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A UNIQUE FUNERAL

Notable Honors Paid to Jefferson Davis' Daughter

A Great Day of Mourning at the Old Confederate Capital.

Church Filled by Delegates From Every State in the Union.

Military Procession Headed by Virginia Volunteers—Vast Crowds at Hollywood.

Richmond, Va., Sept. 23.—The hallowed hills of Hollywood, overlooking the Davis burial plot, were densely packed this afternoon with sympathetic thousands to witness the ceremonies at the grave of Miss Winnie Davis. The funeral was one of the character given a great military hero rather than a woman. It was a great mourning day in Richmond. No feature was more striking than the floral display, rare flowers in immense masses coming from the north, east, west and south.

The body of Miss Davis arrived at 8:40 this morning, accompanied by relatives and friends and a guard of honor of Confederate veterans. The body was escorted to St. Paul's church, where it lay in state until the funeral hour under a guard of honor. All day privileged delegations were admitted to view it. The casket is a very handsome one of walnut and bears the inscription: "Vivanna Ann Jefferson Davis died September 18, 1898. Aged 33 years." The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Harley Carmichael and Rev. Dr. Hoge. The public was not admitted to the church but the building was filled by authorized delegations from New York to Texas, and a vast throng filed the streets. The procession extended from the church to Hollywood two miles away. The flags of the city were at half mast and during the procession every church bell was tolled. The military portion was headed by the Second Virginia volunteers. The hearse was drawn by four white ponies. The body was lowered into the grave by the side of her father just as the brilliant sunset flooded the solemn thousands with its rays. The services at the grave were simple and ended the most unique funeral ever accorded a woman in the South.

SEÑOR CASTELAR THREATENED

Notified That He has Been Selected as an Anarchist's Victim.

Madrid, Sept. 23.—Senor Castelar, the republican leader, has received an anonymous letter bearing the London postmark, informing him that he has been selected as a victim by the anarchists.

BETTER REPORT FROM NEW ORLEANS

Yellow Fever Situation Favorable—Seventy Cases at Franklin.

New Orleans, Sept. 23.—The yellow fever situation is now favorable. No new cases have been reported since Wednesday. All patients are improving and the fever is of a very mild type.

The Louisiana state board of health has quarantined against New Orleans and Jefferson parish which is just opposite the city. It advises a liberal construction of the Atlanta regulations as to passenger traffic and freight because the infection is very small and removed from the commercial districts and the danger from freight traffic remote.

There has been seventy cases of fever at Franklin to date and two deaths.

EVACUATION DELAYED

Not Likely to Begin From Cuba Before November 1—False Report.

Washington, Sept. 23.—It was stated on official authority tonight that the evacuation of Cuba is not likely to begin before November 1. Garrisoning with the American troops will not begin until the withdrawal of the first Spanish troops is effected.

Acting Secretary Mikklejohn said tonight that the report that preliminary orders had been sent to the Havana commission to demand instant evacuation was absolutely untrue.

WILDMAN MADE NO CONTRACT WITH AGUINALDO.

Washington, Sept. 23.—The statement made in San Francisco by the Filipino representative, Angoncello, that Consul Wildman had made a contract with Aguinaldo, looking to the independence of the Philippines, was absolutely untrue.

More than a month ago Wildman informed the state department that he had conferred with Aguinaldo only so far as it was necessary to prevent a misunderstanding in regard to the American attack on Manila.

It is not likely that the Filipino envoys will be received officially by McKinley, but will probably be admitted to the White House as visitors, and allowed to state their grievances and desires. The United States will not recognize any claim to alliance between Aguinaldo and this country.

PLOT A NORTH CAROLINA CAMP?

