

A HAPPY PAGEANT IN LINE OF MARCH ON MILITARY DAY

The Marine Band and Troops of Cavalry, Infantry and Marines Swell the First Big Parade During the Great Twentieth of May Celebration.

State Troops, Headed by Governor Glenn and His Staff. The Old Veterans Came in for Much Cheering. A Splendid Crowd of Visitors in the City.

Today was Military Day in Charlotte, and was also the occasion of the formal opening of the Twentieth of May Celebration which was in an unofficial way ushered in yesterday afternoon.

For three days the city has borne the appearance of a military camp, with men in the brown khaki, and officers in stylish uniforms, and in white, walking the streets and enjoying the recreation.

Out at Latta Park things have borne still more the military aspect and the white tents of the soldiers, Uncle Sam's regulars, men who know military tactics like a book, and whose lives are spent in the study of the problems of the military man.

Today the long drawn out preparatory parade which was presented the thousands of people from far and near, who have been pouring into the city on every train for the past three days, and who were anticipating with keen delight the prospect of witnessing a spectacular parade of the men who make up the regular army and are the brave defenders of a great nation.

The parade appeared coming up South Tryon street shortly after 11 o'clock, led by mounted officers, and followed closely by the famed Marine Band which played lively military airs.

Order of Parade. The order of parade was as follows: Members of the Governor's Staff and State Guard, Adj. Gen T. R. Robertson and others.

Mounted Officers, city police force Marine Band, Washington, D. C. Company I, Fort McPherson, Company K, Fort McPherson.

Company Marines, Washington, D. C. Thirtieth Cavalry Troopers, Ft. Meyer, Va.

Five Carriages, bearing distinguished visitors, Governor Glenn, Mayor McNeill and military officers of high rank.

Mounted officers. Third Regiment band of Raleigh, G. L. White, bandmaster. Infantry Company, Concord, state militia.

Infantry Company, High Point, state militia. Infantry Company, Charlotte, Hornets Nest Riflemen.

Infantry Company, Shelby, state militia. Charlotte Artillery with four guns, and gun corps.

Mounted Officers. Charlotte Drum Corps, Jas. Walker, leader.

Veterans in Parade led by Gen. Julian S. Carr, Col. Ashley Horne, Maj. H. A. London, Maj. W. A. Smith, Col. P. H. Haynes, Col. G. H. Hull, Maj. J. A. Long, Col. Mott of Mecklenburg, Maj. J. S. Young of Winston, all mounted. Mecklenburg Camp, Confederate Veterans, 50 strong, marching afoot, and following flagbearers with the sponsor, Miss Eloise Rankin.

Charlotte Fire department with hose wagons, steamers and hook and ladder trucks, headed by Chief W. S. Orr and Col. A. L. Smith, in a carriage with little Miss Mildred Means.

Concord Fire Department. The Winston Company to the regret of many, arrived too late to take the place by right theirs in the parade, but brought up the rear, making a good show of well drilled men.

The appearance of the soldier boys in their uniforms, and the handsomely uniformed officers, with their straight figures and military bearing, brought forth the pent-up energy of the waiting throngs who applauded and shouted their approval.

The appearance of the cavalry was the signal for more applause and shouting as these well trained men with their horses that responded to every pull of the rein or touch of the spur, marched like a body of men cemented together so that every step and motion was in unison. The cavalrymen made a fine impression and the thousands of spectators were quick to recognize that they were looking on one of the best bodies of horsemen in the world. Ladies on verandas, and from windows waved flags and clapped their hand at sight of the drilled horsemen and cavalrymen as they marched in a phalanx that seemed to be all of one solid body.

The State Militia consisting of five companies, came next, with their well known faces, many of them, and at their appearance, the spectators again showed their pride in the men at home who hold themselves every ready at the call of their country.

