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THE loss by the burning of the Pennsylvania capitol is estimated at $1,500,000.

AFTER spending much time in digging for a so-called pirate's treasure on his farm, Valentine Kelly, of Clarksville, Ind., found $3.75.

NINE Republicans opposed the confirmation of Lou Payn's nomination for superintendent of insurance of New York.

CORNELIUS VANDERBILT'S removal to Washington is said to be in the interest of Chauncey Depew as ambassador to Great Britain.

GOMEZ and Weyler appear to be playing a game of tag in the Cuban jungles, and at last accounts Weyler was "it," observes an exchange.

The Washington Post wouldn't be surprised to see the Democrats elect a President in 1900. There are others who think the same way.

IT is reported that Governor Bradley of Kentucky has decided to appoint Major A. T. Wood, United States Senator to succeed Blackburn.

SECRETARY CARLISLE will resume the practice of law either at Louisville or New York, although he has a a good offer to locate in Chicago.

ACCORDING to the deductions of a well-known astronomer, we receive as much light from the sun as could be emitted by 680,000 moons.

CORBETT writes "Nevada will do me." And so will Fitzsimmons unless a good many people in this country are very much mistaken in advance, and in the bruisers.

IF Mr. Gage is worth $25,000 a year to the First National bank of Chicago, an exchange wants to know why is he worth only $8,000 to the Treasury Department of the nation?

HE FOUND IT.

A Minneapolis woman pinned a note on her door telling the groceryman where to find the key. A burglar happened along first and took everything except the cook stove and the family.

A CROP OF WIDOWS.

Lawrenceburg, Ky., a town of less than 4,000 inhabitants, has fifty-two widows. On St. Valentine's day the bachelors are to give them a dinner at which the marriage service will figure on the bill of fare.

A FEW SAMPLES.

Eight thousand females in Chicago fed and warmed by charity, 20,000 men in St. Louis out of employment and 5,000 without a roof to cover them, thousands of people in Buffalo, N. Y., on the verge of starvation, and more suffering in New York than was ever known before. These are a few of the samples of prosperity that the election of McKinley was to bring the country.

TALKING SOUND SENSE.

The Scotland Democrat gives expression to views entertained by eight-tenths of the white voters in North Carolina when it says:

"The Republican party has made a cat's paw of the Populist party in this State. It has used it to dethrone Democracy and neutralize the silver sentiment of a silver State. It is about time for the real silver people, in whatever party they are found, to come together and wrest the State from the dominion of the party of dear dollars and depreciated property values, the foster mother of trusts and dangerous corporations. And a thing of more vital importance than these demands it—good home government—which can not be expected of the Republican party as it is constituted in this State."

N. C. ON WHEELS.

We have received from Ramseur & Moore, of Charlotte, managers of the North Carolina Rolling Exposition, a letter explaining the object of this movement, etc.

In one of the largest car works of the United States a car is now being built, and will be fitted up in every respect for the purpose it is to serve. This car will bear the inscription: "North Carolina Rolling Exposition."

The object of this car is to bring before the people of the North and Northwest the many valuable interests and resources that this State can show. From one end of this car to the other it will contain nothing in the way of exhibits but those found and produced in North Carolina, embracing her agricultural, mining, manufacturing, horticultural, mineral and other interests.

Neuralgia is the prayer of the nerves for pure blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the One True Blood Purifier and nerve builder.

N. C. LEGISLATURE.

The Work of the Law Makers For the Week Ending Tuesday.

SENATE.

February 2.—Bills and resolutions introduced as follows:

By Senator Grant, to stimulate local taxation in rural districts.

By Senator Hardison, to protect the people of the state from diseases in second hand clothing; also to prohibit the sale of liquor under police supervision.

By Senator Butler, to increase the duties of the railroad commission in relation to the interstate commerce commission.

By Senator Hardison, to increase the public school fund in the State.

By Senator Person, to increase the public school fund from fees in the secretary of state's office.

By Senator Clark, to authorize mayors in towns and cities to solemnize marriage ceremonies.

February 3.—Bills and resolutions introduced:

By Senator Alexander, to provide for a building for the deaf and dumb at Morganton.

By Senator Early, to appoint cotton weighers for Garysburg and Seaboard, Northampton county.

By Senator Person (colored), to prevent discrimination in passenger accommodations; also to regulate official bonds of Edgecombe county.

By Senator Moye, to make water courses eight feet deep and twenty feet wide lawful fences.

By Senator Parker, of Alamance, to amend the charter of Rocky Mount.

By Senator Maxwell, to provide for divorces in certain cases of females under 18 years of age.

The following bills passed:

Fixing the time for the qualification of justices of the peace, providing the term of office shall begin as soon as they qualify.

To make guardians, administrators and executors indictable for misappropriation of funds.

To pay registers of deeds 10 cents for each copy sheet of 100 words for recording election returns.

February 4.—Bills and resolutions introduced:

By Senator Alexander, to declare bicycles baggage on railroads.

By Senator Whitbee, to amend the Code relating to divorces. This provides that a party who desires a divorce must be a resident of the state for seven years before applying.

By Senator Clark, to incorporate the towns of Tillery and Roanoke Rapids, in Halifax county.

