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EX-SPEAKER CRISP DEAD.

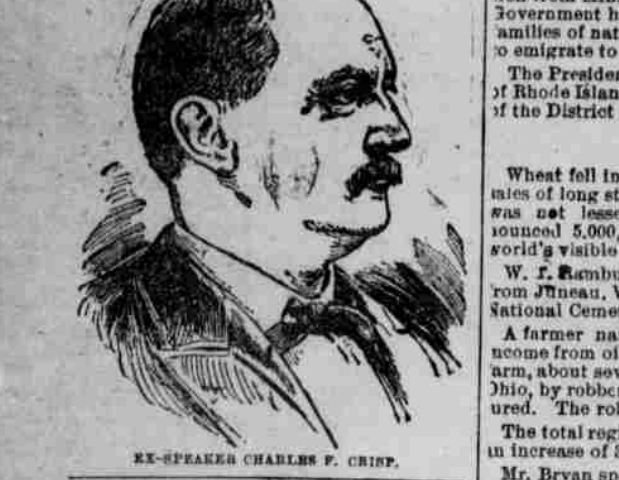
A DISTINGUISHED GEORGIAN DIES OF HEART FAILURE.

Was Speaker of the Fifty-first and Fifty-second Congresses and Would Have Been Elected to the United States Senate by the Next Legislature.

Hon. Charles Frederick Crisp, Speaker of the Fifty-first and Fifty-second Congresses, died at Holmes Sanitarium in Atlanta, Ga., at 1:45 o'clock Friday afternoon of last week. A paroxysm of pain in the heart preceded death, the paroxysm probably resulting from a rupture of the heart, as the result of fatty degeneration.

Judge Crisp went to Atlanta six weeks ago suffering from a typical case of malarial fever, which had developed at his home in Americus. He spent June, July and a part of August in the mountains of North Carolina and Tennessee. His return to middle Georgia during the very hottest period of the summer developed the fever.

After a week's treatment by his physician the fever disappeared. Sunday he was attacked with symptoms of his old trouble, pneumonia. On Wednesday and Thursday Judge



EX-SPEAKER CHARLES F. CRISP.

Crisp's condition improved, but he received no calls. His family was hopeful until 10 o'clock Thursday night, when he had a paroxysm of pain near the heart. At midnight there was another paroxysm and they continued at intervals all through the night and forenoon. He suffered intense pain but was conscious up to the very last. At 1:30, his son, Charles F. Crisp, Jr., and his younger brother and sisters, went across the street to the hotel for lunch. Mrs. Crisp remaining with her husband. At 1:40 the pain reappeared. A messenger was sent for the children. They came rapidly and just in time to get one last glimpse of their father.

Judge Crisp did not speak, dying within five minutes of the last attack. All of his children were with him, and although they had been warned by his physicians that death might come at any moment, when it did come it was tragic in its suddenness.

Governor Atkinson was his last visitor, having called on Sunday, when he and the judge chatted for an hour on current topics. Judge Crisp was keenly interested in politics until the last. He opposed fusion with the Populists and charged Governor Atkinson to defend it if he possibly could in Georgia.

Judge Crisp was one of the leaders of the silver movement in Georgia, and on that issue the State overwhelmingly endorsed him for the United States Senate. He was elected to the Senate by a large majority. There would have been practically no opposition to him for the Senate. His death at this time complicates matters and will lead to a bitter fight for the re-nomination. Perhaps other offices will be involved, too. Judge Crisp declined to contest for re-nomination to the House.

The announcement of Judge Crisp's death was telegraphed to Speaker Thomas B. Reed of Portland, Me., and to the sergeant-at-arms of the House of Representatives, it being customary to notify the officers of the death of prominent persons. Secretary Lansing in order that the proper congressional escort may be appointed. Many telegrams of sympathy were received by Mrs. Crisp from citizens and military officers. The body from the sanitarium to the capitol in the rotunda, where the remains were placed on a catafalque. Early Sunday morning the body, with a large escort, left for Americus, going by way of Macon. Upon arriving there the remains were placed in the Methodist Church in state for two hours. Gen. Clement A. Evans conducted the last exercises.

