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THE ASSASSINATION OF THE CZAR

At last the enemies of Alexander II., of Russia, have succeeded in their attempts upon his life, and today he lies a corpse in his palace at St. Petersburg.

"Uneasy lies the head that wears a crown."

This is probably the fifth attempt that has been made to destroy him. The Providence that shielded him so long from secret foes left him to his fate. He was born in 1818, and was in his 63rd year. He was the son of the Czar Nicholas, and succeeded him in 1855. When he ascended the throne the war with France, England, Turkey and Sardinia was still progressing. He was forced a few months later to make peace. After this he devoted himself closely to the administration of public affairs. He had but one war of importance-that with Tarkey a few years ago-and this he prosecuted to a successful end. At present his kingdom is engaged in war with the Turcomans.

Emperor Alexander was beyond doubt the mildest ruler that Russia has ever had. His humanity was remarkable for a Romonoff potentate. One of the first acts of his reign was to liberate many thousands of serfs. From time to time this policy of emancipation has been going on, and hundreds of thousands have been liberated from bondage. The truth is, that under Alexander's comparatively moderate rule vast social and political changes have taken

The Republicans in the North Carolina Legislature were unfortunate. Two of their number were charged with rascality-one with forgery and another with larceny. It is very evident upon the testimony that the fellow-a negro-accused of forgery was guilty, although enough members gave him the benefit of some little doubt to vote against his expulsion. It was a great stretch of charity, it strikes us, but each man must give an account of his stewardship. It remains to be seen whether

the other fellow-one A. W. Simpson, white, of Davie county, is guilty or not. His excuse may hold water, but it looks a little bit thin thus far. The people are not sufficiently particular as to whom they elect to make laws for them. Men are not chosen always because they are honorable or capable, but sometimes because they are serviceable and pliable. The old rule was the right rule-"Is he honest ? is he ca-

pable?" It will be good for the people when they return to that standard. There have been six attempts upon the Czar's life, and not five, as we stated yesterday. The first was

April 16, 1866, when a workman named Dimitri Karakozoff fired at Foreign Shipments. him as he was entering his carriage. The Czar was saved by a peasant, who was ennobled for his conduct On June 6, 1867, a Pole fired into his carriage whilst he was at the Paris Exposition. His name was Berezowski. The third attempt was April 14, 1879. He was taking his customary walk, when he was fired at four times by an assassin named Soloveiff, who was afterwards executed. On December 1, 1879, near Moscow,

an attempt was made to blow up the imperial train. The fifth attempt was on February 17, 1880, when an effort to blow up the Winter Palace took place. The last and sixth has just occurred with fatal results.

The Legislature did not accomplish much during its first thirty days. But after it got its hand in it rushed

Homicide at Abbottsburg A Bill to be Entitled "An Act to Pro- | overy such ence was received here on Sunday that Mr. J. W. McLeod, who kept a store at Abbottaburg, and was also Express

agent at that place is using a flat car to had not of singles with, on Saturday afternoon last, when a difficulty arose beween himself and a man named G. W. Thompson, who keeps a boarding house in Abbottsburg, during which, as is alleged, Thompson knocked McLeod off the car, when he fell with his head upon one of the rails of the track. He was taken up in a bleeding and insensible condition, and con veyed to his residence, where he had the best medical attention that could be procured until Sunday morning, when his injuries proved fatal. It is stated that Thompson lingered in the neighborhood of Abbottsburg until he

heard of the death of Mr. McLeod, when he fled and has not been heard of since. Deceased leaves a wife and three children to monro his untimely fate. He was between 40 and 50 years of age and was highly respected and beliked by those who knew him. He has relatives in this city.

The Cotton Movement. The receipts of cotton at this port for the week ending yesterday, the 14th, footed up 1.692 bales, as against 423 bales for corresponding week last year, being an increase of 1.269 bales in favor of 1881.

The receipts since September 1st, the commencement of the crop year, foot up 111,551 bales, as against 77,455 bales for the same period last year, showing an increase in favor of the present crop year up to this date of 37,096 bales.

