The bili to rupes the act of 1825, changing the time of laying the county taxes in Craven, and appointing receivers of lists of taxables in said county, passed its second and third readings, and was ordered to be engrossed.

The bill appointing commissioners to lay off a town at Northampton Court House; the bill restoring to credit Willis Bradley, the bill incorporating the Franklin Library So-ciety of Buffalo: and the resolution in favor of Saml. M'D. Tate, were read-the first mentioned bill the second time, and the last mentioned bills and resolution the second nd third times, passed, and ordered to be

sed bill to incorporate the New The engres bern Marine Fire Insutance Company, was amended on motinp of Mr. Spaight, of Cra-ven, and rend the 2d and 3d times and passed. The bill to amend the act of 1825, directing the manner in which constables shall be becafter appointed in Sampson, passed its second after appointed in Sampson, passed to be

Mr. Stokes presented whill to provide for the improvement of the public road leading from Wilkesborough to Grayson C. H. Va. Mr. Speight, of Greene, a bill to incorporate "Joseph Warren Lodge, No. 92," at Stantonsburg; and Mr. Alexander, a resolution in favor of the securities of James A. Means, late shariff of Cabarras, which passed their first reading, and the said resolution was re-ferred to the committee of Claims.

Monday, Jan. 29. Mr. Wilson, of Edgecombe, presented a bill to empower the commissioners of Tarborough to sell a part of the commons of said town; and Mr. Miller, a bill to appoint commissioners to run and mark the dividing line between the counties of Duplin and Wayne; which passed their first reading.

Mr. Stokes, from the committee of Finance made a report relative to gold and silver ore; which was laid on the table, and ordered to be printed

Mr. M'Dowell presented the petition of James Allen, on the subject of a turupike road; which was referred to a select committee, consisting of Messra. WKay, M'Dowell,

Sneed, Baird of Burke, and Wallan. On motion of Mr. Croom, the committee on the Judiciary were instructed to inquire into the expediency of providing by law for those cases in which letters of administration are not taken out on intestates' estates. The engrossed Bill to appoint commis

sioners to lay off a town at Northampton Court House, was amended, on motion of Mr Hollimon, by striking out the word " Atherton," and inserting that of "Jackson," and read the third time and passed The engrossed bill to allow talismen jurous

in the County and Superior Courts of Orange to receive pay for their projects, was amended mery, read the third

the petition of Wm. usation for services at of militia in 1821.

- - Claims. any M'Millan presented a bill to aid the pleting the State road from Hunta ille, Surry county, to the Virginia line by way of Bowers. Store, in Ashe county, and for other purposes. Mr. Pickett, a bill more effectually to provide for the probate of last wills and testaments; and Mr. Sneed, a bill to authorise the building of a steam boat on the Roanoke River, and to incorporate a company for that purpose; and, also, a bill concerning the town of Oxford, which bills passed their

the bill to incorporate Joseph Warren Lodge, No. 92, was read the second and third times, passed, and ordered to be engrossed.

The Senate resolved itself into a commit tee of the Whole, Mr. Pickett in the Chair, on the bill to establish a Medical Society, and to regulate the practice of physic and surgery within the State; and, after some time spent therein, the committee rose and reported said hill with sundry amendments, when it was ordered to lie on the table.

Tuesday, Junuary 30. Mr. Sneed, from the joint select commit tee to whom was referred the letter of Chief

Justice Taylor, enclosing a copy of his Reyears, reperted a bill to direct the Secretary of State to purchase and distribute copies of said Revisal, which possed its first reading Mr. Roberts presented the petition of sun-

dry citizens of Surry county, on the subject of building a new court house in said county, accompanied with a bill to carry the prayer of the petitioners into effect; which bill passed its first reading.
On motion of Mr. Ward, the committee of

Claims were instructed to inquire into the propriety of paying the officers and witnesses stread a copel martial in 1822, for the trial of Col. Stephen Miller, of

Duplin county.

Mr. Speed presented the petition of Rich-Mr. Speed presented the petition of Rich-ard Bollock, of Granville, praying compen-sation for services rendered by his father in

their amendment.

