

ONE MORE BATTLE

That Was What General Lee Wanted Before Yielding.

HIS TALK WITH LONGSTREET.

Major Ranson's Interesting Account of the Scene in the Confederate Commander's Cheerless Tent the Night Before the Surrender.

An interesting account of the dramatic scene at General Lee's headquarters the night before the surrender, when the Confederate commander was still determined to strike one more blow for the cause for which he was fighting, is given by Major A. R. H. Ranson in Harper's Magazine. Major Ranson writes:

"When I arrived at headquarters General Lee was in a tent, sitting with General Longstreet on some bundles of rye straw, the ground being wet from the rain, at the upper side of the tent, with one candle for a light. I made my report, and the general told me to wait, as he wished to see me. He asked me if I had had anything to eat, and I told him no. He said he was sorry he had nothing to offer me. He gave me a bundle of straw and told me to sit near the door.

"It had been raining all afternoon, and I was quite wet. I was also very tired, so I put my foot through the bridle rein of my mare standing outside and, lying down on the bundle of straw, was soon asleep.

"I was awakened by voices and, looking up, saw the colonel I had left in charge of the troops at the bridge standing in the tent. He reported that the rations had not arrived, and the starving and discouraged troops had all deserted in the darkness, leaving their arms in the trenches.

"General Lee heard him to the end of his account, and then with a wave of his hand dismissed him. Turning to General Longstreet, he said: 'This is very bad. That man is whipped. It is the first time I have seen one of my officers who had been whipped. It is very bad.'

"The conversation between the generals was then resumed in low tones, and I again fell asleep. I must have slept for some length of time when I was awakened by General Lee's voice, speaking in loud tones, louder than I had ever heard from him. He was saying, 'General Longstreet, I will strike that man a blow in the morning.' General Lee sometimes spoke of General Grant as 'that man' and of the Federal army as 'those people.'

"General Longstreet replied in low tones, giving the strength and condition of his command and the strength and position of the enemy, and concluded by saying, 'But you have only to give me the order and the attack will be made in the morning.' Again the conversation was resumed in low tones, and I fell asleep.

"I must have slept for an hour at least when again I was awakened by the loud, almost fierce, tones of General Lee, saying, 'I tell you, General Longstreet, I will strike that man a blow in the morning.' General Longstreet again recounted the difficulties, ending as before, 'General, you know you have only to give the order and the attack will be made, but I must tell you I think it will be a useless waste of brave lives.'

"Thinking I had been present long enough at such an interview, I coughed and got up from the straw and, drawing back the flaps of the tent, looked out into the darkness. General Lee said: 'Captain Ranson, I beg your pardon. I had forgotten you. Go now and get something to eat and some rest. I will see you in the morning.'

"I found my poor mare lying flat on her side in the rain and fast asleep. It was past midnight and very dark, but I reached our camp, though neither I nor my mare got anything to eat that night.

"The morning came, and I listened for the sound of our attack, but all was still. There was no attack. Our fighting days were over."

Prorogation is one of the most expensive forms of happiness.—Life.

STAKED HIS HEAD.

The Wager Sir William St. Clair Laid With King Robert Bruce.

Edwin Noble in "The Dog Lover's Book" recalls the historic story of the two famous deerhounds Help and Hold, a monument to which can be seen to this day at Roslin chapel.

The legend is that King Robert Bruce while hunting upon the Pentland hills had several times started a white deer, but had hitherto been unable to capture it. It had always so quickly outdistanced his own hounds that he began to imagine that it was gifted with supernatural powers and could not be overtaken by mortal dogs. Naturally his nobles agreed with him, as there was no one bold enough to affirm that he owned hounds which were better than those possessed by his sovereign.

There was, however, one exception, William St. Clair, who wagered his head that his two favorite hounds, Help and Hold, would kill the deer before she crossed the Pentland brook. Bruce accepted the challenge and wagered the forest of Pentland moor against Sir William's head.

