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THE STATE CAPITAL.

Butler Gives His Opinion on the
Asylum Cases.

Order to Amend the Bill of Com-
plaint. The Lease of Lands. Del-
egation to Wilmington. Life
Insurance Receipts and
Losses. Court Decision.

JOURNAL BUREAU,
RALEIGH, N. C., May 12.

Senator Butler over his own signature,
today says that the decision of the Su-
preme court in regard to the asylum cases
is so just that no one can complain of it.
That the decision is utterly without party
prejudice. He says Governor Russell
made a grave mistake in listening to the
cry to make a political foot ball of the
educational and charitable State Institu-
tions. He declares that the whole busi-
ness was raised as a special spite against
Dr. Murphy of the Morganton Asylum, an
who stands in the very top round of the
ladder in his profession.

The Supreme court decides that no
municipal corporation has the authority
to levy any tax to pay interest on bonds,
regularly issued, unless authority to levy
the tax has been conferred by a vote of
the people.

An order has been received from Judge
Simonton of the Circuit court, allowing
W. R. Tucker of the city to amend his
bill of complaint against Governor Rus-
sell as the matter of the Atlantic and
North Carolina railway so that the bill
will set forth that President Hancock of
the road obtained an injunction in the
Superior court of Craven county, to pre-
vent a meeting of the private stockhold-
ers in April, and that this injunction is
now in operation.

The "Field and Shore association" that
wanted a 99 year lease of some land
near New Berne for a game preserve,
and were refused have made another ap-
plication for a lease for six years, with
the privilege of purchasing within the
six years term. Several prominent citi-
zens of New Berne have signed a peti-
tion for the State Board to grant this
lease, and it will be considered at the
next meeting of the Board.

The firing of the minute guns on the
10th of May was the first time such a
thing was done during the Memorial
exercises and it added much to the im-
pressiveness of the occasion.

Quite a delegation has gone to Wil-
mington to attend the Grand Chapter of
the Royal Arch Masons which met last
night. There will be special delegates to
the meeting of the "Striders" on Friday
night.

Prof. and Mrs. N. R. Craighill of the
A. & M. College have issued 200 invita-
tions to a reception tomorrow night from
8 to 11 p. m.

The Raleigh school committee made a
small appropriation to be used in getting
up a good school exhibit at the State Fair
in October. Professors Howell and Toms
have been a school committee for the
entire State.

Wake county leads in the payment of
taxes; that is in paying the largest
amount of taxes. Buncombe county was
ahead a week ago but Wake went ahead.
The monthly meeting of the Chamber
of Commerce was held last night. There
was an encouraging report from the
committee on an arroy post here. This
course is in the future.

It is found that tuberculosis has ap-
peared among cattle here and several
have been killed.

The Secretary of State in his report
gives the life insurance business of the
State as follows: Risks written \$17,-
255,296—premium receipts, \$1,388,293—
losses \$871,973.

For the past 48 hours fine rains have
fallen, and crops already show a marked
benefit.

The State Pharmaceutical Association
met this morning. Mayor Russ made an
address of welcome. President Bradley
of the Association made the annual ad-
dress. The Association has a member
ship of 150. There are 60 in attendance.

CHARLOTTE FAIR OPEN.

Lovely Laughters of Carolinian Grace
the Occasion With Their Presence
Widow of Gen. "Stonewall" Jack-
son Leads Aid to the Project.

CHARLOTTE, N. C.—The women of
Mecklenburg assembled in full force
Wednesday evening to grace the opening
of the Charlotte fair. They were in full
evening dress. Many of them were young
and among the fairest of their sex.
Mrs. Thomas J. Jackson, the widow of
Gen. "Stonewall" Jackson, was present,
surrounded by friends and admirers. She
is a resident of Charlotte and has just re-
turned from a trip to Texas, where she
says she was the recipient of attentions
that touched her deeply. Her presence at
the fair was to give what aid she could
the undertaking of North Carolina wo-
men, in which she feels the deepest
interest.

The fair is a very interesting attraction
to the numerous visitors whom the events
of May will bring to Charlotte. It in-
cludes exhibits of art, history and indus-
try from many States and cities.

This month is always an anniversary
occasion here. Ever since 1875, when
the "Hornet's Nest Centennial" was cele-
brated, yearly commemoration of the
Mecklenburg Declaration of Independ-
ence has been the custom on each recur-
ring 10th of May.

Mecklenburg is one of the leading
counties of North Carolina, and it is ad-

mitted that the celebration of 1875 was
the turning point in its fortunes, for the
wide publicity which that event gave to
Charlotte and its business possibilities
had the effect of drawing hither many
business men, whose investments and
aid, combined with the enterprise of the
native stock, having made the town what
it is today. In more ways than one,
therefore, the anniversary of the Meck-
lenburg Declaration of Independence is a
date for the people of Charlotte and its
surrounding territory to come out and
rejoice.

PEACE NEAR AT HAND.

Greece Formally Accepts the Offer of
The Powers to Mediate. Relief in
Athens.

ATHENS.—Greece has formally adhered
to the preliminaries of peace as agreed
upon between the Powers and the heads
of the different legations and have received
positive assurance investing them with
authority to treat with Turkey.
As soon as the reply of Greece to the
note of the Powers was handed to the
representatives of the Powers, the latter
represented the Greek decision to the
representatives of the Powers at Con-
stantinople with the request they obtain
an armistice with a view of arranging
permanent peace.

