The Senate was called to order 10.80 o'clock this morning. Mr. MacRae, of Robeson, introduce

a bill to charter the Bank of Maxton. Mr. Parrott, a bill to prevent the sale of liquor in two miles of Trinity church, Lenoir county.

Mr. Lucas, a bill to allow the commis sioners of Bladen county to purchase certain ferries. Mr. Battle, to divide the township o

Whitakers; also, a bill in relation to election of justices of the peace. Mr. McLaughlin, of Cumberland, bill to amend section 155 of the Code.

Mr. Armstrong, a bill to place Big Bridge ferry under the jurisdiction of the Commissioners of Pender county. Mr. McDowell, a bill to limit the liability of executors, administrators, guardians and trustees in cases where stock of corporations has been transferred to

Mr. Casper, a bill to amend the charter of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railroad; also, a bill regarding killing or injuring stock by railroad companies Mr. Campbell, by request, a bill to re-peal chapter 290 of the Laws of 1891 relating to the redemption of unused railroad tickets.

Bill to incorporate the Durham & Charlotte Railioad Company came up on its third reading. Mr. Aycock offered an amendment that work shall not be gin on the road till September, 1894. The amendment failed and the bill then passed its third reading.

Bill to amend sections 8631, 8632 and 8633 of the Code, regarding the printing and distribution of the public laws, passed its third reading. Bill to prevent the obstruction of cer

tain creeks in Bladen county, passethird reading. Bill to empower the Governor to ap

point or assign a judge to hold any cour of the State in the case of sickness of other disability of the presiding judg came up. Mr. Davis offered an amend ment that the pay of the extra judg snall come from the salary of the judge who should have presided, and that i shall be two-thirds of that salary. After consid. rable discussion, the bill was rereferred. Mr. Apport introduced a bill for equa-

distribution of the \$8,000 annually appropriated to the colored normal school of the State. Mr. Aycock, a bill to incorporate the

Carelina Investment Company. The Senate then adjourned till o'clock p. m.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. The House was called to order at 10.30, Speaker Overman in the chair. Mr. Vance, of Buncombe, presented petition from the Farmers' Alliance o Buncombe county for the protection of sheep husbandry.

Mr. Crews, a petition asking for an increased appropriation for the colored Orphan Asylum. It was decided by the House that from and after to-day, the House meet in

night session at 7.30 o'clock. Mr. Williams, of Henderson, intro duced a bill to prohibit the commis sioners of Henders in county from issuing license to foreigners to sell liquors Mr. Jones, of Caldwell, a bill to regulate the public printing

Mr. Rowe, to incorporate the Washington School Board. By same, to allow certain associations of ex-Conlederate soldiers of Beaufort county to sell certain lands. By same, resolution to place the name of Mary Spruill on the pension list. Mr. Eubanks, bill for prohibition in

certain localities in Union county (accompanied by peritions.) Mr. Wicker, to prohibit the printin, and circulation of bogus tickets. Mr. Merritt, by request, to prohibit

the sale of intoxicating liquors within two miles of Bayboro Baptist Church, in Pamlico county. Mr. Broker, in regard to the stock law in No. 12 township, in Edgecomb county; also, bill in relation to the coi lection of taxes in said county.

Mr. Harris, to amend chapter 9, Laws of 1891, relating to tax on fertilizers and exempting cotton seed meal. Also, but to change the time of Superior Court for Meckienburg county, and provide two additional terms.

Mr. Watkins, bill relating to Union depots of North Carolina. Also, bill to apolis i the registration of crop liens. Mr. Ray, to amend the school law con cerning duties of County Superintendent of Papie Instruction.

PASSAGE OF BILLS.

Bill to incorporate the Blowing Ro and Lenoir Railway and Improveme Compiny, limiting its existence to 99 years, capital stock \$100,000, maximu \$1,000,000, as amended by the commit tee, passed its second reading. Bill to establish a State motto, to-wit:

At the top, "May 20th, 1775;" at bo-"esse quam vidert," which shall be used on the papie seal of North Carolina. passed third reading. Also, bill for the relief of J. Hardison, sheriff of Martin county. Also, supplemental bill in regard to the establishment of the stock law for New Hanover county. Also, to amend section 3,337 of the Code, relating to the destruction of diamond back terrapins. Also, bill to reperl chapter 435 Laws of 1891, in regard to netting birds in Davidson county. Also, bill to amend chapter 320, Laws of 1891, by allowing railroad commissioners to use \$300 per year in addition to the sum now allowed them for clerical work. which they may expend according to their discretion. Also, bill to incorp. rate the Stone's Bay Oyster Company with maximum capital stock \$250,000; place of location, Wilmington; to begin when \$5,000 of the capital stock shall have been paid in. Also, to change the courts of the 10th indicial district for the counties of Ashe. Catawba, Caldwell, Burke, Mitchell, McDowell, Yancey and Watauga. Also, to make it unlawful to allow stock to run at large in certain parts of Cumberland county. Also, to authorize associations of ex-Confederate soldiers of meaufort county to sell certain lands.

