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THE LEGISLATURE.

RESUME OF PROCEEDINGS.

Eighth Day-Thursday Jan. 16 Raleigh News, Shortened

SENATE. By Mr. King: A resolution instructing the Judiciary Committe to inquire into the power of the Legislature to regulate the freights on railroads. Calendar.

a joint committee on Federal Relations, to consist of three on the part of the Senate and five on the part of the House. Passed. By Mr. Epps: A resolution in regard to "Moffett Bell Punch," instructing the Finance Committee to report a bill or other-

wise on the subject. By Mr. Dortch; A bill to be entited an act to provide some remedy for sureties. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

By Mr. Everett: A bill to prevent certain persons from receiving free passes on railroads, (The bill makes it indictable for State officers and members of the Legislature to receive free passes on railroads.) Referred to the committee on Corpora-

By Mr. McEachern: A bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Bennettsville and Harnett Railroad Company. Re-

diction upon filing an affidavit setting part of any State of the Union. forth the fact and reason why such publi-

. vict labor on the Wilson and Tar River Narrow Gauge Railroad. Referred to the committee on Internal Improvement.

committee to enquire whether it is practicable or constitutional for the Legislature to pass a bill to regulate freights on rail-roads. Passed second reading.

By Mr. Anderson: A bill to be entitled an act to amend Chapter 223 Laws of 1876-77. Conferring upon the Judges of Superior Courts jurisdiction and power to appoint receivers, issue restraining orders and grant injunctions in all civil actions and proceedings authorized by law. Referred to Judiciary Committee.

By Mr. Henderson: A bill to be entitled an act to amend Section 2, Chapter 15, Laws of 1876-'77, concerning the Cheraw and Salisbury railroad. 'Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Bill passed which abolishes January term of Cumberland Superior Court. Bill to punish the abduction of children under eighteen years of age, passed. Bill to make slander of women indicta-

Bill entitled an act to restore to judgment debtors, the exemption to which they were entitled, previous to the constitution Bill to prevent the stealing of the bodies

of the dead, passed its second reading. The bill to revise and digest the public statutes of the State, passed. (The bill provides that the Governor shall appoint three commissioners whose duty it shall be to revise and digest the laws of North Carolina, and report to the next General

The bill to permit defendants in indictat their request passed.

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robbery of the State. Calendar.

By Mr. Armstrong, bill to incorporate the Burgaw Male and Female Academy in Pender Committee on Corporations. By Mr. Goldston, bill to change the name of the Western Railroad Company and to authorize its consolidation with certatn other roads. Internal Improvements. Mr. York moved to reconsider the vote on the bill to establish normal schools of sickness. in the several Congressional Districts. The

question then recurring on the motion to print, it was discussed by Messrs. York, Vaughan, Reynolds, Christmas and Blocker, and the House refused to print. The chair announced the House branch of the joint select committee on public debt, as follows: Messrs. Brown, of Meck-

lenburg, Davis, of Catawba, Ford, Cooke, Orchard, Cobb, Hines and Clarke. of the Board of Trustees, State Universi- Motion allowed.

that body. On motion it was sent to the Senate, with a proposition to go into an State; no counsel contra. election on Wednesday.

H. B. 12, to repeal privilege tax on merchants and traders, was laid on the

Bill abolishing January term of Cumberland Court passed. Resolution to raise a committee on W N. C. R. R. and Insane Asylum, was taken

up and the substitute concurred in. Resolution to raise a committee on the

State's interest in public works, was taken o'clock. up and adopted.

The Cipher Telegrams.

Special Dispatch to the World. Washington, January 15 .- On Monday were destroyed and the Democratic ones Mansfield, Lovell Deas and G. W. Smith. given to the public.

The Democratic Committee of the First to Democratic voters as a candidate for to supply Col. Hartridge's place.

Some of the Settlers' Resolutions.

Charlotte Observer. To the People of the Several Commonwealths composing the United States of | boro

We, the representatives of Northern settlers in the Southern States, and being ourselves immigrants from localitiesi n the Northern States to the respective States following our individual signatures, in convention assembled, do call your attention

to the following, feeling assured that cool judgment upon the facts shown will set in By Mr. Robinson: A resolution to raise flow the currents of reason, and action, follow reasoning without prejudice. We prefer to make findings specifically and at length, and we find:

1st. That in the States of our former homes there exists an active prejudice against the South, and its people; that this prejudice is mighty in its influence for lic printing. evil on the nation; that by it and through it the conditions of the country are largely disquieted; that it is fomented and kept alive for purposes ulterior to the common weal; that the real interests of the nation are kent out of sight in keeping alive this prejudice. That much of this prejudice, if not all of town would loom up. it, is due mainly to wrong information concerning (and partial and total ignorance of) the facts existing in a large portion of the South.

