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The Lee Statue.

Yesterday afternoon the Lee statue was finally set in place and a white veil was put over it, which will remain until the unveiling on May 29th. The Richmond Times remarks:

The ceremonies of the unveiling have not been decided on fully as yet. This will be done by the Lee statue board in a day or so. The timber that has been used to get the statue on the pedestal, when taken down will be used for seats. The grand and speaker's stands are finished, as is also the stand at the southwest corner of Lombardy and Franklin. Another stand is in course of erection at the southeast corner, and will be finished in a few days.

WHO ARE COMING.

Up to date eighty military organizations have reported:
Virginia—Fourth Regiment, nine companies; Second Regiment, four companies; Third Regiment, seven companies; First Cavalry, six troops; First Battalion of Artillery, four batteries, two on foot and two horsed, 25 men; corps of cadets from Lexington, 190.
Maryland—Fifth Regiment, Col. W. A. Boykin, ten companies, 500 men; First Regiment, one company, Capt. Louis Green, 40 men.
West Virginia—Second Regiment, six companies, 130 men.
District of Columbia—From Fifth Regiment, Company A and Company D.

Mississippi—Two companies from Second Regiment.
Alabama—Montgomery Grays.
North Carolina will send eighteen companies from the First, Second, Third and Fourth Regiments, about 600 men.
South Carolina—Ten companies from the First and Second Regiments, about 500 men.
Georgia—Augusta True Blues, 50 men, and one company from the regiment in that city.

SHE SAVED THE TRAIN.

A Brave Young Lady of Greensboro
Wilmington Star.

A young lady of Greensboro, one of the students at the Female College in that place, with rare presence of mind prevented what might have been a serious "smash-up" on the C. F. & Y. V. railroad on Tuesday last. Three or four box cars had been left standing on the main track near the siding close to the college, and the train for Mount Airy was rapidly approaching in that direction. The young lady mentioned—Miss Alderman—seeing that a collision was inevitable unless the train was stopped, snatched a red shawl from one of her companions, and with this improvised "danger signal" waved the train down in time to prevent a collision.

It is said that officers and employees of the road have united in preparations for a fitting testimonial to be presented to the young lady in recognition of the forethought and timely action that saved the train from disaster.

Church Union.

The northern on church union, North Presbyterian church now in session at Saratoga, recommended the continuance of negotiations with the Episcopal and other denominations for a closer relation and cooperation between them.

Prof. Morris, of Lane Seminary, said that, although the time of the assembly was worth \$200 an hour, he must take exception to the implied acceptance of the Nicene Creed as a sufficient basis of Christian fellowship, lacking as it does any statement of the doctrine of sin, depravity, the mediation of Christ, the office of the Holy Spirit, etc. Almost all modern errorists can accept the Nicene Creed. In our report adopted this morning we emphasized the importance of doctrine. If we accept that creed we must add to it what we consider vital.

Fredericksburg, Virginia.

At the close of his address Bishop Whittle stated that in view of the rapid growth of the church, the material development of portions of the State and the increasing work among the colored population, he felt it to be his duty to urge the division of the diocese into two or three dioceses. Ten years ago the Bishop refused his consent to a division, and the question was for many years a burning one. The Bishop stated that he had been led to change his views by reason of the wonderful changes in the diocese.

Senator Wolcott and Bride.

HOT SPRINGS, N. C., May 23.—Senator Wolcott, of Colorado, and his bride, arrived at the Mountain Park Hotel on Sunday. The happy couple are quartered in the Wade Hampton cottage adjoining the hotel, where they are free from the hurly burly of the hotel people. Next to Washington this mountain fastness is an ideal place for a honeymoon.

Assistant Bishop of Alabama.

MONTGOMERY, ALA., May 23.—At the Diocesan Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church of Alabama, to-day, Rev. John S. Lindsey, of Boston, was elected assistant bishop.

IN THE SENATE.

Mr. Stewart Thinks the Need of More Money Should Take the Precedence over the Liquor Question—Mr. Carlisle's Credentials Presented.

