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TO HONOR HOUSTON'S MEMORY.

Father of the State of Texas and Guiding Spirit of Its Destiny.

His Career Before He Came to Texas Had been Exciting and Picturesque. His Bravery Attracted the Attention of General Andrew Jackson.

(Special to the ARGUS.)

Austin, Texas, Sept. 11.—The memory of General Sam Houston soon is to be perpetuated by a monument over his grave at Huntsville. The Texas Legislature last year appropriated \$10,000 to erect the monument and entrusted the execution of it to the governor. Progress in the plans has been facilitated by several recent conferences of those interested in the project, and it is expected that little delay will attend further preparations. Pompey Coppini, the San Antonio sculptor, has been selected to design the monument.

Sam Houston was the father of the State of Texas. From the time that he was elected general, in 1833, until he accomplished the annexation of the State, in 1846, he was the guiding spirit of its destinies, and piloted it through great storm and stress to the safe harbor of union with the United States.

Houston's career before he came to Texas had been exciting and picturesque. In the war of 1812 his bravery attracted the attention of General Andrew Jackson, who always admired Houston's remarkable powers.

In Tennessee Houston was district attorney, congressman and governor in the 20s, and when he left that State he went to the Cherokee tribe of Indians, by whose chief he had been adopted in his youth. For some years he wore the Indian garb, and visited President Jackson in that costume just before he came to Texas. His career in this State began as a member of a constitutional convention in 1833. Soon afterward he was appointed general of the army. Early in 1836 he was a member of the Texas convention that passed a declaration of independence, and was appointed commander-in-chief of the republic's army.

Santa Anna, with a Mexican force, entered Texas, and in a few days the Alamo fort surrendered, and the Texans in it, numbering nearly 200, and including Davy Crockett, Col. Bowie and other famous fighters, were slaughtered in cold blood.

Thenceforth the battle cry of the forces that Houston led was "Remember the Alamo," and before the end of April Houston had scored a complete victory over the Mexicans and Santa Anna was captured.

Houston began his agitation for union with the United States as early as 1838, when he left the presidency, and persisted in it after his election to the chief magistracy again in 1841, employing great diplomatic art to overcome opposition.

CELEBRATION IN BOSTON

Negro Masons Met in Boston Today and Inaugurated a Four Days Celebration in Observance of the Centennial An- niversary.

(Special to the ARGUS.)

Boston, Mass., September 10.—A four days' celebration was inaugurated in Boston today in observance of the centennial anniversary of the institution of the first grand lodge of colored Masons in America.

Nearly all of the 42 colored grand lodges of regular Masons in the United States and Canada have sent representatives.

The celebration is being conducted under the direction of the Prince Hall grand lodge, F. and A. M., of Massachusetts.

POLITICS AND POLITICIANS.

Ambitions and Prospects of Men Strutting and Fretting Their Hour on the Stage.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 10.

The Independence League of Ohio has nominated a State ticket headed by A. F. Otte, of Cincinnati, as candidate for governor.

Nine out of sixteen Democratic nominees for Congress from Texas have Republican opposition.

David W. Hill, former speaker of the Missouri House of Representatives, has announced his candidacy for United States Senator on the Republican side.

The Massachusetts Socialists have nominated a complete State ticket headed by James F. Carey, of Haverhill, for governor.

Elihu Root, Secretary of State, has been chosen as a delegate to the Republican State convention which is to meet in Saratoga next week.

Congressman W. Bourke Cockran, of New York, has accepted an invitation from the Democratic campaign committee to deliver a series of speeches in the Middle West.

The Iowa "standpaters" are said to favor Congressman Gilbert N. Haugen of the Fourth district as the best man to make the race against Governor Cummins for the United States Senate.

Republicans of New England are to hold a big barbecue at Point of Pines, near Boston, on September 15. Congressman Nicholas Longworth, son-in-law of President Roosevelt, will be one of the speakers.

The Republican State committee of Missouri is to have the services of Arnold Shankling, United States consul general to Panama, for a speaking tour of the State in September and October.

Editors of forty trade union journals published in various parts of the country met in convention in Chicago recently and after forming a permanent organization voted their support for Bryan and the Democratic ticket.

State Senator Archibald McNeill, of Bridgeport, Conn., who was a candidate for the vice presidential nomination at the Denver convention last July, has declined to become a candidate for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination in Connecticut.

The Association of Southern Democrats, composed of former residents of South now living in New York city, which was quite prominent in the presidential campaign of 1892, has been reorganized to campaign for the Bryan and Kern ticket.