Washington, Sept. 23.—An official at the war department said to me late last night that all of the winter camps for troops would be in the south, and that they had not yet been selected, at least no definite decision has been reached. He said that if the proper efforts on the part of North Carolinians in good standing with the administration were exerted it would probably result in the selection of some point in the state for a winter camp. This, he said, is made the more reasonable since Hatters has been selected as a point of debarkation of troops from Porto Rico, and charts for this purpose have been given commanders of transports.

—Charlotte News and Observer.

CERVERA SPOKE BITTERLY.

Santander dispatch, Sept. 22.—Before Admiral Cervera landed from the steamship City of Rome yesterday the local authorities went on board the transport to welcome him home. In response to their greetings the admiral thanked them for their courtesy, and said he needed consolation after undergoing such heroic but barren sacrifices as he and his men had experienced. He spoke with bitterness of the situation in which his sailors were placed. They had returned calmly, having done their duty, but were filled with sadness by the atmosphere of injustice which enveloped public opinion.

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ALLEGED DEEP PLOT

Germany Said to be Preparing to Seize the Philippines.

To Supply Aguinaldo's Soldiers With German Rifles.

A Remarkable Tale That Comes by the Way of San Francisco.

Information Alleged to Have Come From Hamburg—Did it Cause Us to Send Troops to Manila?

San Francisco, Sept. 23.—A former resident of the Philippines, who has secret information of Germany's plans to obtain the islands, declared that the Kaiser's plans in part are to send 150,000 miles to Aguinaldo with trained artillery forces, and when Aguinaldo has worried the Americans into relinquishment of the islands, the Germans will step in and secure the islands under plea of protecting their trade.

It is claimed the knowledge of this plan induced the government last week to order the despatch to Manila of 6,000 volunteers in camp here.

The man to whom the United States is indebted for this information has received details of Germany's plans from Hamburg. Within the next few months every German vessel that touches at the Philippines will carry German arms and officers. One hundred and fifty thousand Filipinos will be armed and drilled, and by February 1 Aguinaldo will be ready to commence active operations.

THE WEST INDIES HURRICANE

Thirty Thousand People Were Rendered Homeless.

Kingston, Jamaica, Sept. 23.—Mail advices from the Barbadoes are to the effect that 30,000 people were rendered homeless by the recent hurricane and 4,487 houses destroyed. The houses were, however, mere boxes and can be replaced for a few shillings each.

The hurricane lasted ten hours and eighty-seven deaths were reported. The damage among shipping was very heavy. Experienced sugar planters say the sugar crop is absolutely ruined but some expect the cane to recover.

WILL DREYFUS BE RETRIED?

Committee Reaches Decision Rumored to be Adverse to Prisoner.

Paris, Sept. 23.—The revision committee on the Dreyfus case has reached a decision but their conclusion has not yet been communicated to the minister of justice. It is rumored that the commission has decided against revision. Only the ordinary session of the cabinet will be held tomorrow.

VANILLA EXTRACT

Is made from Vanilla Beans in this way: The beans are cut up in little pieces and packed in a tall glass jar which has a small hole in the bottom. Then alcohol is passed through, drop by drop, and in passing extracts all the flavoring from the beans.

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GENERAL WOODFORD WANTS TO BE SENATOR

Why He has Tendered His Resignation as Minister.

Washington, Sept. 23.—Officers of the administration admit that General Stewart L. Woodford has tendered his resignation as minister to Spain. There



GEN. STEWART L. WOODFORD.

is a report in administration circles that Woodford wants to be senator from New York and has resigned in anticipation of a campaign to that end.

DIED IN NEW YORK OF YELLOW FEVER

New York, Sept. 23.—E. Isaacs, of Macon, Ga., who arrived yesterday from Santiago on the Segurancita, suffering from yellow fever and who was taken to Swinburn Island, died at 5:30 o'clock this afternoon.

RELIEF SUPPLIES MUST BE ADMITTED FREE

Havana, Sept. 23.—The American commissioners are insisting that supplies intended for distribution among the poor be admitted free of duty and have sent a note to the Spanish commission to the effect: "It is not known what answer the Spanish will make." The only positive statement that can be made regarding evacuation is that the Spanish plan of beginning it in the east does not meet the approval of the Americans, who will demand that Havana be first evacuated.

