

SERVICES ARE HELD IN ALL CEMETERIES

Graves Decorated and Tributes Paid to Country's Heroes Who Have Passed.

5000 GO TO LONE FIR

Soldiers and Sailors Remembered by Living Comrades and Patriotic Citizens — Dinner Served Veterans by Auxillary.

"No other country but ours has this beautiful custom of annually decorating the graves of those who laid their lives on the altar of patriotism," declared Commander T. H. Stevens, as he opened the Memorial day programme yesterday morning in Lone Fir Cemetery to an audience of more than 5000. Well in the background stood the monument erected to the veterans of the four great wars of this country, and as far as vision could reach from the platform floral tributes had been laid on the graves of silent comrades.

"For more than 50 years the Grand Army of the Republic has commemorated each succeeding 30th day of May in a fitting manner," said Commander Stevens, "and now the custom has become universal throughout the whole country. Only a few years hence and the Grand Army of the Republic will have passed from the battlefield of life to the eternal camping ground, but the need of patriotic inspiration will never cease."

400 Lie in Lone Fir Cemetery.
"Within the confines of this sacred spot and beneath the canopies of these little green tents there lie the smouldering remains of nearly 400 of our comrades, who, in the heyday of their youth, offered their lives in defense of their country. Now, in honor of their memory, we are here today to place flowers, and, perchance, a tear on their graves as a fitting tribute of love and affection for them."

Then came the offertory by the Portland Union Band, invocation by Chaplain W. T. Kerr, memorial orders by Adjutant J. W. Ogilvie, and the delivery of Lincoln's Gettysburg address by H. F. Fargo. Chaplain J. J. Walters made the principal address: "America" by the audience; benediction, by Rev. Arthur H. Nichols, and taps closed the programme. It is estimated that fully 15,000 visited Lone Fir Cemetery during the day. Nearly every one of the 40,000 graves in this pioneer cemetery received some floral tribute.

Following the services in Lone Fir Cemetery dinner was served to the comrades in Orient Lodge Hall, East Alder and East Sixth streets.

Tribute Paid Unknown Dead.
"We strew these flowers on this monument in memory of the unknown dead of the Nation who gave their lives in defense of the Union and the institutions of the country," declared Commander W. R. Owens, who with comrades, Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic and school children encircled with flowers the monument erected to the unknown dead in Milwaukie Cemetery.

After the services in Milwaukie Cemetery the old soldiers returned to the hall on East Thirteenth street and Lexington avenue, where dinner was served them by Blackmar Circle. A patriotic programme followed. Mrs. E. R. Elbert spoke the words of welcome, and Rev. W. S. McCallagh delivered the memorial address. Services in memory of dead sailors and marines were then held at the Sellwood ferry, where flowers were strown on the water.

Services Well Attended.
Under the auspices of McKinley Post No. 45 and Women's Relief Corps, memorial exercises were conducted in the Oddfellows' Hall in Montavilla, East Gleason and East Eighteenth streets, and largely attended by citizens. Rev. J. C. Ghormley delivered the address. Music was by the drum corps. The school sang "The Stars and Stripes, Banner." Then the audience adjourned to Brainard Cemetery, where services to the "unknown dead" and decoration of the graves of dead comrades were held. After the ceremonies in the cemetery dinner was served in the Oddfellows' Hall.

In Multnomah and Mount Scott cemeteries graves were decorated in the morning under the auspices of Reuben Wilson Post, assisted by the other organizations and school children. At 2 o'clock memorial services were held in Lenta Oddfellows' Hall. Rev. J. J. Water delivered the address. Woodmore School gave a flag drill. "America" was sung by the audience.

General Compton Post No. 23, Women's Relief Corps and Ladies of the Grand Army had charge of the services. Ritualistic exercises were held near the old City Hall on Philadelphia street at 10:30, followed by dinner at the Grand Army Hall. In the afternoon a programme was rendered in the hall. Commander S. M. Horton delivered the opening remarks. B. J. Hoadley delivered the memorial address. After the programme the Peter Forster Circle, Ladies of the Grand Army, gave a military drill in front of the hall.

Arthur Venville's Grave Decorated.
At the southeast corner of Milwaukie Cemetery is the grave of Arthur Venville and the monument erected in memory of his bravery. Venville was Sellwood's naval hero, and every Memorial day his grave is given a flag and flowers on his grave. When a mere lad Venville entered the Navy

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GLIMPSES OF PRINCIPAL SCENES OF MEMORIAL DAY EXERCISES IN PORTLAND YESTERDAY.



(1) Scene at Second Oregon Monument in Chapman Square, Where United Spanish War Veterans Placed Flowers and Conducted Memorial Services for Departed Comrades. Chaplain W. S. Gilbert Delivering the Oration of the Day. (2) As the "Memory Ship" Was Launched From the Cruiser Boston in Honor of the Departed Sea Heroes. (3) A Common Sight in Lone Fir Cemetery, Where Graves of Veterans Were Covered With Flowers.

Government, and buried with high honors in the Milwaukie Cemetery. and was sent to the Philippine Islands. While there he was detailed with Colonel Gilmore to make an expedition by small boat into the wilderness. They were attacked by natives and Venville was severely wounded, but displayed great bravery, loading the guns while the others did the shooting. The others made their escape, but Venville fell into the hands of the natives and perished. His body was recovered and brought to Portland by the Federal

livered by Rev. L. C. Poor, of Woodburn. In the morning there were ritualistic services and decoration of the graves at Belle Pass Cemetery.

DUAL CITIZENSHIP IS DEcriED

Attorney-General Makes Address at Eugene Ceremonies.

EUGENE, Or., May 30.—(Special.)—Attorney-General Brown, in a Memorial day address here today, declared there can be no dual citizenship in America.

"We welcome German and Russian, Englishman and Frenchman, to our shores," he said. "We would not blot entirely from their memories the flag of their mother country, but we do ask that their first duty shall be to the Stars and Stripes, that there shall be no double standard of allegiance."

Between 700 and 800 persons, including school children, took part in the Memorial day parade and preparedness demonstration. The Eugene women's band made its first public appearance.

DAY IS OBSERVED AT TACOMA

Parade Given in Morning, Followed With Aquatic Sports.

TACOMA, May 30.—Tacoma observed Memorial day with a parade of National Guard troops, Grand Army of the Republic organizations and fraternal organizations and an address at the Armory by Chief Justice Morris. A programme of races was given during the afternoon at the speedway, and the Yacht Club held a regatta. Thirteen power cruisers entered for the 14-mile race, and yachts from Seattle and Tacoma were entered for the 20-mile race.

EXERCISES HELD AT WOODBURN

Programmes Given at Armory and Cemetery Largely Attended.

WOODBURN, Or., May 30.—(Special.)—Decorations day was observed here with appropriate exercises in the afternoon at the Armory, which was packed with citizens. G. A. R. Veterans and members of the Women's Relief Corps. The memorial address was de-



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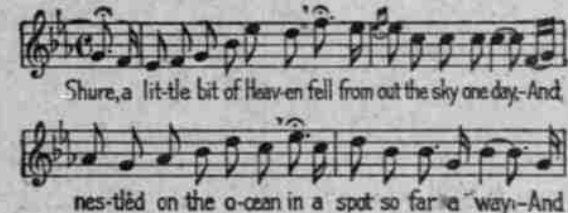
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