

State. The Judge made two points: first, whether the Western Division of the

Mr. Jenkins, bill to incorporate the Cleaveland Savings Bank. Rules suspended and bill passed its third

Iolly..... Harnett. Kocky Pøint. Holden. 1 10 4 16 72 1 65 6 24 1 08 C6 10 44 Union..... Federal Point. 267 74 18 694 19 aington..... Total \$284 35 \$419 08 The above list is exclusive of abatements and property sold to the State, also of poll tax. Nearly all the poll tax which can be collected will be by the time Mr. Black is required to settle with the county. Total State tax charged against the Sheriff for the year 1874,

THE OPENING SESSION WILL BEGIN Feb-ruary 1st, 1875, and continue twenty weeks. Rev. Needham B. Cobb, (Graduate of the Uni-versity of North Carolina) Principal; aided by com-petent and experienced assistants in every depart-ment. a careful search failed to show his whereament. Tuition \$8, \$10 and \$12 per quarter, payable in advance, but free to all candidates for the Gospel Ministry. Board and lodging, \$10 per month. Washing, fuel and lights at moderate rates. Arrangements have been made with the Carolina NEW ORLEANS SYRUI bouts, and all remembrance of the theft had apparently been forgotten. It seems For the Value of the that John had concluded that the storm GOODS IN CASH. CHAS. D. MYERS & CO., 5 and 7 North Front street. had blown over and once again he made Central Railway Company to pass pupils over their Road for half fare. Ample accommodation for 200 students. Ample accommodation for 200 students. The College Buildings are being thoroughly re-paired and newly furnished. For further information address J. J. McLENDON, feb 3-D2w Ansonville, N. C. feb 2-tf his appearance in the city, for on Monday as officer C. H. Strode was on his way along New Crop Cuba the wharf, he espied John and at once arrested him. MOLASSES. He had disposed of the watch to a third person, who in turn had pawned it to a \$100 Reward ! SECOND CARGO. store-keeper on the wharf, where after dili-280 HHDS, STIERCES, gent inquiry it was found. McRae was WILL PAY ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS FOR committed to jail to await a hearing to-day. the apprehension and delivery to me of the follow-ing named prisoners who broke Jail, February 2nd, 1875, or TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS for the appre-Some time after his committal he figured Now landing ex-Brig John Pierce from Havana hension and delivery of each one. in the jail delivery, an account of which we For sale by give in this issue. WORTH & WORTH. feb 2-6t GEORGE CRAWFORD, (white) 5 ft, 6 inches high, light complexion, with light beard, 30 years of age. A Rare Opportunity. The Weather for the Month. From the monthly report of the United JOE BURKE. (mulatto) 5 feet, 6 inches high, grey eyes, with light mustache and whiskers. BEFORE YOU BUY YOUR States Observatory at this point we take the following items: Highest barometer, A RCHIE STEWART, (black) 5 feet, 8 inches high, about 16 years of age. 30.598 inches, and lowest barometer, 29.627 CLOTHING JUDGE BOLDEN, (black) about 5 feet, 5 inches high, broad shoulders, wears a military jacket. inches; total rainfall, 5 52 inches; highest temperature in degrees, 70-lowest, 21: monthly range of temperature, 49; greatest S. H. MANNING, SEE OUR PRICES. daily range of temperature,' 29; mean of maximum temperatures, 49.4; of feb 3-1w Sheriff. DAVID & WEIL jan 40-tf minimum temperatures, 35.5; mean Fresh Groceries. Miss E. A. Dupuy's New Book. daily range of temperature, 13.9; prevailing direction of wind, north, and the -THEtotal number of miles travelled, 6,102; max-C'ERRIS' HAMS and BREAKFAST STRIPS, CLANDESTINE MARRIAGE, imum velocity of wind, 36 miles per hour. COLEMAN'S MUSTARD. BY MISS ELIZA A. DUPUY. There were four cloudy days in the month; CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S PICKELS. on 18 days rain fell. Author of "Why Did He Marry Her," "The Dis-carded Wife," etc., etc. Anchovy Paste Egg Macaroni, Patrons of Husbandry. Vermecelli and Julienne Soupe Complete in one large Duodecimo Volume, A council of the above order on last Sat-GOODSDELIVERED FREE. Price \$1.75 in Cloth; or \$1.50 in Paper. urday met at North East Academy, in Un For sale at FLANNER & SHURE. ion township. A splendid dinner had been HEINSBERGER. Live Book and Music Store. prepared, and the Grangers regaled themian 30-tf feb 3 tf 31 North Front Street. selves from tables bountifully supplied with Strayed or Stolen We Invite Attention good things. The occasion was a most ON SUNDAY MORNING LAST A YELLOW and White Setter Puppy about three months old. He answers to name of Monk. Any one returning him will be paid Five Dollars and no questions pleasant one. After the repast the officers TO OUR STOCK OF elected for the ensuing year were installed. There was a large attendance, and some "Peerless Shirts. NORWOOD GILES. feb 2-tf new admissions into the Grange. The or-And the prices they are now fast selling at. Fer all kinds of ganization at North East Point is in a pros-Most Fragrant perous condition, which is undoubtedly CLOTHING FULL FLAVORED TEAS, GREEN & BLACK due to the efficiency of the officers. On Saturday some pointed addresses were de-And FURNISHING GOODS, GO TO English Breakfast and Choice Japans. Finest Imlivered by gentlemen who were called upon MUNSON & CO.. ported Goods. CHAS. D. MYERS & CO., 5 & 7 North Front St in the course of the evening. feb 3-tf City Clothiers. feb 2-tf City Hat Store. Carolina Central Raisway. Chromos. We see from the Raleigh papers that a bill is to be introduced in the Legislature STEEL ENGRAVINGS, STEREOSCOPES AND THE LATEST STYLES IN FINE AND MEcompelling the Carolina Central Railway Views, Violins, Babjos, Accordeons, Harmonicas dium qualities, Company to complete the road from Shelby At HARRISON & ALLEN'S 38 Market St. and Sheet Music. Playing Cards, Dominoes, Chest to Rutherfordton, as was originally intend and Checker Men and Boards, Cribbage and a large jan 31-tf assortment of new Parlor Games. Also Some gentlemen from Rutherford ed. **Bacon and Pork.** 60 Boxes D. G. Sides and Shids, county are now in Raleigh for the purpose BLANK BOOKS. 25^{Boxes Smoked do,} of bringing the matter before the Legisla-APER, ENVELOPES, STEEL and GOLD PENS,

