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## WASHINGTON NOTES.

### The Approaching Garfield Monument Fair.

Some of the Bills on the Calendar of Congress.

### General Beauregard Said to be About to Marry the Widow of Commodore Vanderbilt—Election Baked Meats.

Work That Was Not Done at the Last Session—An Immense Amount of Business That Probably Will Not be Acted Upon.

WASHINGTON, November 19.—An interesting rumor comes to me from New Orleans to the effect that Gen. George Pierre (he has dropped the Pierre, though, I believe) Toussaint Beauregard is about to marry Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, the widow of the dead commodore. Beauregard, all the world knows, was one of the greatest engineer officers on either side in the late war. Carefully trained at West Point, where he graduated second in his class in 1840, he rendered valuable services to the United States in the Mexican war, and invaluable services against it in the war of the rebellion. He is considered to day one of the foremost military engineers of his time by competent critics. Some of them contend that he is the equal of any engineer since Vanhan. Certain it is that he is very highly spoken of, and that some of his work—that at Manassas' battlefield, in Virginia, for example—is pointed out by the older engineer officers of the army as a model for the young lieutenant of the corps. He is, however, nothing more than a great engineer. He was not a good fighter, and after the war he failed signally in an attempt to revive a southern railroad which was on its feet within six months after he left its presidency, and is now striding forward into permanent prosperity. Perhaps, since we have no great engineering work for him to do, Gen. Beauregard is best employed as he is at present in assisting to manage a lottery enterprise at a salary of \$10,000 a year. General Beauregard is a short, shapely, handsome old gentleman, with gray hair and white mustache and a ruddy face. He has the appearance and accomplishments of a courtier of the days of Louis XIV, and without loss of respect, he has buried two wives and has a married son and a married daughter in New Orleans. Mrs. Vanderbilt was the reigning belle of Mobile while yet very young in the years immediately preceding the war. She was not pretty, but was exceedingly attractive— "handsome," "stylish," "lovely," the old beaux say. She married William H. Vanderbilt, a New Orleans lawyer; but they did not agree with one another, and finally separated by way of the courts. For several years Mrs. Vanderbilt, who was still very attractive, supported herself and her mother by teaching music. They had met the Vanderbilts before her first marriage, and it is said that the commodore, who admired her, tried to induce her to their support, through her mother, after her separation from her husband. Be this as it may, they met again in the north after the war, and when Mrs. Vanderbilt died, Mr. Vanderbilt married Mrs. Elliott. Now she is a handsome widow of about 40, with a legacy of \$800,000—\$100,000 for each year of her life with the Commodore, as someone has observed—and nothing to prevent her marrying anybody she pleases to marry. Mrs. Vanderbilt is, as well known, like her late husband, a great admirer of the Rev. Dr. Deems, of the Church of the Strangers, New York city. Vanderbilt University at Nashville, Tennessee, probably owes its existence to the appeals made by the Rev. Dr. Deems and Mrs. Vanderbilt to the dead millionaire. Gen. Beauregard, a Creole in everything else, is presumably a member of the Roman Catholic church.

"I would advise you to come over to the Garfield Monumental fair week next. It will be, I think, well worth a visit."

"It is not what it is cracked out to be," as Joe Blackburn says. A deal of chaff has been heard of late. A great deal of chaff is always written about such an affair. It is not going to be a second centennial, but it will be a very interesting little exposition. It will last, as you know, about ten days. The capital will be the centre from which all its attractions will radiate. Workmen have been busy with its bare, cold, unattractive walls for weeks, and they are beginning to look a little better. The booths and stands for the exhibits are all neat, and even pretty in design. There will be plenty of terra cotta and Turkey red paint about them and the walls of the rotunda itself will be hung with heavy maroon cloth. When you get the handsome oil paintings which the managers have secured hung on the marble walls, and the marvellous exhibits of wood, iron and ironments on the stands and in the booths, the rotunda and the old hall of the house of representatives, and even the sepulchral crypt beneath the rotunda, will present a very attractive appearance. Right in the center of the rotunda will be a gothic pagoda (to mix terms a little) containing a statue of Garfield. Right underneath this in the crypt will be a fine exhibit of last century relics from the best private collections in Washington. The Marine band will occupy a curious rounded shell of wood on the east front of the capitol, where the president stand when they take the oath of office, and its music will come floating in through the open front doors upon which stand the Christopher Columbus and horrid old Amerigo Vesputius, as the young ladies say, stand facing one another all the time. All the gas jets all over the capitol have been cleaned, and it will be lighted from the crypt to the cupola on top of the dome. The two halls wherein congress will hold forth in the following week will be cleaned, but all the rest of the capitol will be open to visitors. They can roam from the cellar to the Goddess of Liberty. You know how dearly corners and staircases are beloved by young people at parties and in corners. Curious, unique corners, of all shapes and sizes and all varieties and magnitudes. Then there is the great marble staircase—why, 250 couples could sit comfortably on each flight. And those long corridors, with tasseled floors and lofty walls, all of marble; what famous promi-

ents they will be while the Marine band wakes the echoes of the most distant corners of the great labyrinthine building with the gay music of the "Turkish Patrol" or dashing "Olive-ette." Then there will be military drills, bicycle races, concerts, musical meetings, and a dozen other things calculated to make the affair interesting. The men who are behind it are the men who made the Thomas status enterprise, the Norfolk Centennial and the Garfield inaugural ceremonies what they were. They are men accustomed to succeed and always deserving of success. Corbin, Swain, Rockwell, Clapp, the Garfield "clubs," Commodore Morgan and West; John W. Thompson, the most successful business man in Washington; General Sherman, and half a hundred more of the same sort. They expect to get something like \$25,000 out of this fair. This, with the \$20,000 or \$35,000 they have collected from all over the country, will give them a first-rate nucleus for a monument fund. They will need something like \$100,000 for the monument they propose. They haven't made up their minds yet as to where it shall be placed exactly (I like that), but I have a fancy that when they have got together the money that they want they will select the little park at the intersection of Connecticut and Massachusetts avenues, right in the heart of New Washington, and directly in front of Blaine's new house. To be sure, that is already known as Dupont circle, and last session congress appropriated \$10,000 for a statue of the brave old admiral to be therein erected; but Secretary Lincoln says he does not at present contemplate doing anything about a Dupont statue, and it would certainly be a fitting in itself as it would be agreeable to Mr. Blaine to have the statue of Garfield directly in front of his door. However, Blaine and the chums never got on well together, and the chums and not Blaine are running this thing.

And when the deluge came they were astonished—very much so, in fact. The republican candidate for congress (his name is Moulton, and he ran for congress in Buffalo) was no sure—oh, so sure—that he actually had his carpets covered with crash the day before the election, and laid in a supply of provisions to the extent of thirty chickens and ducks, a hoghead of bread and a dozen kegs of beer, and heaven only knows how many other things. I wonder if the election baked corn will still be going forth his breakfasts, dinners and suppers?

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