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RALEIGH.

State Charters Companies at Maysville and La Grange.

Son of Captain Ashe Dead. New Brick Company. The State Exhibit Of Gems At Paris. Railway Statement.

Special to Journal.

RALEIGH, July 11.—State Treasurer Worth went to Greensboro today to attend the annual meeting of the North Carolina railway. He took with him a statement showing the receipts and disbursements by the State on account of this road, in which it holds $3,000,000 of stock. From 1881 to date the State has received from the Southern railway in the way of rental $2,092,555. It has paid in the way of interest on the bonds $2,771,010, having a balance of $321,545. The road is a very valuable property to the State as well as to the Southern Railway.

The State charters the Barnhardt cotton mill of Charlotte, capital $50,000; the Collins Gin Company of Maysville, Jones county (with power to manufacture cotton goods), authorized capital $10,000; the La Grange Manufacturing Company of Lenoir county, (with power to make cotton goods, ice, build and operate water, ice and electric lights, authorized capital $50,000; and the Cliff Investment Company of Buncombe county, capital $10,000.

Last night at midnight, after 5 weeks illness, Thomas Martin Ashe, son of Capt. S. A. Ashe, died at his home here of typhoid fever. He was 24 years of age and was a graduate of the Agricultural and Mechanical College here. By profession he was an architect and his firm has made a reputation for its work. He married last year a daughter of Armistead Jones, Esq., and a grand-daughter of the late Gen. L. O'B. Branch of this city.

The corporation commission was notified today that the Bank of Morganton has ceased to be a State bank and became a National bank.

The Copperville brick company of Raleigh has begun work, with an output of 50,000 brick a day.

George F. Kunz, the noted gem expert, who is in charge of the Tiffany exhibit at the Paris exposition writes Secretary Bruner of the State Agricultural department: "I assure you that the North Carolina gems looks very well indeed, displayed as they are. I have no doubt they will make a decided impression upon the judges. They attract much attention from the many passers-by and the Tiffany collection is their nearest neighbor.

North Carolina Base-Ball.

Special to Journal.

Charlotte, July 11.—The game today resulted, Statesville 5, Charlotte 1.

Durham, July 11.—Today's game resulted, Tarboro 1, Durham 0. The only run, which was made by Tarboro, was in the 9th inning.

STANDING OF CLUBS.

	WON.	LOST.	P. C
Tarboro	9	3	.750
Durham	6	5	.555
Raleigh	6	5	.555
Charlotte	4	5	.444
Statesville	3	6	.333
Wilmington	2	6	.250

Our Philippine Army.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 10—A statement prepared by the adjutant general shows that the total strength of the United States army in the Philippines on June 30 last was 68,426 officers and men. Of that number 31,821 are regulars and 31,605 volunteers, distributed among the different arms as follows:

Infantry, 54,268 officers and men; cavalry, 8402; artillery, 2291, and staff corps, 3278.

The total strength given above includes 1310 officers and men of the Ninth Infantry, since transferred to China, leaving 63,116 in the Ppilippines.

THE MARKETS.

The following quotations were received by J. E. Latham, New Bern, N. C.

New York, July 11.

COTTON:—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
July	10 00	10.01	9.96	9.96
Aug.	9 70	9.70	9.61	9 61
Sept.	8.87	8.91	8.87	8.90
Oct	8 48	8.50	8.48	8.50
Jan.	8.28	8.30	8.28	8.29
Nov	8.30	8.35	8.30	8.31

CHICAGO MARKETS.

WHEAT:—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
Aug	81	81¼	80¾	81¼
CORN:—				
Aug	42¾	43¼	42¾	43¼
do. K'y Pfd	51¼			52
P. O. T.	68¼			68¼
Gen. T.				
Mo. Pac.				
Fed. S.	32¾			32¾

Cotton receipts were 5,000 bales at all ports.

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CAUSTIC CONKLING.

HE WAS A PAST MASTER IN THE GENTLE ART OF MAKING ENEMIES.

John J. Ingalls Tells of the Cutting Comments and Pointed Wit of the Cynic of the Senate and Deplores the Vanished Magic of His Name.

Charles Sumner had no more sense of humor than a hippopotamus, but there was something excessively humorous about his colossal self consciousness, of which it is no paradox to say he was apparently unconscious.

His egotism was inordinately vast, though innocent in its simplicity. It was far from conceit and led to no disparagement of his associates. Indeed, I doubt if he ever instituted comparisons. Probably Grant, whom he hated and abused, came the nearest to sizing him up when he said: "The reason Sumner doesn't believe in the Bible is because he didn't write it himself."

The self consciousness of Roscoe Conkling was quite as egregious as that of Mr. Sumner, but his egotism was tinged with vanity and compounded with scorn, contempt and disdain. He was a past master in the gentle art of making enemies and well versed in the vocabulary of derision and hatred. Hamlet might have had him in mind when in his soliloquy he mentioned, among other things that make life not worth living, "the proud man's contumely." The hinges of his knees were not pregnant, and he had none of the thrift that follows fawning. When I first knew him, he was in the meridian of his great powers. He possessed an extraordinary assemblage of physical and intellectual attributes that made him by far the most prominent, picturesque and impressive figure in public life.

