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HOME AFFAIRS.

COTTON MARKET.—Reported by Lynn & Hines, Cotton and Commission Merchants, South Market Street.

RALEIGH, Dec. 6

Price of cotton in our Market to day:
Middling ..... 17 1/2 cts.
Receipts ..... 100 bale.
Shipments ..... 100 "
Tone of the Market, quiet.

TO GOOD FARMS FOR SALE IN ORANGE COUNTY.

For Cash or Credit. For particulars inquire at the

SENTINEL OFFICE.

Dec 26, 1872.

PARAGRAPHS.

Gov. Freeman has evidently no more respect for Grant's message than we have for some fungus' late stump speech. He came into our room this morning and asked, "Are you going to put in any more of that *stuff*," referring to the President's message. We immediately rebuked him for the same.

The Grand Lodge has adjourned. We have been so pre-occupied we have been unable to get any report of its proceedings.

UNITED STATES COURT.—On Thursday Judge Bond left the city. Judge Brooks is holding court alone. The case of Scott, of Alamance, against Kirk and Bergen, was called. Judge Battle, Richard Battle Esq., and Geo. V. Strong Esq., appeared for the plaintiff. R. C. Badger Esq., for the defendant. A judgment of five hundred dollars was entered against the defendants.

The next case was John Ireland against the same defendants. The same counsel appeared, and a judgment of $500 was entered.

Next followed the case of Josiah Turner Jr., against the same defendants. Mr. Griffith, the Sheriff of Caswell, was the first witness called. He testified to seeing Turner a prisoner in Kirk's Camp, and being present when a squad of soldiers came into the Court-house at Graham, and marched him off to jail.

Mr. Badger, counsel for defendant, volunteered as a witness for his client, but finally took his seat without testifying.

Mr. Turner was called to the stand, when the Judge stated that he had been sitting for six hours, and he would adjourn court until to-morrow, which was done.

Friday 10 o'clock, the court commenced. Mr. Turner was put upon the stand, and requested to give the particulars of his arrest and imprisonment. He stated that on the fifth day of August he was arrested by eight armed men, six white and two black. They came upon him on the streets of Hillsboro' armed with muskets, seized and presented, captured him and carried him off to Company Shops in Alamance county. At 9 o'clock at night, they started with him to Yanceyville, a distance of thirty miles.

About one or two o'clock they reached the house of Dr. Anderson, where they spent the balance of the night. He was taken to Yanceyville, and imprisoned in the Court House with many others. After a delay of nearly two weeks, he with others, was marched back to Company Shops. He refused to allow the prisoners to go under a shelter or into the church which was tendered by the people.

Mr. Turner being asked to state the personal indignities offered to him, said they consisted in throwing buckets of water upon him at night when in bed, putting Capt. Franklin and six soldiers in his room, and forbidding him to talk or speak to any person without permission; putting him in jail at Graham and refusing to allow him a chair or stool to sit upon; refusing him a pitcher or tumbler to drink out of; refusing him water, except out of a blue bucket so foul that he would not drink out of it. He remained, three days in August, in a dungeon without water.

Mr. F. Busbee, of counsel for the defendant, asked the witness if his health suffered, or if he suffered for water?

Answer. My health did not suffer, and buttermilk supplied the place of water.

Judge Battle first addressed the jury and was followed by Mr. F. Busbee.

Gen. V. Strong, Esq., concluded the case for the plaintiff, when the jury, after the charge of the Judge, retired upon the case at 11 o'clock. Up to the time of going to press the jury had not agreed.

HISTORY OF THE PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH IN RALEIGH.

The first convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church in North Carolina, was held in November, 1817, but it was was not until 1822 that the Parish of Christ church, Raleigh, was formed.

Previous to this time the few members of this church attended the ministration of preachers of other denominations, particularly of Rev. Dr. McPheeters, an able pastor of the Presbyterian Church.

