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## FOSTERING INDUSTRIES.

There is no industry in which man is engaged which is as much entitled to the fostering care of Governments as the industry of the farm, and yet there is none which has received less. By fostering care we do not mean discriminating legislation which would favor that industry at the expense of others, for the purpose of putting money in the pocket of the man who follows the plow, but that care which would encourage the farmer to his best efforts to develop the industry, and bring out its greatest possibilities. There is no field of human en-

deavor which is so inviting to experiment, where the results obtained may be so important and where the experiments may be so easily and cheaply carried out, and yet there is no field of human endeavor where there is less of this done or more running in the same old rut. An impression prevails among many, and among many farmers themselves, an impression, too, which seems to be entertained by a majority of legislators in this and in other countries, that it is not brains but muscle that is needed on the farm, and all the requisites of the farmer are a hand to hold the plow, to scatter the seed and to harvest the crop. This seems to be the impression with many, and with many who follow the plow and this is why we have so many land butchers who call themselves farmers, who are really as far from being true farmers as they are from being angels with

But there is no calling which, if

the highest results are to be attained, requires a higher order of intelligence or a keener power of observation. It requires not only the talent to study and investigate but the perseverance and the industry to pursue theories and fully test what there may be in them. It is because this kind of farmers are too few that agriculture has made so little progress in the world at large and why even in some civilized countries It is still an almost primitive condition. We would laugh at the Egyptian and the Indian farmer with his ox yoked to a forked stick for a plow preparing the soil for the seed to be sown, but how much of an improvement on the forked stick is the "bull tongue" plow so common on Southern farms some years ago and may be yet. There are millions of the human family who, although they were born and reared on farms never saw a plow, and if you told them that in this country farmers sometimes ride upon their plows and plow as they ride they would, if they believed you, probably come to the conclusion that the farmer who did that was a very lazy man and a very poor farmer.

As far as America compares with other nations in the genius to construct machinery to economize labor and lessen the task of the farmer she is ahead of them all, but her genius seems to have been turned in the direction of lessening labor and enabling a man to cover many acres more than to enabling him to pro duce more from few acres, which is much the more important problem. Taking this view of it it is at least a question whether the invention of so much labor-saving machinery hasn't been a positive injury rather than a benefit, in having been largely instrumental in bringing great bodies of land under cultivation-so-calledinstead of the smaller bodies which might be better cultivated with other

methods. There is much now said and written about, and a growing tendency to diversified farming in the South. This is well, for diversified farming is the only true farming and the only system which will give full play to the higher order of intelligence, or bring out the full possibilities of the soil we cultivate, and it is the only way to make the tiller of the soil really independent, and absolute master of himself and of his own labor, which ought to be the aspiration of every man who lives upon the farm.

For want of organization far reaching and compact enough he a cannot control the markets of the world and fix the prices of the pro ducts he raises, although it is possible for him by even partial co-operation to do much in this way, but if he makes his acres produce everything necessary to his sustenance aed comfort, he need not worry over the freaks of the markets for he can live and live well however they may be manipulated. But if he be dependent upon one crop, which he cannot eat, and must buy what he does eat, then he becomes the victim of the market manipulator, for he must sell to eat, or borrow to buy to eat, and then sell to pay back what he borrowed.

in one year nor two nor five, for it takes some men a long time to turn out of the ruts in which they have been running most of their lives, but with the interest that is being manifested in this new departure, we do expect to see much progress made in that direction, and believe that the day is not so far distant when it will

Every State can do much to pro-

note this grand reform, by showing an interest in it and helping it along with experimental stations, as this State and Alabama, and perhaps some other Southern States are dong, and by the establishment of Agricultural and Mechanical Colleges, with farms attached, on which farming is carried out in both a scientific and practical way, and records kept of methods, cost and results. But even as much or more might be done by organizations of farmers themselves, if they would jointly establish little experimental farms of their own, under the charge of some intelligent farmer of their own selection, where they could test seeds and methods to their own satisfaction, small farms, which could be well and thoroughly cultivated at small expense to each when the crops produced did not pay the cost of cultivation. With even one of this kind

Narcotics have a peculiar effect on some people. The wife of Governor Atkinson, of Georgia, became addicted to them, a fact which her husband didn't know until a bill was presented him for \$1,000 for articles abstracted from one house with which she had been dealing. The kleptomania impulse, the physicians say, was the result of over indulgence in narcotics. The lady has been sent to an institution to be treated. It is said that she did much by her counsel and otherwise to raise her husband to the honored position he now occupies.

They don't have any flash in the pan trials in Mexico because one of the jurors happens to get sick after the trial has progressed for several days. They avoid this by putting in two extra jurymen, who hear all the evidence, but who have nothing to say in rendering the verdict unless one of the jurors should become sick or die, when the "extra" takes his place. The Mexicans do not believe in the unlucky 13, either, for the regular jury is composed of 11, the two extras making 13.

