

MONUMENT AT CHICKAMAUGA.

Programme of the Unveiling Ceremonies.

The unveiling and dedication of the Monument on the Chickamauga Battlefield, which South Carolinians erecting to her sons who fought and who died on that historic spot, will take place May 27, 1901.

The date was arranged so that the veterans, sons and others going to the Memphis reunion, could easily stop over and take part.

The Chickamauga Commission extend through the press of the State a cordial invitation to all the citizens of South Carolina, to join in the most impressive and interesting ceremonies.

For the convenience of Veterans, Sons, the State volunteer troops and all citizens attending, the Southern railway has made special arrangements and this route will be the official route.

This official train will be run down to Lytle Station, near the Battlefield and about half a mile from the site of the South Carolina Monument. The distance can be easily walked, but arrangements will be made for hacks to carry over such visitors as prefer riding and paying.

At the Station the procession will be joined by Gen. J. W. Carnish, Chief Marshal.

1. Band.
2. South Carolina Volunteers, State Troops, under command of an officer to be designated by Adjutant General Floyd.
3. Sons of Confederate Veterans, under command of Walter H. Hunt.
4. Veterans of South Carolina Division U. C. V.
5. Visiting Veterans.
6. Distinguished Guests in Carriages.
7. Visitors.

The column will march by the road skirting along the Southern base of Snodgrass Range. As they strike the Vitello House they will see a large marker, marked 10th and 19th South Carolina regiments fought for three hours on Snodgrass Range above this point.

Gathered under and around the battle-scarred flag of the 10th South Carolina regiment, which led them to victory on the heights above, will be the visiting veterans of that command.

The procession will salute and uncover as it passes the group of heroes. Further on is a similar marker marked 24th South Carolina regiment and Culpepper's Battery, fought about one mile to the northeast of this point, and near it the flags and the men of those gallant commands.

Again the procession salutes.

Further on, as the road to the South Carolina Monument leaves the main road, will be found another marker to the immortal men of Kershaw's brigade, marked "Kershaw's Brigade, 2d, 3d, 7th, 8th and 15th South Carolina regiments and James' South Carolina Battalion, fought for five hours on Snodgrass Range above this point." The battle flags and heroes of Kershaw will be saluted.

The procession now arrives on the ground sacred to the valor and the worth of South Carolina's Sons, for it was that over which Kershaw swept, as he drove the enemy back to their last stand on the ridge.

Arriving at the monument, the veterans will press to the front, the State Volunteer troops saluting.

The Park Commissioners will have erected a large stage and sufficient seating capacity for the veterans and visitors. Governor McSweeney, Governor of the State and Chairman of the Commission, will preside.

The meeting will be opened with prayer by the Rev. Dr. J. H. Thornwell, Chaplain General South Carolina Division U. C. V.

General C. I. Walker, one who won distinction on this and other battlefields, now the beloved commander of the South Carolina Division U. C. V., and who has taken a deep interest in and materially aided in the accomplishment of the memorial about to be dedicated, and a leading member of the commission, will then deliver the historical address.

Addresses will then be made by the Hon. N. S. Henderson of the Senate and Col. J. Harvey Wilson of the House of Representatives, through the liberality of which bodies South Carolina has done this justice to her heroic sons.

An address will then be made by the General, now the beloved Bishop, Ellison Capers, who served on this battlefield with his well known Infantry. Bishop Capers' address will lead up to the unveiling which will be done by four young ladies, representing each one of the four South Carolina Commands engaged in the battle.

For Kershaw's Brigade—Miss Elberta Bland, a granddaughter of the distinguished Col. Elbert Bland, who gave

up his life fighting with Kershaw on Snodgrass Range.

For 10th and 19th South Carolina regiment—Miss Ada Orio Walker, a granddaughter of Gen. C. I. Walker.

For 24th South Carolina regiment—Miss Marie DuPre, grand niece of Col. C. H. Stevens, who gallantly led the 24th South Carolina regiment in the battle, and also the grand niece of Lieut. Colonel Ellison Capers, who succeeded Col. Stevens in the command of the regiment.

For Culpepper's Battery—Miss As the ribbons are pulled the cover will fall and show one of the handsomest Monuments in the Park. It is built of South Carolina granite, a fit emblem of the heroic stand made by the South Carolinians on this field—on either side is a bronze statue, original, and made especially for this work, an Infantryman on one side and an Artilleryman on the other. South Carolina had no cavalry in this battle.

Crowning the whole is a bronze Palmetto of exquisite workmanship, surpassing in truthfulness to nature the wonderful bronze Palmetto at the State House.