His presence was noble and commanding, his voice and elocution were superb, his bearing and address somewhat too formal, but marked by dignity and grace. His vocabulary was rich and ornamental, sometimes almost to the borders of the grotesque, but fertilized with apposite quotations and allusions that showed wide reading, especially in poetry, romance and the drama. Some hostile critic described one of his speeches as a "purple earthquake of oratory." But he was always heard with delight on any theme.

Had he possessed greater flexibility of temper, been less inexorable in his animosities and learned how to forget where he could not forgive there was no height he might not have reached, even the highest in the people's gift. But he would not flatter Neptune for his trident nor Jove for his power to thunder.

Toward the end of his career in the senate he fell out with the newspapers, and sometimes, when he arose to speak, every reporter in the press gallery closing his notebook, the whole crowd would rush noisily out into the lobby, leaving every seat without an occupant. He flushed at the insult; but, speaking of journalism afterward, he was moved to remark in his propitiatory way that the only people in the world authorized to use the first person, plural, "we," in speaking of themselves, were "editors and men with tapeworms!"

His allusion to Governor Cornell as "that lizard on the hill" and to President Arthur, after his refusal to abdicate in favor of Mr. Conkling, as "the prize ox in American politics" and his refusal to speak for Blaine in the campaign of 1884 on the ground that he was "not engaged in criminal practice" are well known illustrations of his methods of compelling his political associates to be either his vassals or his enemies.

But Jove did not always sit on Olympus. Sometimes he descended to the plain, though never quite on terms of absolute equality with mankind. He was inclined to "jolly" those whom he did not feel disposed to bully.

When Thurman once asked him in a debate on some legal proposition why he kept looking at him all the time, Conkling replied with elaborate raillery that he turned to him as the source and fountain of the common law as at the call of the muezzin the Mussulman turned to Mecca.

Another favorite butt for his chaff, banter and ridicule was Judge David Davis. He was a Falstaff in proportions and good nature and the best guesser in American politics. Lincoln appointed him justice of the supreme court in 1862. The greater part of his active life was passed on the bench, where he was accustomed to having the last word and to delivering opinions rather than defending them, which is not a good preparation for the deliberations of the senate. He was an inveterate compromiser and composer of strife, which led Conkling to allude to him in debate as "the largest wholesale and retail dealer in political soothing strup the world had ever known!"

Later, in the discussion of the same measure, Davis interrupted Conkling by way of correction or anticipation, which Conkling resented by quoting ore rotundo two lines from one of Watts' hymns:

"He knows the words that I would speak
Ere from my opening lips they break!"

To Davis' elephantine attempt to smooth over his break by some farfetched eulogy Conkling replied:

"Praise undeserved is censure in disguise."

The stenographer did not recognize the quotation, so that one of Alexander Pope's most polished lines stands as an original, extemporaneous phrase of Mr. Conkling's.

It seems incredible that a personage of such vast and unusual powers, who for 20 years was a most prominent actor in the great drama of public affairs, who filled so large a space in the thought of the people, who was caricatured, lampooned, praised and reviled without stint or measure, should have faded so absolutely from the memory of men. Even to those of his contemporaries who survive he has already become a gorgeous reminiscence. Patriotic, swayed always for truth, right and justice, his name is identified with no great measure, and his life seems not so much an actual battle with hostile powers as a splendid scene upon the stage, of which the swords are bath, armor tinsel, the bastions and ramparts painted scenery, the wounds and blood bottles; on which victories and defeats are feigned, with about less thunder and tumpeets of peas and bombdlum—and the curtain falling to show smoke while the audience applauds and dancers.—John J. Ingalls in Saturday Evening Post.

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JULY 5TH.

On tha date the Foreigners in Pekin were Alive.

Boxers not so numerous at Pekin. Danger at Chefoo. Fion Tsin hard pressed. The big battle there.

Special to Journal.

WASHINGTON, July 11.—The Chinese Minister Wu has delivered to the State Department a cablegram from the Chinese Imperial Government, disclaiming any responsibility for the Boxer troubles in China, and saying that the engagement at Tien Tsin was the direct result of the bombardment of the Taku forts by the foreign fleets.

The facts in the case however are that the forts began the bombardment upon the vessels.

A telegram from Shanghai says that the foreigners and Ministers were safe at Pekin to July 5th.

The rebels arround the Pekin legations are diminishing somewhat. The Boxers burned a church full of native christians.

The Emperor of China is in Pekin and is alive and reports of his being spirited away are unfounded.

The allied forces at Tien Tsin are hard pressed by the immense Chinese forces. Admiral Remey telegraphs the Department that the allies are weary of the incessant fighting. The Cossacks by their admirable scouting prevent the foreign troops from being crushed by the mere force of numbers of the Chinese.

Admiral Remey is at Chefoo with the Ninth Infantry and a battalion of American marines. Chefoo is now considered the danger point and both the English and the American admirals fear that the place cannot be held.

The fighting around Tientsin July 3 and 4 was the hottest yet experienced. The British forces had 30 killed. Chinese troops numbering 75,000 attacked the city from three sides. The defenders had 16,000 men. A Russian company of Infantry was nearly wiped out, having 115 men killed and wounded. The Germans lost heavily. A heavy rain saved the allies. The fight was renewed July 6 and guns from tha British ship Terrible silenced the Chinese artillery after an engagement of eight hours. Women and children are being sent to Japan.

Japan is preparing for a three years' war in China. It is expected that 63,000 Japanese troops will be landed. Japan is restive and it is said her army will advance on Pekin at once.

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