By Telegraph to the News and Observer.
WASHINGTON, May 24.—In the Senate Mr. Wilson, of Iowa, asked and obtained unanimous consent that on Tuesday next, after the routine morning business, the bill subjecting imported liquors to the provisions of the laws of the several States shall be taken up and its consideration continued until disposed of.
Mr. Stewart at first objected to the displacement of the silver bill, remarking that he did not think that the country was suffering so much from the liquor business as it was from the lack of currency. He thought that the people of Iowa could get along better if they had money to pay their debts.

Mr. Wilson resented Mr. Stewart's remarks, and said that the people of Iowa were prepared to pay their debts and were in every respect in as good condition as the people of Nevada.
Mr. Stewart—Very well; I interpose no objection, but hereafter I shall object to anything but appropriation bills until the silver bill is disposed of.
Mr. Blackburn presented the credentials of John G. Carlisle as Senator from Kentucky for the late Mr. Beck's unexpired term, which commenced on March 4, 1880. Read and placed on file.

The naval appropriation bill was taken up. Mr. Cockrell moved to strike out the provision for three sea-going coast line battle-ships not to cost more than four millions each. The debate on this amendment consumed the remainder of the afternoon, and without action upon it or the bill itself, the Senate adjourned.

IN THE HOUSE.

The House in Committee of the Whole on the River and Harbor Bill.

By Telegraph to the News and Observer.
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 24.—The House went into committee of the whole (Mr. Burrows in the chair) on the C. F. & Y. V. railroad on Tuesday last. Three or four box cars had been left standing on the main track near the siding close to the college, and the train for Mount Airy was rapidly approaching in that direction. The young lady mentioned—Miss Alderman—seeing that a collision was inevitable unless the train was stopped, snatched a red shawl from one of her companions, and with this improvised "danger signal" waved the train down in time to prevent a collision.

Mr. Turner, of Georgia, then moved to strike out the provision for the canal. He contended that the digging of canals by the federal government was contrary to the constitution.
Messrs. Hayes, Henderson and Gear, of Iowa, and Blanchard, of Louisiana, opposed the motion and spoke in favor of the Hennepin Canal.

Mr. Hatch, of Missouri, warned the gentlemen who represented the Mississippi River that the appropriation for Hennepin Canal would be the death knell to appropriations for the Mississippi River in the future.

The motion to strike out was lost—50 to 122. The amendment was adopted, reducing from \$2,000,000 to \$1,000,000 the appropriation for the improvement of the Mississippi River from the head of its passes to the mouth of the Ohio River.

Mr. Blanchard explained that this amendment was due to the fact that Congress has but a few weeks ago made an urgent appropriation of \$1,000,000 for the improvement of the river on the understanding that a reduction of that amount would be made in the river and harbor bill.

Pending further action the committee rose and the public business was suspended at 4 o'clock, and the House proceeded to pay tributes to the memory of the late David Wilber, of New York. Eulogies were pronounced by Messrs. Tracey, Sherman and Farquhar, of New York; Mr. McCormick, of Pennsylvania, and Messrs. Russell, Cohn and McRae, of Arkansas. Adjourned.

SEVERE PUNISHMENT.

The Turkish Officer and Students Imprisoned and to be Banished.

By Telegraph to the News and Observer.
CONSTANTINOPLE, May 24.—Turkish officer and five students were arrested by Russian sailors for assault in the wife and daughter of Chief Dragoman of Russian Embassy in the garden at Bayukdere and delivered by their captors to M. DeNediff, Russian ambassador who at first declined to turn them over to Ottoman officials, fearing they would escape punishment, finally delivered them to the Turkish authorities, the offenders were promptly put on trial, found guilty, and sentenced to undergo imprisonment for six months. In addition to this punishment the Sultan issued a special edict ordering when the sentence expires that the offenders be banished—banished to Tripoli for life. M. DeNediff satisfied with the punishment inflicted sent a letter to the Sultan thanking him for prompt action by the Turkish authorities in the case.

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TERRIBLE TORNADO.

Kentucky the Scene of Another Devastating Storm—Great Damage to Crops.
By Telegraph to the News and Observer.