Bill to pay David Hinton, deceased. the amount ot \$11,200 in full of account for \$12,000 borrowed of him in 1862 by Ionathan Worth in his official capacity as Treasurer of North Carolina, which sum was used for the support of the asvlum, and for paying the per diem of members of the Assembly. The bill was Neill, Jones of Caswell and others. The committee of 1867 appointed to investigate the matter, separated the war claims from the civil, and this claim was placed on the civil list. The amount borrowed then, was worth about \$4,000 in gold. The interest will bring this up to the sum of \$11,200. The administratrix of David Hinton being willing to the compromise, the committee amended by striking out \$11,200 and inserting \$4,-480, 40 per cent. of the debt.

On motion of Mr. Jones, of Caldwell, the House concurred in the Senate amendment to the bill in regard to printing the acts of 1893, also in the amendments to the bill to incorporate the Carolina Western Railway Company.

Bill to improve the public roads of of New Hanover county and for other | arrived (bill to raise revenue), on mopurposes passed its second reading. Also, bill to incorporate the Charlotte, Troy & Guilford Railway Company. 1877, in relation to the Cumberland

RALEIOH, Feb. 21, 1898. SENATE.

The Senate was called to order at 10.80 o'clock this morning. Peritions were presented by Mr. Brown asking that the name of the town of

Hub be changed; by Mr. Potter, from citizens of Carteret county, asking convicts to dig a canal. Mr. Paine introduced a bill for the re-

lief of J. D. Daws, clerk of the Superior Court of Carteret county. Mr. Aycock, by request, a bill to prohibit the sale of liquor in one mile of Beeman's Church; also, a bill to permit the sale of cider and wine at Mt. Olive.

Mr. O ive, by request, a bill to incorporate the Y. M. C. A. of Raleigh.

Mr. Fields, a bill to amend section 1285 of the Code, relative to divorce. Also, bill to make New river a lawful fence. Also, a bill to promote the ma-SPECIAL ORDER.

The hour for the special order, the bill to amend the charter of the Wilmington & Weldon Railroad Co., and to provide for the collection of taxes, etc., was announced, and was disposed of in short order. It had passed its second reading the night before after brief discussion. No Senator now offered to antagonize or discuss the bill, and it passed third reading almost without a dissenting voice, and was at once sent to the House.

Mr. Gatling introduced, by request, a bill to establish Burgwyn county. Mr. Means, a bill to amend section 2118 of the Code, providing for assess-ment of lands in which dower is claimed in counties other than that in which the lower is assigned. Bill to authorize the Commissioners

of Cumberland county to levy a special ax to build a court house passed third Bill to regulate the compensation of

directors of the penal and charitable institutions of the State (making it \$200 er day) was amended so as to allow pay for thirty days in the year only, and it hen passed third reading, Mr. McLaughlin, of Cumberland, in-

roduced a bill to ratify and confirm the acts of the commissioners of Favetteville in regard to the depot building of he Wilmington and Weidon Railroad Bill to continue in force the act of 1891 to amend the charter of the North arolina Railroad passed its second

Bill to amend the charter of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railroad passed its third reading.

Bill to allow the commissioners of Bladen to purchase the ferries across the Cape Fear river at White Hall, Bladen county, passed second reading. Bill for the relief of J. B. Smith, Sheriff f Cumberland county, passed second

Bill to amend chapter 462 of the Laws of 1891, regarding working of convicts In Johnson county, passed third reading.
Bill relating to fishing in Harris creek and Ellis creek in Bladen county, passed third reading. Bill to amend an act incorporating

county, passed third reading, Bill to authorize the commissioners of Pender county to compromise and fund he debt of the county, passed third

Bill to amend chapter 217 of the Laws of 1891, in regard to the stock law in Pamlico county, passed. Resolution of instruction to Board of Trustees of the State Library to distribute the Colonial Records in other States which may send such

volumes to this State, passed third read-Bill for the relief of John Flannagan, reasurer of Pitt county, passed third

Bill to allow the killing of deer in Brown Marsh township, Bladen county, passed third reading. Bill to fix the time for hunting deer in Pender county passed third reading. Bill to create a stock law in Bladen county passed third reading.

Bill to amend chapter 2019 of the Code, applying to the county of Pender. passed third reading. Bill to establish graded schools in Rocky Mount, Edgecombe county, passed third reading.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES The House was called to order at 10.80, Speaker Overman in the chair. PITITIONS PRESENTED.

By Mr. Cook, from citizens of Cumperland county, for the passage of a law against fishing with seins in lower Cape Fear River. By same, from same, asking the passage of a law to allow raltsmen in Cape Fear river to have the right to take wood along the banks thereof for certain purposes. Also, asking for an amendment to section 1783, so that a lien for work, on personal property, will be effective after delivery Mr. Cook introduced a bill to authoriz: the collection of arrears of taxes in Favetteville. Also, bill to keep open the Cape Fear river below Fayetteville for

ne tree passage of shad. Mr. Merritt, bill to amendub. section 3. section 1, chapter 90, Laws of 1874 and '5 amending the charter of the North Carolina Home Insurance Com-

Mr. Spruill offered the report of the Committee on Railroads and asked that it be read; also that the bill introduced for the committee be made a special order for 8 o'clock to-night. The motion

Mr. Parmele offered a minority reort of the committee. Mr. Crouse introduced a bill to im prove the road leading to the grounds of the State Encampment at Wrights-