The Charlotte Drum Corps, the Marine Band, at the head of the procession, and the Third Regiment band of Raleigh, furnished the music and

noise of the drums, and the sound of march. Of course the drums were made a hit, and was greeted a cheering line with loud cheers.

The Charlotte Artillery turned out in full force and made an imposing show with their guns, and squads of well trained men, who know how to handle the guns with the most exact precision.

Next came the mounted staff of the State division of the United Confederate Veterans, with their officers in the lead, mounted, and the Veterans marching on foot and receiving an ovation wherever they went. Many of the old soldiers, officers and men, were kept busy removing their hats and bowing to the thousands of people who shouted and cheered as they passed.

It was a sight that will be long remembered by those who were so fortunate as to witness it. The marching together of the veterans and of the sturdy and brave soldiers of a united country, was a scene that is the outward sign of a greater truth hidden beneath—the blending up of old wounds, and the loyalty of every citizen to the stars and stripes.

"Military Day" in Charlotte will be a historic date no doubt in after years when those who watched the long procession recall the genuine patriotism displayed on every hand. The joy that seemed to pervade every where in the recognition by the government of the claims of the Mecklenburg people to a place with the patriots of Philadelphia.

The details of the parade were carried out admirably by the commanding officers and authorities, and it proved even a more patriotic display than was thought possible. Nothing but the strongest words of commendation were heard on every side.

Charlotte has never witnessed a more imposing one, and one that stirred the patriotism of the people deeper and more profoundly.

The Illumination at Night. Thousands of many colored electric lights, in long streamers, like points in the darkness, hanging in graceful curves, or representing designs of various forms and shapes—these were afforded the sightseers last night for the first time by the electricians of the city.

The scene presented by the lights looking up and down the various thoroughfares was such that description seems weak, and attempts to picture it fail. The electric lights shone with a steady sparkle that added safety to the streets and thousands of people revelled in the glow of the little lamps last night, and almost thought it was day.

The designs that are being presented by many of the stores show the best taste and careful selection, and excellent work on the part of the electricians.

Up on the city hall tower, two long streamers of lights curved away upward almost to the place where the big dragon sits perennially and defies the elements. On other buildings and on nearly every pole on the streets the lights shone out and made the scene one not soon to be forgotten.

The illuminations will be continued until the gala week is over and will be viewed each night by thousands of visitors as they afford a scene that is not easily tired of, and the splendor of the lights will be remembered as one of the special features of the Twentieth of May celebration of this year.

Condition of Mrs. Davis. By Associated Press. New York, May 22.—Mrs. Jefferson Davis is reported so much better that her recovery is considered almost certain.

Standard Oil Buys Bladis' Interest. Big New Bern Lumber Concern Sells Out to the Rockefellers, Who Are Acquiring a Great Deal of Property in Eastern North Carolina.

Special to the News. New Bern, May 22.—The deal where the Standard Oil Company has purchased the Bladis' lumber interests is said to have been consummated. By this transaction Mr. J. B. Bladis, of this city, is made a millionaire.

The lumber business is a gigantic enterprise here, several men having made handsome fortunes in it within the past few years.

Rev. John J. Douglass, who has been quite ill with a malarial attack, was able to fill his pulpit at the Tabernacle Baptist church yesterday.

Perhaps no city in North Carolina has a finer drive-way than that which leads out to the Federal Cemetery one mile north of the city. It is a fine macadamized road and is macadamized by the government.

New Bern is on the threshold of great material progress. New buildings are being erected on every hand. It is understood that Mr. J. M. Bladis will at an early date begin the erection of a five story bank building. No city in Eastern Carolina has a brighter industrial future than old New Bern.

The blind tiger business does not seem to be so flourishing now. The conviction of a prominent citizen at a recent term of court seems to be bearing good fruit in favor of law-enforcement.

The fish industry is decidedly better than for some months past. With the advent of spring the quality and quantity of the catch have been much more satisfactory to the local dealers.

OFFICIAL PROGRAM.

