

When "Dixie" is the Tune.

(Harris Merton Lyon, in Bob Taylor's.)

All people have their favorite tunes it pleases them to hear;
Some dote on comic op'ry song, an' some on Meyerbeer.
But no matter what their preference is, be it Irish song or coon,
All hats come off an' a cheer goes up when Dixie is the tune—

"Oh, I wish't I was in Dixie!"
You can see 'em swing their feet
When "Away Down South in Dixie"
Comes a-floatin' up the street.

There's different kinds o' music that appeals to different men;
Some want new tunes, an' others want the old ones o'er again;
But an air that cheers each listener, that's bound to fetch him soon
Is the one that thrills his waitin' ear when Dixie is the tune.

"Oh, I wish't I was in Dixie!"
You can see 'em swing their feet
When "Away Down South in Dixie"
Comes a-floatin' up the street.

An' if in times to come the earth will be in perfect peace,
They'll need a lot of music then to make their troubles cease;
An' I'll bet that when they want a song for that millennial day
Dan Emmett's tune o' Dixie will be the tune they'll play!

"Oh, I wish't I was in Dixie!"
You can see 'em swing their feet
When "Away Down South in Dixie"
Comes a-floatin' up the street.

VETERANS MET IN GREENVILLE.

Seven Hundred Dollar Dinner Enjoyed by Old Army.

Greenville, Aug. 12.—South Carolina Confederate Veterans gathered here to-day for the annual reunion of the men who wore the grey.

The most notable event of the reunion to-day was the address of Col. R. E. Lee, of Virginia, which was delivered in the Chicora auditorium. Other addresses were delivered by Governor Ansel, Col. A. H. Dean and Gen. Thos. W. Carville, of Edgefield. After the addresses dinner was served to the veterans on the college campus, and a rare old time was enjoyed by the remnants of the thin gray line. A routine business meeting was held this afternoon, presided over by Gen. Carville, commanding the veterans, while the Sons of Veterans held a session in the chapel of Greenville Female College. To-night at Chicora the address before the Sons was delivered by the Rev. Dr. O. J. Copeland, of Gainesville, Ga., whose subject was "The Old South." Dr. Copeland is a South Carolinian, and his address was heard by a large audience.

Dr. Copeland is probably one of the most brilliant platform speakers in the South to-day. His address to-night was one of the finest ever heard here. The old South and its ideals was a subject that appealed directly to every Veteran's heart, and tremendous bursts of enthusiasm greeted peroration after peroration. Dr. Copeland is a native of Anderson county, and is now pastor of the First Baptist church at Gainesville.

Col. Lee's address was a magnificent tribute to the Confederate soldier, his ideals, his hopes, his aspirations, and his wonderful powers of endurance.

The oration was a finished masterpiece, and the enthusiasm of the immense gathering was unbounded. He reviewed the early history of the American Republic and showed the part the South took in the struggle for independence. "The descendants of these early American heroes were for the most part the men who filled the trenches in the days of the sixties," declared Col. Lee. "They are the men who have made the South the fairest and dearest spot on God's footstool. The devastation of the South in the war was the most terrible affliction that ever befell a people. Not only were our cities laid waste, but even the fields were rifled and the barns plundered."

Col. Lee is a relative of the famous Confederate general. He has the same fire in his eye, and his face is marked with many resemblances to the beloved chieftain. Facing several thousand Veterans and Sons to-day he brought them a new message—orders that read "Peace, Love and Honor." "It is not my province," he said, "to defend the Confederate soldier. His best defense is his honor and valor and the spirit in which he met duty. It is my greatest heritage that I am the son of a Confederate soldier." When Col. Lee finished speaking the entire audience was on its feet, and one loud, long cheer was sent toward the auditorium's beautifully decorated dome.

The dinner to the Veterans, which was served on the campus, was an ample and capable affair, costing \$700, and over 2,500 were fed. The great tables, spread under the oaks and in the shadow of Chicora's impressive and classic colonnade, crowded with the battle-scarred veterans of the sixties, was a sight never to be forgotten. The dinner was served by Daughters of the local camp, and was interspersed with many a story of stirring heroism.

At a meeting of the Sons of Veterans, held in the Greenville Female College parlors this afternoon, it was decided to organize the South Carolina Society of the Sons of Confederate Veterans. Life membership to cost \$5. The society will be fashioned after the Society of the Cincinnati or the Sons of the American Revolution. George Bell Timmerman, of Batesburg, presided, and the first member enrolled was Mayor R. Goodwyn Rhett, of Charleston, who was present. An interesting feature of the meeting was a brief address by Col. R. E. Lee, of Virginia, son of Gen. W. F. M. Lee, and grandson of the great Confederate chieftain. It was decided at the meeting to ask all local camps of Sons of Veterans to join the South Carolina Society. The meeting was enthusiastic and was addressed by Messrs. Felder of Blackville, Bonham of Anderson, Irwine of Greenville, and Timmerman of Batesburg.

