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BILL ARP IS DEAD

The Beloved Humorist Joins Silent Majority

END GAME PEACEFULLY

Thousands Upon Thousands of the Readers of His Quaint and Highly Interesting Letters Will Sorely Miss the Sage of Bartow.

Major Charles I. Smith (Bill Arr) passed away peacefully at his home in Carersville, Ga., Monday night.

Since the successful operation and removal of stones from the gall bladder, which prolonged life, he gradually grew weaker, a battle between his fine constitution and the effects of the obstructions going on.

The former might have gained the mastery but for the poison that had permeated his system. The hard breathing and repression and restlessness seemed to have disappeared in a measure after the operation, and although unconscious, a stage he had been in for two weeks, he became quite tractable and his case easily managed until the weakness had grown to the point where dissolution became inevitable.

His last hours were passed peacefully, and he finally passed to the great beyond.

Of his family, his wife, his daughters, Miss Maria and Mrs. Brunty, reside at the home, the well known "Shadowland." The other daughters, Mrs. Andrew and Mrs. Young, are residents of Carersville and have been at his bedside. Dr. Ralph Smith, of Jacksonville, Fla., and Hines Smith, of Rome, the major's sons, were at his bedside. The other sons, R. Smith, at Ruskman, and Frank Smith, at San Antonio, Texas, were telegraphed for, as was also Victor Smith, of New York, and Carl Smith, of Mexico.

Brief Sketch of His Career.

Major C. I. Smith was born in Lawrenceville, Ga., June 15, 1828. His parents were Scotch-Irish. The bulk of both sturdy races marked him in later years.

He began his education at a manual labor school, and later attended Franklin college, at Athens, now the University of Georgia. After leaving school he studied law and was admitted to the bar by Judge Eugene A. Nisbet, of Macon, who was at the head of a commission to try treason cases.

In the war Major Smith was a staff officer with General G. T. Anderson ("Old Tiger") for eighteen months. He was afterwards attached to the 1st Cavalry to Judge Eugene A. Nisbet, of Macon, who was at the head of a commission to try treason cases.

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After the dissolution of the court at Macon, which was ordered by Federal General Wilson, when he entered the city on the rail, Major Smith went to Lawrenceville. His wife at that time was stopping with her father in that town. A notable incident of that time was a trip Major Smith took with President Davis from Macon to Rome. He nursed Mrs. Hayes, then a young girl.

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WILSON ON HIGH COTTON.

Agricultural Secretary Alarmed Over the "Forced" High Price of Staple and Comments Thereon.

A Washington dispatch says: Secretary Wilson of the agricultural department, in an interview Thursday, said that the cotton manufacturer is being done to the cotton manufacturing industry by the speculative movement in cotton.

"The speculators have cornered the market," said the secretary, "and put up the price so high that manufacturers cannot now use raw cotton. At existing prices there is no profit to them. The price of manufactured goods cannot be manipulated as can be the price of raw cotton."

"The manufacturer found it more profitable to sell his cotton to the speculators. Mills were closed down because of there being no raw material left, and in some instances cotton which was sold to European manufacturers has been brought home and turned into wool."

Secretary Wilson, continuing, said that most European nations which manufacture cotton and also own lands in outlying provinces where cotton might be grown are anxious to become independent of our speculators, and are organizing and holding out inducements for the development of the cotton raising industry. The British, the French, the Germans, the Belgians and others own lands in Africa, and they have been for some time in really beginning to grow cotton Monday evening, following a hard convulsion, and at 9:45, some three hours later, his gentle spirit took its flight into the great beyond.

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A SERMON FOR SUNDAY

AN ELOQUENT DISCOURSE ENTITLED "PRESENT-DAY INCARNATION"

The Rev. C. B. McNally gives an Answer to the question, "What is the Incarnation?"

THE YELLOWSTONE CANON.

Imagine, if you can, but you never can, a mightier cliff in the level earth than that of the Yellowstone canon.

OUR TOTAL POPULATION.

With Philippines, Porto Rico, Guam and Samoa, We Number 84,233,069.

Total population enumerated by the twelfth census was 76,893,387, but while the area of enumeration covered Alaska and Hawaii, it did not include Porto Rico, the Philippines, Guam or Samoa.
The population of these newly acquired islands has, however, been ascertained, partly by estimates and partly by special censuses. Including these estimates, the total population of the United States and its outlying possessions in 1900 was as follows:
Area of enumeration, 76,893,387
Philippine Islands, 6,961,939
Porto Rico, 855,243
Guam, 9,000
Samoa, 6,100
Total, 84,233,069

WOMAN'S WAY.

"Yesterday afternoon, between 3:10 and 3:15," said the bright boy, "my mother killed my father."

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