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GEN. CHEATHAM'S DEATH.

THE PEACEFUL ENDING OF AN EVENTFUL LIFE.

The Last Words of the Old Chieftain — Preparations for the Funeral—Biographical.

[SPECIAL TO THE APPEAL.]

NASHVILLE, TENN., September 4—The death of Gen. Cheatham caused universal sorrow here. A general meeting of citizens was held at the Merchants' Exchange this afternoon and a general meeting of ex Confederates was held at the same place tonight. It is the purpose of those in charge of the arrangements to have the body of Gen. Cheatham lie in state at the Capitol tomorrow, and for the Confederates to attend the funeral in a body. Bishop Quintard, who is in Clarksville, has been telegraphed to come here and conduct the services. Bishop Quintard officiated at the marriage of Gen. Cheatham to Miss Robinson in Christ Church. It is thought this church is too small to hold the people that will want to attend the funeral, and that some other building will be selected. The remains of Gen. Cheatham will be interred in Mount Olivet Cemetery. The postoffice is draped in mourning emblems in respect to the memory of Postmaster Cheatham.

A LARGE MEETING

of ex-Confederates, Mexican veterans and citizens generally was held at the Merchants' Exchange tonight, at which resolutions were adopted and a programme for the funeral perfected. The Eleventh Tennessee regiment has been called to meet and attend Gen. Cheatham's funeral from the residence of Mr. Felix Cheatham. The remains of Gen. Cheatham will be transferred to the Senate chamber under a guard of honor at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning. They will lie in state in charge of the guard until 3 o'clock Monday afternoon, at which hour they will be escorted to the First Presbyterian Church, where the funeral services will be held at 4 o'clock, with military and civic honors. Ex-Union veterans will attend the funeral, and have arranged for a handsome floral tribute for the coffin of the dead, whom they held in high esteem.

Gen. Cheatham's Last Moments.

Nashville *Union*, 4th: Resting in his easy chair and surrounded by his loved ones, the hero of a score of hard fought battles peacefully passed away as the clock was striking 1 this morning, at the home of his brother, Felix Cheatham, corner of Ophelia avenue and Monroe street. His death had been hourly expected for the past two days, and since his return from Hurricane Springs, about eight days ago, it was evident to all that he was gradually sinking, and for the greater part of the past two days his mind had been wandering. During his lucid moments he spoke of his family, and appeared especially anxious that his wife should not leave his side for a moment. Everything that love could prompt or affection suggest, was done towards making his last hours on earth as easy as possible, and he expired while the devoted watchers were in the act of changing his position in the easy chair upon which he was reclining. There was no struggle, no word, no moan—only a slight gasp, and all was over. The dying chieftain, whose whole life and character stamped him pre-eminently as a soldier born, even in the closing hours gave evidence of the martial passion which swayed him, and in his incoherent moments that voice, the clarion notes of which so often rallied the ranks, might be heard giving the words of command to his followers. Late yesterday afternoon a heavy wagon drove past the house, and the rumbling sound evidently awakened the memories of other days, and raising his head the commander whispered: "There go the troops; bring me my horse."

Biographical.

Benjamin Franklin Cheatham, a native of Davidson county, Tenn., was born in Nashville, October 20, 1820, and died in his 66th year. He was the oldest son of Col. Leonard P. Cheatham, the founder of one of our most prominent Middle Tennessee families. His father was a lawyer by profession, but was chiefly known as a farmer and as a raiser of blooded horses. His mother was a Miss Robertson, granddaughter of Gen. James Robertson, the pioneer settler of Nashville, and the daughter of Dr. Felix Robertson, an eminent physician of this city, and the first white male child born in Davidson county, in the log house fort that stood on the bluff at Nashboro at the foot of Church street.