2d. That in the portions of the South in which we reside, the right of any man, ferred to the committee on Internal Im- from no matter where, to express publicly as well as privately his opinion upon any By, Mr. Shackleford: A bill to be en- subject and of every nature is nowhere titled an act concerning the service of sum- and in no manner restrained That all mons by publication. (The bill provides that if the clerk of the court having juris-

3d. That any man who has so conducted cation is essential, then the summons shall himself at his former home as to win the be published in any newspaper published regard of honest men and decent people, in or nearest to the county seat, where by pursuing the same course of life in the such suit is brought.) Beferred to the Ju- South, does gain and keep the regard and is the death of Mrs. John Anthony, of respect of all people, regardless of any Scotland Neck. By Mr. King: A bill to be entitled an question of politics or religious faith; and act to authorize the employment of con- we further find that being a Northern man is certainly no disadvantage.

4th. That every citizen recognizes that he is amenable to the law, and that local Resolution instructing the Judiciary self-government is as much required and

5th. We find, too, that persons foisted themselves upon the policy of the South, the Northern name.

6th. Those of us who were in the army of the Union never for a moment pretended to think of denying our unifarm or the the grasp of those who were his enemies in day.

7th. That considering reputed outrages, if theses were carefully sifted it will be would have suffered at the hands of any law. people under like provocation.

8th. We find that in business relations the ex-Confederate is willing to sell his land on time to Northern | men, even to people who could not get the same accommodations at the north, east or west. We find, too, that in the ramifications of business they endorse our notes and bank papers, and are not over-anxious or inquisitive on questions of extention, and they frequently say, "It is as much our interest as yours that you should succeed and by your success help fill the country with thrifty people.

firesides and welcome us to the privileges of an incendiary. of public worship, and sympathize in our The bill to make incest indictable passed. sorrows and affictions; that they admire sturdy integrity and real principle; that ments for rape and assault with intent to | their definition of what these things are commit rape to be examined as witnesses | corresponds with the idea of the same our neighbors in the North held in common with us. We find that we are not tabooed nor subjected to any kind of persecution By Mr, Turner, resolution concerning a for proper conduct of good Northern ideas or principles, and though differing from a pistol. The ball entered his abdomen By Mr. Scott, bill to relieve merchants | many of our Southern neighbors on many | and he died at three o'clock the following and traders in certain cases. Finance essential questions in politics and other- day. wise, we have lived and prospered here among them, they knowing these differences

Supreme Court. Raleigh Observer.

Court met on yesterday at 10 o'clock Present Chief Justice Smith and Justice

Call of appeals from the 3d district was

W. J. Sutton, and wife vs James T Schonwald et. al., from New Hanover; argument begun on Thursday. Concluded. W. S. & D. J. Devane and D. L. Russell for plaintiffs, and A. T. & J. London for

Eliza A. McLive et. al., vs. Marsden Message was received from the Governor | Bellamy, administrator, et. al., from New with report of W. L. Saunders, Secretary Hanover; argued, on motion to dismiss. body is a strong wall of defence standing

ty, informing the Governor of vacancies in | State vs Edward Foy, from Carteret arguéd by Attorney General Kenan for

Elijah A. Tew vs Rebecca Tew, from Sampson; argued by J. D. Kerr, for plaintiff, and W. S. and D. J. Devane, for de-

Martha C. Mebane vs Maria C. Mebane, J. London, for plaintiff, and E. G. Havwood for defendant.