The Manchester canal doesn't seem to be a signal success in the amount of business done, In the past six months only 13,500 tons of cotton passed through it compared with 300,000 tons received at Liver-

Wilmington Savings and Trust Company. The stockholders of the Wilmington Savings and Trust Company held their annual meeting yesterday afternoon at o'clock. Report of the condition of the bank was read, which was highly gratifying. The deposits increased durng the past year from \$50,000 to \$130,000. One year ago the stock would sell only at par, now it cannot be bought at a good premium. Over \$35,000 in interest has been paid to depositors. The bank is now in splendid condition financially and has over four thousand depositors.

The following were elected directors for the ensuing year: Messrs. H. Walters, D. O'Connor, J. S. Worth, Don McRae, W. A. Riach, H. L. Vollers, G. R. French, J. W. Atkinson, B. F.

Hall and J. W. Norwood. By unanimous vote Messrs. W. A. Riach and Don. McRae were added to the Board of Directors, making it, as a whole, one of the strongest boards that ever had charge of a bank in this city. The acquisition of Messrs. Riach and McRae, two of the most thorough business men in Wilmington, is a dis-

CUTTING HATES.

General Reduction of Bates to All Points North.

We understand that there has been a general cut of rates from all points on the Seaboard Air Line to Northern points, ranging as follows: From Wilmington, N. C., to New York, \$19.00; Boston, Mass., \$17.75; Philadelphia, Pa., 10.80; Baltimore, Md., \$8.00; Washington, D. C., \$8 00; Portsmouth and Norfolk, Va., \$8.00; Petersburg, Va., \$9 15; Richmond, Va., \$9 80. From Atlanta; Ga., to Richmond, Va., \$9.80; Petersburg, Va. \$9.15; Portsmouth and Norfolk, Va., \$8.00; Washington, D. C., \$9 50; Baltimore, Md., \$10.00; Philadelphia, Pa., \$11 80; New York, \$14.00; Boston. Mass., \$1975. all rail; Boston, Mass. via M. & M. T. Co., \$17.00. Rates from all points on the line have been cut to correspondingly low figures.

The annexed paragraphs are from the pencillings of the Maxton reporter of

Mr. P. A. Fore has so far recovered from his broken leg as to be able to e around the house without his

Mr. W. S. McNair had the misfortune over a tricycle one night last week fracting one of his tips, from which he suffered a good deal.

Capt. P. P. McRae says that there is a head-board to the grave of an old negro on his place which gives his age at one thousand and seventeen years. thus-"1017." We have always con-tended that this is the healthiest part of the country.

Mr. John McK. Alford is preparing to build a thirty-room hotel at Hamlet, The building will be erected at the unction where the vestibule trains stop, Mr. N. A. Carter will have charge of it. Mr. Carter managed a hotel in Selma, Ala, for some time, with success,

It will astonish you how quick John-son's Magnetic Oil will kill all panes. In-We do not expect to see diversified farming become general in the South ternal and external; \$1.00 size 50 cents; 50 cent size 35 cents. J. H. HARDIN, J. HICKS BUNTING.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

The Board of Commissioners of New Hanover county met in regular session sterday. Present, H. A. Bagg (chairnan), B. G. Worth, E. L. Pearce, B. S.

County Treasurer Van Amringe nade his report for February. be the rule instead of the exception. showing balance on hand to the cridit of general, special and educational funds,

38.920 62. Register of Deeds Haar reported thirteen marriage licenses issued during the past month and fees therefor received and turned over to the county

It was ordered by the Board that the county treasurer transfer from the spe-cial to the general fund \$1,500, in lieu \$8 000 previously ordered to be thus

John H. Whiteman, acting secretary of the United Charities, made report that during the month of February he had issued 181 orders for provisions and 125 orders for wood to colored people of the city who were very much in need and for himself and the United Chariies thanked the Board for the \$150 given in aid of the work,

The chairman brought up the matter of appropriations for public roads for 895, and suggested that it would be best to begin improvements at the city lim-

Mr. Fergus. supervisor of Masonboro ownship, thought it would be best to eave to the supervisors to determine where to begin work, as some roads were more in need of repairs than others. After liscussion it was determined to postpone urther consideration of the matter unti Monday next at 280 p. m., and the of experimental farms in each Clerk of the Board was instructed to invite the attendance of road supervisors county, what strides might not at this meeting.

Southern agriculture make within a On motion, the Board agreed to an appropriation to buy a type-writer for the office of the Clerk of the Superior Board then took a recess until Mon-

> day next. mith's Island.

The Raleigh Visitor publishes the

"Dr. Ulrich, a wealthy citizen of Chi cago, was here on his return trip to Chicago from Smith's island, at the mouth of the Cape Fear river, near Wilmington. Dr. Ulrich is now the owner of the island, having recently purchased it. His object in making the investment is to start on the island a new and handsome Summer hotel and his visit there was to look over the place. He expressed himself as greatly pleased with the advantages of the island for the purposes for which he tought it and says he will organize company to start work at once on his project. Smith's island is a beautiful place, beautifully situated in the river and in close proximity to Wilmington and old ocean. As a site for a resort it could not be surpassed."