WEDNESDAY

- 11:00 A. M. Floral Parade; also Industrial Floats and Decorated Automobiles.
- 12:30 P. M. Speech by Hon. Champ. Clark, of Missouri. Subject, "The United States in the Twentieth Century."
- 4:00 P. M. Exhibition Drill by Infantry, Cavalry and Marines at the Fair Grounds. Marine and Third Regiment Bands will furnish music.
- 7:30 P. M. Carnival of Lights on main streets.
- 8:00 P. M. Red Men and Haymaker's Parade with Torches. Red Men dressed as Indians.
- 9:00 P. M. Grand Fireworks Display and Night Balloon Ascension in the rear of South Graded School.
- United Commercial Travelers' Carnival on South Church street and Battery "A" Carnival at the Fair Grounds. Open from 8 A. M. until midnight.

NOT ON THE PROGRAM.

Te Old Veterans Parade Touched the Hearts of Many as they Passed by.

Was it mere emotion or was it something else that caused the surging throngs to hush this morning as the old veterans of the Civil War went marching by with the guns on their shoulders?

Although the Charlotte Drum Corps was making noise that seemed to drown everything else, as the veterans came down the street from the City Hall, they fell a silence over the crowd that was almost painful, and women along the sidewalk and in windows and carriages were seen suddenly to be crying, and strong men seemed to change color as if they too were laboring under intense emotion.

To the beating of the drums the veterans, survivors of a score of battles and four years of carnage, they went silently most of them with their guns borne high in the air, with that steady tread, that intense silence, that made people, no matter from which section, feel something peculiar and strange.

Some of the spectators almost turned their faces aside, the sight stirred such emotion within their breasts.

It was the guns on the shoulders of the veterans that had much to do with the scene. Charlotte has often seen them marching with their uniforms, but not very often with guns. The sight of these instruments of war in the hands of the old veterans stirred emotions that could not be downed.

One strong man was heard to say "I don't like to look at that." It was too much for his emotional nature. The throngs, however, felt that they had to give some sort of recognition to the veterans although they seemed to command silence. So intense was this feeling that handclapping and a few cheers was all that was heard above the beating of the drums.

No doubt people from every section of the country were affected alike by the scene. It was a reminder of a time when every man was a hero, whether from the North or South, and the children of those men could not but feel the straining at their hearts when they saw the men of forty years ago marching by with their guns once more ashoulder.

To an outsider the scene presented nothing but a group of men with uniforms and guns, but to most of those who watched the veterans march from the City Hall down Tryon street, it meant more than words can tell.

It was not on the program exactly—just a march of the veterans to the place of rendezvous on South Tryon street but it came so suddenly on the vast throngs, and so unexpectedly, that the effect was something strange and peculiar, and although it was a gala day there were wet eyes among the women, and men could not conceal the emotion that stirred them.

But those who love the veterans most also love the stars and stripes most, is a truth that can scarce be doubted now by any body.

VETERANS PRIZE DRILL. Veteran Wm. Smith won First Prize—Other Prizes Awarded.

The prize drill among the members of the Mecklenburg Camp, Confederate Veterans and visiting veterans this morning attracted a large crowd at the grandstand on South Tryon street.

Acting Commander Sossaman selected the judges who were Veterans McGhee, Peterson and Col. F. A. Olds of Raleigh.

The manual was gone through from cover to cover and the old veterans warmed up with interest as they went through the familiar tactics of forty years ago.

The judges awarded the first prize of \$5 in gold to Capt. W. M. Smith, the second prize to Veteran Young and the third prize to Veteran J. D. Barrier.

The drill and contest was watched by a large crowd of interested spectators.

CASE OF SENATOR BURTON. To Investigate Legal Effect of Yesterday's Decision.

By Associated Press. Washington, May 22.—The Senate directed the committee on privileges and elections to investigate the legal effects of yesterday's decision of the Supreme court in the case of Senator Burton and to report their recommendations as to what action, if any, shall be taken by the Senate.

