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Our great WHITE GOODS SALE will be continued this week. In its Linen 10c, worth 15c; India Linen 15c, worth 25c; Victoria Lawns at 25, 30, 40c and 50c, worth fully 50 per cent. more.

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36-inch 6-foot Dado Fringed Shades, 6c. Full line of Curtains and Curtain Net at correct prices. 40-inch Lace Stripe and Fancy Colored Strains, worth 15c, for 10c per yard. On Saturday last we received a magnificent line of

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And this week we have put them on sale at very low prices. As to how and where we got them that is our business. In this lot of gloves we shall offer for **This Week Only!** 150 dozen ladies' 5 and 7-button French kid gloves, in pinks, creams, pearl white, and other opera shades, in all sizes, for 35c per pair. They are worth at least \$1.50. 50 dozen ladies' silk mitts and silk gloves, in black, white, cream, tans and opera shades, worth \$1.00, for 65c per pair. Misses' and children's silk mitts at correct prices!

Laces. Laces.

Grand mark down sale this week! 45-inch black Spanish silk guipure lace flouncings, worth \$3.00 for \$2.00; another lot worth \$2.00 for \$1.00; another lot worth \$5.50 for \$4.00. Also, full line of 27-inch Spanish guipure all-over lace from \$1.25 to \$5.00 per yard. White and cream laces in great profusion at correct prices.

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HOOD'S BRIGADE.

A Grand Gathering of Confederate Veterans—The Annual Re-Union of Hood's Brigade.

Governor Ross Welcomes the Soldier Boys and Pays a Tribute to the Bravery of the Brigade.

Congressmen Sayers and Martin and Ex-Governor Lubbock Follow in Very Appropriate Speeches.

Special to the Gazette.
AUSTIN, TEX., June 27.—The day though warm was partly cloudy, which made it just pleasant for Hood's Brigade reunion. Many of the members had arrived last night, and this morning a number came in on the morning train. In the forenoon the survivors met in the representative hall, after which they took a carriage and accompanied by many hundreds of people from the city, including ladies and citizens, proceeded to Barton's Springs, a beautiful grove south of the river two miles distant. Thither went hundreds of buggies and carriages and by 1 o'clock several thousand people had congregated in the shade of the magnificent oak and pecan trees, whose foliage shimmered in the summer air in unison with the murmuring of falling waters as they rose from the springs and tumbled over the rocks in the grove. Three tables, 100 yards long had been set, covered for the whole distance by well-cooked beef and bread supplemented with coffee and ice cream. The banquet was ordered by the Austin Greys and the Borneo Rifles. On the speaker's stand, erected under two big pecans, were seated Governor Ross, ex-Governor Lubbock, Congressman Martin, Major Burns, secretary of the association, and others. Governor Ross made an address, saying the state welcomed her sons, and paid a glowing tribute to the gallantry, bravery and heroic achievements of Hood's brigade.