Col. L. P. Cheatham was appointed postmaster at Nashville by President James K. Polk in 1848, and his son, Frank, was made a clerk in the same office. Early imbued with a military spirit, Frank Cheatham was elected captain of a company known as the Nashville Blues, made up of young Democrats of the city, and between whom and the Harrison Guards, the Whig company, there existed the most spirited rivalry. When war was declared between the United States and Mexico the Nashville Blues were among the first companies to offer their services to Gov. Aaron V. Brown. They were promptly accepted and mustered in as Company A, First Tennessee regiment, a regiment which distinguished itself in the battles of Monterey, Cerro Gordo and at the bombardment of Vera Cruz, and many other engagements, and returned home with the laurels of that war and the sobriquet of the "Bloody First" as the distinguishing name of that gallant body of American soldiery.

After the Mexican war, in which he had rendered such valiant service, Frank Cheatham was elected Colonel of the Fifth Tennessee regiment of militia, and for several years thereafter was justly regarded as one of the heroes of that brilliant and successful passage at arms.

In 1847, when the gold fever broke out in California and thousands of daring and venturesome spirits from the older States sought the Pacific shores for fortune, Col. Cheatham led the boldest in the Argonautic expedition.

Returning to Nashville with a snug fortune at his command, he engaged in mercantile pursuits up to the breaking out of the late war. Appointed Quartermaster General of the provisional army of Tennessee by Gov. Isham G. Harris, he immediately bent his energies toward equipping the Tennessee troops for the Confederate service. Soon after he received his commission as Brigadier General and was assigned to duty in the field.

At the battle of Belmont, Mo., in the fall of 1861, in conjunction with Gen. Leonidas Polk, he had the honor of defeating Gen. U. S Grant and won the first pitched battle of the war fought in the West.

At Shiloh he particularly distinguished himself and won new laurels. On the march into Kentucky under Gen. Bragg he was always given the post and position of danger. In the Perryville battle he led—he never followed—the kid gloved soldiers, the First Tennessee Regiment, in one of the most brilliant and desperate engagements known in Confederate annals.

When the Murfreesboro battle came on Frank Cheatham had risen to a Major Generalcy. He commanded the center division of Bragg's army in that deadly struggle and drove back and defeated the flower of Rosecrans' army under Sheridan and Rousseau. At Chickamauga, and all along the Atlanta campaign, at the bloody battle of Franklin, and at the siege of Nashville in the dark December days of 1864, Cheatham's corps did illustrious service and won renown not only for themselves, but fixed on "Old Frank's" collar the stars and wreath of a lieutenant generalcy.

Tennessee produced two natural born soldiers during our late unhappy war, and but two—Forrest, the Murat of our country, and Frank Cheatham, the Marshal Ney of Tennessee infantry. His was the born spirit of combat. Fight, fight, fight. This was the motto of his action. He never went into battle except with the determination to win, and he never lost a fight where courage and duty called him to act.

After the close of the war, Gen. Cheatham returned to Nashville, and resumed the peaceful pursuits of a citizen. In 1866 he married Miss Annie Robertson, daughter of Mr. A. B. Robertson, of Manchester, Coffee county, a retired merchant, formerly of Nashville. Since that time he engaged in farming, until last October, when he was appointed by President Cleveland postmaster at Nashville. He leaves a wife and five children, three boys and two girls.

The only political contest in which Gen. Cheatham engaged was in 1872, when he was nominated by the State Democratic Convention for Congressman for the State at large, running against ex-President Andrew Johnson, both of whom were defeated by the Hon. Horace Maynard.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

Important Deal in Real Estate—Horribly Mangled by a Mad Dog.

[SPECIAL TO THE APPEAL.]

CHATTANOOGA, TENN., September 4.—An important real estate deal was consummated in this city today. A syndicate of capitalists purchased 200 acres of what is known as the Adams Rust tract, lying just beyond the city limits, adjoining the property recently purchased by the Shinkle Harrison and Howard Pipe Works, paying therefor $60,000, $34 000 of which was foreign money. The property is well adapted for manufacturing purposes.

Miss Alice Broom, of Walker county, Ga., a well known young lady, was horribly mangled by a mad dog today. The rabid animal was not killed until after it had bitten several other dogs and several cows, all of which have been killed. Considerable excitement exists among the people. Messengers have been sent in every direction for a mad stone.

