

FLAG DAY IN UNITED STATES

Old Glory Flung to the June Breeze One Hundred and Thirty Years Ago Today.

Washington, D. C., June 14.—Atlantic and Pacific shores and the long stretches from Puritan New England to the torrid mesas where Indian and Spaniard roam, today resounded with the acclamations of a free people in celebration of Flag day.

It was just 130 years ago today that "Old Glory" was flung to the breeze as the emblem of the American republic. On June 14, 1777, congress enacted: "That the flag of the 13 United States be 13 stripes, alternate red and white; that the union be 13 stars, white in a blue field, representing a new constellation." The number of stripes having been increased by the admission of new states, the possibilities of the nation's new development dawned upon the lawmakers, and the original 13 stripes were unchangeably restored by act of congress on April 4, 1818, when it was enacted: "That on and after the fourth day of July next the flag of the United States be 13 horizontal stripes, alternate red and white; that the union be 20 stars, white in a blue field, and that on the admission of a new state into the union, one star be added to the union of the flag; and such additions take effect on the fourth day of July next succeeding such admission." Since 1818, 20 stars or sovereign states have been added to the union, making 48 in all.

In all the large cities and in the town halls and schoolhouses of small villages and hamlets alike the days when the hand-made symbol of a body of united colonists fighting for self-respect and liberty were recalled today and the story of the struggle for the maintenance of an asserted independence told in oration, recitation and music.

In Washington, "Old Glory" has waved triumphantly from public buildings, from all important business houses and even in the quiet streets loyal citizens with one accord displayed the national emblem.

Pennsylvania avenue, always the main artery of the capital, was today especially the current where the stream of national pride showed itself. Hundreds of flags were floating, large flags and small flags, and upon the coats of the men little buttonhole flags.

The large patriotic associations all held celebrations, including the G. A. R., the Sons of Veterans, the Spanish War Veterans, the Sons of the Revolution and particular bodies, including the veterans at the pension office and the government printing office, each paid their tribute to the red, white and blue.

In the public schools, from kindergarten to graduating students of the high schools, every heart throbbled with jubilation, and teachers, pupils and parents united in patriotic exercises appropriate to the day.

Shoots Family.
(Journal Special Service.)
Ironton, Ohio, June 14.—Charles Shaffer, a school teacher, shot and killed his son and fatally wounded his wife and mother-in-law in a quarrel over his son.

THE NEW REMEDY

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BUSY SESSION OF CHARITIES MEETING

(Journal Special Service.)
Minneapolis, Minn., June 14.—This was another busy day for the delegates attending the national conference of charities and correction. A wide variety of topics were considered in the papers and discussions at the general sessions and the meetings of the several sections. Among the subjects that received attention were schools for juvenile delinquents, probation, organized charities in small cities, and state boards and the vagrancy problem.

One of the most interesting and instructive of the side conferences was that held by the section on promotion of health in home, school and factory. The feature was a symposium discussion on the subject of the promotion of health in the home, led by Sherman C. Kingsley, superintendent of the Relief and Aid society of Chicago. Under the general head the meeting discussed unclean milk and needless waste of baby

life, the visiting nurse as sanitarian and teacher, temperance and slatternly lives, home work for hospital patients, and mothers' meetings.

OREGON STUDENTS WIN HONORS AT COLLEGE

Miss Florence Debar of Eugene Graduates at Wellesley—Three Portlanders in Class at Yale.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Wellesley, Mass., June 14.—Among the girls who will receive bachelor of arts degrees with honors, at Wellesley college commencement June 26, is: Miss Florence Debar of Eugene, Or.; she is one of the three students from the Pacific coast in the graduating class.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
New Haven, Conn., June 14.—Among the students who will receive bachelor of arts degree at the Yale academic department commencement June 26, are Henry Robertson, Fallings, Ambrose Scott and Stuart Robinson Strong, all of Portland, Oregon.

SISTER'S CONFESSION CAUSE OF SUICIDE

(Journal Special Service.)
Huntington, Ind., June 14.—Emory Mosher, a witness in the case of D. A. Mosher, charged with the murder of his daughter's infant, shot himself in the heart yesterday afternoon after listening to his sister testify that she crushed the head of the infant with her hands.

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BEWARE OF WILDCATTING

PORTLAND COULD NOT very well be in a more prosperous condition. In the past two years real estate prices have been soaring in both the business and residential districts. The increase in prices has been justified by existing conditions and fully warranted by the growth of the city, actual as well as prospective. But there are signs that this extraordinary activity in real estate prices is being or is about to be negotiated into speculative ventures that have some of the characteristics of wildcat enterprises. It is too early yet to plat Portland additions in the close neighborhood of Mount Hood. No matter how alluringly such investments may be presented, the man who puts his money in them cannot expect to get it out within ten years and perhaps not at all. Where there are miles of intervening unoccupied territory, where there are no improvements and few signs of them, where it is not conceivable that a streetcar line could be maintained there for years to come, it is not wise to invest much money in city lots that have not yet fully emerged from the virgin forest.

It is not well for Portland in any respect to have a great deal of money tied up in this class of property. Many men of small means are looking for reasonable sites within striking distance of their work whereon they may build a little home with the hope, sooner or later, of owning it. If men of this class get tied up in wildcat enterprises they may lose their little all. The loss to them and their families cannot very well be measured by any ordinary standards. It should be the desire of every city to have every man secure a home for himself. The home-owner is in all respects the best citizen, the most prudent, thrifty and patriotic family man. He has a stake in the community in which he lives, therefore he has some civic pride and a sense of responsibility in all that concerns the common welfare. It is to the last degree harmful to have men of this class inveigled into investments beyond the reach of possible municipal growth for years to come. It is not alone that the money is tied up beyond recall in property that cannot possibly be rendered productive or available for sale at anything like its cost, but the discouragement that follows leads to many less apparent, but still very harmful, results, while the money that might have been put into productive sections of the city, making a fair return to the investor and the city as well, is perhaps irretrievably gone.

The so-called real estate boom is still very young in Portland. It promises to last a long time if maintained in legitimate lines, for there is everything to warrant a robust growth in real estate prices. But if we are to permit wildcatting thus early, we are simply killing the goose that lays the golden eggs and doing irreparable injury to all classes of property that should legitimately feel the quickening influences, to make no mention of injury done to the individual who is practically bunched out of his hard-earned money and that, too, without recourse.

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