

Within the enclosed and crowded majestic interior of the Fort St. Frederick and in the presence of a holiday throng Governor Charles E. Hughes of New York, sketched briefly the objects of the celebration. Historical addresses were delivered by ex-Mayor Seth Low, of New York, and Judge Albert C. Barnes of Chicago, and Clinton Scollard, of Clinton, N. Y., read an original poem. The speakers were presented by Walter C. Withers, treasurer of the New York-Lake

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Summing Up

Chicago, July 5.—Statistics compiled by the Tribune regarding the fourth of July casualties throughout the country indicate a much smaller loss of life and injuries than in any preceding year.

The figures procured after the first day of celebration follow:

Dead, 19; by fireworks, and resulting accidents, 18; by firearms, 3; by gunpowder, 2; by toy pistols, 10.

Injured, 472; by fireworks, 116; by cannon, 51; by firearms, 62; by gunpowder, 4; by toy pistols, 13; by pistols, 46; by bomb cases, 4; by runaway, 14. Fire loss, \$69,200.

Commons and responsible government. We are proud to have participated in the construction of a transcontinental railway. On the anniversary of confederation there will be rejoicing at the great success that has been achieved by the Dominion of Canada. Canadians will rejoice in their glorious heritage and yet, locally, our community is tinged with sadness on account of the tragic event that has taken place in our midst. We have no doubt that our tribute of respect to the patriotism of the late Isaac Decker. Whatever may be said, we all have the firm conviction that our departed friend has left behind him a credit to his memory and a life of fruitful performance of his duty.

"As far as the actual building goes, there do not seem to be many obstacles in the way. I believe that for a scheme of this nature the different development leagues on the island would do all in their power to help towards its achievement. The government and the city council might be brought to interest themselves in the matter, and there is little doubt that the island railroad would at once realize the same interest. I am sure that if you mean to proceed with the project, you might be induced to draw up a plan of such a building. It doesn't seem

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