The 5th Annual Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church was held in Raleigh, April 28th, 1821, in the Supreme Court room. We noticed in attendance a member, the Rev. Dr. R. S. Mason, then of Newbern, destined afterwards for many years to be Rector of a large Parish in the city he was visiting. It appears from the reports that the Rev. Wm. Hooper, Professor of Languages in the University, now an eminent Baptist divine, during the preceding year had preached as a missionary here twice during the year.

The holding of the convention seemed to have stimulated the formation of the Parish, for at the next convention, in 1822, we find that the certificates of organization of St. Mark's Church, Halifax, Calvary Church, Wadesboro', and *Christ's Church, Raleigh*, were read and these parishes were received into union with the convention. The delegates from Raleigh were Hon. John Louis Taylor, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, Dr. A. S. Burgess and W. H. Haywood, Jr., afterwards Senator in the United States.

The Missionary Committee reported that Rev. W. M. Green, (now Bishop of Mississippi) had during the diocesan year officiated once a month at Raleigh. There was no regular Rector.

At the 7th convention, held in Salisbury, in April, 1823, the Rt. Rev. Jno. Stark Ravenscroft, of Virginia, was elected Bishop of the diocese of North Carolina, who took charge of the congregation in Raleigh, D.c. 20th of that year. The Bishop reports at the Convention in April, 1824, that he had officiated occasionally in the Presbyterian House of Worship until Saturday, the 18th day of January, "when divine service was performed and a sermon preached, both morning and evening, in the house rented and fitted up as a temporary chapel by the congregation of Christ's Church." We copy verbatim the Parochial report signed by the Bishop as Rector. "The state of the congregation of Christ's Church, Raleigh, is on the whole encouraging. The services are well attended, in a building rented and fitted up for the purpose; and under all the disadvantages of frequent interruptions in the regular duties of the Sabbath, from my other duties to the diocese, it is evident that the Episcopal cause is gaining ground, and what is more, that the cause of religion is progressing. A weekly evening lecture at the private houses of the members is respectably attended; and though differing essentially from what are commonly called prayer meetings, and as such the subject of various animadversions, is nevertheless unfolding its superior utility in the great purpose of conveying information on the scriptures generally."

"The number of communicants is about 25, though from various circumstances, they never have all been present at any one administration of the holy sacrament. The number of members of the congregation declared as such, is about 35. The baptisms in the congregation since last October have been 3 infants and 1 adult—one marriage, no funeral. During my occasional absence, Mr. George W. Freeman officiated as lay reader."

The number of communicants in 1871, after the lapse of 48 years, was 158 or about 600 per cent. increase.

To the Convention in 1827, the Bishop reports that, "the building intended for a church is commenced in a central and convenient situation, and expectation is sanguine that it will have a favorable effect on the interests of the church."

In March, 1828, the Bishop left Raleigh and took charge of St. John's Church, Williamsborough, in Granville county. Although the number of communicants did not increase under his ministrations, he was a good and able man of great independence of character, earnestness, and devoutness,—an effective preacher, and remembered to this day for the impressive solemnity with which he read the service, of the church. We heard the late Rev. William E. Pell say that his reading of the service had more effect in inspiring religious feeling than the ablest sermons. He strengthened and organized the diocese, dissipated prejudices against it and sowed the seed which has since brought abundant fruit. He died at Williamsboro', but his remains after some years were brought to Raleigh and deposited in a vault under the church.

A memorial tablet is on the walls of Christ Church.

Bishop Ravenscroft was succeeded by the Rev. Charles P. Elliott, of Charleston, S. C., who was rector only one year. Although he is not remembered as a man of much ability, he said to have been an excellent divine. He resigned in May, 1829, to the Convention, the addition of seven communicants, and expressed his gratification at the evident increase of piety and religious inquiry in the congregation.

He was succeeded in September, 1829, by Rev. Geo. W. Freeman, afterwards Bishop of Arkansas, uncle of the late esteemed clerk of the Supreme Court Edmund B. Freeman, Esq. He was rector until 1840—was an earnest, industrious and pious man, unyielding in his opinions and candid in avowing them. The congregation grew rapidly during his incumbency. In 1830 he reports 30 communicants as against 16 two years before, and in 1840 the number had swelled to 75.

