

ROBT LEE'S MEN AND MEADE'S AGAIN MEET ON THE BATTLEFIELD

Forty Thousand Veterans Again Marched Around the Campsites of Memory at Gettysburg. President Wilson is Expected to be Present. Also Several Governors.

Gettysburg, Pa., July 1.—Forty thousand old veterans of the war between the North and South are encamped on the fields here, the scene of the greatest battle of the Civil war. The old men are survivors of the armies that opposed each other fifty years ago in that bloody struggle, but they meet as friends and comrades, now, not as foes of the bitterest enmity of that night's engagement. They have lived long enough to forget past bitterness, and to remember only the courage and the soldierly qualities that made Gettysburg one of the greatest battles of the world's history.

The reunion will last throughout next Friday. Today is known as Veterans' Day, tomorrow will be Military Day, Thursday as Civic Day and Friday, of course, as National The outskirts of the great battlefield look like a tented village. Under the regulations being enforced, the State of Pennsylvania and the government are furnishing entertainment to veterans only, and no old soldier is permitted to quarter any member of his family in the camp.

Immediately adjoining the camps is a great tent for reunions and here-in will occur all the exercises excepting the military parade and fireworks. The reunion has drawn hundreds of thousands of people from every state in the Union to Gettysburg and among the visitors during the next four days will be President Wilson and all of the members of his cabinet.

The President and Mrs. Wilson and Governor Tener and Mrs. Tener will be the guests of President and Mrs. William Anthony Granville, of the Pennsylvania College at Gettysburg. Several of the buildings of this institution were used as hospitals during the great battle. Leases of land covering 125 acres have been closed.

In tents on the campus are housed the governors of the various states with their staffs. One of the most interesting of the veterans present on the battlefield is Colonel Charles Burrows, of New Jersey, who is completely blind. The tented villages in which the veterans of the armies of Lee and Meade will live are on the government reservation, but on contiguous tracts of private land rented for the reunion. These camps comprise an area of 193 acres, on which besides the tents that house the veterans, there are 57 food hospitals and infirmaries, and numerous kitchen and storage tents. The camps alone represent a monetary outlay, exclusive of ground rental, of about \$253,425.

The equipment of the sleeping tents for veterans includes 41,540 cots, 48,000 blankets, 10,000 wash basins, 11,350 candle-burning lanterns, 86,000 wax candles, 6,000 galvanized iron drinking water buckets. The total weight of this equipment is 1,342,507 pounds, and the total value about \$226,000. The hauling of the tenting and equipment, together with the baggage of the veterans, to the camp will entail an additional expenditure of about \$16,000.

The kitchen outfits weigh 135,644 pounds and the weight of the army rations that the old veterans of Gettysburg are expected to consume in the four days is about 1,000,000 pounds. More than 40,000 mess kits will be necessary, and this means 40,000 enameled plates and an equal number of knives, forks, tablespoons, teaspoons and cups.

The commissary department of the camp consists of one chief commissary, ten commissary sergeants, four commissary clerks, 1,400 cooks and cooks' helpers, and 130 bakers. Gen. Sharpe, commissary general of the army, has figured that the cost of the four days' rations will be \$51,643; the wages of cooks, helpers, and bakers, \$27,839, while the mess kits will add to this total about 110,000. Add to this \$224 for one gold bakery, \$1,054 for 400 army rangers, and the railroad fares of the commissary force, and the total cost of the commissary equipment and service amounts to \$112,169.

In order to provide an adequate water supply, the government has expended \$112,169. (Continued on Page Four.)

WASHINGTON BUGGY CO. CHARTERED TODAY. By United Press. The Washington Buggy Company of this city was chartered today by the Secretary of State at Raleigh. The authorized capital stock is three hundred thousand dollars with two hundred thousand dollars paid in by George Hackney, Jr., who has 1,085 shares of stock, R. H. Williams ten shares and William Humley five shares. All the incorporators are citizens of this city.

