STRUCTURE A RESPONSE

Wednesday, February 5, 1873. EDITORIAL ASSOCIATION.

The organization of the editors of this State into an association for mutual benefit and protection, has been proposed. The proposition meets with our hearty concurrence; willing to test before any court the and we feel sure that it will meet question of the right of the House to and we feel sure that it will meet with the approbation of a majority if not all the brethren of the Press of North Carolina.

to advance their mutual interestswhy not editors? Printers have their unions: merchants, their boards of trade; lawyers, their bar associa- tain House resolutions in regard to tions; doctors, their medical so- the United States Branch Mint at cieties; mechanics, their Trades' this place were taken up and passed. Unions: farmers, their granges; and | The purport of the resolutions does why should not the quill-drivers of not appear in the report of the prothe country unite and form an asso- ceedings, as given by the Raleigh ciation? In union there is strength; papers. organized effort is power.

which would be derived by each State Penitentiary. member from the personal acquaintend to unite us in closer bonds of its second reading in the Senate. union; to foster friendship; to allay bitterness of feeling; to heal old wounds and soften down the asperities which will sometimes result from sharp controversies engaged in questions of the day. Such a union properly formed and conducted upon elevated principles of honor, and wormwood wherewithal it is tion. now dashed, and drop in a little kindness. Were this the only result that flowed from a union of this kind, it would repay us for the trouble of organizing. And the benign influences which would spring from the formation of more fraternal relationships among the journalists of the State, would be felt by the whole

But, throwing aside all sentiment in the matter, business considerations suggest such an organization. The adoption of some uniform system of conducting newspaper busi- burned. ness is of importance to every journal in the State; and it is only by been sentenced to five years in the any system of this sort can be established. The many advantages perceived by every journalist in the Cuba. State who will turn his attention to the subject.

We trust that some action will be taken at once in the matter. At all events, let the subject be aired by all the papers in the State. The movement ought to be initiated by a call for a convention of all the editors and newspaper men of North Carolina, irrespective of party.

THE IMPRISONED WITNESS.

Mr. J. R. Stewart, the contumacious witness in the Credit Mobilier by order of the House of Representatives, still remains obstinate and unyielding. He will not tell what he vails that Stewart is in possession of from Mississippi." intormation of the greatest importhe reputations of a number of men in high places would be ruined. The right of Congress to imprison him is liamentarians.

The following is an interesting sketch of the man and his lodgings: "Stewart is lodged in a room in committed for contempt for refusing for a new trial was refused. to testify about the use of money to defeat the impeachment of President Johnson. This room is furnished with a bed at least a foot too shot for the comfortable repose of Stewart's Nevada. gignatic frame, a half-dozen easy chairs of various patterns, a sofa, a threadbare carpet, and two or three tables. It has two large windows which look out on a dismal little court-yard inclosed by the high walls so narrow and the walls are so lofty a government post office. a mine to try to get a glimpse of the sky, while standing in it. The windows are heavily harred and so little dows are heavily barred, and so little lost. light comes in through them that the gas is kept burning all day. Ex-cept for the forbidding, dungeon-like prospect from the windows and the prospect from the windows, and the on her death-bed, confessed that she tions at the Capital. He thought lack of wholesome sunlight, the pri-soner is very comfortable. His meals any of the distinguished men of an-

employing ushering out and in a numerous throng of visitors. Stewart employed much of his time, to-day, in rehearing his speech of yesterday to his guests, fortifying his remarks on personal liberty and the sacred privileges and duties of attorney by copious quotations from law books of which he has a small library. He says that he does not intend to apply for a writ of habeas corpus, because Congress has so brow-beaten the judiciary of late that lie is not imprison him. He declares that he will patiently wait the progress of events, which probably means that he is determined to stay where he is Men of other professions organize until the expiration of the session, on the 4th of March, releases him.'

Legislative Notes.