By Senator Scales, to incorporate State Veterinary Association and to regulate the practice of medicine.

By Senator Scales to regulate the sale of fertilizers in the state.

By Senator Ashburn, to investigate the complaint of Mrs Partlie Arrington.

The following bills passed third reading:

To exempt undertakers who are funeral directors from jury duty.

To pay special venires in capital cases $1 per day and no mileage. Duplin and Richmond are exempt from the provision.

The bill to pay $5 per month to ex-slaves who served in the confederate service was tabled.

To facilitate the trial of civil actions, making the return term the trial term also; also providing that when a summons is served the complaint is also to be delivered to the party.

February 5.—The only bill of importance was by Senator Lyon, to repeal the act of 1895 regarding concealed weapons.

February 8.—Bill to allow live stock to run at large in Halifax county from the 25th of December to the 25th of March, passed second and third reading.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

February 2.—Among bills passed and introduced were the following:

The bill to allow Edgecombe county to issue $10,000 in bonds and to levy a special tax to pay for bridges came up on its third reading. An amendment was adopted that the bonds shall not be exempt from taxation. The bill passed.

A bill passed amending the act creating the colored normal school at Fayetteville.

The bill to amend the law as to registration of pharmacists was taken up. It provides that the word "registered" be stricken out and the word "licensed" take its place.

The bill passed amending the charter of the Raleigh & Gaston railway by allowing the straightening of its line.

Mr. McCrary's bill to regulate assignments came up with an unfavorable report.

Bill passed:

To amend the charter of the Roanoke Water Power and Navigation Company.

February 3.—Bills and resolutions introduced:

By Mr. Rawls, to work Northampton county's roads by taxation.

By Mr. Price to amend the law as to election of county superintendents of education so as to restore the same.

By Mr. Hare, to prevent destruction of live trees by lumbermen; to protect owners of timber trees.

By Mr. Dixon, of Cleveland, to repeal the $10 annual license tax on physicians.

Bills passed third readings as follows:

The bill of Mr. Sutton, of Cumberland to prevent lynching, by empowering the governor to convene special courts instanter in extraordinary cases of emergency, was recommitted to the judiciary committee.

The bill to allow the governor to appoint female notaries public, which was favorably reported, failed to pass—44 to 55.

The bill passed to make the fee for impounding stock in stock law districts 10 cents instead of 50 cents, in Tyrrell, Cumberland and Halifax counties.

February 4.—Her time of morning, Mr. Blackburn introduced a bill to forbid minors entering and loafing in bar rooms.

The bill to repeal the stock law in Halifax county was tabled. It was a bill of Assemblyman Joyner, who tried to work it through.

Feb. 5.—The following is about the important bills for the day:

By Mr. Cunningham, to allow certain benevolent orders exemption from license tax and supervision.

By Mr. Morton, a resolution that it is expedient that some method be devised for the protection of the youth of the State against the blighting influence of the deadly cigarette and its trust.

The bill to established uniform standard of time for the State was tabled.

The resolution raising a committee to consider the reduction of salaries to conform to prices of farm products was passed.

February 6.—The following bills introduced:

By Mr. Crumby, to give county commissioners more time for meetings.

By Mr. Murphy, to make lynching a misdemeanor.

By Mr. Howe, to incorporate the state grand lodge of Grand United Order of Odd Fellows.

By same, Mr. Hancock introduced a bill to aid "North Carolina's rolling exposition" by appropriating to it $2,500.

WHO'S SHELLABERGER?

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Internal—in the Blood—One True Blood Purifier.

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CHILL
TONIC

IS JUST AS GOOD FOR ADULTS.
WARRANTED. PRICE 50 cts.

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Blues and Sandy,	5½ to 6½
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Fancy,	2½ to 2¾
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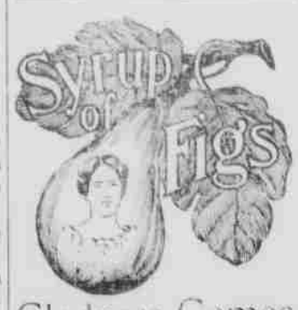

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With a better understanding of the transitory nature of the many physical ills, which cannot before proper effects—gentle effects—pleasant effects—rightly directed. There is comfort in the know-ledge that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

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NOTICE.

North Carolina,
Halifax county.

Nat Dunn,
vs.
Geo. W. Bullock.
} Notice of Summons.

The defendant above named will take notice that a summons in the above entitled action was issued against the said defendant on the 21st day of December by Sterling M. Gary, clerk Superior court for Halifax county, which summons is returnable before the Judge of our Superior court at the court house in Halifax town in said county on the first Monday in March 1897.

The defendant will also take notice that a warrant of attachment was issued by said clerk on the 21st day of December 1896 against the property of said defendant which warrant is returnable before the said Judge at the time and place above named for the return of the summons when and where the defendant is required to appear and answer or demur to the complaint or the relief will be granted.

This the 18th day of January 1897.

STERLING M. GARY,
Clerk Superior court.

Jan 21 6t

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nov 26 5m.

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jan 7 2m.

—J. L.—

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And well to do
And after death
Be happy too.

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nov 5 1y

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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BOYD & YOUNG.

sep 17 6m.

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