

Carolina Watchman.

THURSDAY, MAY 13, 1879.

WESTERN N. C. RAILROAD.

The State Board of Internal Improvements met with the Directors of the W. N. C. Railroad on Henry on the 13th, when the following proceedings were had:

J. W. Wilson, Esq., was re-elected President; and S. P. Erwin, Secretary and Treasurer. On account of extension of work beyond the Blue Ridge and the increased demand upon the time and labor of the President, who has heretofore been both President and Chief Engineer, it was deemed advisable to separate the offices, and Col. Thad. Coleman, one of the best civil engineers of the State, was elected Chief Engineer, and given the salary of Mr. Clayton, late Supt. of Construction, relieved, his office being united with that of Supervisor of Convicts; and in future, Maj. R. P. Atkinson, present supervisor, will perform the duties both of supervisor and superintendent of construction. The Directors being of opinion that the relief thus given the President from construction work would enable him to manage the finished part of the road without assistance, decided, in the interest of economy (which is greatly needed), to remove Capt. A. G. Halyburton from the Transportation department which he has performed with great fidelity for the last twelve months, and put this labor on the President.

Capt. Tom. Murphy and B. Newland were elected conductors—very good appointments; but we regret to lose that jovial and clever man, Col. L. B. Henderson, so deservedly popular as a conductor. It is confidently expected that the road will be completed to Asheville by 1st of January next. The State Board of Int. Improvement and the Directors of the road, expressed themselves as well pleased at the progress made under the management of Maj. Wilson and assistants, attended as it has been, with so many and great difficulties to overcome.

Mr. Block, an Englishman, traces the hard times in the business world to an accumulation of disasters and mistakes in different countries within the last 25 years. The Indian famine in Bengal and Madras; famine in China; the civil war in the United States; the war between France and Austria; between Prussia and Austria, France and Germany, and Russia and Turkey. These terrible disasters he thinks was sufficient in themselves to disturb the financial and industrial interests of the civilized world, by the waste of capital, the withdrawal of men from productive labor, and the impoverishment of multitudes who ceased to be buyers of merchandise, and virtually became non-producers. To these causes he adds another which he regards as the first magnitude, to wit, speculation in railroad schemes wherein millions of money became non-productive by reason of being locked up in roads which were not needed, and never have and never can pay for their construction by any benefit they can confer.

We think Mr. Block has taken a very sensible view of the subject. The effect of causes such as he enumerates is no longer confined to the countries in which the causes occur, but their consequences and results affect the whole social system of nations bound together by commercial ties. As the stone thrown into the lake makes a wave that spreads out to the distant shore, moving every floating object on its surface, so wars and famines and national wastefulness in one country, make themselves felt in all the rest.

HURRA FOR CATAWBA.

The Piedmont Press says a majority of the board of county commissioners of Catawba are opposed to granting license for the retail of spirituous liquors, and a majority of the board of town commissioners of Hickory are of the same faith, so the dram-drinkers of the community will have to make other arrangements than that of getting their drinks at a bar room.

There is not a more intelligent, earnest and practical people to be found in the State than in the county of Catawba. While Kowan is discussing the local option question through the columns of the Watchman with learned ability, Catawba rushes in and seizes the bull (the liquor traffic) by the horns and backs him out of the county!

"Thar now! That's sense," as Judge Glond would say, "sense—sense!" From the present signs of the times Kowan will not be far behind Catawba. The opposers of prohibition have certainly displayed ability and skill in their efforts to overcome plain and obvious facts, but we think they have failed to overturn the strong convictions of the masses, whose good common sense views of the subject have come to them through years of experience and observation. They know it is an evil and they are going to treat it as such at the ballot box. No fine spun arguments like Mr. Neave's, or witty thrusts like some of the other writers, can destroy a plain truth like this.

Gov. Jarvis arrived here on the 9 o'clock train Monday night, and took lodgings at the Boyden House. Band No. 2 hearing of his arrival, complimented him with a serenade. He responded to a call with thanks for the compliment paid him, and a few pleasant well chosen remarks. The Governor left next morning on the train to Henry to attend a meeting of the State Board of Internal Improvements, which was to meet there on Tuesday. This Board, composed of the Governor, Col. Johnson of Charlotte, and Capt. Cooke of Franklin, exercises a general supervision of the public works of the State.

ANOTHER VETO.

The President vetoed the Military Interference Bill on Monday. An abstract report of the message accompanying the return of the Bill, puts his action on the ground, mainly, that the bill would deprive the President of the power to enforce the laws of the country at places and times where and when his elections are held.

