

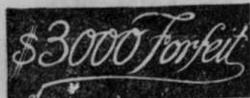
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VIRGINIA'S CLAIM.

The Washington correspondent of the Richmond-Times Dispatch writes as follows:

"There is a belief prevalent in the minds of some Virginians that the State owes the national government a large sum, which offsets all claims which the State has against the United States. This fact has developed since the talk of the introduction of a bill by Senator Daniel providing for the payment of the sum of \$120,000, with interest, to the treasurer of the Mount Vernon Association to be expended in building a road from this city to the tomb of Washington. The sum provided for is to represent the money, principal and interest, loaned the United States by the State of Virginia in the latter part of the eighteenth century to pay for the erection of the national Capitol.

The United States and the State of Virginia had an accounting about one year ago, and all claims of the one against the other were settled. The national government owed the State money for expenses incurred by Virginia in Indian wars, etc., but Virginia also owed the national government. Whenever demand was made by either upon the other, offsets were mentioned, and a settlement was impossible. Finally Senator Daniel had a bill passed which provided that where there were counter claims as between a State of the Union and the United States, settlements should be made as to the time when the two accounts were closest together. Accountants found that the claims of Virginia against the United States and of the United States against Virginia were nearest together on a certain date about 1880, at which time the claim of Virginia exceeded that of the national government by five dollars. Governor Montague and Second Auditor Dew went to Washington and took home with them the check of the Secretary of the Treasury for five dollars, which was turned into the State treasury.

The claims settled did not include the sum loaned the United States by Virginia for the construction of the Capitol. That sum is still due, and as a distinguished republican Senator before the war is said to have remarked on one occasion, "will remain a debt until the United States pays it." Hon. James G. Blaine is said to have advocated the payment of the claim and William H. Seward is understood to have taken the same position. Mr. Blaine, it will be recalled, favored the assumption of the State debt of Virginia by the national government, because of the session to the United States by Virginia of the Northwest Territory from which were carved several of the richest States of the Union. Mr. Blaine also wanted the United States to build a slack water canal from Clifton Forge to Richmond, in return for what Virginia had done for the Union. Of course, he must have known the scheme was purely chimerical, and he was one of those mainly instrumental in building the old Richmond and Alleghany Railroad, which took the place of the James River and Kanawha Canal, which was built by the State and extended from Richmond to Buchanan, a distance of about two hundred miles.

REVOLUTIONARY RIOT IN MOSCOW.

Moscow city was the scene of a revolutionary demonstration yesterday, from noon till nearly evening. Probably 5,000 people actually participated. Fortunately, the agitators did not succeed in drawing the workmen from the factories into the disturbance, and after many collisions, the police, firing blank volleys and charging with their sabres, the crowds were finally dispersed. Many were wounded and more were arrested. So far as is known none of the rioters were killed. One policeman is reported to have been fatally injured. Many on both sides were roughly handled.

Many of the demonstrators who broke through the cordon of police paraded in side streets, in smaller groups, waving flags and singing. A crowd of 500 collected in front of the theater, where revolutionary flags were hoisted amid shouts of "Long live freedom." The police were not prepared at this point, and the crowd, gathering volume, moved from the square to Neglina street and Koominestki Bridge, the chief street of Moscow, where the police met them. A stubborn fight ensued, ending, as the first had done, with three blank volleys and sabre charges.

The disturbances continued at isolated spots throughout the afternoon. Many shops were turned into hospitals, where the wounds of both rioters and police were temporarily dressed.

Quiet was finally restored, though almost every small street was traversed by small singing and shouting groups during the course of the afternoon.

The reported disturbances yesterday were confined to Moscow. The socialistic revolutionary party in St. Petersburg has decided to abstain from further demonstrations, many of their leaders having been arrested or wounded on December 11, and no further trouble is likely unless mobilization of reserves is proclaimed for that city or in the event of the fall of Port Arthur.

A meeting of 404 undergraduate girls of the Medical Institute yesterday passed resolutions of sympathy with Sasonoff, who, on December 13, was sentenced to imprisonment for life for the murder of Minister of the Interior Von Plehve. Another resolution adopted demanded liberal reforms. The meeting wound up with shouts of "Down with 'autocracy' and Long live freedom!"

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