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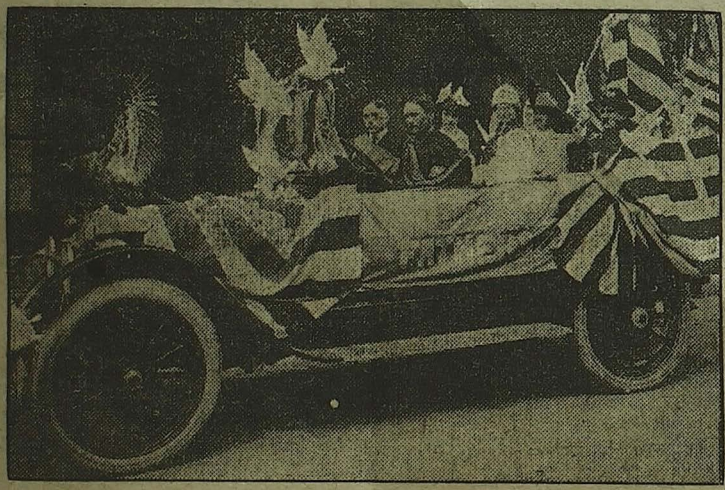
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# Float of Fathers' Day Association Wins Applause in Memorial Parade



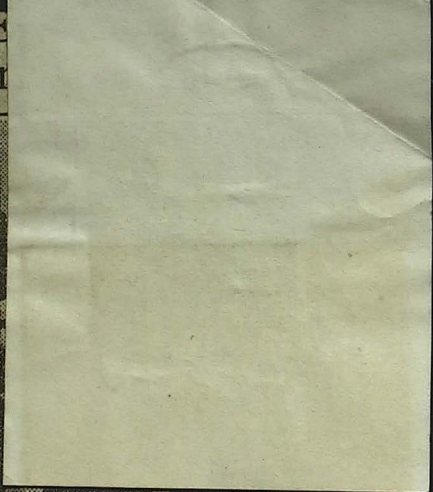
Fathers' Day association car in Memorial day parade.

One of the prettiest features of the parade yesterday was the memorial float, "Our Fathers," decorated by the Fathers' Day association, draped with blue and gray. On the front was a huge American eagle and numerous white doves found places among the flowers and national colors. On the sides of the car were large hand-made banners with the words, "Our Fathers."

A large monogram of the association also was used. The escorts wore blue and gray sashes with the word "Father" across the breast and the monogram of the association on the sleeve. The confederacy was represented by Walter Davis, second cousin of Jeff Davis. Mr. Davis was corporal in Company C, First Missouri cavalry. Major W. L. Boyd of the First Maine cavalry represented the G. A. R.

In the car with the fathers of the north and south were Miss Delpha Coffman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. Coffman, and Jack Bruce Dodd, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bruce Dodd. They were dressed in white and carried roses, the emblem of the association. In the front seat with the driver, Mr. Hutfell, was Lucius Metz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Metz. The escorts were Miss Eulalia Maiden of Walla Walla, representing the north, and Marvin H. Harrison of Norfolk, Va. Miss Maiden wore the gray and Mr. Harrison the blue, the colors being reversed. During the procession the two old soldiers in the car were showered with flowers from the bystanders.

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