LOCAL SHRINERS HAVE RETURNED

Members C. H. Richardson, Fred W. Ayers and John Oden and S. R. Clary have returned from Wrightsville, where they attended the semi-annual ceremonial session of Oasis Temple A. A. O. N. M. S. of Charlotte. N. C. Ninety-four "fresh meat" candidates were initiated. The Shriners had a great meeting and the entertainment of the visitors all that could be asked for.

Prohibition Voter Says Present Law is Defective

Mr. Editor:

Much has been said recently through the columns of your paper about the whiskey traffic, and the negligence of our officers. The traffic no doubt is doing a prosperous business in more places than the Haw Branch section. I venture to say that there is not an area of 5 miles square in Beaufort County that it is not being made or ordered from Virginia and other places and sold.

As long as the punishments are as light as they are, and the officers only make arrests when they are almost compelled to, the business will continue to prosper. It is cheaper to pay the light court cost than it used to be for the bar room men to pay for their license. It is a rare thing that a violator is sent to the Federal prison now, they don't care for a small fine and the cost of the court. They can make it all back in a few weeks.

There are several reasons why the business is so prosperous, and one important one, is that so many people voted a prohibition ticket and are not living a prohibition life, and everybody knows that all who voted the wet ticket are the moonshiners and blind tigers friends and will do all in their power to keep the violators from being punished. So they are going to have it on some terms and I am of the opinion that it would be much better to have it back in the largest towns where there is police protection and have the open bar rooms where they could buy a 5c drink. The open bar rooms would be better than dispensaries because in a dispensary they only sell drinks and the bar rooms would sell drinks and another thing, the bar room fellow would let his customer drink at his counter and the dispensary man would sell a drunk and then run the fellow out to drink.

The intention of a the prohibition law is all right, if it was carried out, but the way it is handled it don't prohibit, and matters are much worse than when we had open bar rooms. If we had a law to punish a man severely for being drunk and it was carried out there would be less of it than there is. But, no law is worth the snap of your finger if it is not enforced, so Mr. Officers you had better get down to business and get busy and see what you can do. ONE WHO VOTED FOR PROHIBITION.

MISS TANKARD AT HOME.

Miss Mary Tankard is to be at home at her residence on Market street Wednesday evening, July 2, 1913, from nine to ten, in honor of Miss Theo Welch, Miss Mary McMullan, Mrs. J. E. Porter, Mrs. J. Harrington.

WASHINGTON VS PINETOWN TO-MORROW

GAME CALLED 4 P. M. FLEMING PARK. LOCALS TO PLAY AT GREENVILLE FRIDAY, JULY 4. GOLDSBORO HERE NEXT WEEK.

Baseball tomorrow afternoon, Washington and the strong Pinetown team are to face each other at Fleming's Park at four o'clock. Pinetown is a live baseball town and will send a team of athletes over here to show the locals a thing or two if they can. Washington surely will have to keep her eye ever open if victory smashes upon her banner. Bland and Fowle will be the battery for the home boys and Brown and Davenport will oppose. It is to be hoped that a large number of citizens will witness the contest and help the locals defray the expenses of the game. The price of admission will be 15 and 25 cents. Go out and enjoy yourself. The contest promises to be snappy from the start.

On Friday, July 4, the local team is to cross bats with the Greenville team at Greenville.

On next Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, July 3, 19 and 11, Goldsboro will visit Washington for a series of three games on the local diamond.

Washington can have good baseball if the citizens will only show a willing spirit and help the boys just a little bit.

RECTOR N. HARDING PAYS-FITTING TRIBUTE

TO THE MEMORY OF THE LATE MRS. HENRIETTA RUMLEY ONE OF CITY'S OLDEST CITIZENS.

MEMBER EPISCOPAL CHURCH DECEASED WAS EIGHTY YEARS OF AGE AND LIVED A LIFE OF CIRCUMSPECTNESS.

In the early morning of Tuesday, June 24th, she passed from earth to Paradise the soul of Mrs. Henrietta Rumley, one of the oldest and best beloved citizens of Washington, and member of St. Peter's Parish. When the cloud of adversity hovered over her and the storm came down, she emerged from the contest and took her place among the silent victors in the fight, receiving as her reward the devotion of her children and admiration of a host of friends. A woman without reproach, modest, retiring, yet the strength of her character and unwavering devotion to duty show in her children, who in their high sense of honor and faithfulness to the sacred principals inculcated by her, are citizens of whom any town could be proud.