ALTTIED IN NEW YORK.

The Governor of Illinois Speaks to a Monster Audience.

Saturday, in New York, at Cooper Union, John P. Altgeld, Governor of Illinois, addressed a monster audience of 10,000 persons. The meeting was held under the auspices of the German-American Democratic Association of the above named city. The hall was decorated with American flags, and when the speaker made his appearance the vast audience arose as one man, waved flags and cheered for several minutes.

Congressman Sulzer made a brief speech, which was followed by Governor Altgeld, who was received with a storm of cheers and a cry of "We love you for the enemies you have made."

The greater part of Governor Altgeld's speech, which was a very long one, was devoted to a justification of his attitude during the Chicago railroad strike two years ago. He quoted the telegraphic correspondence had with various officials, railroad officials and the Federal authorities at the time, and asked his audience to judge whether he had not, under the circumstances, done his full duty as Governor. He denounced the gold standard, Federal interference and government by injunction, under which, he said, the Constitution and the laws can be trampled upon and every principle of free government brushed away with a mere wave of the hand.

A telegram was read from Mr. Bryan, dated Big Rapids, Mich., saying in part: "A cordial greeting to the German-Americans; free coinage at 16 to 1, without waiting for any other nation."

Still Visiting McKinley.

Monday the week's visit to McKinley's home began with the arrival about noon of several car-loads of people from Sewickley, Pa. In the party were a number of ladies and the McKinley and Hobart "Round Money" club of that city. They were escorted to the McKinley home headed by a drum corps consisting of ten men, and gave McKinley three rousing cheers when he appeared upon the porch. Mrs. McKinley received the ladies after the address.

Foreign Notes.

Li Hung Chang has arrived at Peking, China, and will shortly present his report to the Emperor.

The Ecuador Government has submitted to the Convention a scheme for a return to the gold standard.

A dispatch from Paris announces that the wedding of the Marquis de Montiers-Meriville and Miss Mary Gwendolyn Byrd Caldwell was celebrated at St. Joseph's Church, in the Avenue Hoche.

New Use for Wine.

Water being scarce, 100,000 gallons of new wine were used to quench a fire in Korvetz's factory, near Gieselsdorf, Cal., saving 100,000 gallons of old wine from the flames.

FIRED ON FILIBUSTERS.

The Cruiser Raleigh Captures the Dauntless and Her Escort.

HOVE TO BY SOLID SHOT.

Brought the Fleeing Steamer Dauntless to a Halt as She Steamed for Cuba—A Prize Crew Was Put on Board and the Capture Taken in Charge—A Tug With Arms and Coal Aboard Captured.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. (Special).—The steamer Dauntless and the tug R. L. Mabey, employed by the Cuban Junta in transporting arms and ammunition to the insurgents on the island of Cuba, were captured early Wednesday morning off the east coast of Florida by the United States cruiser Raleigh after a chase, during which the ship fired her guns.

The Dauntless left Palm Beach over two weeks ago with a filibustering expedition, and since then, it is claimed, she has made two more trips to the island, securing the arms from one of the Florida keys, where the Cuban agents have established a sort of warehouse. The State Department at Washington has been greatly worried by the success of the Dauntless as a filibuster, and the Raleigh was sent South under orders to seize the vessel at all hazards.

When the Raleigh arrived off St. Augustine, her commander was informed that the Dauntless was in the vicinity of the coast. The Raleigh immediately steamed south, and about 6 o'clock a. m. sighted the Dauntless steaming north. A signal from the Raleigh was disregarded by the Dauntless, and the latter vessel crowded on steam and tried to escape.

Then the Raleigh fired a blank cartridge which startled the New Smyrna people and sent them to the house tops, where they could see the sea. They saw the Raleigh in her chase of the Dauntless, the latter apparently going so fast that the former sent a solid shot across the filibuster's bows, but still the Dauntless pursued her course. Another solid shot was fired by the cruiser which struck the water near the Dauntless and threw waves all over her. Then the Dauntless came to and the Raleigh sent a prize crew on board.

