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## FOR FOUR-HUNDRED YEARS

### Law Suit That Cost \$150,000 and Value of Property in Dispute Was \$2,000

Nice, July 3.—The two villages, Luseran and Lanconque, in the Alpes Maritimes, have just held a celebration in honor of the ending of a great lawsuit which has kept the two villages divided ever since November 14, 1462. The question in dispute was the possession of a piece of land at Lova, which each village claimed. A few days ago the court at Nice finally settled the matter by dividing the land equally between the villages. The total cost of the lawsuit during the 444 years amounts to about \$150,000, while the value of the land in dispute was about \$2,000. The legal documents which had accumulated in the course of the centuries were docketed in 1,856 parcels, which weighed sixteen tons, and were stored in a large timbered church.

### Deadly Work Begun.

Chicago, July 3.—The Fourth of July harvest is on in good earnest in Chicago. Sunday four persons suffered injuries from the deadly toy cannon, pistol and cannon cracked. Violation of Mayor Dunham's orders against premature celebration of the Fourth spread through the city, and scarcely more than ten minutes passed in any of the more populous districts without the bursting of some kind of noise-maker. The police, despite this condition, made only one arrest, but at the various headquarters it was asserted that a sharp lookout was being kept for violators.

## HE GOT A SHORTER SENTENCE

Kansas City, Mo., July 3.—John Speyer, first sentenced to 20 years for the murder of his little son, was convicted of murder in the first degree this morning on retrial, and will be sentenced to hang.

### North Carolina Democrats Meet.

Greensboro, N. C., July 3.—The Democratic state convention of North Carolina met here today to nominate one member of the corporation commission and sixteen superior court judges, already selected by judicial conventions. As there are no matters of any particular importance before the convention and no contests of any kind, but little interest in the convention is manifested.

### Troops Leave 'Frisco.

Washington, July 3.—The war department was officially notified this morning that the last of the federal troops had left San Francisco today, except a small guard for the mint and army stores.

### Cholera in Manila.

Manila, P. I., July 3.—Twenty-two new cases and 16 deaths from cholera are reported today in this city. The provinces report 26 cases and 25 deaths. The disease is of the deadliest type. The earliest victims were among the natives in the vicinity of the city. Four Americans were stricken, and one is dead. His name is Charles Sheehan. The territory about Fort McKinley is quarantined.

## CORPORAL TANNERS WIFE

### Coroner's Jury Says Her Death Was Caused by Bad Roads and Chaffeur's Carelessness

Helena, Mont., July 3.—The coroner's jury inquiring concerning the death of the wife of James Tanner, commander of the Grand Army, who was killed in an automobile accident Friday, returned a verdict that she came to her death while riding in an automobile, running at high speed, and as the result of a defect in the roadway and carelessness and poor judgment on the part of the chauffeur in trying to pass a team with too small a margin of road.

### Will Celebrate the Glorious Fourth.

Tacoma, July 3.—Three grand street parades, the most magnificent display of fireworks ever seen here and a floral festival on a large scale are the principal features of the three days' celebration of the Fourth of July, which the patriotic citizens of this city have arranged and which opened here this morning. The city is profusely decorated and filled with visitors from all parts of the state. Both Pacific avenue and C street, from Seventh to Seventeenth streets, are a mass of flags and bunting and electric lights have been strung, which will make these two avenues as bright as day.

The celebration proper will begin this afternoon with a grand civic and industrial parade, which promises to surpass anything in that line ever seen here. The rose carnival tent has been set up in Firemen's Park on South A street. It will be the home of the queen and her court during the exercises preceding and following the floral parade and carnival. In the tent there will be athletic and gymnastic exhibitions, pony races, clowns, and all kinds of other circus attractions. There will be two parades on floral day, which will end the celebration, one for automobiles, the other for carriages. Many valuable prizes will be awarded to the winners in the contests. The military parade will be held tomorrow and in the evening there will be fireworks. Four scows have been anchored in the bay, from which the fireworks will be displayed. It is expected in this manner to avoid all possibility of a repetition of the accident of two years ago, when the entire display was accidentally exploded in Wright Park.