Mr. Brooks, a bill to protect fish in Contentnea creek. Also, to prevent felling trees in Stonington creek, Lenoir Mr. Bellamy, bill to regulate and pro-

vide more efficient quarantine for Wilmington and the State of North Caro-Mr. Spruill, for the Railroad Committee, bill to amend the charter of the Wil-mington & Weldon Railroad, and to

provide for taxing said property as other roperty is taxed. Mr. Harris, bill to provide inspectors of railway trestles and bridges in North Carolina, and to define the penalties. Mr. Parmele, to amend section 2915 and to repeal section 2922 of the Code in regard to the North Carolina station for maritime sanitation, and to appropriate \$30,000 to carry such into effect. Also, to amend chapter 12, volume 2 of

the Code, in relation to cruelty to ani-On motion of Mr. Rucker, the bill in relation to the stock law for Rutherford county, was reconsidered and amended. Mr. Grimes, by permission, introduced discussed by Messrs. Allen, Spruill, Mc- | a bill in relation to the Confederate monument, and asked that it be placed | districts of North Carolina. on the Calendar and be made a special order for next Thursday at 11.80,

> CALENDAR. Bill to amend chapter 838, Laws of 1891, to protect the oyster interests of North Carolina, providing a certain tax on every bushel of oysters caught. After an able speech by Mr. Carter, of Hyde, passed third reading. Also, bill to incorporate the Loan and Savings Bank of Chariotte. Also, to levy a special tax for Green county, as amended by Mr. Carraway.

> Mr. Schulken, by permission, intro-duced a bill to redocket certain judgments in the Superior Court of Bladen The bour for the special order having

> tion of Mr. Long, of Alamance, the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole, and Speaker Overman called

Also, bill to amend chapter 66. Laws of 1877, in relation to the Cumberland Lodge of Knights of Pythias, On motion of Mr. Long, of Alamance, he House took a recess till 7.80 p. m.

The Whole, and Speaker Overman called sion by Messrs. Allen, Jones, of Caldwell amended, that every he the the amendment referred to the future, and whether the bonds, he House took a recess till 7.80 p. m.

The Whole, and Speaker Overman called sion by Messrs. Allen, Jones, of Caldwell amended to the chair.

Sion by Messrs. Allen, Jones, of Caldwell and positively cures Pfles or no pay is required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price satisfaction satisfaction, or money refunded. Price satisfaction the House took a recess till 7.80 p. m. | section whose reading should not be | &c., which the company should in future | gists.

having passed. The motion as amended prevailed.

This bill will not be concluded in several days.

RALRIGH, N. C., Feb. 22, 1898. SENATE. The Senate was called to order this morning at the usual hour by Lieut.

Governor Doughton. Mr. Patterson introduced a bill amend chapter 812, Laws of 1889, regarding the killing of fish with dynamite. Mr. McDowell, bill to incorporate the Mutual Farmer's Fire Association. Also, bill relating to the fireman's relief

Mr. Davis, a bill to amend the pharmacy of the State.

The Wilmington & Weldon Railroad tax bill was reported back from the House with an amendment providing that there be added in the bill to go on the tax list, warehouses, terminal facilities and all other properties. Mr. Pou moved that the Senate do not concur in the amendment. Mr. Cooper said that the Senate should concur and pass the bill. Mr. Aycock said that if the bill were allowed to go back to the House the amendment could be adjusted and he hoped the Senate would not concur Mr. Leatherwood pointed out that if the amendment were concurred in there would have to be another conference with the railroad. The Senate refused to concur and the bill went back to the

Mr. Pettigrew moved to reconsider the vote by which the State Normal and Industrial School bill had passed the Sen-ate, and the motion prevailed by a vote of 21 to 14.

Mr. Pettigrew stated that he had not understood the appropriation thoroughly when he voted to reduce it from \$15,000 to \$10,000. He now saw the necessity of keeping up this institution as it should be kept up, since it had been established. Mr. Twitty moved that the amendment by which the appropriation was reduced from \$15,000 to \$10,000 be recon-

After considerable discussion the preious question was called for and recured upon the motion to reconsider the passage of the amendment reducing the appropriation. The motion prevailed by a vote of 28 navs and 15 noes. Mr. Twitty now offered an amend

ment to the bill by substituting \$3,500 for \$5,000, thus reducing the appr priation to \$12,500 annually, and the amendment was adopted. On the final passage of the bill Mr ones called for the yeas and nays. The

bill then passed third reading, yeas 29, navs 14. The bill as passed is in its original form except that the annual appropriation is \$13,500 instead of \$15,000. A resolution introduced by Mr. Pou imiting debate to ten minutes for the

remainder of the session was adopted. THE UNIVERSITY APPROPRIATION. The special order was announced, the bill to provide for the repairs on the buildings of the University of North water and sanitary conveniences; for the training of teachers and druggists and for other purposes.

The bill appropriates \$10,000 annually, in addition to the appropriations made by other acts; making the total annual appropriation \$30 000.

Mr. McLaughlin, of Cumberland, offered an amendment that the trustees of the University shall within six months abolish the freshman class and grade in the academic work of the University and shall allow no students to be received and no classes to be taught below the sophmore class and grade as at present constituted. The trustees shall also establish, develop and foster post graduate professional, technical and finishing courses. Mr. McLaughlin spoke n favor of his amendment. Mr. Mc. Dowell remarked that it smacked very strongly of the bill to move the University up to Apex.

