

MONUMENT TO CONFEDERATES.

The Broadway Rous Monument in Mount Hope Cemetery, New York, Dedicated. New York, May 22.—The monument given by Charles Broadway Rous, the millionaire New York merchant, to the confederate veterans camp, was dedicated this afternoon in Mount Hope cemetery in West Chester county. There were several thousand people present at the exercises. There was a procession from the Mount Hope station to the cemetery. Commander A. C. Dickinson and his staff headed it. Then followed delegations from the Old Guard Society, Charleston Society, United States Grant post, Brooklyn post, Elizabeth Veteran Zouaves, Alexander Hamilton post, Farragut association of navy veterans, and others. The monument was presented to the camp by Comrade William S. Kelley in behalf of the donor, and it was accepted by Commander Dickinson in behalf of the camp. Rev. Dr. Stephen H. Granberry, the chaplain of the camp, delivered the prayer which was followed by the singing of the hymn "Nearer My God to Thee" by a boy choir. After the dedication the graves of veterans of the southern army were strewn with flowers. After an hour or so the visitors to the cemetery, where a reception will be given to Mr. Rous this evening. The monument is the finest in the cemetery. It cost \$5,000. It is of New England granite, sixty feet high, on a base of ten feet. The pedestal is composed of only three pieces, and is nine feet high. The following inscription is at the base of the monument: "Sacred to the memory of the heroic dead of the confederate veteran camp of New York."

The New Tunnel Under the Thames. London, May 22.—The new tunnel under the Thames at Blackwell was inaugurated by the prince of Wales today. The royal procession consisted of two semi-state landaus, each headed by four bays driven by postillions and preceded by two grooms. In these, besides the prince, were the princess of Wales, Princess Victoria, of Wales, the duke of York, the duke of Portland, Mr. Bull of the London county council, chairman of the bridge committee, and Mr. Binne, chief engineer of the tunnel. The procession followed the Mall, Pall Mall, the Embankment, and thence through White Chapel to the entrance of the tunnel. Here the royal party were met by the duke of Cambridge, the prince of Teck, and many military and other officials. The procession then proceeded through the tunnel which was illuminated by three rows of electric lights. At the Greenwich end was a dais upon which the royal party took their places and from which the prince of Wales in the name of the queen declared the tunnel open to public traffic forever. The state trumpeters blew a blast, a royal salute was fired by the Honorable Artillery company, and the bishop of London, the Rt. Rev. Mandell Creighton, pronounced the benediction. The prince of Wales was then presented with a gold medal, especially struck for the occasion by the bridge committee of the London county council. The new tunnel is generally regarded as a triumph of engineering skill.

Discord in Northern Presbyterian Assembly. Bagle Lake, Ind., May 22.—There is no truth in that statement. These were the words that greeted an assertion made on the floor of the Presbyterian general assembly this afternoon. They were uttered by Dr. Wilson Phraner, a member of the board of home missions in New York, and were directed against the allegation of Rev. F. J. Knowles, of Mount Carmel, Ill., who joyously styled himself "Elisha's successor." The statement thus denied was to the effect that one of the officers of the mission board in New York was receiving two salaries—one from the board and from a friend—also that the mission board occupied quarters costing \$25,000 annually. The denial was explicit, alleging that the statements never were true and are not now true. Over the offer of the original speaker to give his authority there came the first serious parliamentary tangle of the session. The moderator ruled the offer to give authority for the statement out of order. Appeals from this decision were taken and sustained. The authority was then stated to be a member of the committee from the synod of Illinois and Indiana, who went to New York to confer with the board of home missions upon the work of the board, but his name was withheld. The authority expressed considerable indignation was expressed by various commissioners.

Objections to the Ruiz Investigation. Havana, May 22.—The investigation by Commissioner W. B. Calhoun into the matter of death of Dr. Ruiz is not proceeding rapidly. On Thursday Dr. Congosto, the Spanish consul at Philadelphia, asserted that Dr. Ruiz did not explain that he was an American citizen and, therefore, was kept "incommunicado" for more than several hours. General Lee, on hearing this, promptly and emphatically stated that on February 6th, he sent official notice to Marshal de Ahumada, the acting captain general, to the effect that Ruiz was an American citizen, and that he demanded his treaty rights. It appears that Senor Congosto noted this fact. Investigation will not proceed further until the Spanish representative has approved the written statement of General Lee as to the scope of inquiry, the Americans desiring to go farther than the Spanish deem necessary. There is little hope that facts bearing directly on the nature of the death of Dr. Ruiz will be elicited. It is thought, however, that arrangements will be made allowing the inquiry to proceed on Monday.