Following is GOVERNOR ROSS' ADDRESS:
Ladies, Comrades and Friends: It would have suited me much better to have played the part of a listener than a speaker upon this occasion, but I cannot refuse to express the gratification that it is my good fortune to be present at this reunion of the brave and gallant veterans of Hood's brigade, and join this vast multitude, coming from every section of our state, giving themselves up to the spirit of the occasion with such hearty pleasure and energy which, together with the ample preparations made of everything which a large-hearted hospitality and unselfish generosity could suggest, to accord to you a joyous reception, all conspire to fill our hearts with the most pleasurable emotions and furnish a pledge of rich social enjoyment. It was not my fortune to be a member of your grand old brigade, but in the delightful fellowship of these old Confederates, bound together by the mystic ties which trials engender, passing through the same ordeals, inspired by the same hopes and animated by the same sentiments, I felt sure of meeting a look and grasping a hand which would respond in sympathy with my own. I rejoice to meet the remnant of this old brigade under such different circumstances and surrounded by such favorable auspices, illustrating so forcibly the contrast between the horrors of war and the sweets of peace. Old comrades in arms have come up from their peaceful homes with buoyant feet and thrilling pulse in anticipation of reviewing with each other the vivid and heart-thrilling incidents of the struggle. These people have gathered here to greet your presence and join it by extending to you a fit and noble welcome and thus refute an unjust imputation that republicans are always ungrateful to their benefactors. It would be strange indeed if this gathering of the old Confederate clans did not send our thoughts trooping back along the finished years, recalling a long series of brilliant exploits, wild adventures by day and by night, and a generous unflinching ardor has never found any peril too hazardous or any suffering too unendurable in the toil and watch of that wonderful and memorable conflict in which giants were struggling for the mastery. But few of you are here to-day, the great majority of your old comrades still unknown graves, with naught to mark their silent resting places; but their names are embalmed in as many loving hearts as ever witnessed or any living or lingered around the graves of our deceased patriots; and to-day, as our memory recalls facts after facts of this vast spectral army who have preceded us in the line of march to the silent graves, we shed a tear of affectionate remembrance as we echo praises to their memory and do honor to their dust. Throughout the broad area of the world there was never a held more rich in facts which constitutes the fibre of an earnest, active patriotism than that found in the southern struggle. The lofty admiration in which the manhood, valor and endurance, as well as the sublime resignation with which you accepted disappointment after great hopes and greater efforts, is held all over the world, shows how much the world yet values true and brave men who could shake off these troubles as great as they were, as easily as the strong man shakes the snow flakes from his locks, and by heroic efforts in times of peace no less renowned than those of war, make them to an impoverished country, but as flaxen withers wonder the world has stood amazed at the persistent vitality of our people, a persistency only equalled by the grand result. For under your admirable conduct every barrier to the flow of capital or check to the development of our unbounded resources was removed, and we see here to-day a free and independent mingling of men from every section of our broad domain, all prejudices of the past forgotten, while our state has been fortunate in acquiring thousands of those who fought against us, and who are an honor both to the states who gave them birth and ours, which they have made their home. It

matters not whence they come, they can exult in the reflection that our country is the same, and they find lodging here the same banner that waved above them there with its broad folds unrent and its bright stars unobscured; and in its defense, if need be, the swords of those old Confederates so recently shattered would leap forth with equal elasticity with those of the north. No nobler emotion can fill the breast of any man than that which prompts him to utter honest praise of an adversary whose convictions and opinions are at war with his own, and where is there a Confederate soldier in our land who has not felt a thrill of generous admiration and applause for the pre-eminent heroism of the federal admiral who lashed himself to the masthead while the tattered sails and frayed corselets of his vessel were being shot away by picqueted above his head, and slowly but surely picked his way through sunken reefs of torpedoes whose destructive powers consigned many of his luckless comrades to watery graves. The fame of such men as Farragut, Stanley, Hood, Lee and the hundreds of private soldiers who were the true heroes of the war belong to no linear section, but are the common property of mankind. They were all cast in the same grand mould of self-sacrificing patriotism and I intend to teach my children to revere their names as long as the love of country is respected as a noble sentiment in the human breast. It is a remarkable fact that those who bore the brunt of the battle were the first to forget all animosities and consign to oblivion absolute issues. They saw that nothing but sorrow and shame and the loss of the respect of the world was to be gained by perpetuating the bitterness of past strife, and impelled by a spirit of patriotism, they were willing by all possible methods to create and give utterance to a public sentiment which would best conciliate our common institutions and restore that fraternal concord in which the war of the revolution left us, and the Federal constitution found us. I emphasize the declaration that in most instances those whose hatred had remained implacable through all these years of peace, are the men who held high carnival in the rear, and snored loudly in the arms of their wives, and slept on the battle field for their country, and after all danger had passed emerged from their hiding places in a chronic state of wolfishness, and filled with ferocious zeal and courage, and blid to every principle of wise statesmanship, seek to make amends for their lack of deeds of valor by preaching bitterness, while pressing by their lips the sweet cup of revenge for whose intoxicating contents our country has already paid the price that would have purchased the goblet of the Egyptian queen.

