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VETERANS POUR INTO MEMPHIS ON ALL TRAINS

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WILL OPEN TOMORROW

More Than a Score of Special Trains Carrying Veterans, Sons of Veterans and Friends Have Already Reached Memphis and All the Regular Trains Are Carrying All the Passengers Possible.—Railroad Officials Say the Number of Visitors Will Reach 100,000.—Houston is Leading the Fight For the Next Reunion, but Mobile and Atlanta Are Still in the Race.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)

Memphis, Tenn., June 7.—With more than a score of special trains already in and every regular train on every road carrying all the passengers possible, railroad officials declared this morning that close to 100,000 visitors would attend the nineteenth annual reunion of the United Confederate veterans which will be called to order tomorrow morning.

Hotels and board houses are crowded to capacity and public buildings and cotton warehouses have been converted into temporary barracks for the accommodation of the old soldiers and their friends. General Clement Evans, commander-in-chief of the Confederate veterans is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Richard P. Lake. His headquarters have been opened at the Peabody.

Houston is still leading in the fight for the next reunion, but it is expected that both Mobile and Atlanta will make strong bids for the honor.

The weather is fair, but very warm today, although the indications are for cooler.

Murdered and Mutilated.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

Madrid, June 7.—The police of Barcelona today discovered the bodies of a woman, two men and an infant, the three former frightfully hacked with an axe in the cupboard of a house to which their attention had been called by suspicious neighbors. The remains are so mutilated that there is little likelihood they can be identified and except for the axe, the slayer or slayers left no clue behind.

NEW FIRM FOR RALEIGH.

Messrs. R. L. and C. H. Lumsden Open Up a Brokerage Business.

Messrs. Robert L. Lumsden and Clarence H. Lumsden, well-known business men of this city, have formed a copartnership for the purpose of doing a brokerage and distributing business. They will deal in dry salt meats, hams, lard, canned meats, hay and grain. They have a large and commodious warehouse, situated on the S. A. L. tracks and have recently erected an air-tight salt-room with a capacity of 35,000 pounds of dry salt meat.

Both members of the firm are alert, level-headed business men and will make good at the brokerage business.

MINNICOGANASHENE.

A hard name to pronounce, called locally "Minnicog." This is a picturesque summer resort on one of the largest islands of the Georgian Bay, only 3 1/2 hours run by the Grand Trunk Railway System from the City of Toronto, Canada, and beautifully situated among the 30,000 islands of that territory. Splendid hotel accommodation, good fishing, fine boating and no hay fever. Bass, trout, pickerel and pike abound. For illustrated descriptive matter and all information, write F. P. Dwyer, 299 Broadway New York, N. Y.

"RED BIRD" SPECIAL.

Special Train to Fayetteville Wednesday, the 9th, to See the Raleigh-Fayetteville Game.

The Raleigh & Southport Railway announces that they will run a baseball special to Fayetteville Wednesday to the Raleigh-Fayetteville game. Train will leave at 12:30 p. m., arrive at Fayetteville at 3:00 p. m., returning will leave Fayetteville at 6:30 (or after the game) and arrive at Raleigh at 8:30 p. m. The fare for the round trip will be \$1.50. Street cars will meet the train at Fayetteville and take the crowd direct to the grounds.

Raleigh baseball enthusiasts should take advantage of this opportunity to see the Red Birds play against the Highlanders, which team has lately developed a winning streak, and at the same time show their appreciation of Mr. Mill's enterprise.

ANOTHER WOMAN CURED

By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Gardiner, Maine.—"I have been a great sufferer from organic troubles and a severe female weakness. The doctor said I would have to go to the hospital for an operation, but I could not bear to think of it. I decided to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Sanative Wash—and was entirely cured after three months' use of them."—Mrs. S. A. Williams, R. F. D. No. 14, Box 39, Gardiner, Me.



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Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., invites all sick women to write her for advice. Her advice is free, and always helpful.

MANY WOUNDED BY POWDER EXPLOSION

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

London, June 7.—A dispatch received here from Crakaw in Austrian Poland, says that 500 persons were wounded by the explosion of an army powder magazine there on Saturday night. Three soldiers were killed, many of the wounded are seriously hurt.

