

Director's Meeting.

The Directors of the N. C. Midland road met here on Tuesday. The following officers were present: J. S. Barbour—President. J. T. Morehead—V. President. J. W. Alsop—Sec. & Treas. Directors—P. W. Hairston, L. W. Anderson, J. B. Vaughn, J. W. Fries, J. E. Gilmer, C. H. Wiley, A. M. Booc, W. C. Wilson, A. Leazar.

On Tuesday the Board received the delegations from Statesville, Salisbury, Lincolnton and Shelby, N. C., and Spartanburg, Union, Yorkville, Gaffney City, Greenville and Anderson, S. C., who were here asking to have the line extended through their section. At 10 p. m. the Board adjourned until 11 a. m. Wednesday.

WORK TO COMMENCE.

The board of directors of the N. C. Midland are still in session at the time of our going to press, but we learn that it has been determined to put a force of 500 men to work at once on the line between Leaksville and Mocksville, and are assured by officials that by the next issue of our paper that work will be commenced. Selah.

RICHMOND is to have a new \$200,000 hotel.

GEN. LONGSTREET, now minister to Turkey, has been nominated U. S. Marshal for Georgia.

GARFIELD, it is said, made a personal appeal to his Republican friends in the Senate to break the dead-lock.

NORTH CAROLINA bonds sold in New York last week at 89 1/2. A good showing for the old commonwealth. The bonds will be at par before long.

APPOINTED AGAIN.—The President has sent into the Senate the name of Geo. B. Everitt to be collector of Internal Revenue in this, the 5th Collective District.

AN OLD PATRIOT GONE.—Gen. Joe Lane died at his home in Oregon on last Thursday. He was born in Bancroft county in this State, in 1801.

In a speech the other day in the Senate, Senator Brown stated that out of 110,000 offices to be distributed by the Republican Administration the colored people had less than 100 of these offices.

The delegations here in the interest of the extension of the N. C. Midland through South Carolina to Atlanta or Augusta, have promised subscriptions sufficient to grade the road.

MAJ. P. F. DUFFY, late editor of the Greensboro Patriot, has gone to Charlotte to take an editorial position on the staff of the Observer. We congratulate our able and excellent contemporary on securing the ready pen of Mr. Duffy.

ONE of the best evidences that the Democrats have the advantage of the Republicans in the fight that has been going on in the Senate is the fact that the Republican Senators are losing their temper, and almost indulge in cuss words.

REV. E. W. GILLIAM, late Protestant Episcopal clergyman at Clinton, N. C., has authorized the News and Observer to announce that he is at St. James Seminary, Baltimore, for the purpose of connecting himself with the Roman Catholic communion. He intends to return to North Carolina, and reside at Oxford.

As an evidence of the interest taken in the N. C. Midland extension delegations was present here on Tuesday from Lincolnton, Shelby, Statesville and Salisbury, N. C., and from Spartanburg, Yorkville, Union, Greenville and Gaffney City, S. C., Gainesville, Ga., and Danville, Va. The Baltimore, Charleston and Agusta papers all wanted proceedings telegraphed.

THE MIDLAND EXTENSION.

The call for a meeting of the Directors of the N. C. Midland railroad at this place for the 26th excited an unusual amount of interest, not only along the line of the Midland, but beyond into Georgia. Representative gentlemen from Anderson, Greenville, Union, Yorkville, Gaffney, and Spartanburg, S. C., Shelby, Lincolnton, Statesville and Salisbury, N. C., were present to lay before Col. Barbour propositions to extend his line down through their section, while Augusta, Ga., through a misapprehension as to the date of the meeting failed to be represented, but we learn that propositions of substantial aid will be made, provided connections be made with that city. The whole country between Danville and Atlanta seem determined to have a line independent of the Richmond & Danville monopoly, and if ever the old fogies who control the Baltimore & Ohio road, and have the future of Baltimore in their keeping, propose to strike for a Southern outlet and Southern trade, now is their time. The people along the whole line are anxious for a road, and are willing to subscribe to the last dollar of their ability to pay, and if Baltimore wishes to retain and extend its Southern trade its business men must do more than ruffle their feathers and talk big in their meetings about their capabilities and advantages or they will find that "little Richmond" with a live railroad President as their leader, has gathered the fruit while they have been doing an immense lot of wind-work.

The Senate as it now stands is composed of 38 straightout Democrats, and one renegade Democrat and 37 Republicans, which on a vote gives 38 to each party, and notwithstanding this tie, with the aid of a man, who was elected as a Democrat, the Republicans claim that they have a majority, and not only claim a majority on all the committees, but claim that they ought to be allowed to turn out all the Democratic officers of the Senate, and put in persons of their own selection. Rather than obstruct public business the Democratic Senators consented to give them the committees, but when it comes to turning out Democratic officials and to put in their places men who were promised positions as part of the bargain to buy up Mahone, the Democrats declined to become the paymasters to the contract that deprived them of their rightful majority, and the Republicans refuse to allow any public business to be transacted until Mahone is paid for his treachery. It is a Republican administration, and if Republican Senators see proper to block up the business brought before it by a Republican President, the Democrats can certainly stand it if they can, and if the Democrats will stand to the position they have taken they will have the approval of the people to back them.

The graded school bill, on which our citizens will be called on to vote upon next Monday imposes a tax of 25 cents on the \$100 worth of property. Under the present circumstances, with our heavy railroad subscriptions, it is a matter that should require much reflection upon the propriety and prudence of still further adding to our burthen of taxation. Our light taxes has had much to do with drawing capital and population to our town and it might not be a good idea to indulge in this great corporation luxury until we had secured the necessities. Railroads we must have, and to get them, we must pay for them, after that we can go in for the ornamental.

