

A SOLDIER'S REVENUE

Closes the Ninth Annual Reunion of the Confederate Veterans

THE CARE OF OUR CEMETERIES

The Chief Subject of Discussion--The Committee's Substitute for the Lee Resolution--Dr. Curry Defends the South's Position and Denounces Mob Law--A Lengthy Report From the Committee on History--The South in the Spanish War.

Charleston, S. C., May 12--With a spirited and, at times, stormy session, the ninth annual reunion of the United Confederate Veterans was today brought to a close...

THE RESOLUTIONS.

Your committee to which was referred the resolution introduced by General S. D. Lee, beg to report the following substitute with the recommendation that the committee be discharged with the same be adopted.

The United Confederate Veterans, in this annual reunion assembled, desire to place upon record their sincere appreciation of the care of the graves of our Confederate dead by the national government.

Another incident was the mention of the southern lynching question by Dr. Curry, one of the speakers...

The all important report of the committee on school history was also presented and adopted unanimously.

Tonight at the reunion a grand reception to the veterans was held and addressed delivered by Colonel Henry Turner, of Chicago, commander of the First Illinois regiment...

General Gordon introduced General M. L. Bonham, of the South Carolina Sons of Veterans, who delivered an address.

He was followed by Mr. Kirk, commander of the Trans-Mississippi department, who delivered an address.

General S. D. Lee presented the report of the committee on history, which was unanimously adopted.

President McKinley displayed the spirit of the American soldier, when he chose from his former foe the gallant Wheeler, the steadfast Pittsburg Lee, the chivalrous Butler, and many others of our own brave country.

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THE WIFE AND THE CLIMATE

Making Fearful Inroads on Our Army

OUR REGIMENTS DECIMATED

By Fatigue and Continual Fighting in the Jungles of the Philippines--The Nebraska Petitioners to be Temporarily Withdrawn From the Front--Fresh Troops to be Sent to the Front--The "Devey of the Army"--The Philippine Congress.

General John C. Underwood was presented as the man who had done so much in Chicago for the care of Confederate graves and for the Battle Abbey.

The convention then proceeded to the selection of a city for the reunion of 1900, Louisville, Ky., and Norfolk, Va., seemed to be the only active candidates.

Tonight at the auditorium a reception to the veterans was held, the feature of which was an address by Colonel H. L. Kirk, of Chicago.

Mr. Martin said he regretted he could not vote for the resolution. His first objection was that it had no business before the convention.

Mr. Colquitt's only opponent was Robert Lee, Jr., of Washington, D. C., who was solidly opposed by the Virginia delegation.

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DEWEY TO RETURN AT ONCE

No More Mail Forwarded to Olympia

THE ADMIRAL'S SUCCESSOR

Captain Barker, of the Oregon, to Command Asiatic Squadron Until Admiral Watson's Arrival--Dewey Expected to Arrive in Time for Fourth of July Celebration--Professor Langley's Experiment With Flying Ship--Treasurers for Cuba and Porto Rico.

Washington, May 12--Send Olympia's mail to B. F. Stevens, No. 4 Trafalgar square, London, England," was the notice given out at the navy department today.

Secretary Long had last evening cabied Admiral Dewey permission to return to the United States at once.

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