

THE BIG CELEBRATION

Larger Attendance Than Expected From Other Communities

EXERCISES HELD ON THE STREET

Business Houses Failed to Get up Floats Therefore Parade to Fair Grounds Changed--Hon. Frank Delivers Oration and Other Exercises on Street.

While Burns has perhaps had more people to celebrate with us on the 4th the crowd on Sunday Monday was really a surprise considering the fact that other communities had celebrations the large crowd was not expected. The celebration proper on the day of the 4th was a success with the exception that the parade was a failure. After finding that very little or no preparation had been made for the parade it was decided to hold the military exercises on the street instead of going to the fair grounds. This was a move that met with popular approval as the grounds were not in the best of shape. The Burns band followed by the liberty car on which were seated many little girls with Mrs. Lea Robinson as Goddess, and a very creditable float gotten up by Schenk Bros., the merchant tailors, constituted the parade. The band marched to the south end of main street and back to the front of the branch hotel where the exercise were held.

Dr. Marsden as president of the day made a few appropriate remarks and called upon Rev. A. J. Martin for the invocation. This was followed by a chorus singing "Columbia The Gem of the Ocean". M. A. Biggs then read the Declaration of Independence in a very creditable forceful manner. This was followed by more music by the band and chorus and Dr. Marsden then introduced Hon. Frank Davey who delivered a most able oration. He held the close attention of the people for some 35 minutes. Mr. Davey is an excellent speaker. The crowd was very orderly during the entire exercises.

TWO ACCIDENTS

During the afternoon at the fair grounds the crowd was well entertained by the horse races, the band, the ball game and the returns from the prize fight. The races were really the only contest that created much enthusiasm. There were three entries: Jimmie Richardson entered his saddle pony, Ben; Jesse Bunday entered Sunday and Lute Mace put in Teddy Bear. They finished in the order named. In the quarter race four horses were entered: Seventy and Wade Hampton, by Bedell; Daisy, a pretty little gray mare from Lewiston, Idaho, by Peters, and Navajo by Baber. Wade Hampton was not able to strike owing to a bad foot and the other three were sent to the post Navajo won with Seventy second in slow time. The half mile dash was a very

THE RACES

The racing cards for the week did not attract the usual interest on account of so few to compete. The people of this section like racing but want to see contests between horses properly classed. As it was the same horses were seen every day and after the first day they knew just where to place them. Bonnie Regs won every race he started in and Baber's Navajo came first over Seventy in the quarter while the latter took the three-eighths from the mare. It is the popular opinion that she could have defeated the old horse had she been gotten off good at the post and her rider had been experienced. The first race on Saturday day afternoon between saddle horses was really the only contest that created much enthusiasm. There were three entries: Jimmie Richardson entered his saddle pony, Ben; Jesse Bunday entered Sunday and Lute Mace put in Teddy Bear. They finished in the order named. In the quarter race four horses were entered: Seventy and Wade Hampton, by Bedell; Daisy, a pretty little gray mare from Lewiston, Idaho, by Peters, and Navajo by Baber. Wade Hampton was not able to strike owing to a bad foot and the other three were sent to the post Navajo won with Seventy second in slow time. The half mile dash was a very

ASIDE FROM THESE ACCIDENTS

the celebration passed off with no particular incident. Very little boisterousness was witnessed, the large crowd was quite orderly.

FREIGHTER GETS HURT.

Writing in pain, with both feet swollen and crushed, J. M. Johnson, a freighter, plying between Vale and Burns, lay on the roadside for several hours on last Wednesday waiting for the doctors to relieve him. Johnson and two other freighters had left Vale that morning and according to report Johnson and one of the other men were intoxicated. Johnson was driving the last of the two six horses teams and when about nine miles west of town he fell off the wagon, the wheels running over both of his feet and crushing the left foot in a terrible manner. The other freighters soon missed him and found him lying in the dirt, suffering great pain. When Drs. Looney and Taylor arrived on the scene several hours later, Johnson had his shoes off, his feet were crushed and badly swollen. He will lose part of one of his feet.—Vale Enterprise.

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BEST BALL GAME EVER

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Before a large and enthusiastic crowd of baseball fans the Prairie City and Burns teams met on the local grounds for the first time on July 3. No dope could be figured as the teams had not even played a third team on which a line might be drawn. Consequently the crowd anxiously awaited the indefinite result. It could clearly be seen from the first inning that a good game was to follow.

Wm. Gould for Burns opposed E. Pugsley, of Prairie, on the mound, and both men did credit to themselves. The game from start to finish was a good clean one free from wrangling. A few costly errors were made at critical points in the game which gave Prairie City the victory 4-1.

BURNS

N. F. Reed	S. S. Overholt
C. L. Reed	3rd Hill
C. Young	2nd Blank
Johnson	1st Thubodo
Jameson	L. C. Campbell
Biggs	C. Pugsley
Wm. Young	C. F. Williams
Thompson	L. F. Campbell
Davey	R. F. Johnson
Gould	P. Pugsley

Struck out by Gould 7, by Pugsley 11. Base on balls Gould 2, off Pugsley 2. Hit by Gould 3, by Pugsley 1. Hits Burns 2, Prairie City 6.

PRAIRIE

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Struck out by Gould 9, by Pugsley 10, by Jackson 0. Hit Gould 4, by Pugsley 7, by Jackson 3. Base on balls Gould 2, by Pugsley 2, by Jackson 1. Left on bases Burns 13, Prairie City 7. Umpire, Sagers. Score-keeper Ellis. Time, 3 hours 25 minutes.

BLACK MAN IS CHAMPION.

The championship prize fight between Jim Jeffries and Jack Johnson at Reno on the 4th ended in the 15th round in which the black man knocked the white out. The fight by rounds were received here by 'phone but the Times-Herald does not desire to devote the space. The following from Reno tells the story: John Arthur Johnson, a Texas negro, the son of an American slave, is the first and undisputed heavyweight champion of the world.

James J. Jeffries, of California, winner of 22 championship fights the man who never was brought to his knees before by a blow, has passed into history as a broken idol. He suffered defeat at the hands of the black champion. While Jeffries was not actually counted out, he was saved only from the crowning shame by his friends pleading with Johnson not to hit the fallen man again, and the towel was brought into the ring from his corner. At the end of the 15 round Referee Tex Rickard raised the black arm and the great crowd filed out gloomy and silent. Jeffries was dragged to his corner bleeding from nose and mouth and a dozen cuts on the face; he had a black, closed eye and swollen features, and he held his head in his hands dazed and incoherent. Johnson walked out of the ring without a mark on his body, ex-

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