THOUSANDS FIND ENJOYMENT ON EXCURSIONS ACROSS THE BAY

CROWNS AWAIT MIDGET RULERS

Rose City Surrenders to Juvenile Sovereigns To-Day.

Carnival Visitors Will See Magnificent Display of Flowers.

Special Dispatch to The Call.

SANTA ROSA, May 30.—The juvenile floral carnival, which will be held in this city to-morrow, bids fair to eclipse any juvenile entertainment ever before attempted in this State. Every one is on the qui vive for the dawn of the day which will usher in the gentle rule of King Marshall and Queen Helen, and a gala occasion is in anticipation by the children and their elders. Excursion rates have been granted over the California Northwestern Railroad, and large crowds are expected from the outside. The tickets will be good to return until Monday, thus giving the visitors the benefit of a couple of days' rest and recreation.

The royal float upon which the king and queen will ride to the coronation will be a magnificent creation from a decorative standpoint. It will be drawn by a number of pages clad in pure white, and after the coronation will take part in the floral parade of the day. These pages are Comfort Haven, Jack Sibbald, Howard Brush, Ralph Spencer, Jack Bettincourt and Fred Stewart.

The affair is under the auspices of the Woman's Improvement Club, which has worked faithfully in preparing an elaborate scheme of entertainment. The coronation of the youthful monarchs will take place at 11 o'clock, and will be followed immediately by the floral parade. Miniature vehicles handsomely decorated, gayly caparisoned ponies and bicycles and tricycles supporting unique devices will be in line. More than fifty entries have been recorded in the bicycle class, and it will prove difficult for the judges to make a selection in the awarding of prizes. A number of floats have been arranged by the juveniles.

After the floral parade the royal couple, surrounded by their court and pages, will view many pretty dances and drills arranged for their entertainment. In the evening a ball will be given in the large pavilion in the park. The grand march will be led by the midget king and queen. The pavilion and park have been elaborately decorated.

FINDS SEPULCHER OF ANCIENT RACE

Prospector's Strange Discovery on Prince William Sound.

Cavern Contains Fourteen Canoes, Each Holding a Mummified Corpse.

Special Dispatch to The Call.

TACOMA, May 30.—A remarkable discovery has been made on the shores of Prince William Sound. While a prospector named Leeds was out with a party of natives looking for mineral he came to the entrance of a large cave, almost concealed from view. Leeds entered the cavern and was astonished to find there fourteen wooden canoes, each containing a mummified corpse. Stone implements were found beside the bodies and stone slabs covered the canoes, everything indicating that the bodies had been placed there during the stone age.

The find was as big a mystery to the natives as to the white man. Their tribe has been on the shores of Prince William Sound for a period so remote that their traditions do not run back to the time of its advent there, yet they have had no knowledge of the cave or of the character of people who are interred there. Nor do the present natives use stone implements.

Leeds did not disturb the bodies, but carefully marked the site of the cave and after prospecting returned to Valdez. An expedition is being organized, headed by Captain Story of the Alaska Packers' Association, to make a thorough exploration of the cavern and the remains that repose therein.

UNITED STATES OFFICER WILL INSTRUCT CUBANS

WASHINGTON, May 30.—The last official orders issued by the United States military authorities in Cuba have just reached Washington. They detach Captain D. E. Aultman from duty with the coast artillery, especially commending him for his services in organizing and raising it to such a high standard of efficiency.

The same officer is then by request of President Palma detailed on special duty as instructor with the "cuerpo de artilleria," or newly organized Cuban army corps.

TROOPS MARCH THROUGH STREETS OF CITY.

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members of the Grand Army who were left to shower honors upon the graves of their departed comrades, and prayed that all those present might be left in the land of the living to participate in the ceremonies of the next Memorial day. He thanked God that so many of the "heroes of '61" were still able to give honor to the dead, and prayed fervently that they and their successors might be granted many years of life in which to preserve the great and glorious Union the men whose graves they decorated had died to keep intact.