As the Raleigh and Dauntless came up the coast, the tug R. L. Mabey was sighted. The Mabey headed for Mosquito Inlet and tried to escape, but was brought to by three solid shots in quick succession from the Raleigh. Two of the shots struck within ten feet of Mabey and caused the little tug to reel as though she had been dealt a mortal blow. A prize crew from the Raleigh was also sent aboard the Mabey, and they found her loaded deep with coal and arms for the Dauntless. The Dauntless, it is said, had no arms on board.

The Raleigh proceeded north with her prizes and arrived at St. Johns Bay, where the filibusters are now lying under the cruiser's guns. The Dauntless and Mabey will be sent up to Jacksonville in the morning and turned over to the United States officials.

W. A. Babco, who is a brother of the Collector of Customs here, owns the Dauntless, and Captain Lamm, of Brunswick, Ga., commands the Mabey, and her commander is Captain Canine. The Cubans here claim that they had seen the Dauntless, and some sensational disclosures are expected.

PRINCETON'S SEQUENTENTIAL.

The President and Mrs. Cleveland Join in the Unique Celebration.

Never was there such a college celebration at which marks the sesquicentennial of Princeton University, at Princeton, N. J. The first day was all decorous and scholarly. On the second day the morning was devoted to learning, the afternoon to athletics and the evening to enthusiasm, display, fireworks. In her maddest observation of athletic victories Princeton never saw such a demonstration.

Thousands of people crowded around the campus just in front of old Nassau Hall, forming a gigantic hollow square, in the center of which was the bandstand. In front of Nassau Hall, the President and Mrs. Cleveland, escorted by the Philadelphia City Troop of Cavalry, arrived and took their places on the stand at 8 o'clock.

It was not until 10 o'clock that the sesquicentennial procession entered the campus and began the march past the President and his company. The seventy-first Regiment Band from New York led the procession. They were followed by the Mercer Blues, Princeton's student military company, uniformed in the old Colonial colors, and wearing cocked hats. The Yale delegation, in cap and gowns, came next.

At this point President Cleveland pressed the electric button which lighted the hundreds of electric lamps that covered Nassau Hall, causing the old building under the illumination to look like a white marble palace.

Following the military companies in the parade were 3000 undergraduates and alumni grouped with their various classes, all carrying torches, each class having banners and transparencies that covered Nassau Hall, causing the old building under the illumination to look like a white marble palace.

After the entire procession had passed and filed into their places within the great square, torchlight was extinguished and all joined in singing college songs. A magnificent display of fireworks illuminated the campus for half an hour.

Repeated calls were made by the crowd for the President to speak, but he did not respond. At 11 o'clock the President and party left the stand under their escort, and the throng of spectators about the campus dispersed immediately.

During the afternoon the trustees of the old College of New Jersey met for the last time as a corporate institution. When they adjourned the life of the new Princeton University was begun.

Semi-Centennial of Anesthesia.

The fiftieth anniversary of the successful use of ether to produce anesthesia in surgical operations was commemorated at the Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston, a few days ago. A number of papers were read by prominent physicians and surgeons, and Dr. S. W. Mitchell, of Philadelphia, contributed a poem entitled "The Birth and Death of Pain."

Killed Family and Self.

A newspaper and magazine writer named Fulenbier, killed his wife, his three children and himself at Biacowitz, near Dresden, Germany, by putting poison in their food. Fulenbier had become desperate and desperate through his increasing impoverishment and failure to obtain employment.

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NORTH CAROLINA NEWS.

STATE FAIR OPENS.

More Exhibits Than Were Ever Known Before.

The annual State fair opened at Raleigh Monday. The exhibits this year is better than previous ones. Below is a summary of the exhibits in the different departments, as taken from the Raleigh News and Observer of Tuesday:

"Floral Hall, proper, is as usual the gem of the fair. Here are displayed the finest and costliest of the exhibits. Perhaps the most unique and elaborate of these, certainly the one that will attract the most attention is, as usual, that of Col. Julian S. Carr's famous Oconeechee Farm.