At St. Peter's church Sunday her friend and rector, Rev. Nathaniel Harding, preached from Phil. 4th, 3rd. A sermon in her memory, "Whose names are in the Book of Life." Mr. Harding spoke of those whose heroic deeds are as giants of faith and patience and true heroism. Giants whose names have been on all men's lips in all parts of the earth. Of those ministering angels whose lives are partly hidden from the world, but loved and honored more than fame. Servants of Christ who brought cheer and sunshine into many hearts even tho' their own were broken. As one of God's saints he pays to her who so recently answered the summons from on high, the following tender tribute:

"I ask you to call to mind with me the Washington Gun Club grounds on the morning of July 4 and 10 o'clock to one o'clock it being the annual shooting tournament held by the club. The shoot will start promptly at 10 a. m. but the tournament will not begin until one. The following prizes are donated by the merchants and business men to all contestants who shoot in all the events of the afternoon. One hundred straight targets, four boxes of shells are to be donated by the Washington Gun Club. The club will also give box of shells to each member who enters all events in the afternoon.

High gun, one solid gold pearl stick pin, presented by R. L. Stewart, the jeweler; also one pin, solid gold, cuff button donated to the second high gun by Mr. Stewart; third high gun, one box of cigars, by E. R. Mixon & Co.; fourth high gun, one pearl handle knife, Harris Hardware Co.; longest consecutive run from start to finish, optional special prize, donated by W. C. Mallison and Son; longest consecutive run, optional special prize by S. R. Fowle and Son.

The following prizes go to contestants who enter all events in the afternoon and who do not get the money division. High gun all events added together, optional special prize, donated by Worthy & Etheridge; second high gun, optional special prize, Bowers-Lewis Co.; third high gun, two pair Wonder Hose, presented by J. E. Hoyt; best consecutive run prize went optional special prize, by E. W. Ayers; best consecutive run in second event, special prize, Davenport Drug Store; best consecutive run, third event, optional, J. O. Blount Drug Store; best consecutive run, field shells, by McKeel-Richardson Hardware Co.; best consecutive run, sixth event, optional special prize, J. E. Clark Co.

TO ENTER UNIVERSITY.

James Shepherd Stron, son of Captain and Mrs. A. W. Stron, who graduated from St. Johns Military School, Manlius, New York, with honors, expects to enter the University at Syracuse the coming fall. It is the intention of this bright and promising young man to study law.

HARRIS HARDWARE CO. AND McKEEL-RICHARDSON HARDWARE CO. TO FIGHT BATTLE. ADMISSION FREE. LEMONADE GRATIS.

Will play ball Friday

All the merchants of Washington are requested to close their places of business on July 4, so as to give employees opportunity to see the game of ball and other attractions too, have rest day. This was done last year—why not this?

The greatest game of baseball in the history of Washington, certainly in recent years, is to be "pulled off" at Fleming Park Friday afternoon, July 4 at 3:30 o'clock. Noted fans are to take part—home fans too—employees of two large and enterprising hardware firms, Harris Hardware Co. and McKeel-Richardson Hardware Co. Already strong rivalry is developing among the boys for mastery and unless something unforeseen happens things will be lively on the field of battle Friday afternoon when the opposing captains will toss up as to who will take ins and outs. Mayor Frank C. Kugler has been given the honor of umpiring the contest and that he will occupy his exalted position with dignity and grace goes without saying. The beauty about the game is that it will be free. But listen—something else is in store for all those who attend—Free Lemonade and Free Ice-Water on the grounds. This thoughtfulness on the part of the two hardware companies should be appreciated when it is known that lemons are retailing at five cents apiece.

As before stated the game is called promptly at 3:30.