John D. Gish, chaplain of the Sons of Veterans, read the "Speech of Lincoln at Gettysburg," and Clara Bell Brown read an appropriate original poem, entitled "Heroes Then and Now." A class of fifty boys and girls from the James Lick Grammar School sang in a feeling manner "The Nation's Dead"; and the Knickerbocker Quartet sang "Rest, Peaceful, Rest" and the "Heroes Who Sleep." A squad from Company D, First Infantry, National Guard of California, fired a volley over the graves and Bugler Archie Block sounded taps. Duncan E. McKinlay delivered the oration of the day. He spoke in part as follows:

On this morning, in every part of our land, flags are fluttering at half mast; children are gathering into eager groups before the school house doors under the guardianship of patriotic teachers; business men have forsaken their stores, banks and factories; the mechanics and laborers have ceased their labors for a time; the youths and maidens, the matrons and the heads of families, the old and the young are participating in processions wending their ways toward the silent cities of the dead. Each and all bear with them some token of affectionate regard, some tribute of love and remembrance, in the form of nature's richness the wealth of spring—for to-day is our national Memorial day.

People of every creed and every faith, of every previous nationality and every clime, of every shade of political opinion and belief, may join together upon the broad level of American patriotism, and, side by side, keep solemn step to the dirges of mourning as they press onward with hearts filled with loving thoughts, grateful sentiments and noble and patriotic impulses, bearing their offerings to decorate and beautify the last sad resting places of the loved and lost of days gone by.

It is a beautiful and noble ceremonial, this American custom of decorating the graves of the departed on a holiday appointed by the supreme authority of the nation. For a time the minds and the thoughts of the participators are raised above the sordid desires and cravings of our far too strenuous form of living, and we are taught the great lesson of human equality, for all who lie beneath these grassy mounds in eternal sleep are equal.

To-day we remember the great revolution, when three millions of colonists, scattered over a sparsely settled territory extending from Maine to Florida, along a little fringe of civilization, the edge of an unbroken wilderness, dared to defy the powerful mother country, and ring out the tocsin of liberty and equality; dared to proclaim to a listening world the glad tidings of the birth of a new nation whose foundations were laid in righteousness and truth.

In 1812, by the valor of our soldiers and sailors and the splendid statesmanship of our rulers, the United States won recognition from all the world as an international power; and we set at naught the decrees of Napoleon promulgated at Berlin and Milan, and the Order of Council issued from the star chamber of England, and by a series of brilliant victories on land and sea won immunity from search of American ships and respect for the rights of sailors under the American flag.

In the Mexican war, entered into to preserve the liberties and independence of American citizens in Texas, our flag swept out beyond the borders of our own land, nor stopped nor stayed its onward march of conquest until all the territory from the Rio Grande to the capital of Mexico acknowledged its supremacy and it floated in triumph over the ancient palaces of the Montezumas.

Then the black shadow of the tragedy of our history passed over the fair face of the land and obscured the brightness of our country's splendor. Eleven Southern States, containing eight millions of people, nearly one-third of the population of the entire Union, were swept into insurrection against the Government and antagonism to the country's flag.

Of the heroes of the supreme tragedy of our country's life, the four years of blood and carnage which shook to the very center of the firm foundations upon which our nation is builded, forget not one. And as we reverently lay our garlands and our wreaths upon the monuments and mounds around us, our thoughts carry us beyond the shores of time and we behold even as with earthly vision, the magnificent host mustering again in the effulgence of eternity.

The societies that took part in the ceremonies at the Odd Fellows' Cemetery were the following: Grand Army Posts Lincoln, James A. Garfield, Colonel Cass and General George G. Meade.

In the absence of Edward S. Salomon, past grand commander of the Grand Army of the Republic, Major Hugh T. Sime acted as master of ceremonies.

EVENING SERVICES.

The evening memorial exercises took place last night at Metropolitan Temple on Fifth street at 8 o'clock. The temple was packed to the doors when Comrade G. W. Arbuckle began his address of welcome.

