Raleigh Observer Condensed. SENATE.

WEDESDAY, March 5, 1879.

Senate bill to incorporate the Rockingham and Salisbury Railroad Company passed its second and third readand sent to the House.

selling tar, passed and was ordered to ordered to be enrolled. be enrolled. [The bill provides that tar shall be sold only by weight and that 280 pounds shall constitute a bar

benate bill to consolidate the towns of Winston and Salem into the "City of Salem," passed its second reading and was placed upon the calendar. [The bill proposes to submit the questian of the change to the qualified voters of both towns

House bill to repeat the act changing the dividing line of Brunswick and Columbus passed and was sent to the House for concurrence in an amend

House bill to provide for the purchasing of lands sold nader execution by theseveral boards of county commissioners of the State, passed and ordered to be enrolled.

Senate bill to change the name of the town of Tilden, Robeson county, to the old name of Shee Heel, was put upon its third reading

Mr Bryan, of Pender, moved to iestore the original spelling Quahele, corrupted into Shoe Heel. Mr B stated he had the best authority for his amendment.

Mr McEachern accepted the amendment, and the bill then passed its third reading and was ordered to be grossed.

minate bill to secure to, widows and exemphildren the personal property | Wednesday. passed allowed by the Constitution Benate ardered to be engrossed. sioners of Lanthor ze the Commis-

debt on tution of 1868. entution of 1868. were owidson explained the provis-M-the bill, and said that it simply

red the law to what it was before adoption of the Constitution of Hamilton, were brought to this place and 368, restoring the relations between given sepulture in the Jewish Cemetery. debtor and creditor as they then existed. Mr D offered a substitute perfeeting the bill, which was agreed to, and the bill then passed and was sent to the House without engrossment. Secate bill to incorporate the Cape

Fear Bank of Wilmington, passed and went to the House. Senate bill to provide for the summary investigation of county and mu-

nicipal expenditures, was the The bill passed its second reading and was made special order for 101 o'clock to-morrow. The special bill, the House Machin-

ery Bill, was now proceeded with. Passed second reading and made special order for to-morrow. Senate resolution instructing and re-

questing our representation in Congress to work for the repeal of the 10 per cent. tax on State banks was adopted and sent to the House for con-The bill to provide for a railroad

commissioner and prescribe his duties,

The bill is identical with that report-Section 1, Mr Bull offered as a sub-

stitute for this section the first section of the revenue bill which requires a \$200 license tax to be procured from the public treasurer, under a heavy penalty for violation of the law. The object of the amendment, Mr Bull explained to be to include all the liquor bisiness in this bill.

The following sections were agreed

Sec 4, Mr Harris moved to amend by reducing the tax on retail dealers in the country or towns of less than 2,-000 inhabitants from \$50 to \$20. Re-

the proprietor of the bell punch to fringment of patent, &c.

Section 21 was amended by exempting manufacturers of wine and malt liquors, and distilleries of alcoholic liquors from any quantities less than one quart insteal of five gallons.

President Robinson, (Mr Dortch in the chair,) drew attention to this amndment and showed that a manufacturer any where could distil any quantity of the article named and take it to any market and sell it in quanti- War Between China and Russia Impaying any tax whatever.

Mr Mebane concurred in this construction of section 21, and moved to amend by requiring a tax of cents per quart on wines and malt liquors and two cents on alcoholic liquors. Adopted.

The question now recurred on the second reading of the bill.

Mr Bull said the best argument in favor of the bill was the bill itself. It was not a temperance measure, but one of revenue. \$160,000 in addition to the ordinary revenue had to be raised, and it must evidently come out of the luxuries, not the necessaries of life. He approved the principle of the bell punch. It suited the dealer and was one that need not trouble the consumer if he thought proper to abtain from the use of intexicating drinks. He estimated a revenue from this source of \$167,000, provided there should be 1,770 punches in use in the State doing a moderate business.

derstood that this was not to be considered a test vote.

Senate bill to amend the law in reference to fences, making 41 feet a lawful height, passed its reveral readings and was sent to the House.

Senate bill to enable the city of Wilmington to pass its present bonded indebtness, passed its third reading Lord Chelmsford Doclared a Fallure. and went to the House.

Senate bill to authorize the commissioners of Rutherferd county to ings, and was ordered to be engrossed fund bon's issued in aidlof the Wi'mington, Charlotte & Rutherford Rail-House bill to prescribe the mode of road pass d its third reading and was

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Bill to authorize Oaslow county to issue bonds. Itead by its title only and passed. This bill came up on its final read-

ng, as a special order, and was considered by sections, and passed. The bill to abolish the Insane Asylum of North Ustolina, and to incor-

porate the North Carolina Insane Asyinm then came up as the second spe- Chelmsford was both surprised and Orude Turpentin-..... cial order and was read and passed deceived. The bill to establish a Board of In-

This bill provides for a Board composed of one from each Judicial District, to be oppointed by the Govern-

or, and the Attorney-General, Secretary of State and Commissioner of Agriculture. Mr Clarke saw no necessity for the bill. He said that the present law was good enough, and moved to lay the

bill on the table. Prevailed. The House then resumed the consideration of the bill for the support of the Penitentiary, &c. Committed to the committee on Penal Institutions

CAROLINA.