Court adjourned until to-day at ten

A Union of Notable South Carolina Families

next Mr. Potter will ask the House to pass | Carolina families brought about by the | it who ought to be ashamed for their posithe resolution making an appointment for marriage at St. Ignatius's Church. New | tion and associates. Let Democrats stand the expenses of investigating the cipher telegrams. The Republican members may passibly follow the example set by the passibly follow the example set by the large at the larg minority of the Potter committee and de- of Columbia, S. C., and a niece of Senator cline to vote on the resolution. General Wade Hampton. Mr. Frost is a son of Butler has been reported as opposed to the late Judge Frost, who was an eminent an investigation of the secret telegrams of jurist of Charleston Amongst the bridesthe campaign of 1876. This is not so. maids was Miss Mary Barrett, daughter of When Mr. Potter introduces his resolution Mr. Lawrence Barrett, the tragedian. A General Butler will make a speech in reception followed at the house of Dr. which, it is said, he will give the history of Darby, West Twentieth street, which was the cipher telegrams and the manner in attended by all the prominent Southern which the Republican secret dispatches residents of New York, including Gens.

That accomplished and veteran author and journalist, Col. W. T. Thompson, of the suggestion and appointed Commission-Virginia District recommend Gen. Beale the Savannah News, is urged for Congress ers Vail and Sandifer as delegates to the would like to see him there.

Notes North Carolinian. Wake Forest College has 105 students.

Bonitz wants the Circuit Court at Golds

Washington has gathered four-inch ice from the bosom of the euphonious Tar.

There have been recently some guane and cotton stolen from Lilesville depot. Senator Merrimon was elected a director of the Raleigh National Bank, Thursday.

The young Goldsboro Rifles will have a reunion of the old Goldsboro Rifles March

The sheriffs of Mecklenburg, Moore, New Hanover and Hertford, have paid in

The News gracefully congratulates the Observer, its successful rival for the pub-Col. Ed. Liles has been elected mayor of

Lilesville, vice Mr. C. H. Spencer resigned and moved away. Milton Chronicle: If the tax on tobacco was reduced a dozen factories in this

The Winston National Bank declares a ten per cent. dividend and increases its capital stock \$20,000.

Wadesboro Herald: Rev. N. B. Cobb has gone to Fayetteville on the call of the Baptist Church at that place. The time of holding the Mecklenburg

Presbytery has been changed to the Friday before the first Sunday in May. On Wednesday the Roanoke at Weldon was twelve feet lower than it was when the

railroad bridge was swept away, last win-Mrs. R. E. Riddick, of Enfield, is dead. Another Halifax item in the Weldon News

Southerner: The dwelling of T. B. Watson, in Nash, about five miles from Rocky Mount, was burned on last Satur-

In a recent revenue raid into Stanly encroachments upon these as much de- county eight distilleries and thirteen stills plored as in any State North, East or were seized. One of the raiders, Mr. E. T. Gaddy, was slightly shot.

The Chronicle learns that the tobacco factory of Mr. W. H. Winstead, of Roxand by their conduct cast discredit upon boro, together with its contents, was destroyed by fire a few nights since.

Tarboro Southerner: Col. H. B. Short. formerly of Martin county, now of Waccaold cause. The Confederate soldier has maw Lake, and a distinguished Senator in always evinced the true soldier instinct in the last Legislature, was in town on Mon-There is a column and a quarter report

ington, Jan. 10th, of Ben. Whitfield, col., found that the complainants for like acts for the murder of Lois Muse, his sister-in-Oxford Transcript: Col. George Wor-

iu the Southerner of the hanging at Wash-

tham, of this place, has recently been elected an honorary member of the Historia cal Society of Wisconsin. A merited Quite a quantity of stock in the States-

ville Air Line Railroad, proposed to be run from Statesville to Mount Airy, has been subscribed for since the opening of An unoccupied dwelling house, the property of H. J. Sauls, was burned on Thurs-

day, the 9th, near Saul's X Roads, Wayne 9th. That as neighbors they visit onr county. Supposed to have been the work The Washington Press says that the surveying steam launch Dixie, on her re-

turn trip, bent her shaft on a sunken wreck, socking, Hyde county. George Wetters, a good-hearted citizen

of Concord, being driven to desperation by drink, shot himself Wednesday night, with

Our friend, the editor of the Raleigh News, commits' a lapsus pennæ when he says that "the subscription price of other dailies in the State is \$8 per annum." THE Sun is only \$7 a year or 60 cents a month.

Milton Chronicle: The reported death of Judge Kerr, we are pleased to say, is Dillard, Justice Ashe absent on account untrue. The editor of the Reidsville Times, who left Reidsville last Saturday (subsequent to the report) reports Judge Kerr convalescent.

