

REMAINS OF R. J. CROCKETT

PLACED AT REST YESTERDAY MORNING, CONFEDERATE VETERANS AND COUNTY OFFICIALS ATTENDING THE SERVICES.

The remains of R. J. Crockett, who expired Wednesday at his home on East Wright street, near the corner of Hayne, were placed at rest yesterday morning, the services being conducted by Rev. B. C. Glenn, pastor of the Palatka Methodist church. The interment occurred at Whitehorse cemetery, near Ferry Pass, where several members of the family were buried, and was attended by a large number of persons, among whom were several county officials and members of Camp Ward No. 10, United Confederate Veterans, of which the deceased was a member. For over ten years Mr. Crockett has been a familiar figure about the court house, where he has held a position for this length of time. He was always courteous and accommodating and had a good word for everyone. His illness did not extend over a period of three weeks. He had been in ill health, however, for several years, and while his death is greatly regretted, it was not unexpected. The deceased came to Escambia county shortly after the civil war, having served with distinction during that conflict, and took up his residence at Ferry Pass, where he resided for many years. He was a native of Alabama, where he has many relatives. In honor of his memory the flag at the county court house was at half mast yesterday. The deceased leaves a wife, a daughter and a son. The latter, however, could not be located yesterday, having left the city some weeks ago for Texas.

APACHE SHREWDNESS.

The Indian's Bait Was Good, but the White Man Didn't "Bite."

With the Apaches a really brave man does not stand as high in public estimation as does a clever thief. His chief excellence, from an Apache standpoint, lies in his ability to outwit the white man, says Mr. Cremony, the author of "Life Among the Apaches." I was sitting, says Mr. Cremony, in front of my tent, writing a letter, when a young Apache came up and asked what I was doing. I replied I was talking to my friend in Washington. "How can you talk to your friend so far away?" "When an Apache wishes to talk of speed to a distant friend," I answered, "he sends him a picture of a bird; if he talks of something sweet he sends a picture of a flower. Instead of pictures the white man has these little signs which all understand." The Indian took up the letter and scrutinized it carefully. "I do not believe you," he said. "You try to make a fool of me. These little signs are all alike." "I will give you proof. I will write on this little piece of paper that the sutler is to give you some tobacco. Go take it to the store and see if I do not speak the truth." The Indian snatched the paper and was off. A few minutes later I saw him slowly coming toward me, a piece of tobacco in his hand and a look of bewilderment on his face. Suddenly his expression changed to satisfaction, and he hurried forward. "Did you get the tobacco?" I asked. "Yes, but I do not believe you. You had an understanding before so that you might deceive me. Now if you will write some more of those little signs on paper telling the sutler to give me much more tobacco and if he does then I will believe you." But the Indian's ruse failed. I did not "rise" to the occasion.

SHREWD ACTION OF LEADER OF MUTINEERS

Issuance of Manifesto Declaring War on Russia Lends Certain Dignity to Act of Mutinous Crew.

By Associated Press. St. Petersburg, July 6.—While no official confirmation is obtainable, the Associated Press has been informed by an authority unusually reliable that the admiral has received news that the Kniaz Potemkine, after shipping coal, provisions and medicines is again at large in the Black Sea, and that her destination is unknown. Whether the report of the sailing of the battleship be true or not, the crew took a remarkable step yesterday, when with all the solemnity of a provisional government, it issued a manifesto addressed to the powers, announcing that civil war had been begun against the existing regime in Russia and pleading the inviolability of foreign shipping and foreign ports. This action doubtless was taken to quiet the apprehensions of foreign powers and to leave no excuse for the sending of warships through the Dardanelles to effect the capture of the battleship, which until now Russia's Black Sea fleet has not dared to attempt. This is considered a shrewd move on the part of the mutineers and stamps the commander of the crew as a leader far above the class of the ordinary sailor and strengthens the opinion that he is not a member of the revolutionaries who went on board at Odessa.

The issuance of the manifesto lends a certain dignity to the mutiny and proves that the crew and their commander have no desire that the world should believe them to be mere outlaws, but that they should be looked upon as men seriously raising the standard of the revolution.

Nothing has been received to confirm the supposition that the request for a doctor at Theodosia indicated a struggle for supremacy on the way from Kustenji.

According to a rumor printed in afternoon papers the ship's strong box contained \$375,000 and the mutineers would therefore be well supplied with money.

In circles closely in touch with the revolutionists it is regarded as a foregone conclusion that the commander of the Kniaz Potemkine, knowing the situation in the Caucasus, will head for Pott or Batoum, where the revolutionists are exceedingly strong, in the hope of securing a general rise. With the authorities in the Caucasus almost powerless to prevent it, such a contingency is not impossible.

