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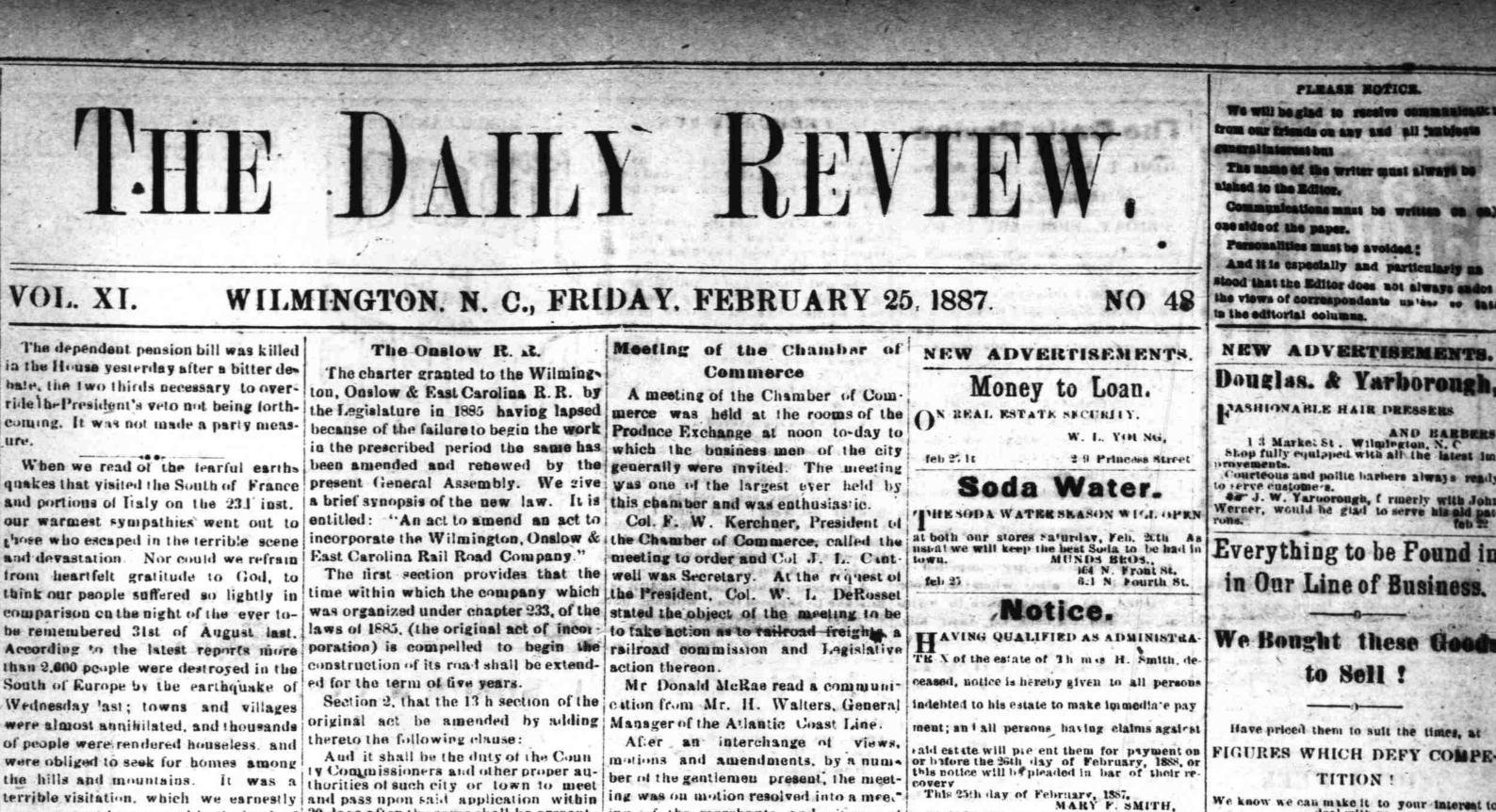
The South of Ear pe has had more dreadful ear, bquakes. A score or more of lives have been lost. ....

Senator Stanford's cothusiasm over his plan for erreting a great university in California is said to have reached such a pitch that he contemplates resigning his seat in the Senate in order to devote his whole time to the project. ---

The heirs of Mrs. A. T. Ste art are seeking to have ber will declared word on the ground that she was unduly in fuenced by Ex-Judge Hilton, serious charges of fraud are brought against Excludge Hilton. He is elsimed to have converted over \$20 000 000 of personal property to his own use, without rendering any inventory to the Court

The Illinois Legislature is loaded with uille establishing an arbitration com mission, the most radical being by C G. Dixon a Labor member, representing the Conservative workingmen of Chicago rather than the Socialists. The bill makes a commission of five. one teliting each year, and gives it the power, which the railroad commission has, of taking jurisdiction and enforcing its decrees.