CINCINNATI, May 24.—Several counties in Kentucky and some of the more southern counties of West Virginia was swept last night by a tornado. The heat today is oppressive in the extreme and a number of prostrations are reported. About 6 o'clock the south became overcast with a blue black cloud of ominous appearance and the play of lightning and the peals of thunder were appalling. Reports from about Sterling, Paris, Lexington, Maysville, Nicholasville, Cynthia, Corinth and other points are to the effect that a dangerous storm raged. At Nicholasville thousands of dollars worth of corn was damaged. In Harrison county the tobacco crop was almost entirely ruined, and the loss will reach a great sum. At Guyanotte, West Va., the road leading to the ferry is washed away, together with a portion of front streets and a dozen building lots. It will cost \$25,000 to repair the damage. The telephone line to Cynthia, Ky., went down at 9 o'clock in the midst of a terrific storm at that place, which is 75 miles inland, showing that the storm was of wide extent. All the steamboats on the river were compelled to go ashore. At Bensons Mrs. Hubbell was dangerously hurt and four houses blown down. Some men arriving at nine o'clock on the Louisville & Queen road say they passed through one of the most furious storms they ever saw. Trees were twisted and torn in all directions, stream-banks were full and they believe many lives were lost. Lexington tells of a storm of unusual violence. Indefinite reports from Somerset, Richmond, Woodruff and other points, tell of great damage to farmers' property, but no loss of life.

An Earthquake Shock.

By Telegraph to the News and Observer.

BILLINGS, Mont., May 24.—At an early hour yesterday a very severe earthquake shock fell all over this county. There were two separate vibrations. The inhabitants were considerably alarmed but the disturbances have not been repeated. Two brick houses were shaken down and considerable glass shattered. Pictures and bric-a-brac suffered correspondingly. A dance was in progress at the hotel and the severity of the shock floored several of the dancers and left the party in fright.

Weekly Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, May 24.—The following is the weekly bank statement:
Reserve increase, \$ 1,458,425
Loans increase, 879,900
Specie increase, 349,000
Federal ledger increase, 1,061,000
Deposits decrease, 191,800
Circulation decrease, 23,300
Banks now hold, 3,471,300
which is in excess of the twenty-five per cent.

THE PRESBYTERIANS.

The General Assembly at Asheville.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., May 24.—In the Presbyterian General Assembly (South) to-day the paper touching the proposed peace Congress was taken up. It was moved that a minority report of the committee which approves of the Church's action on the paper he adopted instead of the majority report not favoring such action. After considerable discussion the report was adopted.
The special committee on the Evangelization of the colored race recommended the organization of colored Sunday schools and the appointment of a field missionary who shall labor for their evangelization.
G. H. Flemming, chairman of the committee on the evangelization of the colored race, said the Northern preachers had been tried among the negroes, and they had failed to do the good hoped for.

The report of the standing committee on the Revised Directory of Worship recommends, first, that the question of revision be postponed indefinitely; second, the striking out of chapter 10 of the Revised Directory of Worship. The report was adopted.
Col. J. J. Wade offered a resolution of thanks to the citizens of Asheville for their bountiful and elegant hospitality during the session of this grand assembly, which resolution was adopted by a rising vote.

The Moderator stated that the clerk reported no other business before the body. Devotional exercises were held, and then the Moderator pronounced the benediction, dissolved the Assembly and called the next year's Assembly to meet in the First Presbyterian church at Birmingham, Ala., the third Thursday in May, 1891.

Sun's Cotton Report.

By Telegraph to the News and Observer.
NEW YORK, May 24.—The Sun's cotton review says: Cotton futures were very dull in the absence of advice from the Liverpool market, which is closed. The slow progress of the silver bill and good accounts from the growing crop left the bulls without effective support, and there was an irregular decline, August giving way most. There is nothing of special interest in the weekly details of the crop reports from the South. They are pretty uniformly favorable, and if there be no serious drawback the receipts of new cotton in August will exceed all precedents. Cotton on the spot was dull and weak.

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How a Love Feast is Celebrated.

READING, Pa., May 22.—The annual love feast of the Dunkards, or German Baptists, at Zeigler's church, near here, took place today and was attended by about a thousand people.
In the attic of the meeting house are beds and cradles with bedding for the women who came a long distance and wished to rest during the day, and also for those who remain all night, as the love feast lasts two days. The elders, with long hair parted in the middle, occupy a table in the main audience room. The cooking is done in the basement of the church. An ox was slaughtered today for meals and for the Lord's Supper. The slaughter of the lamb was omitted.