Rev. Dr. Moses D. Hoge. The Richmond correspondent of Petersburg Index-Appeal says:

"There have been many guesses as to Dr. Hoge by the members of his congregation. It is understood now that the total was about \$3,000. The gentle men are said to have raised \$2 000 and the ladies \$1,000. The popular divine received other valuable gifts. Dr. Hoge has stood the strain upon him during the week remarkably well. He was out driving to day and looked unusually well and strong. He is younger to-day at 78 than most men are at 70."

The Criminal Circuit, Don't you know prospective Judge of the Criminal Court Cook grinned when the bill introduced for his benefit passed the Senate yesterday? The sole object in creating the new Criminal Circuit is to give Mr. C. A. Cook and others of als party employment. He is a Republican "statesman out of a job." The Legislature intends to let New Hanover have a Criminal Court, but in the division of the spoils Cook's share is the udgeship.

Death of Mrs. H. McD. Robinson, of Pay-The sad intelligence was received here esterday of the death in Fayetteville of Mrs. Robinson, wife of H. McD. Robinson, Esq., of that city. She died Sunday

atternoon at half past 5 o'clock, in the 84th year of her age, leaving two small children. She was Miss Hill, of Faisons, N. C., before her marriage a few years ago, and well known to many in this community.

Senator Carver, of Cumberland, who has killed eighty-eight deer and 1 274 loxes, is not by any means the champion unter of Cumberland county, siys the Raleigh News and Observer, Mr. Wilham Love, who lives in western Cumberland, possibly enjoys that distinction, In reply to a question as to how many deer he has killed, Mr. Love says he has in his day and time, killed 475 deer, 850 turkeys and fifty eagles. He was born n 1822, being now 78 years old, and

killed eleven deer before he was 12 years of age, Of fourteen deer, he killed two at one time. The largest number of turkeys he ever killed at one shot was ten. Mr. Love lives in a section of country in which, until recently, deer were plentiful, sometimes going in herds as sheep are accuste med to go. But now they have well nigh entirely disappeared. Mr. Love having shot his last deer in 1889, six years ago.

EQUAL RIGHTS TO ALL The Drummer Tax Would Apply Only Drummers for State Firms.

RALEIGH, N. C., March 5. To the Editor of the News & Observer There appears to be some misappreension as to the decision of the Sureme Court of the United States in egard to taxing drummers. The case s Robbins vs. Shelby (Tennessee). Taxng District, vol. 190, U. S. S. C. Re-

The Court says: That it is unconstiutional for the States to tax inter-State commerce. That selling goods from one State into another is inter-State commerce. That a drummer engaged in this business cannot be taxed by a State.

On page 497, vol. 120, the Court particularly says: "It is strongly urged, as if it were a material point in this case, that no discrimination is made between domestic and foreign drummers-those of Tennessee and those of other Statesthat all are taxed alike.

But that does not meet the difficulty. Inter State commerce cannot be taxed tax thould be laid on comestic commerce or that which is carried on solely within the State." And so it is conclusively settled that a

Richmond or Baltimore drummer cannot be taxed in North Carolina. To tax our Wilmington and Raleigh and Charlotte drummers only gives wholesale houses in Richmond, Charleston, etc., that much advantage over "Home Busi-S. A. ASHE.

Don't Tobacco Spit or Smoke Your Life Away. is the truthful, startling title of a book about No-To-Bac, the harmless, guaran teed tobacco habit cure that braces up nicotinized nerves, eliminates the nicotine poison, makes weak men gain strength, vigor and manhood, You run so physical or financial risk, as No-To-Bac is sold by R. R. BELLAMY & Co. under a guarantee to cure or money re-funded. Book free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., New York or Chicago, † STATE LEGISLATURE.

THE CRIMINAL COURT BILL PASSED THE SENATE WITHOUT MENDMENT.

Fred Rice Save it Will Pass the House with the Bill to Amend the Charter the City of Wilmington Daspite Protest Wilmington Have Not Yet Been Given a Hearing,

[Special Star Correspondence.] RALEIGH, N. C., March 4. The House passed on third reading

SENATE. The Senate met at 10 o'clock a m, and prayer was offered by Rev J L Foster. The journal was read and approved. Mr White, of Perquimans, introduced

a bill to prohibit log cutting by railroads in North Carolina. Mr White, of Alexander, a bill to pay burial expenses of E L Franks. Mr Taylor, a bill to change the time

of holding Courts in Harnett.

Mr Grant, a bill to authorize the commissioners of Fremont to regulate iquor licenses. Mr Sigmon, a bill to create the office of Commissioner of Immigration; also, bill to encourage farmers and the flour

Mr Carver, a bill to place Nathan

Smith on the pension list; also, a bill to create the township of Casey's Mill in Cumberland county; also, a bill to pro-tect public bridges in Cumberland Mr Green, a bill to amend chapter 180,

Laws of 1888. Mr Dula a bill to repeal chapter 198, Laws of 1891; also, a bill to withdraw the office of county treasurer in certain

Mr Paddison arose to a point of personal privilege and de-clared that a bill had passed the Senate without his knowledge for the reliet of I G Kenan, ex Sheriff of Duplin county, and moved that it be recalled from the House. The President informed him that this could not be done and that he would have to oppose it in the House.