Now on Witness Stand. By Associated Press. New York, May 22.—Josephine Teranova, took the witness stand in her own behalf at her trial on the charge of having murdered her aunt.

THE CALDWELL CASE BEFORE ASSEMBLY

The Pastor of the First Church of Fort Worth, Texas, Very Much in Evidence at the General Assembly Now in Session at Greenville, S. C.

Special to the News. Greenville S. C., May 22.—The General Assembly yesterday a lively episode took place touching the famous Caldwell case before the Assembly. Rev. Josephus Johnston D. D. of the Texas Synod, rose to a question of personal privilege, saying that on yesterday a telegram had been sent to Fort Worth, Texas, in which town the Rev. William Caldwell is pastor of the First Church, declaring that the majority of the Assembly is very favorable to Rev. Mr. Caldwell. He intimated that the friends of Mr. Caldwell are trying to pre-judge the case. To this insinuation Mr. W. L. Logan, a member of the session of the First Church, Fort Worth, replied emphatically that neither he nor any of those representing Mr. Caldwell had anything to do with the sending of such a telegram—with this the incident closed to come up later.

One of the things that created much interest and enthusiasm was the recommendation of the Standing Committee on Church and Christian Education that a general Secretary be appointed for this cause and that the Assembly order an annual collection for the benefit of Schools and Colleges within aer bounds, thus placing the educational cause in the same relation to the objects of systematic beneficence that the cause of home missions occupies. The Assembly adopted the recommendation and also directed that the church should make an effort to influence the school in a spiritual way the Presbyterian boys and girls now in state institutions by providing chaplains and in other approved ways. Speeches were made on this subject by Rev. Dr. T. H. Rice, Atlanta, Rev. A. H. P. McCurdy, and Rev. Dr. Wm. E. Boggs, of Jacksonville, Florida.

When the matter came up as to a place of location of the new committee to have charge of the Educational work three places were nominated, Asheville, Atlanta, and Memphis.

Rev. T. A. Wharton, D. D. moved that a committee of five be appointed to nominate a place, and the following committee was appointed: Rev. T. H. Rice, D. D., Rev. A. C. Hopkins, D. D., Dr. H. L. Smith, Rev. W. E. Boggs, D. D. and Rev. W. Moore Scott.

The Assembly decided to appoint a committee, at Dr. J. R. Howerton's request, to visit Montreal, N. C., with a view to examining that place and inquiring into the advisability of establishing a Summer School of Theology.

Rev. Dr. H. E. Kirk, of Baltimore, chairman of Publication and Sabbath schools made an interesting report, recommending that a branch house of publication be established somewhere in the west as soon as the way is clear, that the Sunday school work be pushed with vigor; and that every effort be made to train the young people for future usefulness in the church.

In answer to an overture from one of the presbyteries it was decided to organize a Men's Brotherhood in the church similar to those in other branches of the christian church.

This evening the first guns were fired in the conflict between the contending forces on closer relations. It came about in this way. The presbytery of Green Brier overruled the Assembly to reprint an old book known as the Distinctive Principles of the Southern Presbyterian Church.

The book contains an account of the things which caused the separation of the Southern church from the Northern in 1861, together with many objectionable deliverances by both assemblies made in war on reconstruction times, and while it contains much valuable history, it is by no means an ideal book to put into the hands of the people. The debate which was quite sharp as to whether it was wise to direct the committee of Publication bring out a new edition was continued for some time.

Rev. Eugene Daniel D. D. of Lewisburg, W. Va., Dr. A. C. Hopkins, Bennett Young, Louisville, Rev. A. H. P. McCurdy, Hon. John A. Preston, of

W. Va., Rev. Dr. W. M. McPheeters, Columbia, S. C., Rev. O. G. Jones of Texas, favoring the reprinting. On the other hand it was opposed by Col. Thomas W. Bullitt, Louisville, Rev. Dr. R. H. Fleming, Lynchburg, and many others, Dr. J. R. Howerton moved that the whole matter be referred to an ad interim committee to examine the book and report at the next Assembly as to the advisability of publishing any or all of it, and his motion prevailed.

