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The National McKinley Memorial

UNVEILED AT CANTON, SEPT. 30, 1907

The traveler entering the Ohio city of Canton from whatever direction can see from afar the national McKinley memorial, a massive bulk of white granite, shimmering and gleaming, rivaling in purity the stone of Carrara or the white clouds above it. It overlooks the city, and the city is very proud of the monument. Most Americans knew McKinley as a public man—a president. Canton knew McKinley also as a Cantorian. His old neighbors can tell of McKinley's first political victory of Stark county. In congress, however, he had their well wishes, but not until the days of 1890, still memorable in the county set of "old Molly Stark," did they give him up entirely to the nation. That summer the

she would hear President Roosevelt pronounce the creation of the unveiling exercises on the afternoon of the last day in September, would bear Justice Day's historical address and would listen to the nation's patriotic songs as the melody was hurled to its echo in the surrounding woods by a male chorus of more than a hundred voices. The cabinet, the supreme bench, the diplomatic corps and all members of both houses of congress received invitations. Two thousand of Uncle Sam's regulars and more than an equal number of state troops received orders to guard the flag walled route of the procession. Citizens of many memorable McKinley days put forth every effort to care for the nation's visitors on its last great day. It went McKinley forth, received him back with cheers in triumph and with weeping in death. And now Canton, which has watched its progress from the time the first stone was placed, gives up to the nation the McKinley tomb.



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In three ways the McKinley national memorial is held to be unique—it was built by popular subscription in the fullest meaning of that term; it has been completed within the time set in the contract; it was built within the first estimate of its cost. The citizens of the nation paid for the McKinley memorial. The people at large gave the \$800,000 needed for the building and maintenance of this tomb. No contribution exceeded \$5,000, and few were of that magnitude. In the committee which had charge of the arrangements on that day of sorrow when Canton received the great men of the nation as mourners at the dead president's bier, the McKinley Memorial association had its inception. A few days after the funeral an organization was formed under the laws of Ohio having as its name the McKinley National Memorial association. President Roosevelt was asked to name trustees. A statement to the public asked funds. It was determined at the outset that men of vast