Another slight shock of earthquake was felt in various portions of the city last night at 3:10 o'clock. Some excitement was created, but there being no recurrence and the shock very slight all was soon over.

A fund of $1000 is being raised in this city for the relief of the Charleston sufferers.

It is said $132,000 worth of stock in one of our largest industries was today bought by a couple of Southern railroad magnates.

AT LAKE PLACID,

Where the President and Party Will Spend the Sabbath.

LAKE PLACID, N. Y., September 4.—President Cleveland's party drove across the country from Saranac Inn today and are quartered here for the Sabbath. Neither Mrs. Cleveland nor Mrs. Folsom have ever seen the beauties of this portion of the Adirondacks, and the trip was taken chiefly on that account. Paul Smith had charge of the party and drove the President and Mrs. Cleveland, his fleet pair of bays doing service on this occasion.

Dr. Ward, Mrs. Folsom and a friend of the Doctor's occupied the second carriage. The journey was about twenty-seven miles, over roads that proved tolerably hard and comfortable. Much of it was through forest lands whose foliage is just beginning to yield a coloring to the frosts of September. Dinner was partaken of at the Raybrook House, a wayside inn about three miles from Saranac village. With a taxidermist at that village were left the heads and skins of the bucks killed by Mr. Cleveland and his friends in the Tupper Lake region. The former will be mounted, while the latter will be converted into rugs. The party will resume their journey Monday, their determination being to spend several days on the road in this locality before returning to Saranac Inn.

Powderly and the Knights of Labor.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., September 4.—Messrs. Barry and Bailey, the only members of the General Executive Board of the Knights of Labor now in this city, upon being shown a copy of the Pittsburg dispatch stating that Grand Master Workman Powderly contemplated leaving the order, on account of internal trouble therein, said there has never been a time when the feeling of harmony, both between Mr. Powderly and the members of the order at large, and between himself and the members of the General Executive Board, was stronger or more sincere than it is at the present time.

"MAMMA, papa says you weren't pretty last week, but you are today." "Ah! my child, last week I had neuralgia, today I have Salvation Oil."

Newspaper Change at Knoxville, Tenn.

KNOXVILLE, TENN., September 4.—The *Daily Journal* purchased the *Daily Chronicle* today for $13,000. The publication of the *Chronicle* will be discontinued. R. W. Austin, late of the *Chronicle*, will be in the publication of the Knoxville *Times* next week.

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A BETTER FEELING PREVAILING AT CHARLESTON.

Scientific Investigation of the Cause of the Earthquake—Another Slight Shock.

CHARLESTON, S. C., September 4.—Prof. W. T. McGee, of the United States Geological Survey, went to Summerville Friday to investigate the immediate or remote causes of the recent earthquake. He stopped at Ten Mile Hill Station, around which the earthquake was particularly active, and paid especial attention to the matter which was thrown up from the craters, which are numerous through the belt of country extending from Disher's farm, about four miles from Ten Mile Hill, north and south, and likewise extend west for an indefinite distance along the seacoast. Prof. McGee collected specimens of the soil and mud which had been thrown up and samples of the waters which flowed from the fissures, taking particular note of the cavities on the farm of Mr. Charles Lee, the largest of which is sixteen feet square and sixteen feet deep. At Summerville he continued his investigations and talked freely with gentlemen there. One of these gives the *News and Courier* a sketch of Prof. McGee's statement. Prof. McGee said that the ornamental work and ginger bread work in Charleston was in many instances out of proportion to the size of the buildings, and these parts will be apt to fall and carry away portions of the general structure. He said that when he left Washington he thought he would have very little difficulty in determining the apparent cause of the earthquake, but confessed to have been much puzzled by his observations. Contrary to expectations, he found that the fissures were not uniform in their direction. Some extended from north to south and others from east to west, and on this account he would hesitate now to give any scientific declaration. He did, however, give the opinion that the shocks were the result of local land slides. By the term local he does not mean that the shakes can be traced to any particular place at Summerville, Charleston or elsewhere, and remarks that there was no connection between the shakes and the suppressed volcanic action. His impression is that the area covered by land slide theory has been from forty to one hundred miles under the the sea. He was confident, moreover, that the worst was passed. This statement, however, was made prior to the severe shock at 11 o'clock last night. He left Summerville this morning for the Phosphate district, where he will continue his observations. McGee's remarks have had an excellent effect. Up to yesterday about 1000 persons, or one-third of the whole population, had left Summerville, and it is expected Prof. McGee's statement will stop any further exodus.

