



Celebration of Jefferson s Birthday in Washington, Wednesday, April 13, 1859 (Classic Reprint)

By Republican Association of Washington

Forgotten Books, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. Excerpt from Celebration of Jefferson's Birthday in Washington, Wednesday, April 13, 1859 The friends of Freedom in Washington, under the auspices of the Republican Association, celebrated the birthday of Thomas Jefferson, on Wednesday, the 10th instant, with great spirit and enthusiasm. In the afternoon, one hundred guns were fired, partly in honor of the day, and also in celebration of the recent Republican triumphs in Connecticut, Rhode Island, Missouri, Michigan, and other States. In the evening, a large audience assembled at Odd Fellows Hall, to hear an oration in memory of the life, character, and principles of Mr. Jefferson. The occasion was enlivened by the presence of the Marine Band, which played national and patriotic airs at the intervals in the proceedings. Francis P. Blair, sen., Esq., presided, and introduced the proceedings by the following address, which briefly and perspicuously sets forth the nature and objects of the Republican organization. Gentlemen: There never was a more propitious moment than the present to revive the recollection of the principles and Administration of Jefferson. When a spurious currency...



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