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CONFEDERATE MONUMENT TO BE UNVEILED.

A Large Crowd Will be Here on May the Eleventh to Witness the Unveiling Services—An Opportunity to Hear Gov. W. W. Kitchin, of North Carolina—Memorial Exercises in the Morning.

Many of the patriotic sons and daughters of old Lincoln will gather here on May the 11th to witness the unveiling of the monument, which the Children of the Confederacy have erected to the memory of the brave soldiers of this loyal county, that sent so many of her sons to the front, even as far as Gettysburg. Gov. W. W. Kitchin will make the address on this occasion and all those who have had the pleasure of listening to North Carolina's brilliant young governor will wish to hear him again. Those to whom his oratorical genius is as yet unknown will have the opportunity of hearing him here at his best on Thursday. The unveiling services will commence at 12 o'clock and Gov. Kithin's speech will follow soon after the presentation of the monument to Lincoln county by Maj. W. A. Graham, and its acceptation in behalf of the county by ex-Sheriff A. Nixon.

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