Mr. Jones offered an amendment that the bill shall be in force only for the years 1893 and 1894, and that it shall be used only for repairs on the buildings. After considerable discussion pro and con, Mr. Pou offered an amendment which he said he hoped would obviate the difference. It provided that the increased appropriation should apply for four years. Mr. Jones declined to accept the amendment. Mr. Twity said there ought to be at least \$1,000 per year set apart under this bill to establish a Chair of Pharmacy at the University. The previous question was called and recurred on Mr. Jones' amendment that the bill be in force two years' only, etc. The amendment was adopted

by a vote of 22 to 21. The question was met upon the mendment of Mr. McLaughlin, and it lailed for lack of a single vote in its favor so far as heard. Mr. Brown now offered an amend ment cutting the amount named in the bill from \$10,000 down to \$5,000. The

ayes and noes were called and the amend ment failed to pass-ayes 6, noes 38. The bill then passed its third reading by a unanimous vote. Mr. Jones lodging motion to reconsider. Mr. Day introduced a bill relating to spirituous liquors at Killquick; also a bill confirming the powers of the Edge-

comb Homestead and Loan Company and conferring banking privileges. The Senate then adjourned till o'clock p. m. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The House was called to order, with Speaker Overman in the chair. PETITIONS PRESENTED.

Mr. Ward, from citizens of Warsaw township. Duplin county, asking the appointment of S. R. Carroll as Justice of he Peace; also, to prohibit the sale of spirituous liquors withing two miles of Warsaw High School; also, petition against the same. Mr. Venters, relating o killing bear in Onslow county, Mr. Adams, relative to the incorporation of Summer High School.

BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS INTRODUCED. Mr. Wood, to protect cattle raisers of North Carolina by taxing importers of

Mr. Bellamy, to prohibit non-residents from hunting, fishing and gathering oysters, &c., in Brunswick county. Mr. Harriss, to extend the liabilities of railroad corporations in cases of personal injuries suffered by employes in heir service. Mr. Brooks, bill supplemental to an act to incorporate the People's Bank

Mr. Westbrook, to establish a free ferry across North East river. Mr. Adams, to amend and simplify the law of attachments. Also, to authorize the commissioners of Moore county to in connection with it. The present casell the poor house and buy a farm, &c. pacity is 1,000 barrels per day. Mr. Carter, bill defining the oyster

Mr. Rowe, to amend chapter 29, Laws 1891, relative to railway crossings in the town of Washington. Also, to autuorize Beaufort county to issue bonds. Mr. Ward, to change certain counties in the Sixth judicial district. Mr. Schulken, by permission, offered a petition from citizens of Columbus county, asking for prohibition of the sale

of liquors within three miles of New

Hope Church.

A message from the Senate was read; to-wit: that the Senate refuse to concur in the House amendment (to add after the word equipment the words "ware-houses," "terminal facilities and other property") to the bill passed last night taxing the Wilmington & Weldon Railway Company. Mr. Allen moved that the House recede from the House amendGETTING EVEN WITH THE ROADS

bring in would be liable to taxation, and why were the railroad authorities unwilling to accept the amendment, even if its provisions were included in the bill. The discussion showed that the amendment only referred to back taxes; Charleston News and Courier. In the United States Court the epresentatives of the State Adminalso that any property in the future brought into the State by the company shall be liab'e to taxation; that the comistration put its ease against the railroads on very high ground. It was pany was opposed to the amendment because it would require the payment of \$2,500 more than the committee who asserting the sovereignty of the State, etc. It was defending the State's dignity, etc. It was representing the majesty of the State, etc. It was trying to make insolvent and recalcitrant corporations pay their just taxes so that there should be no amount of cash, which is not so reported discrimination in their favor and against solvent tax-payers-indi Mr. Allen's motion to recede from riduals and corporations, etc., etc. Out of Court, the representatives

of the Administration tell a different

story. They do not think so much

of the dignity of the State. They

framed the bill designed to be paid, as it

of property twice, the amount spoken of

having been substituted by an equal

in the statement of the list for taxation

the House amendment prevailed.

The bill to establish the State bank-

ing system of North Carolina. This bill

s embodied in a pamphlet of 89 pages.

This was discussed ably by Mr. Watson.

several sections, and passed its second

The nour for the special order having

asylums of the State, was ordered to be

The bill provides for the Insane Asy

um at Raleigh, as follows: \$62,500-

for laundry, \$8 000 for dining room. \$6.

for purshase of adjoining lands, \$500 tor

Mr. Kuchin commenced a speech or

special order for .0.80 o'clock to-mor-

Mr. Jones, of Caldwell, called the at-

tention of the House to the small

amount of work that had been done and

of the short time left in which to do it.

He offered a resolution from the Com-

mittee on Rules that hereafter the

House convene every morning at 10

On motion of Mr. Blair, the House

took a recess until 7 o'clock this evening.

[Special Star Telegram.]

NIGHT SESSION.

RALEIGH, Feb. 22.-The Senate to-

night considered as the special order bill

to establish the new county of Eikin of

parts of Surry, Yadkin and Wilkes, and

to remove the county seat of Surry

from Dobson to Mt. Airy. After full

discussion the bill passed third reading

In the House, the special order was

the bill to create the new county of Scot-

land of the lower half of Richmond.

which has already passed the Senate.

o as to submit the question to the vote

of the entire people of Richmond county

and it then passed its second reading by

GEN. BEAUREGARD.

