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CATALOGUE OF ARTICLES EXHIBITED AT THE ART LOAN EXHIBITION (1881)

In June 1881, a group of women of Lynchburg, Virginia, organized the Art Loan Exhibition to raise money for the Lynchburg Artillery Blues, a volunteer military unit, to attend the Yorktown, Virginia, centennial celebration in October. The catalogue lists 113 oil paintings and 273 miscellaneous antique items. The exhibition began on 28 June 1881 and was to last at least four days.

LYNCHBURG LIGHT ARTILLERY BLUES

The Lynchburg Light Artillery Blues was organized on 5 May 1877, with Frank T. Lee as Captain. In 1878, the unit was authorized to adopt a uniform different from that prescribed for the State volunteer militia.