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THE GLORIOUS FOURTH.

Last Saturday Albany witnessed the grandest celebration of the great National holiday, the Fourth of July, that ever transpired within her gates. Preparations had been made for a great crowd, but almost everybody was astonished at the immense number of people that participated in the celebration, and the conundrum was often propounded, "where did all these people come from?" People came from every quarter, in every sort of conveyance, until at 10 o'clock A. M., there must have been five or six thousand visitors in the city—and still they came. Shortly after 10 o'clock the procession was formed, with Albany brass band in the lead, hack containing President, Orator, Reader of the Declaration and Chaplain, next; liberty car freighted with Goddess of Liberty and a fair daughter of Albany to represent each State and Territory; then Corvallis brass band next; representatives from Portland, Salem and Corvallis fire departments, aiding our Oneaters to haul their splendid fire engine, followed by a long procession of carriages, hacks, wagons, and citizens on horseback and on foot. The exercises at the grounds were specially well rendered. Rev. Jos. Emery, of Corvallis, read the Declaration of Independence in splendid style, while Hon. F. V. Shoup's oration was a masterly effort, giving the highest satisfaction to all. Rev. S. G. Irvine, as President, and J. R. Herren, as Chief Marshal, filled their positions with dignity and grace. The picnic was another success, as our citizens generally went prepared with well filled baskets, and so far as we can learn everyone had enough to eat, and that, too, of the best quality.

About 4 o'clock P. M. the rush for the city commenced, to be on hand to witness the parade of the Plug Uglies. To a large portion of the crowd this was the most enjoyable of all. A stand had been erected on the block in front of the Court House, where, after parading through some of the principal streets, the band of Plug Uglies, numbering some thirty or forty young men, on horseback or in some outlandish vehicle gotten up for the occasion, brought up, and the Band (and such a band), President, Orators, etc., dismounting from their fiery steeds, mounted the rostrum, and proceeded to edify the vast concourse of people there assembled. The exercises lasted probably two hours, to the infinite amusement of two or three thousand spectators. It certainly was a big thing, and will not soon be forgotten by the boys.

Later in the evening came the display of fireworks. This, although not very extensive, was well selected, some of them very fine

pieces indeed, and proved very entertaining to the vast crowd in attendance. And thus passed off one of the most successful and enjoyable Fourth's we have ever attended, with hardly a jar or discordant note to detract from the general happiness. The committees generally did their work faithfully and well, and deserve the highest meed of praise therefor. May our people see many returns of just such happy and well spent Fourth's.

RUN OVER—On Saturday Dave Thompson, while riding in his buggy on Second street, ran over Alva Arnold, the son of Mr. A. N. Arnold of this city, about 9 years old, the buggy wheel striking him in the forehead and cutting a deep gash. The accident was unavoidable.

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One Grand Cash Gift.....	100,000
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One Grand Cash Gift.....	25,000
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10 Cash Gifts, 10,000 each.....	1,000,000
20 Cash Gifts, 5,000 each.....	100,000
25 Cash Gifts, 4,000 each.....	100,000
30 Cash Gifts, 3,000 each.....	90,000
50 Cash Gifts, 2,000 each.....	100,000
100 Cash Gifts, 1,000 each.....	100,000
250 Cash Gifts, 500 each.....	125,000
500 Cash Gifts, 250 each.....	125,000
10,000 Cash Gifts, 50 each.....	500,000
Grand Total, 20,000 Gifts, all cash, \$2,500,000	

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