Reunion Draws to Close.
(Greenville News, 14th.)
The annual reunion of the veterans

of the Civil War has drawn to a close. It has been a continued round of good fellowship and fraternal greetings. Only those who have mingled with the throngs and talked with the old soldiers or heard them talk as they scattered throughout the city can appreciate the deep significance of such an event to the old soldiers themselves.

Much of the time yesterday was taken up with business sessions, but there was the splendid patriotic address of Col. Armstrong, the presentation of the sponsors and the maids of honor, the parade and the event closed with a brilliant ball to the ladies.

As to Pensions.
At the business session Wednesday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Curtis, of Camp Heyward, of Walterboro, offered the following resolutions, which were referred to the committee on resolutions:

Walterboro, S. C., July 11, 1908.—Camp Heyward, No. 462, U. C. V.; Overtures the United Confederate Veterans of South Carolina in convention assembled at Greenville, S. C.

To overture the Legislature of South Carolina to pass an act increasing the pensions of Confederate soldiers similar to the acts passed by the States of Georgia and Florida, to wit:

To give every Confederate soldier over 61 years of age, who has been living in this State ten years, one hundred dollars, and to every widow of a Confederate soldier, fifty dollars, when over sixty years of age, resident also ten years in the State.

The committee on resolutions, after considering the matter, refused to embody this document in the general resolutions to be offered, and Mr. Curtis took the matter up in the shape of a minority report, asking the convention in general assembly to pass upon the matter. Mr. Curtis made a strong speech in behalf of the resolutions when he called upon the matter immediately after the convention had assembled yesterday morning. He declared that great wrongs were being practiced.

"I don't know what else you would call it," he declared, "but fraud. You might use some other name, but that is what it amounts to. I believe that there is a lot of fraud in the pension business. I am not charging any one in particular with fraud, but we are satisfied, and our counties are no exception to the rule that there are comrades accepting pensions who have no right whatever to them. There are men who are claiming to be 60 years of age who are not that old; there are men who have made over their property to their families and are drawing pensions on the ground that their income is of such and such an amount. I see men wearing crosses who must have been kids during the war."

Mr. Curtis declared that the veterans should not only take up the matter of the amount of the pensions, but should see that they were paid only to those who were worthy of them and who had a right to receive aid from the people of the State. He said that in Georgia they gave \$1,000,000 to the Confederate veterans every year. "South Carolina can give one million a year to the old soldier as easily as Georgia," he said.

"Can't we reach this question in some way?" he asked. "I tell you, my comrades, I had rather see less money given to that Orangeburg school, and more given to the Confederate soldier."

Gen. Carville in putting the question before the convention said: "I would say that I have also noticed this matter, and will say that there are great frauds being perpetrated in the pension laws of South Carolina. I will also go farther and say that the only way to remedy this is for the veterans of each county to check up the boards of their respective counties, and see that they do not give anything to people who are not entitled to it." (Loud applause.)

A motion was made to adopt the report of the committee on resolutions, which did not contain the resolution offered by Camp Heyward. This motion was carried, and the resolution regarding pensions was therefore lost.

Veterans Request to Pardon.
The next business taken up was the resolutions offered by Col. W. W. Lumpkin, requesting the Governor to pardon Daniel Zimmerman, a veteran of the Civil War, who is now serving a sentence in the State penitentiary. The resolutions are as follows:
"Resolved, That we, the Confederate veterans of South Carolina, in convention assembled, respectfully request His Excellency, the Honorable M. F. Ansel, Governor of South Carolina, to grant a full and com-

plete pardon to Daniel Zimmerman, an old Confederate soldier, now confined in the State penitentiary of South Carolina, having been convicted of a felony. We ask this because he is a very old man, is now in very feeble health, and unable to do any work, and we believe has suffered sufficiently to satisfy all the demands of the law. He was a brave Confederate soldier, and always bore a character above reproach except for this one offense. Capt. D. J. Griffith, superintendent, and the physician of the penitentiary, will both certify that the said Daniel Zimmerman is in very frail health and unable to do any work. Believing that in his case the law has been satisfied, the Confederate soldiers of South Carolina respectfully ask the Governor to pardon this old soldier and let his last days be spent at his home, holding again the hands of his old gray haired wife."