The Distinguished Confederate Chieftain

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

Beauregard died at his home in this

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 21 .- The funeral

of General Beauregard will be a public one, taking place at 8 o'clock Thursday

alternoon. The City Council will meet

to-night and probably offer the Council

chamber as the place where the remains

may lie in state. All the veteran

organizations and the State militia wil-

probably participate in the funeral cere-

in charge of General John Glynne.

following explains itself:

monies, the arrangements for which are

NEW ORLEANS, February 21 .- The

Headquarters United Confederate Vet

erans, New Orleans, La., February 21.-General Order No. 83.-The General

Commanding, with deepest sorrow, an-

nounces to the members of our "Social,

Literary and Historical and Benevolent

Brotherhood" the death of one of our

grandest members and one of the great-

st American soldiers-General G. T.

Beauregard-the last of the rull Gen-

erals of the Southern Confederacy

save one. He has closed his dis-

tinguished career, his gallant spirit having passed into the realm of shadows at 10 o'clock p. m. yesterday. In our

civil war romance and chivalry clustered

around his name; at his command the

first shot was fired which set ablaze the

torch of war. He commanded in the

first victory which shed glory upon

Southern arms, and participated in the

closing scenes of the struggle at Joseph

E. Johnston's surrender at Greenboro

N. C. His dauntless courage, his

matchless ability and imperishable

deeds during the war, rendered his name

not only famous and of dazzling bril-

liancy upon this continent, but i

reached out over the wide world. His

wonderful achievements and his lustrous

fame were discussed in strange tongues

and under palms by the far-away barba-

rians, as well as by all those

people sheltered under the Christian shield, and his military service sought

by nations whose banner floated the

pale crescent, as well as those embla-

zoned with the fi ery cross. His digni

fied deportment in private life, his forti-tude and earnest endeavors to build up

the fortunes of his people and of the

South, enobled him as a patriot, as a

citizen and as a man. The General

commanding desires that all possibe

honors be paid to his memory by the

By order of J. B, Gordon, General

- Newbern Journal: Messrs

Jones & Co's, barrel factory in this city

will start up this week. Last year they

made and sold 40.000 barrels here, prin

cipally plain ones; but they made a few

patent wine barrels. The latter gave

such better satisfaction that they in-

tend this season to confine their opera-

tions to them alone. The factory's ca-

pacity has been considerably increased

a two story building 75x40 feet having

been built for its use, and an old one of

about the samesize retained to be used

A Leader.

Since its first introduction, Electric

Bitters has gained rapidly in popular

favor, until now it is clearly in the lead

among pure medicinal tonics and altera-

tives-containing nothing which permits

its use as a beverage or intoxicant, it

is recognized as the best and purest

medicine for all ailments of Stomach, Liver or Kidneys.—It will cure Sick

Headache, Indigestion, Constipution,

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Satisfaction guaranteed with each bot-

tle or the money will be refunded.

Price 50c. per bottle. Sold by R. R.

Buckien Arnica Salve.

BELLAMY, Druggist.

GEORGE MOORMAN.

Adit. Gen. and Chief of Staff.

United Confederate Veterans.

Commanding.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 21 .- Gen.

Passes to the Other Shore-Preparations

cock instead of 10 80

by a vote of 28 to 9.

a vote of 51 to 46.

for the Funeral

city at 10 30 last night.

difference in the exchange of boilers.

1898, \$6,000 for 1894.

would be paying tax on a certain amoun

of Forsyth, and others, amended in are not so anxious to have it appear that the Administration occupies a strictly impartial and judicial attitude towards all persons and interarrived, the bill for the maintenance and ests under its authority and desires support of the hospitals and insane to be recognized as the alma mater of all its citizens, whether employed as common carriers or uncommor carriers or no carriers at all. In \$5,852 for outstanding accounts, \$2,500 the report of official committees heard about the State House 500 for year 1894, 4,000 for engineering in the past few days, since department, \$3,000 for electric lights, etc. the action of the United States Court Assylum at Morganton: \$6,000 for in the sheriffs' cases was announced Asylum at Goldsboro: \$33,000 per annum—\$6,500 for 1898, 6,500 1894. \$2 000 our correspondent at Columbia states that the Administration-or representatives of it-"say that no leniency would be shown to the railroad corporations that have seen fit to go the bill. The bill embodies the reports into the Courts to ask for protecof the majority and minority before tion." The Comptroller General's read in the House. This bill is endorsed by the entire committee. He was inoffice "thinks that it has a good point terrupted with various questions, until finally, on motion of Mr. Blair, the bill on the already crippled roads" in that it "can attach a penalty of 50 was ordered to be printed and made a

per cent, to the assessments," There is to be "no leniency" to wards them on the part of the Administration. "The ultimatum is that these roads will have to return their property by townships," a requirement not insisted on heretofore, "otherwise they will be liable to the full penalty of 50 per cent." Money must be screwed out of them by some means, and any means will be em ployed that will serve the purpose of bleeding the roads and annoying their owners and managers. And "the pecular part of the transaction "is that it is announced that such roads as have not gone to the Courts about their taxes will be given reasonable time to make the surveys and correct their returns."

