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*As we celebrate 175 years, we take a look at our history and the world around us through News-Sentinel archives.*

## A JOURNEY THROUGH THE PAST

### 1910

- ◆ Spokane, Wash., hosts the first celebration of Father's Day.
- ◆ Barr Street Market's two stone pavilions are built at a cost of \$20,000. They were designed by the Fort Wayne architectural firm, Wing & Mahurin.
- ◆ Four human skeletons are unearthed by diggers at work in an excavation for the Fort Wayne Foundry and Machine Works. The bones were found immediately north of the Nickel Plate watchman's

tower at Harrison St. Local history established the fact that in early days there was a burial ground north of the spot where the bones were found. Months earlier, a similar find was made in excavating for a cellar in the rear of the county jail.

- ◆ St. Hyacinth's Catholic Church is founded.
- ◆ Boy Scouts of America is chartered.
- ◆ Swinney Park's original Japanese pavilion is built; was removed 56 years later.

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