

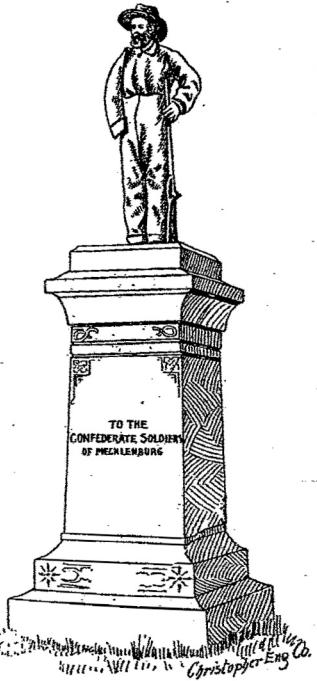
Confederate Veteran.

REUNION AT CLARKSVILLE, VA.

The seventh annual reunion of the L. A. Armistead Camp, Confederate Veterans, was held in Clarksville, Va., on August 25. The splendid weather, a large attendance, and an interesting programme made the meeting one of the most successful ones in the history of that camp. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Thomas D. Jeffress, Commander; Edward B. Goode, Henry Wood, Howell S. Nelson, Lieutenant Commanders; Richard T. Tisdale, Adjutant; James T. Alexander, Quartermaster; Robert J. Montgomery, Treasurer.

South Hill was chosen as the place for the reunion in 1900. An appropriate address was made by the Commander to the camp, and some addition was made to the monument fund. The members seem now to have a higher appreciation of the organization and purposes of the camp, and it is in excellent condition, with better attendance and more promptness in payment of dues. The membership is about one hundred and forty, but every year the ranks are depleted by death. New members join at every meeting.

The picture represents the Confederate Monument erected by L. A. Armistead Camp on the Courthouse Square at Boydton, Mecklenburg County, Va. The granite is highly polished, and cut on one side is the inscription, "To the Confederate Soldiers of Mecklenburg;" on another, "From Bethel to Appomattox;" and on another, "1861-1865." The fourth side is for a future inscription. The monument needs only the statue of a Confederate soldier to complete it. The man seen on top is John Bowen, of the Third Virginia Cavalry, who lost his arm at the battle of Yellow Tavern, in May, 1864. With a ladder he ascended to the top of the monument, and stood with empty sleeve, old cavalry hat and a musket by his side, and let the artist photograph him. The picture is unique and typical of the old Confederate soldier.



INQUIRIES BY AND ABOUT VETERANS.

P. V. D. Conway, Fredericksburg, Va.: "In the July (?) VETERAN you publish Gen. Seth B. Barton as being dead. He is a 'lively corpse,' residing in this city."

Information is wanted concerning Col. James F. Fagan, of the First Arkansas Regiment. Will any one who knows address P. J. Flack, McGregor, Tex.?

Fred R. Trier, Fayetteville, Ark., asks for information concerning the grave of his brother, Louis Trier. He was a Confederate soldier, enlisted at Nashville or