The speech by the Mayor was full of feeling, and the orator of the evening, Samuel M. Shortridge, carried his listeners with him for over an hour. The programme was as follows:

Overture, "American National Airs" (Theo. Moses), Roncovieri's Orchestra; remarks by chairman of the evening, Comrade G. W. Arbuckle; invocation, Rev. J. A. B. Wilson; vocal, "To Thee, O Country," California Quartet—C. L. Goetting (first tenor), W. E. Smith (second tenor), C. L. Gage (bass), C. L. Parent (second bass); remarks, Hon. Eugene E. Schmitz; contralto solo, "My Flag" (Roeckel), Miss Elena Roeckel, words by Madge Wallace; "Lincoln's Gettysburg Address," Comrade Joseph G. Crawford, M. D.; vocal solo, "Star-spangled Banner" (Key), Miss Minnie Hussey, orchestra accompaniment; oration, Hon. Samuel M. Shortridge; vocal duet, "Mother, Can This the Glory Be?" (Stephen Glover), Mrs. R. E. Partington and Miss Minnie Hussey; music, (a) "Old Flag Forever" (Leila France), (b) "American Citizen's March" (Schmitz), orchestra; vocal, "Freedom, Home and Native Land" (Adams), California Quartet.

The services concluded with the singing of "My Country, 'Tis of Thee" by the entire audience.

YOUTH AND OLD AGE UNITED AT HEROES' GRAVES

Youth and old age united at the National Cemetery at the Presidio yesterday to do honor to the memory of those who in defense of the Stars and Stripes gave up their lives. Youth was represented by the soldiers stationed at the Presidio—while the members of the George H. Thomas Post of the Grand Army of the Republic were the men upon whom rest the marks of age.

At the cemetery large crowds congregated to decorate the graves of those who fell in defense of the flag. Fathers, brothers, sisters, mothers and friends of the soldier dead visited the last resting place of the boy in blue. When at 12 m. the national salute of 21 guns was fired there was not a grave in the silent city not decorated. Following the salute came the rendering of "Nearer, My God, to Thee" by the artillery band. Then John H. Roberts of George H. Thomas Post, who acted as chairman of the day, spoke for several minutes, reminding the veterans of the two wars of the sacredness of the day and of the necessity of the continuance of the yearly tribute paid to the men who gave up their lives to enhance the glory of the flag. Rev. W. W. Case delivered the invocation, and the California Quartet rendered appropriate music. The orator of the day, Hon. A. J. Buckles, Superior Judge of Solano County, followed with an eloquent eulogy in which he spoke of the loss in numbers of the Grand Army since the last memorial day celebration, and called upon the younger men to "see to it that the brave spirits who in defense of the flag had braved the dangers of a foreign land, and carried the banner of freedom to victory" were not forgotten.

TROOPS FIRE VOLLEY.

The exercises at the Presidio closed with the firing of a volley over the graves by a detachment of United States troops and the sounding of taps by the army buglers. The programme at the Presidio Cemetery was as follows:

Music, United States Army Band; remarks by chairman of the day, Comrade John H. Roberts; invocation, Rev. W. W. Case; vocal, "All Honor to the Soldiers" (Boieldieu), California Quartet; "Lincoln's Gettysburg Address," Comrade Selden Sturges; music, selection, United States Army Band; oration, Comrade A. J. Buckles; vocal, "Peace, Be Still" (Macy), California Quartet; music, selection, United States Army Band; "Star-spangled Banner," United States Army Band; taps, bugler United States army.

At the conclusion of the services at the National Cemetery, Colonel Oscar F. Long Garrison, No. 101, Regular Army and Navy Union, held special services at its monument at the northern end of the military reservation.

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GATHERING OF THE CLANS FOR A DAY OF PLEASURE

Annual Games of Caledonian Club at Shell Mound Park a Success in Every Respect.

SOME BONNIE SCOTCHMEN AND A FEW OF THEIR INVITED GUESTS, WHO DANCED REELS, FLINGS, TWO-STEPS AND OTHER THINGS AT THE ANNUAL PICNIC OF THE CALEDONIANS YESTERDAY. THE SKETCHES ARE THE IMPRESSIONS OF A CARTOONIST OF THE CALL.

THE thirty-sixth annual gathering and games of the Caledonian Club, held at Shell Mound Park yesterday, were successful, both financially and otherwise. It was roughly estimated that fully 8000 people were on the grounds, and from the general expressions heard they all thoroughly enjoyed themselves. The weather was perfect and everything tended to a most enjoyable outing.

A large number of enthusiasts from a distance were present. Among them was a delegation of more than fifty from Sacramento, including ex-Chiefs John Morrison, James McCaw, Tom Scott, H. K. McLellan and D. D. McRae of the Caledonian Club of that city; David Hanna of Germantown, Glenn County, and Robert McQuarrie of Vallejo.

