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FOURTH OF JULY IS OBSERVED HERE WITH PROPER EXERCISES

Able and Eloquent Address is Made by Judge P. H. D'Arcy in Park.

IT TOOK MUCH COURAGE

Adoption of Declaration of Independence Called One of Boldest Acts Historian Recorded.

Patriotic services in honor of the day were held this morning in Marion Park led by Fred S. Bynon, president of the day.

The reading of the Declaration of Independence was rendered in a masterful way by Miss Lucille Jaskoski, and was followed by several pleasing musical numbers under the leadership of Miss Minnetta Magers.

Judge D'Arcy Speaks. Judge P. H. D'Arcy was then introduced and in an able and eloquent manner presented the address of the day.



Judge P. H. D'Arcy.

since the freedom of our country was attained.

The speaker spoke in part as follows: "Looking over the pages of history no event is recorded which will be found to equal in intensity, courage and patriotism the organization of this republic.

"The military knowledge of the colonists was brightened up by the continual Indian wars, they being dependent on their own resources.

How Trouble Began. The speaker referred in a general way to the dissension existing between the colonists and England between the years of 1765 and 1775 by saying: "The colonists were denied the right by England to govern them without due representation in the English parliament, and further they considered the king and parliament had no right to place burdens upon them in which they had no voice in making and which caused, on April 19, the first blood of the regular engagement to be spilt at Lexington.

"At the beginning of the war the people had not intended separation from England, but found such action necessary to preserve their liberties as they viewed them, but now the success, as a nation, is due to the matter of education of the people. The log school house was erected as soon as the log dwelling was made habitable and it must continue so."

The exercises were closed by the gathering joining in singing "America."

PERRY VICTORY CELEBRATION.

Put in Bay, Ohio, July 4.—Ceremonies incidental to the 100th anniversary of the victory of Commodore Perry, hero of the battle of Lake Erie, started early today with the decoration of the graves of American and British naval officers killed in the battle. More than 100,000 persons participated in the celebration, including hundreds of school children.

Jefferson's Original Draft of the Declaration of Independence



A Declaration by the Representatives of the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, in General Congress assembled. When in the course of human events it becomes necessary for one people to dissolve the political bands which have connected them with another, and to assume among the powers of the earth the separate and equal station to which the laws of nature and of nature's god entitle them, a decent respect to the opinions of mankind requires that they should declare the causes which impel them to the separation.

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PRIZES ARE AWARDED IN GREAT PARADE HELD ON STREETS OF SALEM

Led by the Salem Military band, which discoursed inspiring music, the Fourth of July parade, which has been widely advertised, took place this morning, and it was generally conceded that those forming the long line of interesting features have the honor of presenting to the Salem public a festive program which has never before been equaled in the Capital City.

Following the excellent local musical organization came the men who may at any time be called on to defend their country at the present day—the Oregon National Guard—and following this fine collection of young men came the old boys who made it possible for their younger comrades to represent the United States as soldiers—the old soldiers—the men who brought forth what is known throughout the whole world as the good old members of the Grand Army of the Republic.

Country East of Rocky Mountains Sweltering. Chicago, July 4.—All the territory east of the Rocky mountains is sweltering today in one of the hottest days of the season. Suffering throughout the heat belt is intense, four deaths and 25 prostrations being reported in Chicago up to noon with the mercury still climbing.

San Francisco May Get It. Portland, Or., July 4.—Plans for the third World's Christian Citizenship conference in 1915 are being perfected here today, with San Francisco most prominently mentioned as the probable meeting place.

Prize Cup Given by Oregon Electric Railway to Roth for Best Bing Display



The above prize was yesterday awarded to Theo. Roth for the best display of 10 boxes of Bing cherries at the Salem Cherry Fair.

FIAT CAR WINNER OF GREAT ROAD RACE AND ONE DRIVER KILLED

Barney Oldfield, Hero of Many Contests, is Third in This 444-Mile Contest.

NEVIS REPORTED KILLED

Driver of American Car is Said to Have Lost His Life When His Car Went Into Ditch.

Nevis, who left Sacramento yesterday in order to make the 444 mile trip to Los Angeles to qualify in the big event, is known as one of the most daring and spectacular of the modern speed burners.

Hurting along at a terrific clip, the first three cars to finish in the hotly contested 444-mile race sped into the race track at the state fair grounds amid the cheers of the assembled thousands here today.

The average speed maintained by the first three cars ranged between 35 and 45 miles an hour over the entire course.

Barney Oldfield, the popular hero of many speed contests, who arrived third, approximately 17 minutes behind the first car, declared that he lost 12 minutes at Fresno when his chain caught in the wheel, and that several other minutes were lost when he took the wrong road.

Car No. 9, Fiat, driven by Frank Verbeck and Harry Hamm, was first at the terminal control at the fair grounds, hurtling in at 11:18, and completing the 444-mile automobile race from Los Angeles to Sacramento in the official time of 11:18:16.

The actual running time of car No. 9 was 11 hours and one minute.

The other cars arrived as follows: No. 2, Simplex, A. G. Faulkner, third, at 12:06:50. Running time, 12 hours, three minutes and 50 seconds.