"The educational exhibit is something new, but something that will attract the attention of every serious visitor to the fair. In it is a poem and a prophecy combined. The exhibits, beautiful and ingenious in themselves, are artistically arranged and, formed by the hands of the students in North Carolina schools. They give an idea of what the rising generation are being taught to accomplish in the world for themselves and for humanity. There is no more interesting spot in all the fair grounds than among these exhibits. The University, State Normal and Industrial School, Peace Institute, St. Mary's, Guilford College, Durham and Raleigh Graded Schools.

"Among the industries of the State, Raleigh is represented by the Carolina Phosphate Mills, Carolina Cotton Mills, Raleigh Cotton Mills and Loblolly Car Wheel Works.

"Other general exhibitors are L. W. Holt, of Burlington; T. W. Wood & Co., of Richmond; Conrard Wagon Company, of Kentucky; Clark Mann manufacturing Company, of New Jersey; etc.

"The exhibit of poultry is complete and exceedingly fine. The principal exhibitors are: The Oconeechee Farm, Hillsboro; Riverside Poultry Farm, New Bern; F. E. Hege, Salem, and Oscar Fisher, Salem.

"There has never been so many fine horses and cattle on the grounds. And hogs—they were too, grunting and rolling in their fatness; and sheep, too, a plenty of them. In short, there is a most magnificent display of all kinds of farm products, not only of all kinds of farm products, not only of all kinds of farm products, but of everything else—grain, hay, root-crops and every other conceivable thing from a pumpkin to a peanut."

FIGURES ON NORTH CAROLINA.

Some Arithmetic Calculations From Republican Headquarters.

George Pell, in a communication from Washington, D. C., to the Charlotte Observer, makes a calculation on the voting strength of the Democrats and Republicans in the coming election, as well as the other parties. Here are the figures:

Number of negroes in North Carolina, according to the census of 1890, who are over the age of 21, 109,000. Number of whites, 233,000. Add 5,000 for increase since. Number of negroes going to vote this year, 92,600. Number to vote for McKinley, 83,000; for Bryan, 9,355 (this includes all Democratic and Populist negroes, "and all whose votes will be tampered with"). Number to vote for Russell, 76,200; Guthrie and Duckery, 14,220; Watson, 2,280.

Number of white Republicans, 73,000. Number going to vote this year, 65,700. Number for McKinley, 61,101; for Bryan, 4,599; Russell, 61,600; Guthrie, 3,100; Watson, 1,000.

White Democrats in North Carolina, 140,000. Number to vote this year, 130,200. For Bryan, 127,590; McKinley, 1,559; Palmer, 851. For Watson, 130,093; Guthrie, 107.

White Populists in North Carolina, 25,000. Colored Populists, 7,358 (included in Bryan's negro vote). Total Populist vote, 32,358. Of the 25,000, 23,112 will vote. Of these Bryan will get 19,263 (the balance won't vote for the Presidential ticket). Guthrie will get 21,200; Watson, 1,922; Russell, 600.

Summing all this up, the Republican informant states the vote to be: McKinley, 145,600; Bryan, 160,807. Bryan's majority, 15,147.

For Governor: Russell, 138,400; Watson, 134,675; Guthrie, 3,627. Plurality for Russell, 3,725.

It is learned that the season at Southern Pines will be a good one. Some invalids are already arriving. At Pinehurst, where Proprietor Tufts is completing twenty new cottages, there will also be many people, nearly all from New England. It is said that all the houses are taken.

Superintendent Leazar says the cotton crop on the State farm on the Roanoke (which was thought at one time to have been absolutely ruined by the great freeze) will be over 2,000 bales. It may be really over 2,500 bales.

The pension applications are all in the hands of the State Auditor. There are over 500 new ones. The State pension board is examining them.

What Minister Terrel Says.

Hon. A. W. Terrel, the United States Minister to Turkey, has given to the Associated Press the first explicit and authorized statement from an official source regarding the mission of the United States steamship Bancroft in the Levant. He said: "The report that the Bancroft will, under instructions, force the Dardanelles is too ridiculous for serious notice. The fact of the matter is that I have not applied for the entry of a dispatch boat to Constantinople since February. So the statement that I have abandoned or withdrawn is entirely without foundation. I have not even mentioned the subject of a dispatch boat to the Porte since February. The relations between Turkey and the United States are cordial."

LATEST NEWS.