Among the guests of the club from the city were Judges Carroll Cook, Hunt, Mogan and Cabaniss; former Judge Belcher; Rev. Fathers Grant and Praught, Gavin McNab, Jimmie Britt, Assistant District Attorney Greeley and Chief Deputy Coroner P. J. McCormick.

A pleasing feature of the outing was the presence of Mayor Schmitz, accompanied by his wife. They seemed to thoroughly appreciate the dancing by girls and boys in Highland costume and the other events. They were escorted to the pavilion by ex-Chiefs D. R. McNeill, Angus McLeod and John F. Kennedy, and as they entered the band played "Hail to the Chief."

MAYOR SCHMITZ SPEAKS.

There were loud cries for a speech, and the Mayor laughingly complied. He said he had heard a great deal of the hospitality of the Scotch people in their native land, and although he had not had the pleasure of visiting "the land o' cakes," he was satisfied from his experience on the picnic ground that the term "genuine Highland hospitality" could be ungrudgingly bestowed upon the Scotchmen residents in San Francisco. He expressed himself as delighted with what he had seen and concluded by paying a compliment to the officers of the club. His remarks were greeted with loud cheers.

Mayor Schmitz and his wife sat on the steps of the dancing pavilion, and behind them in a group were the officers of the club, boys and girls and men in Highland costume, while a photograph was taken.

All the events, forty in number, were keenly contested. Most interest was evinced in the bagpipe competition for a $200 gold medal. There were only four contestants, several who had entered not making their appearance. The judges, who were in a tent so that they could not see the contestants, were John Morrison and D. D. McRae of Sacramento and James A. McKay. The competitors had to play pibrochs, marches, reels and strathspeys. The first prize was awarded to Ed Ross, the second to Adam Ross and the third to W. Ranwick.

MANY PRIZES FOR CAMPBELL.

In the athletic events D. R. Campbell, the big policeman, carried off the honors. He won the first prize in each event, including throwing the heavy hammer, throwing the light hammer, putting the heavy stone, putting the light stone and tossing the caber. In throwing the light hammer he beat the record at the Caledonian games, his score being 142 feet 2 inches. In Highland dancing for men Ed Ross carried off all the first prizes.

One of the prettiest sights at the games was the dancing by boys and girls in Highland costume. There were about sixty of them on the platform at a time, about double the number at any previous gathering, and they all tripped it with a vim, most of them showing grace and charm in their movements that called forth loud applause.

The tug of war between the married and single men aroused great interest. The captain of the married men was William Mitchell, and the captain of the single men was J. E. MacCormac. After an exciting pull the married men won. The winning team was composed of D. R. Campbell, anchor; D. McFarlane, Roy Hofman, William Morgan, Peter Mannan, J. J. Cameron, James Cameron and Allan McKinnon.

Chief A. M. McPherson superintended the games, and was ably assisted by Charles A. McPhee, the official starter; William Mitchell, announcer; Neil Lindsay, Adam Ross and Ed Ross, pipers; ex-Chief Angus McLeod and the other officers of the club—F. F. Finlay, James H. Duncan, J. W. Cameron and Dr. J. A. J. McDonald. First Chieftain J. A. McLeod won universal praise for his efficient management of the refreshment tent, where with the help of several members of the club he dispensed generous hospitality to the guests.

Dancing was kept up in the pavilion from 11 a. m. till 8 p. m., and the floor was crowded all the time. The music was supplied by Fairgrieve's band. The dancing was superintended by Frank Macdonald, Charles Macdonald, Gus McIntyre, Walter Reed, Joseph J. McKinnon, Ray Elder and George McDonald.

LIST OF THE WINNERS.

Following are the results of the different events, the winners being in the order named:

Quoits—James Toman, Robert Jardine, Alec Strang.

Throwing heavy hammer, for members and of sister societies—W. Morgan, 85 feet 2 inches; D. W. Dow, 82 feet 2 inches; W. P. Grant, 77 feet.

Throwing light hammer, for members and of sister societies—W. Morgan, 106 feet; W. P. Grant, 98 feet 7 inches; D. W. Dow, 95 feet 4 inches.

Putting heavy stone, for members and of sister societies—D. W. Dow, 28 feet 4 inches; L. Smith, 27 feet 11 inches; W. Morgan, 27 feet 9 inches.