Dr. J. W. Stagg, chairman of the Judicial committee, made a report as to the mode of procedure in the Caldwell case. That your readers may understand the matter of the Judicial case to come before the Assembly in connection with the Rev. William Caldwell of Fort Worth, a few explanatory words may be in place. Rev. Mr. Caldwell came from Baltimore to take charge of the First Presbyterian Church, Fort Worth, Texas. He was examined and received by the Fort Worth Presbytery and ordered to be installed pastor of the First Church. Against this action the minority complained to the Synod of Texas. The Synod sent the case back with directions to the Presbytery to re-examine Mr. Caldwell. This the Presbytery did and again received him, or rather confirmed the former decision against the minority complaint to the Synod and this time the Synod reversed the decision of the Presbytery on the ground that Mr. Caldwell was not sound in doctrine. This had the effect of declaring that Mr. Caldwell was not a member of Fort Worth Presbytery nor the pastor of the First Church—against this action the friends of Mr. Caldwell complained to the Assembly.

COMPANIES CHARTERED. Secretary of State Grants Charters to Number of Firms. Special to the News. Raleigh, N. C., May 22.—The Dupree-Wilson Lumber Company of Dunn, Harnett county, was chartered at a \$25,000 capital to do a general lumber and furniture manufacturing business. The principal incorporators are J. J. Dupree and J. E. Wilson.

The Falls Lumber Company, of Falls, Wake county was also chartered at \$50,000 capital authorized, the incorporators being D. C. Mitchell, W. J. Lumsford and W. H. Johnson. Another charter is to the Grand Lodge of the United Brotherhood of America (Incorporated), the principle office being at Wilkesboro.

The Supreme court today will hear the argument of appeals from the sixteenth, the last district in the State and as soon as the writing and filing of opinions as the writing and court will adjourn for the term. This will very probably be before the close of the week and certainly by Monday or Tuesday of next week. The following are the cases argued today: Davidson vs. Nantahala Co., from Macon; Wales vs. Kaplin Co., of Swain; Ledford vs. Merson, from Cherokee; Bryson vs. Railroad, from Swain; Coffin vs. Garris, from Swain.

The grandduating exercises of the seventh annual commencement of the Baptist University for Women was held this morning at 11 o'clock, the literary address being delivered by Rev. O. P. Gifford, D. D., of Buffalo, N. Y. There are twelve graduates as follows: Annie Lee Stewart, Kate Royal Beaman; Mary Lee Bivens, Mae Brown; Mary D. Johnson; Essie Moore Morgan; Lucy Petty; Verona Pickler, Clara Rogers; Heslope Purifoy; Lula Briggs, Bessie Sams.

The board of trustees elected Thos. S. Franklin a member to succeed W. C. Petty, of Carthage, deceased. The attendance the past year has been 358, the largest in the history of the university.

Sunday afternoon at Dawson Street Methodist church, colored, an old negro woman became greatly wrought up during the service and after shouting at a great rate for some time dropped dead in her tracks. The wildest excitement prevailed for some time and several persons were injured in a stampede from the church which followed. The woman's name was Rachael Wilder. The church is known as "Need More."

FOUR MORE VICTIMS. The Number of Victims in Recent Disaster is Now 395. By Associated Press. San Francisco, May 22.—Four cases were added to the Coroner's list of earthquake and fire victims. The total number is 395.

Mr. T. S. Franklin Honored. Mr. T. S. Franklin received a telegram this morning notifying him that he had been elected a member of the board of trustees of the Baptist Female College, at Raleigh.

THE KNIGHT'S BANQUET

Knights from Several States Join in Good Cheer After Initiation Ceremony.

