

Referred to the Committee on th Judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Cowles, the rules were suspended and the resolution proposing a joint committee of three to obtain the opinion of the Attorney General upon what effect the announcement of the vote upon the Constitutional Amendments will have upon the session of the General Assembly, which was transmitted from the House, was taken up and adopted.

The consideration of the bill for the consolidation of Western North Carolina Railroad with the North Referred. Carolina Railroad came up as the unfinished business of the day at 121 o'clock.

An amendment immaterial to the bill offered by Mr. Morehead, of Guilford, as a substitute to the amendment offered by Mr. Morehead, of Rockingham, yesterday, was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Waring, the amendment offered by him and adopted yesterday, was re-considered, and a substitute, providing that Hon. Wm. A. Graham, Hon. Z. B. Vance and Hon. fod R. Caldwell be appointed Commissioners on the part of the State, to see to the State's interest in the handling of its bonds by the Directors.

Mr. Humphrey thought the amendment an unusual and extraordinary act, and a direct attack upon the Di rectors, and offered the following amendment as a substitute for Mr. Waring's amendment: That any di rector or officer of the said North Carolina Railroad Company, or other person entrusted with any of the bonds, certificates of indebtedness, or other funds of the Company, who shall be guilty of any wrongful appropriation, misapplication, malfeasauce, or other corrupt use of the same, with intent to benefit himself and to defraud the Company, shall be guilty of a felony, and upon conviction thereof before any Superior Court of the State, shall be punished by a fine not exceeding ten thousand dollars, and by imprisonment in the Penitentiary not less than two and not more than three years, or both, at the discretion of the court."

The amendment, after considera ble discussion, participated in by Messrs. Humphrey, Waring, Welch Love, Norwood, Morehead of Rockingham, Avera and Seymour, was adopted.

Mr. Norwood offered an amend ment, providing that the new charter would not allow the Railroad Compuny banking powers and privileges, which was adopted.

The amendment of Mr. Flemmiug, providing that no change of gauge shall be made in the North Carolina Railroad until the completion of the Western North Carolina Railroad to Paint Rock on the Tennessee line,

the town of Toisnot, Wilson county. Referred.

By Mr. Lindsay, a bill to authorize he Commissioners of Nash county to levy a special tax. Referred.

By Bunn, col., a bill to make it a misdemeanor for County Commissioners or Sheriffs to discriminate in drawing and summoning jurors on account of color, &c. Referred. By Mr. Godfrey, a bill to increase

the salary of the Judge of the first Judicial District of North Carolina.

A message was received from the Senate transmitting a resolution adjourning sine die on the 22nd inst., and asking concurrence in the same. By Mr. Bryant, of Pitt, to amend by striking out "22nd" and to insert

'15th," which was adopted. The resolution was then adopted by a vote of yeas 86, nays 12, and orlered to be returned to the Senate for concurrence in the amendment. On motion of Mr. Bennett, the Senate bill to cede to the United

States a part of a lot in the city of Raleigh, for the purpose of erecting a government building thereon, was taken up, amended and passed its several readings.

The bill in relation to usury, no more than six per centum to be taken. came up as the special order. The bill was read, when, Mr. Waugh offered a bill re-enacting chapter 114, Revised Code, entitled "usury," as a substitute, accompanied by a proviso that any person may for the loan of money, but on no other account, take interest at a rate so great as 8 per

Mr. Brown, of Davidson, the introducer, took the floor and advocated the prssage of the original bill in remarks of length.

Mr. Moring moved to indefinitely postpone the whole matter. Adop-

The bill to incorporate the North Carolina Immigration Society, was taken up and passed its several read-

Resolution inviting Hon. W. A. Graham to deliver an address before the General Assembly, during the present session, on the subject of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence.

The Public Debt of North Carolina. The following bill, concerning the adjustment of the public debt of North Carolina, was introduced by Senator Flemming on Tuesday:

SECTION 1. The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact, That Wm. A. Graham, Mathias F. Mauley, Burgess S. Gaither, Thos. W. Patton, Robert Strange, Walter Clark and John A. Gilmer, are hereby consti- Wilmington. Ample arrangements, the tated and appointed a committee to President Col McKay informs us have

Fayetteville, river, Mondays and Fridays ..... 1 P. M Fayetteville by C. C. R. W., daily 5 A. M Onslow C. H., (horse mail) every

Friday ..... 6 A. M NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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MUNDS.-Hot Soda. CRONLY & MORRIS.-Oranges at Auction. T. C. SERVOSS .- City Tax Sale:

HEINSBERGER.-Turner's Almanac. Mayor's Court.