The unbending principles of Dr. Freeman led to a difficulty between him and the Vestry and congregation so serious that he resigned his charge. The Dr. states the difference between them to be on the points, 1st. Whether communicants of the church consistently with their vows may give at their own houses or attend at the houses of others those worldly entertainments commonly called "dancing parties?"

2nd. Whether communicants can with like consistency attend public places of amusement, such as theatres, circusses and balls?

On both these questions the Rector maintained the affirmative, while he says a large majority of the congregation and Vestry maintained the negative. Without expressing any opinion as to the merits of the controversy, we remark that in the correspondence between the Rev. Dr. and the Vestry the positions of the latter were maintained with great ability by the late Mr. Badger. On accepting the resignation, the vestry passed the resolutions expressing warmly their attachment to, and regard for the Rev. Rector, and regret at severance of the connection between them. The last resolution is as follows:

Resolved, That Dr. Freeman has presided over this Parish with great ability and uniform zeal and fidelity, and that his ministrations have been blest with signal and very unusual success.

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(TO BE CONTINUED.)

LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY.

In the Senate yesterday a large amount of business was transacted, the calendar having been cleared before adjournment.

Mr. McCauley introduced a number of bills—one in relation to constables, and one in relation to the homestead and personal property exemption.

Mr. Todd introduced a bill to extend the time for the registration of deeds, grants, &c.

The bill in relation to *per diem* was ordered to be enrolled.

The bill to amend the charter of the Wilmington and Planters' Railway Company passed its third reading. Also the bill to change the time of holding the spring term of Cabarrus Superior Court.

See proceedings.

The greater part of the Session of the House yesterday was taken up in the discussion of points of order in relation to the passage of the *per diem* bill and the bill to form a new county by the name of "Chattanooga" out of portions of Macon, Jackson and Transylvania. A large number of bills and resolutions were introduced but no definite action taken upon measures of general interest.

TUCKER HALL.—The Katie Putnam Company had a rather slim house Thursday night. Miss Putnam greatly disappointed the audience in not appearing in "Won at Last," for which she was billed. No explanation was given. She played charmingly in the afterpiece, "Stage Struck Tailor," the character of Sally Scraggs. She was well sustained. Rosine, Ryan, Ashton and others played as well as usual. We have since learned that Miss Putnam was quite sick and could not appear in her part.

FINE SMOKING TOBACCO.—A day or two ago we received from the Factory of H. P. Jones & Co., Hillsboro, N. C., some specimens of their celebrated "Occoneechee" and "Tar Heel" brands of smoking tobacco. The tobacco is of an excellent quality and the flavor exquisite. Upon the authority of one who knows whereof he speaks it is recommended to all who enjoy smoking. This firm have taken premiums upon their smoking tobacco at the Fair of this State and of several of the Southern States, and wherever these brands are known they enjoy as high a reputation as any in the market.

ST. JOHN'S COLLEGE, OXFORD.—We are very gratified to learn that the Grand Lodge at its late session took steps to bring this beautiful edifice into use.

It is to be converted into an Orphan Asylum for the benefit of orphans generally, but specially of the children of deceased Masons. They will be educated and trained for future usefulness. If our information is correct, they will be taught some mechanical trade. We are glad that the able editor of the *Biblical Recorder*, J. H. Mills, Esq., has accepted the office of General Superintendent, or President, which was unanimously tendered him. He will make it a success if he takes hold of it with his usual earnestness and ability. Success abundantly!

The Business Manager of the SENTINEL acknowledges with pleasure the reception of an invitation to attend an Inaugural Ball to be given at Sumter, S. C. It will afford him pleasure to attend if within his power.

The ills that Flesh are Heir to.