A "State officer" says that "the friends of the Administration," among the roads "would be taken care of, and that the others have no reason to expect more than they will get," which is to say no favors and a demand for more taxes in the shape After a long debate the bill was amended of heavy penalties.

pretence of fair play and impartial dealing. Defeated litigants sometimes retire to the tavern and there swear at the Court and the Administration, not having a tavern convenient, and not caring to swear at the Court openly makes faces at it in the State House, and proposes to vent its wrath on the parties of the other part, who have won their case. The roads friendly to the Administration, the roads that would not resist the tyrannical aggressions of the Administration, "will be taken care of," the others will have to pay for their temerity in trying to protect their rights and for the success of their efforts in that regard. The Administration thinks it "has them by the back of the neck" and intends to squeeze them again, if it can.

It is a mean position for the Administration of a State Government to assume. The language of Its representatives, as quoted, is unworthy of dignified and responsible men in any public position. The Governor ought to have repudiated t on its publication, but three days have elapsed since then and he has evidently found nothing in it that was objectionable to them. The speakers evidently spoke for the Administration—for him as well as for themselves. What the outcome of it all will be we shall not attempt to guess. The roads have found means to protect themselves effectually so far; perhaps the same power will give them further protection if further discrimination is attempted at their expense. We may be sure that the United States Court will not allow a law to be enforced against roads under its charge and care that it is not enforced against others not so situated.

The effort to practice such dis crimination is worthy of note, however. It shows that regard for the law and the interests of the State is not the only motive of the Adminis tration's attacks on some of the railroad companies. It would be in teresting to know to what extent it has been influenced by political and purely personal considerations.

CLEVELAND'S CABINET. All the Places Filled-Herbert, of Ale bams, to be Secretary of the Navy.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. LAKEWOOD, N. J., February 29 .- Mr Cleveland announced this morning that he had completed his Cabinet by the selection of Richard Olney, of Boston, for Attorney General, and Hillary A. Herbert, of Alabama, for Secretary of the 2021/2 cents. Navy. The complete Cabinet is as tollows: Walter O. Gresham, of Illinois, Secretary of State; John G. Carlisle, of Kentucky, Secretary of the Treasury; Daniel S. Lamont, of New York, Secretary of War; Hillary A. Herbert, of Alabama, Secretary of the Navy; Hoke Smith, of Georgia, Secretary of the Interior; J. Sterling Morton, of Nebraska, Secretary of Agriculture; Wilson S. Bissell, of New York, Postmaster General; Richard Olney, of Massachusetts, Attorney

The selection of Hillary A. Herbert for the Navy has been expected for several days, but Mr. Oiney's name had delayed and freight trains such as are not been mentioned in connection with the Cabinet, and his selection is a surprise to everybody, particularly to the friends of Geo. A. Jenks. Hillary A. Herbert has been in Congress for many years and has acted as Chairman of the Naval Committee of the House. He is thoroughly familiar with the work that has been done toward placing the United States Navy on a proper footing, and his knowledge of the present condition of vessels under construction, and which had been planned, makes him a most admirable man for the head of the Department. His selection is

also practically a promotion.

Richard Olney is one of the leading The best Salve in the world for Cutters, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum Fever, Sores, Tetters, Chapped Hands Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions cal matters, but is known as one call matters, but is known as one COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET. STAR OFFICE, February 16. SPIRITS TURPENTINE-Market

firm at 83 cents per gallon. Sales at ROSIN-Market firm at \$1 05 per bbl. for Strained and \$1 10 for Good Strained.

TAR .- Steady at \$1 00 per bbl. CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Distillers quote the market steady at \$1 00 for

Hard and \$1 70 for Yellow Dipand Vir-PEANUTS-Farmers' stock quoted at 50 to 75 cents per bushel of 29 pounds. Market quiet.

NORFOLK MARKET - Steady. Prime, 2% cents; Strictly Prime, 3% cents; Fancy, 81/4 cents; Spanish, 81/4@ 3% cents; common, 1@2 cents; shelled, 2 @31/2 cents.

COTTON-Steady on a basis of tor Middling. Official quotations are: Ordinary..... 6% cts \$ 10 Good Ordinary..... 7% Low Middling..... 8 9-16 Middling. ... 9 5-16

STAR OFFICE, February 17. SPIRITS TURPENTINE.-Market steady at 82 cents per gallon. Sales at quotations. ROSIN - Market steady at \$1 10 per

bbl. for Strained and \$1 15 for Good Strained. TAR .- Steady at \$1 00 per bbl. of

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Distillers quote the market steady at \$1 00 for Hard, and \$1 70 for Yellow Dip and Virgin.

PEANUTS-Farmers' stock quoted at 50 to 75 cents per bushel of 28 pounds. NORFOLK MARKET - Steady.

Prime, 2% cents; Strictly Prime, 2% cents; Fancy 81/2 cts; Spanish, 21/202% cents; common, 1@2 cents; shelled, 2@ 21/4 cents. COTTON-Steady on a basis of 90 for Middling. Official quotations are: Ordinary..... 6% cts % lb Good Ordinary..... 7%

Low Middling..... 8 9-16 Middling..... 9 Good Middling..... 9 5-16 STAR OFFICE, Feb. 18. SPIRITS TURPENTINE .- Market firm at 82 cents per gallon. Sales at quotations.