International Chess. Washington, May 22.—The arrangement for the match game of chess between five selected individual players of the house of representatives and a like number from the British house of commons were practically completed today. The games will be begun at 2 o'clock p. m. Washington time, and 7 o'clock London time. May 23rd, and continue four hours, fifteen moves to the hour. If not completed in the agreed time, the games will be finished on June 1st. A single consultation game, in which all the members of both teams may consult as to the moves, will be played on a date to be fixed by the Englishmen. Two wires between Washington and New York will be given up to the games and it is expected that not more than three minutes will be consumed in transmitting the several moves between London and Washington. The American players will draw lots for their British competitors and their places at the tables. The Washington end of the games will be played in the house foreign affairs committee room, to which only a few invited guests, including Speaker Reed and the British ambassador, will be admitted. Seven players have been chosen from which the five to compete will be selected within a day or two. Representatives Shannon, of New York; Shaforth, of Colorado; Bodine, of Missouri; Handy, of Delaware; Pearson, of North Carolina; Ploverman, of Alabama, and Degraffenried, of Texas. It is almost certain that the first names will be selected.

Weekly Bank Statement. New York, May 22.—The weekly bank statement shows the following changes: Reserve, increase \$1,508,450; loans, decrease \$988,800; specie, increase \$183,200; legal tenders, increase \$1,254,900; deposits, decrease \$81,400; circulation, decrease \$78,300. The banks now hold \$45,998,950 in excess of legal requirements.

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Spain's New Effort to Raise Revenue. Madrid, May 22.—Senor J. Nevarro Reverter, minister of finance, in the budget statement to the cortes, estimates the revenue at 853,278,771 pesetas (\$170,473,802), and the expenditures at 873,865,877 pesetas (\$178,656,114). In order to provide a revenue to meet the extraordinary budget, the minister of finance proposes to raise a loan with the Almaden quicksilver mines as securities to obtain navigation dues to the amount of 12,000,000. In order to meet the increased expenditures and the interest and the redemption of the 2,000,000 required to meet the interest and for the redemption of the late loans guaranteed by the customs, a temporary tax of 10 per cent. on all taxes, except land, has been proposed. By this means it is expected 20,000,000 will be obtained. The colonial department will contribute 25,000,000 and the balance of 40,000,000 will be raised by loan on the proposed petroleum monopoly, giving the exclusive privilege of dealing in this product during the next twenty years. Should the colonial department be unable to pay its share of the increased expenditures, it is calculated that a portion of another loan can be obtained by a proposed monopoly on explosives.

An Historic Church Burned. Savannah, Ga., May 22.—Christ church, the oldest church in Georgia, founded by John Wesley before he promulgated the Methodist faith, was burned almost to the ground shortly after midnight tonight. The fire was discovered shortly after 12 o'clock and it spread rapidly. It is supposed to have originated from a gas jet left burning by some member of the choir which held a practice there tonight. It contained all records of Savannah, practically of Georgia since 1835, most of which are a total loss. The church cost about \$25,000 and about as much more has been spent upon it. The price set upon the building and lot recently was \$100,000. It is only partially covered by insurance. Christ church, standing on Bull street from the Johnson square is the mother church of Episcopal communion in Georgia. Christ church parish was founded as soon as the settlement of Savannah. The first edifice was begun in 1733, but was not completed until 1750. In 1796, it was destroyed by fire and was rebuilt upon enlarged plan in 1803. The next year it was partly demolished by a hurricane and was not re-built until 1810. In 1838, the corner stone of the present edifice was laid, the old church having been torn down and the building was completed in 1840. The founder of Christ church was Rev. Henry Herbert, who came over from England with Oglethorpe, John Wesley was its third rector and on the night of the present edifice stood the rude chapel in which he ministered as chaplain to the colonists. The late Bishop Stephen Elliott was rector of the church from 1851 until his death in 1895, and in the chancel is a beautiful window in his memory.

