

EAST MOLINERS HAVE GREATEST FOURTH PARADE

Thousands Greet Marchers as They Pass Through Crowded Streets of City.

(Special Moline Service). East Moline this morning cheered the greatest parade that the industrial city has seen in years as the procession came marching through the crowded streets.

Thousands of people gathered along the street to watch the procession which was well managed throughout. Motion pictures were taken as the people and floats passed in review and some views of the spectators were also snapped. The pictures will be shown within a short time in the East Moline theaters.

Major Frank J. Clendenin, marshal of the day, carried out his plans fully and much credit is due to him and his aides for the splendid order of the parade. Lieutenant Colonel Neal of the Watertown hospital staff, and Sergeant Parrott acted as aides to Major Clendenin.

The police, most of them mounted, headed the parade. Nearly all lodges and fraternities were represented in the parade and many had fine floats and costumes to display. East Moline's factories added great attractions to the parade with their patriotic floats. R and V company showed their contributions to the world's great war, the kinds of guns that they manufactured. The returned heroes scored a big hit when their section of the parade marched by.

Moved at 10 o'clock. As anticipated, the parade moved along promptly at 10 o'clock. No delay was made in the part of those participating. The following is the order in which the procession marched:

Police.
East Moline Belgian-American band.
Veterans of the world war, under command of Lieutenant Burt L. Warrens.
East Moline doctor who held commissions: Captain G. F. Johnson, Captain J. H. Ellingsworth,

Captain H. J. Love, and Lieutenant C. E. Donahoe. City officials.
East Moline Moose.
East Moline Moose auxiliary.
East Moline Eagles.
East Moline Eagles' auxiliary drill team.
Knights of Pythias.
Hillsdale band.
Belgian Pigeon club.
Belgian Soldiers' club.
U. S. ambulance from post hospital at Rock Island arsenal.
Fire department.
Greek organization.
Library board.
Methodist church.
Colored organizations.
Business houses.
R & V-Wagner ordinance.
Marseilles.
Harvester.
U. S. Fairbanks.
Union Malleable.
Citizens.
Boy scouts of America did their duty before and after the parade by keeping order. When the world war heroes were through they flocked to the Eagle's hall where at noon they were served with a feed that would make anyone jealous.

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AGAINST CHANGING TIME. Go-ham is supposed to love the hours of darkness. Nevertheless, through unanimous action of the New York board of aldermen, it has declared for the daylight saving law and petition President Wilson to veto the recent repeal of the measure. Moreover, despite the alleged lack of sympathy between the metropolitan and the ruralite, these city fathers entirely exonerate the farmer from all blame for the repeal of this justly popular measure.

President Moran of the board voiced his conviction that the vast majority of the American people approve of the law. "Daylight saving," he said, "has saved the workman much lighting expense and has given to him and his family a full hour more of recreation."

"I doubt very much whether there are many farmers among the objectors," he continued. "From time immemorial the farmer has worked by sun time and not by clock time. The lighting companies, whose earnings are suffering, I feel certain are behind this opposition, although they do not appear out in the open. Are we, then, to repeal a law that has proved to be generally beneficial merely to satisfy the greed of grasping lighting magnates?"

Today begins the 144th year of the independence of the United States.

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BULLETS PIERCE MONUMENT.

Dublin. — Examination has just revealed that in the shooting which took place in the streets of Dublin Easter week in 1915, the great O'Connell monument was penetrated by eight or nine bullets. A proposal has been made that the damage should be repaired. The city engineer, however, has advised that the bullet holes do not involve any risk to the monument, are invisible unless attention is specially drawn to them, and in the future will have a considerable historical interest. Accordingly the corporation has decided that the monument shall remain as it is.

WHAT'S NAME OF OFFICIAL POSIE OF THIS STATE?

Illinois has officially adopted the violet as its flower.

But Wisconsin and Rhode Island, too, have selected the posie of proverbial modesty.