Bill to reduce the expenses of the Department of Agriculture was taken up. t reduces the number of trustees from 18 to 15, and provides that the President of the Farmers' Alliance shall be a member of the Board. Mr Dowd made a powerful speech against the bill. The previous question was called and the bill passed its third reading.

Mr Taylor introduced a bill to provide for appointing a cotton weigher for the town of Dunn.

Bill for the reduction of the expense Candler explained that it abolished the encampment feature; reduced the expense of each company from \$350 to \$150 and reduced the pay of the Adjutant General from \$600 to \$800. The bill passed third reading on an yea and nay vote-ayes, 888; nors. 9

Bill to create the office of Lumber In spector and provide for his appointment was taken up, and Mr Forbes spoke in favor of the bill. Amendments were offered excepting a number of counties and an amendment was adopted that the bill go into effect July 1st, and the vides for a \$3,000 salary for the Lumber Inspector.

THE SPECIAL ORDER. The special order was taken up at 12 o'clock, being a bill to establish an Insurance Commissioner for North Caroina, and Mr Fortune spoke in favor of the bill. Mr Fornes asked Mr Fortune f he was not a candidate for the office of Commissioner of Insurance. Mr Fortune replied that his name had been mentioned in connection with the place. because he had introduced the bill. He said he had not announced himself as a candidate and had not electroneered for the place, but he would not say that he would not take the place if the bill became a law.

[Special Star Telegram.] The Senate tabled the bill to provide for a State insurance commissioner, and also defeated Mr. Moody's bill to provide for a succession tax on estates for maintenance of public schools Also, tabled the bill to appropriate \$5,000 to enable the ladies of the State to exhibit their handswork at the Atlanta Exposi-

The Oyster bill, known as the Limited Dredging bill, requiring all dredging boats to be licensed, was taken up as special order and passed second reading, but was defeated on third reading by a vote of 15 to 20.

The bill passed third reading to amend the charter of the Wilmington and Southern Railroad; bill to amend the charter of the Atlantic and North Caroina Railroad passed second reading. It provides for a State's proxy, to be elected by this General Assembly who shall appoint five additional directors to represent the board, and also fill existing vacancies. This will give the Fusionists a majority of the board

The bill to abolish the New Hanover and Mecklenburg Criminal Court passed its third reading in the Senate without amendment.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. The House met at 10 o'clock, the Speaker in the chair, and prayer by Res Mr Woodard, of the House. PETITIONS AND PAPERS.

Mr Linney, petition in regard to the ale of liquor near Dover Church, in Alexander county. Mr Ewart, papers in election cases. and gave notice that he would cal them up.

BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS. Mr Crawford, bill to protect creditors against fraudulent conveyances of pro-Mr Harris, of Gaston, bill to allow M

Holly to issue bonds and levy a special Mr Crumpler, bill to establish a new ownship in Sampson county. Mr Bean, bill to protect birds in Randolph and Davidson counties. Mr Robinson, bill to authorise the levy of a special tax in Anson county. Mr Chilcott, bill to provide for the drainage of land on Haw river and certain tributaries in Guilford county. Mr Lineback, resolution to provide

copies of the Colonial Records for mem Mr Croom, bill to place D W Mott, o Pender county, on the pension roll. Mr Higgins, bill to correct land grant

Mr Norment, bill to prohibit boycottng of railroads in North Carolina. Mr Williams, of Craven, resolution for the relief of the pages of the Legisla-

QUESTION OF PERSONAL PRIVILEGE.

Mr Williams, of Craven, rose to question of personal privilege and read from the Asheville Citizen of March 2d Company. Tabled. an editorial which, after alluding to his roting for the Douglass resolution, proceeded to identify him as the same R P. Williams from Craven county who ran for Mayor oi Newbern several years ago as a Democrat but was defeated and thereupon became a Republican-for office only He said he simply desired to denounce the editor of the Citizen the Democratic side. se a liar from birth, a liar by instinct and a Yankee renegade from Michigan; and he would add scoundrel, based upon the

above stated facts. BILLS ON THEIR PASSAGE. Bill to incorporate the town of Swanns' oro. Second reading. Calen-

Bill to establish a graded school to Washington. Passed third reading Bill to amend the charter of Lincolnon. Passed third reading. Bill to maintain and support the colored asylum at Goldsboro. Appropri-ates \$95,000 for two years. Passed third

the Code. This is the County Government bill, and was made the special order for 11 o'clock to-morrow.

Resolution to reimburse the sub committee who visited the State Hospital at Goldsbord. Passed its third reading.

Bill in regard to Building and Loan Associations. Passed second reading. Bill to amend the charter of Ply-

nouth. Passed third reading. [Special Star Telegram] The House took up the Machiner Act, and considered it in Committee of the Whole till adjournment.

the bill to allow Commissioners of New Hanover county to sell the old court house and lot bill parsed second reading to amend the charter of Newbern. The committee of citizens from Wilmington have not yet been given a hear-ing, and Senator Rice states that both the Wilmington charter bill and the New Hanover Criminal Court bill, both now pending in the House, will un-

doubtedly pass despite all protest.