The magazine, which was situated near the railroad station, was struck by lightning. Several thousand pounds of powder went off, and 1,500 projectiles were scattered among a big crowd of people who had assembled at the station awaiting a train. The local hospitals are crowded with the wounded.

PRISIDENT WILL NOT VETO TARIFF BILL

Washington, June 7.—"President Taft will not veto the tariff bill," said a leading western senator today. "nor will he send a special message to congress touching the work of the house or the senate in revising the tariff. Senator Aldrich has been entrusted by the majority of the senate with the duty of fixing the bill and his work has not the approval of the body."

The statement was made today that at least ten democratic senators would vote for the bill if their votes should be necessary to pass it.

Christian Church Notes.

Rev. and Mrs. Joanson attended the dedication of the Walker Avenue Christian church, Greensboro, yesterday returning in time for the pastor to fill his appointment here last night. He gave an account of the dedication and preached from Rom. 8:2.

The Ladies Aid Society will meet at the church this afternoon at four o'clock.

Cottage prayer-meeting at Mrs. W. A. Spears, 721 south Saunders street tonight at 8:30 o'clock.

Children of the congregation who desire to take some part in the Children's day program are requested to meet at the church tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Notice to Stockholders.

The annual meeting of stockholders of the Standard Gas & Electric Company will be held at the office of the company, 124 Fayetteville street Wednesday, June 16th, at 4 o'clock p. m.

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BAD STEAMSHIP WRECK Crashed Into Wharf and Several Killed.

Five Persons Were Crushed to Death in the Crash and 200 Thrown Into Lake, Several of Whom Were Drowned.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

Mandeville, La., June 7.—Lake Pontchartrain. In the vicinity of the steamboat landing was dragged today to recover the bodies of the persons drowned there when the steamboat Margaret crashed into the wharf, smashing it, crushing the life out of five persons and throwing 200 into the lake, amid the greatest excitement.

The bodies of four girls and one small boy were recovered after the crash and taken to New Orleans on the Margaret. They were horribly crushed.

Five more bodies were brought up from the lake today by the searchers. The city marshal declared it his belief that not more than twenty and possibly less had lost their lives.

The known dead are: Marie Corten, Katherine Gorten, Laura Ray, Lizzie Lotz, Unidentified boy.

Many others are said to be missing after the crash and the number was reported anywhere from 25 to 80 dead.

Reports at first were very meagre and great excitement prevailed when it was rumored that the Margaret, a pleasure boat, between New Orleans and Mandeville, had been wrecked.

As is the custom of the people when a boat is making a landing, all the pleasure-seekers crowded down to the flimsy wharf to get aboard. As the vessel came closer the crowd from the rear pushed heavily on the mass until there was no room to move about. About this time the vessel struck. The platform first swayed and the apron broke, pitching the entire crowd into the lake.

So great was the confusion at first that nothing could be done and it was with the greatest work on the part of the men of the party that many women were saved from drowning.

It was later discovered that four young girls had been killed outright, and the body of a young boy was found crushed between the fallen structures.

Many women and children were injured but it has been impossible to obtain a list of the names.

BALLON ROUTES OUT FROM PARIS

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

Paris, June 7.—The French league has perfected plans for lines of dirigible balloons from Paris respectively to Nancy, Lyons, Pau and Rouen. Five dirigibles will be employed in this service. Their length will be between 60 and 80 metres. Two of them will have a capacity of 3,500 cubic metres, one of 5,000 and two of 7,000 cubic metres. All of them will be capable of an average speed of 21 miles an hour.

One of the dirigibles, which has been named the Ville-Nancy, has already constructed and the Paris-Nancy line, with a daily service in good weather will be opened in September. In this service stops will be made at Meaux and Rheims.

FUNERAL OF JAS. M. NOWELL.

He Died Sunday Morning at 11:55—Interment in Oakwood Today.

On Sunday at 11:55 a. m. there died at his home, number 501 South Bloodworth street, Mr. James M. Nowell. He was the son of the late J. J. Nowell, who was for a number of years the beloved sheriff of Wake county. Mr. Nowell was in the 36th year of his age. For the past fifteen years he has been unwell, at no time being in perfect health, bearing with great fortitude and patience his sufferings.

