

3 HOUR RIOT AT CITY PLAYGROUND

Lincoln Park Boys Attack Victorious Athletes From Columbia Park.

PATROLMAN IS SET UPON

Lad of 16 Severely Battered, Policeman Is Struck With Stone and Playground Director Is Beaten. Four Are Under Arrest.

Three persons were injured seriously and a dozen heads "broken" in a riot at the Lincoln playgrounds, Union avenue and Broadway street, at 9 o'clock Thursday night, following an athletic contest between the delegations from Columbia and Lincoln Parks.

The more seriously injured were: Victor Brown, 16, of 365 Russell street, bruised and probably a broken rib; Patrolman Meisch, struck with a stone and hit with a club, and A. Bradford, director of Columbia Park, who was thrown down and beaten during the struggle.

More than 50 persons participated in the riot, most of them said to be Lincoln Park youths opposing the policeman and the small Columbia Park delegation. Patrolman Meisch, who was told that he would have fired on the mob with his revolver but for the fear of wounding small children in other parts of the park. Four boys were arrested by the police later.

Columbia Park Boy Attacked. The riot started, the police assert, after the Columbia Park delegation had defeated Lincoln Park in a program consisted of a baseball game early in the evening, followed by a basketball game in the twilight.

Patrolman Gets Aid. The officer staggered, but kept his feet, and was able to draw his gun and club. The mob surged forward, the patrolman says, and he was about to be swept down, when Mr. Bradford pushed his way through the crowd to the officer's aid.

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and Lyric theaters, and minstrel and Spanish dances were given by children. The crowd bought ice cream, candy and cigars and ate ham sandwiches and drank coffee from tables artistically placed beneath the firs that dot the spacious grounds.

A small stage, built for permanent use, was constructed from lumber donated by the East Side Lumber Company; festoons of electric lights of varied colors were loaned by the M. J. Walsh Company and the electricity consumed during the course of the evening was a donation from the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company.

HONEYMAN GETS THIEF. COUPLE FORCED TO SEE ROBBERY OF FASHIONABLE HOME.

Chase Through Streets From Cornell Road Residence Ends in Capture of One of Pair.

After Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Honeyman had been deliberately awakened and held up in their fashionable home at 249 Cornell road Friday morning at 2 o'clock, Mr. Honeyman hurriedly donned his night clothes, grabbed his revolver and started in pursuit of the two robbers.

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HOLLAND'S TRADE FIGURES UNDEER

Free Trade Country Unable to Find Where It Stands as to Necessities.

WAR UPSETS STATISTICS. Stories of Extensive Smuggling of Foodstuffs Across Border Into Germany Discounted by Official Reports.

THE HAGUE, July 23.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press).—In the absence of a detailed statistical system in Holland, it is impossible to say how nearly accurate are the figures given in English and French publications respecting the effect of the war on imports and exports.

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Many of them came by motor and nearly 500 arrived by special train from Boston and Quincy. Fully 50 automobiles were lined up at the station waiting to carry them to the Stone estate, five miles distant.

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Use This Coupon. Bring this coupon and get 20 extra "S. & H." Trading Stamps on your first \$1 cash purchase and double stamps on the balance of purchase. Good on first 3 floors today, July 24.

Woodard, Clarke & Co. Cameras Speedex Films Cyko Paper. We develop and print your films in one day. Bring them in before 11 A. M. They'll be ready at 5 P. M.

JENNING'S Saturday Special. Fostoria Glass Seven-Piece Berry Sets, Regular \$1.25. This is a very attractive set. It would please the most fastidious customer and ornament any home.

OREGON BOYS FORFEIT PLAY. Levi Austin Uses California Cinder Path While Partner Waits.

Play Time in the Surf. Gearhart and Seaside, Clatsop Beach, are the quickest reached of any of the Seashore Resorts. A 4-hour ride along the Grand Columbia River.

Colic and Diarrhoea. "I have never sold a medicine that gave such universal satisfaction as Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy."

SIRE OF LOCAL MEN DEAD. William Dudley Hoyt Passes Away at Glendale, Cal.

SPokane Portland Seattle. Tickets 5th and Stark Station 10th and Hoyt.