The initiation of 35 Knights of Columbus into the first, second and third degrees was successfully carried out last afternoon, and at 9 last evening the knights from Charlotte, Wilmington, Greensboro and other points gathered at the Colonial Club where the banquet was served to nearly 250 of the Sir Knights.

Territorial Deputy K. W. Conway of Charlotte was the toast master and toasts were responded to by the following:

Father Doherty, chaplain of the 17th U. S. Infantry, Father Eugene of Belmont, Territorial Deputy Jos. Allen of South Carolina, Grand Knight J. E. Raab of Washington, Father Dennen of Wilmington, N. C. and a number of others.

The hall where the banquet took place was very tastefully decorated and the menu that was served was of the most tempting nature and the whole affair passed off in a manner that proved satisfactory in the extreme to the Knights who were in charge.

GEORGEIOUS COSTUMES To be Worn By the Marine Band this Evening.

At this evening's concert in the Academy of Music the U. S. Marine Band will wear its celebrated full dress uniform, this being the only occasion on which the band will appear in full dress while in Charlotte.

The Marine Band's full dress uniform is known throughout the United States as the finest and most picturesque uniform ever worn by any band.

The coat is of bright red broad cloth embellished with rich black silk braid brass buttons and white shoulder knots and aiglets. The white leather belt is also worn. White linen trousers will be worn in connection with the dress coat.

The leaders dress uniform, which Lieut. Santelmann will wear this evening, is a gorgeous creation of black broadcloth trimmed in red gold braid and massive epaulettes of gold.

This uniform is worn only on state occasions, or when visiting or accompanying the President, and it is always one of the most spectacular features of the Inaugural Parade.

ABOUT DEATH OF STEWART. Government Regrets the Assassination of Vice Consul William H. Stewart.

By Associated Press. St. Petersburg, May 22.—In response to a formal request made by Ambassador Meyer to the foreign office on the subject of the assassination of William H. Stewart, American Vice-Consul at Batoum, the Ambassador has received from the foreign minister, Iswolsky, a note written in his own hand, expressing the government's deep regrets at the murder and also stating that the Viceroy of Caucasus had been ordered to make a most rigid investigation of the crime and apprehend and punish the assassins.

Must go to Trial. Kansas City, May 22.—Judge Smith McPherson of Iowa overruled the demurrer of the Burlington Railway to indictments against that company and it must now go to trial.

VAUGHAN ADMITS THAT HE IS GUILTY Says He Took \$65 From C. H. Fort. Required to Give a \$300 Bond Until the Next Term of the Superior Court. Other Cases Heard This Morning.

The Recorder's court this morning was unusual—unusual because there was only one black man there—and he had just dropped in while on his way up town to hear the band play, and tarried for only a few minutes.

As a rule the court room is half filled by the colored visitors but it was not the case this morning, and the lone colored man finding it uninteresting soon vanished through the door.

The case of W. F. Vaughan, who has confessed to taking about \$65 from C. H. Fort, at a boarding house night before last, was bound over under a \$300 bond for his appearance at the next term of court.

Walter Donaldson had been at his old habits again and had taken on over-much liquor which caused him to receive this morning a sentence of 30 days in jail, where the fiery liquid is not available.

Prince Grace, whose name might indicate that he was descended from some colored royalty years ago in the forests of Africa, was found guilty of the crime of getting drunk, and His Highness will pay a fine of \$25 for the offense.

Tom Sikes was fined \$10 and costs for violation, and Jno. Miller forfeited a \$10 bond in an affray case. This closed the court calendar.

Instead of announcing in his usual stentorian tones that "court's adjourned," the Chief this morning tripped lightly over to the railing that divides the inner circle of the court from the Hoi Polloi, and sang out sweetly "Getlemen you must all now go down to the corner of Second and Tryon and hear the band play."

PARLIAMENT OPENED. The Hungarian Parliament Was Formerly Opened Today.