His death brings sorrow to a large host of friends who attest their love for him both in their expressions of sympathy and floral offerings which give so much comfort and consolation to the bereaved family. Always a faithful and constant friend to those who knew him, he leaves a vacant place in their affections, not so easily to be filled.

Mr. Nowell is survived by an aged mother, two brothers, Messrs. W. M. Nowell, and H. H. Nowell, and two sisters, Mrs. J. S. Correll and Mrs. D. T. Adams.

The funeral services were held from the home today at 1:30, the interment being in the Oakwood cemetery. Rev. A. J. Moncrief, of the Baptist Tabernacle, assisted by Mr. J. T. Pullen, conducted the services. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. Edgar Thiem, J. S. Upchurch, W. D. Upchurch, W. B. Jones, Frank B. Simpson, James McKee, John W. Mangum, W. H. Jones, W. L. Watson, Ralph Shaw, Chas. U. Harris and Wm. P. Smith.

LOCAL TAX IN McDOWELL.

Educational Progress in That Mountain County is Remarkable.

A telegram from Superintendent Giles of McDowell county, to the State Superintendent of Public Instruction announces that a special tax for schools was voted in the whole of Brackett township, and that the people are elated over the victory. The educational progress in McDowell county under the superintendence of Mr. Giles has been remarkable. From one of the most backward counties in the state educationally, it has been placed in the ranks of the most progressive counties of the state. A large number of local tax districts have been established by vote of the people, many new school houses have been built, the school funds have been largely increased, and the school term greatly lengthened. One of the best public high schools of the state has been established at Nebo, in connection with which an excellent dormitory costing \$4,000 or \$5,000, one half of which was contributed by private subscription, has been erected for the accommodation of boys and girls from all parts of the county at actual cost of board. Mr. Giles works at the business all the year around, and his work has been crowned with unusual success because it deserves it.

High School Lawn Party.

There will be given in Nash Square Friday night a lawn party for the benefit of the High School Annual. In addition to the usual refreshments in form of ice cream and cake there will be fortune telling, candy wheels and voting contests for the most popular High School girl.

THE HOOSIER LANDS Baldwin's Balloon Lands in Tennessee

Much Complaint About Quality of Gas Used—One Balloonist Intimates That His Balloon Had Been Tamped With—Something Wrong Somewhere.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

Birmingham, Ala., June 7.—A balloon passed east of here at 4 a. m. at a very high altitude, going due south. Despite the bright moonlight the balloon lights were plainly visible. It was apparently one of the balloons that started from Indianapolis Saturday.

Indianapolis, Ind., June 7.—The balloon Hoosier, Captain Baldwin, pilot, came down today at Green Briar, Tenn.

Suspicious Leaks.

Indianapolis, Ind., June 7.—Many are the complaints arising from the disappointed balloonists who have returned here. At 9 a. m. today nothing had been heard from the four balloons that had last been reported flying south, and the contestants who had already returned denied their time between awaiting word from their competitors and complaining over what had happened to themselves.

Much complaint is made about the quality of gas used at Indianapolis, and some of the pilots declare that was the reason for their early landing.

The four balloons which landed first were the Ohio, the Chicago, and the Indianapolis, all entrants in the handicap race, and the Cleveland, one of the championship racers.

"My balloon," said Dr. H. W. Thompson of the Ohio, "has on several occasions carried three passengers with twenty bags of ballast for more than one hundred and fifty miles, but now we go away with two men and four bags of ballast and drop into a potato patch before we are out of sight of the starting point. There's something wrong somewhere."

Messrs. Morgan and Wade of the Cleveland are perplexed. At the hotel Claypool they met Leo Stevens, the builder of the balloon and had a long talk with him.

"There is something very mysterious about this," said Mr. Morgan, "and we intend to have the balloon thoroughly overhauled and careful investigation made. The balloon certainly leaked all the time and while I cannot think, or at least do not want to think, that it was tampered with, there is something very singular about it."

Mr. Stevens said there was no doubt in his mind that a seam in the balloon had been opened before it left the ground.

The balloons from which the enthusiasts were awaiting to hear this morning were: the New York, the Indiana, the St. Louis and the Hoosier. A report from Shelbyville, Tenn., said that the Indiana had descended near there for water and had gone on.