J. Elwood Cox, who has been nominated for governor of North Carolina by the Republicans of that State, is known as the "Bobbin king," from the fact that his factories make more bobbins for spinning cotton than any other concern in the world.

John Hays Hammond, the new chairman of the executive committee of the National League of Republican Clubs, is probably the most famous mining engineer in the world. Only within the last year or two has he been active in politics. For a few weeks prior to the Republican national convention in Chicago last June he was a candidate for the nomination for Vice-President. Mr. Hammond is a native of San Francisco and was a classmate of William H. Taft at Yale University.

Cough Caution

Never, positively never poison your lungs. If you cough—even from a simple cold—only you should always heal, soothe, and ease the irritated bronchial tubes. Don't blindly suppress it with a stupefying poison. It's strange how some things finally come about. For twenty years Dr. Shoop has constantly warned people not to take cough mixtures or prescriptions containing Opium, Chloroform, or similar poisons. And now a little late though—Congress says "Put it on the label, if poisons are in your Cough Mixture." Good! Very good! Hereafter for this very reason mothers, and others, should insist on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. No poison marks on Dr. Shoop's labels—and none in the medicine, else it must by law be on the label. And it's not only safe, but it is said to be by those that know it best, a truly remarkable cough remedy. Take no chance then, particularly with your children. Insist on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. Compare carefully the Dr. Shoop package with others and note the difference. No poison marks there! You can always be on the safe side by demanding

Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure

HIGGINS DRUG CO.

Poisons Kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine can do more.

BRYAN RID- DLES CANNON

Mercilessly Attacks Him in His Own District.

In the Course of his Travels Across Illinois Mr. Bryan Attacks Can- non From all Sides Charg- ing Him With Being Favorite of Pre- datory Corpe- rations.

(Special to the ARGUS.)

Evansville, Ind., Sept. 11.—Heavy personal onslaughts on Speaker Jos. G. Cannon, of the National House of Representatives, were made yesterday by Wm. J. Bryan in the course of his travels through Illinois. The Democratic candidate attacked Mr. Cannon from all sides. He charged the speaker with being the favorite of predatory corporations, with having strangled reform legislation and with having falsified the facts with regard to Mr. Bryan's wealth.

Mr. Bryan reached Speaker Cannon's congressional district about 9 o'clock this morning when a ten minutes' stay was made at Toledo, Ill. A great crowd had assembled to hear him, and the Nebraskan immediately launched into his philippic against the speaker.

Moving on from Toledo, Mr. Bryan repeated his remarks at Newton, Ill. Not content with his statements at these two places, the Democratic candidate for President, later on at Olney, Ill., where he stayed for three hours, openly accused the speaker of telling a falsehood when the speaker in addressing the Springfield convention, fixed Mr. Bryan's wealth at a million dollars.

SEMAN TELLS HOW HE GOT HIS MONEY.

In great detail Mr. Bryan gave figures showing how his money had been acquired from the day he entered Congress until the present time. He denied emphatically that he was worth a million dollars and fixed the amount of his "earthly possessions" at \$150,000 as the extreme limit. He had come by it honestly, he said, through saving a portion of his congressional salary and from receipts derived from his lectures and writings. He demanded that Speaker Cannon be as frank as himself and tell the public whether he has made and money through lecturing and writing, and to what extent his money making had been hampered by strict attention to public duty. Not since the campaign began has Mr. Bryan spoken with such vehemence, and it is said to be the first time that a presidential candidate ever went out of his way to attack a candidate for congress.

The entire day was spent in Illinois and Indiana. All together Mr. Bryan made seven speeches, the places at which stops were made being Mattoon, Toledo, Newton and Olney, Ill., and Browns, Poseyville and Evansville, Ind. The heart was almost unbearable, but the Democratic candidate seemed not to be affected by it. Wherever he went he was met by large and enthusiastic crowds. During a short visit to the fair grounds at Olney, Ill., he was cordially welcomed.

In Evansville Mr. Bryan spoke on "Shall the People Rule?", the tariff trusts, regulation and election of senators by direct vote of the people, and incidentally he took a parting shot at Speaker Cannon. He left tonight for Terre Haute, whence he will travel over the Pennsylvania and the Baltimore and Ohio railroads to Wheeling, W. V., where he is due to arrive this afternoon.

STANDARD OIL CO.

Reply Filed in Famous Twenty-Nine Million Fine Appeal.

(Special to the ARGUS.)

Chicago, Sept. 10.—The Standard Oil Company filed its reply today to the government's petition for a rehearing in the now famous twenty-nine million fine case.

Judges Grosscup, Seaman and Baker will hear arguments in the appeal proceedings in the district court in the near future and render a decision probably sometime in October.