Mr. Bullock presented a bill directing the time within which suits shall be brought of on constables bonds, which passed its first

constables bonds, which passed its first reading.

The engrossed bill to authorise the trustees of Spring Grove Academy, in Anson county, to raise 5,000 dollars by lottery, was rejected, on its second reading, by the casting vote of the Speaker.

The bill limiting the time within which deeds of trust and mortgages shall be registered, and to provide for giving publicity

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Fund to race strony by lettery, and for other purposes, the bill to appoint countries of the purposes, the bill to appoint countries of the purposes, the bill to incorporate the Frankin Library boolety of Buffalts, in Library boolets of Heaves, was smended on motion of Heaves, and Hawkins. Mr. Joseph Buffalts of Heaves, and Hawkins. Mr. Joseph Buffalts of Heaves, was smended on motion of Meaves, buffalts of Heaves, was smended on motion of Meaves, buffalts of Heaves, was smended on motion of Meaves, buffalts of Heaves, was smended on motion of Meaves, buffalts of Heaves, was smended on motion of Meaves, buffalts of Heaves, was smended on motion of Meaves, buffalts of Heaves, was smended on motion of Meaves, buffalts of Heaves, was smended on motion of Meaves, Gilchrist, Elliott, and Mr. Kay, read the third time, passed, and ordered to be engrossed.

The bill to append the act of 1835, changing

hill to agiend the read laws, and the bill to revive and continue in force the act of 1824, to alter and amend an act for the relief of outh persons as became purchasers of the Cherokee lands said under the authority of the Stafe, were read—the first the third time, and the two last the second and third times—

and ordered to be engrossed.

Mr. Stokes presented a bill to repeal the set of 1820, entitled "An set directing the County Courts to pay fees to certain officers in certain cases," so far as relates to the coun

ties therein named Mr. Love, from the committee of Chains reported a resolution in favor of Will am Lytle, of Rutherford county, Tennessee; which was rejected.

Mr. Gray presented a bill to incorporate the Ebenezer Library Society, in Raudolph county; and Mr. Gilchrist, a bill to incorporate Oak Forest Academy, in Robeson county;

which passed their first rending.
Received from the House of Common mestage, amounting the death of John J. Bonner, Esq. a Member of that House from the county of Hyde.

Thereupon, on motion of Mr. Sharp, it was Resolved. That, as a testimony of the rentertain for the memory of John J. Bonner leceased, a member of the House of Commons from Hyde county, we will wear crape on the left arm for the space of thirty days, and that we will attend his funeral this day, at 12 o'clock.

The Senate then adjourned.

HOUSE OF COMMONS.

- Thursday, January 25. Mr. Alexander presented the petrion of Robert Robinson, Jesse Car . Benj. Lindsay, Henry Houston and John Connelly, maying to be placed on the pension list. Referred to the committee of Claims.

Received from the Governor, a claim of Jonas R. Clark, for the value of a horse which he lost in the service the State at the reception of Gen. Lafavette. Referred to the

Mr. Settle, from the committee of Propo itions and Grievances, to whom was referred the petition of sundry citizens, praying that Willis Bradley be restored to credit, reported favorably, with a bill to carry the prayer of the petitioners into effect, which passed its three readings.

Mr. S. also reported on the application of Biram Miller, for the same purpose, and the report was concurred with.

Mr. R. H. Jones, from the Judiciary committee, to whom was referred a resolution instructing them to inquire into the expediency of Testamentary Guardians giving security where it shall appear to the County Count that they are insolvent, and are likely to waste and squander the property of their wards, reported that it was inexpedient to va ry the existing law as proposed; but recom-mended that the bill accompanying this report, entitled a bill concerning Testamentary Guardians, be passed into a law. Which bill passed its first reading.