- On motion of Senator Cowles, cer-

The benefit of an organization of road between Statesville and Mt. this kind would be great, in a busi- Airy, via Jonesville, is on its passage ness point of view, to say nothing of in the Senate. The road is to be tain, protect and preserve the integthe mutual pleasure and advantage constructed by convicts from the rity, dignity and honor of the na-

tance of all the other members of of the Chapel Hill and Iron Moun - self. the editorial fraternity. It would tain Railroad Company has passed

- The Midland N. C. Railroad Bill meets with stern opposition from some of the Senators. Mr. by journalists who differ in opinion monopoly which in future years might the attention of the country through regarding the political or social place North Carolina in the hands investigations made by Congressionof Foreign monopolists.

- A resolution by Mr. Ellis, looking to the purchase of the Military courtesy and humane feeling would Institute here for a branch Lunatic open bribery. rob journalism of much of the gall Asylum, met with strong opposi-

second reading in the House.

Telegraphic Notes.

Ex-Gov. Mathison of Illinois,

The business portion of Jackson, Tennessee, has been burned.

Stokes is still laboring to get new trial.

The Alabama Legislature has seated Miller, Radical, and displaced Edwards, Democrat.

The Bank of British North America at Renfrew, Canada, has been dar and referred to the Judiciary Thomas Boyd, of Tennessee, has

organized effort in this direction that | Penitentiary and a fine of five thousand dollars for pension frauds. The Cuban Anti-Slavery Commit-

of a thoroughly organized associa- tee in New York are soliciting the tion of our editors will be at once aid of the government in the movement for the abolition of slavery in

Southern News.

Three separate fires occurred in

Norfolk, Va., last Friday night.

Commodore Matthew Fontaine Maury died at Lexington, Va., last the bill presented by himself in re-

The completion of the Chesapenke and Ohio Railroad will be celebrated by a grand festival and excursion in

The Wharton jury have disagreed | sed its readings. and asked the Judge to discharge them, which was refused.

A Grant salute in honor of the investigation who was imprisoned completion of the Chesapeake and up and passed. Ohio Railroad was fired off in Norfolk last Friday.

Senator Alcorn, of Mississippi, is taken up and passed. now living with his third wife, and did with the lobby fund of the Union twenty-one children can proudly Pacific Railroad. The opinion pre- exclaim, "My father is a Senator Hill, Richmond county, was taken

The foreman of a Georgia jury retance to the investigation, and that fused to render a verdict unless he if he should divulge what he knows, had a guarantee that the fees of the jury would be paid.

General News.

doubted by some of the best par- Broadway, New York, several days purchased for as branches of the

At a fire in Iowa, a father, two of up his children, and his brother perished in the flames.

Gould & Sons' woolen factory at Montpelier, Vt., has been burned.

The snow is 18 inches deep in had been done in this matter of lu-Montpelier, Vt., has been burned.

The Chinese at Carson city fought of the law allowing idiots to draw with knives over women. Three

celestials were sent to the bosom of their fathers. The famous "Old South Church"

that it is like looking up the shaft of A terrible hurricane visited Aspin-

policeman at the door is kept busily LEGISLATURE OF NORTH CARO-

SENATE.

FEB. 3rd, 1873; Senate called to order 11 o'clock. Lieut. Governor in the chair. Reports of Standing Committees.

Mr. Morehead, of Guilford, from Committee on Constitutional Reform, submitted a report of the bill referred to said committee, with eighteen amendments, which was on motion of Mr. Morehead, of Guilford, made the special order for 111 o'clock to-morrow.