### Connellsville Centennial.

Connellsville, Pa., July 3.—Today is the opening of the Centennial celebration in this city. The celebration, for which an elaborate program has been prepared, will last four days and will include parades, meetings, tournaments, concerts and popular games. It is expected that tomorrow thousands of visitors from the surrounding districts will come here to attend the celebration.

### Has Released Garvin.

Virgil Garvin, formerly coach of the Salem high school, and a member of the Portland baseball team, has been released, and from now on will wear a Seattle uniform, as he has been signed on that team. The Evening Telegram says: "Garvin used to pitch for Chicago in his palmy days, and later for Brooklyn, and has forgotten more about curve balls than most pitchers knew. He was the originator of the famous 'fadeaway,' a wicked in-curve thrown off the inside of the first two fingers, which Christie Mathewson uses today with terrific effect. "Garvin this year has been batted hard, and has not kept in condition. His support, too, has been poor, and he has been discouraged. It is also his thirtieth year as a professional ball player, and the hoodoo of the fatal number has been worrying him."

## THE SPA

Every one knows, for choice Candies, Ice Cream and Water Ices. The Cream we use is direct from the Looney Bros. Dairy. Something new: Try our Negative, Dates and Crystallized Ginger Candy. W. T. Stolz, F. G. Myers. 382 STATE STREET.

## AFTER THE BIG ONES

### Garfield Says He Has Nothing to do With Grand Juries but Will Soon Have Report Ready

Cleveland, O., July 3.—Garfield says he has nothing officially to do with the investigation of the Standard Oil before the various grand juries. He says he conferred only incidentally with District Attorney Sullivan while here. He said the United Steel and tobacco trust reports will be the first ones ready for the President, and it is impossible to tell definitely when these will be completed. The government's right to investigate is clearly established by the courts, and corporations are now readily furnishing information upon demand. Action against the railroads and Standard here will be followed by action in Chicago, Kansas City and Buffalo.

### High Old Time.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., July 3.—The summer capital is preparing for a great celebration on the Fourth. The village has appropriated 250 and appointed special police to keep order, and aid in the protection of the President. The specials will wear badges of silk, a trifle smaller than Turkish bath towels. The President will speak about 10:30. The choir of the Methodist church, led by Rev. Warren Bowman, will sing patriotic songs. Everybody is making sandwiches, and the red lemonade barrels are being scrubbed.

### Served Him Right.

Ontario, Or., July 3.—Jesse Farley, a prominent young man, was instantly killed Saturday night. He was buggy riding with a young lady, and they decided to take a boat ride on the Snake river. While Farley was untying the boat from a stake his revolver dropped from his coat pocket, striking the stake. It was discharged and the bullet entered Farley's breast. He walked 40 feet and dropped dead. He was a member of the Woodmen of the World.

New York, July 3.—Evelyn Thaw this morning flatly denied the statement it is said Bradford Thaw's servant, made before his death, that the couple were not married while traveling Europe. She said she would produce proof at the proper time of their marriage in Europe, and don't believe Bradford made the statement. Evelyn Thaw's statement denying the Bedford story is published by the Globe in this city. She denies she gave out the interview, and says: "Any statement alleged to have come from me is a lie. Our attorneys, who have our interests at heart, have ordered me not to talk, and I have not, and will not."

### New Navy Posters.

Washington, July 3.—The navy department is about to get out a new naval recruiting lithograph as a means of advertising the advantages of enlistment in the navy. This will be a pleasing, thirty-six by thirty inches, with five pictures of ships, those of the Bonhomme Richard, the Constitution, the Hancock, the Olympia, and the Kansas, representing various types of American warships from the time of the Revolution to the present day. The pictures are handsomely colored and the posters are quite attractive.

### Will Increase Naval Force.

Washington, July 3.—It is officially announced that as a result of the failure of the Santa Domingo treaty, the naval force in those waters will be increased, as the government is expecting trouble.

### Earthquake in New Mexico.

Albuquerque, N. M., July 3.—The inhabitants of Socorro are still alarmed over five distinct earthquake shocks Monday. The people ran into the streets. No damage was done except the shattering of dishes and glassware.

### MARSHAL AND AIDES.

Requested to Report at City Hall at 9 O'Clock Tomorrow. Major Loomis requests that the marshals and aides who have been chosen for the celebration report, mounted, at the city hall tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock. They will be given sashes and badges.