Dispatches from Tiflis received last night say that reports of the rioting at Odessa and the action of the Kniaz Potemkine have aroused the most intense interest and the wildest joy among the revolutionists. The receipt of the report was followed immediately by a complete strike, even the lamp-lighters quitting work. The city is in darkness and the inhabitants generally are fleeing to the northward. The Emperor Nicholas III, the crew of which is reported to have mutinied at Constantinople, is a Russian merchantman. Considerable anxiety is felt because the cruiser Cherometz, which was due at Sebastopol Monday, has not yet arrived. Order has been restored at Byelostok. A censored telegram received last night reports that shooting has been heard, that crowds are fleeing and that wild excitement prevails, but no details are given.

THE GIFT OF GAB.

Why Stephenson Thought There Was No Power Equal to It.

When George Stephenson was visiting the seat of Sir Robert Peel at Drayton on one occasion, says the writer of "Famous British Engineers," there happened to be present Dr. Buckland, the scientist, and Sir William Follett, the famous advocate. Stephenson discussed with Dr. Buckland one of his favorite theories as to the formation of coal and, though undoubtedly in the right, was ultimately vanquished by the arguments and oratory of the doctor, who was a better master of tongue fence than himself. Next morning while pondering over his defeat in the solitude of the garden he was accosted by Sir William Follett and confided to that gentleman the story of his failure.

Sir William, acquainted with the details of the matter in dispute, agreed to take up the case and soon afterward attacked Dr. Buckland on the subject. A long discussion ensued, in which the man of law completely silenced the man of science, who was at last compelled to own himself vanquished. Sir Robert Peel, highly amused at this example of "tit for tat," then turned to the inventor and inquired, with a laugh: "And what do you say on this matter, Mr. Stephenson?" "Why," he replied, "I will only say this—that of all the powers above and under the earth there seems to me no power equal to the gift of gab."

His Conclusion. Kuleker-Jones has joined a debating club. Bocker—No? Whom did he marry?—Brooklyn Life.

He that despairs degrades the Deity.—Feltham.

ARRESTS WERE MUCH SMALLER

SINCE THE NEW ADMINISTRATION ASSUMED CHARGE THE LAWLESS ELEMENT HAS NOT BEEN IN EVIDENCE TO A GREAT EXTENT.

That the violators of the city ordinances are in fear of the new city administration is clearly shown by the work of the police department during the past few weeks. There have been but few disturbances in any section of the city of any consequence, and the frequenters of the police court upon former occasions have been conspicuous by their absence.

During the month that Recorder Laney has presided the number of arrests have been far less than at any time during the past two or three years, and the conduct of the class in the tough districts has been much better.

In fact the report of the marshal will show that for the past month there were not quite four hundred arrests made, showing a falling off of nearly one hundred.

While the police have been attending strictly to their business it seems that the residents of the city have behaved themselves in a more orderly manner, thus causing the officers less work and trouble.

The Window Habit.

In nearly every home in New York that has windows fronting on those avenues traversed by elevated trains there are one or more particular cushions known as the "elevated cushions." As their name implies, they are cushions on which the members of the family rest their elbows when leaning out of the window to look at either the passing elevated trains or what is going on in the street below. This looking out of the window habit is particularly a New York one, one that is noticed immediately by those coming here from out of town. Residents of other cities look out of their windows if there is anything in particular going on, but here women and children by day and men, women and children by night may be said fairly to live with their heads projecting from the windows. This habit is not exempted by any particular curiosity; it is simply born of the desire to be in touch with what is going on, though one may be a hundred feet above it.—New York Tribune.

Do Not Limit Your Ability.

Poverty and failure are self invited. The disaster people dread often comes to them. Worry and anxiety enfeeble their force of mind and so blunt their creative and productive faculties that they are unable to exercise them properly. Fear of failure or lack of faith in one's ability is one of the most potent causes of failure. Many people of splendid powers have attained only mediocre success, and some are total failures, because they set bounds to their achievement, beyond which they did not allow themselves to think that they could pass. They put limitations to their ability; they cast stumbling blocks in their way by aiming only at mediocrity or predicting failure for themselves, talking their wares down instead of up, disparaging their business and belittling their powers.—O. S. Marden in Success Magazine.

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HIGH WATER CAUSED BY CLOUD-BURST WILL RESULT IN LOSS ESTIMATED AT \$50,000.

By Associated Press. Baltimore, Md., July 6.—The flood last night which was caused by the overflow of Jones Falls, a stream which runs through the central part of Baltimore and which resulted from a cloudburst at Timonium in Baltimore county has completely subsided, the water in the falls having fallen almost as quickly as it rose.

In the city no lives were lost and the damage will be confined to the streets in the vicinity of the falls. On these streets are located a large number of machine shops and small stores, the contents of which have been damaged but there was no very heavy single losses and the total loss is roughly estimated at \$50,000. On the surface of many of the inundated streets the flood left a layer of mud from 6 to 12 inches deep which is rapidly being removed by the street cleaning department. Hundreds of cellars were left in the same condition.