A young man from the northern part of Iredell county has been arrested and lodged in jail on the charge of rape. Application for bail on a writ of habeas corpus has, been made to the Judge of the District, says the Charlotte Observer.

The Charlotte Observer describes the force of the late Settlers' Convention by the single remark: The personnel of this between those and any person or persons, anywhere, who for any reason might a tempt to controvert them.

Goldsboro Mail: A friend from Rocky Rocky Mount, under date of 15th instant, writes: The new bridge across Tar river broke last night and floated down to the bridge at the falls, and this morning the falls bridge broke in the centra and went from New Hanover; argued by A. T. and down, and we think it all will go soon, as the river is higher than it has been for several years and still rising.

Wadesboro Herald: The "National and Laboring Man's League"-a new party, so called, though really nothing but the old radical, negro, red-string party, under new name and "sign"-has been making considerable progress in this coun-There was a union of two notable South ty lately. Some men are connected with

Charlotte Observer: At a called meeting of the Board of County Commissioners held yesterday a communication was read from the Commissioners of Columbus county, referring to the fact that there was a manifest inequality between the rate of assessing railroad property for purposes of taxation in the counties through which the Carolina Central Railway passes, and requesting the Board of Mecklenburg county to appoint delegates to a convention composed of members of the Boards of these counties, to be held at a time and place to be designated hereafter, to fix a uniform rate of assessment. The Board endorsed proposed convention, and recommended hat it be held in Charlotte.

The Press on Vance's Nomination Greensboro Patriot.

We are heartily glad of this action as it closes up the breach and stops a war which has been waged by some of the adherents of the respective gentlemen who were can-

didates with too much asperity. We regard the election of Gov. Vance a foregone conclusion and congratulate the

people upon it. New York World.

The nomination of ex-Governor Vance to be Senator from North Carolina is of course the end of the contest. The withdrawal of Mr. Merrimon left the course test are not very well known beyond the limits of the State. But it is safe to congratulate the old North State on the choice of one of its most eminent and conspicuous citizens as its representative in the Senate.

Raleigh Observer. Last night for the third time the De mocracy of North Carolina, through their representatives in caucus assembled, put forward Zebulon B. Vance as their choice to represent the State of North Carolina in the Senate of the United States. And this time we are glad to know there are neither divisions , nor dis sention in our ranks. Indeed the manner of the nomination was no less worthy of commendation than the nomination itself, for it was made unanimously and by acclamation amid the greatest enthusiasm. Harmony once more reigns, and on Tuesday next the will of the party will become the act of the State. So mote it be. Let the will of the people ever prevail.

This is glory enough for one day, and there is no danger in this case of the recurrence of a former mishap. The Democratic party has declared its will in the premises and that will will be enforced.

We are glad indeed that Gov. Vance is still that the party has re-asserted its in-

his friends have done so much to avoid the taken. impending evil. Governor Vance's friends can do no less than recognize the fact, and by letting the dead past bury its own dead, all reunited and re-encouraged, work for the success of the vital principles of to fill the vacancies. our party, which means wholesome and all the powers and prerogatives, which belong properly to one of the original thirteen American colonies, which spent the blood and treasure of its people, to establish and perpetuate this great American Union of coequal and co-ordinate States.

Philadelphia Times The choice of Governor Z. B. Vance to be United States Senator from North Carolina, as a consequence of his unanimous nomination by the Democratic caucus last night, will greatly strengthen the Southern representation in Congress, and it will not be denied that North Carolina has chosen her ablest man for the place. Governor Vance ought, in fact, to have been in the Senate long ago, but it has been his luck to come within reach of the prize twice and then to fail. Once he was regularly elected, and kept waiting on the steps of the Capitol, credentials in hand, until the door was shut in his face by the Republican majority. Again he was the point of election when some of the bolting Democrats joined and then got mbedded in the ice at Wy- with the Republicans and gave the place to the present Senator, Merrimon, who, largely through the exertions of Vance, had been elected Governor in the famous campaign of 1872. Gov. Vance is by all odds the most effective popular speaker in the South, and has been idolized for years by the people of the Old North State. Before the outbreak of the war he was widely known as a pronounced Unionist, but took an active part in the secession movement. During the rebellion he was thoroughly enlisted in the Confederate cause, but distinguished himself by fighting against high-handed measures of the Jefferson Davis administration. He is well equipped for political debate and will be heard from in the Senate.