NEWS FORECAST OF THE COMING WEEK.

(Special to THE ARGUS.)

Washington, D. C., Sept. 12. The coming week promises to be well filled with political events of interest and importance. During the early part of the week public attention will be centered on the State of New York, where the Republicans and Democrats will both hold their State conventions for the nomination of candidates for governor and other officers.

Maine will be in the limelight Monday, when the State election will be held for governor, representatives in Congress and minor officers. This being a presidential year, and the efforts of the campaign managers to make an impressive showing having been exerted in assigning speakers of national prominence to lend their aid in the Pine Tree State, the return will be scanned with interest. Arkansas also holds a State election on Monday, but as the contests were all settled in the Democratic primary held last spring the voting is of a purely perfunctory character.

According to present plans Judge Taft will remain in Cincinnati during the week, though he is in receipt of numerous invitations to speak in various cities in Ohio, Indiana and neighboring States. Mr. Bryan is scheduled to speak on Monday at Baltimore, on Tuesday in Wilmington, on Wednesday in Rochester, on Thursday and Friday in New York City, on Saturday in Providence, returning to spend Sunday in New York City.

Irish-American residents of New and vicinity are preparing a monster welcome for John and Joseph Devlin, members of parliament and leaders in Ireland's struggle for independence, when they arrive on the Oceanic next Wednesday. The Irish leaders will be heard at public meetings in New York, Philadelphia, Boston, Chicago and other large cities.

The large conventions scheduled for the week include the gatherings of the National Retail Druggists' Association, at Atlantic City; the American Association of Traveling Passenger Agents, at Seattle; the Rethroerth of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, at Columbus, Ohio; the National Industrial Traffic League, at St. Louis; the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, at Salt Lake City; the United Association of Journeymen Plumbers, Gas Fitters, Steam Fitters, at Indianapolis; and the Canadian Manufacturers Association, at Montreal.

Thousands Have Kidney

Trouble and Never Suspect it. Prevalence of Kidney Disease.

Most people do not realize the alarming increase and remarkable prevalence of kidney disease. While kidney disorders are the most common diseases that prevail, they are almost the last recognized by patient and physicians, who content themselves with doctoring the effects, while the original disease undermines the system.

There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, fulfills every wish in curing rheumatism, pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passage. It corrects inability to hold water and scaling pain in passing it, or had effects following use of liquor, wine, beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often during the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar sizes.

You may have a sample bottle and a book that tells all about it, both sent free by mail. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing mention this paper and don't make any mistake. Remember the name, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address Binghamton, N. Y.

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a mortgage, executed by J. P. Tyson and wife to N. G. Holland, and registered in Book No. 89, Page 52, in office of Register of Deeds for Wayne County, we will sell for cash, by Public Auction, at the Court House door in Goldsboro, on the 12th day of October, 1908, a lot of land in the city of Goldsboro, fronting 31 feet on Ashe Street, and bounded on the North by said street, on the east by the land of the heirs of T. E. Hodgin, deceased; on the South by the land of the heirs of J. L. Dickinson, deceased; and on the west by the land of N. B. Berger, and entirely surrounded by said lands and street.

This 10th day of September, 1908.
Phineas Holland and Frank Holland,
Executors of N. G. Holland, dec'd.

Kodol For Indigestion.

Relieves sour stomach, palpitation of the heart. Digests what you eat.

BROKE HIS REC- ORD AGAIN.

Orville Wright Surpassed All Previous Exploits.

Aviator Makes Two Flights at Fort Myer and Smashes All Records for Time and Distance Flight For a Heavier-Than-Air Machine.

(Special to the ARGUS.)

Washington, Sept. 11.—In a flight lasting one hour, ten minutes and twenty-six seconds, Orville Wright late today surpassed all his previous exploits for a time and distance flight for a heavier-than-air machine. Two flights were made at Fort Myer, Virginia, today, the first being of ten minutes and fifty seconds duration, for the purpose of showing what rate of speed he had been traveling during his long flights of the past three days. Today's test demonstrated, according to the aviator's calculation, that the speed of the aeroplane during the record-breaking flights of Wednesday and Thursday was 39.55 miles an hour.

Before making the first flight, Mr. Wright said:

"I want to make a flight of about ten minutes in order to see how my present speed compares with what I made at Kitty Hawk, N. C."

Starting at 4:41 the aeroplane made nine rounds of the drill grounds and then, landing within a few feet of the thousand or more spectators, Mr. Wright computed the speed of his record breaking flights. "We made 44 miles an hour at Kitty Hawk with a little less power. Of course the turns there were much longer and therefore did not impair the speed as much as the turns I made here."

