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WEEP AS MEN IN GRAY GO BY

Remnant of Confederate Host March Through Chattanooga Streets in Annual Reunion.

MANY TOO FEEBLE TO UNDERGO ORDEAL

Automobiles Pick up Veterans As They Fall Out of Line—City Is Gaily Decorated.

Chattanooga, Tenn., May 29.—Froddly bearing tattered battleflags dimmed by powder smoke and time, the gray-clad survivors of the confederate army today marched through streets walled on each side with cheering thousands. Standards borne by cavalymen almost unencumbered overhead arches formed of entwined confederate and United States flags.

Nearly a thousand of the gray-haired veterans were mounted on the prancing horses of the eleventh United States cavalry tendered by Fort Oglethorpe officials, and offering another mute testimonial of the burial of the bitterness which characterized the war between the states.

Hundreds of applauding spectators who witnessed the impressive sight were moved to tears by the flood of memories it aroused.

No division appeared in a semblance of its entirety. Only a few staunch survivors were left of the more than six hundred thousand soldiers who represented the confederacy in the fiercest struggle of modern times.

From the moment General Bennett H. Young, commander-in-chief of the U. C. V., appeared, accompanied by his staff, until the last detachment of veterans passed, the firmament was rent with shouts and applause.

General Young's staff was followed by the Eleventh cavalry band, the survivors of the trans-Mississippi department, the department of Northern Virginia, the department of Tennessee, Forrest's cavalry corps and 1000 mounted veterans.

Interspersed among the divisions of the confederate veterans, in each instance followed by aged soldiers riding in automobiles. The Richmond howitzer, Polk's guards of Macon, company D, Alabama National guards and two companies of Tennessee militia acted as official military escorts to the veterans.

ALLIES WILL SIGN PEACE PACT SOON

Treaty Between Balkan Allies and Turkey Ready for Consideration—Then War May Occur over Distribution of the Spoils of Victory.

By Associated Press. London, May 29.—It is practically certain the treaty of peace between the Balkan allies and Turkey is to be signed at the British foreign office by the peace delegates of the various states concerned tomorrow. Bulgaria and Turkey have both definitely decided to sign the document in deference to the wishes of Sir Edward Grey, British foreign secretary, and there is little doubt that Serbia, Greece and Montenegro will do likewise.

Saves Man Who Swallowed Bichloride of Mercury

By Associated Press. Detroit, Mich., May 29.—Thomas McCabe, Detroit engineer who swallowed ten grains of bichloride of mercury a week ago, has recovered. A solution of bicarbonate of soda injected into his veins by Dr. Andrew T. Sherman saved the life of the engineer who took the poison, he declared because the late B. Sanders Walker of

GREAT PREPARATIONS FOR MEMORIAL DAY

New York Will Have Three Parades and Battleship Fleet.

By Associated Press. New York, May 29.—Three large parades, the presence of the North Atlantic fleet of battleships, the dedication of a monument to those who died in the explosion of the battleship Maine, an uncounted number of memorial exercises, a crowded program of sporting events and the promise of fine weather make it appear that New York will have a full measure of reverence and pastime for memorial day.

Besides the usual parade of grand army men whose ranks will be thinned to 1200 marchers this year, accompanied by 10,000 militiamen, there will be a military and naval parade in which sailors from the cruiser Cuba, the pride of the island republic's navy will march with bluejackets from the 12 American battleships here and with soldiers from local garrisons. This parade will precede the dedication of the Maine monument at the Columbus circle entrance of Central park, where former President Taft will deliver the principal address.

BRICK-FELL 10 STORIES HIT NEGRO AND BROKE

Struck on Top of Head but Caused No Damage Beyond Headache.

By Associated Press. Washington, May 29.—William Moore, a negro, was annoyed by a headache today when physicians expected he would have been occupying space in the morgue. He stopped a brick yesterday after it had fallen 10 stories and was traveling with the velocity of a cannon ball. When it hit Moore on the top of his head it broke into bits. Moore sat down suddenly and apparently was a subject of the coroner.

Workers on the building from which the brick dropped sent for a physician. When the doctor arrived Moore sat up.

SAGAMORE WILL NOT VERY DRY

Colonel Keeps a "Regular Gentleman's Cellar" Admits Relative Who Quenches Thirst.

By Associated Press. Marquette, Mich., May 29.—Five witnesses for Col. Roosevelt, including a relative, a former member of the rough rider regiment, a former locomotive fireman, a newspaper man, a former judge, testified today in Col. Roosevelt's suit for libel against George A. Newett, the Ishpeming newspaper owner.

INSISTS ROOSEVELT PARTAKES MODERATELY

Never Saw Him Drink Anything at Oyster Bay except White Wine—Others Testify.

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DON'T GIVE UP SHIPS BELMONT TOLD DANIELS

While Lending Secretary Sword of Commodore Perry—He Meant Battleships.