There was a missionary conference in Eulaula, I. T., recently, and an appear was made to the Indian congregation for money to send the Grapel to those who have it not There were 300 persons in the congregation, and the collection amounted to \$380, many of



30 days after the syme shall be presented to them, and if the terms of this sec-Wilmington tion shall have been complied with in making the same to issue at once the tary were reques ed to continue as such. requisite and proper notice cailing the Great excitement has been caused in election in this section pre-cribed. he vicinity of Paris. Tex , by the re- which said election shall be held within markable recovery of Mr. J. E Corley, 40 days after the day of the meeting

who was so helpless he could not turn aforesaid. in bed, or raise his head; every body Provided, however, that this amend- ments: said he was dying of Consumption. A ment shall not apply to, or in any way trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discov- govern, the election already called by ery was sent him Finding relief, he the Board of County Commissioners of bought a large bottle and a box of Dr. New Hanover county, under the pro-King's New Life Pills; by the time he visions of the original act.

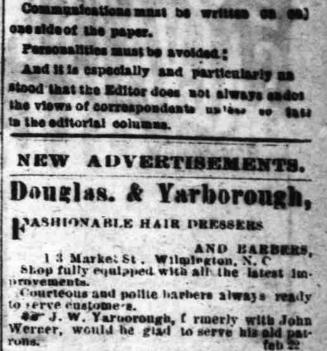
had taken two boxes of Fills and two Section 3 amends the original act to road companies as to charges for carry-

ing was on motion resolved into a mee." ing of the merchants and cit zens of fe's 25-law6w How is This? On motion the President and Secre-I MAKE LESS MONEY ON THE KA BEN

Mr W. Calder offered the following remedy than any medicine I sell, but subs itute for and instead of, the prend-ALWAY + recommend it. Why? Because from the large quantity I have sold and the ing motions, substitutes and amendceneral satisfaction it gives I conclude it is the best medicine of its kind. Resolved. That it is the sense of this

meeting that the Legislature now in session should repeal all laws new on the statute books, prescribing and limiting the rights and duties of rail-

bottles of the Di covery, he was well the effect that if the people shall vote ing freight; e-pecially the amendment SECOND CARGO,



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the Indians giving all the money that and had they had with them, and some of the girls throwing bracelets, rings and other lewelry into the c. llection baskets.

Furniture dealers complain of the craze for staining woods to make them like others, and especially look like something antique. This leads to extensive "doctoring" of ash, chestnut ant plain oak to make them sell as marter-sawed oak. Birch is easily palmed off for cherry, and so all through the lis'. Iligh cost woods are imitated almost beyond detection. Common hemlock can be made to take the place of the choicest hard wood.

The Legislature of Nevada has passed, with only three opposing voles, a resolution proposing a constitutional amendment whose adoption will dis franchise all members of the Mormon Church in that State. This amendment provides that no one shall be allowed to vote who will not swear that he is not a member of that Church. Such a test-oath law is in force in Idaho A elmilar law was enacted in Arizona two years ago, and in 'response to the recommendation of the Governor was repealed last nonth.

The Rev. Phillips Brooks says: "Character is the only thing that prospers in this world. It is not the only thing in this world that wins money, but money is not near so precious as character. Do you think of money when you think of the golden streets beyond? No; you think only of that which belongs to the soul, that God is absolute purity of character, that 'there from all parts of the United States. is no stain on his righteousness, no cloud ever comes over the perfect righteousness of that character that beongs to Him, simply because He is the sunlight of the world."

A large cave, made up of many new. rooms of great extent, has been found in Marshall couaty, Texas. In one of the chambers there were found two human skeltons, about six hundred dollars in gold and silver coin and a quantity of silverware. The cave is believed to have been the hiding place. during the late war, of a band of guer illas known as "Bloody Bill Brady's gang.". These marauders were attacked near Benton, Marshall county, in 1864, and all buttwo were killed. These two escaped and going, as it is thought,

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pounds Trial Bottle of this Great Discovery county, then a meeting of the subscri for Consumption free at W H. Green & bers, both private and municipal, shall Co's.

