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MEMORIAL DAY

Its Observance by the Veterans of the G. A. R.

Monday was observed as Memorial or Decoration Day by the old soldiers, although the 90th, Decoration Day proper, fell on the day previous.

The day opened with a decidedly tearful aspect, and it seemed as if the elements were determined to keep the old soldiers from observing the day with the decoration of graves and the proper exercises. However, the rains ceased, and the G. A. R. veterans, many of whom had journeyed long distances to attend the occasion, gathered together at 10:30 a. m. for their customary special meeting. John D. Coffelt, of Jasper, was elected a comrade.

At 1:30 p. m., the Post formed in line in front of the News office, and escorted by children bearing flags and flowers, proceeded to Owen cemetery, where the graves of soldiers were decorated, the customary ritual of the G. A. R. being followed, after which the line returned to the Town Hall, where the following program was carried out:

Song, "America,"
Song, "Land of Liberty,"
Address
Maj. T. H. Hill, Commander of Post

Ritual,
Reading, "A Soldier's Grave,"
Song, "Our Patriot Dead," Choir
Lincoln's Words at Gettysburg,
Miss Grace Thomas

Song, "The Old Guard and the New,"
Choir,
Address, Rev. W. D. Dew

Song, "Star-Spangled Banner," Choir
The address of the day was to have been delivered by Hon. Joe E. Brown, of Chattanooga, but he was unable to be present, in which the old soldiers were greatly disappointed. However, Rev. W. D. Dew was equal to the emergency, and delivered an address that was appreciated. His address was not a repetition of his sermon of Sunday, but branched out into new lines of thought.

The singing of the special choir about the same as that of the day previous, but augmented by the presence of Mr. Warren, of Chattanooga, tenor, and Mrs. Lankester of Pensacola, Fla., was a triumph in singing and many encomiums were passed. The addition of these two were of great help to the local singers. Mrs. Lankester's alto being especially helpful; the choir was destitute of an alto. Mr. Warren will be remembered as accompanying the Perry Bros., of Chattanooga, in their tour of the valley last summer, and sings a good tenor.

Benediction was impressively pronounced by Dr. Dew and closed the exercises of the day, after which the Post treated the choir and those who assisted in the program to ice cream according to their usual custom.

The sales of cream amounted to \$4, and the expenses to \$3.34, leaving a balance of 66c, which will be added to the fund being accumulated to place suitable foundation under the hall.

The day was greatly enjoyed by all, although starting off unfavorably, and the veterans all departed for their homes, promising themselves a grand reunion here Sept. 11, the date selected.

The roster of the comrades present is as follows:
Sam McWilliams, Geo. W. Heard, and Lewis Carlton, of Dunlap.

J. G. Lankester, W. A. Pryor, Lot Warren, Ed Forrester, W. L. Brewer, John Shadrack, of Jasper.

W. F. Smith, of Gruetli.

T. R. Harris, Wiley Parker, G. H. Wiseman, Austin Copinger, T. H. Hill, Dallas Dixon, of Sequachee.

The Post was photographed seated on steps of News office at 1 p. m., by Photographer Rapier of Bridgeport.

Women Who Are Envid.

Those attractive women who are lovely in face, form and temper are the envy of many who might be like them. A weak, sickly woman will be nervous and irritable. Constipation or kidney poisons show in pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. For all such, Electric Bitters work wonders. They regulate Stomach, Liver and Kidneys, purify the Blood; give strong nerves, bright eyes, pure breath, smooth, velvety skin, lovely complexion. Many charming women owe their health and beauty to them. 50c at Whitwell Drug Co.

Wood-Mills.

JASPER, Tenn., May 27.—W. Brown Wood and Miss Mary Jennie Mills were married here yesterday evening at 8 o'clock, Rev. J. A. Darr officiating. It was a quiet home wedding. Miss Mills is a very popular young lady, holding high social position, and Mr. Wood holds a fine position with the Wetzel Mfg Co., of So. Pittsburg, residing, however, here. Their many friends wish them a long and happy life.

VETERAN'S SERVICE

Members of Post 53, G. A. R., Hear Eloquent Sermon by Dr. Dew.

On Sunday at 2 p. m. the members of Post 53, the local post of the G. A. R., attended divine service at Owen Church, hearing a most learned and eloquent sermon fall from the lips of Dr. Dew. A special choir offered music for the occasion, the members being Misses Louise Hill, Nina Randle, True Randle, Mrs. Dew, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hill, Walter Randle, Miss Grace Thomas, organist.