The foreign shipments for the past two days consist of the following: The Norwegian barque Fagna, for Trieste, Austria, by Messrs, J. R. Blossom & Evans, with 50 casks spirits turpentine and 2,735 barrels rosin; the brig C. S. Packard, for Port-au-

Prince, Hayti, by Mesars, E. Kidder & Sons, with 235,170 feet of lumber and 41.-150 shingles, and the Norwegian barque Vizz, for Glasgow, by Messrs. Williams & Murchison, with 3,800 barrels of rosin. - John B. Gough, notwithstand-

ing his life-long work as a temperance lec-turer, is said to be far from being a rich man. His private charities are 'as large and numerous as they are unostentatious; and he has met with many losses from the tender-hearted willingness with -which he has endorsed notes for those whom he supoosed to be his friends.

BURNETT'S COCOAINE KILLS DANS druff, allays Irritation and promotes the growth of the Hair.-Gentlemen-For over wo years I have suffered terribly with "scald head" in its worst form. A few weeks ago'I tried a bottle of your Cocoaine The first application gave me relief, and hibit the Manufacture and sale of deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and pirisuous and Mait Liquors."

Raleigh News-Observer. The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact.

SECTION 1. That any person shall manufacture, buy or sell, either directly or indirectly, any spirituous or malt liquors, except wines and cider, or by any shift, subterfuge or device, spirituous liquore, or any liquor of which spirituous liquor is a material or constituent part, in any uous liquors for his employer, or otherwise, he shall, for every such quantity, in this State, otherwise than by this act provided, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon convicdemeanor, and upon conviction in any tion thereof in any court of record court of record having jurisdiction, having jurisdiction of same shall be shall be fined not less than fifty dolfined not less than one hundred nor lars nor more than one hundred dolmore than one thousand dollars, and lars, and be imprisoned at the discrebe imprisoned in the discretion of the tion of the court. court.

SEC. 2. That spirituous liquors on liquids of which spirituous liquors force or effect until the first day of are a material and constituent part, October, A. D. 1881; and on and after that day it shall have full force may be kept and sold as by this act and effect. provided, and in no other way or Sec. 7. That an election shall be manner, only for medical, chemical and mechanical purposes, and for held by the qualified electors in the these purposes, only by a druggist, State on the first Monday in August next, to take the sense of the electors apothecary or physician, who shall have obtained a license in pursuance of this State upon the question of prohibition. Those desiring prohibiof the provisions of this act, allowing tion shall vote a printed or written him to sell the same for such purposes; apothecaries or physicians, in ticket with the words "For Prohibition" on it. Those opposed to prohieach county shall have such license; and any druggist, apothecary or phybition shall vote a printed or written sician who shall have obtained such ticket with the words "Against Prohibition" on it. The election herein license shall not keep at any time a provided for in this act shall be held greater quantity of such spirits on under the same rules and regulations. hand than thirty gallons; and shall and the returns to be made as are not sell to any person a greater quannow provided by law for the election tity, at one time, than one gallon. Sec. 3. The county commissioners of Judges of the Superior Court; and the board of county commissioners of of the several counties in the State the several counties of the State shall, may, upon application made to them, in the manner therein prescribed, aponly in the way in this section propoint registrars and judges of said vided, by a druggist, apothecary or election: Provided, That if at the said physician, grant a license to last for election a majority of the votes so. one year and no longer, to sell such spirituous liquors as are mentioned cast be "Against Prohibition," then, and in that case, no person shall be in this act only for medicinal, chemiprosecuted or punished for any violacal and mechanical purposes, and in the way and manner in this act tion of this act: And it is further pro-

directed, and no other; but before granting any such license they shal ascertain and find by the oath and examination of two or more sober and respectable citizens of their county that such applicant is a sober, reliable and trustworthy person; and they shall record the names of the citizens so by them examined and

