

For Auld Lang Syne

Seventeen years ago the Confederate armies, after four years of hard fighting, surrendered to the victorious North.

Through all the long years of that strife, there was a heroism and a devotion to a cause which made the world look on with admiration.

No braver men ever spilled blood or rallied around the flag of their country than these. Back at home where wife, mother, sister, sweetheart, whose parting words to husband or boy in grey were such as that Spartan mother said to her boy as she handed him his buckler.

There was a pathos in war which has no equal in any other course. It is always horrible, blighting and merciless. The story of the camp life of the southern soldier is yet to be written.

But the struggle ended: the last reveille was heard; the last roll-call was answered; the sullen roar of the cannon, the shriek of the shot and shell, the rattle of the rifles and the hiss of the swift bullet, died away, and the gentle hum of industry was heard in the land.

True it is these valiant warriors for a cause they believed holy, went back to home only to find shattered fortunes, desolate firesides, Rachels weeping for their slain dead.

But they could not forget the life on the field of carnage; they would not if they could. These memories are burned into them as with a hot iron, and they hold them sacred, as the badge of a true man.

But not all. Now then the lips quiver, the voice dies into a whisper and the eyes grow suddenly dim. They have spoken the name of a brave comrade who went down with his face to the foe, murmuring in scarce audible tones, "Tell them at home I died like a man."

To-day these men met in their annual re-union, in this city. How hearty and warm was the hand-shake comrade gave comrade; how fervent the "God bless you, old boy!"

To them Sedalia gives cordial greeting. She asks them to be her guests and to share her hospitality. Her hand is extended to each one of these old soldiers, and her lips speak words of welcome.

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Strayed or Stolen. From the prairie, near the farm of J. J. Smith, north of Butler 7 miles, about July 3d, 1 dark bay mare, star in forehead, large scar on right fore foot just above the hoof, 5 years old; also one sorrel mare colt, star in forehead, 1 year old past.

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