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Excitement in Texas

those stricken people

An End to Bone Scrapng. Edward Shepherd, of Harrisburg, II., says: "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters. I teeli t

my duty to let suffering humanity know it. Have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped or leg amputated. I used. instead, three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes Bucklen's Arnica Salve and my the county stock in all questions releg is now sound and well

Electric Bitters are sold at fifty cents bottle, and Becklen's Arniea Salve at 25c. per box by all W. H. Green & Co.

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A clear sky and a bright sun hav again made their appearance, where of we are glad

Yon will save money and get the best work by sending your clothes for repairs to John Dyer and Son.

There must be a plenty of money somewhere in the country that will permit people to enjoy the luxury of travel Our principal hotels are being quite liberally patronized by people

The steamer Passport came up to the city this morning and went on the Marine Railway, having broken one b'ade of her propeller. The damage will be repaired to-day and she will probably come off to-night, as good as

An employee of Messrs. flook & Hastings, of Boston, the celebrated church organ builders, is daily expected in this city to superintend taking down the organ of the First Presbyterian Church and putting it up on the first floor near the pulpit.

Indication.

Fer North Carolina, local rains. Easterly winds, and higher temperature.

Personal

gained in flesh thirty-six the amount proposed on behalf of the be called by any three of the former, of

> by the chairman of the Board of Com missioners and held within 60 days after the election, for the purpose of organizing by electing a board of directors The county to be represented at this and at all subsequent meetings by some resident tax payer who shall not be a member of the Board and who shall yote

quiring a stock rote, except in the election of directors.

The Board of Directors is to consist of not less than nine nor more than thirteen members, the county to be entitled to a number proportionate to her stock, comparing her subscription to the entire capital of the Company. actually subscribed by solvent subscribers. These County Directors must all be resident tax-payers and must be named by the County Commissioners. They are to serve without pay or emolument. No member of the Board of Commissioners to be eligible as a Director. The remaining members of the Board of Directors to be elected by the Stockholders other than the

County. Section 4 declares that the subscrip tions to the stock of the Company shali be paid at such time and in such manner as the Board of Directors may de-

termine. Section 5 prohibits the city from subscribing to the stock should the election be carried in the county.

Section 6 repeals 11, 12 and 16 of the old act, providing for the empolyment of convict labor.

Section 7 makes null and yoid a subscription on the part of the city should the railroad corporation fail or refuse to accept this amended charter. Section 8 is as follows:

That section 14 of said act be amend d by striking out in the 9th line of sa d upon" and the words "as may be agreed" in the 20th line, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "or the equi valent of the said cash in the bonds of the county or mucicipality making the said subscription at the election of the proper authorities thereof," and by striking out the whole of the proviso in said section, from the words "provided, however," to the end of said section; and the said section be further amend ed by adding at the end thereof, as amended above, the following clause: "Provided that the said corporation

to 1 966 of the Code, which seems exceedingly obscure, and calculated to injure the commercial interests of the State; and to substitute therefore the enactment of a law establishing a Railable basis for all the interests involved. On motion, a vote was taken and the

above resolution was adopted unanimously.

On motion, the Chair appointed the following as a committee to visit Rals eigh in furtherance of the objects of the foregoing resolution:

Messrs, Wm. Calder, W. L. DeRosset, G. II. Smith, B. F. Hall, Clayton Giles, T. M. Emerson

Ca motion, Col. F. W. Kercher was added to the committee.

On motion, the committee were empowered to fill any vacancy which might occur.

Adjourned.

Mysterjous Disappearance.

Robert Moore, colored, who lives on Dawson street, between Front and Second, reported at police headquarters this morning, that when he went home last night he found his wife, Maria, in bed He also retired and passed nearly an hour in conversation with her, and then went to sleep. After awhile

be awoke and saw his wife in her night clothing passing out of the back door. He took no notice of the matter, sup posing that she would soon return, but as she did not make her appearance he became alarmed and went in search of

her. Not finding her in the yard, he went to her mother's, who lives near by, but the latter had seen nothing of her. Moore continued the search

for his missing wife until this merning. without success, when he notified the police as above stated. He states that their conversation last night was entirely pleasant, and that they have always well you are ill dresse ! lived happily together; and he further stated that he had never scen any indis

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cations of mental trouble. He is at a loss to conceive what could have been section the words "as may be agreed the cause of his wife's departure and is

equally at a loss to know where she GEO. R. FRENCH & SONS. could have gone to and effectually hidden all traces of her steps.

600 Tons COAL Just received a new lot of rims, spokes and hubs. Those in need of TUST ARRIVED, EX. SCHR. JOSEPH above will find that they will save money by buying from JACOBI'S Hdw. SOUTHER, SO TONS BEST GRATE AND Depot STOVE COAL, and for sale One Dollar per

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