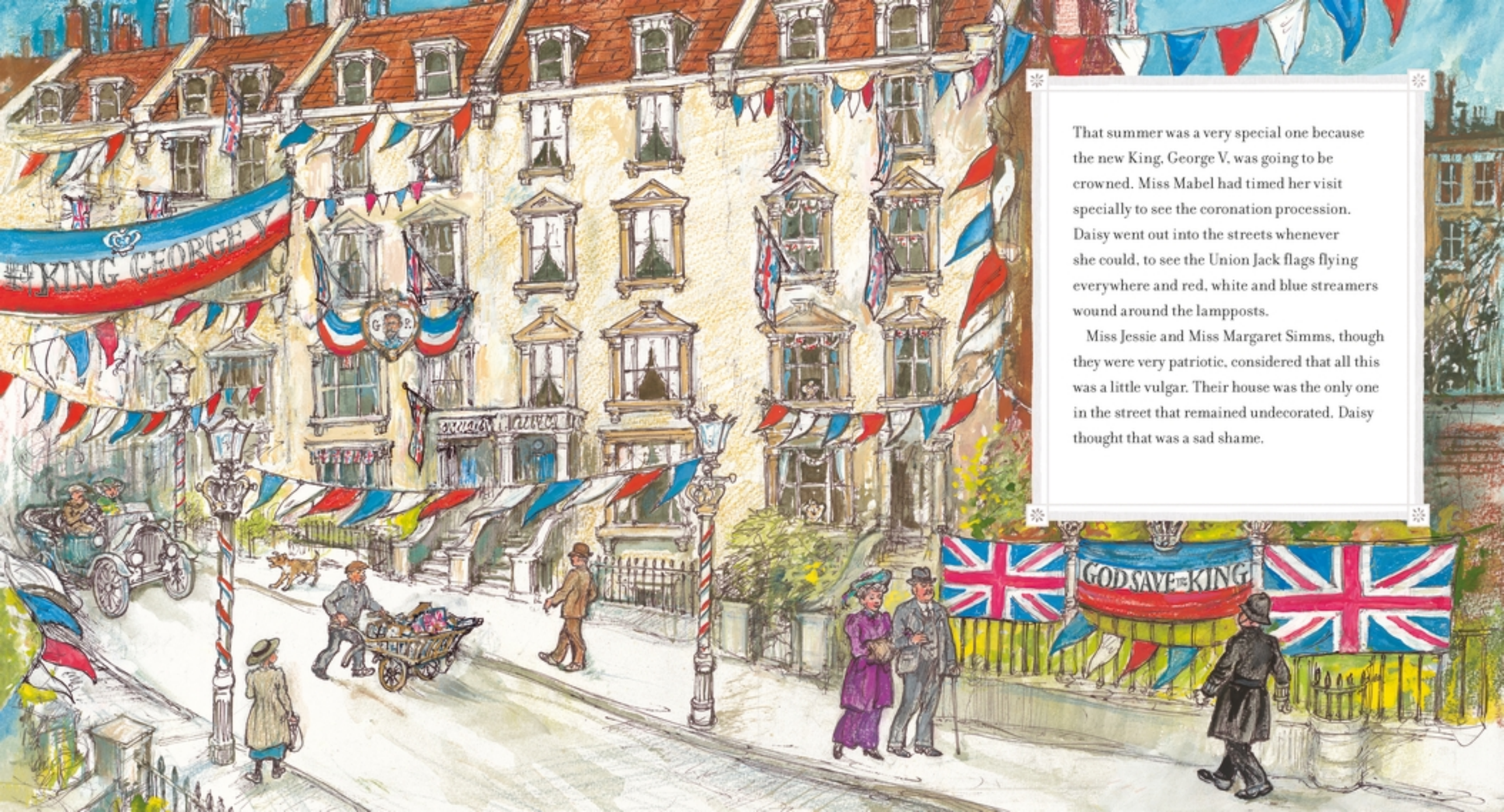
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That summer was a very special one because the new King, George V, was going to be crowned. Miss Mabel had timed her visit specially to see the coronation procession. Daisy went out into the streets whenever she could, to see the Union Jack flags flying everywhere and red, white and blue streamers wound around the lampposts.

Miss Jessie and Miss Margaret Simms, though they were very patriotic, considered that all this was a little vulgar. Their house was the only one in the street that remained undecorated. Daisy thought that was a sad shame.