The following bills were presented: Mr. Kerr, a bill to repeal the act of 1824, to egulate patrols, so far as its respects New-Hanover, by Mr. Cox, a bill to appoint commissioners for the town of Kinston, in Lenoir by Mr. Bain, a bill for the better distribution of the estates of intestates; by Mr. Donoho, a bill directing the continuance of the Geologi-cal and Mineralogical survey of the State; by Mr. Edmonston, a bill to render valid certain official acts of Elihu Chambers, of Haywood county; by Mr. Whitaker, a bill to authorise Wm. Boylan, of Wake county, to erect a bridge across Deep River; and by Mr. J. A. Hill, a bill to amend the act of 1806, for the more convenient and uniform administration of justice. Which bills passed their first readng, and the last named was referred to the

Judiciary committee.
The following engrossed bills and resolution passed their third reading. The bill to explain an act passed in 1822, to authorise County Courts to require administrators and others to give other or counter security, on petition of their securities, the bill to jucorporate the Franklin Library Society of Buffa-lo, in Lancoln county; the bill to establish and regulate a Turnpike road in Haywood coun-ty; the bill to incorporate the Newbern Ma rine and Fire Insurance Company; the bill to establish Batchelor's Academy, in the county of Martin; and the resolution in favor of Eli

zabeth Reaves. Mr. Settle, from the committee on Proponons and Grievances; to whom was referred the petition of sundry citizens, of Northampton county, praying for an act to establish a town at the Court House, reported a bill for

the purpose, which passed its three readings.
The bill to increase the capital stock of the
Chiblion and Harlow's Creek Canal, was amended, on motion of Mr. Fisher, so as to authorise the Treasurer to loan 12,000 dollars to

the Company, instead of subscribing to that amount, and read the third time and passed. The bill to change the time of the meeting commons having concurred the Legislature was talen up, when Mr. Alexander moved to strike out the words the third monday in November," for the purpose of inserting "the second Monday in December," which motion was negatived—for the relief of Samuel Jones, the said bills were ordered to be enrolled.

A message from the other House, stating that they do not concur in the amendment made by the Senate to 'be engroused bill to divide the militia of Richmond county into two regiments. It was then resolved, on motion of Mr. Leak, that the Senate to the senate to the senate to the internal made by the senate to 'be engroused bill to divide the militia of Richmond county into two regiments. It was then resolved, on motion of Mr. Leak, that the Senate to the militia of Richmond county into two regiments. It was then resolved, on their amendment.

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with feelings of unfergred grief for the death time and passed, of our late sellow as nuber, Leonard Martin, Tije bill to alt Esq. one of the Representatives for the coun-

of 30 days.

manthee of all Men bers of this House be apppointed to su tend and make arrangements for the Funeral Bessived, That the Funeral of our deceased Brother Member be at the public charge; and that the Chairman of the committee draw on the Public Treasurer for the expenses thereof, which shall be aflowed him in the

The House then adjourned for half an our, for the purpose of allowing the committee time to prepare their report. At the expiration of which time, Mr. Jones reported the order of Procession for the Funeral, which was adopted; and the House then adjourned, to appoint commissioners for the tas a of

Salurday, January 27 Mr. Spruill, from the committee of Claims, to whom was referred the petition of John B. Ogg, praying for the payment of certain corincates, reported unfavorably to the petitioner, and recommended the rejection of the pe

tition, which report was concurred with. Mr. S. recommended the passage of a res plution referred to that committee in favor of Mr. Welsh. The report was concurred with, and the resolution passed its first reading.

Mr. Jones, of Warren, from the Judiciary Committee, to whom was referred the resution instructing them to inquire into the ex pediency of so amending the law relative to Constables, as to allow a certain per cent. on all executions collected and accounted for by them, reported that to alteration in the laws in this respect is necessary. Concurred

Mr. Jones, from the same committee, ecorted against the expediency of amending be law concerning executors and administrairs so as to prefent executions under any circumstances from being levied on the personal estate of a testator or intestate, until an exegutor or administrator shall have had reanumble time to obtain an order of sale on said property, and to collect the money under said sale. Which report was concurred

Mr. Jones, of New Hanover, presented a fill to make an appropriation to improve the navigation of Cape Fear river below Wil-

nington; which passed its first reading. Mr. A. Moure, from the committee on In ternal Improvements, to whom was referred the memorial of sundry citizens of Mattamus keet Lake, made a favorable report, accompanied by a bill for the purpose of draining the low lands in the neighborhood of Matta muskeet Lake; which possed its first read-