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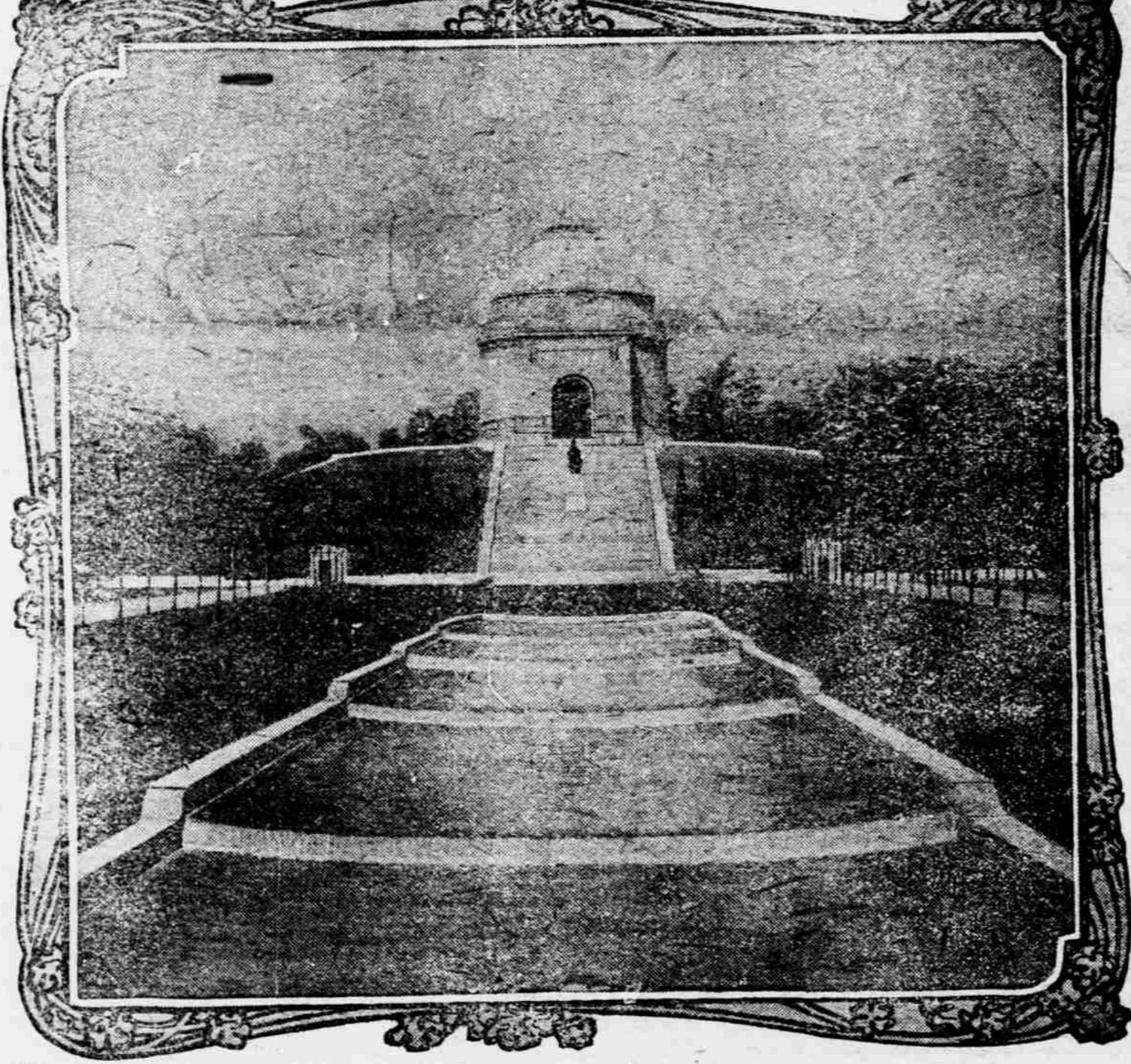
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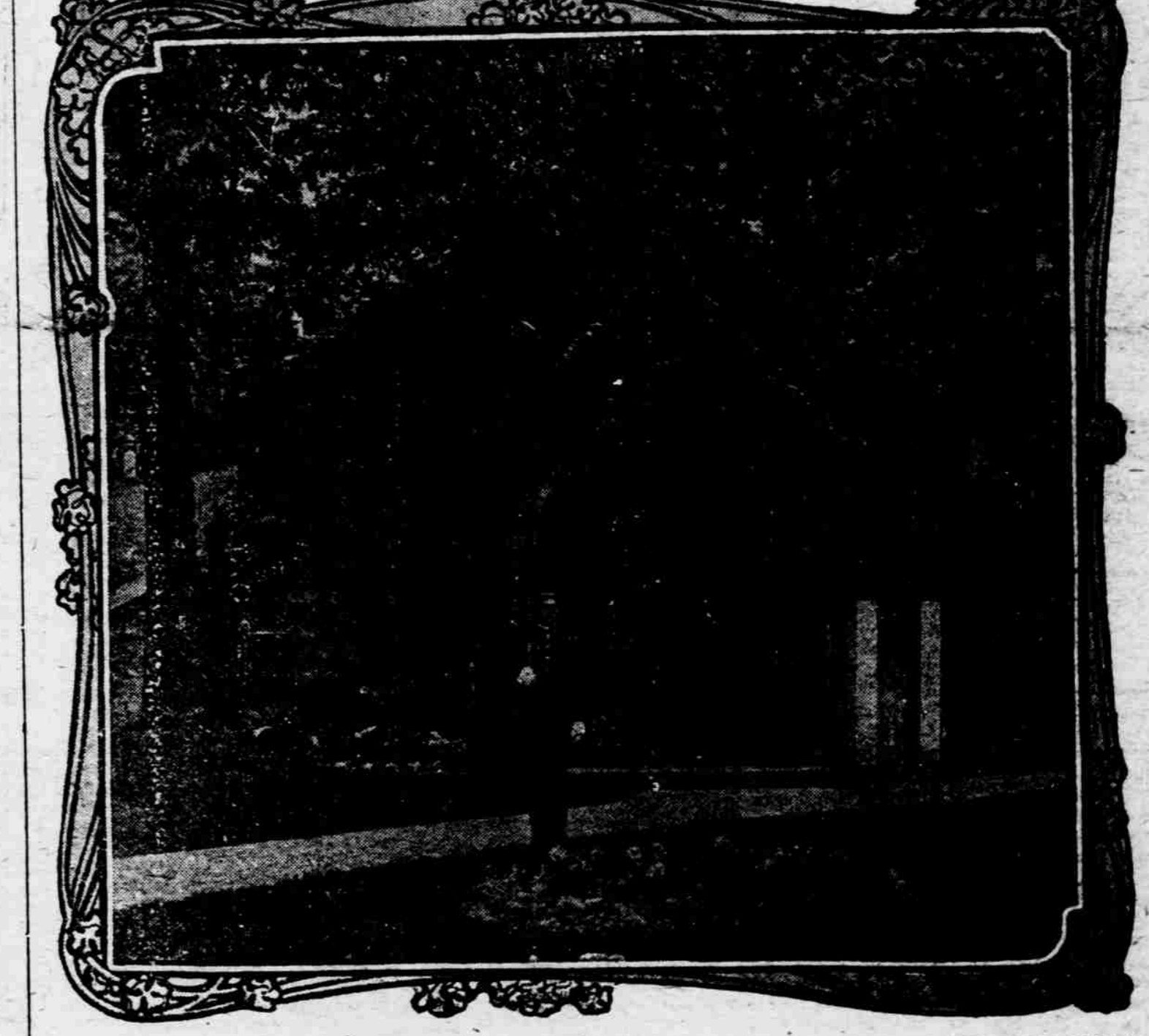
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NATIONAL MCKINLEY MEMORIAL, CANTON.