Raleigh received 111 bales of cotton on

Sweet potatoes are selling in Newbern at 35 cents a bushel.

special tax, Elendar. to levy a ment to that to restore to which the late Dr T

boro that 1 Yut Shell: We learn from that place in one haarrived from Swans-Goldsboro Mail: The remains

The widow of Bayard Taylor, late U. S Minister to Prussia, arrived in New York on the 6th inst. His remains are expected to arrive in that city sometime Saturday, during the coming week.

Kinston Journal: Hon Geo V Strong will attend our next Superior Court, commencing April 21st, and take up the practice abandoned by him after his elec-Kinston Journal: On Wednesday of last week Mr Jacob Hardison, aged sixtythree, while assisting Mr Harper at his saw mill, fifteen miles from Kinston, met with a terrible accident, by which he lost one arm and had the other badly mangled.

Chatham Record: In working off our last issue, our Foreman, Mr W M Decker (who was acting as Pressman,) made the remarkable run of forty-two papers in five minutes. This was done on a No 4 Washington hand press. Who can beat

Chatham Record: The colored portion of this community have been very much was made the special order for 12 m disturbed recently by a rumor started among them, that they were all soon to be Senate bill to regulate the sale of removed to Africa, and indeed the 10th liquors in this State, the special order of April issaid to be the very day they are

ed by the committee of finance, except Lean leaves Newbern this morning for as herein noted, and which failed to Raleigh for the purpose of asking the Leg-of a descriptive book of North Carolina Charleston, S. C....53

Goldsboro Messenger: Wild turkeys day last Mr Benjamin Parks killed five fine gobblers at one shot, out of a gang of eight. The five weighed 83 pounds. The Wednesday previous Mr Parks killed three in the same neighborhood.

Raleigh Observer: A letter received from Franklin, Macon county, brings the THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE entered Section 8 was amended by requiring home of Cope Elia, Esq. He had just into a Copartnersh p for the purpose of built a beautiful residence in a grove on conducting A GENERAL RETAIL GROenter into boud in the sum of \$5,000 the edge of the village, had furnished it CERY BUSINESS, under the firm name completely, and was just moving his fam- and style of ly into it when it was swept away.

Goldsboro Messenger: A telegraphic dispatch from Senator M W Ransom, received by the editor of the Messenger ruesday, soon after the adjournment of Congress, brings us the gratifying intelligence that the appropriation for the Neuse has been increased to \$45,000, and there is also an appropriation of \$7,000 for the Trent. .

minent.

Hong Kong, Feb. 6-The Anti-Rus- fresh sian spirit is increasing in Government circles. If difficulties are placed STOCK OF STAPLE AND FANCY in the way of Chung the present Minister at St. Petersburg, it is expected that immediate war will be declared at Pekin. Confident reports come from the interior army under Tso, whose forces are said to outnumber the Russian tenfold. The party of moderate counsels is wholly in subjec-

tion to the majority. The result of the negotiations at Washington is eagerly awa ted by the Chinese officials, especially in the southern provinces, whence emigration is most numerous. The report is prevalent that the Chinese Government will establish post offices at treaty ports before the close of the present year.

A New Commander for South Africa. | ilies unsurpassed. Special advantages offer-LONDON, March 6-The Post hears The bill then passed its recond read- that it is probable that a commander ing by a vote of 25 to 16, it being un- of higher rank than Lord Chelmsford

will be sent to the Cape, in which case Lord Chelmsford would retain a subordinate command.

The name of Major Gen. Sir Deniel Lysons, Quartermaster-General of the army, is mentioned in connection with the new appointment.

and his Recall Domanded.

LONDON, March 6-The Daily News says: "It is our painful duty to declare that Lord Chelmsford, commander of the forces at the Cape of Good Hope, has failed, and ought instantly to be recalled. The latest news confirms our impression that the disaster at Isandular on the 23d of January was due to miserable blundering and helpless incapacity."

The Standard and Pall Mall Gazette declare that Lord Chelmsford is in competent for the post he now holds. The Times, after summarizing the full details of the Isandular disaster, which are now at hand says Lord

The l'ost says nobody will be surprised to hear that it has become a ternal Improvements was then taken matter of anxious consideration whether the strategy of the war should not now be entrusted to the highest available talent.