Monday Jan. 29. The following engrossed bills passed their first reading: Lie will to amend the act of 1825, granting to the Superior Court of Brunswick original and exclusive jurisdiction in all cases where the intervention of a jury may be necessary; the bill concerning the County Courts of Hyde; the bill to establish two separate elections in Hyde county; the bill reserving certain lands for the benefit of Roswell King, and for other purposes; the bill making compensation to coroners in certain rases; the bill to amend the laws respecting the sale of lands and negroes by Sheziff's and other officers; the bill prescribing the ly acquired from the Cherokee Indians, the tend and make bill to amend the several laws relative to the public roads in Wilkes county; and the bill brother Memi supplemental to the act of last session, ceding | and that the (

to the United States Bogue Banks. The engrossed resolution directing the Seording of State to purchase stationary for the several Departments, was adopted and ordered to be enrolled.

On motion of Mr. Barnett, Mr. Alexander was added to the committee on Internal Improvements, in place of Mr. Fisher, absent with leave.

ring the recess of the Leg take the necessary measures for the preservation of the furniture, &c. therein; which

passed their first reading.
The bill to validate all grants issued by the Secretary of State from the 29th November to the 29th December last; and the bill to compel executors to give security in certain cases, passed their third reading—the former was ordered to be enrolled, and the latter to be engrossed.

Mr. Greene, from the committee appointed to conduct the balloting for cavalry officers attached to the 9th origade, reported that Nathaniel Gordon was elected Colonel, Samuel F. Patierson, Lieutenant Coionel; and Anderson Mitchell, Major.

The but to permit attornies from other Sizes to practice in the Courts of North Carolim in certain cases, was read the third time, to their respectively. passed and ordered to be engrossed.

"I he bill to repeal the act of 1825, changing the time of laying the county taxes of craven, and appointing receivers of lists of passed. taxables in said county, passed its first, second curolied.

The amendments made by the Senate to the engrossed bill to divide the unlitta of Richmond county into two regiments, were

The engrussed bill to legitimate Duncan Melven and others, of Bladen, was postponed

indefinitely on its second reading.

The bal to appoint commissioners for the town of Nixonton; the bill to amen, the act of 1825, directing the manner in which Con stables shall hereafter be appointed in Sampson county; the resolution in favor of Peter for the voluntary hankruptor of persons other.

Doe sill the resolution in favor of John M than traders, was further discussed and re-lace; and the resolution in favor of Henry Po-

sey, passed their first reading. The following bills were postponed inde-finitely: The bill requiring the Clerks of the several courts and registers to keep their offices at the Court Houses of their respective counties; the bill to regulate the hire of slaves the bill directing how strays shail be advertised in future; and the bill to amend

The bill to establish an Academy on the lands of John D. Hawkins, in Franklin; and the bill to restore to credit Thomas Small, of Chowan, passed their second and third readings and were ordered to be engrossed.

The bill to restore to credit Amos Harmon was postponed indefinitely on its second readhe engressed bill to establish a poor house

in Pitt eganty, was amended, read the third The bill to alter the times of holding the

County Courts of Brunswick, and the bill pro-

viding for free ferries in Montgomery county, passed their third reading, and were orare d to be enrolled.

The bill to legitimate Peggy Orrell, and alter the sames of, and legitimate Lovey and Sidney Hassell, the bill authorising the Countries. ty Courts of Richmond to pay certain officers and to regulate the poll tax therein; the bill

to regulate the County Counts of Buncombe

of wear Crape on the left arm for the space ; of Jumple W. Hawkim, of Warren, the ball to of Mr. Wurts, but it was, aftern after the boundary line between the 1st and committee of 2d regiments of Buncombe; and the hill to with instructions to conside appoint commissioners to establish the divid- of making a great of a towning line between the counties of thirtie and States which have not sleened Lincoln, passed their second and third read for literary or other institution ings, and were ordered to be engrossed. mitment, it is to be five also

The hill to establish Cedar Grove Academy; the bill to secure o Brbook Ruffin such property as she may hereafter acquire; and he bill to a ter the names of, and legitimate Margaret, Washington, Persons and John S. Kennedy, passed their second and third read ings and were ordered to be earolled.