[By Southern Associated Press.]

RALEIGH, N. C., March 4.—In the Senate and House to-day bills were introduced to prevent boycotting by rail roads in the State, A fine of \$1,000 and forfeiture of the charter of an offending road is the penalty provided. This is a blow at the boycott of the Seaboard Air Line by the Southern Railway and Steamship Association.

In the Senate a bill to appropriate \$5 000 for a woman's exhibit at Atlanta Exposition, and a resolution condemnng the late Congress and congratulating the country on its adjournment, were tabled. Bills to levy a succession tax on inheritances, and to create an insurance commission were deteated.

> RALEIGH, N. C., March 5. SENATE.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock a m and was called to order by President Mr Mitchell introduced a bill defining

beneficiary and fraternal societies. Mr Rice, a bill to incorporate the City Storage Company.

Mr Hoover, a bill to incorporate Bethlehem church and Lonely Hill church in Wilson county; also, a bill to prevent the passage of fish in Contentnea Creek.

Mr Candler moved to reconsider the vote by which the oyster bill failed of passage last night and the motion pre-vailed. Mr White, of Perquimans, made a strong argument in favor of the bill Mr Grant opposed the bill on the ground that it was against the interest of the people who take oysters by tonging. It is known as the limited dredging bill and provides that all dredges shall be icensed and limited to natives of the state. Mr Mewborne said he thought t was legislation against the poor people. The previous question was called and the bill passed by a vote of 28 to 4. THE SCOTLAND COUNTY BILL

The bill to create the county of Scotand was taken up and the maiority and minority reports were read, the latter being in favor of the bill. Mr Paddison spoke in favor of allowing the matter to be left to a vote of the people of the pro-Alamance sooke in favor of the bill. Mr Rice opposed it for several reasons. Politically he thought it best to let Richmond county alone. Mr Moody, of Haywood, spoke against the bill. The whole time consumed in debating the bill did not exceed a quarter of an hour, when the previous question was called and the bill passed its third reading by a vote of 82 to 7. Mr Paddison moved to reconsider and to lay that motion on the table and his motion prevailed. The bill as it passed submits the question of the es tablishment of a new county to the voters of the entire county of Richmond. a majority of whom are necessary to create the new county.

THE BOOK TRUST BILL. The Senate took up the bill known as the School Book bill which changes the method of adopting the books for the public schools of the State from the hands of the State Board of Education and places it in the hands of the county officials. Mr Grant offered a substitute providing for State adoption, and spoke in favor of it. He showed that in Georgia and Rhode Island, where county adoption obtained the schools books, were sold at a higher rate. Mr Moody, of Haywood, advocated the bill, saying that the House had passed this bill and the Senate ought to pass it also. He said that a majority of the States which had employed State adoption instead of county adoption, had abandoned it. Mr Grant's substitute was defeated by a vote of 9 to 82. The original bill then passed

third reading. [Special Star Telegram.] The Senate passed on third reading the bill to abolish State adoption and to establish county adoption of school books.

The Senate to-night passed on its third reading the bill to change the charter of the Atlantic & North Carolina Railroad, and the bili to change the method of appointing the State Libra-

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. The House met at 10 o'clock, the Speaker in the chair, with prayer by Rev L L Smith, of the House.

RESOLUTIONS AND BILLS The Speaker, resolution of Marion Roberts Post No. 41 Grand Army of the Republic of Asheville, commending the Senate for passing the bill appropriating \$10,000 to the Confederate monument, and urging the House to pass the same, Mr French, bill to incorporate the Guardian Security, Trust and Deposit ompany of Wilmington. Mr Yates, bill for the relief of Z

ong, Clerk of the Court of Richmond county. Also, bill to incorporate Rockingham, Richmond county. Mr Wooten, bill for the relief of C I

Grady, of Lenoir county. Young (coi) bill to amend the charter of Raleigh. Mr Norment, bill to amend chapter 475, Laws ot 1898. BILLS ON THEIR PASSAGE.

Bill to incorporate the Sanford, Lilagton and Eastern Railroad Company. assed third reading. Bill to incorporate the South Atlantic Endowment Company of North Caro ina. Passed third reading. Bill to authorize the town of Fayette

ville to operate an electric and motor power. Passed third reading. Bill to incorporate the Carolina and Northwestern R. R. Company. Passed Bill to extend the time of the New York, Norfolk and Charleston Railroad

The Senate bill 621, miscalled a bill to restore to the people of North Carolina local self-government, was called up by Mr. French, who said he would call the previous question at one o'clock, that all amendments would be voted down, and that one bour would now be yielded to

The debate on the Democratic side was opened by Mr Ray, who denounced the bill as false in title, and calculated to injure the best interests of the State. He was followed by Mr Monroe who read his speech from manuscript, and in such a tone as could not be well heard in the hall. Mr Winborne, who is regarded as one of the ablest men on the Democratic side, followed Mr Monroe. He criticised the bill very severely, and gave a history of county government in the eastern counties under the Canby tes \$95,000 for two years. Passed third regime, and compared that deplorable era with the well-managed condition of that section under Democratic rule.

