

North Omaha Kiddies Have Ak-Sar-Ben Parade



(Indian) Vera Kelly - 2004 BANNER ST.
Day Louise Brown - 2004 BANNER ST.

The fourth annual Junior Ak-Sar-Ben parade of youngsters, ranging from 1 to 12 years of age, marched around the residence streets, Binney, Wirt, Locust, Twentieth and Twenty-first, yesterday, while scores of fond mothers, fathers, older brothers and sisters cast admiring glances at the little tots and added to the merriment of the occasion by contributing long and vociferous applause. The children rode in floats constructed by the boys of the neighborhood and on decorated tricycles, velocipedes and bicycles.

The idea of the Junior parade was originated four years ago by Helen Marie Fry, daughter of Thomas A. Fry and Helen Fry, who died of appendicitis at Hot Springs, S. D., August 18. Helen Fry planned the parade last summer, and Mary Ure, 2008 Binney street, and Mary Drake, 2539 Capitol avenue, carried out her plans to the letter and held the parade according to schedule.

The parade was patterned after the big Ak-Sar-Ben electrical parade, and only lack the lights and the bands to be a miniature counterpart of the larger affair. Arthur Rex Redfield, aged 8 years, occupied the stately throne of the king, and Lucie Redfield, aged 4 years, the throne of the queen on the big float that held down the anchor position of the parade. Both children apparently realized their positions and sat erect and solemn, never cracking a single smile or answering the salutations of friends in



Japanese-Frances Ure - 2004 BANNER ST.
Parade-Dorothy Weller - 2004 BANNER ST.

the crowd of spectators throughout the parade. The big float which led the parade was occupied by Vera Kelly and Mary Louise Brown. The big float was gayly decorated in the red, green and yellow of Ak-Sar-Ben, and the children were costumed in the same colors. The big float was pulled by two husky youths of the neighborhood, who made very capable

draught horses out of themselves for the feat. The big float was followed by a smaller Japanese float, in which little Frances Ure sat huddled up in a big Japanese native costume, and she even made her little eyes slant slightly into the almond shape of the native Jap. Directly after the Japanese float came the pansy float, occupied by Dorothy Weller. The pansy

King-Arthur R. Redfield
Queen-Lucie Redfield
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float was a small child's wagon completely covered with decorations to represent the pansy. It was a beautiful piece of exquisite workmanship. In another float, which had no specific title, rode the attendants to the king, Ronald Rogers, William Ure, Robert Weller and Louise Clarke were the attendants, and were draped in Ak-Sar-Ben colors.

The parade was concluded by a band of boys and girls riding bicycles, tricycles and velocipedes. Rodman Brown and Ralph Redfield had decorated bicycles, and Lamona Mapes, Jean Burns, Ruth Redfield, Lois Thompson and Caroline Leavitt rode velocipedes and tricycles. The construction of the tiny floats was the work of five boys. The boys have spent their spare time after school hours building and decorating the floats, and they acted as motive power to propel them along the streets this morning. Jay Burns, Truman Redfield, George Rogers, Rex Ellwood and Fred Weller are the lads who put their skill to the construction of the floats and substituted for horses in the parade.

The entire neighborhood was very much pleased over the little tot's celebration and admired the Ak-Sar-Ben spirit they exhibited. Almost every person in the neighborhood was on hand to watch the parade and cheer the participants.

ANTI-SALOONISTS ARE BUSY

Will Begin Their Annual Campaign in Churches Today.

TO CIRCULATE PETITIONS

All Those Attending Special Services Will Have Opportunity to Register Their Names in Protest to Liquor Traffic.

The Nebraska Anti-Saloon league will begin its annual campaign to eliminate some of the saloons of the state Sunday with speech-making in nearly sixty churches. Petitions will be in all these churches for signatures of those who oppose the operation of saloons and road-houses. In the afternoon at 4:30 o'clock a big mass meeting will be held at the African Methodist Episcopal church, where Rev. Dr. Baker of Omaha will speak. The committee on arrangements consists of N. H. Russell, H. J. Gove, T. O. Putnam and F. A. High.

Following is the program for the Sunday campaign:

NERVOUS HEADACHES

Heavy Feeling, as if My Brain Was Pressing Down

Mrs. Hill says: "I cannot tell you how much I have suffered during the past twelve years. A great multitude of women in this country know exactly what Mrs. Hill means when she says, 'Heavy feeling, as if my brain was pressing down.' So nervous I could not get my rest at night. Would have sinking spells and then so weak that I could not do my work." A great many women in the United States will recognize in this description their own experience. Mrs. Hill found a remedy. After taking a bottle of Peruna she gained in strength and flesh and wrote us that she was a well woman again. She says, "I do not thank you enough for my recovery."

