

-A Haves elector testified bethe House committee in New Orleans he was offered a bribe and afteris tried to craw-fish out of it; he will prosecuted for perjury. ---- The hanic's Savings Bank, of Boston, has ended. — Laborers in New York are paid ninety cents a day by the own centractors. ---- They closed week in Chicago with eight inches of

[Raleigh Observer] General Assembly.

SENATE.

FEIDAY, Jan. 12. r. Troy, from the committee on penal utions, to whom was referred a resoal introduced by Moore, colored, of Hanover,) charging that complaint been made that convicts had been lated by shooting them down and de. ke, &c.

committee on penal institutions to this resolution was referred, have dered the same, and are of the opinhat it should not pass, as there is no noe to sustain the allegation.

Troy, from the committee appointinvestigate the management of the ern North Carolina Railroad submitreport, which on motion of Mr am was sent to the House with a protion to print the same with the testi

ill to amend an act to incorporate the of Shoe Heel. (This bill proposeed mend charter of, said town by chang-

mend the bill by striking out "Mr. en" and insert "Hayes." The amendwas lost.

r. Dockery moved to an and by st ikout "Tilden" and insert "Wheeler,' ch was voted down, and the bill passed third reading by a vote of ayes 38, uays ckery, Green, Mabson, colored, and pre, culored, 4.

all to extend the charter of certain as in the State, [this bill proposes to ad the charter of the Raleigh Nationand the Durham Banks for two years,) and its seveal reacings under a suspenof the rules.

sill to allow mechanics sixty days withwhich to file their liens, was discussed was finally re-committed to the comtee on the judiciary.

BOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. r. Rose: A petition from certain medsuffemen in the town of Fayettville,

Mr. Thos. B. Covington fell on the ice pond at Rockingham, last week, and broke his collar bone.

citizen of Anson county, father of J. T. in South Carolina and especially of the Patrick, of the Wadesboro Herald, died last week.

The Raleigh Sentinel tells of the discovery of an old certificate of stock in the N. C. R. R. on which the dividends had accumulated for 22 years.

The Rockingham Spirit says: A man by the name of Shockley Gibson was thrown from his buggy by a runaway horse and instantly killed, in this county, a few days before Christmas.

A young man in Raleigh, name suppressed, having been disappointed in love, thoroughly at home in a knowledge of the attempted to shuffle off ina big dose of laudonum on Wednesday night, but he was pumped dry and his life saved.

One man in Newbern caught in one day 750 white perch, 40 very large and 136 small size rock fish, besides a number of wards by shooting them three or four an inferior quality which were laid in the

bottom of the boat for "wedge-wood.""

The Charlotte Observer says: Mr. E. W. Rankin, who lives at Woodlawn, on Carolina Central railroad, lost by fire Thursday night a flour and grist mill and a cotton gin. The burning occurred thing was consumed. The entire loss ap-

proximates \$4,000. Ulysses Vesson, a Frenchinan, living near Durham, died on the 7th inst. On

Christmas morning his house was burned, himself and family escaping in their night clothes and barefooted. They walked

over a mile to a neighbor's tracking the ice with blood and two weeks after the husband and father died, These facts are

from the Durham Plant, The Raleigh News says : Walter Clark, Esq., a member of the bar of this city, and author of "Clark's Overruled Cases," has in preparation, and will probably publish during the year, a digest of the North Carolina Reports down to date. It will embrace a digest of the cases contained

in Battle's four volumes and in the six or seven volumes of reports since. LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements. SociaBLE-By the Ladies of St. Thomas'

Church. DANFOTRH-20 cent boxes Paper Envelopes. J. T. PETTEWAY, Ag't-Cotton for Guano. A. SHRIER-All Made Linen Bosom Shirts or 99 cents, worth \$2 50.

There were four blind men on the streets begging to-day.

We publish, on the third page of this issue, a lengthy but very interesting his-Mr. W. H. Patrick, an old and esteemed tory of the discovery and use of fertilizers operations of Messrs. Wilcox, Gibbs & Co. in the manufacture of their so well-

known and widely used guanes. The sketch is very interesting and will be read by all, especially by the farmers.

Mr. James T. Petteway, of this city, is now and has been for years past, the Agent in this State for the sale of this fertilizer. He has given the subject much close sudy and attention and is process and manufacture of all kinds of guano. "He knows that these fertilizers are all that they are represented to be,

or he would not touch them, and the farmmedium size rock fish and about 100 ing community can therefore rest satisfied with his endorsement of what he sells,

The Methodist Conference.

The North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, (North) commenced its session in the City Hall on Wednesday, and bas held daily sessions about 2 o'clock in the night and every there until Saturday, when the meeting Hall. was held in Trinity Chapel, Bishop Harris, D. D. J.L. D., presiding, Rev. W. G. Matton, Secretary.

ily along by the Bishop.

committees whose reports are usually ment of masks is offered for sale, promotly disposed of

The report on temperance called forth some debate; when an amendment con-

demping the use of tobacco w. s offered and finally adopted. The statistical Secretary reported mem-

bership, 10,070; 110 churches; Ministers, fined \$20 and costs. 46 : Local Preachers, 70.

The Conference voted against changing ratio of representation to the General Conference.