ROSIN.-Market firm at \$1 10 per bbl. for Strained and \$1 15 for Good Strained. TAR .- Steady at \$1 00 per bbl. of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Distillers quote the market steady at \$1 00 for Hard, and \$1 70 for Yellow Dip and Virgin. PEANUTS-Farmers' stock quoted at 50 to 75 cents per bushel of 28 pounds.

Market quiet. NORFOLK 'MARKET' - Steady. Prime, 2% cents; Strictly Prime, 2% cents; Fancy 31/2 cts; Spanish, 21/03% cents; common, 1@8 cents; shelled, 2@ 214 cents. COTTON-Firm on a basis of 90 for Middling, Official quotations are:

Good Ordinary 7% Low Middling 8 9-16 " " Middling..... 9
Good Middling.... 9 5-16 STAR OFFICE, February 20. SPIRITS TURPENTINE-Market steady at 82 cents per gallon. Sales at

Ordinary..... 6%

quotations.

bbl. for Strained and \$1 15 for Good Strained. TAR .- Steady at \$1 05 per bbl. of 280 fbs. CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Distillers

ROSIN-Market firm at \$1 10 per

quote the market steady at \$1 00 for Hard, and \$1 70 for Yellow Dip and Virgin. PEANUTS-Farmers' stock quoted at 50 to 75 cents per bushel of 28 pounds. Market quiet.

NORFOLK MARKET - Steady.

Prime, 2% cents; Strictly Prime, 2% cents; Fancy. 31/2 cents; Spanish, 21/4@ 2% cents; common, 1@2 cents; shelled, 2@21 cents. COTTON.-Firm on a basis of 90 for Middling. Official quotations are: Ordinary..... 65% Good Ordinary 7% Low Middling.... 8 9-16

Middling.... 9 Good Middling... 9 5-16 STAR OFFICE, Feb. 21. SPIRITS TURPENTINE-Market teady at 89 cents per gallon. Sales a quotations.

ROSIN.-Market firm at \$1 10 per bbl. for Strained and \$1 15 for Good Strained. TAR.-Steady at \$1 05 per bbl. of CRUDE TURPENTINE-Distillers

quote the market steady at \$1 00 for Hard, and \$1 70 for Yellow Dip and Virgin. PEANUTS-Farmers' stock quoted at 50 to 75 cents per bushel of 28 pounds. Market quiet.

NORFOLK MARKET - Steady.

Prime, 2% cents; Strictly Prime, 2% cents; Fancy, 81/2 cents; Spanish, 21/2@ 2% cents; common, 1@2 cents; shelled COTTON-Steady on a basis of 9c tor Middling. Official quotations are: Ordinary..... 6% Good Ordinary..... 7% Low Middling..... 8 9-16 "

Good Middling..... 9 5-16 "

Middling..... 9

[Hollday. Produce Exchange closed and business generally suspended.] The entire State of Pennsylvania is covered with snow from one foot to thirty inches deep. The weather is ex-tremely cold, wind high and snow drifting. Railroad trains everywhere are

moving require three or four engines,

STAR OFFICE, Feb. 92.

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WASHINGTON NEWS. Senate in Executive Session on the Hawaiian Treaty—Representative O'Ferrail Somewhat Improved.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. WASHINGTON, February 22.—The Senate spent several hours this afternoon in executive session on the Hawaiian treaty. Senator Morgan, one of the members of the Behring Sea Arbitration Board for the United States, leaves for New York to-morrow to begin his journey to Europe. He was desirous of addressing the Senate in executive session before his departure, and it was for this purpose that the Senate laid aside other business this afternoon. No one, except Mr. Morgan, spoke and his speech was a strong plea for annexa-tion of the Islands; a plea that he has frequently made on the floor of the Senate when the doors were not closed The speech is spoken of as a masterly effort and one of the greatest this dis-tinguished Senator and member of the Foreign Affairs Committee has yet made on the subject of the foreign policy of the United States.

Representative O'Ferrall, of Virginia who has been confined to his room for several days by injuries received from a fall, is somewhat improved to-day, and his friends expect he will be able to resume his duties in the House by Saturday or Monday.

ELECTRIC SPARKS.

A London dispatch says: The Princess Laulini, heiress to the throne of Hawail, sailed yesterday for New York on the steamer Teutonic. The Princess is accompanied by Theophilus Davies, wife and daughter, and Miss Wartoff.

A Pittsburg, Pa., dispatch says: Late

returns of yesterday's city election confirm last night's reports. Judge Bernard McKenna, Democrat, is elected Mayor by 11,100 plurality. Only one candidate on the Republican ticket was elected. A Breakwater, Lewes, Del., dispatch says: The tug Pioneer reports the brig Georgiana F. Gery, Captain Conklin, from Charleston for New York, off Five Fathom Bank Lightship, yesterday afternoon, abandoned and water-logged

The tug attempted to tow her, but

impossible. The brig will probably go

o pieces.

When Baby was sos we gave our Castoria When e've was a Child, she cried for Castora. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had 'hildren, she gave them . so toria.

COTTON AND NAVAL STORES. WEEKLY STATEMENT.