In the country north of Baltimore the storm was terrific and the fall of rain extraordinary, the people being panic-stricken for several hours and many fleeing for their lives. The suburban towns of Mount Washington, Lutherville, Cockeysville, Melvale and other points were hemmed in until an early hour this morning, but so far no report of the loss of life has been received. The intervening farm lands were inundated, fences everywhere were swept away and small buildings along the falls from the Washington to the Pennsylvania railroad bridge. Scores of small farmers were compelled to abandon their houses and flee for their lives, in some instances their homes, cattle and wagons being carried away in the flood. No accurate estimate of the losses in the country can now be made but the aggregate will be large. Some apprehension was felt as to the safety of the railroad bridges near Baltimore, but all these have been found to be secure and the trains on all the roads went out on schedule time to-day.

Dock Strike Settled.

Cronstadt, July 6.—The dock laborers' strike here has been settled, the commercial transport companies reducing the hours of work to nine hours per day and increasing the men's wages 10 per cent.

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ENCAMPMENT OF STATE TROOPS

MILITIA OFFICERS BELIEVE REGIMENTS WILL GO TO CAMP SEPARATELY—PRELIMINARY COMPETITION AT ST. AUGUSTINE COMMENCES AUGUST 3.

Now that Major-General J. Clifford R. Foster, adjutant-general of the state of Florida, has returned to the state, it is probable that something definite in the way of an announcement as to where the next state encampment of the Florida State Troops is to be located, will be made shortly, says the Jacksonville Times-Union.

While it has not been officially announced, it is generally understood that there will be two encampments this year, one for the First regiment and artillery corps and the other for the Second regiment.

The companies forming the First regiment are the Jacksonville Rifles, Jacksonville Light Infantry, St. Augustine Rifles, Fernandina Volunteers, Madison County Guards, Suwanee Rifles of Live Oak, Columbia Light Infantry of Lake City, Jackson Rifles of Marianna and Franklin County Guards of Apalachicola. The Chipley Light Infantry and Escambia Rifles were formerly part of the First regiment, but these companies have been disbanded.

The Second regiment is composed of Shine Guards of Orlando, Bradford County Guards of Starke, Tampa Light Infantry, Oak City Guards of Daytona, Gem City Guards of Palatka, Key West Guards, Halifax Rifles of Titusville, Miami Rifles, Leesburg Rifles, Gainesville Guards and Brooksville Guards.

The Artillery Corps is a separate organization and is not connected with either of the regiments, but being located in Jacksonville, will no doubt be ordered into camp with the First regiment.

Locations Not Known.

While there is nothing definite known as to where the encampments will be held, it is said by the military officers that the encampment of the First regiment will no doubt be at Jacksonville, while the Second regiment will be either at Tampa or Gainesville.

It is expected that some announcement will be made by the adjutant-general very shortly in regard to the encampment.

For Rifle Team Practice. In compliance with General Order No. 3, from the office of the adjutant-general of Florida, a team from the Florida State Troops will attend and participate in the national match which is to be held this year at Sea Girt, N. J., commencing August 24, under the direction of the national board for the promotion of rifle practice.

The general order states that this state shall be composed of the best marksmen in the Florida State Troops, and that the members of all organizations shall have equal opportunity to compete for membership thereon. The general order then continues as follows:

Preliminary Competition.

"A preliminary competition will be held on the rifle range near St. Augustine, Fla., commencing August 3, 1905, for the purpose of selecting a team from the State to compete in the national match. At all points where the course of the practice prescribed under General Order No. 31, series of 1904, has been pursued to completion, those who have qualified in the first class will be eligible to enter this preliminary competition. At posts where regular practice has not been held, special local competitions are authorized for this competition; and all officers and enlisted men who at such competitions fire two full courses of five shots each at two hundred and six hundred yard ranges, and make not less than thirty at each range, will be entitled to enter the preliminary competition.

"The inspectors of small arms practice will have entire charge of this preliminary competition and will prescribe and publish rules for the same. All competitors will immediately upon their arrival at St. Augustine report in person to the inspector of small arms practice at the rifle range and will present to him credentials from their respective commanding officers in the form of a certificate to the effect that they have performed 75 per cent of military duty during the preceding year and that they have qualified under the third paragraph of this order. By the term military duty is meant parades, drills, encampments and other duties of a similar nature.

Composition of Team.

"The team to be selected will consist of a captain, a team coach, a team spotter, twelve principals and three alternates.

"The inspector of small arms practice will, immediately upon the conclusion of the preliminary competition, certify to this office the names of those who have been selected for the state team. Said successful competitors will be required to remain on the St. Augustine range for practice until the time fixed for their departure for Sea Girt; the other contestants will be returned to their home stations as soon as the preliminary competition has been concluded.

"The railroads have been asked to make a special rate on account of this occasion, and this rate will be published as soon as it is made.

Arrangements at St. Augustine.

"The commanding officer at St. Augustine will provide tentage, fuel and water for all persons attending the preliminary competition, and will arrange for the transportation of their equipment from the railroad station to the rifle range and return. He will also provide for the maintenance of

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