Those who witnessed today's long flight were roused to great enthusiasm when the aviator for the third successive day broke his best previous record. Fifty-seven times the machine passed over the starting point during the 79 minutes and 24 seconds that it was up. Twice the aviator described the figure "8," showing that he could control his machine in any direction. A feature of the landing was that the did not stop the motor until the machine touched the ground.

FOREST FIRES

Death and Destruction Widespread and Spreading.

Lexington, Ky., Sept. 11.—Forest fire in Garrigam county is causing great anxiety. Painlok, a small town in danger of being wiped out. Communication with the town has been cut off, but before the wires went down last reports received were that a number of buildings, including the hotel, bank and tobacco warehouses had been destroyed.

Duluth, Sept. 11.—Two hundred inhabitants of Foxboro, Wisconsin, are battling for their lives with forest fires, which have completely surrounded the village. Other counties report flames still spreading. A whole block of the business section of Washburn, Wisconsin, has been burned. Hibbing is now the centre of the most peril and desperate efforts are being made to stop the approaching flames.

Bay City, Mich., Sept. 11.—Many farm buildings have been destroyed by the forest fires in the lower peninsula and the flames are still spreading.

Fort William, Ont., Sept. 11.—The line of fire is 25 miles long.

COURT NOTICE.

Special Term of Civil Court Called for Wayne County.

All persons concerned will hereby take notice that his excellency Governor Glenn has ordered a special term of Superior Court for Wayne county—for the exclusive trial of civil causes, and for which, therefore no grand jury will be drawn—said term to begin on Monday, October 5th, 1908 and continue two weeks.

W. R. HOLLOWELL,
Ch'm B'd Co. Com.
W. G. BRITTE, Clerk.

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THE RICHMOND BLUES.

The South's Most Noted Military Com- pany Suffer Seriously By Fire This Morning.

(Special to the ARGUS.)

New Haven, Sept. 10.—The Richmond Blues, one of the most noted and best dressed military companies in the South, lost all their gorgeous uniforms in a fire here this morning, and C. C. Boisseau, of the Blues, and Bert Arnold, of the Governor's footguard, of this state were severely burned and are now in a hospital in a serious condition.

The Blues arrived here at daybreak, in a special train to join the big military parade, and are the guests of the Governor's footguard.

In switching the train it bumped into the station and the cars were piled up. A gas tank exploded and the baggage car caught fire and instantly the train was ablaze.

The city fire department subdued the fire after much hard fighting, but not until all the baggage was destroyed.

The train sheds and part of the Adams Express plant were also burned, and the Union Depot was saved only by a narrow margin.

The city was enfeebled in honor of the Southerners' visit.

The Blues were traveling attired in their fatigues uniforms, and will be compelled to wear these in the parade.

BABY'S EYESIGHT WAS THREATENED

By Terrible Eczema—Head Became a Mass of Itching Rash and Sores —Would Scratch Till Blood Came —Much Money Wasted in Fruitless Treatments—Disease Was Soon

CURED AT SLIGHT COST BY CUTICURA REMEDIES

"Our little girl was two months old when she got a rash on her face and within five days her face and head were all one sore. We used different remedies but it got worse instead of better and we thought she would turn blind and that her ears would fall off. She suffered terribly, and would scratch until the blood came. At night we had to pin her hands down. This went on until she was five months old, then I had her under our family doctor's care, but she continued to grow worse. He said it was eczema. When she was seven months old I started to use Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, and Cuticura Resolvent, and in three weeks—what a change! I kept using the Cuticura Remedies for two months and our baby was a different girl. You could not see a sign of a sore and she was as fair as a new-born baby, and all for the small cost of a dollar and seventy-five cents where we had spent ten times the money for doctoring. She is now two years old and has not had a sign of the eczema since. Mrs. H. F. Budke, R. F. D. 4, LeSueur, Minn., Apr. 15 and May 2, 1907."

SLEEP KILLED

By an Itching Humor. Another Cure by Cuticura Remedies.

"I broke out with a humor which spread almost all over my body. The itching would get worse on retiring, so I could not sleep. I tried several remedies but it grew worse until I got some Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Pills, which began to relieve me at once. By the time I had used one vial of the Pills, the humor was entirely gone. I wish every sufferer could secure the Cuticura Remedies. Travis Bates, Hamburg, Ark., April 26, 1907."

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor of Infants, Children, and Adults consists of Cuticura Soap (24c) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c) to Heal the Skin, and Cuticura Resolvent (50c) to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Mfrs., Boston, Mass.

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