His Excellency Governor Jarvis sent the following nominations to the the facts so found by them upon the Senate and they were confirmed by minutes of their proceedings in conthat body at yesterday's session: nection with the orders and proceed-Directors of the Penitentiary-E. ings granting such license; and any R. Stamps, Thomas Briggs, Wake; iggist, apothecary or physician desiring to obtain such license shall apply for the same by petition setting Moore. forth that he is a druggist, apothecary or physican in the county where such application is made-the place where he sells drugs and medicines or regularly practices medicine-that he desires to keep and sell such spirituous liquors only for medicinal chemical and mechanical purposes that he will not knowingly keep or sell such liquors otherwise, nor in greater quantities than as by this act allowed, and that he will well, truly and faithfully keep and observe the provisions of this act so far as the same are applicable to him; such pe Fomlinson, Randolph. titioner shall subscribe and swear to Trustees of the Institution for the this petition, and the same shall be filed and preserved among the papers and records of the county commissioners before it shall be presented. But no druggist, apothecary or renson. physician shall be licensed to sell any Board of Internal Improvementsof the spirituous or malt liquors herein mentioned until he has exe-A. Gilliam, Wake. outed and given to the board of commissioners of the county wherein the McLeod Turner. liquors are proposed to be sold, a bond with good and sufficient security, to be duly justified in a sum of not less than \$500 and not more than \$5,000 conditioned that he will faithfully comply with and perform all the requirements and conditions of this act. The said bond shall be recorded and filed as in cases of official bonds, and whenever the said commissioners shall have reason to believe that the party so licensed has violated any of said conditions or provisions, they may ment. put the same in suit and prosecute to Parents will find the A. S. T. Co. Black judgment, and in addition thereto Tip not objectionable as the metal was they may for good cause revoke said while it will wear as well. By asking for license, first giving to the holder it on their children shoes, they can reduce shoe bills one-half. thereof at least two days' notice of the time when a notice to revoke will be made. Sec. 4. A druggist, apothecary or physician having a license to keep and sell such spirituous liquors as by this act provided, shall not sell the same to any one person, at one time, in a greater quantity than one gallon, nor in any quantity, unless the person applying to purchase the same shall present and deliver the certificate of a sober and respectable practicing physician, not a licensed dealer under this act, given upon his honor, to the effect that such spirituous liquors so required are in fact required for medical purposes; or a like certificate of a sober, respectable chemist or artist, that such spirituous liquors are required in fact for chemical purposes; or a like certificate of a sober, respectable mechanic that such spirituous liquors so required are in fact required for mechanical purposes, and if any physician, chemist, artist or mechanic shall make any such certificate falsely stating or suggesting the purpose for which such spirituous liquors specified by him are required, every such physician,

Raleigh News-Observer's I apon conviction in any court of re-cord having jurisdiction, shall be SENATE fined not less than one hundred dol-FRIDAY, March 11, 1881. House bill 868, Senste bill 824, to lars nor more than five hundred dolincorporate the town of Pantego, in lars, and be imprisoned in the discrethe county of Beaufort, passed its tion of the court; and moreover shall second and third readings. forfeit his said license, to be cancelled by the court; and it any clerk House bill 884, Senate bill 759.

incorporate the town of Keyser, in or employed f such druggist, apothecary or physician shall in any way second and third readings. violate the provisions of this act under the pretease of selling such spirit-

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offence, be deemed guilty of a mistabled. House bill for the relief of the Asheville Railroad Company passed its second and third readings. House bill 888, Senate bill 828, to

lay out and construct certain public roads in the county of Onslow, was Sec. 6. That this act shall have no. laid on the table.

House bill 1,092, Senate 880, supplemental to an act incorporating the Newbern Board of Trade, passed its Battle was present, but I am not sure third reading.

Senate resolution 892 supplemental to a resolution in regard to York town, appropriating \$1,500 instead of \$3,000. The bill was discussed by Mr. Scott, of Rookingham, in favor, and Mr. Staples in opposition. Mr. Staples made a very eloquent speech Mr. Gudger offered an amendment to strike out \$1,500 and insert \$5,-000.

The resolution of Mr. Scott was adopted on its second reading by a rote of 20 to 7.

The motion was put on its third reading and lost. House bill 1,812, relative to the records of Lenoir county, passed its second and third readings.

A bill relative to reducing the cost a criminal proceedings. It passed its second and third readings.

House bill 1,054, Senate bill 837, to extend the time for the registration of deeds and other conveyances, passed its third reading. House bill 455, Senate bill 853, to

vided, That upon counting the ballots facilitate the statement of executors, administrators and guardians, passed as aforesaid the Governor of the State its second and third readings, shall issue his proclamation and de-Senate bill, to allow county commissioners to place the name of school Our Public Institutions-Their Direccommitte-men in the jury box passed

its second and third readings. The bill to amend the homestead law was tabled. Senate bill, in regard to Superior Court clerk of New Hanover county, passed its second and third readings. House resolution to pay the con-

