

THE FOURTH AT GETTYSBURG.

How the Boys in Blue and Gray Observed the Day we Celebrate.

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A committee will be appointed at an early day and the proposed monument to the Confederate commander who perished the Union lines, sword in hand, will be erected where he fell and dedicated with appropriate ceremonies on July 3, 1888.

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PAUL IN THE BASKET.

REV. DR. TALMAGE PREACHES AT MARTHA'S VINEYARD.

Recent Events Hang on Apparently Slender Circumstances—The Casual, the Accidental are Parts of a Great Plan. An Island Between Two Eternities.

MARTHA'S VINEYARD, Mass., July 3.—Many hundreds of Brooklyn Tabernacle people and their friends have made a pilgrimage to this island. The Rev. Dr. Talmage, D.D., preached here on Sunday morning. His subject was "Paul in the Basket." The text was "Through a window in a basket I let down by a maid." The sermon was a powerful one, and the people were deeply moved. Dr. Talmage said that the events of our lives are often very slender, and that we must be prepared for the unexpected. He said that Paul's life was a lesson to us all, and that we must be ready to face whatever comes our way.

STATE NEWS.

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ITEMS OF INTEREST.

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VARIOUS PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

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THE FLOWERS COLLECTION.

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