Putting light stone, for members and of sister societies—D. W. Dow, 36 feet 4 inches; J. A. Cameron, 34 feet 3 inches; L. Smith, 33 feet 7 inches.

Race for sons of members and of Scottish societies—Tom Carrol, Charles Beck, J. McCaw.

Handicap race for sons of members and of Scottish societies—Ed Jones, Will Beck, Thomas Scott.

Handicap race for daughters of members and of Scottish societies—Eva McFarland, Sophie Gilbert, Jessie Mundell.

Vaulting with pole for sons of members and of Scottish societies—J. McCaw, T. Carrol, W. McIntyre.

Best dressed men in plain Highland costume—John Morrison, Adam Ross, Alex McCaw.

Best dressed men in full Highland costume—Neil Lindsay, Hugh Fraser, D. D. McRae.

Best dressed boys in full Highland costume—Prosper Forrest, J. McCaw, Robert Campbell.

Grand Highland reel—Ed Ross, Robert Ross, Adam Ross.

Race for men—M. W. Beck, G. Harris, R. E. Cochran.

Throwing heavy hammer—D. R. Campbell, 118 feet 10 inches; J. J. Cameron, 110 feet 6 inches; T. Carrol, 106 feet 8 inches.

Throwing light hammer—D. R. Campbell, 142 feet 2 inches; J. J. Cameron, 128 feet 9 inches; T. Carrol, 126 feet.

Running hop, step and jump—R. E. Cochran, 40 feet 11 inches; J. Murphy, 40 feet 5 inches; A. McCaw, 35 feet 3 inches.

Putting heavy stone—D. R. Campbell, 34 feet 10 inches; T. Carrol, 33 feet 2 inches; J. J. Cameron, 29 feet 9 inches.

Putting light stone—D. R. Campbell, 44 feet; T. Carrol, 42 feet 9 inches; J. A. Cameron, 31 feet 7 inches.

Hurdle race—M. W. Beck, R. E. Cochran, J. Kelly.

Highland fling—Ed Ross, Adam Ross, W. Ranwick.

Highland fling, lads and lassies in costume—Bessie Allan, Virginia Schulze, Rose McDonald.

Sword dance—Ed Ross, Alex McCaw, Adam Ross.

Bagpipe playing—Ed Ross, Adam Ross, W. Ranwick.

Running jump—M. W. Beck, R. E. Cochran, J. Murphy.

Vaulting with the pole—J. E. Murphy, Cosbie and McCaw tie.

Reel o' Tulloch—Adam Ross, Ed Ross, Alex McCaw.

Ladies' race—Mabel Coady, Mamie Alvin, E. Madison.

Scottish reel—J. A. McLoud, J. J. Cameron, J. A. Cameron, Alex McDonald.

Race for members of Caledonian Club—D. R. Campbell, M. W. Beck, W. M. Morgan.

Running high leap—M. W. Beck, J. Murphy, McBane.

Hitch and kick—J. E. Murphy, J. Sexsmith, W. P. Grant.

Sack race—Dok Ahern, W. Beck, R. McAllister.

Sword dance—Lads and lassies in costume—Bessie Allan, Virginia Schulze, Prosper Forrest.

Long race for men—A. Jellinski, W. Kelly, R. H. Murray.

Boys' handicap race—W. Beck, J. Murphy, Ed Jones.

Tossing the caber—D. R. Campbell, 35 feet 9 inches; J. J. Cameron, 35 feet 6 inches; J. A. Cameron, 32 feet 8 inches.

Tug of war, married and single men—Married men won.

RAILROAD MEN HAVE OUTING.

Southern Pacific Freight Office Employes Picnic at Niles.

The employes of the local freight office of the Southern Pacific Company held their ninth annual outing yesterday at Fernbrook Park, Niles Canyon. Three excursion trains ran to the picnic grounds, carrying more than 2500 people.

Games were held early in the day. There were races for boys and for girls under 10, for boys under 15, for office employes, for wives of office employes and a lighted candle race for young women.

In the office race, Harry Cahalan won first place, James Miller second, E. N. Merguire third and Irvy Hardy fourth. In the office married men's race first prize was won by Edward Cooney, second by F. Schillingford, third by Melville Cleaves and fourth by Eugene Ayers.