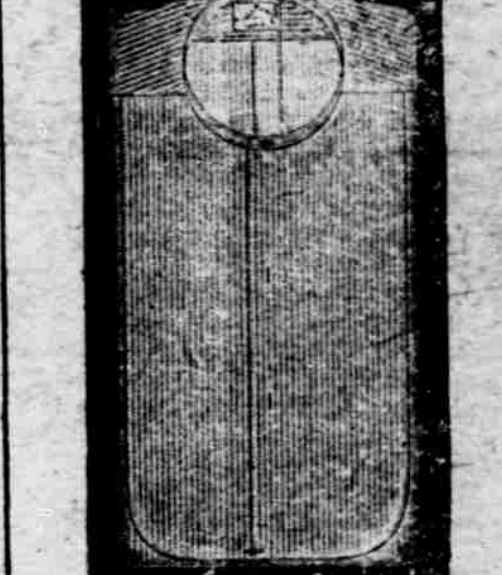
Halfway up the massive main stairway stands a bronze statue nine feet high on a base seven feet in height, representing President McKinley as he was caught by photograph in the course of his speech at Buffalo on the front of the base is inscribed a sentence of eulogy, and, passing the statue and turning to look upon it from the rear, one reads:
This memorial was erected by contributions of more than a million men, women and children in the United States and many others in foreign lands.
Charles Henry Niehaus, sculptor of the statue, also designed the ponderous bronze doors to the tomb, the largest ever cast in a single piece. Passing within them, the visitor finds beneath the apex of the simple dome at the heart of the cross the sarcophagi containing the bodies of President and Mrs. William McKinley. The base of each sarcophagus is of black Berlin granite, and the sarcophagi themselves are of dark green Windsor granite. Outspread beneath the feet are seven varieties of granite and marble—black Berlin granite, green marble, black marble, red Champlain marble, pink and gray Knoxville marble and verde antique. The quarries of the country have contributed America's choicest stone. The cross on the floor extends from the sarcophagi and is shown by the color of the stone.
Thus the main approach is the blade of the sword, with the Longwater a silver mirror bearing a reflection of the tomb upon it. The piazetta is the guard and the tomb in the hill. From the tomb's center, the heart of the cross, extend two arms which end in the lateral stairway, and within the tomb the



WESTLAWN VAULT, WHERE PRESIDENT MCKINLEY'S REMAINS REPOSED UNDER GUARD FOR YEARS.

wealth were not to be permitted to contribute munificently to the memorial fund. The tomb was to be in the truest sense the nation's memorial. It was to be erected at Canton, McKinley's home, on an eminence overlooking his residence, within sight, too, of the old McKinley home in which his mother died, almost within a stone's throw of the graves of his children. A contract with the Harrison Granite company was entered into in the spring of 1905. The Harrison company built the setting of stone and the marble for the interior to George W. Malby & Sons. June 6, 1905, Architect Magonigle took from the center of the site the first spadeful of earth and placed it carefully in a metal box, to be preserved and placed in the cornerstone. In their first great tasks, the accumulation of the fund, the saving of nucleus for the endowment fund yet uncompleted, by careful award of contracts, in their choice of a suitable design, the trustees had succeeded. Near laborers took their share of the work. Contractors, necessarily busy, became wrapped up in the task. To build a mausoleum like the McKinley memorial in but a trifle over two years was in some respects almost herculean. The Malby works in Buffalo were partially destroyed by fire this year. At once the wisdom of postponing the date of the dedication, already announced, was considered. Assurances

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