

## FOR OUR DEAD HEROES !

### \* GRAND ENTERTAINMENT \*

FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE

# Soldiers' AND Sailors' Monument Fund

AT THE NEW YORK STATE ARSENAL,

Commencing at 8 P. M., Wednesday, Dec. 30th, 1885,

and continuing day and night until 11 P. M., Friday, Jan. 1, 1886.

The following local specialists and organizations have kindly volunteered to assist in entertaining the audience each evening, as follows :

### First Evening's Programme, Dec. 30th.

OVERTURE.....	<b>Lincoln Cornet Band</b>
INTRODUCTORY REMARKS.....	by Mayor Parsons, Gen. Reynolds, and others
THE SOLDIERS' MONUMENTAL SONG, (by Richardson).....	rendered by Post "A" Quartette
THE SILENT MANUEL.....	by the Rochester Light Infantry
THE BLINDFOLDED MANUEL.....	by selected squad of Rochester Light Infantry
SELECTIONS.....	by the Liberty Family Band
"THE MONTGOMERY GUARDS".....	by Lafe Heidell
PIANO SOLO—Polonaise, (Chopin).....	by Prof. Edgar H. Sherwood
THE CHIMES OF '76.....	by Mrs. Hattie Kisingbury Butlar
SELECTIONS.....	by the Lincoln Cornet Band
VOCAL SELECTIONS.....	by the Rochester Mannerchor
DRAMATIC READINGS.....	by Prof. Mark Beal
PIANO SELECTIONS.....	by Frank H. Robie, of Boston, Mass.
VOCAL SELECTIONS.....	by Post "A" Quartette
SHERIDAN AT STONE RIVER.....	by Col. Sherman D. Richardson
THE CUSTER BUGLE SONG, (by Richardson).....	rendered by W. H. Tisdale, Custer's Chief Buglar
VOCAL SELECTIONS.....	by the Rochester Mannerchor
NUN AND FOUNTAIN (Sherwood).....	by Professors Sherwood and Wilkinson
TAPS AS PLAYED AT GEN. GRANT'S FUNERAL.....	by W. H. Tisdale

**SHERMAN D. RICHARDSON, Manager.**

## Second Evening's Programme, Dec. 31st.

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OVERTURE.....	by Bonter's Band
THE OLD ARMY SONGS.....	by C. J. Powers Post Quartette
THIRTY MINUTES IN MYSTIC LAND.....	by the great American Illusionist, Harry Stark
PIANO SOLO.....	-----
"DOT LOBSTER DOG".....	by Master Burke
VOCAL SELECTIONS.....	by Powers' Rifles Quartette
SELECTIONS FROM SHAKESPEARE.....	Emil Lubekens
DANCE-MEDLEY.....	Miss Martha Lichtenstein
READINGS.....	Miss Susie Rodgers
ECHOS FROM CAMP LIFE.....	C. J. Powers Post Quartette
FARMER JOHN AT THE SKATING RINK.....	by Col. S. D. Richardson
VOCAL SELECTIONS.....	Powers Rifle Quartette
READINGS.....	by Prof. Chas. T. Thatcher
ORIGINAL POEM.....	by Wm. Lyle
FINALE.....	by Bonter's Band

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## Third Evening's Programme, Jan. 1st.

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OVERTURE.....	by Lincoln Cornet Band
SELECT READINGS.....	Miss Jennie Brown
IRISH SONGS IN COSTUME.....	W. H. Tisdale
INDIAN CLUB EXERCISES.....	by Prof. Hess
VOCAL SELECTIONS.....	by the Adelphi Quartette
SELECT READINGS.....	by Miss Carrie L. Sage
"TIS SWEET TO BE REMEMBERED".....	By Blind Tom
RECITATIONS.....	by Thomas D. Stanton
SELECTIONS.....	by Lincoln Band
RECITATIONS.....	Miss Amy Busby
VOCAL SELECTIONS.....	by Rochester Liedertafel
SELECT READINGS.....	by Miss Carrie L. Sage
PIANO SELECTIONS.....	Prof. Edgar H. Sherwood
RECITATIONS.....	Miss Amy Busby
VOCAL SELECTIONS.....	by Rochester Liedertafel

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DECISION OF BICYCLE CONTEST DECIDED BY JUDGES AND PRIZES PRESENTED  
BY COL. JAMES S. GRAHAM.

51 HOUR BICYCLE RACE,  
BETWEEN  
MISS ELSA VON BLUMEN,  
— AND —  
WM. E. WILLIAMS AND L. F. FEATHERLY,  
OF ROCHESTER, N. Y.

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Messrs WILLIAMS and FEATHERLY will combine the miles made by each, (relieving each other alternately) against the mile made by MISS VON BLUMEN.

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✻ GREETING ✻

— TO MY FRIENDS AND THE PUBLIC GENERALLY. —

In presenting myself to the public in my Bicycle Exercises, I feel that I am not only offering the most novel and fascinating entertainment now before the people, but am demonstrating the great need on the part of American young ladies, especially, the need of physical culture and bodily exercise. Success in life depends as much upon a vigorous and healthy body as upon a clear and active mind. In my travels I daily see hundreds of ladies, and even gentlemen, with flat chests and narrow shoulders, and a shuffling gait—the result of neglecting the needs of the body. My experience as a Bicycle Athlete has, beyond question, saved me from a consumptive decline. That noblest of women, queen of the American platform, and my friend, Mrs. Mary A. Livermore, not only encouraged me in my work in Ohio, but expressed a wish that all young ladies might see the benefits arising from physical training. In my rides, while I am willing to compete in friendly rivalry with gentlemen bicyclists, yet I will countenance no wagering or gambling. The respectability and completeness which have ever characterized my performances in the past shall be maintained in my present entertainments, and believing that all lovers of health and physical vigor will award me their appreciation and patronage,

I remain most gratefully,

ELSA VON BLUMEN.