Nearly all the states have adopted an official flower says the American Forestry association of Washington, and in those that have not the question is up for discussion. The flowers by states follow:

- Arizona—Giant Cactus.
- Arkansas—Apple Blossom.
- California—Golden Poppy.
- Colorado—Blue Columbine.
- Connecticut—Mountain Laurel.
- Delaware—Peach Blossom.
- Florida—Orange Blossom.
- Georgia—Cherokee Rose.
- Idaho—Syringa.
- Illinois—Violet.
- Indiana—Carnation.
- Iowa—Wild Rose.
- Kansas—Sun Flower.
- Kentucky—Trumpet Vine.
- Louisiana—Magnolia.
- Maine—Pine Cone and Tassel.
- Massachusetts—Mayflower.
- Michigan—Apple Blossom.
- Montana—Bitter Root.
- Nebraska—Goldenrod.
- Nevada—Sage Bush.
- New Mexico—Cactus.
- New York—Rose.
- North Carolina—Daisy.
- North Dakota—Wild Prairie Rose.
- Ohio—Scarlet Carnation.
- Oklahoma—Mistletoe.
- Oregon—Oregon Grape.
- Rhode Island—Violet.
- South Dakota—Pasque Flower.
- Texas—Blue Bonnet.
- Utah—Sage Lily.
- Washington—Rhododendron.
- Wyoming—Indian Paint Brush.
- W. Virginia—Indian Paint Brush.
- Wisconsin—Violet.

MOUNTED MARINES.

Mounted marines were seen for the first time in the streets of Salt Lake City when members of the United States marine corps appeared as cavalymen in a parade, given in honor of visiting Rotarians, who held their convention in the Utah City. The sea soldiers explained that while "horse-marines" are a novelty in this country, many of their comrades are serving as mounted infantry at Peking, China, and that several troops of mounted marines are now busy rounding up bandits in Haiti.

Saturday July 5th. On the half rate excursion to Muscatine. Leave 10 a. m. 25c round trip.

MUSEUM OPENED AT ARSENAL TO DAY STROLLERS

Spectators See Unusual Display in First Exhibit Before the Public.

The Rock Island arsenal museum opened this afternoon with a large crowd present.

Many considered themselves compensated at seeing the exhibition, after a long trip over. Entrance was given visitors near the main gate, into Shop A, where the museum is now located, until an appropriation provides a more fitting structure.

The Revolutionary cannon attracted considerable attention, especially the one obtained from the British, with the inscription, "Surrendered at the Saratoga Convention, Oct. 7, 1777." Other articles of interest were the Filipino knives, boomerangs and numerous small guns of naval design.

Returned soldiers took particular interest in the collection of equipments and accouterments used by the United States army during and since the Revolutionary war. The contrast between the old articles of uniform and those used in the last war is clearly shown in the exhibit, particularly as to rifles, mess kits and other small articles. An extensive collection of rifles attracted the attention of many.

West in Charge. Russell West, curator, said that he intended to add new features to the museum from time to time. Those who have already seen the exhibit may expect to see it much enlarged in a few months. Visitors will be given entrance to the museum hereafter from 1 to 4 every afternoon except on Sundays.

GIVES MEMORIAL TO FATHER. Decatur, Ill.—O. B. Gorin, a banker here, has given \$40,000 to Millikin university to endow a chair as a memorial to his father, the late Jerome Gorin, who was associated with James R. Millikin, founder of the university, in the banking business here.

JOINING OF RED CROSS SOCIETIES GIVEN APPROVAL

President Poincare of France has written to Henry P. Davison, chairman of the board of governors of the league of Red Cross societies, congratulating him on the formation of the league and predicting the success of its plan for "improving health conditions everywhere. A copy of the letter, issued at Red Cross headquarters, follows:

"Mr. Chairman: The central committee of French Red Cross has informed me of the creation of

the league of Red Cross societies, and of the humanitarian object thus undertaken by the Red Cross organizations of the five great allied and associated powers. I take pleasure in congratulating you on this successful result of your untiring efforts. The articles of the association of the league pay a well deserved tribute to the international committee of the Red Cross for its achievements in the work to which the board of governors wishes to consecrate its efforts, and it is provided that the admission of any other Red Cross society to the league shall be by the unanimous vote of the board. "It is with great interest that I quote these facts, and I do not

doubt that the organization in which you have taken the initiative will accomplish in the future the generous mission which it undertakes for welfare of humanity. "I beg you, Mr. Chairman, to express my congratulations and best wishes to the five Red Cross societies, members of the league, and to believe in my sincere esteem. (Signed) "POINCARÉ."

OFFER SERVICES: REFUSED. Berlin.—Generals Boehm-Ermolli, Aussenberg, Remben and Dantari, four well known generals of the former Austro-Hungarian armies, have offered their services to the Czechoslovak government. The offer has been refused.

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