

In Memoriam.

The wisest are glad to die; no fear
Of death can touch a true philosopher.
Death sets the soul at liberty to fly,
Which while imprisoned in the body here,
She cannot learn: a true philosopher
Makes death his common practice, while he lives.
And every day by contemplation, strives
To separate the soul, far as he can,
From off the body.

In General Order No. 35 the Major General Commanding announced the death of Comrade Major Sam J. Darcey, aid-de-camp on the division staff. It occurred here on the evening of September 9th.

in 1859 he served in M. T. Johnson's Regiment against the Comanche Indians &
He was born in Tennessee and came to Texas when eight years of age. He came to Fort Worth in 1857. In 1861 enlisted in the Confederate Army, being a member of the Thirty-second Texas. Served with gallantry in the Army of Tennessee and lost an arm at the battle of Murfreesboro. He never married, but labored faithfully to comfort loved kindred. He was a devout Christian, a true friend and zealous member of R. E. Lee Camp 148 U. C. V. He was a modest, charitable man and of far more than ordinary intelligence; and was respected by all who knew him--therefore--

Resolved that in the death of Major Sam J. Darcey, R. E. Lee Camp, as well as the community, has suffered a great loss; and we deeply sympathize with his relatives and friends because of his death.

Committee.

M. B. Loyd
J. C. Terrell

K. M. Van Landuik

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souvenir?
J. C. Terrell.

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Please let the friends of the
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casket
J. C. Tarver