> ST. PETERSBURG, March C-A telegram from Tashkend states that after the death of Shere Ali, at Mezar, a bloody conflict broke out among the followers of the various pretenders to the Afghan throne and the partisans of Yakoob Khan were victorious. It was reported that Yakoob Khan and two other pretenders had taken refuge at Herat.

Elected Bishop of Toronto. TORONTO, March 5 .-- Archdescop Sweatman, of Huron, has just been elected Bishop of Toronto by the Anglician Synod. He was recommended by the Evangelical party.

DIOCESE OF NORTH CAROLINA

	
Bishop A	tkinson's Appointments.
Wednesday,	March 19, p m } Clinto
Thursday,	March 20, a m } Clinto
Friday,	March 21 Faison
Sunday,	March 23, 4th Sunday
	in LentGoldsbor
Monday,	March 24, p m Wilso
Tuesday,	March 25, pm, Rocky Mour
Wednesday,	March 26, p m Enfiel
Juiday,	March 28 Ringwood
	March 30, 5th Sunday in
Tuesday,	April 1
wednesday.	
bursday.	April 2 Williamsto
riday.	Ameil Jamesvill

4..... Plymouth April 5. St Luke's, Washington county Sunday 5, Palm Sunday Tuesday, St David's April 8..... Hertferd Perquimans county

Wednesday, April 9. . Woodville, chapel, Pasquotank Good Friday, April 11 Elizabeth City Easter Day, April 13......Edenton Tuesday, April 15. St Peter's Chapel, Gates county

Thursday, April 17......Winton April 18..... Murfreesboro April 20,1st Sunday af Easter, Woodville, Bertie co ···· Windsor April 24 Jackson April 25, p m } Saturday, April 26 a m 5 Halifax April 27, 2d Sunday after

Easter Weldon Collections made at each place for Diecesan Missions.

The Thermometer.

From the United States Signal Office at his place we obtain the following report of the thermometer, as taken this morn-

Corsicans, Tex.....64 Fort Gibson, C. N.62 Lynchburg..... 60

Montgomery Ala...49 New Orleans Savannah, Ga......62 Shreveport..... St. Louis Mo64 St. Marks, Fla.....46 Vicksburg, Miss 55 Washington Memphis, Tenn....56

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\$1 15 for Good Strained. No miles reported,
TAR-Strady at \$1 25, Sales receipts at ORUDE TURPENTINE -- Steady at \$1 15

for Hard and \$1 75 for Soft and Virgin. Sales at quotations. COTTON Quies, No amles reported. The following are the efficial quotations:

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MARINE NEWS.

ARRIVED. Steam-yacht Passport, Harper, Smithville Geo Myers. Steamer Wave, Smith, Fayetteville, Williams & Murchison. Steamer Gov Worth, Worth, Payetteville, Worth & Worth.

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BRICKS-Wilmington, WM Northern BUTTER-North Carolina D Northern, & b...... Tallow, P D.....

Adamantine, y set OHEESE-Northern Factory, & b ... Dairy cream, & D...... State, # D Rio, W B..... CORN MEAL—P bushel.... 66 COTTON TIES—P bdl ... 1 35 DOMESTIC-

Sheeting, 4-4 V yard...... Yarn, V bunch..... Mackerel, No. 1, \$\display \text{bbl....16 00} PLOUR—Fine, P bbl...... 0 00

" Ex. Family 9 bbl ... 8 00 FERTILIZERS_ Peruvian Guano, \$2 2000 fbs. 60 00 Baugh's Phosphate " " 00 00 " " 00 00

Carolina Fertilizer " " 45 00 Ground Bone, Bone Meal " " 00 00 @45 00 " Flour. " " 00 00 O47 00 Navassa Guano, " " 35 00 Complete Manure " " 00 00 Whann's Phosphate " " 00 00 Wando Phosphate, " " 00 00 Berger&Brutz'sRos. " " 00 00 000 00 Wilcox, Gibb & Co., ma-nipulated Guano..........48

Peas, cow, & bushel......

LARD-Northern & b...... North Carolina & b..... LUMBER—City steam sa'wd

Ship stuff, resawed, WM ft. 18 00 220 00
Rough edge plank, WM ft. 16 00 218 00
West India cargo, according to quality, WM ft... 12 00 214 00
Dressed flooring, seasoned. 15 00 225 00

Lard, W gal 110

Linseed, W gal 100

Rosin, W gal 12

PEANUTS—W bushel 65

POTATOES—Sweet, W bus. 00

Irish, Northern, W bbl. 3 00

PORK—Northern city man 10 00 PORK-Northern, city mess. 10 00

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SUGAR—Cuba, who

Porto Rico, who

A—Coffee, who

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