The service was opened by singing the national anthem, "America," after which Dr. Dew read the 47th chapter of Isaiah. The song, No. 33, "Higher Ground," was then sung, after which Dr. Dew offered a fervent prayer for peace and freedom from the horrors of war. The beautiful song, "Onward Christian Soldiers" was then sung, after which Dr. Dew delivered a fine and highly instructive discourse, digging much into the antiquities of the past regarding war, and finished with a strong plea for peace. Throughout his discourse he held the attention of his hearers centered on his thoughts as they were successively presented, and some were deeply moved as he spoke of the beautiful symbolism of decorating the graves of loved ones gone before. The hymn, No. 191, "God of Our Fathers," was then sung by the choir, and then Major Hill, commander of the Post, rose to make such remarks as were proper from one occupying his position. He spoke of the aims and objects of the G. A. R., and said their mission was not to keep alive hostility, but rather for peace and union. His address like that of Dr. Dew was heard with attention. Song, No. 88, "Wonderful Peace," with benediction by Dr. Dew closed the exercises. It was an interesting service and well attended. One of the qualifications of membership to the G. A. R. is that its members belong to some religious denomination, and it is a custom of the order to attend divine service at some church on Sunday preceding Decoration Day.

SOUTHERN STEEL IS FREE

Reorganization May Now Be Completed.

NEW YORK, June 1.—Vice Chancellor Garrison, of Jersey City, today refused to grant an injunction restraining the reorganization committee of the Southern Steel company from proceeding with the organization of the Southern Iron and Steel company. The court dismissed the order to show cause, which was obtained by Harrison H. Schuler, a minority stockholder.

The Southern Steel company is an Alabama corporation, and was run independently of the steel trust. The 1907 panic put it in the bankruptcy court and, to adjust its affairs, the reorganization committee, comprising the holders of the \$3,000,000 first mortgage bonds, was appointed. A plan was formulated for organizing a new corporation to be known as the Southern Iron and Steel company. A majority of the stockholders approved the plan and the company was incorporated under the laws of New Jersey with a capital of \$27,000,000 to take over the assets of the old concern. The plan may now proceed.

The Parade.

Too much cannot be said of the MIGHTY HAAG RAILROAD SHOWS parade which takes place daily on the public streets free for everybody and is one mile in length and introducing features never attempted by any other show for their street payment. No parade is complete without a caliope and Mr. Haag has spared no pains or expense in this everlasting feature of the parade. Not only have the Haag shows one of the finest caliopes in the world but have been fortunate enough to secure the service of Signor Hamont, who is considered the premier of caliope players and will not only glad- den the hearts of the children but everybody as well, with his un-to-date selections.

Of Interest to Farmers and Mechanics.

Farmers and mechanics frequently meet with slight accidents and injuries which cause them much annoyance and loss of time. A cut or bruise may be cured in about one-third the time usually required by applying Chamberlain's Liniment as soon as the injury is received. This liniment is also valuable for sprains, soreness of the muscles and rheumatic pains. There is no danger of blood poisoning resulting from an injury when Chamberlain's Liniment is applied before the parts become inflamed and swollen. For sale by Whitwell Drug Co.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

DECORATE GRAVE

Laurel Lodge, No. 98, K. of P., of Whitwell, Observes Beautiful Custom.

Immediately after the close of the special service for the G. A. R. at Owen Church Sunday, Laurel Lodge, No. 98, of the K. of P. fraternity, of Whitwell, began the exercises observed in decorating the graves of deceased brothers, and afterwards decorated the grave of Marion D. Moss in the cemetery adjoining. The members of the lodge were stationed on the platform, after which D. T. Layne conducted the ritual, being answered by the various parties delegated to respond. Dr. Shirley was then introduced, who side-tracked an address that undoubtedly must have been good, to speak only eight minutes. Dr. Shirley followed him with a somewhat longer but excellent address. Both speakers expressed their ideas clearly and distinctly, portraying Pythianism and Pythian sentiment. By request of Jas. Price, who seemed to have the musical part of the program in charge, the Sequachee choir gave two selections at the appointed places in the exercises, after which the lodge proceeded to the cemetery adjoining, bearing flowers to deposit on the grave of their brother, Marion D. Moss. At the grave the reading of the ritual was finished by D. T. Layne, and prayer offered by Jas. Price, after which the members of the lodge silently laid beautiful bunches of flowers upon the grave in profusion. This closed the exercises.

Immediately after the ceremony of decoration the members of the lodge were photographed by Rapier, as they were arranged in front of the church.

The exercises were carried on with ceremony, the responses were delivered from memory, and the lodge bore itself with the dignity due such an impressive occasion.

Monteagle.

Special to the News.

Quarterly Conference was held at Summerfield Saturday night and Sunday, May 29 and 30, by Rev. Dr. H. B. Crowell, presiding elder, United Brethren Church of Shelbyville, Tenn. Revs. R. M. Bowen and W. B. Cates, of Tullahoma, were also present.

