

## GLORIOUS FOURTH IN ASTORIA

Grand Parade, Orations, Patriotic Songs and Fireworks.

### A SURPRISE IS IN STORE

Athletic Sports in the Afternoon Will be the Feature of the Day—Many Novel Events to be Introduced.

That Astoria will properly observe the nation's birthday is evidenced by the following program:

#### FORMATION OF PARADE

Harry J. Wherry, grand marshal, and W. A. Sherman and John E. Gratzke, sides, will have charge of the procession, and announce the order of formation and march as follows:

Platoon of police, Marine Band, Grand Army of the Republic, Oregon Pioneer Historical Society, will form on Eleventh street, north of Commercial, right resting on Commercial.

Liberator car, guard of honor, and school children, on Eleventh street, south of Commercial, right resting on Commercial.

President of the day, speakers, and invited guests in carriages, on Duane, east of Eleventh, right resting on Eleventh.

Cathedral band, citizens from Cathedral, Concourse Tribe of Red Men, Woodmen of the World, Ancient Order of United Workmen, Knights of Pythias, on Twelfth street, north of Commercial, right resting on Commercial.

Astoria fire department, under command of Chief Stockton, on Twelfth street, south of Commercial, right resting on Commercial.

The different organizations will form in the order named, at the places designated.

The parade will form at 9:30 a. m., and move promptly at 10 o'clock sharp.

The route of march will be as follows:

East on Commercial to Fourteenth; north on Fourteenth to Bond; west on Bond to Seventh; south on Seventh to Commercial; east on Commercial to Seventeenth; south on Seventeenth to Exchange; west on Exchange to Thirteenth; north on Thirteenth to Duane; west on Duane to the court house square, where the vocal and literary exercises will be held.

All ministers of the churches of the city and vicinity are invited to seats on the platform.

Headquarters of grand marshal at the county clerk's office.

Headquarters of committee on arrangements at county judge's office.

#### ATHLETIC SPORTS.

The program of sports, beginning at 2 o'clock, is as follows:

1. One mile bicycle race. Start at Bond and Twelfth, west to Ninth, south to Duane, east to Fourteenth, west to Tenth, twice over the course.

2. One hundred yard (dash) foot race, run in heats of four men) from Eleventh and Bond west to Tenth.

3. Three-legged race, 50 yards. Start Commercial and Fifteenth, run west.

4. Boys' foot race (4 years) 50 yards. Start Commercial and Fifteenth and run west.

5. Old men's race, over 45 years) 50 yards. Start Commercial and Fourteenth run west.

6. Sack race, 50 yards. Start Commercial and Fourteenth, run west.

7. Girls' footrace, (14 years) 50 yards. Start Commercial and Fourteenth, run west.

8. Hurdle race, run in heats of four men each). Start Commercial and Twelfth, run west.

9. Long rolling contest, also Walking greased pole, two sports in one. In the block bounded by Commercial and Duane, near Eleventh.

10. Final heat in 100 yard foot race, Bond and Twelfth streets, run west.

11. Quarter mile bicycle sprint. Bond and Fourteenth, run west.

12. Final heat hurdle race. Commercial and Twelfth, run west.

13. Grand broad sword contest, between Baron Ivan De Malchin and Private Nelson, 11th U. S. Cavalry of Vancouver, Wash. On Van Dusen's grounds.

All handicaps will be adjusted later.

Prizes consist of Silver medals, cash and other prizes.

Grand wind up, about 8 o'clock p. m. Illuminated bicycle parade, by the Astoria branch of the L. A. W.

Grand display of fireworks.

Committee on Sports: Mr. Peter Grant, chairman and starter; Mr. C. J. Trenchard, clerk of the course; Mr. J. W. Hare, referee; Mr. R. C. E. Astbury and Frank M. Gunn, judges.

#### THE SEATTLE RACES.

Seattle July 3—Over 3,000 people attended the bicycle races here at the afternoon session of the Queen City Good Roads Club meet. Owing to recent rains the track was heavy, but the performances were good. H. B. Freeman, of Portland and San Francisco was the star. Following are the summaries: Mile novice

won by Frank Laramie, Lowell, Wm. F. Chamberlain, second, time 2:35½.

Mile professional, open, won by H. B. Freeman; George Sharick, Tacoma, second, time 2:11.

Mile tandem, professional, won by Benner and Jack Shartick of Tacoma, Baxter and Lehman of Seattle second, time 2:14½.

Mile race, won by Geo. Sharick, Tacoma, 19 points; C. E. Dow, Seattle, second, 6 points, time 2:30.

Half mile amateur, 200 pound men and over, won by Col. E. P. Edson, Seattle; George Noble, Seattle, second, time 1:18½.

Three mile handicap, professional, won by Freeman (shartick), Jones, Tacoma (20) second, time 7:30½.

#### TO ANALYZE FOOD.

Oakland, Cal., July 3.—The food of San Francisco laborers is analyzed by the professors at the state university. Prof. M. T. Jaffa, the head of theistic department, has just decided that elaborate investigation shall be undertaken. Several hundred families of the wage earning classes will be called upon to take part. When the statistics have been collected and tabulated, it is expected poor families will be able to live much less expensively than they do now, and at the same time of a more healthful diet.

#### CALIFORNIA SCANDAL.

Balt Francisco, July 3.—The wife of Bonnard Bradbury, of Los Angeles, and W. Russell Ward, who a few days ago were the cause of a social sensation in that city, have been arrested for adultery.

#### THE CHURCHES.

The theme at the M. E. church this morning will be "Backsliders"; evening, True Patriotism.

Services at Grace church today at 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. Evening prayer at Holy Innocents at 7:30.

There will be services in the German language at the Congregational church on Sunday afternoon at 2:30. J. G. Schmidt, pastor.

The leader of the choir and chorus at the open air exercises tomorrow requests that the singers be in their appointed places by 9:30 o'clock a. m.

Services tomorrow at 11 a. m. and 4 p. m. in the Norwegian and Danish M. E. church, Upper Astoria. Subject in the morning, "The Republic of God." In the evening, "Our Country."

M. E. Church—Services at 11 a. m. and 4 p. m. Class meeting, led by the pastor, at 10 a. m. Epworth League at 7 p. m. The quarterly meeting service announced to be held on the 3d and 4th has been postponed to July 18th.

Congregational Church—The Lenten supper will be celebrated in the morning. A patriotic service will be held in the evening, consisting of national songs and an address on the "Message From Our Banner." All are cordially invited.

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