No. 3, Cadillac, T. J. Bandot and Frank Terry, fourth, at 12:12:31. Running time, 11:57:31.

AMERICAN FLAG IS TRAMPLED IN DUST

Civilians Resent Display of Foreign Emblem at Winnipeg When Soldiers March Home.

Winnipeg, Man., July 4.—The American flag was trampled in the dust on the main street of Winnipeg today.

The unpleasantness occurred while soldiers were returning from their annual encampment and marching down the street. Suddenly a young American stepped to the curb and waving the American flag, shouted: "Hurrah for the American eagle!"

Colonel J. H. Mitchell, commanding the troops, ordered a soldier to request the American to put away the flag. Before the order was fulfilled, however, civilians surrounded the American, snatched the flag from his hand and trampled it in the dust. The American was rescued from the mob.

THOUSANDS OF SCHOOL CHILDREN IN PARADE

Portland, Ore., July 4.—Ten thousand Sunday school children and hundreds of their elders marched through the streets here today in celebration of the nation's natal day, taking the place of the usual din and roar of the old-time Fourth.

The thousands of bright-faced and happy children, the girls clad in white, made a pleasing and impressive spectacle as they tripped through the streets to the martial music of many bands.

Following the parade, patriotic exercises were held in the Multnomah stadium by the World's Christian Citizenship conference with the children in attendance.

NORRIS AND GEYER PANNED

Denver, Colo., July 4.—The very finest truck horses that ever bunched the public as prize fighters, was the way fight fans today referred to the work last night of Carl Morris, of Oklahoma, and Denver Jack Geyer in a ten-round bout here. The referee called it a draw, but the fans say he should have thrown the men from the ring.

NEGRO SHOTS TWO AND ONE IS DYING

Assault Escapes, Despite Fact That Large Crowd of Merry-makers Pursue Him.

Tacoma, Wash., July 4.—A Mexican, who gave his name as Joe Moonlight, and Joseph Porter, members of the "Stampede" troupe, were shot early today by an unknown negro on a downtown street. The Mexican was struck above the heart and physicians at the county hospital say he cannot recover.

Porter, a cowboy from Texas, was shot in the side and twice through the right arm. He declared the shooting was over an argument on the race question. It is said the negro fired immediately after Porter said: "I'll tell you what we do with you fellows down in our country."

After the shooting, the negro escaped, despite the fact that a large crowd of merry-makers on the street pursued him.

Porter, lying on a cot in the hospital, called for pencil and paper and wrote: "Goodbye, Dave. Will see you in 4-1."

ASSAULT LIQUOR AND DIVORCE

Seattle, Wash., July 4.—In the principal address of the first day's session of the National Children's Home Society convention, Dr. W. H. S. Lingard, special agent of the Russell Sage foundation, attacked the industrial system of today and charged it to liquor, and divorce, the chief causes for child dependency. He made a strong plea for a square deal for the child born illegitimately, and emphasized the idea that punishment, if any should fall on the parents and not the child.

FATALLY WOUNDS HIMSELF.

North Yakima, Wash., July 4.—With his windpipe severed and several self-inflicted wounds in the breast, Arthur J. Law, aged 35 years, is dying in a hospital here today. Law, who was formerly a freight clerk for the Boston & Maine railroad in New Hampshire, came here a short time ago. No reason is known for his desire to die.

GREAT CROWD COMES TO SEE CHAMP BATTLE

Ringide, San Francisco, July 4.—With more than a score of women prominent in the throng, one of the greatest crowds San Francisco ever saw at a boxing contest gathered here this afternoon to see Champion Lightweight Willie Ritchie defend his title.

Both Ritchie and the challenger, Joe Rivers, of Los Angeles, were in excellent form and right on edge when they arrived at the arena shortly before the hour set for their battle.

It was not anticipated that either would have trouble in making the ring-side weight, 134 pounds.

Betting on the mill, which had been slack, brightened up today but a crush of ring-side money kept the odds at 10 to 7. The officials of the bout were: Eddie Graney, promoter and referee, and George Harting, official time-keeper.

BOY'S RIGHT LEG TORN OFF BY AN OLD CANNON

Seattle, Wash., July 4.—Earl Morgan, aged 15 years, son of C. O. Morgan, superintendent of the Hewitt-Lee Lumber Company, was the first Fourth of July victim in King county. The boy's right leg was nearly torn off at 9 o'clock today by the explosion of a toy cannon, which he was firing at his home at Bellevue, across Lake Washington from Seattle. The boy had fashioned the cannon out of the barrel of an old musket. He was taken to Providence hospital. It will be necessary to amputate his leg.

COMPLAIN OF CONDITIONS.

Bremerton, Wash., July 4.—Permission to hold a three-hour consultation with Secretary of the Navy Daniels in which they desire to lay before him complaints of unsatisfactory conditions is asked by navy yard employes. Rear Admiral Cottman has the request under consideration. The complaints have to do with conditions existing in every navy yard and apply generally to the individual record system recently put into effect.

The Weather

MY FORCE HAS ALL GONE TO THE BALL GAME GUESS ILL GO! The Dickey Bird says: Oregon: Fair tonight and tomorrow. Warner.