In view of the efforts made by these ladies for your entertainment here to-day, and with a lively memory of their heroic devotion to the cause for which their loved ones contended, I cannot refrain from thanking them in the name of these old soldiers for honoring this occasion with their presence. We all feel deeply grateful to them for their efforts to make this reunion one which will fill the surviving members of Hood's brigade with a ore of pleasant memories not soon to be forgotten. It is not surprising that they should feel so patriotic when we consider that ours was the first government on earth to bestow upon women universal freedom and to break down the bars of prejudice and widen her avenues of usefulness by opening up to her the privileges of honorable competition in every profession and avocation suited to her sex. Deep down in the core of the human heart is the love of home, and she is the very soul of life, and we hope never to see them elbowing a passage amid slang and slander as common runners on the political field for their honors and emoluments. The women of France tried it once and brought eternal shame upon their sex. Unsexed and fierce, they sprang out of absolute subjugation into the arena of manly life, and the coarsest men of the coarsest men by their unbridled excesses, and while singing psalms to liberty they trampled all human rights under foot and scattered misery and woe with a lavish hand into peaceful homes. All history shows that whenever they throw aside the beautiful endearments of home life and enter the arena of political life, a gulf between themselves and the blessedness of womanhood which can never be repassed.

Hon. J. D. Sayers, Congressman, also made an address, which contained an able drawn outline of the history of the brigade during the war and the battles in which it took part, dwelling particularly on the battle of Gaines' Mills, where the Texans were the first to break McClellan's lines. He drew a vivid picture of the charge on the brigade on Seminary ridge, at the great battle of Gettysburg, and closed by saying the command, though its cause was lost, had won a title of imperishable renown.
Ex-Governor Lubbock also spoke. Mr. Martin, during his speech, held up to the gaze of the vast audience a red cap which, he said, was a Zouave's cap which had been captured at the battle of Mansassas. But the heart of the veteran beat high, and the multitude who listened under the shades of the trees held their breath and looked on in amazement as the tall speaker bent down a moment, then raising himself to full height held out in his hand and displayed the gray coat of a Confederate general. It was stained with time, but the insignia, well known insignia, were there. It was the coat worn by General Hood at the battle of Gettysburg. At this moment a yell, the famous old rebel yell, clear and keen as of yore, went up while tears stood in the eyes of many of the brave men who were with Hood in the fearful charge at Seminary Ridge.
The speaking over, Major Welsh, himself a brave member of Hood's brigade, and to whom the grounds belong, announced dinner. The crowd immediately adjourned to the tables, around which fully 2000 persons stood for twenty minutes. The majority of the leading business houses closed, and the people of Austin turned out handsomely to honor the occasion. It was the Fourth of July by all odds, and was a reunion long to be remembered.
One of the prominent companies of Hood's brigade, which fought all through the war, and which was represented at