In the Clutches of the Law. Logansport, Ind., May 22.—John F. Johnson, late president of the State National Bank is now in the hands of the law. This afternoon Deputy United States Marshal Clark, arrived in the city and arrested Johnson, who was cool and collected. The bond was fixed at \$25,000 which he has failed to furnish. The following statement was given out for publication today by a friend of Mr. Johnson: A generous public should know that the present condition of the State National bank has not been brought about by undue speculation or extravagance on the part of Mr. Johnson nor by his excessive selfishness, but is the result of circumstances over which he had no control and for many of which he was not responsible. That he made mistakes and did grievously wrong confesses. And yet it may be said with reason and truth that he had no wicked purpose in what he did. He has made all possible restitution and offers no defense, except that he was trying to preserve the reputation of a kind and devoted father. And since the law does not justify his methods, he purposes to suffer its penalties without evasion or equivocation. Who could do more? When Bank Examiner Caldwell laid down \$200,000 worth of forged notes before President Johnson and said: "Mr. Johnson, you signed those notes." The answer was given without a tremor, "I did." The expert today said that certain bookkeepers in the bank knew of the president's crime, but the false entries being made by the president himself saves them from the clutches of the law.

Kentucky Senatorial Bribery Cases. Frankfort, Ky., May 22.—The indictment against W. Godfrey Hunter, ex-Congressman Wilson and Mr. E. T. Franks were argued on demurrer before Circuit Judge Cantrill at Georgetown and the motion to quash was taken under advisement by the court. The attorneys for the defense base their demurrers on the grounds that while there is a statutory penalty in this state for bribery or attempt to bribe, there is none for "conspiring to bribe." The offense charged in the indictment. Louisville, Ky., May 22.—Judge Noble of the criminal court today overruled the motion of the defendants to quash the indictments against ex-Banker J. M. McKnight, Sterling E. Edmonds, Alderman B. P. King, and others on charges of bribery, which were returned by the February grand jury. The cases will now be tried.

The Destitute Americans in Cuba. Washington, May 22.—A telegram was received at the state department this morning from Consul General Lee, indicating that the number of Americans in need of relief in Cuba is much larger than was supposed at first. The consul general says that the number now reach 1,200. The consul at Matanzas reports 250 there and the consul at Sagua 450. General Lee also called the state department that the Spanish officials have released Fernando Govin, an American citizen who has been under arrest and he will leave the island.

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Base Ball. St. Louis, May 22.—Errors by Hartman and Cross gave the Boston five runs in the first inning today, enough to win the game. They did not begin to hit Esper until the last few innings, when the local pitcher let up considerably in the face of ragged support. Long's feilding was a feature of the game. The score: St. Louis.....011010010-4 10 5 Boston.....50000213-11 14 0 Batteries—Esper and Murphy; Klodanz and Bergen. Umpire—Lynch. Time—2 hours.

Chicago, May 22.—Griffith was in great form today, allowing but five hits and one run. Swain also pitched a good, steady game, keeping his hits well scattered, excepting two innings. Connor's all round work, both in the field and at the bat was the feature. The score: R. H. E. Chicago.....00020100-3 11 1 Washington.....000000010-2 5 1 Batteries—Griffith and Kiltroe; Swain and McGuire. Umpire—McDonald and O'Day. Time—1:45 hours.

Cincinnati, May 22.—The Reds made it three straight today by defeating the Orioles in a slow and uninteresting game. In the first inning Robinson was seriously spiked by McPhee at the home plate, the latter spraining his ankle. Robinson was carried off the field with a deep gash near the knee. McPhee had to retire in the seventh. Clark went behind the bat for the Orioles, who Holliday took McPhee's place at second. The score: R. H. E. Cincinnati.....32002230-12 13 2 Baltimore.....000104113-10 13 7 Batteries—Griffith and Kiltroe; Clark and McGuire. Umpire—McDonald and O'Day. Time—1:45 hours.

Pittsburg, May 22.—Pittsburg succeeded in taking three straight from Philadelphia. The game today was won by the Pittsburg by splendid feilding and a few timely hits. Not an error was made by the Pirates, not even a battery error. The majority of the hits made by the Phillies off Tannehill were scratched. The score: R. H. E. Pittsburg.....00101000-2 7 0 Philadelphia.....001000000-1 9 1 Batteries—Pittsburg and Wilson; McMahon and A. Smith. Umpire—McDermott. Time—1:55 hours.