Col. Lumpkin made an eloquent address in presenting the resolutions, stating that Mr. Zimmerman was a brave soldier and had erred only in a moment of great trial and distress. He said that there were no politics whatever in the matter; that the committee would not present the resolutions until after the election. The resolutions were adopted by a unanimous rising vote.

South Carolina Monument.

W. A. Gibbes, captain of Company D, 16th South Carolina, offered a resolution in response to a meeting of the survivors of the 16th, 17th, 22d, 23d, 24th, 26th, and the Holcombe Legion, Culpepper's, Ferguson's, Watts's and McBeth's Battery of South Carolina. The resolution was unanimously adopted and reads as follows:

"That the United Confederate veterans, in convention assembled at Greenville, do most earnestly approve the erection of a South Carolina monument on the Vicksburg National Park commemorating the heroism and desperate valor of South Carolina's sons who, on the many historic fields of the Vicksburg campaign, proved their loyalty and devotion to their State."

Resolution of Thanks.

Col. W. W. Lumpkin offered suitable resolutions thanking the people of Greenville, the ladies in particular, the newspapers, the president of Chicora College, and the reunion officers, for the many kindnesses and hospitality extended to the veterans.

Closing Addresses.

Following the business meeting was the presentation of the sponsors to the convention. Gen. Carville asked Governor W. L. Mauldin to introduce Col. James Armstrong, of Charleston, to make the presentation speech. Governor Mauldin introduced the speaker in a few well chosen words. Col. Armstrong made a decided hit with the veterans. He told many jokes and uttered numerous witty remarks, which pleased the old soldiers immensely. Col. Armstrong, speaking as one who had fought on the battlefields, spoke of the wonderful campaigns and military achievements of the Southern soldier, and paid the wearers of the gray a glowing tribute. Like the other speakers of the reunion, he praised the women of the South, declaring that they had suffered more than the soldiers themselves.

Mrs. F. L. Mayes responded to the address of Col. Armstrong. Her remarks were enthusiastically cheered by the veterans.

"The Old Kentucky Home."

Gen. Carville brought to the attention of the convention the movement now on foot to purchase the old Kentucky home, where Jefferson Davis was born. He said that the people of the North had purchased and perpetuated the birthplace of Abraham Lincoln, and thought the South should do the same for their great statesman. He said that he had a number of certificates, which he would issue to any veteran, son or daughter, who paid the sum of one dollar into the treasury of the association which has charge of the matter. He said that one dollar would make a person a life member of the association.

The "Rebel Yell" Once More.

In conclusion, the sponsors sang "The Southern Girl" and "Dixie," and the old veterans once more gave the piercing "Rebel Yell."

After a very fine dinner the veterans again filled the auditorium, and really one of the most interesting meetings of the reunion was held. The occasion was referred to in the program as "Experiences and Anecdotes," and was a meeting of just that character. Experiences of innumerable kinds were described, not from what others told about, but told by men who had really had such experiences. Some were amusing, some were of hard luck, while many were pathetic and touching in the extreme.

Whether these stories will be preserved is not known, but they should have been, because they throw side lights upon the events of those days of privation and anguish which would not only be of incalculable value to future historians, but as a matter of simple justice to the "Lost Cause."

August time tells on the nerves. But that spiritless, no ambition feeling can be easily and quickly altered by taking what is known by druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Within 48 hours after beginning to use the Restorative, improvement will be noticed. Of course full health will not immediately return. The gain, however, will surely follow. And best of all, you will realize and feel your strength and ambition as it is returning. Outside influences depress first the "inside nerves" then the stomach, heart and kidneys will usually fail. Strengthen these falling nerves with Dr. Shoop's Restorative and see how quickly health will be yours again. Sold by J. W. Bell.

Georgia Legislature Adjourned.

Atlanta, Aug. 13.—The Legislature adjourned sine die at 3 o'clock this morning without further action on the convict lease question, leaving that, at the Governor's suggestion, to an extra session of the Legislature, which will be called to meet within the next two weeks.

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HON. J. Q. MARSHALL DEAD.
Was One of Columbia's Most Popular and Trusted Citizens.

Col. J. Q. Marshall, of Columbia, died at Buffalo Lithia Springs, Va., Wednesday of last week. Just a few days before his death he left Columbia for a stay of a few weeks at the Virginia resort for a little rest. The Columbia State, in speaking of his death, says:

"There was probably no man in Columbia more beloved than John Quitman Marshall. He was born in this city in 1849, the son of Col. and Mrs. J. Foster Marshall, of Abbeville. His father was a gallant Confederate soldier, who died leading his regiment in a charge, and in his family there were a number of men who distinguished themselves for gallantry."