The pavilion was the center of attraction throughout the day. Dancing was enjoyed by hundreds of couples whenever the band played, and the band played with very short intermissions from the time of the arrival of the trains until nearly time for the departure of the last one at 6 o'clock.

The following committees had charge:

Committee of arrangements—S. R. Chappel, honorary chairman; W. J. Hardy, chairman; L. H. Fortune, manager of affairs; John Edwards, L. E. Myers, H. T. Cripps, A. J. Kasten, J. P. Freeland, G. J. Strong, A. W. Marshel, R. V. McAllister, C. L. Herbst, C. A. Muller.

Reception committee—J. C. Kindelon, chairman; F. B. Freeman, F. G. Law, C. A. Jackson, R. Brown, H. B. Partridge, R. B. Cameron, T. E. J. Gardner, E. N. Merguire, E. R. Ayers, W. A. Bates, H. M. Cordelie, H. J. Senter, R. W. Dodd, C. F. Butte, E. R. Harnett, A. C. Gardner, W. H. Barton, R. A. Lennon.

Games committee—A. E. Pinching, chairman; G. H. Brackett, G. W. Dean, A. L. Fuller, J. B. Miller, John O'Malley, C. W. Jennings, W. J. Swarts, W. L. Frier, R. Christy.

Floor committee—H. A. Cahalan, floor manager; aids—F. P. Scully, G. L. Blackwell, F. J. Antony, C. A. Arnold, C. E. Crew, J. E. Murray, G. H. Galbraith, C. B. Dennis.

FORESTERS' ANNUAL OUTING.

Lodge Enjoys Day of Recreation and Sports at Schuetzen.

The Foresters held their twenty-eighth annual reunion and picnic yesterday at Schuetzen Park, San Rafael.

The Juvenile Foresters as well as the A. O. F. and C. O. F. enjoyed the day.

A large crowd made merry at games and dancing. There were sixty-four gate prizes and as many more game and Tombola prizes.

The distribution of prizes will take place at a dance to be given Wednesday evening, June 11, at Social Hall, 152 O'Farrell street.

The officers of the lodge are: S. J. Severance, president; M. Boepple, vice president; M. Boehm, secretary; F. Beutler, treasurer; George Monck, sergeant-at-arms. The following committees were in charge yesterday:

Reception committee—J. Falconer (chairman), Mrs. B. Scott, Mrs. A. Boehm, Mrs. M. E. Falconer, Mrs. M. Anderson, Mrs. Mosher, Mrs. V. McNorton, Mrs. A. Senne, A. Cairns, J. Horwood, A. O. Clark, H. Howe, A. Buckley.

Tombola committee—S. J. Severance (chairman), Mrs. Redtshler, Mrs. Portis, Mrs. K. M. Howard, Mrs. M. Holmes, Mrs. F. N. Corwin, Mrs. L. Severance, Mrs. E. Borneman, Mrs. Charplot, George W. Corwin, Mrs. A. O. Clark, Mrs. Fuetscher, Mrs. C. Buckley.

Games committee—J. Bowen (chairman), J. Horwood, G. M. Scott, H. Howe, M. Boepple.

Floor manager—George Monck; assistant managers, George Friedemann, H. Lemser.

Floor committee—M. Boepple, A. Cairns, H. B. B. Chapman, G. A. Hansen, R. C. Barretto, M. Fuetscher, Miss May Falconer, Mrs. C. Buckley, Mrs. L. Severance, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. H. Gingles.

BRITISH CHEER THEIR MONARCH

Birthday of King Edward Celebrated in England.

Irish Guards Are Honored at "Trooping of the Colors."

LONDON, May 30.—The birthday of King Edward, who was born November 9, 1841, was officially celebrated to-day, it having been decided, as announced in the official gazette April 15, that his Majesty's natal day was to be celebrated in London and on the home stations May 30, as being the most suitable to make a military display. On the other hand, foreign stations will celebrate it November 9, the actual anniversary of his birth.

General interest in the celebration was apparently not seriously diminished by the expectations of the greater series of events surrounding the coronation. The towns throughout the kingdom were gayly decorated and the shipping at the various ports made the gayest displays of bunting. The day was observed at all the home military and naval headquarters with parades and salutes.