testants from Halifax county their

ed to go down and see the warrant in the Treasurer's off saw the lorged order and said he didn't know who did the forgery; Watson saw the forged check and looked at it closely; I no longer suspected Watson, because the signature was not like the one he had made before we went to the Treasurer's office; I afterwards saw George Whitehead; we had a talk; I the county of Moore, passed its told him I was going to introduce a resolution in the morning; he said House bill 821, Senate bill 756, to don't introduce the resolution till we make Trent River a lawful fence to should meet in the evening; George a certain point in Jones county, was paid me the sixteen dollars the next day; he said he was not guilty; that he would rather lose the money than stockholders of the Spartanburg and be accused of it; I afterwards became

satisfied that George did not get my money, and I paid him back the sixteen dollars; Geer told me that if I would acknowledge to the House that I had made a mistake I could get fifty dollars; I told him I could not do it; I got Watson to sign the \$100 order, but no other; I think about it: I have no recollection in the world that I got him to sign two orders for me.

Watson here appeared on the stand; said he signed the \$16 order; that he signed no other order: admits that he went down to the Treasury and looked at the \$16 order; I told him I could not see who could have forged the order; never endorsed but one order; filled out an application for postoffice order; I admit I told the committee that I signed the order and made out the application the same day, but I was mistaken; I was mistaken when I told the committee I endorsed the \$100 order.

The evidence here closed, and Mr. Manning introduced a resolution to expel W. W. Watson from his seat in the House.

The resolution failed by a vote of 13 to 25.

Mr. Nicholson then introduced a resolution to discharge Solomon Geer from his position as servant to the House, and moved to suspend the rules, and put it on its passage at once

Mr. Green, of Orange, opposed this motion, wishing to put it off until to-night. The motion prevailed, and the resolution was adopted and the doorkeeper, ordered to discharge Geer.

EVENING SESSION.

Mr. Rose introduced a bill to give Cumberland an extra week of the Superior Court, which was read three times and sent to the Senate.

place. If you would understand this, read Theodore Schuyler's life of Peter the Great, then turn to a sketch of the reign of Nicholas, father of Alexander II., and then read Wallace's two very instructive volumes upon the condition of Russia now, and you will see how radical, how very important the changes, and what a great advance there has been in giving the people better laws, more freedom, more education, more comfort, more privileges. When the assassing destroyed the Emperor Alexander they sent to his bloody grave the most beneficent and humane ruler that ever sat upon the throne of Russia.

No one can expect the Russia of to-day to be as free and liberal as a constitutional monarchy. The only way to estimate Alexander's character as a ruler is not to compare him with Victoria or William IV., of England, but with his ancestors-with his father or his grandfather, Alexander I., or with the ralers of an earlier time. The success of the conspirators will embolden others, and it will send a thrill of horror throughout Europe. The crowned-heads will tremble on their thrones, and bad, desperate men may seek the lives of other rulers. It need surprise no one to hear that the successor of Alexander meets a similar fate, or that the royal family of Russia is destroyed. There is a large body of men who are sworn to secrecy and are pledged to make war upon those they regard as the oppressors of the people. Nihilists by profession-believing in nothing and fearing neither God nor man, they are a menace to all potentates and even to the well dent writes: being of society.

Alexander was a nephew of Emperor William of Germany, his mother being the sister of that monarch. His son Nicholas succeeds as Alexander III. The reader will find particulars of the murder in our telegraphic reports.