## WILL WEAR SWAGGER UNIFORMS

### The War Department Gets a Cockney Tailor to Give Our Sailors Style

Washington, July 3.—The employment of an English tailor to help the style of the uniform issued to enlisted men of the army has aroused much comment, not all of it of a friendly nature. The announcement of this engagement of British assistance and skill is responsible for much feeling on the part of the American tailors, especially those who make military and naval uniforms. They think it is, more or less, a reflection on their business that the war department goes to England and brings over a foreigner to give the soldiers' dress the required smartness, which is the dominating note of the foreign military dress and is so lacking in the soldiers' clothes in this country. It is half expected by those who are watching some interesting developments in this case of the war department that some one may file a complaint against the British tailor, and so lead to his detention by the immigration officials. It has been desired by the army headquarters for some time that the government cutters be trained to give a better shape to their suits of clothes, and that the uniform of the cooper be put in a more attractive form. This has led to the contract with the best known of the British military tailors to come over and impart his knowledge of how to do it to some of the employes who work on army clothing.

## THE LIST OF RACES AND PRIZES

The following races and their accompanying prizes have been arranged for the Fourth:

- 50 yards, for boys, 1st \$1.50, 2d 50c, under 16 years.
  - 50 yards, free-for-all, \$2.00, \$1.00.
  - 50 yards, ladies, \$2.00, \$1.00, free for all.
  - 50 yards, fat men, \$2.50, \$1.00, 44 inches about the waist.
  - 300 yards, boys, \$2.00, \$1.00, bicycles, 16 years.
  - 100 yards, barrel, \$2.50, \$1.50.
  - 50 yards, barrel, \$2.50, \$1.50, sack race.
  - 220 yards, pony race, \$4.00, \$2.00.
  - 400 yards, free-for-all, \$3.00, \$1.50, bicycle race.
  - 200 yards, horse race, \$3.00, \$1.50.
  - 50 yards, girls, \$2.00, \$1.00, under 16 years.
  - 260 yards, horse, \$3.00, \$1.50, bar first and second horse.
  - 250 yards, free for all, \$2.00, \$1.00, bicycle.
- Boat races and swimming races on the river at 7:30 p. m.

### For Business Houses.

Two additional prizes of \$7.50 and \$2.50 are offered for the best and second best decorated business house in the city. The money for these prizes was taken out of the surplus fund of the decoration committee.

### The Baby Show.

Immediately after the plug-ugly parade has disbanded the baby show, which has been planned by Hal D. Patton, will be pulled off at Marion Square.

### Stores Open Until 10:30.

By common consent the Salem stores will keep open until about 10:30 o'clock tomorrow.

### FOR THE UNION FLOAT.

Girls Should Report Before 6 O'Clock Tonight.

The little girls who wish to take part in the celebration and to ride in the car of states are asked to report to Mr. Brodewier, who has charge of that part of the parade. Applications will be received as late as 6 o'clock tonight. The committee wishes to have a pretty car of states, and mothers should urge their little daughters to assist in that part of the parade.

## HAULING IN THE STEEL

### First Big Car Switched Onto the Little Electric Line

This morning the first big Chicago & Northwestern car of 70-pound steel for the Willamette Company was switched into the fair grounds from the Southern Pacific tracks and pulled with an electric engine down the fair grounds track of the Citizens' Light and Traction Company, and pulled onto the siding built on Broadway on property leased from the Salem hop firm that has bought a block of land out there. It is the first time that a car has been switched from the standard gauge to the electric line and shows that the whole system of street car lines of Salem is adapted to be absorbed by the Hariman system.

### An Important Suit.

Attorney General Crawford is engaged in preparing an answer for the defendants in the suit instituted some time ago in the circuit court of Multnomah county by Eleanor Olmstead against the Traders' Insurance Company, Frank I. Dunbar, secretary of state, and Charles S. Moore, treasurer.

In brief, the secretary of state and the treasurer are made defendants for the reason that insurance companies doing business in Oregon have to deposit collateral for a certain sum with the secretary and treasurer as security that they will pay claims to Oregon policy holders. The answer that the attorney general is preparing asks that all Oregon people having claims against this company take steps to have them determined and adjudicated, and asks that the court decree that the secretary of state and the state treasurer be instructed to sell a sufficient amount of the securities deposited by the insurance company to pay these claims.