The Senatorial Contest in Mis-

souri. There are six prominent candidates for United States Senator before the Missouri Legislature, viz.: Gov. Phelps, Senator Phelps, who is now filling out the unexpiaed term of the late Senator Bogy, ex-Gov. Reynolds, Hon. S. T. Glover, Thomas Alleh and George G. Vest. Just at present the contest seems to be the warmest between Allen, Vest and Glover. Al- B. Palm, Round Neck, and A. G. Wilcox, len is from Pittsfield, Mass.; Vest is a Rockdale. Kentuckian and ex-member of the Confederate Congress; Glover is also a Kentuckian by birth, a lawyer and a brother of Congressman Glover; Phelps is a native of Connecticut: Armstrong is a Nova Scotian. and Reynolds is a South Carolinian.

The Globe-Democrat's dispatches from Jefferson City say that the Democrats in caucus nominated General James Shields for the Senatorial short term, over David H. Armstrong, by a vote of 88 to 37. General Shields, it will be remembered, has represented Illinois and Minnesota in the United States Senate.

Philadelphia Times New York telegram Line of Steamships, as well as to establish a trans-Atlantic freight railroad and a meeting of representatives of the trunk lines of railroads and agents of the steamship companies. The freight agents who last week fixed up a pool for Eastern-bound freight dwelte particularly upon the subject of grain and produce that were to cross the ocean. Besides being a blow at the Unicorn Line, it is hinted that the railroads wish the force upon the fast line steamships the same rates that are charged by the slower ships of the new line.

Work on the new catholic church in Raleigh will commence in the early part of April. The site has not been chosen, but it will be a brick structure 55x90 feet. the liability, and is sustained by the court

Rev. Dr. Vaughan, late of Raleigh, has below. been called to act as stated supply to the First Presbyterian Church of Atlanta.

SUN TELEGRAMS.

EARLY AND MIDNIGHT REPORTS.

AT THE FEDERAL CAPITAL.

CONGRESSION AL. WASHINGTON, January 17 .- SENATE-Mr. Morgan of Alabama, presented the credentials of Hon. George S. Houston, elected U. S. Senator from the 4th of March, 1879, to succeed Hon. Geo. Spenopen to him. The merits of this local con- cer. Credentials were read and place on

Mr. Salisbury submitted a resolution calling upon the Secretary of the Treasury for information as to the amount of commissions or other compensation paid to bankers and brokers, &c., for services in negotiating the sale of U. S. Bonds or securities from 1862 to the present time; and the amount paid any such persons for services in refunding any bonds of the United States, and whether interest has been paid on called bonds, or, at the same time paid on bonds sold to redeem such bonds; how much double interest paid on each class of bonds, and how much money allowed to remain on deposit in National Banks designated as depositories. It was moved by Mr. Morrill, of Vermont, that the matter be referred to the Committee on Finance. Mr. Salisbury would not consider the

Mr. Morrill objected to the further consideration of the subject for to-day, and it near Swanzer, England A steam tug has

was laid on the table. Mr. Allison, from the Committee on Finance, reported adversely on Senate bill ment has generally produced an unfavorto authorize the killing of fur seal and able impression. other fur bearing animals within the limits

on, of Wisconsin, on the 24th of January lieve nothing had happened in France for to be our next Senator; we are gladder lass, and authorizes the Secretary of the a long time, whereas only a week ago the Treasury to declare the territory of Republic was established. Alaska, except the islands of St. George | The Republic Francaise says: "The We have said, and we believe that the and St. Paul, open to the killing of fur- government must rely only upon the sigfailure to elect Vance to the Senate would bearing animals. The persons engaged in inficance of their acts and the frankness of disrupt and disorganize the Democratic such killing to pay to the government ten their attitude as the declaration will be of party, but now that Senator Merrimon and per cent of appraised value of the skins no assistance to them."