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The best gift to give your enemy is forgiveness; to your opponent, tolerasce; to a friend, your heart; to your child, a good example; to a father, deference; to your mother. conduct that will make her proud of you; to yourself, respect; to all men, charity, and to the sick, Simmons Liver Regulator. "For Derangement of the Liver, for Dyspepsia, Diarthes, Plies, etc., Dr. Simmons Liver Regulator certainly has no superior. It acts like a charm, without debilitating the system. I have tried it thoroughly, and speak what I know. "REV. S. GARDNER, Atapulgus, Ga." The Legislature has adjourned, nored altogether. So a centennial House bill 1,107, Senate 919, to au-Sec. 3. That in case of death, disgard to Geer's testimony that Geer and when the balance sheet is struck celebration on a small scale was exability, resignation or refusal to act had said he was certain that the page, thorize an additional inferior court whether the good or the bad will pre- temporized and much speech making of any of said commissioners, the George Whitehead, did not have the for Granville county, passed its seponderate remains to be investigated. | was indulged. We are pleased to Governor of North Carolina shall money, but that some colored person cond and third readings. House resolution 126, Senate 866, immediately fill the vacancy or vacan-It has done some things worthy of know that all State pride of the right in the House did have it. Geer. ties so caused by appointment. in regard to leasing the Atlantic & some time after this, asked him if commendation surely; it has done kind has not expired with the ad-Sec. 4. This act shall be in force there was any way to compromise North Carolina Railroad, passed its some things not at all desirable or de- journment of the Legislature that "Rev. S. GARDNER, Atapuigus, Ga." "Having tested personally and in my practice your Simmons Liver Regulator, I have found it just the medicine needed as a family remedy, by persons living in a warm climate, and especially by those inhabiting the more malarial districte of Flo-rids. J. F. McKINSTRY, M. D. "Gainesville, Fla. from and after its ratification. the matter. second and third readings. serving of praise; it neglected to do | would provide nothing towards home In the General Assembly read three Senator Richardson was sworn and House bill 94, Senate 835, to resurchemist, artist or mechanic making nes and ratified this the 14th day vey the boundary lines of the State, ome things that ought to have been celebrations. uestioned as to the general characsuch false certificate shall be deemed of March, A. D., 1881. done, and it should be commended ter of Newell, and said it was very passed its second and third readings. House bill 1,105, Senate 898, to guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon We do not pretend to understand STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,] good. "Gainesville, Fia. "MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP.—Rev Sylvanus Cobb thus writes in the "Boston Christian Freeman":--We would by no means recommend any kind of medicine which we did not know to be sold-particularly for infants. But of Mrs. Wins-late the provisions of the same in any respect, directly or indirectly, or by any shift or subterfuge, shall, for specially for refusing to do some very conviction in any court of record having jurisdiction thereof shall be Cam. Weir, a page of the House, OFFICE SECRETARY OF STATE, amend an act to change the time of how it is the Democrats in the Senate unwise things that silly demagogues RALEIGH, March 15, 1881. being sworn, said that Solomon Geer holding the courts in the fourth judifind themselves suddenly in the mistated in his hearing that Newell had desired to have done. We would cial district, passed its second and third readings. nority. All along the papers have got the money and was trying to like to see a fair, candid, full review copy from the records on file in this given the list of Senators that made House bill 421, Senate 911, for the relief of the stockholders of railroads office. make something; that Geer saw W. L. SAUNDERS, of all of its main legislation of a Newell sign the warrant in question. it a tie between the parties leaving. Secretary of State. general character. Who will audit Mr. Newell was then put on the Mr. Newell was then put on the stand. Solomon Geer had a talk with him; said he thought that Watson had other companies, was tabled. House bill 212, Senate 900, to amend chapter 283, laws of 1876-77, out Davis and Mahone. Now that the account and strike the balance? HORSFORD'S ACID PHOSPHATE for Dyspensis, Mental Exhaustion, etc. I have used Horsford's Acid Phosphate in a number of cases in which it is recommend-Davis votes with the Democrats and had got the money; that Watson was a low, degraded man; witness then went to Watson and asked him to write his name; he did so; then Wate; certain counties, was tabled.

bills through in a hurry, and had time to change its mind as often as a weather vane. The News-Observe says:

"Eleven hundred and twenty bills were enrolled on the calendar of the House and nine hundred on the calendar of the Sen-Some of these appear in both houses, and there was probably only about fifteen hundred introduced.

"There were several hundred resolutions introduced. More than 500 bills and resolutions were passed. All this was done in sixty days, and it is more work than was formely gotten through with in a five session. To consider and pass months' judgment upon 1,500 bills in 60 days makes a daily average of twenty-five, and of these the Legislature passed an average of ten and rejected about fifteen a day." There must have been in such a

hurry a great deal of very imperfect and unsatisfactory legislation. The News-Observer says the members did not draw pay for its last week. Does it speak by the card?

The Radical papers are delighted with Mahone. They say he resisted "the lash of the slave driver." This is all very nice, as he proved a traitor to the Democrats. But reverse the picture if you please. Suppose Conkling or some other Stalwart had betrayed the Republicans and voted with the Democrats, is there a solitary Radical editor that would not have laid on "the lash" and de nounced him with all possible severity? And is there a man of sense who would not say well done ? No man has a right to betray great trusts, be he elected as a Democrat or a Republican. Why, there is even supposed honesty among thieves.

