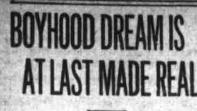
THURSDAY MORNING, JULY 17, 1919.



General Tyson Stands Upon Native Heath Before Big Gathering

NATIVE OF PITT HONOR **GUEST AT CELEBRATION**

Big Parade Features Exercises at Greenville in Honor of Returned Soldiers; Colonel Harry Skinner Introduces Speaker of Day, Who Tells of 30th Division

By R. E. RANSON.

Greenville, July 16 .- Standing today on a stand built in front of the old academy he attended when a boy, and surrounded on all sides by Pitt county people, many of whom knew him in his boyhood days, Brigadier General Lawrence D. Tyson, native son of Pitt, graduate of West Point, prominent lawyer of Knoxville, Tenn., former member of the Tennessee legislature, former speaker of the Tenpessee House of Representatives, colonel of United States Army in the Spanish American War, failing by only four votes of election to the United States Senate, and a brigadier general in the greatest of all wars, and the first American general to speaker, Germany would have won the eross the Belgian frontier, delivered the principal address at the celebration in honor of the Pitt county heroes of the wars of 1898, 1861, and the world war

At eleven o'clock this morning the parade led by General Tyson on horseback formed at the depot and passed through the principal streets of the town. In the line of march were sailors, soldiers, and marines. Two bands furnished music. The Boy Scouts and the Camp Fire Girls, representatives of the various Red Cross units of the county, of the Woman's Club, and other organizatous were a part of the parade, and the floats, many and varied, presented a most attractive appearance.

Down the main street of the city came the line of march, everywhere flags and banners flying, fronts of all business houses being gaily decorated, and nearly every resident was also decorated. At intervals along the street had been erected thropes and on these stood beautifully dressed young ladies with baskets of flowers and in the patiency of the marching heroes were strewn roses.

Exercises After Parade.

The reviewing stand had been erected in front of the graded school building, on the site of which stood the old ficademy where General Tyson, who was born on Contentnea creek, 10 miles from Greenville, went to school when incident of the brave manner in which been permitted to come back to his nathe sons of Carolina and Tennessee five Nome as a brigadier general in the acquitted themselves.

Senator C. H. Bascom Led in Prayer. Senator F. C. Harding was the presiding officer of the day and he presented Col. Harry Skinner, who after Miss Ariene Joyner had sung "The Star Spangled Banner," presented the guest of honor and the speaker. He related

the people of Pitt county for all that he was and hoped to be in life. He told hew that when he won his appointment to West Point at Salisbury he had not the money with which to get to the military academy, how he wrote to Governor Jarvis, of sainted memory in Greenville, in regard to funds, how that although the Governor himself did

not bare the money, he went to Mr. Isshe Suggs, also dead now, and get the Importation of Negroes and money, and thus made it possible for him to start up the ladder that led to his present position in life. Since that day he has been gradually mounting the **Other Colored Aliens Brings**

ladder, and in the presence of Pitt county people he wished to acknowledge his debt of gratitude to his mother, his wife, and to Governor Jarvis and Mr. Sugg-all of whom had had a great part in making his success in life possi-

Saya 30th Broke Line.

Normally there are few negroes or General Tyson, who is not unlike aliens with colored skins to be seen in General Pershing in personal appear-unce, is a man of commanding person-Gre.t Britain, but the exigencies of war caused the importation of a large ality and appears every inch a soldier, number of them to work on seaport Lut he is not only a soldier but a statedocks and to recruit the ranks of man and an orator. It was hot today manual laborers depleted by the call for fighting men. They were brought from various parts of the world, South Africa and the West Indies supplying and many stood in the sun, but for forty minutes he held his crowd as he told of the deeds of daring of the American soldiers and more especially t. e bulk of them. Many Arabs also of the 30th division. He would not veis imported. he declared, detract one iota of glory Repatriation of these colored men from the 27th division, but it was the has been slow, with the consequence 30th division that broke the Hindenthat burg line. Standing on tip toe he ex-claimed: "The 27th did not break the diers have had what to them seemed the bitter experience of seeing strangers Hindenburg line because the 30th broke engaged at profitable employment while they, themselves, looked in vain for the line first." France claims she won the war, England claims she won the work. war, Italy claims she won the war, but, t Resentment over this state of affairs doclared General Tyson, America won quickly developed into hatred when the war. Had America been 60 days the soldiers observed that the strangers were trying to cultivate the acquaintlater entering the war, declared the ance of white girls. A number of ne-