RECEIPTS. For week ended February 17, 1898, Rosin. 8,463 RECEIPTS. For week ended February 19, 1892. Spirits. EXPORTS. For week ended February 17, 1893. 1,064 1,532 119 EXPORTS. For week ended February 19, 1892. Spirits, Rosin, Tar. Crude. 239 25 513 158 000 00 0J0 00 5,715 25 513 239 5,740 STOCKS. and Afloat, Feb. 17, 1898 Ashore. Aftoni. 10 056 1,835 18 808 6,968 00 017 00 18,419 00 00 STOCKS. Ashore and Afloat, Feb. 19, 1898. Rosin. Tar. 37,640 9,118 QUOTATIONS. Feb 19, 1892. Feb. 17, 1898 84

Spirits.... Rosin \$1 1071 15 1 00@1 93 1 00 @1 70 COMPARATVE STATEMENT. Of Stocks, Receipts and Exports of Cotton By Telegraph to the Morning Star. NEW YORK, Feb. 17 .- The following is the comparative cotton state-

nent for the week ending this date: 1893 1892 Net receipts at all United States ports during the week ... 70,889 141,578 Total receipts to this date...... 4,158 039 5,823,150 Exports for the week 78,047 167,547 Total exports to this States ports..... 962,487 1,196,781 Stock at all interior towns...... 180,581 243,889 Stock in Liverpool..1,658,000 1,678,000 American affoat for

Great Britain 117.000 220.000 EXPORTS FOR THE WEEK. FUREIGN. LONDON-Ger barque Carl Friedrick -4.125 bbls rosia.

FLEETWOOD-Ger barque Wilhelmine Pust-4,290 barrels rosin. STETTIN-Nor barque Lauercost-4,912 bbls rosin. PORT-AU-PRINCE-Br schr Onora-49,971 feet lumber. COASTWISE.

PHILADELPHIA -Schr R S Graham 280,268 feet lumber, 60,200 shingles. PHILADELPHIA-Schr Eva A Danenower-166.000 feet lumber, 1,000 bolts, 5.800 shingles. PHILADELPAIA-Schr Annie Ainslie -261,000 feet lumber, 25,575 shingles.

MARINE.

ARRIVED. Nor barque Jacob Arendt, 486 tons Leibauer, Liverpool, Heide & Co. Nor barque Sondre, 585 tons, Jacoben, Tybee, Riley & Co. Br schr Victory, 181 tons, Munro, Nassau, Cronly & Morris. Schr John Pearce, 885 tons, Taylor, New York, Geo Harriss, Son & Co. Nor barque Snar, 510 tons, Olsen, Tybee, Heide & Co. Italian barque Mariannina, 496 tons, Astereta, Tybee, Jas T Riley & Co. Schr Nellie Shipman, 821 tons, Hud-Steamship Pawnee, Ingram, New York, H G Smallbones.

CLEARED. Schr R S Graham, Taylor, Philadelphia, Geo Harriss, Son & Co; cargo by W L Parsley. Ger barque Carl Friedrick, Ballow. London, Paterson, Downing & Co. Steamship Croatan, Hansen, New York, H G Smallbones, Schr John E Dubigon, Turner, Brunswick, Ga, to load for Boston, Geo Harriss, Son & Co. Schr Nellie Floyd, Johnson, New York, Geo Harriss, Son & Co. Ger barque Withelmine Pust, Evers, Fleetwood, Eng. E Peschau & Co; cargo by Williams & Murchison. Nor barque Lauercost, March, Stettin, Paterson, Downing & Co. Br schr Onora, Mundy, Port-au-Prince, Geo Harriss, Son & Co. Schr Eva A Danenhower, Gardner, Philadelphia, Geo Harriss, Son & Co, cargo by Jas H Chadbourn & Co.
Schr Annie Ainslie, McAndrews, Philadelphia, Geo Harriss, Son & Co.

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The following quotations represent Wholesale Prices generally. In making up small orders higher prices have to be charged.

The quotations are always given as accurately as possible, but the STAR will not be responsible for any variations from the actual market price of the articles WESTERN SMOKED-DRY SALTED-BARRELS— Spirits Turpestine— Second-hand, each BEESWAX P D BRICKS— Wilmington, W M..... Northern BUTTER-North Carolina, P D...... CORN MEAL—
Per bushel, n sacks......
Virginia Meal..... COTTON TIES- P bundle Adamantine

CHEESE—9 D—
Northern Factory
Dairy, Cream...... COFFEE-19 1b-.... DOMESTICS-

Western, low grade GLUE—9 B—...

GRAIN—9 bushel—
Corn, from store, bags—White.
Corn, cargo, in bulk—White.
Corn, cargo, in bags—White.
Corn, mixed, from store.
Cats, from store.
Costs, Rust Proof.

IDES, & D-HAY, \$ 100 bs-HOOP INON, W D LARD, 9 b-

IOLASSES, 9 gallon— New Crop Cuba, in hhds in bbls.....

Syrup, iu bbls NAILS, W keg. Cut. 10d basis..... 60's on basis of \$2.00 price... POULTRY— Chickens, Live, grown...... Spring..... OILS, # gallonsin..... Deck and Spa EANUTS, & bushel 28 Ds.....

POTATOES, # bushel— PORK, W barrer-ROPE, 9 8 SALT, # sack—Alum Liverpool Lisbon American n 125-# Sacak

SOAP, W 10-Northern..... TIMBER, & M feet-Shipping 12 00