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lent point in his speech by reading the memorable editorial from the Caucasian of two years ago, deprecating any change in county government, and appe for white supremacy in Eastern North Carolina. Mr Peebles moved to strike out "The judgment of the Superior Court Judge shall be final," and dared the Rep - Pops. to vote it done, which however, they proceeded to do, under caucus dictation, by a vote of 68 to 86 Mr Smith, of Stanly, offered an amendment to strike out all of section 1 which takes away the powers given to the justices of the peace by chapter 174 of the present law, but this was likewise by brute force voted down-70 to 84. Mr Ray stirred up a hornet's nest by offering an amerdment "that ali magistrates hereafter shall be elected by the people," stating that he might not vote for it, but his friends on the other side pretended to clamor for it. Immediately a great flurry took place on the Rep-Pop side, and numbers gave notice that they would explain their vote. Mr Ray demanded the ayes and noes and the clerk began to call the roll. Populist after Populist got up to explain his

for six years. Plato Durham interceded [Special Star Telegram.] to procure a pardon for him. I wrote The House defeated Mr. Ray's amend to Gen. Grant and urged the President ment to the county government bill, and to pardon him. It was done, and yet even after that he never ceased to mathen passed the bill on its third reading by a strict party vote. The bill providing for an election of

vote, those who voted "no" excusing

themselves by saying that there is an

other bill that would accomplish that

justices of the peace was taken up by the House and passed its third reading. RALEIGH, N. C., March 6. SENATE, The Senate met at 10 o'clock a m, and was called to order by President Dough-

ton. Prayer was offered by Rev Mr

Norris, of the Senate.

Mr White introduced a bill to incorpora a Antioch Church and Orange Chapel, in Alamance county; also, a bill to place P P Hughes on the pension list. Mr Carver, a bill to place Richard Salmon upon the pension roll.

Bill to incorporate the Eastern North Carolina Christian Conference passed third reading. Mr White, of Perguimans, a bill to appoint a local Board of Managers for the Normal School at Elizabeth City.

Mr Dowd, a bill to authorize the Commissioners of Concord to issue bonds also, a bill to amend the charter of the town of Concord. Mr Henley, a bill to require magis trates of Montgomery county to elect cotton weighers; also, a bill to vote upon the question of issuing bonds in Montgomery county to build a railroad Bill to redeem land sold under mort

gage passed third reading. Bill to amend the charter of the town of Durham passed third reading. Bill to amend the charter of the town of Albemarle, Stanly county, passed third reading. Bill to incorporate the town of Swans

boro passed third reading. Bill to amend the charter of States ville passed third reading. Bill to incorporate the town of Pem broke, in Robeson county, passed third reading.

Bill to amend the charter of the town of Mocksville. Passed third reading. Bill to amend the charter of the town of Waynesville, Haywood county. Passed third reading.

Bill to incorporate the Morganton and Shelby Railroad Company. Passed third reading. Bill to authorize the town of Charlotte to purchase the fair grounds came up and was passed over informally. Mr Paddison introduced a bill to place Michael Bird on the pension list.

Bill to amend the charter of Ashe ville. Passed third reading. Bill to authorize the County Commis sioners of Jackson county to levy a special tax Passed third reading. Bill to provide for working the public roads in Orange county. Bill to levy a special tax in Currituch

county. Passed third reading. Bill to amend the charter of the town of Morganton. Passed third reading. Bill to incorporate Worthville, Ran dolph county, passed third reading.

THE PENITENTIARY. At noon the special order was taken up, being a bill to reorganize the State Penitentiary. This bill adds seven directors to the bill, giving a fusion majority, so as to place the institution under control of the Fusionists. Mr Adams, of Moore, spoke to the bill and flatly charged this. He declared that this bill was solely for the purpose of turning out Democrats and putting in Populists and Republicans. He asserted that the passage of this bill would be a violation of the fundamental laws of North Carolina. He cited authority from the law to sustain his proposition. He made a clear and able argument. Mr Moody replied to Mr Adams but failed to dislodge him from the strong position he had taken, showing that the proposed bill was unconstitutional. [Special Star Telegram.]

The Senate passed bill to change the organization of the penitentiary by a vote of 33 to 6.

The Senate to-night passed upon second reading, the bill to amend the charter of the city of Raleigh. It divides the city into four wards-divided in quarters by Fayetteville and Hargett streetsand provides three aldermen for each ward. It also provides for an election of Mayor by the people instead of by the Board of Aldermen as heretofore. Under this bill, two wards will be Democratic, one Republican and one doubtful. This bill was agreed upon by leading Democrats and Republicans alike. A bill passed the Senate to incorporate the Currituck & Camden Railroad Company.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. The House met at 10 o'clock, the Speaker in the chair, and prayer by Rey L Branson, of Raleigh.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS. Mr White, petition of citizens of Bla-den county in regard to fishing in cer-Mr Ewart, petition against building he Tuckasegee river bridge. RESOLUTIONS AND BILLS. Mr Bean, bill to protect birds in Daridson and Randolph counties.