"Are many but a remedy for them all is furnished by nature. There is no doubt that for every disease there is an antidote in the vegetable kingdom. The aboriginees were the victims of many and loathsome maladies, yet they found in the wilds of their forests remedies sure and powerful. Acting on this belief Dr. Tutt's sarsaparilla and Queen's Delight is offered the public as a most highly concentrated vegetable compound, possessing extraordinary power for the cure of Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Scrofula, Ulcers, swelling of the Glands, Eruptions of the Skin, Female Diseases, Liver Complaint, Secondary Syphilis, the effect of mercury, &c. It is a most powerful alterative and Blood purifier, and at the same time so harmless it may be used by all.

Watch out for Chills and Fever, and prepare the system for resisting its attack by using Dr. Tutt's Liver Pills.

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Legislature of North Carolina.

SENATE

FRIDAY, Dec. 6, 1872.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment, President Morehead in the chair.

The chair announced as the Senate branch of joint select committee on the codification of the laws Messrs. Love, Dunham and Grady.

Reports from standing committees were presented by Messrs. Merriman, Scott, Gudger, Grady, Woods, Horne and Muntz.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS, &C.

Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill to amend the act to charter the town of Mt. Olive, Wayne county.

Mr. Ellis, of Columbus, a bill to amend the act requiring Superior court clerks to keep open their offices every Monday for probate business.

Mr. McCauley, a bill in relation to constables.

Also a bill in relation to homestead and personal property exemptions.

Mr. Todd, a bill to extend the time for the registration of deeds, grants, &c.

On motion of Mr. Welch, the vote of yesterday by which the Senate concurred in the proposition to raise a joint select committee of five on the sale of the Western N. C. Railroad, was reconsidered, and the resolution was amended by making the number of that committee eight—three on the part of the Senate and five on the part of the House; also empowering said committee to send for persons and papers.

On motion of Mr. Welch, the resolution to pay sheriffs for carrying convicts to the penitentiary was ordered to be enrolled.

On motion of Mr. Murphy, the bill in relation to *per diem* was also ordered to be enrolled.

On motion of Mr. Welch, the resolution in relation to the sale of the Western N. C. Railroad was ordered to be engrossed and transmitted to the House.

Mr. Cowles having drawn attention to the act requiring the payment of $25 into the treasury as a condition precedent to the passage of corporation acts,

On motion of Mr. Love, the bill to incorporate Square Stone Lodge, A. L. M., of Warren, was recommitted with instructions to the committee to report if the corporation can be effected under the general law, and if not why not.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

The bill to incorporate the North Carolina State Life Insurance Company was put upon its third reading.

The bill passed—32 to 1.

SECOND READINGS.

The bill to amend the act of 1869 concerning townships, was put upon its second reading. [Empowers township trustees to levy taxes sufficient to meet the necessary expenses of the townships, to be collected by township constables and to be approved by the county commissioners.]

On motion of Mr. Waring the bill was laid on the table.

The bill to amend the charter of the Wilmington and Planters' Railway Company was put upon its passage.

Mr. Humphrey explained the object of the bill to be to enable this company to consolidate with existing companies in Virginia and South Carolina to form one road from Norfolk, Va., to Charleston, S. C., by way of Wilmington, N. C.

The bill passed its second reading.

A message was received from the House announcing its concurrence in the resolution to pay sheriffs for conveying convicts to the penitentiary.

The resolution was ordered to be enrolled.

The bill to amend section 1, chap. 152, laws of 1872, passed its second reading.

On motion of Mr. Ellis, of Columbus, the resolution in favor of A. McQueen was referred to the Committee on Claims.

On motion of Mr. Murphy, the bill to re-vest and confirm to Love the charter of the Fayetteville and Florence Railroad Company was unanimously passed over.

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Price till Monday next.

The bill to facilitate the sale of the public lands was set on the table, on motion of Mr. Cowles. [Proposes to reduce the price to five cents per acre.]

The bill to repeal section 7, chap. 185, laws of 1871-'72, proposing to abrogate the clause in the election law requiring voters to vote in their own township was taken up.