We quote the two last paragraphs of the views of the President, as follows: "Under the sweeping terms of the bill the national government is effectually shut out from the exercise of the right and from the discharge of the imperative duty to use its whole executive power, whenever and wherever required, for the enforcement of its laws at places and times where and when its elections are held. The employment of its organized armed forces for any such purpose would be an offence against the law unless called for by and therefore upon the permission of the authorities of the State in which the occasion arises. What is this but the substitution of the State government for the discretion of the government of the United States as to the performance of its own duties? In my judgment this is an abandonment of its obligations by the national government, a subordination of national authority and an intrusion of State supervision over national duties which amounts in spirit and tendency to State supremacy."

"Though I believe that the existing statutes abundantly adequate to completely prevent military interference with the elections, in the sense in which the phrase is used in the title of this bill, and is employed by the people of this country, I shall find no difficulty in concurring in any additional legislation limited to that object which does not interfere with the indispensable exercise of the powers of the government under the constitution and laws."

The veto message came up next day when the previous question on the passage of the Bill over the President's veto was demanded. It failed to receive a two-thirds vote. It failed by strictly party vote, the Democrats voting solidly for and the Republicans against it—ten greenbackers with the Democrats and three not voting at all. The message was then referred to the Judiciary Committee.

We quote from the telegraphic reports from Washington as follows: THE DEMOCRATS AND THE VETO. It was announced to-day by parties supposed to be well informed as to the movements of the Democratic party of the House, that there would be a caucus of the joint advisory committee held this evening to determine what course was most practicable to be pursued on the bill to prevent military interference at elections. Upon inquiry, however, a member of the committee stated to-day that the advisability of holding such a meeting had been discussed, but it was the general sentiment of the members of the committee that it was unnecessary for them to take any action at this time, there being no need for a hasty disposal of the measure.

The following probably foreshadows the course of the Democrats: The Washington correspondent of the Philadelphia Times, telegraphing Sunday night, says: A very prominent Democratic member of the House, when asked this evening what his party proposed to do, since it was certain the President would veto the caucus bill prohibiting the presence of troops at the polls, said that he could not answer for the whole party. "I think, however," said he, "that the army bill will be allowed to go to the devil. We can afford to go to the people on the issue if the President vetoes the bill. For my own part I would stand out forever before voting for the army appropriation bill. We have given the President every chance, and if he chooses not to take advantage of the opportunity it is not our fault."

"But what will you do with reference to the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill?" "Well," said he, "we will first pass it through both Houses and then send it to the President. If the President vetoes it, which is likely, we will make a bill covering the main points and send it to the President. This will undoubtedly be vetoed. Then we will make another bill repealing the test oath for jurors, and this the President will sign. Then we will pass the legislative bill and go home. But the army bill will not be passed, you may be sure. We will go to the people on the issue raised by that bill, and we shall win."

136 boxes of manufactured tobacco were seized in this county a day or two ago and brought to this place Wednesday night. They were secreted in a barn in the northeastern portion of the county. The ways of raiders seem past finding out—Statesville American.

Yes, the discoveries of raiders are often mysterious, but the solution may nearly always be found in the act of some secret spy, whose covetousness, cupidity or malice betrayed the offender for the sake of reward. Human instincts rise with greater indignation against the sneak informer than against the offender. And herein lies one of the strongest objections to the internal revenue system: it is contrary to the genius of our free institutions and to the long used liberty of the citizen, and to this, and the difficulty and cost of strict obedience to the law, is due the frequent attempts at blockading. Blockading is wrong. Every man is bound by an oath, actual or implied, to obey the law. But men under the newly imposed restriction will offset the obligation by saying the law is wrong, and in that way seek to justify its violation.

RAILROADING.—There was a railroad meeting at Wilkesboro on the 5th, in the interest of the Yadkin Valley Railroad scheme. S. J. Jennings was chairman, and W. F. Porter and W. W. Barber, secretaries. Dr. Harrill, Dr. Tyre York, Col. T. J. Dula, Dr. R. F. Hackett, I. T. Pevette, all took part in the proceedings. The meeting resulted in a permanent organization with Dr. Hackett chairman, and Messrs. Porter and Barber secretaries. The first Monday in June was designated as a day for a mass meeting, to be held in Wilkesboro, when an effort will be made to arouse the whole people of Wilkes to the importance of the Yadkin Valley enterprise.