The white deer was roused by a couple of bloodhounds and given a fair start before St. Clair released his two favorites. After a long chase, followed by Sir William and Bruce on horseback, the deer reached the brook, and Sir William, feeling sure that he had lost his wager, prepared to give himself into the hands of Bruce, but before the deer could get farther than halfway across Hold had seized her, and Help coming up at the same moment, they forced her to turn back. In the end she was killed within the stipulated boundary.

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NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County.

In the Matter of the Estate of Emery LaHue, deceased.

Notice is hereby given to all persons whom it may concern that Sarah LaHue, administratrix of the estate of Emery LaHue, deceased, has filed her final account and report in the administration of said estate; that the court has fixed Monday the 27th day of March, A. D., 1911, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon as the time, and the County Court House at Pendleton, Umatilla County, Oregon, as the place where all objections and exceptions to the said final account and report will be heard and the settlement thereof made.

Dated this 24th day of February, A. D., 1911.

(Sarah LaHue, Administratrix.
Peterson & Wilson, Attorneys.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County.

In the Matter of the Estate of James S. Henry, deceased:

Notice is hereby given to all persons whom it may concern that Elizabeth Henry has been appointed executrix of the last will and testament of J. S. Henry, deceased, has qualified as such and had letters testamentary issued to her. All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby required to present them, with proper vouchers, as required by law, to the said executrix at her home in Athena, Oregon, within six months of the date of the first publication of this notice, which said first publication is made on this 17th day of February, A. D., 1911, and will appear in the Athena Press newspaper for four consecutive weeks, the last publication appearing on the 17th day of March, A. D., 1911.

Dated this 17th day of February, A. D., 1911. Elizabeth Henry, Executrix.
Peterson & Wilson, Attys. for Executrix.

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RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$241,993.49
Overdrafts secured and unsecured	2,456.38
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	12,500.00
Bonds, securities, etc.	1,380.55
Banking-house furniture fixtures and other	10,000.00
Due from Nat. Banks, not reserve agents	3,694.10
Due from approved reserve agents, Checks and other Cash items	68,190.78
Notes of other National Banks	41.14
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents.	670.00
Specie	96.40
Red'm'n fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	12,601.25
Total	\$357,129.12
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$50,000.00
Surplus fund	50,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	6,593.91
National bank notes outstanding	12,500.00
Due to other National Banks	3,690.64
Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers	328.41
Dividends unpaid	300.00
Individual deposits subject to check	151,447.90
Demand certificates of deposit	92,155.91
Cashier's checks outstanding	143.25
Total	\$357,129.12

State of Oregon, ss
County of Umatilla, ss
I, F. S. Le Grow, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
F. S. Le Grow, Cashier.
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J. W. Bryan, of Lowder, Ill., writes: "My little boy was very low with Pneumonia. Unknown to the doctor we gave him FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR. The result was magical and puzzled the doctor, as it immediately stopped the racking cough and he quickly recovered."

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The Art of Embalming.
The modern embalmers have not recovered the secret of the art as practiced by the old Egyptians and probably never will. Some of the bodies known to us as "mummies" buried 3,000 or 4,000 years ago are still in a state of perfect preservation. Back of the ancient art lay a religious creed. The ancient Egyptians believed that after many thousands of years the soul came back to need its body and that if it was not found the soul wandered forever in misery and wretchedness; hence it was absolutely necessary to preserve the body, and hence, finally, the embalmers' art.—New York American.

It Fitted the Case.
The girl asked the polite salesman if he had good cheese.
"We have some lovely cheese," was the smiling answer.
"You should not say lovely cheese," she corrected.
"Why not? It is," he declared.
"Because"—with a boarding school dignity—"lovely should be used to qualify only something that is alive."
"Well," he retorted, "I'll stick to lovely."

Knew It.
Little Man (threateningly)—I say, Mr. Straightley, did you tell Mr. Walker I was a liar?
Big Man (coolly)—No, sir, I did not. It's my opinion Mr. Walker doesn't want any telling.—London Tit-Bits.

After crosses and losses men grow humbler and wiser.—Franklin.