Mr. Merriman moved to lay it on the table.

Harris, col., urged its passage. He urged a return to the system of voting at other precincts than his own by certificate.

Passed over informally.

The bill to be entitled an act in relation to the revenue was laid on the table.

The resolution empowering the joint select committee on counting the vote for State officers in the election of August last to send for persons and papers was laid on the table, a similar one having already passed.

The bill in relation to county commissioners was put upon its second reading. [Requires as a qualification for commissioner the payment in full of his state taxes and also a bond of $2,500.] The committee reported adversely.

On motion of Mr. Moseley the bill was made the special order for Monday next.

The resolution to purchase national coins for the use of the capitol passed.

The bill to prevent the cut rates of this State from carrying deadly weapons was laid on the table.

The bill to change the time for holding the spring term of the Superior Court of the county of Cabarrus, as amended by the committee, passed its second reading. [Changes the time from 1st Monday in June to the 1st Monday in July, as explained by Mr. Barnhardt.]

On motion of Mr. Barnhardt the bill passed its third reading under a suspension of the rules—aye 33, none in the negative.

A message was received from the House announcing its concurrence in the Senate amendment to the resolution in regard to the sale of the Western N. C. Railroad.

The bill to define the duties of Superior Court Judges in certain cases was informally passed over.

The bill to incorporate Selma Lodge A. Y. M. was referred with instructions.

The calendar being exhausted,

On motion of Mr. Grady, the Senate adjourned till 11 a. m., to-morrow.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

THURSDAY, December 6th, 1872.

The House was called to order at 10:30 a. m.

Mr. Speaker Robinson in the chair.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Trivett, of the House.

The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

Messrs. Richardson, Shaw, Jones of Northampton, col., Badger, Rhodes, Patrick, Grady and McLaurin, col., obtained a leave of absence.

Mr. Sloan, of Iredell, was allowed to record his vote for Z. B. Vance for United States Senator.

Mr. Bryson, of Alleghany, presented a memorial from certain citizens of Alleghany in regard to the laying off and construction of a turnpike. The memorial was read and appropriately referred.

Mr. Jones, of Caldwell, from the Committee on Corporations, and Mr. Brown, of Mecklenburg, from the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, submitted reports.

By Mr. Bennett: A resolution in regard to the Supreme court library; placed on calendar.

By Mr. Waddill: A resolution instructing the Judiciary Committee to report a bill, if practicable, in aid of disabled and indigent soldiers of North Carolina who have been engaged in any war; placed on calendar.

By Mr. Jones, of Caldwell: A resolution in favor of the employees of the General Assembly; placed on calendar.

By Mr. Moore: A bill to amend section 9 of the act respecting County Treasurers; referred.

By Mr. Blythe: A bill requiring land owners to close their lines; referred.

Mr. Settle submitted a report from the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

By Mr. Wheeler: A bill to discontinue a public highway from Salem to Moses Stuart's, in Forsythe county; placed on calendar.

By Hughes, col.: A resolution in reference to the expediency of establishing an Orphans' Home in this State; referred.

On motion of Mr. Jones, of Caldwell, the rules were suspended and the resolution giving $3 per day to the employees of the General Assembly was taken up and passed its second reading.

Under a suspension of the rules, the resolution came up on its third reading.

Mr. Morrison moved to strike out "$3" and insert "$2"; lost.

The resolution then passed its third reading.

Here a long debate arose. Mr. Johnston contended that his motion to reconsider the vote by which the motion to reconsider the vote by which the *per diem* bill passed its third reading was laid on the table, which was pending when the House adjourned, was now the business before the House.

Mr. Jones, of Caldwell, said the bill had been transmitted to the Senate and had become a law, and it was not within the province of the House now to discuss it, &c.

The Chair said that when Mr. Johnston's motion was made yesterday it was customarily complete, but by parliamentary law the bill had got into the hands of the Engrossing Committee, and had been transmitted to the Senate and become a law. The House had placed itself in rather an embarrassing attitude. The Chair would like to know the sense of the House upon the matter.