The negro exodus is reported as dying out.

The farmer who keeps himself supplied with the modern improvements—cook stoves, sewing machines, plows, hoes, wagons, reapers, feed cutters, corn shellers, etc., etc., unless he has a surplus capital on which to draw, nine times out of ten will find himself in a "tight place" occasionally, and at the least, on balancing the year's account, discover that he has not saved anything. These things are excellent, and reduce the amount of labor to be done on the farm and in the family; but the cheaper ways of getting along will often save a man from sleepless nights, from mortgages, and a sacrifice of horse, or a cow, or the plantation itself. We have been led to make these remarks on hearing a man say he had been pushed up for money to pay for a \$45 cook stove and \$45 sewing machine. Modern improvements cost this man at least \$75 more than the old ways of cooking and sewing, and unless he can make a saving in time and money out of the new methods that will more than compensate for the change, he has paid that much for the naked pleasure of keeping up with the times. This is the money view of the subject alone. He has gained a great deal in the matters of ease and comfort, and if he can afford to pay \$75 a year for this it is nobody's business but his own. Nor, indeed, if it should cause him trouble, does it entitle any one to say he has done wrong. We note it as one of the ways by which people become poor, and subjected to pecuniary embarrassments.

The Southern admirers of Col. Pat Donnan, (not long since an editor at Raleigh, N. C.), have been shocked by a recent letter of his published in the Chicago Times, which goes back on his Southern record. Col. Pat is said to have "conceded" all that the most violent republican newspapers of the North had ever said of the Southern people and Southern institutions. The quotations we have seen are more than mere concessions. The Colonel was writing for the northern market this time, and he wrote to please his customers; and in doing so, gave it to the south in his peculiar and forcible style as he rarely ever catches it. It is rather hazardous to tie to just such brilliant men as this Col. Donnan, floating around promiscuously, more than all desirous of an opportunity to air themselves without regard to consistency.

The Raleigh News' special Washington despatch of the 8th gives out that Ohio politicians say that John Sherman is sure of the nomination for Governor of that State, and that he will certainly be elected; in which event he will be the next republican candidate for President.

Blaine has been figuring up the Senate for 1881, and presents the following result: Democrats 37, republicans 43. The present Senate is Democrats 42, republicans 34. Blaine will forget his calculation before 1881, and so will everybody else.

The same correspondent says: "There is only one thing urged against" Senator Vance here, and that is, "he seemingly has a perfect antipathy for newspaper correspondents." Vance has the reputation at home of being a man of good, hard, common sense; and we are glad to see him maintaining it.

Chas. Freeman, of Pocomasset, Mass., under the influence of religious craziness, sacrificed his child, Edith, five years old, by plunging a butcher knife into her side. One scream and the spirit of the innocent little thing departed. Her deluded father said her spirit would return after three days and she would live again. He is a Second Adventist. His brethren and sisters of the faith had been holding revival meetings until the excitement overcame Freeman, who professed to have revelations from heaven commanding him to offer little Edith as a sacrifice to God. And now he is under restraint as an insane man, while his deluded companions may be induced to sober down and return to common sense.

The king of Burmah has been indulging a ferocious spirit, having put to death at Mandalay a large number of prisoners, some of them princes, whom he had confined in a loathsome underground prison at that place. The method was to march the prisoners out by twos and threes. The head of the victim was tied down to his ankles, and a blow on the back of the neck with a heavy club put him out of pain, and he was tumbled into a ditch. The king is talking and acting haughtily, which is common before a fall.

Cork wood is now wrought into carpets, and is said to be very durable, and in all respects desirable, especially for dining rooms.

PIC-NIC.—There will be an anniversary picnic at Cool Spring, Irredell Co., May 23d, under the auspices of the Academy located there, of which Mr. John Duckett is principal. Liberal arrangements have been made to make the occasion of interest and profit to those who may attend. Col. L. E. Polk, Commissioner Agriculture, and Rev. J. B. Boone, are expected to deliver addresses. Those engaged in agricultural pursuits, will doubtless hear something from Col. Polk which they may carry home for future use. The public generally is invited, and we doubt not the attendance will be large.

WALKING RACE.—Five men entered on a walking match at Newbern last week: they were to go as they pleased 25 miles in the shortest time. Only two of them held out to complete the distance—one of them at 4 hours and 27 minutes; the other, 4 hours and 33 minutes. The winner faintly shortly after completing his 25th mile, while the man next to him on coming out, stood on his head and seemed not much wearied.