Mr Peebles, bill to protect deer in Northampton county.

Also, bill to protect the stockholders

of the Raleigh and Gaston Railroad.

Mr Monroe, bill to allow the killing of

birds in certain cases. Mr Hileman, bull for the maintenance

of the North Carolina Insane Asylum.

Reported from the Finance Committee.
Mr Williams, bill to allow the admin-

strators of Elijah Murrill, late sheriff of

Onslow county, to collect arrears of

BILLS ON THEIR PASSAGE.

Bill to authorize the Commissioners

Jones and Craven counties to build a

bridge across Trent river. Passed second

reading. Calendar.

Bill to amend sub-section 8 of section 855 of the Code. Passed third reading.

Bill to establish a graded school at

Rutherfordton. Passed second reading.

Bill to print sketches of N. C. Regi

Resolution providing that no bills be introduced after March 6th. Adopted.

Bill to allow the Commissioners of

Richmond county to levy a special tax.

QUESTION OF PERSONAL PRIVILEGE.

Mr Lusk rose to a question of per-sonal privilege and called attention to

an editorial in the Rutherfordton Demo-

crat edited, said he, by a man, if it be

uded by Randolph Shotwell." He

said the man who wrote that article

was a coward, and could have

had no other motive than to humiliate

political opponent by sticking in his pa

per what he knew to be a falsehood when

ne penned it. He then proceeded to ex-

plain the encounter between Shotwell

and himself, which occurred in Ashe

ville in 1870. He was talking with Mi

Jas H Merriman he said, and Shotwell

sneaked up behind him and struck him.

coward," who fled, but threw up his

arms and said he (Shotwell) was unarms

ed. It was not in Lusk's heart to shoot

again, (the first having missed) and he

refrained. Shotwell was indicted and

olead guilty. 'I." said Lusk," was Dis-

rict Astorney, but refused to prosecute

heard no more until the Ku Kluz

broke out. When I came to Raleigh

as Assistant U. S. District Attorney. 1

found the unfortunate Shotwell was

guilty of violating the U.S. laws I was

instructed to prosecute, but refused to

prosecute on account of our former re-

ations. He was prosecuted by Sam'l

Phillips, convicted and sent to Albany

THE REVENUE BILL.

order, came up on third reading. All

amendments were voted down except

one-to strike out the tax of one per

cent. on tobacco warehouses, which was

[Special Star Telegram.]

The House amended the Revenue act so

as to impose a tax of fifty dollars per year

quors. An amendment to impose a tax

tie vote. Speaker Walser voted in favor

of it and the amendment was carried.

The bill was also amended, so as to tax

boarding house keepers fifty cents for

each bed. An amendment was adopted

placing a graded tax on private corpora-

tions, railroads, banks, etc., (insurance

companies exempted) and for a pur-

chase tax in proportion to the amount

The House to-night passed the Reve-

nue act on third reading, as amended.

Also, adopted the report of the commit-

tee awarding the printing contract to

Stewart Bros., of Winston. This closes

It is stated to-night upon authority,

that the bill to amend the charter of

Wilmington, now pending in the House,

will be amended so as to do away with

the March election and carry the pres-

ent administration (Aldermen and

Mayor) over for two years hence. The

bill will not pass till after the Criminal

[By Sou hera Associated Press.]

an exciting session of the House to-

night in which Mr. Ray, of Macon, led

the Democrats in a fight against the

Fusion majority report to give the pub-

lic printing to a bidder whose figures ex-

ceeded the lowest bid by some \$800.

Mr. Ray hinted at bribery, and had a

sharp tilt with Mr Phillps, whom he ac

cused of charging bribery upon the mi-

nority. Mr Phillips denied it, and Mr Ray

called upon two members who said they

heard him say it. Mr Ray also charged

Mr Phillips with having said he would

give the printing to Stewart Bros despite

the lowest bid of Edwards & Broughton

Mr. Phillips denied in a hot speech

which created a sensation, the lie being

used with vigor, Mr. Ray keeping cool

under it all, and taunting the majority

To day the tax on cigarettes was made

The Confederate monument bill was

ten cents per thousand to retail sellers.

made the special order for to-morrow at

12 o'clock, and the bili having already

passed the Senate, appropriating \$10,000

t will likely pass the House, as Senator

Butler is thought to be pushing it as an

off set against the Douglass resolution.

The schooner Greenleaf Johnson

which sailed from Wilmington for New

York last Monday, sprung aleak soon

after her departure and was forced to

put in at Cape Lookout. Capt. Wood-

ruff, master of the schooner, yesterday

telegraphed information of the condi-

tion of the vessel to his agents here,

Messrs. Geo. Harriss, Son & Co. The

Greenleaf Johnson has had a run of bad

luck. She was bound to New York from

Brunswick, Ga, with a cargo of lumber,

and got aground on Frying Pan Shoals.