Crowds were turned away from the hall in which Secretary Carlisle spoke on sound money in Covington, Ky. Disorderly disturbances interrupted him several times, but the vast majority of his audience was in sympathy with him and the hisses were drowned with cheers.

Geo. P. Post, of New York, has been elected President of the Institute of American Architects at Nashville, Tenn.

The Southern District Conference of the Universalists met in Atlanta, Ga. All the Southern States were represented.

Harry Love, clerk in a railroad office at Atlanta, Ga., was run over and killed by a freight while wheeling his bike along the tracks.

The United States Phosphate Company, doing business within the southern district of Florida, has been closed by Caleb Chase, of Massachusetts, who held a mortgage against the company. It was indebted to the defendant in the sum of \$20,000.

The Thos. H. Evans Publishing Company, of New York, dealer in campaign novelties has failed. Assets and liabilities about \$25,000.

Train robbers held up a Chicago & Alton train in Blue Cut, between Independence and Glendale, Mo.

At Augusta, Ga., Wesley Bennett, an agent for the Travelers Accident Insurance Company, attempted to commit suicide.

The Populists of Georgia have taken down their electoral ticket. One member says he will vote for McKinley.

Will Settle, cashier of the Building and Loan Association, of Louisville, is a defaulter for \$8,000.

The steamer T. P. Leathers, loaded with 1,700 bales of cotton, 9,000 sacks of cotton seed and a lot of cotton seed oil, sprung a leak and sunk three miles above Natchez, Miss.

At Mt. Vernon, O., Hon. Columbus Delano, ex-Secretary of the Interior, died.

Louis A. Coquard, a St. Louis bond and stock broker, made an assignment. The assets are placed at \$100,000.

Dan Creedon whipped Harry Baker, of Chicago, in the twenty round bout at the Empire Athletic Club at New York.

The Cashier Kills Himself.

At Frederickburg, Va., W. T. Rambusch, the absconding banker from Junius, Wis., killed himself. Rambusch went to Frederickburg last week and registered at the hotel as C. T. Anderson. He shot himself in the national cemetery. The body was found in a sitting posture, the hand still grasping the pistol with which he shot himself in the right temple. He left a note saying he wished to die among his comrades.

CONDENSED SCHEDULE.

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Leave Wilmington	7:35 a. m.	Arrive Fayetteville	10:45
Leave Fayetteville	11:05	Leave Maxton	11:15
Leave Sanford	12:22 p. m.	Leave Climax	2:40
Arrive Greensboro	3:08	Leave Greensboro	3:15
Leave Stokesdale	4:02	Arrive Walnut Cove	4:32
Leave Walnut Cove	4:38	Leave Rural Hall	5:12
Arrive Mt. Airy	6:35		
SOUTH BOUND.		No. 1 Daily.	
Leave Mt. Airy	8:40 a. m.	Leave Rural Hall	10:04
Arrive Walnut Cove	10:32	Leave Walnut Cove	10:32
Leave Stokesdale	11:07	Arrive Greensboro	11:53
Leave Greensboro	12:15 p. m.	Leave Climax	12:47
Leave Sanford	3:10	Arrive Fayetteville Junction	4:35
Arrive Fayetteville	4:35	Leave Fayetteville	4:45
Arrive Wilmington	7:55		
NORTH BOUND.		No. 4 Daily.	
Leave Bennettsville	8:30 a. m.	Arrive Maxton	9:30
Leave Maxton	9:37	Leave Lumber Bridge	10:03
Leave Hope Mills	10:54	Arrive Fayetteville	11:05
SOUTH BOUND.		No. 3 Daily.	
Leave Fayetteville	4:43 p. m.	Leave Hope Mills	5:00
Leave Lumber Bridge	5:42	Arrive Maxton	6:10
Arrive Bennettsville	6:15	Arrive Bennettsville	7:15
NORTH BOUND.		No. 15, Mixed.	
Leave Ramours	6:45 a. m.	Leave Climax	8:35
Arrive Greensboro	9:20	Leave Greensboro	9:35
Leave Stokesdale	11:07	Leave Climax	4:05
Arrive Ramours	5:50		
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