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# Keith's Corner/McGill News

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# July 4th-2023

July 4, 2023 is now upon us. It happens every year at this time. It is like one's birthday. So, we should celebrate, especially this year. I will get some photos for next week's Newsletter.

I will have the Drugstore open on Monday July 3<sup>rd</sup> frp, 10 am to 3 pm. And on July 4<sup>th</sup> from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. in addition to the regular hours on Thurs thru Sunday. Come in and look around. We have t-shirts and hats available.

We are always looking for information/stories about the Drugstore and really need to find some photos of the place and the folks that worked there. Surprising what you can find in an old photo album or that shoebox in the closet. I am always on the lookout for anything about McGill and/or the folks that made up the place. We need to preserve our history and it is up to us to do just that.

I will be at the Convention Center breakfast, so if you have any story or photo look me up. If not, find me and say hello anyway.

Here's hoping that we have a great parade on the 4<sup>th</sup>. Would be nice to see some floats and horse croups and some bands wearing uniforms and playing patriotic music, like the great Sousa Marches. Lately, it seems like parades are full of noise and sirens.

It is such a shame that our schools don't have bands that march in the parades. I was in the McGill band and the WPHS Band and we put on our uniforms and marched on Memorial Day, July 4<sup>th</sup> and Labor Day every year. It didn't kill us and the folks that pay the taxes got to see that their hard earned money was doing some good for the community, instead of going down a rat hole somewhere.

So, remember to celebrate and remember that you live in the greatest country in the history of the world.

Just compare how you live today with the folks in the tents below. I am sure they would easily trade you places, but I doubt that any of us would be glad to trade them places.

### McGill News

I took a Drugstore hat and t-shirt to the post office and got some quotes on mailing costs.

Hat and shirt/box/postage--\$14.64

Hat/visor/box/postage--\$10.24

Shirt/box/postage--\$8.34

Shirts, hats, Visors are \$25.00 each

Shirt sizes are -small, medium, large, XL, 2XL

Address—McGill Drugstore

P.O. Box 973

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# Old Photo



This was taken in 1909/ It shows the main street of McGill. The long building was the Campton Mercantile and to it's right was the Drugstore. The building that is now the Antique store is there and a long building with an awning, that became the bank building.