Bishops David Etter and John Hartzler, and Elders Cline and Bucker officiated. Then the backs of the seats were transformed into tables for the celebration of the holy communion. Upon each table were ten water bowls and twenty spoons. Then each member present was appealed to to forgive any ill feeling engendered during the past year.

First feet washing was indulged in. The brethren girt their loins with towels and washed and wiped each other's feet. The women, arrayed in black dresses and white caps, also washed each other's feet while hymns were sung. After this the Lord's Supper was spread, consisting of white bread and beef soup, with rice. Every set of four brethren and every set of four sisters ate soup out of one dish, two sitting on one side of the narrow table and two on the other, so that four could easily dip their bread into the bowl and use their spoons.

Then came the "holy kiss," the brethren and sisters kissing each other on the lips. Unfermented grape wine was drunk. The unleavened bread in strips was passed by one brother to another, but the Bishops broke bread for the sisters.

The Northern Presbyterians on Revision.

The committee recommends that an overture be transmitted to the Presbyteries asking if a chapter shall be added to the form of government making provision for the amendment and alteration of the Confession of Faith, the larger and shorter catechisms, the form of government, the book of discipline and the directory of worship.

The vote was then called for, and when those in favor of such a measure were requested to say "aye" there was a mighty roar. Then the "nays" were called for, and there was but one dissenting voice, the Rev. T. F. White, of Summit, N. J., casting the only negative vote.
Great applause followed the announcement, and the question of revision which had so long been pending had received the first definite answer. It was certainly a victory for the revisionists. Of course the decision is no final solution of the problem, but it is a long step forward. Great joy was expressed at the happy termination of the contest. One delegate, in a loud voice, called for the singing of the "Doxology." He was not heard by the Moderator, however, but Dr. Howard Crosby was requested to lead the Assembly in a prayer of thanksgiving to God for his guidance to a happy solution of the problem which seemed to portend such great and insurmountable difficulties.

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CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., May 24, '90.

Ground was broken today at Kimball, the new town in Marion county, on the banks of the Tennessee. Notwithstanding the fact that the starting of new towns in the South is now of frequent occurrence, yet the unusual importance of this occasion induced Gov. Taylor, the State officials of Tennessee, and many distinguished citizens of this and other States to assemble in its honor.
Maj. Thomas, president of the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis Railroad, brought in his private car a party composed of some of the fairest daughters of Tennessee, one of whom drew the flag to the top of the stately liberty pole that had been planted on the summit of a symmetrical Indian mound which is one of the interesting features of the lovely locality. Prof. Edward Hall, director of the Geological Survey of Ireland, threw the first spadeful of earth, and Prof. J. M. Safford, State Geologist of Tennessee, the next.

Addresses were made by Gov. Taylor and other distinguished men. The central event of the day was the brief inaugural address of Hon. H. I. Kimball, the Chief Executive Manager of this enterprise. In this epigrammatic style he showed that his event was the key to unlock the immense treasures of the whole Seviatchee Valley, and he portrayed in glowing terms the vast industrial development that would result in the establishment of a manufacturing center at this point that would rival the most noted places of the kind in Great Britain and Germany.

It is well known in this section that Mr. Kimball invariably accomplishes far more than he promises; therefore his brief address has had a most magical effect, and it is the universal opinion here that the christening of the city lots at KIMBALL, June 10th and 11th, will be, in all respects, the most successful of any yet held, and that the purchasers will chiefly be genuine settlers who have absolute faith in the enterprise.

Speaker Reed's Mother Dead.

By Telegraph to the News and Observer.
WASHINGTON, May 24.—Speaker Reed received a telegraph announcement of the death of his mother this morning at Deering, a suburb of Portland, Maine. She had been in failing health for some time but a fatal termination of her illness was not expected so soon. The speaker starts for home to-morrow.

Total Visible Supply of Cotton.

By Telegraph to the News and Observer.
NEW YORK, May 24.—The following is the total visible supply:
For the world, 2,137,436
Same last year, 1,974,193
American, 1,342,536
American last year, 1,379,493
Receipts at interior towns, 4,519
Plantations, 7,787
Crop in sight, 7,048,305

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