On the front of the upper stone is the Shield of South Carolina in Bronze.

The inscriptions are as follows: On the front, composed by Bishop Capers, with grand simplicity. To her faithful Sons at Chickamauga, South Carolina Erects this Monument to Commemorate the valor they proved, and the lives they gave on this battlefield.

On the back: Kershaw's Brigade, 2d South Carolina regiment, 3d South Carolina, regiment, 7th South Carolina regiment, 8th South Carolina regiment, James' 3d South Carolina Battalion: Killed, 65; Wounded, 438; Missing, 1.

Of Manigault's Brigade, 10th South Carolina regiment, 19th South Carolina regiment, consolidated: Killed, 28; mortally wounded, 40; wounded, 170.

Gist's Brigade 24th South Carolina regiment, Killed, 43; Wounded, 114; missing, 12.

Culpepper's Battery, Wounded, 14. The total height of the monument is 33 feet. The work was done by the Stewart Stone Co., Columbia, S. C., and reflects the highest credit on their artistic taste and skill.

As soon as the monument is unveiled Gov. McSweeney will turn it over to the Park Commission and it will be received by Gen. Henry V. Boynton, the chairman.

The ceremonies having ended, the crowd will disperse over the battlefield to study and admire it.

The official trains will return to Chattanooga in the afternoon, and after time for supper, etc., the veterans for Memphis will speed on their way, reaching that point early on the morning of the 28th May. The other visitors will take the train for North Carolina.

Around the monument is a 12 feet circular pavement of cement, faced with granite.

The markers for South Carolina troops are placed on the battlefield as follows:

Kershaw's Brigade—On the slope of Snodgrass Range, one for each of the regiments.

For 10th and 19th South Carolina regiments the position in general during the afternoon is shown by the guns of Dent's Battery on the crest of the ridge. Advancing from this point, they made repeated charges on the enemy, and the point of furthest advance is shown by the South Carolina marker.

For the 28th South Carolina regiment the marker is placed on Kelley's Farm, near the "Bloody Angle," and near the Shell Monument to their Brigade Commander Colquitt.

For Culpepper's Battery in the Poe Field, near the Georgia Monument.

It is hoped that Gen. Gordon, Commander U. C. V., on his way to Memphis will be able to stop over and take part in the ceremonies.

Gov. A. C. Chandler, of Georgia, has been most pressing invited and writes that himself and staff will be present "unless providentially hindered."

The commission had to fix the day for the unveiling to take it on the way to the Memphis reunion. At the close of these reunions, the veterans scatter and it would be hard to get them together for any ceremony returning. The reunions usually commence on Wednesday, but this year it begins on Tuesday, which necessitated the selection of Monday. This forced the commencement of the monument in Chickamauga on Sunday.

While it will not prevent the great mass of veterans and visitors leaving home on that day, there are many who have conscientious scruples against traveling on Sunday. The unveiling of a monument is held as holy an object as one could have, and would certainly excuse all such. But the commission asked for and have secured the date of selling tickets to commence Saturday, so any one can reach Chattanooga from South Carolina before Sunday.

The battle flag, around which the veterans of the 10th and 19th South Carolina regiments will assemble, is the worn and tattered flag of the 10th South Carolina regiment. It was saved from surrender almost providentially. At the Battle of Bentonville the 10th South Carolina regiment, then commanded by Capt. R. Z. Harlee, penetrated the enemy's line, but reinforcements coming up, the line was reformed and Capt. Harlee, Sergeant Albert A. Myers, bearing the flag, and about twenty men, half of the regiment, so reduced was it, were out off, they took to the swamp, hid until night. Sergeant Myers threw away the staff and put the flag under his clothing. The party made their way through the swamp and got back to the Confederate lines. The remnants of the 10th and 19th South Carolina regiments were subsequently consolidated into Walker's South Carolina Battalion, and so surrendered. When Col. Walker returned from wounded furlough, he could learn nothing of the 10th regiment's flag, that of the 19th South Carolina being used as the Battalion colors and at the surrender properly surrendered to as the flag of the Battalion. As Col. Walker rode out of camp on the way home Capt. Harlee handed him a package, giving it with express stipulation that it should not be opened until he reached home. When he reached home he opened it and found the flag of the 10th South Carolina regiment. He has treasured it most sacredly ever since. The upper half of the flag staff is a piece of the flag staff of Fort Sumter, which was used by Maj. Anderson during the attack on the Fort of April, 1861. It was given to Col. Joseph Walker, the father of Col. C. I. Walker, by Gen. Beauregard.

