

Moore's Creek Battle Ground Given to U. S. Government

Many Prominent Speakers Attend Formal Presentation To Government. President General of Dr. A. R. Takes Part in Exercises.

Moore's Creek Bridge, Pender Co., Aug. 24.—Upwards of 15,000 people from all sections of North Carolina and many from out of the state gathered here today for the Sesqui-Centennial celebration of the battle of Moore's Creek Bridge...

Elaborate exercises were presented in the crowded pavilion under the direction of the Moore's Creek Battle-ground Association, of which George J. Moore is president...

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Giving a historical background of the battle and section, Judge J. D. Murphy, of Asheville, but formerly a resident of Pender county, welcomed the thousands of visitors...

"To rob the young of hero worship is just as cruel as to wantonly destroy the beautiful myth of Santa Claus," declared Mrs. Brousseau.

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"Truth never has and never will be submerged beneath any halo of romance or the glamor of golden deeds, for ultimately experience teaches life's fine distinctions," she declared.

"North Carolina was the alpha and omega of the American Revolution," Mrs. Brousseau stated in bringing out the historical significance of the Moore's Creek battle...

Telling briefly of the efforts that led to the success in having the site of the first victory of the revolution made into a national park...

Mrs. Brousseau's emphasis upon this year, the 150th anniversary of the Declaration of Independence, as a fitting time to impress upon young people the importance of the great historical events that are now commemorated...

"Now more than ever," she stated, "should they be taught that the preservation of our government and its institutions, and liberty, is the main task of the citizen."

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Charges Dry League



Representative George Holden Takham of Massachusetts demanded that Attorney General Sargent prosecute the Anti-Saloon League for violation of Federal Corrupt Practices Act...

Mrs. Brousseau pleaded for the undivided support of the American government, and assailed members of a so-called intelligentsia who would alter it.

Harking back to the hardship and privation endured by women of the colonies during the revolutionary days she declared we would be renege to the spirit of our mothers...

In conclusion the speaker stated that another revolution would never be necessary in the United States because we shall guard against the only forces that could create it...

Declaring that with the establishment of Moore's Creek Bridge Battle-ground as a national military park...

Mr. Abernethy pointed out that today's ceremonies will mean much to the present and future generations.

"This ceremony today is not pomp, mere show, mere splendor, assured the congressman. There is profound significance in it all."

Plunging into a history of the fight to secure passage of a bill establishing the military park, Mr. Abernethy declared that only through the untiring efforts of the Daughters of the American Revolution...

The first fight started in the North Carolina general assembly, pointed out the congressman, when George J. Moore, president of the association...

After the adoption of a resolution in the general assembly recommending that the federal government convert the battle-ground into a national military park...

At the last congress, Mr. Abernethy said, he introduced the bill in the lower house of congress providing for its establishment...

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LARKHART WINNER OF RACE

Captures 50 and 150 Mile Event Coopers Sets International Record

Charlotte, Aug. 23.—Frank Lockhart today sped his way into the affection of Carolina racing fans when he emerged with the major share of glory in the semi-annual races at the local speedway.

Driving before a gathering of 20,000 people, Lockhart won both the 50 and 150 mile races, the latter being the feature of the day.

Matching Lockhart's daring however, was Earl Cooper's establishment of an international record when he negotiated 25 miles in an average speed of 128.9 miles per hour.

for the injured and dying patriots after the battle.

The state regent pointed out that today is a crowning one, in that it marks the accomplishment of the state of North Carolina and the Daughters of the American Revolution in its labor to have the Moore's Creek Bridge Battle-ground converted into a national park...

Expressing the gratitude of the Daughters of the American Revolution to those who made possible the celebration of the 150th anniversary of the Moore's Creek Bridge Battle-ground...

We are assembled here upon one of the most historic spots not only in North Carolina, but also in America, declared Mrs. Gregory in beginning her address.

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North Carolina's cotton production is exceeded only by Missouri with a condition of 74 per cent.

SHERIFF JACKSON RETURNS

Deposed Sheriff Arrives Here This Morning After An Absence of Few Weeks

Greenville, Aug. 24.—A. C. Jackson, deposed sheriff of Pitt county, arrived in this city early today after an absence of several weeks.

Early in July, during his absence from the city, Jackson was temporarily removed from the office of sheriff by Judge R. A. Nunn on petition of the Pitt County board of commissioners...

When interviewed today, Mr. Jackson stated that it present he had no statement to make for publication. He stated, however, that he would give a full statement to the press within the next few days.

BRAMHAM FAVORS BASEBALL

No Greater Sin Than Going Motoring to Seaside Resorts, Says President League

Raleigh, Aug. 24.—"Personally I am in favor of Sunday baseball," declared W. G. Bramham of Durham, who was in Raleigh Monday for a conference with Judge Jesse M. Watkins on matters concerning the republican party in North Carolina...

"People play golf on Sunday, and nobody kicks they go swimming in pools which charge admission, they frequent all kinds of amusements at seaside resorts; why not baseball?" the mogul asked a reporter.

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Cotton Rise Great

Boon State Farmers

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BLUE LAW FIGHT NOT ABANDONED

Asheville Will Have Sunday Baseball to Be Followed By Trials, Appeals Etc.

Raleigh, Aug. 24.—A game of Sunday baseball expected to be followed by arrests, trials, appeals and what not until the matter has finally gone before the United States Supreme court on the alleged unconstitutionality of the blue laws established, will be played in Asheville within a few weeks...

Mr. Gale branded reports that his organization would give up the fight in North Carolina as false. He told of the plans of the association and of the great things they were just before doing.