By Associated Press. Washington, May 29.—Former Representative Perry Belmont, in lending today to Secretary Daniels the sword which Commodore Oliver Hazard Perry used in the battle of Lake Erie 100 years ago, took occasion to speak a word for an increased navy.

SCHMIDT DEFEATED IN CHAMPIONSHIP MATCH

Performance of Young American the Sensation of St. Andrews Tournament.

By Associated Press. St. Andrews, Scotland, May 29.—W. Heinrich Schmidt, the young player of Worcester, Mass., was beaten today in the sixth round of the world's amateur golf championship by H. H. Hilton of the Royal Liverpool Golf club at the 19th hole.

"PINK BOLL WORM" TO BE CONSIDERED

By Associated Press. Washington, May 29.—The "pink boll worm" will be the subject of a hearing before the department of agriculture June 12 to consider the advisability of placing an embargo on cottons and cottonseed hulls coming from Hawaii.

SENATE WILL PASS CUMMINS RESOLVE

Language Requiring President to Give Names of Lobbyists to Whom He Referred Will Be Modified—Leaders Fear Tariff Delay.

By Associated Press. Washington, May 29.—Senator Cummins was ready to call up in the senate late today his resolution for an inquiry into the tariff lobby in Washington which President Wilson has designated as "insidious." That it would be passed after some modification was the opinion expressed by democratic leaders.

Big Liner Fast on Rocks; Passengers are Rescued

By Associated Press. Queenstown, May 29.—The American Liner Haverford struck today on the rocks off Cork head, where she remains fast. She sailed yesterday from Liverpool for Philadelphia.

PLANS ANNOUNCED BY UNION PACIFIC

First Contemplates Selling Stock to Higher Bidder, Second Trust Creation.

By Associated Press. New York, May 29.—Two alternate plans for the disposition of the \$126,650,000 of Southern Pacific stock owned by the Union Pacific board today.

DEAD NEGRO MUTILATED BY SOUTH CAROLINA MOB

Rope Then Tied About Austin's Torso, Left Hanging as Warning.

By Associated Press. Augusta, Ga., May 29.—A long distance telephone message to the Augusta Herald today stated that the mutilated body of Richard Henry Austin, the negro outlaw was hanging early this morning in the court house square at Hampton, S. C.

ORDERLY COUNTY

By Associated Press. Norfolk, Va., May 29.—Isle of Wight county, Virginia, having a population of 15,000, claims the record for law and order. No grand jury has been necessary for the consideration of criminal business thus far during the year 1913, and Judge B. D. White of the Circuit court said today the county jail was empty. Civil business alone keeps the court alive.

HIT BY BALL

By Associated Press. Kansas City, Mo., May 29.—Charles Edling, an attorney, has been awarded \$3500 damages against the local American association baseball management in the Circuit court for injuries received while watching a ball game here last year. He alleged that his nose was broken and his eye sight injured by a foul ball that hit him while he was sitting in the grandstand.

DIFFERENTIAL TO BE DROPPED

Senator Simmons Announces Foreign Objections to Five per Cent Clause Will Be Met.

By Associated Press. Washington, May 29.—Senator Simmons, chairman of the finance committee, definitely announced, after a conference with President Wilson today, that the proposed five per cent differential on imports in American owned or controlled vessels would be dropped from the tariff bill in the senate on account of protests from foreign nations.

AGREE TO INCREASES IN COTTON SCHEDULE

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PLANS ANNOUNCED "RURAL NURSING" BY MISS HOLMAN

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FOREST COMMISSIONERS COMING TO ASHEVILLE

By Associated Press. Washington, May 29.—Secretary Garrison, Houston and Lane and Congressmen Lee of Georgia and Hawley of Oregon, constituting the Appalachian forest commission, will leave Washington tomorrow for Asheville where they will make a thorough investigation of the Vanderbilt property with a view to purchasing 76,000 acres of forest land for the park reserve.

GRAND RAPIDS MUST RECONSTRUCT SEWER

By Associated Press. Grand Rapids, Mich., May 29.—By a decision rendered yesterday by the state Supreme court at Lansing, the city of Grand Rapids is enjoined from dumping sewage into the Grand river.

STRIKE AT THE MILLS OF GOVERNOR FOSS

By Associated Press. Boston, May 29.—Twelve hundred employees of the F. F. Strivens company at Hyde Park struck today. Both companies are controlled by Governor Eugene N. Foss.

PLAGUE OF GRASSHOPPERS IN CALIFORNIA

By Associated Press. Chicago, Cal., May 29.—Orchards and alfalfa farms of this district are suffering serious damage from an invasion of grasshoppers. Many prunes and other fruit trees have been stripped of all fruit.

SUFFRAGETTES IN INDIA

By Associated Press. Calcutta, India, May 29.—The campaign of the militant suffragettes has spread even to India. The golf links at Simla, the popular recreation for Europeans, were damaged yesterday and cards of suffragette literature were found there.