- his reunion to-day, was the Tom Green Rifles. This was strictly an Austin company. It was organized early in the spring of 1861, regularly mustered into the service of the Confederate states July 11, following. The company arrived at the seat of war, Richmond, Va., on the 12th of September of the same year, and was attached to Hood's old brigade. The company, as will appear from the record of the deaths of many of its members, given below, took part in nearly all the great battles of the army of Northern Virginia and surrounded with General Lee at Appomattox. The following roll of the company was prepared by Mr. Val C. Giles, a prominent citizen of Austin, who was himself a gallant member of the command:
- B. E. Carter, captain; promoted lieutenant-colonel July 10, 1862; mortally wounded at Gettysburg July 3, 1863; while in command of the Fourth Texas Regiment.
 - W. C. Walsh, first lieutenant; promoted captain July 10, 1862; permanently disabled at the battle of Gaines' Mills; resides at Austin.
 - James T. McFarlin, second lieutenant; promoted first lieutenant July 10, 1862; never missed a battle in which the regiment was engaged, and surrendered the fragment of Company B at Appomattox; a soldier and a gentleman; died ten years ago in Mississippi.
 - Robert J. Lambert, third lieutenant; mortally wounded at Gaines' Mills; died in Richmond July 5, 1862.
 - Frank L. Price, first sergeant; promoted adjutant July 24, 1862; captured at Gettysburg; died at Austin in 1882.
 - O. F. Frazier, second sergeant; killed at Sharpsburg.
 - C. W. McAnnelly, third sergeant; killed at second Mansassas.
 - T. W. Masterson, fourth sergeant; promoted third lieutenant, August 15, 1862; died in Brazoria county, 1870.
 - John T. Price, fifth sergeant; promoted second lieutenant, August 15, 1862; resided at Gadsden, Williamson county.
 - Niles Fawcett, first corporal; killed at second Mansassas.
 - M. T. Norris, second corporal; killed at Gettysburg.
 - S. H. Burdham, third corporal; killed at second Mansassas.
 - R. H. Clements, fourth corporal; resides near Austin.
 - Adams, Lee; died in Richmond, 1862.
 - Adams, A. M.; resides at San Antonio.
 - Block, L. G.; died in Virginia, 1862.
 - Blakey, H. G.; killed at Sharpsburg.
 - Bonner, "Bud"; died in Richmond, 1862.
 - Bonner, "Calf"; resides near Austin.
 - Bonner, Wash.; resides at Richmond Springs, San Saba county.
 - Burditt, T. P.; resides in Western Texas.
 - Burditt, Mike; died in Virginia, 1862.
 - Burditt, W. E.; died near Austin, 1872.
 - Bushman, Frank M.; resides in Caldwell.
 - Buck, J.; severely wounded at Wilderness; residence not known.
 - Barker, Jim; killed near Eagle Pass.
 - Buchner, G. A.; resides at Austin.
 - Calahan, W. G.; the last heard from he was running a ferry boat on the Calcasieu river, Louisiana, with a grocery on each bank, singing
 - on the wings of love I fly
From Dogwood to D. kerrie.
 - The general impression is that Bill is dead.
 - Campbell, A. G.; died in Austin, 1860.
 - Carpenter, W. G.; died near Austin.
 - Cater, T. E.; resides near Austin.
 - Caton, W. M.; wounded and discharged, 1863.
 - Chandler, H. W.; died at La Grange, 1860.
 - Calvin, G. (Snooks); resides at Duval.
 - Cooper, Sam; resides at Austin.
 - Callahan, John; killed at Sharpsburg.
 - Cook, J.; died in Richmond, May 27, 1862.
 - Cox, L. B.; resides on the Pedernales.
 - Crozier, G. H.; resides at Graham, Tex.
 - Donahue, James; transferred to a Louisiana regiment.
 - Davidize, R. A.; captured on the Maryland raid, and wrote to Bill Calahan, by way of truce, that he was dead; Davidize was a newspaper man.
 - Deering, James H.; one of Longstreet's sharpshooters; killed by our own men by mistake, 1864. A true friend and a good soldier.
 - Dohme, C. A.; resides at Austin.
 - Dunklin, G. W.; died September 2, 1862.
 - Danson, J. R. P.; died in Virginia, 1863.
 - Durter, A. A.; resides in Travis county.
 - Eaton, J.; died in Virginia, 1862.
 - Flanikin, W. J.; died at Webberville, 1863.
 - Ford, W. F.; promoted to lieutenant; died 1875.
 - Foster, W. K.; died in Georgetown, 1878.
 - Freeman, "Poney"; died in Virginia, 1862.
 - Freeman, C. L.; resides in Georgia.
 - Fawcett, B. K.; wounded at Sharpsburg and discharged; murdered by Mexicans, 1863.
 - Giles, Val C.; resides at Austin.
 - Gregg, Alexander; died at Dumfries, 1862.
 - Glassecock, T. A.; resides in Travis county.
 - Gold, U.; "lost in the fog."
 - Grubbs, J.; in Mississippi if living.
 - Grumbles, Perry B.; killed at Gettysburg.
 - Hemby, R. W.; resided at Austin.
 - Hemilton, H.; died in Virginia, July, 1862.
 - Hamilton, S. W.; resides near Duval.
 - Haralson, C. L.; died with cholera, 1860.
 - Harthorn, A. J.; discharged 1862.
 - Haynes J. J. (letter bearer); residence not known.
 - Henderson, J. B.; loved poker better than war.
 - Hill, L. B.; physician at Webberville.
 - Heller, G. W.; killed at Sharpsburg.
 - Holder, D. W.; killed.
 - Hopson, R. W.; Fayette county.
 - Horton, W. H.; a preacher.
 - Howard, Roy; killed at Sharpsburg.
 - Howard, Jeff; residence not known.
 - Hughes, J. J.; died near Austin, 1867.
 - Horn, P.; "on furlough."
 - Jones, A. C.; discharged August, 1862.
 - Jones, E.; died in Virginia.
 - Jones, J. E.; resides in Tennessee.
 - Jones, J. K. P.; killed at Chickamauga.
 - Keller, W. A.; discharged on account of wound.

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