This is no ordinary incident. Twelve women suffering. Four bottles of Peruna restored to perfect health. If Peruna can do this for one woman why can it not do another? Is it not worth your attention? Is it not worth trying? These who object to liquid medicines -

WILD WEST SHOW NOW HERE

Headed by the Mayor Parades the Streets of Omaha.

AUDITORIUM SHOW TONIGHT

Performances Will Be Given Sunday Afternoon at Rourke Park and Sunday Night at the Auditorium.

Headed by the mayor and chief of police, the Irwin Beuther's Wild West show paraded the business districts this morning. There were two cowboy bands, a string of Indians, Cossacks and cowboys. There also was a stage coach full of squaws and bucks and a prairie schooner pulled by eight oxen. The streets were packed from one end of the business section to the other, all marveling on one serious question. They were wondering why a band always stops playing a block away from them and begins a block after it has passed. Irwin's shows opened at Rourke park this afternoon.

There were a number of cowgirls, all mounted on superb horses. Their saddles, too, were superb, with silver mountings and fancy scroll work. Some of the saddles bore the names of the riders, and the dates on which they won medals for fine riding. Some of the cowboys were in the full regalia of the plains thirty years ago, with leather chaps, woolly caps, high-heeled boots and silver spurs; silk shirts that flapped in the breeze, and wide-rimmed, extremely high soft hats. Always, there was a handkerchief around their several necks. It might be a red handkerchief, or a purple one, but there was a handkerchief of some color around the neck. And again, there were cowboys such as one might see once in a while in the waste places where the wild west and southern California. They wore the high boots, ordinary pants-trousers-flannel shirt and a bronzed face. Not so romantic as the novelist paints them, but more true to life.

The Indians, some of whom were naked to the waist, rode on unshod painted ponies and some ponies that were not painted, and some that were shod. All wore from one feather to a regular bonnet all dolled up with mirrors, silk teeth, ribbons and more feathers. The squaws rode on the stage coach, and on ponies, dragging the tree limbs behind them with household goods tied in the forks. There were several comedians, the rube the policeman and the Jew. They all had a nice, long walk, or ride, as the case may be, before them. They either rode or walked to Rourke's base ball park where the wild west gave the opening performance during Ak-Sar-Ben celebration. Some of the wild west acts will be used in the indoor circus each night, held in the Auditorium. The big Ak-Sar-Ben attraction in the Auditorium the indoor circus, opens tonight with acts from Irwin Beuther, wild west and several feature acts. Raymond

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Will Give a High Class Performance of Exceptional Cleverness. These horses are wonderful specimens of horseteeth, and their intelligence is remarkable. Johnson and Cousman, Omaha boys, will present their farcical offering, the "Rube Wrestlers." They gave several performances at the "Don" this summer, and were well received. They are now playing in vaudeville and happen to be "off" during the Ak-Sar-Ben celebration.

The wild west show will give a performance tomorrow, Sunday afternoon, at Rourke's base ball park, and the indoor circus will be repeated tomorrow night in the Auditorium and will continue throughout King Ak-Sar-Ben's celebration.

THIEVES USE CLEVER RUSE TO GET MONEY FROM STORE KEEPER

J. Kulp, news dealer, 1306 North Twenty-fourth street, was relieved of \$20 Friday afternoon when he was called to a telephone next door to speak to a friend who was supposed to be ill at a local hospital. Kulp thought the call bona fide and left the shop long enough to give a scheming thief an opportunity to "touch" the cash register for all it contained. This is the second theft of this kind lately worked upon unsuspecting storekeepers who have no telephones.

ZEIGLER GETS CONTRACT FOR COURT HOUSE GROUNDS

The Board of County Commissioners awarded the contract for completing the grounds on the north side of the court house to Calvin Zeigler, contractor, whose bid of \$10,465 was lowest. Once previously all bids were rejected by the board on the ground that they were too high. Zeigler has agreed to complete the work thirty days from the arrival of the last shipment of the granite which will be used to build the approaches.

CONCORDIA SINGERS TO DEDICATE NEW BANNER

A banner dedication will be held by the Concordia Ladies' society Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the German home. A program of ten musical selections, both instrumental and vocal, will be given by members of the society and others, after which dancing will be in order for the rest of the evening.

