Confederate Veterans.

Addressed in the Interest of the Battle Abbey.

NASHVILLE, Tenu., Dec. 27 -The following circular has been presented to The Sun :

Officers and Members of Camps of United Confederate Veterans:

Comrades-We have the booor to transmit to rou the enclosed address, issued by the executive committee:

The board of trustees is determined to carry to a successful finish the lauda ble purpose committed to its charge.

The board has undertaken the raising of funds to duplicate and add to the munificent donation of Comrade Charles B. Rouss, of New York city, and naturally applies to the organized camps of United Confederate Veterans for prompt pecuniary assistance, that the endowment fund of the association may be as great as possible, and be reported to the next meeting of the United Confederate Veterans at their annual recuion in this city in May

The board of trustees are early at work and are endeavoring to push forward the raising of money, with the determination of securing the necessary fund to enable the erection of a suitable memorial building within which to preserve the archive records of southern valor and endurance, together with the literature of the four years of unqualified bardships in the field and at home.

Now is the time to act. Further delay may defeat the purpose of the board, as time will scatter and destroy many relies that the association desires to preserve. When it is remembered that every dollar now raised will be covered with another, through the great liberality of Comrade Rouss, 'tis the commonest kind of plain business sense to meet him with the largest possible local cash denation, that this liberality may be made available and a memorial edifice erected to the heroism of the southern people.

It is suggested, and respectfully urged upon all division, brigade and camp commanders to provide for a money collection by every camp in the United Confederate Veterans' organization on the 19th day of January, the birthday of Gen. Robert E. Lee, for the benefit of the association.

Of course, it is not intended that efforts should be delayed until then, or to cease after that time, but the object of this suggestion is to make that day a memorable one in the work which should enlist the deep interest of every Confederate soldier, who, while accepting and apholding loyally the results of the war, still loves and venerates the memory of his comrades who died for the cause they loved so well.

The superintendent and secretary will be actively in the field for the subscriptions; therefore, for the present address him at Covington, Ky , and if absent, letters will be immediately forwarded and receive prompt attention. Very truly and fraternally,

W. D. Chipley,

President.

Jno. C. Underwood,

Superintendent and Secretary, etc.

The Law Recognizes Sunday.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.-Judge Pry or in the Supreme Court to day denied the application of the Agudath Hakekiloth, a Hebrew organization of New York, for a certificate of incorporation. In refusing the certificate Justice Pryor says: "In the certificate submitted to me I observe that the annual meeting of the pro posed corporation is appointed to be held on each and every second Sunday of January of each and every year. It is not a religious corpora- Tetal protection to Depositors \$164,500 00 tion, and its annual meetings are for the performance of precisely such secular business as is transacted by other civil corporations The quesare illegal, but whether they should annum. Payable quarterly, on first days of be approved. The act intended is an aggression upon the Christain Sabbath, and the law which scrupulously protects them in their observances of their creed gives them no license to affront the religious susceptibilities of others."

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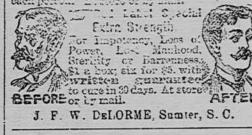
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Trains Nos. 78 and 32 run via Wilson and Fayetteville-Short Line-and make close connection for all points North. JNO. F. DIVINE, R. KENLY, Gen'l Sup't. Gen'l Manager, T.M EMERSON, Traffic Manager.

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In effect January 15th, 1896.

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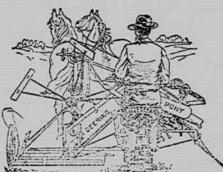
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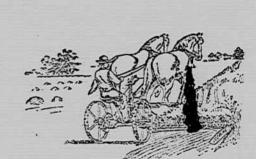
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