> Messrs. Wallace of Pennsylvania, and Bayard are excused from further service on the Teller special committee and Messrs. McDonald and Randolph were appointed of the Ministry is not a new programme

In the discussion upon the question of a report of parliamentary proceedings." just laws for the people; the revivification granting the request of Messrs. Wallace of that prosperity throughout the State and Bayard, the former said he made the which is the hope and aim of all, and the request to be excused because the gentlerehabilitation of the old commonwealth, in men who represented the minorty of the Senate on the Teller committee were now about starting north from New Orleans and the others were going to Charleston to continue the investigation. It was im- the statement and characterize as a "raid possible for him to go to Charleston, and of purpose," "the fruit of madness," and the Senator from Delaware could not go other like expressions. as he was in Texas.

The patent law bill was again discussed. The Senate several times found itself with. out a quorum. Adjourned until Mondayand Elections met to-day for action, on the motion of P. T. Corbin, who claims a that the ministry cannot survive more seat now held by Mr. Butler, of South than 24 hours. In some quarters it is

thereto being prepared, action on the tory under a civil form of government. Delegations from the Cherokees, Chickasaws and Creeks were present, all of whom were opposed to any change in their present relations with the government, claim-

ing that they had treaty rights which should not be violated by any new order. The Senate has passed a bill for the restoring of the files and records of any district of the Circuit Court of the United States, which have been destroyed by fire. The bill was in the nature of a substitute for the House bill to restore the files of the

Texas courts, which were recently burned. Nominations-Alexander B. Hayner, of Maryland, to be Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the District of Colnmbia, and the following postmasters: Virginia-George V. Case Liberty. North Carolina: Wiley A. Walker, Winston; Jonathan D. White, Greensboro. South Carolina: James H. Goss, Union Courthouse; Alonzo Webster, Orangeburg Courthouse. Georgia: Frederick Bell.La Grange. Alabama: Mrs. Maryland E. Henry, Decatur. Mississippi: Robert Stewart, Macon: John B. Deason, Brook Haven ; Frank M. Gaci, Topelo. Texas : Chauncev B. Sabin, Galveston: A. B. Norton, Dallas; Charles Krickenbarger, Bonham ; C. H. Clifford. Hearne ; August

The House was engaged a considerable portion of the day on the bill for payment of \$20,000 to the trustees of the Protestant Episcopal Seminary and High School, in Virginia, for rent of building during the war. Messrs. Conger. White, of Pennsylvania, and Townsend, of New York, opposed the bill on the ground of its being a war claim, and Messrs. Haskell, Eden, Hunton, Bright, of Tennesse, and Kelly, of Pennsylvania, in favor of the measure. Without action the House adjourned.

Representative Singleton, of Mississippi, has introduced a bill to provide for the payment of claims of Southern mail contractors, which authorizes the payment of of the 15th: What looks like an attempt | fifty per cent. on all claims as have been to crush out Vanderbilt's new Unicorn audited, and whatever balance remains out of the amount appropriated, namely, \$375,000, after such payments, shall be steamboat pool, was begun here to-day in held for one year to meet claims which may hereafter audited, the balance remaining to be divided among claimants.

> MISCELLANEOUS NEWS. The case of the Comptroller General of South Carolina, against the Richmond & Danville Railroad Company, brought to the United States Supreme Court by an appeal, was argued to-day. The question involved, is the liability of the Atlantic & Richmond Air Line Railway Company, to taxation in South Carolina under the general act of 1868, without regard to the ex- owe Bristol & West, of England Bank, emption from taxation granted by its £600,000. charter. The appellant, who is a stock-holder of the Air Line Company, denies

addressed the House Judiciary Committee ville, his plea being self-defence.

to-day praying that the recent decision of Another Big Fire in New York. the Supreme Court be not enforced on those now living in polygamy, on the ground that if husbands are compelled to surrender all but one wife those abandoned

with their children will be driven to desolation. No action was taken. The British Parliament sometime since enacted a law known as the "contagious disease act," requiring the slaughter at ports of entry of all live animals imported into that kingdom. The Council recently, after correspondence with the State Department, declared that American cattle

be exempt from the operation of the act. A member of the Committee on Ways and Means is authority for the statement that another call for reports from that committee will be made early in July. This will afford an opportunity of disposing of the sugar question at the present session of Congress.

The Executive Committee of the Young Men's Christian Assacciation, of the United States and British Provinces, have just agreed to call the next biennial convention of the Association at Baltimore, May 21st.

The President has approved the bill relieving James Chestnutt of South Carolina of his political disabilities.

OVER THE ATLANTIC CABLE.

