

EVACUATION DAY DISPLAY

COMPLETING ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE CITY'S ANNIVERSARY.

URGENT NEED OF CO-OPERATION BY CITIZENS—THE ORDER OF THE GREAT PROCESSION.

Each day determines some new point in the arrangements being made by the Victoria Hotel committee for the celebration of Evacuation Day. The extent of the celebration will be limited only by the funds subscribed for the purpose by the City and by private citizens. What the committee most urgently begs of the public is to hurry up with the subscriptions. At least \$10,000 more will be needed, and this ought to be furnished early in the coming week. Solon Humphreys, the Treasurer of the Chamber of Commerce, will receive and send to the committee any funds that may be sent him. Yesterday Tiffany & Co. subscribed \$250; Phelps, Dodge & Co., \$100; Bliss, Fabyan & Co., \$200; Alexander M. White, \$100; the Phoenix National Bank, \$100; Eugene Kelly & Co., \$100; the Cotton Exchange, \$175, and Woerisboffer & Co., \$50. Subscription lists are in circulation on the floors of the Produce Exchange, the Mining and National Petroleum Exchange, and among the brokers of the Stock Exchange. From these ought to be realized generous sums. It is thought by the committee that a fair display of fire-works ought to be made in the evening. But this again will depend upon the subscriptions. Unless the committee is guaranteed enough to cover this item early this week it will be difficult to make the necessary preparations, for an order for fire-works necessarily requires more than a few brief hours' notice to successfully fill.

On Tuesday morning the proclamation of the Mayor, calling attention to the day and requesting a general observance by the suspension of business, will be placarded all over the City and attention will be called to the event through the medium of smaller placards distributed in the hotels and public places generally. The entertainment which it is proposed to give in the Seventh Regiment Armory on the evening of Evacuation Day will be free to all members of military organizations in uniform. Gilmore's Band and the Seventh Regiment Band will give a concert in the armory. The entertainment will assume the form of a promenade, without, however, such adjuncts as dancing and refreshments. The Madison-Square Garden will be kept open during the day for the refreshment of the visiting soldiery.

The procession is daily growing in proportions on paper, each mail bringing the committee notice that this organization or that will participate in the parade. It is now settled that the Mayor and Common Council of Yonkers will participate, and also representatives of the town Government of the ancient township of Flushing, Long Island, The Wandowenock Hook and Ladder Company, of that other antique town, Newtown, Long Island, will also be in line. 50 men dragging the old Lady Washington Engine No. 33, which did duty in this City many years ago. The Phil Kearney Guards of Elizabeth, Company C, Third Regiment, N. G. S. N. J., Capt. W. H. DeHart, will parade 50 strong. This command has participated in seven centennials, the last two being at Yorktown and Newburg, having the right of line in every instance, by reason of Senior Captain. They hold the name of the crack company of New-Jersey. The soldiers and Sailors' Union of Brooklyn, with fife and drum corps, the Hartford City Guard, the Department Commander of the Grand Army of the Republic of Delaware Daniel Ross and his staff, and representatives of the Board of Trade and Transportation, the Mining Stock and Petroleum Exchange, the Maryland Historical Society, and the New-York and Buffalo Historical Societies have all recently signified their determination to parade. The mounted escort will wear the old black and white continental cockade worn by American soldiers in 1783. The University Club has given notice to the committee that it will decorate its club-house, at Fifth-avenue and Thirty-fifth-street, on that day. The members of the Cotton, Metal, and Coffee Exchanges will suspend business.

The State Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic for the parade—Gen. H. A. Barnum, Chairman; Gen. James McQuade, Treasurer, and M. A. Reed, Secretary—have established headquarters at the Fifth-Avenue Hotel.

Mayor Low yesterday issued a proclamation calling on the citizens of Brooklyn to close their places of business on the 26th inst., and to join with the people of New-York in heartily celebrating the centennial of Evacuation Day.

The order of the procession has been decided upon as follows:

Mounted policemen, 8 or 10, one block in advance of

column to clear the way, followed by as many

policemen on foot to keep it clear.

Grand Marshal, staff, and special aides.

First Troop Philadelphia City Cavalry.

Head-quarter Guard.

FIRST DIVISION.

United States troops, as special escort to distinguished

guests.

Guests in carriages—four abreast.

SECOND DIVISION.

National Guard of New-York and other States.

Independent military organizations.

Veteran National Guard Organization of New-York

and other States.

THIRD DIVISION.

Grand Army of the Republic of New-York and other

States, in nine sub-divisions.

Camps of sons of Veterans.

FOURTH DIVISION.

Veteran organizations of New-York Volunteers, in

two sub-divisions.

FIFTH DIVISION.

Battalion of police.

Brigade of New-York Fire Department.

Detachment of New-York Fire Insurance Patrol.

Volunteer Fire Companies of neighboring cities and

Exempt Volunteer Firemen of New-York.

SIXTH DIVISION.

To be composed of civic societies.

The formation will be in close columns, the heads resting on Fifth-avenue. The escort to the distinguished guests will be found on West Fifty-seventh-street. Carriages containing the distinguished guests, officials, and delegations, will be formed two abreast on East Fifty-seventh to Fifty-first street in the order named. The First Division, N. G. S. N. Y., will form in West Fifty-third, Fifty-second, and Fifty-first streets; the Connecticut Brigade in East Fiftieth and East Forty-ninth streets; the New-Jersey regiments in West Fiftieth and West Forty-ninth streets; other military organizations in East and West Forty-eighth streets; the Second Division, N. G. S. N. Y., in East Forty-fifth and East Forty-fourth streets; Independent Uniform Corps and Veteran Corps of the National Guard in West Forty-fifth and West Forty-fourth streets; Grand Army of the Republic in East and West Forty-third to Forty-ninth street; the two brigades of Veterans of the late war in East Thirty-eighth-st.; battalion of police in West Thirty-eighth-street; detachment of Fire Insurance Patrol in East Thirty-seventh-street; brigade of the Fire Department in West Thirty-seventh-street; companies of the Volunteer Fire Service in East Thirty-sixth-street; the civic societies in East and West Thirty-fourth streets, and other streets south of Thirty-fourth-street, in the order to be hereafter designated.

The march will be down Fifth-avenue to Fourteenth-street, to Broadway, to Bowling Green, where the column will pass in review before the distinguished guests and be dismissed. The Grand Marshal will soon issue detailed instructions to all commanding officers of the column with reference to the routes to be taken in the formation and after the dismissal. The head of the column will move from Fifty-seventh-street at 9 A. M.

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