Petitions and Memorials.

and '69. Referred.

establishing and laying out public highways. Referred. By Mr. Cowles, a series of resolu-

tions of regret and indignation at the corrupt and fraudulent conduct and practices of certain members of the Congress of the United States, re-- A bill to establish a turnpike cently brought to the attention of the public, as follows:

The General Assembly of North Carolina do Resolve, 1st, That to maintional Legislature, is the high and patriotic duty of the people of the - The bill for the incorporation Union as well as that of Congress it-

2nd. That this General Aseembly have heard, with feelings of mortification and painful regret, of the corrupt and fraudulent conduct and practices of many members of the Congress of the United States mate-Merrimon opposes it on the ground rially affecting their integrity and of its being the initiation of a grand honor as members of that body, which has recently been brought to al Committees of the bribery practices of persons interested in the "Credit Mobilier" and others seeking and securing places in Congress by

3rd. That such fraudulent conduct and crimes ought to excite feeings of deep indignation and profound alarm to order by Speaker Robinson. - A bill prohibiting the sale of in the minds of the American people more of the honey-dew of human liquor in Morganton, has passed its for the integrity, safety and honor of their political institutions and merit sternest rebuke.

4th. That it is the sense of this General Assembly that Congress owes it as a duty to themselves, and to the people of the United States, to try, expose and expel the guilty ones from seats in that august body, which they dishonor and digrace.

5th. That a copy of these resolutions be sent to each of our Senators and representatives in Congress with the request that they present a copy to their respective bodies. On motion of Mr. Avera, the "poi-

son bill" was taken from the calen-Committee.

On motion of Mr. Cowles, a House resolution asking our representatives in Congress to use their influence to secure the passage of a law to establish a branch mint at Charlotte, was

Mr. Worth was opposed to the resolution. He did not think the mint would be worth a cent to the people. As an old miner, he knew the disadvantages that miners labored under, but he was willing to postpone the resolution till the Senator from Mecklenburg came in.

The resolution was adopted. On motion of Mr. Cunningham, gard to railroad traveling was taken from the calendar and referred to the

Judiciary Committee. By the same, the bill to incorporate the Chapel Hill and Iron Mountain Railroad, was taken up and pas-

On motion of Mr. McCauley, a res-Sheriff of Union county, was taken

On motion of Mr. Ellis, of Catawba, the bill to incorporate the Horse Ford Manufacturing Company was

On motion of Mr. Long, the bill to abolish the Scotch Eair, near Laurel up and passed its readings.

On motion of Mr. Ellis, of Columthe General Assembly, with Dr. Eugene Grissom on said Committee, to repair to Charlotte and Wilmington, to ascertain at what cost, etc., cer-A disastrous fire occurred on tain buildings and grounds can be State Lunatic Asylum, was taken

> Mr. Ellis advocated immediate action on the resolution, that is, if in the wisdom of the General Assembly

shall also visit Thomasville, in Ran-

ments were to be made, he thought

natics, idiots, &c., in the operations \$100 per annum from their counties; and referred to the fact that Wilkes county alone drew \$1,600 this year in injured a few days ago in the neighaddition to their insane now in the borhood of El-Bethel church in this Lunatic Asylum. He thought the county. A tree fell on him, disof the building. The court-yard is in Boston has been converted into Insane Asylum now in this city am- located one of his hip joints and ply sufficient for the unfortunates in crushed the other leg below the the State that could be reclaimed knee.

any of the distinguished men of anare provided by the House restaurant, which, although not a famous culinary establishment, is thought good enough for members of Congress, and he enjoys the society of his friends very much as if he were taking his ease in his hotel. The

in 30 days, and to build here in Raleigh would require months.

Mr. Worth oppored the resolution because he could not conscientiously favor any more appropriations till the Committees appointed on these matters made reports showing an actual necessity for such.

Mr. Murphy replied to several of the objections offered by Messrs. Welch and Worth. In his remarks he referred to the statistics to show that the class of unfortunate that this resolution proposes to favor, have been sadly neglected in the State. He thought some means should be adopted to enlarge the capacity for the sale of spirituous liquors within convict labor could be made benefit better assorted Stock than even we ever and thus economy to the State be been perpetrated under this law in by buying in different houses North, where By the same, a bill concerning the regard to idiots, he was interrupted he must necessarily buy more goods than by that gentleman, who said, that as he actually needs in order to have an asthe Commissioners of counties had sortment. the power to say who were entitled to the appropriation, the door was left open for swindling.

