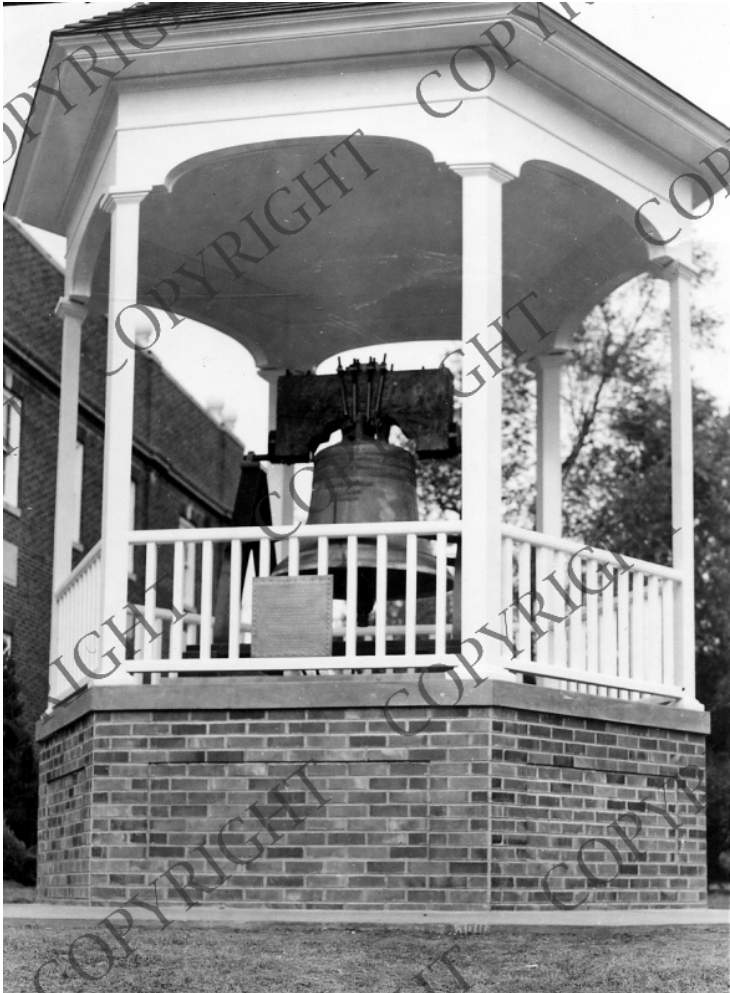


Replica of Philadelphia Liberty Bell in gazebo in front of Memorial Building



Description

Snapshot of a 2,500 pound replica of the Philadelphia Liberty Bell in a gazebo in front of Memorial Hall in Independence, Missouri. The bell, a friendship token from the people of Annecy, France, was formally accepted by President Harry S. Truman on behalf of Independence and the United States at ceremonies held on November 6, 1950. Fifty-three bells, one for each state and territory, were cast and sent as gifts to the United States. From: A.W. Easter.

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3x4 inches Black & White

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