## Personals

William Clarke, of the Gervais Star, is in the city today.  
Hon. John Minto was bound for Southern points on the morning train.  
Miss Gertrude Fawk, who has been visiting in Portland, returned home this morning.  
Hon. Mitt A. Miller, of Lebanon, passed through the city today on his return from the Democratic banquet.  
United States Engineer Loder, who is superintending the work on the road at the fair grounds, is spending a few days at Pendleton.  
Justice Hudley returned this morning from Portland, where he was one of the speakers at the Democratic banquet last evening.  
'Dad' Hatch, the mail carrier, left for Newport today. He was accompanied by his family, who will remain at the beach for some time.  
Engineers Harte and Wilbert, who have charge of the government road building at the fair grounds, have gone to Newport to spend the Fourth of July.  
E. P. McCormack returned to Salem yesterday after a visit with his sister, Miss Mary McCormack, here. He was accompanied by his brother, Dr. W. A. McCormack and family, of Ft. Bragg, having also been visiting here. Dr. McCormack will visit at Salem, Portland and at Washington points.—Eugene Register.

### Two Alaska Deaths.

Fairbanks, Alaska, July 3.—John Johnson, who was found dead on his claim in the Kantishus, was buried in the hole he had dug while mining. Charles Swanson was killed by gas in a 50-foot hole on Oripple Creek.

### Wasn't Our Police.

Warsaw, Poland, July 3.—Terrorists assassinated two more police sergeants this morning, and both were killed in the streets. The assassins escaped.

**Dr. J. F. Cook** Moved to 356 Liberty street, where he will meet all old and new patients. For any disease, call on Dr. Cook. Consultation free.

## CHICAGO STORE

PEOPLES BARGAIN HOUSE

5000 yards of 8 1-3 and 10c Persian Challies and Lawns, special price, yard ..... **5c**

The Always-Busy Store Does the Business

Look at this price list of money savers

- 500 yards shrunken Indian Head Dress Goods, yard ..... 14c
- 500 yards No. 2 Taffeta Silk Ribbon in all colors, yard... 3c
- 500 yards 10c and 12 1/2c Dress Gingham, yard ..... 8 1-3c
- 1000 yards Bleached and Unbleached Muslins, yard ..... 5c, 6 1/2c, 7 1/2c, 8 1-2c
- 500 yards Dark and Light Calicoes, special, yard ..... 4c
- Thousands of yards of Imported Lawns and Dimities in fancy plain shades and black; sale price ..... 8 1-3 and 10c
- 12 1/2c Black and White Check Dress Gingham, yard ..... 9c
- \$1.20 White Linen Parasols, just arrived; sale price ..... 95c
- 48 Colored Silk Umbrellas with fancy borders; sale price... \$1.95
- 38c Corset Cover Embroidery, a fine quality; price yard ..... 25c
- 10c Girdle Corsets in all colors; a great seller; sale price ..... 35c
- 10c White Pearl Buttons, doz... 5c
- Ladies' White Canvas Belts, considered and plain ..... 10c, 15c, 25c
- \$1.49 36-inch Black Taffeta Silk for dresses and petticoats; sale price per yard ..... 98c
- \$1.85 36-inch Colored Taffeta Silk—fine for dresses and petticoats; a great seller; sale price yard ..... \$1.25
- 39c Wash India Silk in all colors—fine quality; sale price, yard ..... 25c
- Colored and Fancy Panama Dress Goods, yard ..... 35c, 49c, 69c, 75c
- \$1.85 Black and Colored Crepe de Paris; beautiful goods; yard ..... \$1.25
- 85c Changeable Taffeta Silk; all shades, special price yd... 49c
- Ladies' New Sailor and Cowboy White Duck Hats... 69c, 75c, 98c
- 98c White Lawn Waists trimmed with embroidery; sale price ..... 49c
- Ladies' \$1.49 White Waists... 98c
- Ladies' \$2.50 White Waists... \$1.49
- \$6.50 Wash Suits; sale price... \$3.95
- \$5.90 Covert Jackets; price... \$3.45
- \$3.50 Satin Straw White Sailors, trimmed; sale price... \$1.49, \$1.75

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