TO MOVE COLUMBUS' BODY.

Havana, Sept. 23.—Blanco has ordered that the remains of Columbus which are in the cathedral here be transported to Spain.

ALGER AT CAMP WHEELER.

Huntsville, Ala., Sept. 23.—Secretary Alger made an official visit to Camp Wheeler today, and was gratified with the conditions prevailing there. All the troops were reviewed by Alger and other officials of the party.

EPWORTH LEAGUE SOCIAL.

The Epworth league social given last evening in the lecture room of Central M. E. church was well attended and proved to be a most delightful affair. Miss Kimberly opened the musical program with a piano solo, which was very creditably rendered. Professor H. F. Smith and Frank Hood then rendered an excellent banjo and guitar duet, with her usual sweetness, Miss Daisy Sawyer sang. After several other guitar and banjo selections refreshments were served. At the conclusion of a social half-hour Professor Smith rendered "Old Kentucky Home" on the banjo. In response to continued applause he gave a beautiful and quite different piece.

NEGRO EXCURSION TO KNOXVILLE.

A colored excursion will be run from here to Knoxville and return, leaving Thursday, September 29, returning next day. The round trip fare will be \$2. The managers are J. A. Wilson, George L. Greenlee and Stanley Foreney.

AUCTION SALE.

One first class pony and two seated cart, Court square at 12 o'clock Saturday, September 24. Mrs. L. G. Gove. 196-2t

SEN. T. J. CURRY AT MARS HILL.

Dr. J. L. M. Curry will deliver an address at Mars Hill today on the subject of education.

During a number of years of experiments, which demanded large outlays of cash, we have been trying to produce the native North Carolina gem, cut and mounted, at a figure to compete with the ordinary imported semi-precious stones. We have just succeeded in accomplishing what we consider a very important and difficult task, and we can now offer to the public a beautiful line of native North Carolina gems that are better proportioned and polished than any we have ever had, at prices about one-half less than formerly. It is always our study and desire to furnish the public with the class of jewelry and silver we are known as handling at the very lowest market prices.

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SPAIN'S POLICY

Weyler Says it Should be to Divide up the Philippines.

That More Than One Foreign Power Should Have a Foothold.

Spain Should Defend Her Right Over Loyal Provinces.

And to Dispose of Them as She Sees Fit, Retaining Something for Herself.

Washington, Sept. 23.—General Weyler has sent a statement to the Madrid foreign office in which he says that the Spanish peace commission should go to Paris with full knowledge of the fact that the bay and city of Manila are in control of the Americans, that the central provinces of Luzon are practically controlled by the insurgents and that Spain holds undisputed sway over the rest of the archipelago.

Weyler adds that the commission should defend Spain's right to dispose of loyal provinces as she sees fit, that more than one foreign power may be in possession of parts of the islands, thus preventing encroachment on territory Spain intends to hold.

CRUSADE AGAINST LOAFERS

Police Arraign Six Dusky Maidens for Holding Down Sidewalks.

The police are making a determined crusade against the women and men who make a practice of loafing around the streets at night. Patton avenue and South Main street are two thoroughfares mostly afflicted.

Five dusky maidens and one "Happy Hollow" white woman were arraigned before Police Justice Erwin yesterday morning and were fined five dollars each. They were unable to pay their fines.

GATAWBA ON A RAMPAGE.

Morganton, S. C., Sept. 23.—As a result of yesterday's heavy rain, the Catawba river was the highest ever known this morning. Near this city it was said to be twenty feet above the low water level, and in the raging torrent were quantities of debris washed down from points higher up the stream. Many corn fields on the river flats were swept away. The fine county bridge at this city was moved some inches on its piers.

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