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Stonewall Lodge No. 1, K. of P

CITY HALL, Tuesday evening, Feb. 9th.

COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS:--Maj. M. P. Taylor, Wm. J. Toomer, Wm. L. Jewett, A. C. H. Fincken, John Meyer, S. T. Potts, James W. Jack-son, Wm. W. Yopp, V. D. Macomber. feb 3 2t 3d and 9th

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june 6-tf] 237 and 239 Dock street, Philadelphia.

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jan 31-tf

J. M. FORSHEE, Superintendent.

Wilmington, N. C.

SHRIER BROS. 30 Market St.

North Carolina railroad was an unfinished road in which the State had no interest at the time of the adoption of the present constitution; and second, whether a State stands on the same footing with individuals in regard to the acts of her agents, and is she estopped from denying the validity of her ects.

Judge Henry says the road was unfinished only in the sense that it had never been begun. He declares that "it was separate and distinct from the 'Western North Carolina Railroad,' managing its affairs in its own way, and deriving its powers from the same authority; equal to it in dignity and more powerful in resources; and in it the State could not have had any direct pecuniary interest." Therefore he concludes that the Legislature had no grant of power to pledge to such road the credit and faith of the State in aid.

On the second head the Judge is equally as emphatic in negation. He says that a State cannot repudiate its debts contracted by agents acting in accordance with the instructions given, but if the agent does an unauthorized act the State is not responsible. His words are: "There is this difference between individuals and the government; the former are liable to the extent of the power they have appearently given their agents, while the government is liable only to the extent of the power it has actually given to 'its officers."

In this decision Judge Henry clothes in the language of the law the common sentiment of North Carolinians. They have decided for themselves that the special tax bonds were conceived in iniquity and brought forth in sin. A high court pronounces in certain language that the people's previous decision was in accordance with the right and law of the case.

Spirits Turpentine.

- Mt. Airy is getting to be noted for its auction sales

- Scarlet fever has entirely disappeared from Hillsboro.

- Rev. Dr. Jacob Henry Smith, of Greensboro, has been preaching a series of sermons at the Presbyterian Church in Raleigh.

> Persons in the vicinity of Statesvictimized by a "grammar

reading. Mr. Latham, bill to amend section 3d, chapter 80, Battle's Revisal-official bonds-rules suspended and bill postponed till Thursday.

Mr. Waring introduced his old bill on the public debt, with amendments, and moved to send to the House with an order to print the amendments. Granted.