Mr. Miller advocated the passage of the resolution. As one of the Committee on the Insane Asylum, he knew this resolution was maturely considered, and believing its passage for the general good of the State, he would vote for

Mr. Love thought that the present defective legislation on this matter should be corrected before any more was made, and moved to lay the resolution on the table.

On this motion Mr. Ellis, of Coumbus, called the yeas and nays. The motion to lay on the table

prevailed by 17 yeas to 12 nays. The consideration of the Midland North Carolina Railroad was taken up at 12 m.

Mr. Avera called the previous question, which being sustained, the bill passed its final reading, only three voting in the negative, Messrs. Dunham, Ellis and Merrimon. Adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

At 10 a. m., the House was called

Mr. Blythe presented a memorial from certain citizens of Henderson, praying that the sale of the Western N. C. Railroad be not interfered with. Mr. Gudger presented a memorial of a similar character from certain citizens of Madison county.

By Mr. Craige, a bill to amend chapter 12, Code of Civil Procedure, in reference to "Masters and Apprentices." Referred. By Mr. Carter, a bill to make an

appropriation for the year 1873 for the Deaf, Dumb and Blind Asylum.

By Mr. Carson, a bill to repeal chap. 136, laws of 1871-'72. Referred. The Senate resolution in reference to the sale of the W. C. & R. R. R.

was taken up. (Requests the Gover-nor and Atorney Gen to investigate the affairs of the road.) The resolution passed its several readings. Senate resolution requesting information of the Governor and Attorney General in regard to the sale of the

Eastern Division of the Western N. C. R. R., was taken up and adopted. Senate bill to extend the time for the redemption of property sold for taxes was taken up and passed its several readings.

Senate resolution raising a Joint Committee to cancel vouchers, bonds, &c., in the Auditor's office was taken up and adopted.

After debate, the vote by which the resolution instructing our Representatives in Congress in reference to the educational bill was laid on the table was reconsidered and the resolution was adopted.

The bill to prohibit the sale of liquor within one mile of any church on any day when religious exercises olution for the relief of Jno. J. Husty or business connected with the church are going on, was taken up and, on motion, laid on the table. Adjourned.

> The manufacture of false eyes is an important business in Paris. The average sale per week of eyes for the human head amounts to four hundred. One of the leading dealers in this article carries on business in a saloon of great magnificence; his servant has but one eye, and the effect of an eye wantee by a customer is conveniently tried in the valet's head. The charge is about \$10 per eye. For the poor there are second-hand eyes, which have been worn and then exchanged for new ones.

THE WHITE HOUSE.—General Babcock, Engineer of Public Buildings and Grounds, has made a report against the occupancy of the White House as a Presidential residence. the Capitol known as the Bastile, which was fitted up as a prison in 1868 for C. W. Wooley, who was jury failed to agree. The motion of the deficit Assembly they thought the mode expedient.

Mr. Morehead, of Guilford, offered an amendment that his Committee that is below the surface of the an amendment that his Committee that is below the surface of the an amendment that his Committee that is below the surface of the an amendment that his Committee that is below the surface of the an amendment that his Committee that is below the surface of the an amendment that his Committee that is below the surface of the an amendment that his Committee that is below the surface of the an amendment that his Committee that is below the surface of the an amendment that his Committee that is below the surface of the an amendment that his committee that is below the surface of the an amendment that his committee that is below the surface of the analysis and the surface of the surf ground, dilapidated on account of the decaying timbers. He says that there are a hundred residences in Washington better adapted for the President's use than that he is ex- Lutheran Church on Tryon street between Packet Company (Bay Line.) Office, 154 President's use than that he is ex- Lutheran Church on Tryon street between pected to remain in.

Shelby Banner: Richard Harmon, aged about 70 years, was severely

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