The bill to repeal the net of 1824, for the better regulation of Lumberton; and the bill Kinston, were read the 3d time and ordered be engrossed. The bill to after the names of, and legiti-

mate John B. W. and Mary F. Cook, was rejected on its third reading. Tuesday, Jan. 30. On motion of Mr. Lian, the bill to alter the ames of and legitimate John B. W. and Mary F. Cook, was reconsidered, read the second and third times, and ordered to be

enrolled. Mr. Bain presented a bill to require defendants, before they are put upon their trials, to except to such matters in the indictine as might after conviction be assigned as reasons in arrest of judgment, which passed

its first reading. Mr. A. Moore presented a resolution, anpointing commissioners to ascertain the a third time to-lay, practicability of connecting Lock woods Folly River with Elizabeth; which was referred to

ne committee on laternal faprovement.

Me Sprint from the extinues of Claims,
ported favorably to the resolution in favor of the heirs at law of Win. Hulme, deceased which report was concurred in, and the rem lution adopted and ordered to be engressed.

The House resolved itself into a committee of the Whole, Mr. Lewis of Caswell in the hair, on the bill to prevent free persons of colour from migrating into this State, for the good government of such persons resident in the State, and for other purposes; and, after some time spent therein, the committee rose and reported the bill with several amendments, which report was concurred in. The bill was then further amended, and passed its second reading by a vote of 75 to 39.

Mr Whitehurst annumeed the death of John J Bonner. Esqua Member of this House from Hyde county; when Mr. Blount submitted the following resolutions, which were adopted: Resolved. That this flouse has beard, with

the deepest concern, of the death of mother of its Members, John J. Bonner, from Hyde of our admirable institutions. county; that they feel the most sincere regret for his loss; and that they will, to morrow, at 12 o'clock, attend his funeral obsequies Resolved, That the Speaker of this House

nform the Senate of the misfortune which has befallen us, and invite that body to join in the fineral procession. Resolved, That this House, in token of re-

spect for the deceased, abstain from business during to-morrow; and that the Members thereof wear crape on the left arm for thirty Resolved. That a committee of six mem-

Resolved, T Arrangements for the amount

rangements, rep to be observed Bonner: which t

On motion of Mr Blount tion authorising the funeral expenses attendant on the burial of John J. Bonner, a deceased member of this illouse, to be paid out of the public Treasury.

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SENATE.

Tuesday, Jan. 23. A bill was reported from the Judiciary Committee for the appointment of a Commission, for the distributation among the claimants under the first article of the Treaty of thent, for slaves and other property aken away by the British after the signing or that Treaty, of the sums which shall be awarded

The consideration of the Bankrupt Bill and third readings, and was ordered to be was resumed, and the motion of dir. Branch, to strike out the 93d Section, was further passed through still fewer hands. discussed

Wednesday, Jan. 21. Mr. Tazewell supported it.

Thursday, January 25.
The consideration of the Bankrupt Bill

Friday, January 26. an amendment to the first section of the bill. providing that nothing in the bill should be construed to extend to contracts made pre-Barton moved the reconsideration of the motion to strike out the 93d section. Mr. Barton's motion was not acted on, as the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. perity. Tuesday, December 23.

The discussion on Mr. Buchanan's motion to discharge the committee from the further consideration of the Manufacturer's Bill was resumed. The motion was negatived --- ayes 97, noes 113. Wednesday, January 24.

A bill was reported by Mr. Storrs, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to authorize the building of two Schooners for the Naval service, and for rebuilding the Nonsuch. The report of the Committee contains a very interesting letter from the Secretary of the Navy. The bill for the relief of the Navy. The bill for the relief of the New York and Pennsylvania institutions for the Deaf and Dumb was taken up, on motion ral, and the punishment of the Spanish the bill to establish an Academy on the lands

mitment, it is to be presented.