The Excitement in France, Etc. London, Jan. 17 .- The United States States sailing ship Constitution went ashore early this morning on Ballant point, been sent to her assistance.

of Alaska territory. Indefinitely post- the government did not employ more ani- by the Philadelphia and Reading Coal mated and cordial language. It says: "In and Iron Company, employing about 1,500 This is a bill introduced by Mr. Camer. reading their declaration one might be men and boys.

> The Dix Neuvieme Siecle says: "The government spoke for twenty minutes

without pronouncing a single word that they ought to have spoken. The language but a simple exposition of the situation or The Figuro says: "The Ministerial statement is a political testament, which will not prevent the fall of the Cabinet."

The Constitutional, Gaulias and Saliel, praise the government programme. The Rappel, Valtaire, Marsillaise and Revolution Francaise, vehemently attack

The question of ministerial crisis is discussed everywhere, and the general impression prevails that the cabinet can scarcely remain in office after the unfavorable re-The Senate Committee on Privileges | ception of their programme in chambers. The Siecle indeed, expresses the opinion said the crisis will ensue immediately, that The Republican members of the commit- MacMahon will summon Gambetta and in tee have a report proving Mr. Corbin's ad- event of his refusing to form a cabinet vote of 51 to 10, to drop from the herd mission, but a minority report in opposition | MacMahon will resign. On the other | book the names of all animals whose pedihand it is believed by some that if Gam- gree is not traced directly to importation. whole subject was postponed until Mon- betta shall refuse to form a cabinet, Mac-Mahon will request M. Dufaure to form a president. The Senate Committee on Territories new ministry. It is pointed out, however, heard arguments this morning as to the in parliamentary circles that according to advisability of bringing the Indian Terri- strict parliamentary rules, there can be no other president of the cabinet than Gambetta, since he at the present moment practically holds the post. In spite, howjournals and the generally prevailing im- the 22d for the election of a Senator. pression, there is a somewhat strong belief in well informed circles that the ministry will obtain a majority in the Chamber of

Deputies after the debate, which begins Monday. The Daily Tetegraph's Paris correspondent says: Current rumors point to the retirement of all the ministers except

Mm. Say and De Morcere The correspondent of the Times says The silence with which the ministerial statement was received, resembled that at

sentence of death. The capital omission from the statement was the promise of dismissals from office,

A Berlin correspondent to the Times says: "The Liberals despite their opposition to gag-law, are convinced that further the abusive of speech in Reichstag, and though strongly opposed to the Chancellor's remedy, pure and simple, as too drastic, the opinion of gaining ground, he will coerce and cajole them to this purpose. The Governmental Post complains of a

cellor's protectionist policy." A telegram from Candahar dated the 8th Hon. B. F. Moore. Maj. Seaton Gales, says: "The last troops of the advance of Hon. Forney George, and Col. D. M. Car-Generals Stewart's and Biddulph's forces ter. Elections will also be had for succesfiled out of the Cabul gate of Candahar. tors to the following members of the Board Not a shot was fired nor did any contre- whose terms of office expire on the 25th of

bitter tone, characterizing the English

criticism of the measure. It thinks Eng-

riving from Herat for Mirafzul," A Renter dispatch from Rome states | Jno. F. Heke, S. L. Johnston, Jno. Manthat in addition to the proposed appoint ning, Jno. McIver, B. W. Millard, R. B. ment of several Vicers Apostolic in parts | Peebles, Archibald Purcell, M. S. Robins, of America destitute of Episcopal churches, J. L. Robinson, Wm. S. Twitrty. the Vatican intends to establish several new bishops in the United States and institute a new hierarchy different from the tis, held at New York to-day, Attorney present one. The Pope has sent a circular to Bishops outside of Europe with a pied the chair. Judge Hilton spoke view of entending the collection of Peter's | briefly.

over the reported run on the Bank of Londen and County Banking Company. The crowd was originally attracted by a dispute on the street. The large attendance gave rise to the rumor of a run on the bank

which afterwards became a fact. Thomas Rooker & Co., of Glamorganshire, iron masters, have failed. They

Samuel A. Sherran, arrested some months since for the murder of Wm. B. Walker in 1 n 1 tf Accomac county, Va., sixteen years ago, Mrs. Wells and Mrs. Williams of Utah | was tried and yesterday acquitted at East-