Altogether the flag staff is a most historically valuable memento.

It was proposed to first lay the corner stone of the monument before the dedication, but the elaborate masonic ceremonies would have taken too much time from the limited time available, so this function had to be reluctantly dispensed with. The monument has a corner stone and in it will be deposited:

PRINTED BOOKS.

1. Col. Dickert's valuable sketch of Kershaw's Brigade.
2. Col. C. I. Walker's sketch of the 10th South Carolina Regiment, typewritten manuscript.
3. Sketch of 10th and 19th South Carolina regiments, by Gen. Ellison Walker for Adjutant General of South Carolina.
4. Sketch of 15th and 24th South Carolina regiments, by Gen. Ellison Capers.
5. Sketch of Culpepper's Battery.
6. Rolls of 19th and 24th South Carolina regiments and Culpepper's Battery—the rolls of Kershaw's Brigade being in Capt. Dickert's book, and of 10th South Carolina regiment in Col. Walker's book.
7. Commissions as follows:

Commissions appointed under authority of the State of South Carolina to locate positions of South Carolina Troops, and to erect a Monument and Markers to the same, on the Battlefield of Chickamauga:

First commission, to locate positions of South Carolina Troops, visited the battlefield, May 18th, 1894, and located the position thereof.

Gen. Hugh L. Farley, Adjutant and Inspector General, South Carolina; Maj. O. K. Henderson, Capt. E. J. Gogans, Maj. J. D. McLucas, Veterans Kershaw's Brigade.

Gen. C. I. Walker, Capt. R. F. McCalan, L. P. Harling, veterans of 10th and 19th South Carolina regiments.

Capt. Thos. J. Appleby, Veteran of 24th South Carolina regiment.

Capt. J. F. Culpepper, Lieut. Perry Moses, Veterans of Culpepper's Battery.

The above commission recommended that suitable Monument and Markers be erected. In response thereto, the

Second commission was appointed under authority of a Joint Resolution of the General Assembly, December 22d, 1894, to select designs and secure estimates for said Monument and Markers: Gen. C. Irvine Walker, Maj. J. D. McLucas, Maj. C. K. Henderson.

The above second commission selected designs, secured estimates and reported to the next session of the General Assembly, but no appropriation was made.

At its convention of the South Carolina Division, United Confederate Veterans, decided to memorialize the General Assembly and urge that proper respect be paid to South Carolina's Sons, who fought and who died at

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Third commission was authorized by the General Assembly, at its session of 1900, and an appropriation of \$10,000 was made for the erection of said Monument and Markers, to be erected by the commission, at such places as it may decide on. The commission was to consist of the Governor, Adjutant and Inspector General, and three Confederate Veterans. It was as follows:

Gov. Miles B. McSweeney, Chairman; Gen. C. Irvine Walker, Secretary, Veteran.

Gen. J. W. Floyd, Adjutant and Inspector General South Carolina, Veteran, but appointed Ex-officio.

Maj. C. K. Henderson, Col. J. Harvey Wilson, Veterans.

Under the supervision of the above third commission, the South Carolina Monument, in the corner stone of which this record is deposited, was erected. It was dedicated, unveiled and turned over to the commissioners of the Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Park this twenty-seventh day of May, A. D. 1901.

Also were erected the Granite Markers for the various commands of South Carolinians as follows:

One to Kershaw's Brigade, and one to each of its regiments, i. e. 2d, 3d, 7th, 8th and 15th South Carolina regiments, and James' South Carolina Battalion on Snodgrass Range.

One to the 10th and 19th South Carolina regiment on Snodgrass Range.

One to the 24th South Carolina regiment on the Kelly Farm, near the Shell Monument to Col. Colquitt.

One to Culpepper's Battery in the Poe field.

All of which is duly certified to by Miles B. McSweeney, Governor of South Carolina and Chairman of Commission.

C. Irvine Walker, Secretary of Commission.

Now She Hates Him.

A young man and a young woman lean over the front gate. They are lovers. It is moonlight. He is loath to leave, as the parting is the last. He is about to go away. She is reluctant to see him depart. They swing on the gate.

"I'll never forget you," he says, "and if death should claim me my last thought will be of you."

"I'll be true to you," she sobs. "I'll never see anybody else or love them as long as I live."

They part.

Six years later he returns. His sweetheart of former years has married. They meet at a party. She has changed greatly. Between the dances the recognition takes place.

"Let me see," she muses, with her fan beating a tattoo on her pretty hand, "was it you or your brother who was my old sweetheart?"

"Really I don't know," he says. "Probably my father."—London Answers.

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