The Philadelphia Telegraph, a Republican paper calls Mahone a "renegade Democrat." As soon as the Republicans profit all they can out of his treason they will kick the traitor aside. The New York Times, the leading Republican paper of the nation styles the trade with Mahone "short-sighted rascality."

War in the Republican Party. The Washington correspondent of the Richmond Dispatch, says: THE WAR IN THE REPUBLICAN PARTY. Mr. Conkling and the Vice-President went to New York to-day, and report was that they were to meet their friends there with a view of talking over the situation and preparing for active hostilities against the Administration. As I have repeatedly said, they mean bitter war against Messrs. Garfield Blaine & Co. Now Mr. Garfield is an amiable man, but my information is that he fully appreciates the importance of winning the fight with his powerful New York adversaries, and his friends told me that he does not mean to make the slightest concession to them. Hence a contest may be any day precipitated in the Senate which will convulse the Republican party from one end of the Union to the other. I asked a partisan of Mr. Garfield to-night if the report in circulation as to the interview between Messrs. Hayes and Garfield in regard to Mr. Conkling is true. He replied in substance it is, and you may state that Mr. Hayes told him that his policy towards the New York Senator and his partisans during four years was a mistake. He was too conciliatory, and ought to have turned out every Conkling man who held office in New York. Will this be the policy of his successor? I asked. He replied that Messrs. Garfield and Blaine know they have no child's play before them, and will use their power and patronage for all they are worth. It looks as if the straight-out Republicans of Virginia are satisfied that rupture will inure to their advantage, and that they intend to take sides with the Administration.

The Cincinnati Commercial, Garfield's Ohio organ is in for a war with Conkling. It says: "If he wants peace on terms becoming reasonable beings with responsibilities, he can have it without trouble, but if he is resolved upon war, the administration owes it to the country and the Republican party and its own self-respect to defend and sustain itself by instant, incessant and relentless aggression, and the full employment of the war club and the scalping knife."

This war in the Republican ranks will be welcomed by all good people.

How Prohibition Works. The Brunswicker, whose editor recently made a visit to Kansas, thus tells how the new prohibition law works in that state: "In Wyandotte the street cars were crowded with men coming over into Kansas City to get their beer. They would fill up and return the next trip, and thus it went on all day long. We were reliably informed that many of the most substantial business men among the Germans in Topeka, Atchison, Wyandotte and other places were going to sell out their grocery stores, butcher shops, bakeries and shoe shops with a view of leaving Kansas to come to Missouri, where they can enjoy the rights of a citizen without so much prohibition. The Kansas legislature, by passing the prohibition act, have done more to retard immigration to that state than all the grasshopper plagues with which she been cursed in the past."

Can a Man Mortgage Himself? Here is a nut for the lawyers to crack. Yesterday's Charlotte Observer says: "According to the terms of a mortgage which was registered at the court house yesterday, a man conveyed himself and all the right, title and interest which he had in himself to another to have and to hold forever to secure a debt which he owed him. The deed was duly witnessed and executed with the wife's signature and privy examination wherein she released her interest in him. Now, the question is, can a man mortgage himself? Can he convert himself into personal property and use it as collateral? If he can it opens up a resource which will be hailed with joy by many who know from experience what it is to be hard pressed. Why cannot the thirsty toper, whose last dime has disappeared, pawn himself for a drink? Why cannot the gambler, who has played his last stake, put himself on the ace or deuce and calmly resign himself to the fortune of the die? It is a question well worthy the attention of the lawyers since it has thus been raised.

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An exchange says: Among all its wealth in minerals, the United States cannot reckon tin. Wales furnishes most of what is used in our country. At recent meeting of the Natural Sciences of Philadelphia, Mr. Carril Lewis, a young scientist, but already of considerable celebrity, exhibited a small piece of tin ore, said to be found in in Surry county, North Carolina. The fact that it was a genuine native product, was however, received by the body, with some hesitation.

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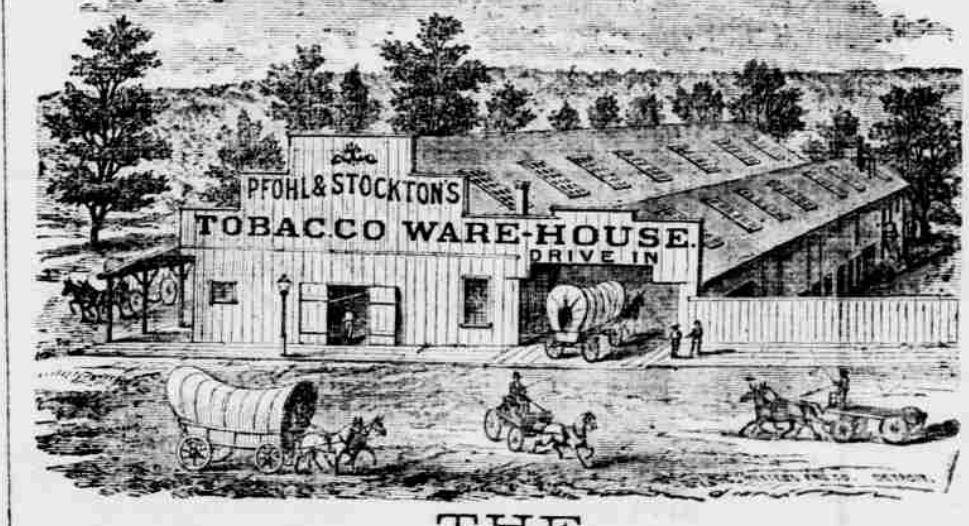
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