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pany and brought to this city, where the

salvage on vessel and cargo, amounting

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Ex Senator Matt W. Ransom left

Washington yesterday for his home near Weldon, N. C., where he will remain for ten days. It is his present in-

tention to start for his new post as Min-

ister to Mexico in about two weeks.

ask for Mrs Winslows Soothing Syrup,"

She was pulled off by tugs of the Caps

which has upset him and his party.

chooner in Distress.

to \$2,250, was paid.

and take no other kin t

RALEIGH, N. C.: March 6 .- There was

Court bill has been passed.

of the capital stock.

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on druggists who deal in spirituous li

of ten dollars on lawyers resulted in

The Revenue bill, being the regular

ments. Passed third reading.

Passed second reading.

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A STAR REPORTER INTERVIEWS ME W. H. CHADBOURN He Tells What the R-d-Pop Legislame Propose to Do with the City and the Criminal Court-Gives the Names of the Commissioners Who Will Control

lawful to call him a man, by the name of John C. Tipton. He read: "Virgil S. Lusk is the scoundrel who was cow-A STAR reporter called on Mr. W. N. Chadoourn last night for an interview in regard to what was going on in Raleigh. Upon questions being propound. ed, he said: "I returned from Raleigh to-night. The committee, composed of Col. Roger Moore, Messrs. J. C Steven. son, Walker Taylor and C. E Borden arrived in Raleigh on time but delayed appearing before the committee until He (Lusk) was armed, and as soon as after the committee had met and ne could, he turned and shot at "the decided to report unanimously in lavor of recommending a bill to amend the city charter. The committee waited until it was too late.

:'The Legislature will certainly pass the bill to amend the city charter and the bill to abolish the Criminal Court; the latter having passed the Senate by a vote of 80 to 11; and the House can be counted on in the same proportion. "Mr. C. A. Cook of Warrenton, will undoubtedly be appointed Judge for the new circuit.

In regard to the Police Commission of Wilmington, Mr. Chadbourn said if will be established, and the following are named for commissioners in the bill: F. W. Foster, S. P. Wright, F. B. Rice, W. H. Chadbourn and Jno. E Taylor. Some changes will be made in the bill as to salaries. The Mayor will, receive \$1 000 a year, instead of \$600 at the bill stated heretofore, and the Board of Audit and Finance be allowed \$1,000 for expenses. The Board of Aldermen and the presen Mayor will undoubtedly be continued also, the Board of Audit and Finarce to look after the finances of the city. "The finances." he said, "having been carrie on so successfully by this administration that that we think it is best for the in terest of this entire community to co tinue the present administration. "As soon as the bill abolishing the

ffect, and the next Court will be held by the new judge in April. "The Republicans and Populists an nearer together now than they ha been since the Legislature met, and an now working harmoniously. They don't and appoint committees of conference who transact the business.

Criminal Court passes, it will go into

"The Code Commission will be at pointed; the most prominently-name being D. L. Russell, R. M. Dougla A. E. Holden, Spier Whitaker Harry Skinner. It will the above five.

"The general impression is that t Insane Asylum officials will not touched, as they are experts at the "Mr. Leaser, of the penitentiary, w

have his head cut off "Commander Winslow and Lie Commander Geo. L Morton, Jas. H Chadbourn, Jr., and myself, took active part in having the bill for the formatory for white boys amended sou to grant therefor the fifty acres of la owned by the State at Wrightsville encampment grounds. In this it thought that by spending the \$2500 already apprepriated in improving the land and building the houses for t above purpose it would help to have the permanent encampment brought back

Wilmington." Mr. Chadbourn stated most positive false from beginning to end, and the Mayor Fishblate would be surprise when he learned that he was to ho over two more years. He said, also, the strenous efforts will be made to have it reformatory at Wrightsville, and mal this the annual encampment ground. though there would be none this Sun mer, and that he was sorry the militar appropriation had been reduced.

NO ACTION TAKEN By the Southern R. R. Co. in Reference the Cut in Rates by the S A. L

WASHINGTON, March 6-No action has been taken by the Southern Ra way Company with reference to the in passenger rates instituted by the rival, the Seaboard Air Line The rate went into effect this morning. it is stated by Southern Railway cials that not only has their traffic ! day not been affected, but that en coaches have been attached to to night

EXPORTS FOR THE WEEK. COASTWISE. NEW YORK-Steamship Fanitacasks spirits, 6 bbls gum thus, 6 do

o packages mdse. NEW HAVEN-Brig Caroline Grat 268,614 leet lumber. FOREIGN. LONDON-Ger barque Marie Heye 3.987 bbls rosin. LONDON-Nor barque Fredenbbls rosin, 200 do gum thus, 600 do

PONCE P R-Schr Thos N Stone MONTE CHRISTI-Schr L V Chap -54,042 feet lumber. An imperial edict has been i sate Russia abolishing the use of the ko in the infliction of punishment. H erto the peasantry have been comple

at the mercy of the local judges The Little Rock Board of Health issued a quarantine order against he Springs, Ark, on account of small p The disease has appeared at Hollywo orty cases were reported at Springs vesterday

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