By Associated Press. Budapest, May 22.—The Hungarian Parliament was formerly opened at the Royal Castle by Emperor King, Francis Joseph, who in the speech from the throne bid the deputies a hearty welcome and expressed keen thankfulness that the misunderstanding had passed away.

DEATH SENTENCE UPHELD. State Supreme Court Upheld Death Sentence Imposed by Lower Court.

By Associated Press. Jefferson City, May 22.—The State Supreme court upheld the death sentence imposed by the lower court in the cases Frank Hottman and Mrs. Aggie Meyers, convicted of murdering the woman's husband, Clarence Meyers at Kansas City, May 11, 1904, and set June 29, next as the date of execution in each case. Hottman and Mrs. Meyers killed Meyers so they could marry.

NOMAN WHO FAVORS LICENSED SALOONS SHOULD HAVE OFFICE

Temperance Committee of the Cumberland Presbyterians Declares Against the Election of Any Saloon Advocate to Public Office.

Assembly Given a Surprise by the Report of the Committee on Overtures Recommending Dissolution of Indianola Synod. Questions Authority.

By Associated Press. Decatur, Ill., May 22.—The Cumberland Presbyterian Assembly was given a surprise by the report of the committee on the overtures recommending the dissolution of the Indianola Synod and the attachment of the Indianola Presbyteries to the Synods of Texas and Kansas, because the Indianola synod had declared its purpose to resist constituted authority of the church and had committed acts contrary to the rules of the church. The discussion on the report was postponed by other business.

The Temperance Committee recommended the employment of a temperance evangelist and declared that no man who favors licensed saloons should be supported for a public office. It endorsed the W. C. T. U. and the Anti-Saloon League.

Mrs. W. J. Darby, president of the Woman's Board of Missions, addressed the assembly.

Rev. J. M. Hubbard addressed the Assembly as a representative of the Pan Presbyterian Alliance.

MILITARY BASE BALL. A Fast Game to Be Played at the Park Tomorrow Morning.

There will be a fast game of ball at Latta Park tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock. The opposing teams will be selected from the two companies of infantry attending the celebration. The team from Company K will wear gray uniforms and the line-up will be as follows: Sergeant Fahey, C; Corporal Lydens, 1B; Private Gordon, S.S; Corporal Sanders, C. F.; Corporal Mullens, L. F.; Private Dyke, R. F.; Private Johnson, P.

The team from Company M will be uniformed in green suits and the line up will be as follows: Sergeant Smith, 3B; Corporal Dye, P; Corporal Gunter, 3B; Corporal Murray, C. F.; Muscian Plot, R. F.; Private Anderson, 1B; Private Beck, S. S.; Private Olsen, L. F.; and Private Floyd, C.

FIGHT AT HICKORY. Fell Out Over Baseball Fixtures—Hot Fight Ensued.

Special to the News. Hickory, May 22.—A desperate fight occurred in east Hickory late yesterday evening. L. V. Brown and R. F. Chitty who had had a quarrel over some baseball fixtures met and renewed the difficulty. Words led to blows. Chitty was beating Brown when the latter's father interfered. A fierce struggle followed in which Chitty received a bad blow on the skull, whether with a rock or club is not known.

The trial has been deferred until tomorrow morning. J. W. Shuford is mayor pro tem as Mayor Elliot and family are in Charlotte.

A SCORE WERE INJURED. In Explosion in Engine and Dynamo Rooms a Score Were More or Less Injured.

By Associated Press. New York, May 22.—A score of men employed in the engine and dynamo rooms of the New York Glucose Company's plant in Shady Side, N. J., on the west bank of the Hudson river, opposite Ninth street, this city, were more or less injured by the explosion of a big steam pipe. The roof of the building was blown off, and the wrecking caught fire in the confusion which followed the explosion. Many reports of a serious loss of life were spread among the relatives of the employes, thus aggregating the extent of the disaster.

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