We judge from a paragraph in the Richmond Dispatch's Washington letter there is a prospect of other socalled Virginia Democrats playing the part of Mahone. The correspon-

"T heard it stated positively to-night Mr. Garfield has been informed that if Messrs. Jorgensen and Dezendorf desert the Re-publicans in the organization of the House hat Messre. Fulkerson and Paul can be relied on to supply their places. Mr. Riddle-berger has arrived."

A few patriotic citizens were not willing that the important battle of Guilford Court House should be ig-

now the dise nally cured. Yours respectfully, N. C. STEVENS, Deputy Sheriff, Ottawa, Ill. Burnett's Flavoring Extracts are perfectly pure. *

AN ACT TO PROVIDE A COMMIN SION WITH POWER TO SELL THE STATE'S STOCK IN THE CAPE FEAR & YADKIN RAIL WAY COMPANY.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact: SECTION 1. That A. J. DeRosset

of Wilmington; Levi M. Scott, of Greensboro'; E. L. Vaughan, of Alleghany; George M. Rose, A. A. Mc-Kelham, Jr., and A. B. Williams, of Fayetteville; Orrin A. Hanner, of Chatham; Julius A. Gray, of Greensboro'; Jesse F. Graves, of Mount Airy; Tyre York, of Wilkes; A. J Boyd, of Rockingham; Hugh Parks, of Randolph; W. A. Lash, of Stokes; be appointed commissioners, with ful power while the General Assembly of North Carolina is not in session, to receive any proposition which has

already been made to the Governor, or which may hereafter be made by the South Atlantic & Ohio Railway Constructing and Operating Company, or by any other company, person or persons concerning the purchase of the State's stock in the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway Company, who will give adequate security to complete the road east and west from Wilmington to some convenient point in the extreme West,and the branch through Surry to Ore Knob as provided in the char ter of the C. F. & Y. V. R. R., within a period not exceeding three years from date of sale to them; Provided, that nothing in this act shall be construed to discharge said railroad company from any indebtedness to the State for loans or convict labor.

Sec. 2. That said commissioners shall have full power and authority to negotiate and settle the terms of said sale, and on behalf of the State of North Carolina by their chairman, to sign all necessary contracts and assurances, which contracts and assu-

rances when so made and approved by the Governor of North Carolina, and his council, and by a stock vote of a majority of the stockholders

sale of said stock in said railroad for a less sum than fifty-five thousand dollars. -

G. Yates, Guilford; George S. Cole,

tors, Trustees, Brc.

Raleigh News-Observer.

Directors of the Eastern Insane Asylum, at Goldsboro-J. W. Vick, Johnston; Theo. Edwards, Greene; E. B. Pender, Wayne; D. M. Moore, Duplin; M. M. Katz, New Hanover; W. F. Rountree, Craven; J. N. Ramsey, Northampton; J. A. Bonitz, Wayne; A. D. McLean, Harnett.

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Directors of the Insane Asylum at Raleigh-A. S. Merrimos, Octavius Coke, W. S. Mason, E. B. Haywood, Wake; W. S. Battle, Edgecombe; R. L. Steele, Richmond; W. S. Harris, Franklin; A. J. Hines, Wilson; A. J.

Deaf and Dumb and the Blind-R. S. Tucker, Thomas D. Hogg, J. J. Litchford, J. Ruffin Williams, J. M. Betts, Chas. D. Heartt, L. D. Ste-

William Johnston, Mecklenburg; H.

Keeper of the Capilto-Colonel J.

- New Berne Nut Shell : The A. & N. C. R. R. is now doing sivery heavy freight busicess. Yesterday, two ong trains, deeply laden, left here going west, and the company's warehouse in this city is still " rammed, jammed and crammed" with freight destined for up the country, while at the warehouse wharf is moored three schooners, two containing large cargoes of guano and one with a cargo of corn. all awaiting transportation over this road. We learn the warehouse in Morehead city s also filled with freight awaiting ship-

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A ROMANCE OF THE CRESCENT CITY .-A ROMANCE OF THE CRESCENT CITY. - In New Orleans on a warm day early in February, i Mr. Isaac Kern strolled into an office of the Loui-siana State Lottery, and laid dawn one dollar, re ceived a half of ticket No. 93,536, put it in hi pocket and quietly awaited the drawing, and to hi joyful surprise, like Abou Ben Adhem, his ticke led all the rest, and he obtained \$15,000-if he had spent another dollar it might have been \$33,000 The next drawing takes place April 12, when the se who have written to M. A. Danphin, No, 319 Broad way, New York city, or to the same person at New Orleans, La., may anticipate a pleasant surprise.

