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Details Condensed From the Constitution of the 23rd.

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We have endeavored to get at the truth in the matter and we give the connected account made up from the statements of those who would consent to speak about them.

THE CONVICT LEASE ACT passed by the General Assembly in 1876.

Under which the convicts of the State were leased to companies formed and designated as "penitentiary companies."

One of these companies was composed of several gentlemen, among whom were Senator Gordon, B. G. Lockett, W. B. Lowe and Colonel C. B. Howard.

THE BIDDING AND BARGAINING. It appears that Mr. Jesse Walters, of Albany.

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Col. Alston had contracted with Col. Howard it is alleged that Mr. Cox became greatly excited, and declared the matter should not take that direction.

THE FIRST ALTERCATION. The fact appears to be that Cox first encountered Alston in the barber-shop of Dougherty & Hutchins.

Col. Alston replied to him that it was now impossible to do that thing. He had sold to Howard and the trade must stand.

Mr. Cox persisted and said "If Alston did not sell to Walters, he (Cox) would be broken, or ruined, and he did not intend to stand it."

It is stated that Cox drew, or had in his hand, a knife with which he threatened to cut Alston's throat.

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Governor reached his office and sent Capt. Nelms, the principal keeper of the penitentiary, to find Cox, and, if possible, persuade him to go no further in the affair.

Alston subsequently returned to the capitol. About this time Alston saw Cox coming, excitedly toward the capitol, with his right hand conveniently placed for a prompt resort to his pistol.

Mr. Cox, it does not want to have any difficulty with you about this matter, and there is no need for it.

Cox replied in an abusive manner, and continued to denounce Alston, and to urge him on to the affair.

Treasurer Renfro, fearing the difficulty told them not to have a fight in his office. Upon this, COX INVITED ALSTON OUTDOORS.

To settle the matter, but Alston declined to go, repeating that he did not want any difficulty.

Both men drew their pistols and began to fire at each other with great rapidity.

Col. Alston, when he arose from his chair, had his coat buttoned across his breast, but he unbuttoned it and drew his pistol from an inner pocket.

SECRETARY KYRTE SAYS HE SEEN EVERYBODY who calls on him. When a man asks him to fix a time for an interview, he says, "Oh, take it now."

Treasurer Renfro: We are both of us killed, and then he went into the front room and laid down upon the lounge.

The wound in Col. Alston's head was at once pronounced mortal; those of Mr. Cox were deemed painful, but not serious.

COX'S BIRTH AND EDUCATION. COX WAS BORN in 1829 in Macon, Ga., on the last day of December, 1853.

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Gleanings

Buy what thou hast no need of, and sell what thou canst not use.

Laws are only proper to punish wrongdoers in a power beyond them, and it is a misdeed in the royal crown than that of condemnation.

There are three things in the world that know no kind of restraint, and are governed by no laws, but merely by passions and brutishity: civil wars, family quarrels, and religious disputes.

Look on slanders as direct enemies to civil society; persons without honor, honesty, or humanity. Whoever entertains you with the faults of others designs to serve you in a similar manner.

What is a true friend? A true friend is he who not only shows himself so when the frowns of misfortune fall upon us, but even when we are in the midst of our triumphs.

"Were there ever any such" is a question that is troubling the religious editor of an exchange. Certainly there were, and the first thing they said after leaving that ancient craft was "It there's a great round here we want to go to."

The wife to her husband: Oh, how good you are—how generous! How thoughtful! It was of you to buy me this lovely stuff dress! But, dearest, do you not know that the unhappy sick woman of Lyons, and many, many, I prefer doing a little humble thing if I may be in gratefully myself.

A good old man died in Maine the other day. The funeral procession that he had fallen asleep in his chair. He did not wake until past noon, when he inquired of his daughter, "An' how is he doing?" "He is well," she replied. "The right way," she replied that they were. "The right way," she replied that they were.

THE PRINCIPAL LIE. It is predicted that will yet be a notable dress reform among the women of this continent. Her attire is very simple, and she makes no display of jewelry. At a recent entertainment at Raleigh Hall she wore no ornaments whatever, not even a brooch. Her manners are charming; her guests, whether he be a prime minister or trembling child, she places instantly at ease. She is a sweetly and kindly young lady.

For thinking before speaking. For holding an angry tongue. For stopping the ear to a talk-bearer. For abstaining most of the ill reports. For being kind to the distressed. For being patient toward everybody. For doing good to all men. For asking pardon for all wrongs. For seeking evil of no one. For being courteous to all.

Secretary Kyrtz says he seen everybody who calls on him. When a man asks him to fix a time for an interview, he says, "Oh, take it now."

The following U. S. Senators visited with the termination of the 45th Congress: Spencer, Conover, Sargent, Garrison, Oglethorpe, McCready, Shields, Merrimon, Mitchell, Borey, Chatham, East, Dennis, Wadleigh, Matthews, Patterson and Howe.