Rev. and Mrs. N. B. Brown, of Tracy, were in our town, visiting their son, Wm. L. Brown, one or two days last week.

A union Sunday school has been organized at Summerfield, Bro. Robt. Baker is superintendent and Sister Smith is first bible teacher and Miss Ida Guest 2nd bible teacher. The school is progressing nicely.

Emmett Smith, of Chattanooga, was up visiting his mother, Mrs. Margaret Smith, a few days last week.

Lawyer Myers of Seawane, was up today on legal business.

The Kennedy boys have opened their butcher shop again, and are doing a fine business.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner have come back to the mountain for the summer and are in their cottage.

Mrs. Rollins, of Cowan, is also back on the mountain for the summer.

People are beginning to come into the Assembly Grounds and to the Monteagle hotel for the summer.

"That Drummer" is with us at this writing.

J. C. Parsons and family have moved into the old home place of Wm. Rieders and Mr. Morgan has moved into Rieders' town cottage.

John Conry and son, Lyster, of Providence, were mingling with friends on the mountain one day last week.

Mr. Smith and Lee Tucker engaged today in some kind of a law suit over some horses before Esquire W. D. Bennett, but it was postponed until Wednesday.

Donde esta Sr. on "Pedro," y Sr. Ethel Escrita mos por el periodico "News." Old Sex.

The Mighty Haag Shows Coming

The fifteenth trans-continental tour of THE MIGHTY HAAG RAILROAD SHOWS will be one long remembered by its friends, the public. For fifteen years the Haag shows has traveled the country by wagon, every year enlarging the show and adding new features until it has grown too large for wagon and is traveling this year on its own special train of cars. All these years Mr. Haag has never broken a promise to the public and this year he comes with more shows, more clowns, more music and more fine horses than ever before. THE MIGHTY HAAG RAILROAD SHOWS will exhibit at South-Pittsburg on Saturday, June 5.

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NOTICE.

To the Teachers of Marion County:

The Marion County Teachers' Institute will meet at Jasper, Tenn., Monday, June 14, 1909, in the auditorium of Pryor Institute. The work will extend through two weeks. The first eight days of the Institute will be devoted to the usual normal work and the last two days to written examinations.

Competent instructors have been secured and we hope to make the work in this normal the most instructive and profitable the teachers of Marion County have ever had.

By regulation of the Board of Education, it is necessary that those expecting to teach in Marion County attend the Institute.

The railroad schedule is such that it will be convenient for teachers living in reach of the railroad to go back and forth on the train. By the purchase of commutation tickets greatly reduced rate of fare may be had.

If those who want board will notify me, I will take pleasure in securing accommodations for them.

ALAN S. KELLY,
Co. Sup.

Jasper.

Special to the News.

A. L. Robertson was in New Orleans last week.

Mrs. C. R. Robinson, of Asheville, Ala., was here on a visit last week. Hamilton's Vandeville Co., of Chattanooga, was here last week for two nights.

Leslie R. Darr graduated from the law department of Cumberland University, Lebanon, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Byrne, of Chattanooga, attended the funeral of Dr. Griffith Wednesday last week.

Mrs. W. E. McGhee, of Chattanooga, was here last week attending her father, Dr. W. H. Griffith, in his last illness.

Mrs. M. M. Strawn has moved back to Whiteside, where she has her home. She has been here during the school term to educate her daughters at Pryor Institute.

Dove, Tenn.

Special to the News.

It will be a surprise to the many friends of Mr. John Tate and Miss Louise Hayes to learn of their wedding. They were quietly married at Whitwell last Sunday, Rev. Clonch officiating. They will leave soon for New York and Washington City for several weeks' stay, after which they will return to Nashville, their future home.

Rev. Jack Willis preached at the Institute Sunday.

Miss Beulah Martin, of Oak Grove, is visiting here this week.

Misses Martha and Maggie Tate of Jasper, are visiting relatives here.

The little infant of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Crow is real sick.

Messrs. K. Tate and son, Rollie, and Spencer and Ed Anderson went to Nashville Friday.

Mrs. Jesse Thatch is spending a few days here visiting friends.

Mr. Dave Martin, who has been sick, is rapidly improving.

Joe Raulston, of So. Pittsburg was in our vicinity Monday. Rosebud.

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JASPER, TENN.

Played to a Tie.

Alvin Spears' mighty sluggers from Ridgedale, were here Saturday and played the locals an interesting game. The contest was close throughout, and neither side could claim any advantage.

The Lewis brothers from Jasper, formed the battery for the Ridgedales, and did excellent work in keeping the Sequachees from batting the ball hard at critical times. Ridgedale also secured the two double plays made, the locals developing some stupid baserunning.