"He received his early education in Abbeville and afterwards graduated at the University of South Carolina in 1873. Afterwards he was admitted to the bar and commenced the practice of law in this city. He took a prominent part in the fight for Reconstruction and was elected trial justice of the city of Columbia in 1876. He administered the oath of office to Wade Hampton, who had been declared elected Governor of the State, and his wise counsel in Democratic affairs did much to help the party in their fight."

"Col. Marshall was always a public-spirited citizen. He served as Secretary of State from 1886 to 1890 and was afterwards Senator from Richland county. While in public office the confidence of the people in him was so great that they insisted on his having charge of the completion of the State House. His memorable fight for a change in the plans is well remembered by the people of the State. Afterwards he secured an appropriation for finishing the inside work of the Capitol according to his conception of the plans of Niernsee."

"Later Col. Marshall was appointed on the commission for the erection of a Confederate Home in Columbia and only a few weeks ago was made chairman of the Street Commission for the paving of Main street. In all of this work he took the greatest of interest, and on the day of his departure for the summer resort remarked that he would return in a few days to continue his work for the city."

"Col. Marshall's work in organizing the first street railway in Columbia, in backing up the work of the Columbia Water Power Company, in lighting the streets with electricity and other public enterprises is too well known to Columbians to need review."

Col. Marshall had, for years, been a sufferer from valvular heart trouble, and this was the immediate cause of his death.

Col. Marshall is survived by his wife, who was Miss Janie Adams Brooks, daughter of Major J. Hampton Brooks, and four children.

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CAPTAIN "BILLY" SMITH.
In Railroad Service Fifty Years—Ten Stripes on Sleeve.

(Anderson Mall.)

Capt. "Billy" Smith, the veteran conductor, has completed his 50th year in the service of the Southern Railway, and the tenth stripe, each stripe indicating five years of service, has been added on his sleeve. There are but few persons living in South Carolina who do not know "Capt. Billy," and they are still fewer who do not have the greatest respect for him. It is and has been for years and years a pleasure to be a passenger on Capt. Billy's train. He is always most attentive and does not fail to supply a want. In fact there is not a more attentive conductor on the road to-day than this veteran conductor who has given the major part of his life to the Southern road.

The officials of the road undoubtedly appreciate Mr. Smith's long and continued service. They have made several attempts to show their appreciation, but "Capt. Billy" is not the kind to take advantage of snaps. He believes in every man doing his work until he becomes disabled. He does not feel like taking the money from the road without services rendered.

It was several weeks ago that Capt. Billy served out his 50th year. He is very proud of his ten stripes, and he is justly so.

Mrs. M. A. Dean, Mrs. W. W. Robinson and Mrs. T. A. Ratliffe are daughters of Capt. Smith, and Hon. Kurtz P. Smith is a son. They are residents of Anderson.

What a New Jersey Editor Says.

M. T. Lynch, editor of the Phillipsburg (N. J.) Daily Post, writes: "I have used many kinds of medicines for coughs and colds in my family, but never anything so good as Foley's Honey and Tar. I cannot say too much in praise of it. Sold by all druggists."

CAMPAIGN MEETINGS.

State Officers.
Pickens, Thursday, August 20.
Greenville, Friday, August 21.
Laurens, Saturday, August 22.

Senator and Solicitor.
St. George, Thursday, August 20.
Orangeburg, Friday, August 21.
St. Matthews, Saturday, August 22.

FOR "GREATER SENECA."
Chamber of Commerce Seeks to Build Up the Town.

Seneca, Aug. 10.—Editors Keowee Courier: The Seneca Chamber of Commerce met in regular session on the 6th instant at 8.30 p. m. The advisability of inaugurating a system of advertising Seneca was discussed, and the chamber, by unanimous vote, authorized the advertising committee to devise a scheme of advertising, to be submitted at the next regular meeting, which will be on September 3d, for discussion.

It was also moved and carried that lights and water for Seneca be made a special order for the September meeting. Every member is urged to be present, and the Board of Commissioners of Public Works are requested to make a report of their findings to date.

The Chamber of Commerce does not expect or hope to devise, construct, equip and manage large enterprises, but it is intended to be a nucleus of business men, a heart center, from which a larger and better Seneca will grow. Membership is not limited to town lines; the constitution provides that membership be limited to Seneca township. Applications for membership will be gladly received from any one in said district who has the welfare of Seneca at heart.

W. S. Hunter, who needs no introduction to Oconee citizens, President, with W. K. Livingston, Vice President.

Jos. H. Burgess, Secretary.

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Election Tickets Now Ready.

To the Managers of the Primary Election: The tickets for the county officers are now ready for distribution. One of the managers at each precinct will please call or send for same.
J. W. Shelor,
County Chairman.

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