Mr. Samuel Hammond, who was reported as dangerously injured and dying, is now doing well.

The feeling today is decidedly more cheerful, and a better tone naturally pervades the community. The workmen are at work on the injured buildings, putting them in order, and as much as possible is being done to protect the interiors from the rains which are expected. Another element which increases confidence is the organization today of a strong Relief Committee, which will take entire charge of the provision of food, of clothing and quarters, as far as necessary, for those who have suffered by earthquake.

A considerable number of tents have been received from the government, and others are expected tomorrow. The orphan house, almshouse and both Catholic orphan asylums have been provided with sufficient shelter. An encampment for other refugees, in military style, is now being formed on the South Battery. There will be an encampment for colored refugees on Marion Square.

ANOTHER SHOCK.

At 9:30 o'clock tonight another earthquake shock of about five seconds' duration, the first of the day, startled the shook up people. It was not nearly so severe as the shock of last night.

THE LOSS PLACED AT $10,000,000.

A reporter made a detour of the city today, and was surprised to find so much wrecked property that had escaped the eyes of press representatives. At least four out of five of all the buildings are damaged more or less. City Assessor Kelly says that the loss will reach $10,000,000. The taxable property aggregates $22,000,000. As the greater portion of the property destroyed was inherited by old families who have no surplus means, it is believed that only a portion will be rebuilt. All day there has been a constant rattle and roar of falling buildings and old material. Scores of buildings are being torn down by the owners as a measure of safety. Hundreds of others will not come down until action has been ordered by the City Council. At many places ropes are drawn across the streets to keep pedestrians away from the condemned and dangerous buildings.

Another Shock at Augusta.

AUGUSTA, GA., September 4.—Another slight shock was felt here at 9 o'clock tonight.

Another Fright at Savannah.

SAVANNAH, GA., September 4.—At 9:30 o'clock tonight another shock of earthquake was felt here. While not severe it was everywhere perceptible, and people rushed from houses and stores. Hundreds of people are again spending the night out of doors.

Earthquake Phenomena in the Mountains.

RALEIGH, N. C., September 4.—A special dispatch to the *News and Observer*, tonight, says news has been received at Asheville, tonight, from Mitchell county, to the effect that an earthquake phenomena was very startling in the mountains of the vicinity of the pinnacle of Black Mountain. Subterranean rumblings were tremendous and continued fifteen minutes. Immense rocks were removed from their beds and hurled down the mountain sides into the valleys. People fled from their homes into the woods.

DIED.

MEHAN—On Saturday, September 4, 1886, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. K. A. Sloan, No. 223 Main street, at 5 o'clock a.m., EDWARD MEHAN.

Due notice of the funeral will be given.

IN MEMORIAM.

Mary A. Reid.

Departed this life August 16, 1886.

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Who with her bright smiles gave cheer to our home;
Whose sweet disposition has ever imparted
A feeling of love and of pleasure to come.
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The summons is given through angels above,
By whom she is borne with hands meek and tender,
To that realm of peace, joy, and of love.
Out of our home our Mary has vanished,
And left us to weep in this cold world of pain;
But ne'er from our hearts will her memory be banished,
Tho' our call for her coming will all be in vain.
She left us to mourn—but why should the weary
And desolate heart recall her again?
Tho' home without her will ever be dreary,
We know that in heaven she's free from all pain.
Up 'mong the angels, she prays us to meet her,
With father and mother who waited her there;
When Death shall claim us we'll hasten to greet her,
In that land of the angels, and beauty so fair.
To brothers and sisters, who weep here in sorrow,
And mourn o'er the absence of one ever dear,
She beckons them o'er to a glimpse of the morrow,
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