A GOOD HOUSSWIFE.—The good housewife, when she is giving her house its spring renovaling, should bear in mind that the dear inmates of her house are more precious than many houses, and that their systems need cleansing by purifying the blood, regulating the stomach and bowels to pre-yent and cure the diseases arising from spring ma-laris and miasma, and she must know that there is nothing that will do it so perfectly and surely as Hop Blitters, the purest and best of medicines.— Concord, N. H., Patriot.

George W. Thompson, Chatham; C. per diem and milage. Opposed b Mr. Mebane; favored by Mr. Dortch Passed its second and third readings. Mr. Clarke moved to take from the table a resolution to pay him his per diem and mileage. The resolution passed its second and third readings. House bill 51, Senate bill 146, to punish the crime of producing abortion, passed its second third readings. Senate bill for the prevention of

cruelty to animals passed its second and third readings. House bill 127, Senate bill 861 granting convict labor for the Granville & Haw River Railroad, passed

its second and third readings. House bill 793, Senate bill 855, to amend section 5, chapter 138, laws of 1873-'74, relative to elections, passed its second and third readings.

House bill 491, Senate bill 852, to incorporate the Raleigh & Rocky Mount Railroad Company, passed its second and third readings.

House bill 784, Senate bill 830, for the encouragement and support of the State Guard, passed its second and third readings.

House resolution of instruction to our Senators and Representatives in Congress, relative to the claims of the widows of certain soldiers in the wars of the United States, passed its second and third readings.

House bill 513, Senate bill 847, to require clerks of superior courts, in filling the office of justices of the peace, to report their names to the Secretary of State, passed its third reading.

House bill in relation to the office of county treasurers passed its third reading.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. Lineback moved to postpone

the special order and consider the alleged forgery case. The evidence was explained at some length by Mr.

McClure and other members of the committee. Mr. Sparrow was requested by the Speaker to conduct the examination and Mr. Boykin the cross-examination. Solomon Geer, an employe of the Capitol, was placed on the stand and testified that Newell had given him the warrant for \$16, which Watson had signed at Newell's request, and that he turned over the money

to Newell. Gen. Roberts, being sworn, said that he had no recollection about the \$16 order. That Geer had said in his presence that he (Geer) believed that

Watson had the money. Mr. McClure stated on oath in re-

Mr. Green, of Orange, sent forward bill to provide for the representation of Durham county in the General Assembly, which, by consent, was read three times and sent to the Sepate.

Mr. Nicholson sent forward a peition from the executive committee of the prohibition society, accompanied by a bill, requiring that all license for the sale of liquor in this State shall expire on the first of September. Calendar.

Senate bill to allow the Piedmont Railroad Company to aid in the construction of the Northwestern North Carolina Railroad and other railroads in the State was taken up as the special order for the hour.

Mr. Manning sent forward an amendment providing that if the Piedmont Railroad shall get possession of the Western North Carolina Railroad, that road shall be subject to entry the same as under the original contract, and spoke at some length to the amendment and against the bill if unamended. The motion prevailed by a vote of 33 yeas to 28

Senate bill to provide for the election of Judges of the Supreme and Superior Courts, was taken up, read at length, and passed its second and third readings.

A message from the Senate was here read announcing the passage of certain Senate amendments to the omnibus liquor bill, which the House concurred in.

Senate bill to allow the Governor's private secretary a salary of \$750 per annum was, on motion of Mr. Bledsoe, tabled.

Senate resolution in regard to the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad was taken up and voted down on its second reading.

Senate bill in regard to the Superior Court clerk of New Hanover county was taken up and passed its final reading.

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Mr. Richardson presented a petision from certain citizens of Bladen county, asking the formation of a township in said county. House bill 1,113, to change the time of holding courts in the 9th judicial district, passed its third read-

10g. House resolution -----, Senate 912, to secure a proper exhibit of the re-sources of North Carolina at New York in 1883, passed its third read-

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of said company in general meeting assembled shall be valid and binding

upon the State of North Carolina, and upon the other, contracting parties: Provided, that nothing con-

tained in this act shall authorize the