The chief celebration was the ceremony of "trooping the colors" at the Horse Guards here and the presentation of colors to the new Irish Guards. Stands covered with crimson cloth were erected on three sides of the parade grounds and were occupied by thousands of privileged spectators, including the United States Embassador, Joseph H. Choate, and Mrs. Choate, and the secretary of the United States embassy, Henry White. Thousands of other persons were grouped closely around the lines of sentries. The troops taking part in the ceremonies were battalions of the Irish Guards, Grenadier Guards, Scots Guards and detachments of the Life Guards.

Tremendous cheering greeted the appearance of the King and his brilliant escort, which included many notabilities. His Majesty, who rode between the Prince of Wales and the Duke of Connaught, wore the uniform of a colonel of the Irish Guards. Lord Roberts, the commander in chief of the forces, who led the procession, also wore the uniform of colonel of the Irish Guards. Queen Alexandra and other members of the royal family viewed the scene from the windows of the Horse Guards. The crowds present bared their heads while his Majesty proceeded to the saluting point.

After an inspection of the line of troops and the presentation of the colors the ceremonies ended with a review of all the troops on the ground. The King during the afternoon presented colors to the King's Company of the Grenadier Guards. The weather was wet and raw.

King Edward invested the Duke of Marlborough and the Duke of Bedford with the insignia of the Order of the Garter at Buckingham Palace this afternoon. The ceremony was more imposing than any similar event which had occurred for years, it being the King's intention to revive all the old-time pomp which formerly distinguished the ceremonies connected with this order. A notable company of Knights of the Garter, including the Prince of Wales, the Duke of Connaught, the Marquis of Salisbury, the Marquis of Londonderry and the Duke of Norfolk, attended.

There is no truth in the report published in the United States that the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, will resign after the coronation, owing to the persistence of the Colonial Secretary, Joseph Chamberlain, in retention of the grain tax as preliminary to his zollverein scheme.

Woodland's Services Impressive.

WOODLAND, May 30.—The Decoration day ceremonies here were very impressive and largely attended. Rev. C. E. Winning delivered an eloquent address.

KAISER GIVES COOL GREETING

German Ruler Talks to American Naval Attache Potts.

Shah of Persia Witnesses Parade of the Berlin Garrisons.

BERLIN, May 30.—Lieutenant Commander Templin M. Potts, U. S. N., who is to succeed Commander William H. Beehler as naval attache of the United States October 1 next, was presented to Emperor William to-day in the courtyard of the castle. Lieutenant Commander Potts, who was in uniform, was directed to wait until his Majesty returned from the spring parade of the Berlin and Potsdam garrisons on the Templehof field, and then, after the ceremony of "trooping the colors," Captain von Grumme presented the lieutenant commander to the Emeperor, who was on horseback.

With the lieutenant commander standing by the side of his horse Emperor William and the naval officer conversed for about ten minutes, his Majesty questioning the future naval attache with great rapidity as to where he was born, had he ever been in Germany before, where he had served, etc., eliciting almost a complete autobiography of the naval officer.

The Emperor finally said he was glad Lieutenant Commander Potts had come to Berlin, and thus closed an informal audience.

At the annual spring parade of the garrisons of the Berlin military district the Shah of Persia was present in an open carriage drawn by four horses, and the Crown Prince of Siam attended on horseback. Emperor William led the Second Regiment of the Guards past the Shah, who acknowledged the compliment by standing up in his carriage.

The parade was unusually interesting this year. Thirty thousand troops, twice the usual number, took part in it for the edification of the Shah, who divided with Emperor William the attentions of the crowd. The Templehof field was bright with the red, blue, yellow and white of the different regiments and looked like a vast tulip bed, amid which sparkled countless points of light from bayonets, lanceheads, helmets and cuirasses.

Services in the Rose City.

SANTA ROSA, May 30.—Memorial day services in this city were largely attended to-day. Many veterans turned out with Ellsworth Post, Grand Army of the Republic, and marched to the cemetery. Accompanying the veterans were the ladies of Ellsworth Circle and the Relief Corps and a large number of school children. The latter carried bouquets of flowers and miniature flags and assisted in decorating the graves of veterans at Rural Cemetery. The members of the post marched from their hall to the Athenaeum, where the literary programme was rendered. At the Athenaeum Post Commander G. R. Camp presided and made a short address. Miss Lottie Murdock rendered "The Star-Spangled Banner," and Hon. T. B. Hutchinson of Napa, the orator of the day, was introduced. Mr. Hutchinson delivered an eloquent address, referring feelingly to the departed comrades and to the rapidly thinning ranks of those who still trod life's brief span. After the exercises the line of march was again formed, and under the leadership of Major Louis W. Juilliard, grand marshal, the procession wended its way to the cemetery.

