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GEN. CLINGMAN DEAD.

Passes Away Wednesday at 1:15 at the State Hospital—His Body in State in St. Cloud Church—Funeral Services at 10 a. m. Friday—His Career as Statesman, Soldier and Explorer—A Good Ripe Age.

At 1:15 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, Gen. T. L. Clingman yielded the last lingering spark of life at the Morganton Hospital. By request of Mr. J. C. Gibson, whose wife is the niece of the deceased, the body was sent to Concord, and arrived in our city Wednesday night. It is today in state in the Episcopal church, where the funeral services will be conducted Friday morning at 10 o'clock, by Rev. Dr. Davis, after which the remains will be interred at the city cemetery.

Gen. Clingman has been a conspicuous figure in our State and has stood far above the mediocrity.

He was elected to Congress in 1843 and in his 7th term was promoted to the Senate by appointment and then elected by the legislature. He left his seat in the Senate to identify himself with the Confederate cause. He was Col. of the 25th North Carolina regiment. He was promoted to Brigadier General and served till the close of the great struggle, with honor to himself and fidelity to the Southern cause.

His suit of gray as a memento of his service and his attachment to the Lost Cause was his pride and at his request the body will be entombed in it, as it would have been if he had fallen on the field of carnage with others under his eye and command.

After the reconstruction, Gen. Clingman indulged a commendable pride in North Carolina's mountain scenery, and Clingman's Dome is pointed out on the map by almost every school boy and girl. This mountain, he found by accurate reckoning, to be 6,660 feet above sea and is the loftiest peak of the Great Smokies.

General Clingman never married. For some years the General has shown unmistakable evidence of mental decline, which is believed, by his nearest relatives, to have been caused by sunstroke, suffered while making an investigation of a water spout which occurred in the mountains, near Asheville some years ago. This condition advanced to such a stage that the care was too great even for loving ministrations in the private homes of nearest relatives, and the State's hospitable home for the afflicted was opened to him and under its skillful treatment and tender care his latter days were made more comfortable than would have been possible elsewhere.

In the sterling vigor of his great mind Gen. Clingman was pointed out as one of the leaders of national thought and refused places and appointments to the Court of St. James as also to cabinet positions.

Complimentary to his courage and strong convictions rather than to a more noble, self control he was led into a duel with William L. Yancy. Possibly the war of the Rebellion spoiled his picture of the highest national honors.

Gen. Thomas L. Clingman was born in Huntsville, then Surry county, July 27, 1812, and was therefore past 65 years of age.

The Dog and Pony Show.

Gentry, ponies and dogs make a drawing card, and it may well be so. The Concord people were aware that there was a treat in store Wednesday night, and the large seating capacity in the commodious tent was well nigh taxed. Prof. Gentry quickly captivated the audience by tricks unique and fascinating, that must have made the dogs themselves laugh, though they did not split their throats and wry their countenances as much as the hilarious spectators. The perfection to which Gentry's ponies, dogs and monkeys are trained is simply amazing. The intelligent way in which these inferior beings perform their parts is truly wonderful, and no less a wonder is how the professor can himself exercise the patient, persevering ingenuity that adapts mental requirements to instinctive possibilities and thus makes it seem that there is a communion between himself and his pets.

The ponies marched by single file, double file, by fours and by eights. They charged, they seemed to caress each other, reversing almost every performance. The cross see-saw was performed most satisfactorily. Humanity could scarcely beat it.

The old man, woman and baby imitation was the most mirth-inspiring scene of the evening, in which the dogs were dressed to suit the play.

No small part of the fun was in the dogs' seeming to not do what it was intended they should.

Probably no feat beat the backward summersault performed by one black dog.

The sneak thief that stole the meat and evaded punishment but was finally arrested by a constable dog and hanged, was amusing indeed, while the dog and monkey team that came in with the ambulance to take him away for burial, one monkey dressed as driver and the other vigorously pulling the lever that rang a gong, was truly a splendid performance.

The clown was not wanting, and acted well as clowns usually do.

The leaping of the grey hounds afforded much pleasant amazement and admiration.

The last performance, which came all too soon, was a sort of medley revolving tower of dogs and ponies, each in its own particular place, with a monkey crowning all. It was a most pleasing scene.

The surprise was that with such a group of performers, so well trained, the entertainment did not last an hour longer.

The band afforded excellent music, and the comical cadenza just brought down the crowd. It was the funniest discord the writer ever heard.

Come again, Gentry.

Attention, Confederate Veterans!

You are respectfully requested to meet at the St. Cloud hotel on Friday morning at 9:30 o'clock to take part in the funeral services of the late Brig. Gen. Thos. L. Clingman. We deem it but appropriate in view of the distinguished services rendered to the "lost cause" by the deceased, that we manifest in some way our appreciation of his devotion to his country.

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