THE USURY BILL

again up as special order. Mr. Shaw taking the floor and replying to Mr. Busbee's speech of Saturday. The Senator held a small bible in his hand and read from Nehemiah. He favored the bill and maintained the same grounds of Messrs, Linney and Marler. Mr. Shaw stated that he dealt Norfolk and knew whereof he spoke-they were tired of free money in Virginia and had adopted the usury law. He declared that the bankers in Norfolk had mortgages on three-fourths of every farm from the Albemarle Sound to its headwaters. Mr. Linney also replied to portions of Mr. Busbee's speech, alluding to his assertion that philosophy was history teaching from example, and pointed to the declarations of distinguished statesmen, declaring that the prosperity and repose of the great

States of Wisconsin and Indiana. were due to the adoption of the usury law.

Mr. Parish also made a speech in favor of the bill. He was followed on the same side by Mr. Selby.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. Mr. Shackelford, bill to prevent sale of liquor near Prospect church. Mr. Barnett, bill to incorporate Norfolk, Roxboro and Greensboro Railroad Company.

The bill in relation to the Western N. C. Railroad was taken up and made special order for Monday, Feb. 8th, 1875.

WILMINGTON CHARTER PASSED. On motion of Mr. Walker, of Richmond, the bill to amend the charter of the city of Wilmington was taken up. Mr. Walker made a long and earnest speech in favor of the bill as a measure of justice to the tax pay-

Ma Boyd and the three colored Representatives, Lloyd, Brewington and Moore, opposed the bill. After several amendments had been offered and rejected, the bill passed its several readings by a strict party vote---yeas, 69; nays, 31.

IF YOU Want a Situation. Want a Salesman, Want a Servant Girl. Want to rent a Store, Want to sell a Piano, Want to sell a Horse. Want to lend Money, Want to buy a House, Want to buy a Horse, Want to rent a House, Want to sell a Carriage, Want a Boarding place,

on the tax books.....\$37,926 70 Schedule B State tax collected.. 8.104 50 Schedule C State tax collected.. 194 08

Total State tax, 1874.....\$46,225 28 From the above are to be deducted the amount of deeds returned, all abatemeuts by the County Commissioners, the State tax on polls, which has to be settled with the county, and other allowances. The total tax collected for the year 1874 amounts to about \$100,000. The whole collection has been made, accounts kept, and the total loss by errors and in making change amounts to one dollar and fifty cents.

Beard of Education. 'The County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment as a Board of Education, Present, Chairman pro tem J. G. Wagner, and Commissioners VanAmringe, Morris and Nixon.

The following order was passed: Ordered by the Board of . Education that the apportionment of school funds for the county of New Hanover, collected for the year 1874 be allotted as follows: One dollar and twenty-five cents per cap-

ita (for each pupil) for each township in the county, and that the Secretary of the Board notify the County Treasury of said appointment, and also the School Committees of the several townships in said county. We give the number of pupils and the amount apportioned to each township, viz: Masonboro, 122 white and 57 colored pupils; amount, \$223.75. Columbia, 231 white, 327 colored; amount, \$697.50. Holly, 141 white, 171 colored; amount, \$390.00. Cape Fear, 44 white, 196 colored; amount, \$300.00. Federal Point, 76 white, 76 col-

ored; amount, \$190.00. Harnett, 161 white, 352 colored; amount, \$641.25. Holden, 40 white, 93 colored; amount, \$166.25. Rocky Point, 181 white, 310 colored; amount, \$613.75. Caswell, 216 white, 205 colored ; amount, \$526.25. Grant, 161 white, 213 colored; amount, \$467 50. Lincoln, 202 white, 279 colored amount, \$601 25. Union, 220 white, 212 colored; amount, \$540 00. Wilmington, 1,751 white, 2,304 colored; amount, \$5,068 75. Total, 3,546 white, 4,795 colored;

I. O. of Rechabites. At a regular meeting of New Hanover Tent No. 57, of the above order held last

total amount, \$10,426 25.

evening the following elective and appointive officers were installed by the D. D. R., J. W. Hewlett: A. H. Morris, P. C. Thos. E. Skipper, C. R. T. A. Watson, D. R.