Timesday, Je The House was engaged to cussion of the Manufacturers Committee of the Whole on of the Union, without come result. Mr. Ingham spoke at l against it; and on motion of Mr. P. the Committee rose. Friday, January

An unsuccessful attempt was male to bring up the Manufacturers' Bill and also the bilt to make provision to the surviving officers of the army of the revolution. The propositions were defeated on the ground that Friday as Saturday are, by a rule of the House considered as days on which private bils have a preference, unless ordered otherwise by the House. The regulation was enforced yesterday; in cons. quence of which, about seven bills were acted on in Committee of the whole and ordered to be engrossed and real

It will be perceived, from the par-ceedings of the House of Representa-tives, that a bill yesterday passed both branches of Congress, authorizing the Frustees of the Asylum for teaching the Deaf and Dumb in the State of Ken tucky, to relocate, in sections, to min. of their location as may be taken be the law granting, pre-emption fights is actual settlers in Florida.

This act will, we understand, have the effect to save to the Institution some thousands of dollars; and we are glad of it. We are glad of any thing that disburses money from the Treasury in the Interior States; because every thing of the sort tends to equalize the burthens and benefits of the Government -an operation which we deem of the utmost consequence to the durability

We will, by the way, just express our hope that the same measure of aid, which has already been extended to Institutions of this nature, will not be denied to other public institutions of the same nature. We have no idea of making fish of one, flesh of the other. If these are legitimate objects of the beneficence of Congress, we should he glad to see them equally benefited. That there must be a limit to aids of mode of surveying and selling the lands late- bers of this Hense be appointed to superin- this sort, we can readily conceive; but con the functed. it appears to us no more than just than

Resolved, That the rule directing all reso. day, since the royal banners of Spain. Mr. Burns offered resolutions, appointing a lutions, the object of which is to draw money and the tri-colored flag of France, gave person to take charge of the State House duform the Treasury, to be read three times, be place in this city, to the "stars and spensed with so far as regards the resolu-stripes" of the only Republic then of the Continent. Whilst the inhabitants of Louisiana are in the full career of prosperity, under the change thus effected, it cannot be amiss to take a retrospective glance at the goal from which they sprung. At present, this notice will be confined to New-Orleans.

When the Commissioners of the U. States (Messrs. Wilkinson and Claiborne) received the government of the country from Mr. Laussat, New-Orleans contained 8,000 souls, and about 1,000 houses. None of its numerous subarbs were then traced out, except that of St. Mary, where very faw The bill appropriating \$20,000 for the houses could be seen. In the city, rope relief of the indigent soflerers by the late fire in Alexandria, was read a third time and dons, occupied spots now covered with handsome buildings. The port of Or-leans contained few ships, and its trade

Now the population of this city cannot be less than tifty thousand souls, The consideration of the Bankrupt bill and there are nearly six thousand was resumed, the motion to strike out the houses, in the fown and suburbs. Our posed the motion, and Mr. Woodbury and exports during the approaching season will be something like three hundred thousand bales of cotton, one hundred thousand barrels of flour, forty thouswas resumed. The motion of Mr. Branch to and hhds. of sugar, twenty thousand of strike out the 9 d section, which provi es tobacco, four millions pounds of her and many other articles of great value. and in large quantities.

This rough calculation will speak as The consideration of the Bankrupt Bill was much as volumes in confirmation of resumed. Mr. Reed opposed the bill in a freedom-liberty, not in name, but in speech of about two hours length, and moved fact-secured to the inhabitants of fact-secured to the inhabitants of Louisiana and their descendants, by the compact fulfilled on the 20th, day vious to the passage of the bill. The amend- of December. With these recollections, ment was rejected; aves 16, noes 32. Mr. and this conviction, we could not pass such a day-over in silence; and we conclude by expressing a hope that its return may annually find every Louisiani. an in full enjoyment of peace and pros-

> New York, January 15, 1827. We learn by the Morning Star, at Mobile, on the 28d ult. from Havana. that a boat from the United States' far gate Constellation had been fired or from a Spanish frigate in the Port of Havana. The officer of the boat sur-rendered himself as a prisoner on board the Spanish frigate, where he remained all night. The next morning the Com-mander of the Constellation demanded the release of his officer from the Admi-