The following cases were disposed of vesterday morning: Henry Shelvin, charged with disorderly

conduct. Case continued until Friday. W. M. Presher, charged with violating section 10 of the General Ordinance of the

city in attempting to rescue a prisoner, was The Berger Family. found guilty and sentenced to thirty days a

work on the streets. Henderson Brown, charged with cursing and other disorderly conduct on the streets at night, was found guilty and sentenced to pay a fine of \$50 or serve for thirty days at hard labor.

Jas. Russ, charged with assaulting and resisting Police Officers Brown, Statcher, Cutlar and Wise, was found guilty and required to pay a fine of \$10 or work thirty days on the streets.

Robert Scott, charged with disorderly conduct and swearing at the Seamen's Home, was found guilty and required to pay a fine of \$5. Henry Shelvin, charged with failing to

appear after giving bond to do so, was mulcted in the amount of the same. W. M. Presher, charged with resisting

Officer Miller in the discharge of his duty, at the meeting at the Market House on Wednesday night, was found guilty and

judgment rendered for \$25 or thirty days at

hard labor. Thos. Green, charged with failing to appear and forfeiting his bond, was mulcted in the amount of the same.

Our Fair. Alluding to the approaching Fair of the Cape Fear Agricultural Association in this city, the Fayetteville Presbyterian says : "The Fair at Wilmington, commencing

next Tuesday, the 9th inst., promises to be a success. The managers are working faithfully for it. We bespeak for old Cumberland Agricultural Association a large place. Let many of the admirable entries on exhibition here, which made "Our Fair" such a splendid success, arouse themselves in be-

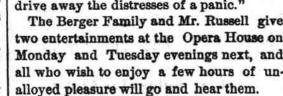
half of our Cape Fear sister, and take their places in the ranks. Pro bono publico is a good motto. Let it be the lever that will exert a healthy influence in the direction of

the corner of Eighth and Wooster streets was visited by one of the colored sharpers who have swindled so many of our grocery

keepers lately. He called for a number of articles, which were wrapped up for him, the whole amounting to some \$3 or \$4, and finally said he wanted to purchase some whiskey. The liquors were kept in the back part of the store and when Mr. B. went to fill the fellow's bottle the latter followed him, but immediately returned to the front part of the store, seized the articles that had been done up for him and rushed out of the door. Mr. Borneman started in rapid pursuit and chased the thief for some distance up Wooster street, but he was swift on the foot and soon disappeared from sight. This seems to be a favorite dodge among tha light-fingered gentry of the colored persuasion, and so far they have been very successful in carrying it out. It is to be hoped, however, that some of them may meet with a warm reception if they continue to repeat the experiment.

This excellent troupe gave two performances at the Theatre in Newbern on Tuesday and .Wednesday nights to large audiences. The Times, in its notice, speaks in the highest terms of the impersonations

of Mr. Sol. Smith Russell, especially his imitation of John B. Gough, the great temperance orator. Miss Anna Berger's performance on the gold cornet and violin are also alluded to in the most complimentary terms. "In fact," says our cotemporary, "all the members of the troupe display realtogether furnish one of the most pleasing entertainments that one can wish, and



markable ability in their several parts, and just at this time is an excellent antidote to drive away the distresses of a panic." The Berger Family and Mr. Russell give two entertainments at the Opera House on Monday and Tuesday evenings next, and all who wish to enjoy a few hours of un-Magistrates' Court. W. T. Cutlar was arraigned before Justice S. VanAmringe, yesterday afternoon, on a charge of committing an assault and battery upon W. H. Moore. The defendant was found guilty and required to pay a fine of \$15 and the costs, but appealed to the Superior Court, a bond of \$200 being required for his appearance.

Masquerade Ball.

We learn that a grand masquerade bail will come off at the City Hall on the 30th inst. Arrangements are now on foot, and ample time has been given in the selection of the evening for the entertainment in order that it may come fully up to the standard of excellence which has been designed for it by its projectors.

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