Children and Misses. WE HAVE THE Finest assortment of Childrens, Misses' & Ladies' hoes in the State. Low for Cash, GEO. R. FRENCH & SON'S, 39 North Front street. jan 31-tf **NEW CROP CUBA** Molasses. A Cargo of 255 HHDS PRIME QUALITY DAILY EX-For sale in lots to suit by WILLIAMS & MURCHISON. jan 29-tf The Low Prices Easily Account for the Extent of **Our Daily Sales.** SINCE WE RESOLVED TO SELL AT PRICES S that would surely reduce our STOCK, it has required no Salesmanship to sell our goods, SILKS, BLACK ALPACAS, FURS, DRESS GOODS, Bleached and unbleached Shirting and Sheeting, SHAWLS, TO THE eached and HAWLS, TABLE CLOTHS, BLANKETS, SPREADS, FLANNELS, HOSIERY, RIBBONS, GLOVES, LACES, COLLARS, GLOVES, LACES, COLLARS, Chirtz, Underwes Suitings, Suspenders, Hosiery, Bandkerchiefs and COLLARS, With thousands of other goods belonging in a First Class Dry Goods Stock, are daily being disposed of at prices that really make it to the advantage of persons in want to buy them now from the best Stock in the City, at the prices never sold at before. Remember the inducement is offered only by the leading Dry Goods House of Wilmington. BOSKOWITZ & LIEBER, jan 10-tf 29 Market street. 25 Bbls Pork, jan 31 tf KERCHNER & CALDER BROS. Oats, Rice and Sugar. Repairing of Old Hats and Bonnets, 2000 Bushels Oats, O LD HATS AND BONNETS BLEACHED $\overline{25}^{\text{Tierces and Bbls Rice.}}$ $\overline{40}$ Barrels Sugar, Refined, 10 Hhds Porto Rice Look as Well as New. For particulars call on MRS. JENNIE UKR, or fun, between 3rd and 4th streets. For sale by KERCHNER & CALDER BROS. Blacksmith's Bellows, Swede Iron, A NVILS, SLEDGES, HAND-HAMMERS, Vises, Screw Plates, Blacksmith's Tongs, Drills and everything requisite for Pla antation or Blacksmith PLOW STEEL, SMITHS' BELLOWS, SCREW Plates, Anvils, Sledge Hammers, Hand Ham-mers, &c. A large assortment of the above goods

victimized by a "grammar by self Mrs. Hendersou. unds, and is accompa- r. 9. the <i>Herald</i> , the rsexpress themselves the election of Andy Senator Matthew Unson is aiming at He is a very am- wer. While we be taking differ- are looking on it at man. They All the boys hoemaker to- about John- "Johnson "Senator pa has no Johnson	Want a Boarding place, Want to borrow Money Want to sell Dry Good- Want to sell Groceries, Want to sell Groceries, Want to sell Furniture. Want to sell Hardware. Want to sell Hardware. Want to sell Real Estate, Want to sell Agrice of Furniture, Want to find any one's Address, Want to find any one's Address, Want to find anything you have lost, Want to find anything you have lost, Want to sell Agricultural Implements, Want to Advertise anything to advantage, Want to find an owner for anything Found, Advertise in THE MORNING STAR.	T. A. Watson, D. R. W. G. Fowler, Jr., S. H. O. Rankin, R. S. T. O. Wroten, F. S. James A. Alderman, T. Wm. Wescott, L. John Wilson, T. J. James Kendrick, R. S. to C. R. P. R. Fowler, L. S. to C. R. Ira Skipper, R. S. to D. R. J. H. Ellis, L. S. to D. R. J. H. Ellis, L. S. to D. R. The Weather To-Day. For Wednesday, in the South Atlantic States, falling barometer, southeast winds, warmer and cloudy or threatening weath- er will prevail.	this term of the court and who have not	Mechanics' Building & Lean Association, The corner representation of the second secon	jan 24-tf Fruit and Confectionery Store. DUPONT'S Rifle, Sporting and Blasting Powder. In whole, half or quarter kegs.	everything requisite for Pla antation of Blacksmith shop, for sale at Rock Bottom Prices at the New Hardware Store of GILES & MURCHISON. jan 31-tf Corn, Hay and Meal. 2000 Bushels Corn. 2000 Bushel
Johnson			yet been sentenced.	kinds CHEAP FOR CASH. oct 24 tf nac] J. S. Topham & Co.	jan-sjif O. G. PARSLEY & CO., Agents.	

ture. If the Company is now required by

law to complete the road to Rutherfordton

what is the necessity for any additional leg-

At the meeting of the above Council, as

heretofore announced in these columns, to

take place in this city on Friday February

12th, the question of Grangers taking stock

in the Cape Fear Agricultural Association,

is to be discussed. The Carolina Central

Railway Company will sell patrons return

tickets at one fare. The Wilmington and

Cape Fear Council P. of H.

islation?