Mr. Johnston again stated the grounds upon which he objected to the bill. He alluded to his inability to obtain the yeas and nays upon the bill and the various amendments offered. He also alluded to the fact that the enacting clause of the bill did not make its provisions applicable to this General Assembly. He insisted upon his motion to reconsider.

Mr. Jones, of Caldwell, referred to his former remarks in reference to the inability of the House to retrace its steps in this matter, and that the only manner in which the object of the gentleman could be reached was by the introduction of a bill to repeal. He thought the gentleman from Buncombe (Mr. Johnston) had needlessly delayed the business of the House and consumed much time opening this matter.

Mr. Johnston replied that he was endeavoring to protect the interest of the people and to do his duty by his constituents.

Mr. Stanford hoped that the motion just put would be unanimously voted down.

After the debate had proceeded to some length, the Chair read from the Journal, on the motion of Mr. Johnston was made after the bill had been transmitted to the Senate, and had he (the Speaker) known the fact at the time the motion was made, he would have declared it out of order, as a motion to reconsider had been carried in the affirmative. The Chair now ruled the motion of Mr. Johnston out of order and the debate was brought to an end.

Mr. Bennett gave notice that he would ask to be allowed the constitutional privilege of entering upon the Journal of the House his protest against the passage of the bill.

CALENDAR.

The bill to repeal section 7 of the registration act of 1872, was taken up and, on motion of Mr. Bowman, was made special order for Monday week at 12 m.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The bill to repeal chapter 68, laws of 1871-'2 being the special order for consideration was gone into. [The bill repeals what is known as the dog law. The counties of Clay, Cherokee, Stokes, Transylvania, Jackson, Wake, Randolph, New Hanover, Nash, Haywood and Granville are excepted from the provisions of the bill, and it provides also that persons living in exempted counties shall not hunt deer in the other counties.]

The bill was read its second time.

On motion of Mr. Heaton, New Hanover was stricken from the exemptions.

Granville county was also stricken from the exemptions.

After a smooth it lengthy debate the bill was, on motion of Mr. Anderson, of Clay, indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Morrison, from the committee on Enrolled Bills, submitted a report.

The chair announced the following committees:

House Branch of Committee on Constitutional Reform—Messrs. Settle, McGehee, Moore, Badger and Dula.

House Branch of the Committee on the Sale of the Western N. C. R. R.—Messrs. Heaton, Bennett, Bowman, Bryson of Swain and Guyther.

By Mr. Rhodes: A bill concerning the town of Goldsboro', Wayne county; referred.

By Mr. Hinsdale: A bill to legalize the levying a special tax by the Commissioners of Johnston county; referred.

By Mr. Perry, of Wake: A bill to make Neuse river a lawful fence; referred.

On motion of Mr. Heaton, the rules were suspended, and the resolution to supply a deficiency of seats in the House was taken up and passed its several readings.

On motion of Mr. Godfrey, the rules were suspended, and the bill to incorporate the Northern and Southern Telegraph Company was taken up.

Mr. Jones, of Caldwell, said that the Committee on Corporations had reported that they saw no reason why this bill should not pass. He would inform the House that this bill was all the way from Pennsylvania, and an appendage of a railroad bill pending in the Senate, and he thought the bill should be critically examined by the House before action was taken. The bill gave wide latitude, &c.

Mr. Craige moved a reference to the Judiciary Committee for examination.

Mr. Moore said that the charters of the companies in this State amply protected them from harm, and besides this company proposed to operate in the eastern portion of the State, &c.

Mr. Jones, of Caldwell, replied that there was no restriction whatever in the bill, &c.

On motion of Mr. Houston, the bill was made the special order for Friday at 12 m.

On motion of Mr. Bryson, of Jackson, the rules were suspended and the bill to form a new county by the name of "Alto" out of portions of Jackson, Macon and Transylvania, was taken up.