MAYOR FRANCIS FITZGERALD OF BOSTON TO ADDRESS CLUB

Mayor Francis Fitzgerald of Boston, Mass., will address the members of the Commercial club at a public affairs luncheon Friday. Mr. Fitzgerald has a nation-wide reputation as an executive and speaker. Mayor James C. Dahman will preside at the meeting.

BACK PAY FOR THE INDIAN

Three Hundred and Eighty-One Thousand for Winnabagos.

MERCHANTS ARE SEEKING CASH

Insist Upon Payment of Old Debts that Were Contracted by the Red Men Many Long Years Ago.

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BONDS IN COUNCIL MONDAY

Auditorium and Library Proposals Up for Consideration Then.

COUNCIL URGES VOTERS PRESENT

Commissioners Insist on People Being There to Join in the Discussion of Matters They Are to Vote On. The proposed bonds of \$25,000 for the purchase of the Auditorium and \$30,000 for the library addition are to come before the city commissioners, and the commissioners express the hope that citizens, who will be asked to vote on the bond propositions in November, will not fail to be on hand, as many as can, to consider the details with them. "These are both important matters," says Commissioner Ryder, "too important to be left entirely to the city's official representatives. They should enlist the interest of the people, and now is the time for that. Monday at our meeting all who have opinions to express or ideas to offer as to these bond propositions will be welcome. We crave their cooperation and suggestion, and we hope they will give them to us."

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Each Indian of the Winnabago tribe will receive \$17.50. There are said to be about 1,200. The money is the proceeds, with interest, of an old land sale by the Indians. Through some oversight, it has remained in the federal treasury at Washington for years until some of the congressmen got to looking into the matter and found out the Indians were entitled to this.

"These appropriations from the federal government come rarely nowadays to either the Omaha or the Winnabago tribe, who live on adjoining reservations in northeastern Nebraska. The federal government has practically left them to shift for themselves with their land holdings. Most of them have rented their land to white farmers and are living in small shanties on the edge of some small tract of ground. Most of them do not even work a garden spot any more, nor do many of them raise the little patch of corn for their ponies, as they used

Fred Bruning is Circulating Own Recall Petition

Fifty voters in Omaha are willing to have Fred Bruning as city commissioner in place of some of the present members of the city commission. At least that many have signed the petition which he himself is circulating. He is one of the seven candidates for the places of the present commissioners whose modesty is not so enormous but that he is willing to circulate his own petition and ask his friends to help him recall the city commission in order that he may get a place on the city's payroll.

Although he has been circulating his petition for over two weeks he has at present a scant fifty names on it. "Well, I don't want to be put in the light of doing it all myself," is the defense he makes when friends twist him about the scarcity of his signatures. Nevertheless he is anxious enough about it to get up early in the morning and circulate the petitions down at the market place.

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IT'S A BURNING SHAME

not to have Bucklen's Arnica Salve to cure burns, scalds, boils, sores, rashes, cuts, bruises, wounds and ulcers. For sale by your druggist—Advertisement.

Warding Off "Old Age"

A London Physician Says:—

When a distinguished scientist like Dr. Newsholme, of the Local Government Board, warns us that we are ageing prematurely as the result of the strain modern life throws on our hearts and arteries, it is worth thinking what can be done to stop this health wastage.

Dr. H. Strauss, of Vienna, in a recent number of the "British Medical Journal," makes the timely suggestion that much can be done to retard this premature wear and tear by paying a little ordinary attention to the diet.

The man whose heart or blood vessels begin to show signs of not being as young as they used to be should, for example, be very chary with his meaty foods. Two and a half to three and a half ounces of meat a day Dr. Strauss considers quite sufficient.

More important than what one eats, however, is what one drinks. Alcoholic stimulants of all kinds tend to burden the heart and blood vessels by making them work overtime, which of course increases the wear and tear. But it isn't only alcoholic stimulants Dr. Strauss inveighs against. Caffeine (the powerful drug contained in tea and coffee) this distinguished scientist points out, is also a powerful heart irritant. Every time one takes a cup of these beverages the caffeine in it encourages one's heart to do extra work which is practically always quite uncalled for, and therefore is an utter waste both of energy and heart muscle.

In these days when the strain of modern competition and high-speed mental work keeps one's heart constantly working at high pressure (thereby tending to produce premature wearing out) anything which can possibly add to the work thrown on the heart ought to be strenuously avoided. Caffeine, the powerful heart irritant contained both in coffee and tea is one of these substances.

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