In the meantime reports from the mountain city are to the effect that all is quiet along the blue law front and what ripple has been caused by the more spirited waves having to do with wobbly real estate.

COURT TAKES OVER HOOTCH

Will Be in Custody of Department of Justice

Raleigh, Aug. 24.—An order of attachment against the rum runner "Elna" and her cargo of four thousand cases of assorted liquors was signed Monday morning by Judge J. M. Watkins of the United States district court of Eastern North Carolina.

The order removes the boat and the liquor from the custody of the collector of the customs at Wilmington and places it in the custody of R. W. Ward, United States marshal. Marshal Ward will serve the attachment papers Tuesday.

Authority to place three guards in eight hour shifts over the whiskey which is kept in the storage room of the customs house has been asked the department of justice by Marshal Ward.

The attachment is merely a technical move placing the whiskey under the wing of the United States courts pending the trial of the fifteen men seized several months ago when the boat was captured.

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Thousands Jam Streets to See Valentino Dead Body

Wine Deceases at 50



Thirty five years ago James R. Pastelthwait, of Chicago, was unable to enter college—but today he has achieved three degrees: D.D., F.S.D., and M.S.D. He is a train rule operator and studied at home each night.

Wilson, Aug. 24.—Alvester Ayers charged with the murder of his wife Mrs. Martha Ayers, 36, and her father William B. Starling, 62, is being held in the county jail without bond pending the outcome of the coroner's inquest which will be conducted tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock with the examination of a score of witnesses.

The double killing occurred early this morning at the Starling home on Jones street where Ayers and his wife were spending the night and while no motive for the slaying has been advanced by the family, the prisoner contends that his wife's infidelity prompted his actions and that when he attempted to flee from the house her father attacked him and he shot him down.

Ayers and his wife had been married but about six months and have had numerous family disturbances, all of which, according to him, have been caused by her infidelity. Two weeks ago she went with five men and later wired from Danville, Va., for funds with which she might return, he said.

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Rainfall Does Not Deter Throng From Determination to See Cier. Plate Glass Broken in Funeral Parlor. Funeral Services to Be Held Monday.

New York, Aug. 24.—Rudolph Valentino today attracted to his bier such crowds as gather to pay tribute to a dead president or a king.

Thousands of men, women and children throughout the day jammed the streets outside the Broadway funeral parlors where the body of the actor lay in state, following his death yesterday at the height of a meteoric career which lifted him from an humble position to stardom as the original movie shik.

A rainfall that set in shortly after noon did not deter the milling crowd in its determination to view the body of its dead idol. Women wearing fashionable clothes vied with poorly dressed women of the tenement districts in the struggle to gain advantageous position to be among the first to view the body.

By 4 o'clock, the time set for the opening of the funeral parlor doors to the public, more than 12,000 persons were gathered on the damp streets outside.

Shortly before the doors were to be opened, a large plate glass window of the funeral parlor was crashed by the on surging ranks. Three women were cut when they were shoved through the gap of jagged glass and another woman was injured under the hoofs of a policeman's horse and several fainting in the scrambling mass of humanity.

Many other persons were injured in the rush that marked the opening of the doors. Some of them were taken to hospitals, but most of them suffered only minor injuries and were given emergency treatment. During the rush a second plate glass window was broken, injuring several more.

In the confusion men and women tore at one another, with their hands, kicked with their feet and even attempted to climb to the shoulders of others.

Before the doors of the funeral parlors were opened all pieces of statuary, paintings and bric a brac were removed from the lower floors of the establishment.

Valentino alive never drew such a crowd as did Valentino dead. Some of the women wept as they waited hours in the street.

While the crowd stood outside, the actor's body was placed in a simple silver bronzed casket in the ornate gold room of the funeral parlors. The coffin was surrounded by yellow gardenias and surmounted by a single red rose. The body was dressed in formal evening attire.

The body was to lie in state until midnight tonight.

Thereafter the public was to be allowed to view the body tomorrow and Thursday from 9 a. m. to midnight.

Funeral services will be held at 10 o'clock Monday morning in St. Malachy's church, Father Edward F. Leonard, who heard Valentino's confession before he died, will officiate.

After the funeral the body will be placed in a reception vault in Woodlawn cemetery, unless Alberto Guglielmi, the actor's brother who is on his way to New York from Paris, has arrived by that time. He is to decide the place of burial.

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Advertisement for Dan Coleman's cleaning service. Text includes: 'THINGS THAT MAKE YOU SORE', 'TO HAVE TO CLEAN OUT THE CAR BEFORE STARTING FOR HOME', 'DAN COLEMAN', 'MAKES A CLEANER', 'I NEVER READ IN BLENDED THINGS ANYTHING AS PUNGENT AS TO HAVE TO CLEAN 'EM OUT'.

KILLS WIFE AND FATHER-IN-LAW

Young Wilson Man Says Wife Better off Dead Than Living in Infidelity

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Good Tobacco on Whiteville Floors

Whiteville, Aug. 24.—Over half a million pounds of tobacco sold on the Whiteville market in the first two days of this week have averaged slightly below 30 cents. Monday's sales brought an average of 30.51 for over a quarter of a million pounds, while today the average was only a little below 30 cents.

Prices for all grades of the weed are holding well above last year's averages and are responding well to the better grades of tobacco.

Supt. W. A. McAdams of the Municipal Water and Light Department, returned Wednesday night from Wilmington and Wrightsville Beach, where he attended the annual meeting of the North Carolina section of American Water Works Association.

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