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What shall be done? Legislation cannot deprive the roads of their chartered rights. An extreme law will retard business, shut out foreign capital and work serious injury in many directions.

What sort of a Commission then shall be appointed? Several years ago the STAR took this position. It opposed a very stringent law that was in favor with many that was proposed in a Southern State because it was dangerous and would shut out foreign capital and paralyze business and industrial development.

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There is no doubt of the fact that there is an overwhelming public sentiment in favor of a Railroad Commission. Governor Scales makes it one of the chief topics of his message to the Legislature, and it is understood that Governor Fowle is in favor of a Commission.

There is a very important and in some respects difficult question to manage. There is great prejudice against railroads in the popular mind. They are somewhat regarded as the enemies of the people rather than as the promoters of public interests.

The STAR is for moving cautiously, intelligently, and after a thorough examination of the great system involved. If a Commission of the right kind is appointed, it will do good, but it is possible to make a blunder in the character of the law and the way it works.

It is quite possible to create two evils. A wise, able, honest Commission working under a judicious and intelligently framed law, will be of service to the people.

There should be no enmity between the people and railroads, and in trying to remedy evils and correct friction there should be no prejudice and clamor, but a high sense of right and justice and a spirit of fair dealing.

When a railroad is chartered it is made a person in law, and as such is entitled to all its privileges, rights and immunities, given under the law, as much as the highest and most favored individual in the land.

It is exceedingly difficult to so frame a bill as to meet every case without unduly interfering with, if not crippling, the railroads. This whole question is yet within the domain of experiment—the law is very unsettled and imperfect, and such power given to the Commission, with proper restrictions, would I apprehend, by actual experience, gradually work out a just, impartial and beneficial law.

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THE TWO NEYS—FURTHER REVISION.

We are gratified to know that our recent editorial on the Neys has attracted attention in and out of the State. It is certainly an interesting subject and as one of inquiry is especially engaging.

Referring to the article in Lippincott's Magazine we left the impression that the examining of the body of Peter S. Ney was conclusive as to the non-identity of him with the great Marshal of Napoleon.

We are glad to be able to state that the examination of Peter S. Ney's skull was by no means conclusive as to the point. So far from it, the question of identity cannot possibly be solved in that way.

This was signed by Dr. J. G. Ramsey, a very intelligent physician, and others. Dr. Thomas F. Wood, of this city, says the cranium was in such a condition as not to decide the question of trepanning.

James A. Weston, of the Episcopal Church, who knows more of the Ney matter than any living North Carolinian, was present at the exhumation of Peter Ney's body.

Prof. Rafferty, organist at St. Thomas' Catholic Church in this city, has written a pleasing and interesting letter to the NEWS, of Newburgh, N. Y., where he was formerly organist and director of music at St. Mary's Church of that city.

After all, the Duke of Wellington may be one; also for kindness to strangers. The Duke was simply throwing dust in the eyes of the TRIBUNE.

The last New Bern Weekly Journal has a full page advertisement of the "Second Grand Annual Exposition of Eastern North Carolina game, fish, oyster, and industrial" products.

The Raleigh Observer says: "That was a highly deserved compliment paid Lieut. Gov. Stedman yesterday in the resolution of thanks accorded him, and originating as it did was peculiarly graceful."

The Fayetteville Observer has changed hands again, and while the STAR loses a good friend in the retiring editor, Mr. G. H. Haigh, it has a friend in Mr. Z. W. Whitehead, who succeeds him.

The receipts of cotton at this port for the week closed yesterday, were 1,718 bales; the same week last year, 2,337 bales.

Receipts of naval stores at this port from April 1st to January 18th, as compared with receipts for the same time last year, are as follows: Spirits turpentine, 58,028 casks; last year, 64,448 casks.

Messrs. Paterson, Downing & Co. cleared the Norwegian barque Lina, for Hull, Eng., with 360 casks spirits turpentine and 2,987 barrels rosin, valued at \$8,068.

Messrs. Williams & Murchison cleared the Norwegian brig San Juan, for London, with 2,981 barrels rosin, valued at \$2,910 1/2.

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