Two Towns Hold Union Services.

MONTEREY, May 30.—Memorial day was observed here by the Grand Army posts of this place and Pacific Grove jointly. The graves of soldiers on the military reservation were decorated and exercises suitable to the day were held. A large number of veterans took part in the ceremonies.

KNIGHTS OF HONOR PICNIC.

Large Gathering of Members and Friends at Camp Taylor.

The picnic of the Knights of Honor at Camp Taylor yesterday was attended by about 1400 people. The day was perfect, the country at its best and the outing an enjoyable one. The excursionists distributed themselves under the trees to partake of lunch before going to the pavilion, which was gayly decorated with the colors of the order, tricolored stars and American shields, each bearing the name of one of the local lodges, to enjoy the dancing. After the distribution of the gate prizes came the games and races.

The winners of the athletic events were:

Boys' race—Paul Noble first, Milton Bernard second, Charles Legunec third.

Girls' race—Lottie Marshall first, Florence Bland second, Julie Knox third.

Professional race—Fred Clayton first, Ned Hogan second, Abe Label third.

Young ladies' race—Loretta Archibald first, Alma Warmholz second, Una Knox third.

Young men's race—W. E. Trefts first, W. Sullivan second, James O'Brien third.

Knights of Honor race—J. Stewart first, Mark Roth second, L. Jennings third.

Race for members' wives—Mrs. Pearl Wilt first, Mrs. A. Doggie second, Mrs. N. Trempie third.

Marked shoe race—Thomas Greeley first, F. Peltz second, R. Noble third.

Fat men's race—W. J. Langstaff first, J. C. Garbarino second, T. Rodgers third.

Three-legged race—H. Braden and George Bigley first, Abe Label and Louis Cohn second.

Fat ladies' race—Mrs. Pearl Wilt first, Mrs. N. Trempie second, Mrs. Sadie Smith third.

Standing jump—E. L. Wolfe first, James Johnson second.

Broad jump—Robert Emmett first, R. McDonald second.

Married ladies' race—Mrs. W. Tiernan first, Mrs. C. Widemann second, Mrs. N. Loggie third.

The officers who had charge of the outing were: B. E. George, chairman of the general committee; Thomas Billingslea, secretary; R. A. A. Summers, treasurer; Ben I. Solomon, chairman of the executive committee; James A. Johnson, chairman of the games committee; W. J. Langstaff, chairman of the prize committee, and C. H. Holcomb, chairman of the press committee.

EXCURSION TO GLEN ELLEN.

Parishioners of Holy Cross Church Spend an Enjoyable Day.

More than 2500 people journeyed to Glen Ellen yesterday to participate in the fifteenth annual parish picnic of Holy Cross Church. The outings of the parishioners have always been highly successful, but this year's affair eclipsed them all, both in point of attendance and in the enjoyment afforded the pleasure seekers. It required two trains of fourteen cars each to carry the crowds. Rev. Father McGinty, pastor of the church, was ubiquitous in his attentions to the comfort of his flock, and not a single unpleasant feature marred the success of the outing. Lunch baskets were largely in evidence and dancing and games contributed to the pleasure of the day. The following committees had the affair in charge:

General—A. Pettee (chairman), James Sullivan, A. Mohun, Birt Hunt, W. Enright, F. McHugh, Charles Casassa, F. Kennedy, Arthur McGinty, Thomas Curran, James Denely, Thomas Snead, L. Carroll, M. Carroll, P. Spotswood, Rev. Fathers McGinty, Sampson and Ryan.

Prize and Game—Frank Kennedy, A. Mohun, Thomas Curran, Thomas Snead.

Floor—Manager, James Denely; first assistant, Birt Hunt; assistants—Frank Kennedy, Alex Pettee, A. Mohun, James Laydon, W. Enright, Thomas Snead.

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