The two hardware companies have arranged with the gate keeper to admit all spectators gratis for this game only. Don't miss it. Come and bring all your family and friends. Don't forget to get things right to enjoy a good old-fashioned laugh. The line-up is as follows:

Harris Hardware Co.—G. T. Leach, captain; Archie O'Neal, c; Josh Shelton, p; D. T. Pickles, 1b; Carl Shelton, 2b; J. E. Mitchell, 3b; S. C. Pegram, ss; E. R. Lewis, lf; E. P. Martin, cf; C. F. Bland, rf. McKeel-Richardson Hardware Co.—W. H. Whitney, captain; T. C. Whiteley, c; N. J. Whiteley, p; J. W. Smith, 1b; W. H. Whiteley, 2b; G. E. Edwards, 3b; H. A. Watson, ss; Frank McKeel, lf; C. H. Richardson, cf; M. F. McKeel, rf.

STORE BUILDING AT N. S. DEPOT

The enterprising firm of Russ Bros. have completed an attractive one story store building, 16x31 feet on East Main street. The store is occupied by the firm of Proctor and Kidd and is being used as a cafe and confectionery store. The cafe is quite a convenience to the passengers who have to loiter around the station between trains.

RESIDENCE RE-PAINTED.

Russ Bros. have treated their tenement house on EMBURY street to a fresh coat of paint. The residence is occupied by John B. Respass and family.

NOTICE TO COUNTY TEACHERS.

The regular public examination for County Certificate will be held on Thursday and Friday, July 10th and 11th. Examinations for High School Certificates and for Five Year State Certificate will be held at the same time. Examinations for renewal of High School Certificates will be held on July 10th only. All white teachers desiring any of the above examinations must report at the Graded School Building in Washington at 9 o'clock Thursday morning, July 10th. Colored teachers report at the same place Friday morning, July 11th, at 9 o'clock. By order of the State Superintendent. W. L. VAUGHAN, County Supt. Beaufort County. 7-1-13c

RECORDER WINDLEY OUGHT TO HAVE ACQUITTED JOHNSON

A MILE STONE THEME FOR TONIGHT

GREAT SERMON DELIVERED BY REV. MR. DAILEY AT M. E. CHURCH LAST NIGHT ON THE JUDGMENT.

Another delightful and refreshing service was enjoyed at the First Methodist church last night and those present heard a great sermon delivered from Rev. 20th ch. 12. The subject of the evening was the "Judgment" or the "Books we make pending the Judgment." Rev. Mr. Dailey, who for the past week has been assisting the pastor in the series of meetings, was at his best and for nearly forty minutes sent forth serious queries to his hearers. He first drew pleasing pictures of the good books people in this day and time are writing and then changed the scene and portrayed in strong and convincing language the bad books that are being written. To a large number the discourse was thought to have been the strongest yet delivered by this worthy and true ambassador of Christ. Considerable interest was manifested and no doubt the result of the meeting will be for good to the entire community. Yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock Mr. Dailey took a rather unusual subject for his exhortation at the day service. His topic was "The Half Way House." It is needless to say the talk was inspiring and helpful. Tonight Mr. Dailey will use as his subject "Planting a Milestone." Every one cordially invited to hear this gifted preacher preach the gospel.

TWO DRUNKS IN FIVE WEEKS

Recorder Windley had an off-day today as there were no violators of the law to come before him for trial. In talking to Chief of Police Howard this morning it was ascertained by the News man that there have been only two persons indicted before the recorder for being drunk in five weeks, notwithstanding that the sale of liquor has not diminished in town and county, states the chief.

COOLER WEATHER.

An end is sight to the hot wave says the weather man, that has held sway for the past week or more. In its weekly bulletin the bureau says that the extreme heat will in all probability be broken today and that a cool wave then will move slowly eastward. The rainfall during the week will be light and local.

B. J. Draper, one of the prosperous farmers of Beth, N. C., presented the News office yesterday with the first cotton bloom of the season. Mr. Draper pulled the bloom on Sunday, June 29.

Washington Gun Club Standing for Season 1913 up to July First

Table with columns: Name, Shot, Broke, PC. Lists members of the Washington Gun Club and their scores.