Four preachers were received on trial streets. and two into full membership. The

DVIA WOM The Thermometer.

From the United States Signal Office at this place we obtain the following report of the thermometer, as taken this morning at 7:31 o'clock :

- Augusta, 61; Charleston, 60; Cincinnati, 34; Jacksonville, 62; Key West, 70; Knexville, 40 ; Lynchburg, 34 ; Memphis, 60; Mobile, 58; Montgomery, 61, Nashville, 54; New Orleans, 67; New York, 23 ; Nerfolk, 43 ; Pittsburg, 68 ; Savannah, 62 : St. Louis, 35 ; Washington, 31

Wilmington, 50.

Information Wanted.

Co., niaking enquiries as to the where- trict.] The bill passed its second reading who the firm understand to have been in passed its third reading, and was ordered New York and would also be glad to hear litigation. from him. Leave information at the City

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The Masquerade Ball.

We understand that the prospects for a large attendance at the Masquerade It was stated that the preachers of one Ball, to be, given at the City Hall to-morentire District were detained by the severe row evening by Mr. James M. Brown, are anow storms of a couple of weeks since, very encouraging. There will be many The business of the Conference proceeds masqueraders on the floor, and, the coswith much regularity and is moved stead- tumes will be rich and unique. In this connection we are requested to state that Much of the time of the Conference has tickets, 50 cents for spectators and \$1 for been occupied in the regular routine of maquers, may be had at Capt. J. W. business, which is principally done by Lippitt's store where also a large assort-

> City Court. The following cases were disposed of by the Mayor this morning : 4. C. Shields, for disorderly conduct, and interfering with police, officer Jones while in the discharge of his duty, was

Hyman Singer, a white man and trainp, saituoIsi who was found on the piazza of a residence

John Haggett was charged with larceny.

submitted and it was ordered that witfound yestenday morning on the carriet in nesses be heard to-morrow. the parlor but nothing has yet been State vs. Thomas Payne, for willful trespass. Jury out.

New Advertisements

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with some new styles at the

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AT THE CITY HALL.

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State vs. John Bright for landeny, dury

This Term of Court.

The position we took relative to this term of the Superior Court has been confirmed by the Legislature, a bill having passed the Senate on Saturday last in relation to this term, when on motion of Mr. Graham, the Senate tock up the bill in relation to the Superior Court of New Hanover county, Proposes that the Capt. Fitzgerald, Chief of Police, has re- January term, 1877, of sail court shall be ceived a letter from Marcellus W. Dyer & held by the judge of the 4th judicial dis- THE LADIES OF ST. THOMAS' CHURCH abouts of one W. S. Byles, of New York, and under a suspension of the rules, SOCIABLE AND SUPPER!

this city. He has been making collec- to be transmitted to the House without tions for the firm and as he enjoyed their engrossment. This bill virtually admits Thursday Evening, Jan. 18. fullest confidence, they are afraid that he this term as forming part of the Spring may, have been foully dealt with. His Circuit and legalizes all of its acts, thus family are in destitute circumstances in anticipating and preventing any feture

THE

Lady and Gentleman, 50 cents; Single Gen-tleman, 50 cents; Ladies and Children half price. i. Refreshments at moderate prices. . The Italian String Band has been on New Advertisements. taged for Dancing. COTTON for GUANO!

A Fair Exchange. CELEBRATED FERTILIZER.

WILCOX, GIBBS & CO.'S Manipulated Guano IS OFFERED ON THE FOLLOWING

LIBERAL TERMS : ON CREDIT TO 1st NOVEMBER, 1877, at \$70.00 per ton, with Option of peering through the door lights, was fined Paying in Cotton, on the basis of 15 cents for Midlling, delivered at Planters nearest \$20 and cosis or 30 days work on the depot, (Planter paying expenses on Gorno to destination.)

The Advantage

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| ng a law for their protection. | begging to-day. | Conference holds its final session to-day. | but the case was dismissed at the cost of | To the Farmer in buying on these terms is plain, as he will know when he buys the | 3 |
| | | On . Saturday night the Conference | the prosecutor, Richard Howard. | Guand, that 467 pounds Cotton (Modding) will pay for a ton, no matter how low the | (4) |
| r. Moring, from the committee on ileges and elections, a majority report the matter of the matter | And now New River oysters are held at | Missionary Society held its Anniversary; | | price may be, and can make his calculations accordingly. | |
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| and passed the first time and dis- | and Charlotte. | Love feast at 91 A. M. Preaching by the | studio in the Young Men's Christian Asso- | and the second se | |
| d of as follows : | and Charlotte. | Bishop at 11 when he ordained the | ciation building in Twenty-third street has | | 1 |
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| al insane of the State Of the | bounding the carintyar in thew Oriente on | Fulton, of Atlanta, tone of the commission- | Horeh The man of God clad in a mar- | | |
| sale asylums. | the 13th of February, whether Packard or | ers who recently met at Cape May, N. J., | ment of goat-skin, with an outer robe or | | 2.1 |
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| and the on recentlence, the | residence of Mr. John Dawson, which was fortunately foiled. | the second concepted from any chess. | manual is in the cief. | Jun 14 WILMINGTON, W. C. | |
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