New York, Jan. 17 .- A fire broke out this evening in the wholesale clothing house of Von Volkenburg & Levitt, 62 North street and rapidly enveloped the entire building. The two adjoining buildings, occupied by Pastor Walkinshaw, No. 66, are on fire, and the flames have crossed the street to No. 65, occupied by Joseph

9:15 P. M .- The fire, after crossing to the North side of North street, is working through the block South up to Thomas street and now appears to be extending on North street West toward Church street, and East in the direction of Broad

Louisiana.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 17 .- The death of Maj. John H. New, a prominent attorney, has been announced. The United States District Courts have adjourned in respect to his memory

In the Legislature the ballot for United States Senator was unsuccessful. At the session of the Teller committee to day Abram Thomas and J. Ross Stewart, both colored, of Tensas, gave evidence similar to that already published. The only new fact being the naming by Stewart of fifteen negroes alleged to have been

-The Strike Extending.

Porrsville, Jan. 17.-In addition to the strike of the miners at Conner and Hammend collieries at Girardsville, the men at the Presson mines, numbers two Paris, Jan. 17.—The Ministerial state this morning, claiming two months back and three, and Grard colliery, turned ont pay which is due them. The five collieries are now idle, which comprise the entire The Journal Des Debats regre's that Girardsville district, and are all operated

The Reno Inquiry. CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—The Indian scout.

Girard testified before the Reno court of

inqury, that on the eve of the 24th of June, with two scouts, he rode at the nead of Custer's column to the top knoll, and suw 2,500 Indians. The order given by Reno was, "Go forward, and when you meet the Indians charge, and I will sup-Mrs. Cobb Convicted.

NORWICH, CONN., January 17.-Kate

M. Cobb has been sentenced to imprison-

ment for life at Wethersfield. Her counsel

moved for a new trial. Ten days were allowed to perfect the motion. Bishop's trial for his share in the murder and for poisoning his wife was postponed

until the March term.

bright, Republican.

In Favor of the Democrats PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 17 .- The Governor's proclamation in announcing the names of the Congressmen elected at the late general election, includes the name of Klotz, Democrat, in the Eleventh District. which has been disputed hitherto by Al-

-Cattle Breeders' Association. Utica, N. Y ... Janury 17 .- The Ayre-

shire Breeders' Association resolved, by a Wm. Bernie of Springfield was elected The New York Senatorship.

New York, Jan. 17 .- The Senate resolved that on January 21, a United States Senator shall be voted for in the place of

Conkling. Another resolution provides ever, of the language of the Republican for a joint meeting with the Assembly on Connecticut's New Senator. HARTFORD, Jan. 17 .- O. H. Platt, of Meridian, was nominated for United States

Senator in the Republican caucus last

night on the thirty seventh ballot, is a

prominent lawyer and States Attorney for New Haven county. Goldsboro Mail: It is certainly pleasant to make a trip over the W. & W. R. R. The roadbed is in splendid condition, the newly fitted up magnificent passenger cars glide over it without a jostle, and with without which nothing can save the cabi- all and not the least important in adding comfort to passengers, it has a corps of polite, attentive and gentlemanly conductors. The train going South occasionally gets here a few minutes behind time, but restrictions are necessary to guard against always when this is the case, it is detained in starting from Weldon, holding over to await the arrival of the Southern trains. From the President down, each officer and employe appear to understand that every-thing should have a place, and everything

Raleigh Observer: The Legislature will land's opposition to the bill nothing more probably on Wednesday next than another form antipathy to the Chan- fill the vacancies in the Board of Trustees of the University caused by the death of temps of any kind occur prior to entering November of this year: M. L. Eure, W. the city. We have captured the post ar- T. Faircloth, Jno. A Gilmer, Jno. W. Graham, J.F. Graves, G. H. Hamilton,

At the convetion of the National Mili-

An enormous crowd has assembled in Lombard street. Great excitement prevails over the reported run on the Bank of Loning out his brains with a pistol, while laboring under temporary aberration of mind.

Speer's P. J. Sherry Wine.

SPEER'S PORT GRAPE WINE, SPEER'S OLD BRANDY.

Also French Brandy, Keller Whiskey, &c., JAMES C. MUNDS, DRUGGIST,

3rd st., opposite City Hall. BILLS LADING, ACCOUNT SALES AND
Shippers' Manifests for sale by
JACKSON & BELL.