Barrett pitched eight of the nine innings for Sequachee and while not professing to be a league pitcher, did well. Alton acted on the receiving end. In the last half of the eighth, Sequachee was three runs to the bad. Hill, the first up, was hit by the ball, and went to first, stealing second, and third. Daffron hit safely and brought him in. Alton singled and brought Daffron to third. Curtis singled, bringing in Daffron, and Alton scored on a hit by Houts, tying the score. Barrett, DeSaba and Deakins went out in succession. Neither side scored in the 9th, and the game was left a tie. Houts pitched in the first half of ninth, and retired the Ridgedales on eleven delivered balls.

The same teams will play here Saturday, June 12.

The score:
Innings. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
Sequachee. 2 2 0 1 0 1 0 3 0—9
Ridgedale. 1 2 0 2 0 2 0 2 0—9
Umpire—Randle.

Catholic Lectures.

A series of lectures have been given at the schoolhouse this week commencing Monday night, by Rev. Fr. Robt. A. Skinner, of Winchester, Tenn., a member of the Paulist Order. His subject Monday night was "The Divinity of Christ," and was heard with attention by a large audience. Tuesday night he spoke on "Reading the Bible," and last night his subject was "The True Church." Tonight he will speak on the "Lord's Supper," and tomorrow night on "Confession."

These lectures have been a decided innovation in this community, the majority of those attending never having heard the doctrines of Catholicism explained. Father Skinner talks in clear phrase, making no attempt at oratory, but giving the fundamental doctrines of the church in a terse and lucid style. He is abundantly supplied with both historical and biblical references to prove his points, and the Question Box feature, whereby he answers questions propounded to him in writing, is an interesting feature and causes much comment.

Nothing Doing.

The lightning rod agent stopped before the farmhouse and addressed the old man who was sitting in the door way sharpening his jack-knife.

"Anything doing in my line today, sir?" he asked.

"I dunno, what's yer line?" asked the farmer.

"Lightning rods," said the agent.

"What good be they?" demanded the farmer.

"They'll save your house from ketchin' fire if it's struck," explained the agent hopefully.

"Git out of here, gol dern ye!" cried the farmer wrathfully. "I bin payin' seven dollars a year insurance on this here shack of mine fer the last ten years, and nothin's happened yet. My luck's bad enough as it is with-out your adding to it your pesky old fandangoes. How in heck d'ye think I'll ever get my money back with one o' them things around."—Judge.

Italian women may not engage in any industrial pursuit which occupies their time at night. Males under fifteen years of age are also barred from night work.

Mars Hill.

Special to the News.

Going to meeting is the order of the day.

We have had a two weeks meeting just closed and it was a glorious meeting. It was held by Holiness preachers, and we were very sorry to see them leave. The Northern Methodists started up their protracted meeting at the same place and we pray that the Lord will be with them.

The people of Tracy City and surrounding place are just getting half work and the other half play, but we are looking for better times soon. We writers hope it will soon be all work and not so much play.

A. C. Levan and wife and Miss Reanie Shrum and Misses Etta and Nettie Kilgore visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Levan Sunday.

S. M. Parnley and wife visited Willie Barth Sunday.

We had a good rain Sunday evening, but it didn't reach Pryor Ridge.

S. R. Levan was the guest of his father Sunday.

Come on all of ye writers. It seems like a good many of you have stopped writing. I like to read every letter that is put in the News. Come on, "Slim Jim," from Flat Creek. I know who you are and you don't know how proud I would be if I could see you. There are two boys at Cole Creek that I would love to hear from and I can't hardly wait until my paper comes to read the good News from everywhere. I could never give up the Sequachee News as long as I can raise 50c to pay for it. May the Lord be with the dear old editor for many years.

Miss Nannie Floyd is very poorly. Hope she will soon be up again.

Would like to hear from the Sequachee boys. W. T. L.

Two big vessels for use in the Pacific trade are now building at the Mitsubishi dockyards for the Oriental Steamship Company. One is of 13,500 tons and two of 9,250 tons each.

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Mch. 3....	48,430	Mch. 18....	47,380
Mch. 4....	47,540	Mch. 19....	47,340
Mch. 5....	47,580	Mch. 20....	56,660
Mch. 6....	48,300	Mch. 21....	Sunday
Mch. 7....	Sunday	Mch. 22....	45,599
Mch. 8....	46,040	Mch. 23....	45,290
Mch. 9....	46,640	Mch. 24....	44,470
Mch. 10....	47,370	Mch. 25....	44,490
Mch. 11....	46,030	Mch. 26....	44,170
Mch. 12....	46,790	Mch. 27....	45,730
Mch. 13....	49,010	Mch. 28....	Sunday
Mch. 14....	Sunday	Mch. 29....	44,170
Mch. 15....	46,829	Mch. 30....	42,860
		Mch. 31....	43,090
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