groes took white wives. WOT. The audience was breathless almost district describes the situation as very as the speaker told how on September 29th after 60 hours of preparation the serious both from a health and economic point of view, and asserts that men of the 30th division were lined

upon the tape ready at fifteeu minutes 400,000 demobilized men are still without employment while negroes are em-ployed. "Is this not a gross injustice!" to six in the morning to go into battle, and how the result was the line was broken. Before the fight he along he asks and "It is nothing less than with 24 other generals had gone back iniquitous that the men who have fought and planned the attack. There were for their country should find the jobs 3,000 cannous, 150,000 tons of amunithey need occupied by negroes. tion, tanks, and other means of warfare and the men of the 50th division greatest war of all history. There have ready to do and dare and to die, if been many Senators from Tennessee, and there will be many other Senators. need he.

Commends League of Nations.

Lut he was the only brigadier general The League of Nations was comappointed or that would ever be apmended, it being no "gold brick" that pointed by a governor to lead an army President Wilson, the greatest of all in a world war. men, brought home, but the greatest The veterans of the various wars and document since the Declaration of In- the members of the various committees dependence. were served a sumptuous barbecue with He was thankful for the people of all the good things that go along at the

the Carolinas and Tennessee, where Munford Warehouse. During the day there was no balshevism, and called on the two bands furnished delightful he boys in uniform to be ready to music. In the late afternoon there fight enemies of the country within was community singing, and tonight a as they were ready to fight the enemy confetti 'carnival and street dance. All day the youngsters have had balloons In closing the speaker again ex-and whips, and confetti, and the ladies pressed his joy in being allowed to have and the cafes have sold cold drinks and

is boyhood dreams come true in that saudwiches, and all Greenville and Pitt he was privileged to address his home have enjoyed a gala holiday. The conpeople smid the scenes of his boyhood ter of attraction and the guests of days. He had missed being elected honor have been the boys of the var-United States Senator by four votes, ious divisions that made possible the and had he resorted to the tactics of a boy, and where the audience stood his opponents, he would have been a success. and heard him as he gave incident after elected, but then he would not have What the winning of the war. The day has been

abroad.

What the dew is to the flower, kind words are to the heart

THE NEWS AND OBSERVER.

Reception for Son

Auburn, July 16 .- On Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Smith delightfully entertained about one hundred and fifty guests in honor of their son, Hugh P. Smith, McCullers, Route 1, who had just returned from France.

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TROUBLES

Complications

London, June 20 .- (Correspondence

of The Associated Press.)-Race riofs

in the northern part of England and

Wales have created a stir throughout

the country, principally because of the

novelty of such occurrences in these

many demobilized British sol-

A medical officer in the troubled

islands

The guests were invited to a long draped in the national colors, furnished with barbeeue, turkey, chicktonis, Auburn and Garner.

en, fruits, melons and everything that could tempt the appetite were sorved in abundance.

Mr. J. D. Saintsing, who was a college mate of Mr. Smith and also a comrade in the service, both having gone "over the top" together was toast-master. Besides some college friends, there

were guests from Knightdale, Zebulon. Raleigh, Rocky Mount, Richmond, Gas-

Worst Part Of It. "Why do you waste your days and nights on these pictures?" asked the wife of a struggling painter. "You don't get enough for them to pay for

painted pictures and sold them for

trifles, and now they are the master-

the paint you use.", "I know, my dear," he answered, "but think! Rembrandt and others

million dollars! I am not I am paiting for for us. scendants. "Humph!" was the wife's d aging reply. "You don't enough for us to raise any de ants."-San Francisco Chronicle.

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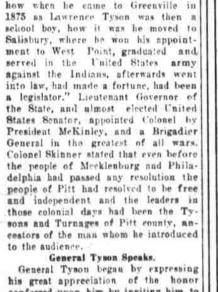
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conferred upon him by inviting him to make the speech of the day. As a boy he had heard Col. Skinner speak and resolved that it was the height of his ambition that he might be permitted to go out in the world and win fame and fortune and then come back to his people and be allowed by them to address some large gathering. He came bacs. he said, to make public acknowledgment of the debt of gratitude that he owed to SUIT SALE ¹/₄ off **On All Summer Suits** Now is the time to buy that

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