There is a sense of relief in Athens to-
day at the prospect of an immediate end
of the calamitous war. There is no ex-
citement and no popular demonstration
is anticipated. The government has
notified the Greek army of the mediation
of the Powers.

Up to the present there is no sign of a
revolution or of a definite anti-dynastic
movement at Athens. The people appear
to be relieved at the idea of mediation
and will be only too glad to have peace
restored. The powers are using their in-
fluence to persuade the Turks to cease
hostilities, though there are some doubts
as to whether they will succeed.

Mr. Halli, in the course of an inter-
view at Athens this afternoon, intimated
that the acquiescence of Greece to the
plans of the Powers was due to the belief
that Turkey would not be allowed to re-
tain an inch of Greek territory. This
also appears to be the opinion of Euro-
pean diplomats, who think Turkey should
be satisfied with a moderate indemnity.

Still Fighting and Killing.

HAVANA.—Captain-General Weyler has
left Sancti Spiritus, Province of Santa
 Clara for the field.
During a number of small skirmishes
in the Pinar del Rio, District of Santa
 Clara, the troops have captured an im-
portant stronghold and have made sev-
eral prisoners.

In the fighting which has taken place
during the last ten days of the month of
May, 218 insurgents have been killed and
117 captured. The troops during the
same period lost four men killed and had
ten officers and 119 soldiers wounded. In
addition the troops captured 188 sets of
arms, 312 horses were seized and 95 armed
insurgents surrendered to the Spanish
authorities.

Washington News.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—The Cabinet
meeting today lasted an hour and a half,
but the announcement was made at its
conclusion that nothing of importance
had been considered. It was decided,
among other things, to send one of the
new gun boats now building on the Pa-
cific coast to Sitka, Alaska, immediately
upon its completion, about July 1. The
great activity in Alaska growing out of
the gold discoveries has made the Presi-
dent and cabinet deem this step advisable
for the safeguarding of American inter-
ests.

During the debate in the Senate on the
Morgan Cuban resolution today the state-
ment was made that the State Depart-
ment is in possession of important official
information from Cuba. This consists
in the main of a report of Consul-Gen-
eral Lee, dated the latter part of April, in
which he states that the insurgents are
not decreasing in numbers, but that ac-
cording to the most trustworthy informa-
tion at hand and to all appearances, there
are more of them now than when he
went to the island.

Each year during the session of the
council, the regents and vice-regents of
the Mount Vernon Association give a
banquet to the Governor of Virginia and
the Advisory Board, and today was the
occasion of the event for this year.

Before the Governor and party reached
Mount Vernon the ladies had a most in-
teresting ceremony of tree-planting. Six
of the oldest members of the council, the
regent, Mrs. Townsend, Mrs. Mitchell,
of Wisconsin, the dean of the order; Mrs.
Walker, of North Carolina; Mrs. Fickins,
of South Carolina; Mrs. Hudson, of Con-
necticut, and Mrs. Washington, of W.
Va., each planted an oak on the brow of
the hill. It is the intention each year to
have the senior members of the Council
plant a tree in this manner, and so perpe-
tuate their memories there.

After an inspection of the mansion,
luncheon was served in the library. Be-
side the Governor and Mrs. O'Ferrall, a
large number of guests were present.

THE COTTON MARKETS.

May 12,
Cotton opened off 7 points from yester-
day's closing, advanced 3 points, and
closed at 7.39 August.

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Pharmaceutical Association Ad-
dressed by President Alderman.

Governor Russell to Attend Meck-
lenburg Celebration. State Uni-
versity Commencement May
25th. Important Ad-
resses to be Delivered.

Special to Journal,
RALEIGH, N. C., May 12.—The Epis-
copal Diocesan Convention elected Rev. Dr.
Marshall, president. Rev. Dr. Everett
preached the convention sermon.

After a debate the resolution allow
women to vote on parish matters was re-
ferred to a committee.

The State Pharmaceutical Association
heard an address by President Alderman
at the State University on the newly es-
tablished chair of Pharmacy. President
Alderman was introduced by Seymour
Hancock.

The Association heartily endorsed the
chair of pharmacy.

Governor Russell accepts an invitation
to attend the celebration at Charlotte,
May twentieth.

The newly created State Board of
Public School Examiners is called to meet
here May 25th.

The State University commenced
program was arranged today. It begins
May thirtieth.

Rev. Dr. Felix, of Asheville, preaches
the bereavement sermon. The new
class presents the last of General R. E.
Lee, and Hon. William L. Wilson in
lives the address.

Flood at Baton Rouge.

NEW ORLEANS.—At eight o'clock this
morning the crevasse at Baton Rouge,
which broke about six weeks ago, and
which was fifty feet wide, every
inch of dry land in the vicinity was cov-
ered with people and rapid repairs are
being made to the structure, and
material at the spot in order to reach the
break.

At seven o'clock this morning all the
lower end of the city to the State
House was under water, and reds
of-sets are employed to cover people
and household effects today, on ground.
The mud rush of water from the break
twisted the tracks in the Meigs new
Valley road to some extent, but it
threw today that train will get 22 ten
through.

If the crevasse is not promptly closed,
communication over the Valley road will
be entirely stopped and one of the richest
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