TEMPERANCE SERMON.—The Rev. J. Rample announced from his pulpit last Sabbath morning, that he would, next Sunday, present the Bible view of intemperance and the use of intoxicating drinks. The Rev. J. J. Benn expects to preach, Sunday week, on Prohibitory law with especial reference to the liquor traffic.

The Wilmington papers advert to a general desire of the people there to close stores and suspend business on the 20th instant, in honor of the Mecklenburg Declaration. The day will be observed at Charlotte with all the usual formalities and ceremonies, and will no doubt be an occasion of much interest to those who wait upon them. Some of the business houses of Statesville will suspend business, and the military will be out on that day throughout the State.

NOW OR NEVER.—The last Congress passed an act limiting the Act of July 4th, 1864, which provides for the payment of claims against the Government for property taken from citizens by the Federal troops during the war. The limitation is fixed on claims filed on or before the 1st December, 1879. Those persons having such claims will therefore improve the time from now until December to have them filed, otherwise, after that time, they will not be received.

"A SPECK OF WAR."—Under this head the newspapers report a difficulty between two North Carolina representatives in Congress—Kitchin and Russell—our representative Mr. Armistead, acting as the friend of the former with the view to an adjustment. The difficulty grew out of words uttered in debate. They have been "wooling" each other and making themselves famous in a way not profitable to their constituents or the country. They are the sort to get up bad blood and cause mischief.

The trial of Dr. Talmage, at Brooklyn, N. Y., having resulted in his acquittal and an expression by the jury of undiminished confidence and good wishes, the Doctor turned loose upon his most active prosecutor a battery of words which surprised all and left matters rather awkwardly mixed. The case on appeal goes up to Synod.

There are signs of a pretty hot sectional feeling coming on to disturb the peace of the country between this and the next Presidential election. It will come by the determined efforts of the republican party to hold the reins of power, right or wrong.

We acknowledge invitations to attend the Commencement Exercises of Davidson College, Mt. Pleasant College, Trinity College, Yadkin Institute, Trap Hill Institute, and a picnic at Cool Spring Academy. We are very much obliged and regret we cannot visit them all.

The Statesville American thinks Hon. W. M. Robbins the strongest Democrat in the State for Governor, in 1880; and ex-Judge Furchess the strongest Republican for Lt. Governor. The editor is looking out for Statesville's chances in the next election for distinguished honors and calculates wisely.

The Government scheme for preventing the spread of yellow fever by freezing the germs of the disease in infected ships, &c., has proved a failure.

A negro rook and herb doctor is in Mecklenburg jail on the charge of killing three of his children by dosing them with his decoctions.

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Our members of Congress Kitchin and Russell pitched into each other again, in the House of Representatives, Tuesday.

South Carolinians are beginning to talk of a centennial celebration of the battle of King's Mountain, on the 7th of October, 1880.

A miscreant fired the public fence recently erected in portions of Irredell county, and caused the destruction of 500 panels.

The student who mysteriously disappeared from the University of Virginia, has turned up at home, in Louisville, Ky.

Tribute of Respect.

HALL OF SALISBURY II. & L. CO. No. 1, May 4th, 1879. At a called meeting, for the purpose of attending the funeral of the Color-Bearer of the company, Mr. JOHN C. DEATON, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted: Whereas, It has pleased Almighty God to remove from earth one of the members of our company, Mr. John C. Deaton, Resolved, That in his death this company has lost one of its best members, and the community a quiet and useful citizen. Resolved, That a page in our minute book be inscribed to his memory, and that we wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be furnished the family of our deceased comrade, and also a copy to the town papers with a request to publish.

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In this case it appearing by affidavit, that the defendants, John C. Rausson, William Stockham and N. S. Higgins, are non-residents of this State, or keep themselves so concealed therein as to avoid the ordinary process of law upon them, it is therefore ordered that a publication be made for six consecutive weeks in the "Carolina Watchman," a newspaper published in the town of Salisbury, N. C., notifying said defendants to appear at the next Superior Court to be held for the County of Davidson, at the Court House in Lexington, on 1st Monday in September, 1879, and plead answer or demurrer in an action commenced by attachment by said plaintiff against said defendants for the recovery of Six Hundred and Seventy-four Dollars and six cents for lumber, provisions and merchandise furnished said Company during the years 1878 and 1879, or judgment will be taken as confessed.

By E. HENLEY, C. F. FLOWE, C. S. C. 27:6wpr:157

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January 22 1879 - 1t.

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