Cleveland, May 22.—One magnificent game on that was a farce took place today. The first was a pitchers' battle between Cuppy and Rusie and Sockalexis won it in the last half of the tenth, with a single, when Tebeau was on third and two were out. The second was made a farce by the miserable playing of Wallace and Childs. The Indians could not touch Doheny. Young was batted out of the box in the third inning, and Wilson pitched a pretty game thereafter. R. H. E. Cleveland.....1001100001-4 9 3 New York.....0012000000-3 13 1 Batteries—Cuppy and Zimmer; Rusie and Warner. Umpire—Emslie. Time—2:25 hours.

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Honor to a Tar Heel. (Richmond Evening Leader.) Dr. J. Allison Hodges was elected professor of the faculty of the University college of Medicine, at a meeting of that body held Tuesday. The honor will be better understood when it is explained that within the four years of its existence, the University college of Medicine, of which Dr. Hunter Hodges is president, has acquired the distinction of being the second largest school of its kind in the south, ranking next to the Tulane University of New Orleans, a very old school.

The University College of Medicine is the only institution, literary or professional, in the south which had an increase in the number of students during the session of 1896-'97, the enrollment being 125. The increase has been so great that it necessitated extensive additions which cost \$20,000. Plans for the work to be done before the fall session opens, at a cost of \$20,000, are now being prepared by the architects chosen to perform this service. The election of a proctor was made necessary by the phenomenal growth of the school.

Cleveland Base Ball Club For Sale. Cleveland, Ohio, May 22.—President Robinson of the Cleveland base ball club today telegraphed from Indianapolis, signed by Dickson and Albot, the well known theatrical managers, asking whether the Cleveland club was for sale, and the price was whether there would be any obstacle to its transfer to Indianapolis. The telegram said further that Dickson and Albot had obtained an option on the Indianapolis club. Mr. Robinson promptly replied that the Cleveland club was for sale, and that there would not be any trouble in transferring it to Indianapolis. As to his price, he said he would communicate with them later.

Another Bicycle Record Broken. Denver, Colo., May 22.—W. W. Hamilton, the well known bicyclist, this afternoon defeated A. L. Hackenberg in a twenty-five mile unpaced race, in one hour, one minute and fifty seconds, at the same time making a new world's record. The race was from a standing start, for which there was no record, but the unpaced record for a flying start is 1:23:15, made by A. P. Senn at Louisville in November, 1885. Today's race was for \$50 a side. The riders started from opposite ends of the track and rode in opposite directions.

From Germany comes the news that 'cycle stands similar to cub stands are to be started in Berlin. It is proposed to put 250 on hire in various parts of the city for the purpose of being used by the modest sum of 1 penny for twenty minutes during the day and twice that sum at night.

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Gents' Underwear. Gents' fine, light-weight, summer merino vest, worth 50c each I have bought at one-half price, now 25c; all grades of Gents' Rercale Shirts, from 35c, 40c, 50c, 75c, 85c to \$1.00; all styles of summer Under Wear. Straw Hats from 5c to \$1.00 each.

Dress Goods. In Dress Goods we can please anybody. In fine Lawn at 2 1/2c per yard. Very nice, worth 6c now 4 1/2c; colored linen finish, dotted Lawn, worth 12 1/2c now for 8c, to close. White and black Lawn at 4c, 5c, 8c, 10c; fine black Lawn at 9c, 10c, 12 1/2c. Black Swiss, with white dots, beautiful goods for second mouting, worth 25c, now 12 1/2c; white dotted Swiss at 8c, 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c and 18c; fine, White Swiss from 12 1/2c, 15c and up to 35c.

Corsets. A big job in new Corsets, worth 50c regular, my price 35c, extra value. Hosiery. Ladies double heel and foot, black, fast dye, hoese, for 12 1/2c worth 20c; children's Hoes at 5c, better at 8c, 10c, 12 1/2c, and 25c. If you need Shoes, Dress Goods, Clothing, Trunks, Matting, Window Shades, Umbrellas, White Parasols, Ribbons, Laces, Veilings, Hats, Flowers, or anything in the Dry Goods line, come to see us and bring your cash, and get the best value for your money in any goods, then a handsome piece of Furniture, free of cost to you. You will find me on Front street, opposite The Orton hotel.