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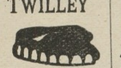
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A CALL TO VIRGINIANS.

The census of 1900 counts 1,410,864 white natives of Virginia in the United States. Of these but 1,074,674 live in Virginia. The remaining 336,190 are scattered from Alaska to Florida and from Maine to Hawaii. Their distributions by States and Territories is as follows:

West Virginia	44,564	Indian Territory	1,798
Missouri	30,985	Massachusetts	1,685
Ohio	22 358	Michigan	1,609
Maryland	22,162	South Carolina	1,571
Dist. of Columbia	18,778	Minnesota	1,486
Kentucky	18,609	Florida	1,475
Tennessee	17,779	Louisiana	1,307
North Carolina	17,120	Idaho	1,017
Illinois	15,745	Montana	979
Texas	14,673	North Dakota	952
Indiana	13,438	Wisconsin	946
Pennsylvania	13,388	Connecticut	859
Kansas	10,810	Delaware	730
New York	8,274	South Dakota	647
Iowa	7,816	Utah	590
California	5,685	Wyoming	530
Nebraska	5,105	Arizona	488
Arkansas	4,208	New Mexico	420
New Jersey	3,488	Rhode Island	351
Colorado	3,273	Maine	181
Oklahoma	3,270	Nevada	150
Georgia	3,331	New Hampshire	166
Alabama	3,016	Vermont	119
Washington	2,750	Alaska	100
Oregon	2,152	Hawaii	26
Mississippi	1,947		

These exiles constitute but comparatively few of the men and women in the country with Virginian blood in their veins. With Mark Hanna claiming a grandfather born near the University of Virginia and William J. Bryan claiming descent from a Culpeper man, the wide range of distribution of Virginian blood in this country is apparent. This very wideness and this very fact of 336,000 native Virginians outside of Virginia ought to be a powerful influence for a successful celebration in 1907 of the founding of English America at Jamestown, Va. The plan for that celebration is a far-reaching one, whether or not it includes an exposition. It is designed to revive interest in all the phases of the history of Virginia and the part played by that Commonwealth and its sons in the history of the United States. It embraces festivities of an interesting character in the Hampton Roads basin, at Jamestown and at Richmond, with visits to such places as Yorktown, Williamsburg, Fredericksburg, Petersburg, Mount Vernon, Monticello, Appomattox, the Natural Bridge, Luray and other points of interest. This programme should appeal to the Virginians who are scattered abroad. It should bring back to Virginia for a visit in 1907 at least 500,000 natives of Virginia or descendants of Virginians and another 500,000 eager to learn what Virginia has done, is doing and can do.

SURETY COMPANIES A PUBLIC BLESSING.

Hon. Edwin Warfield was given a reception on Tuesday night by the Concord Democratic Club, Baltimore. He was introduced to the club as the "next Governor of Marylynd." In reply he said "Barkis is willing," then delivered an address on corporate surety and what it had done for the people. The Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, of which Mr. Warfield was the organizer and is now president, was the first surety company organized in the South and the second in the United States, and is the strongest in the world. No man is better qualified to speak on corporate security than Mr. Warfield. He recognized the necessity of such a company in organizing the Fidelity and Deposit Company, and he has observed its benefits to the people. Private surety is no longer desirable for public officials, for receivers, trustees, executors and administrators, or for others required to give bond, and banks, railroads, and other enterprises require bonds for many of their clerks and employes.

Security was often difficult to obtain by the honest, but poor man, without friends of financial standing, and not obtaining it he had to lose opportunity for employment. The surety company levels all honest men. The Fidelity and Deposit Company inquires into the honesty of an applicant for surety, rather than his bank account. If a poor man establishes a character for honesty and capacity, the Company will go upon his bond as readily as upon the bond of a millionaire. Thus the surety company is a necessity. It is a blessing to the people. It lifts men up, and gives them opportunities they otherwise could not reach. Surety companies are sometimes confounded with trusts and most people do not discriminate between the latter. There are good trust companies, such as those which settle estates and take care of the funds of widows and orphans. The other trust is a combination to limit production and exort excessive profits. This trust is bad. The surety company is just the opposite. It aids the people, lifts them up, and does not rob them.—*Democratic Advocate.*

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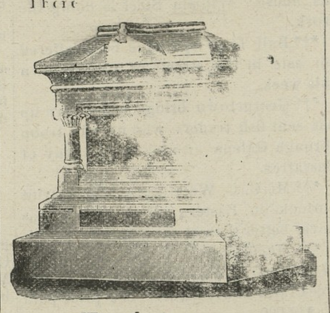
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