The committee on Counties, Towns, &c., recommended its passage, after changing the name to "Chattooga."

Mr. Brown, of Davidson, desired to explain his position.

Mr. Johnston spoke. He knew the bill had merit in it. It was a necessity for the people residing in the territory proposed to be erected into the new county to be compelled to go so far to the present courthouse, &c.

Mr. Brown of Davidson, withdrew his motion to indefinitely postpone.

Mr. Whitmore said he had several petitions from his county (Transylvania) against this measure, but as he had been informed that none of the petitions were embraced in this proposed new county, he did not feel authorized to oppose the passage of this bill.

Mr. Lockey was opposed to the extravagant system of making new counties without reference to population. It would soon destroy the basis of representation in this House, &c.

Mr. Bowman moved to postpone and make special order for Monday next at 12 o'clock.

Mr. Bryson of Jackson proceeded to state at length the merits of the bill. He said the people wished it for their convenience and transaction of business, and to increase the value of property. They were not particular as to representation, &c.

Mr. Bowman withdrew his motion to postpone.

On motion of Mr. Jones, of Caldwell, the House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

NOTE.—In yesterday's proceedings an error was made in attributing to Mr. Winslow the substitute offered to the *per diem* bill by Mr. Wheeler, of Forsythe.

Mr. Settle arose to a question of privilege. He said that the credit of the humble part which he had taken in the proceedings of yesterday had been given by the *Daily News* to a Mr. Little. It was always grating to the feelings of any gentleman to be made little of, and it was peculiarly distasteful to him, as he stood a little six feet two inches without his boots. He knew that the News was a typographical one and he was sure that he would only have to mention the matter and the efficient Reporter of the *News* would make the amende honorable.

NEWS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Cotton steady sales 3,272 bales; uplands 19 1-2, Orleans 20. Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat 94. Mixed corn 62 1-2@63. Pork dull; mess western $21 2@23. Lard nominal and unchanged. Rice 7 3-4@8 1-2. Pork dull; Long Clear 8. Naval stores quiet. Freights firm.

COTTON.—NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Cotton steady sales 3,186.

Money 7 and a fraction; commission, sterling 9. Gold 113 3-8@113 1-4. Customs receipts $1,000. Bonds dull; coupons of advance 1-2@3-8; firm at an advance.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 5.—Cotton opened firm; uplands 10; sales 10,000.

LATER.—Cotton firm; uplands 10 1-2; sales 16,000; Orleans 10 5-8; sales and export 3,000. Uplands December 9 3-4.

WILMINGTON, Dec. 5.—Spirits turpentine 35. Resin, no sales reported to-day.

CHARLESTON, Dec. 5.—Cotton quiet; sales 525 for yesterday and virginia.

Tar market steady at $4 00.

RALEIGH, Dec. 5.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat firm and unsettled. Corn firm; prime demand. Oats firm; 45@46. Provisions very quiet; meat 10 1-2; hams 6 1-4@6 1-2. Lard very scarce at 8. Whisky 93 1-2@94.

WILMINGTON, Dec. 5.—Cotton firm; low middlings 18 1-2.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 5.—Cotton firm; low middlings 19.

NORFOLK, Dec. 5.—Cotton firm; low middlings 18.

FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—Senator Oaks[illegible] of resolutions to be sent to the Senate from service on any committee.

Blue tried to call up his resolution asking the President why troops have been sent here to Little Rock; but it was objected to and failed for the session.

Cameron gave notice that he would call up on early day a bill in relation to the French spoliation claims.

Adjourned.

HOUSE.—A bill was introduced to incorporate a banking association, with a capital of one hundred million dollars, under the name and style of the Governor's and Managers Exchequer of the United States.

A bill was introduced allowing General Meade's widow a pension of two thousand dollars.

The bill to stop of war vessels, bill was resumed.

Archer, a member of the naval committee, advocated the passage of the bill as a matter of necessity, the navy of the United States being in a ruinous and useless condition. He admitted that there was nothing to be feared from the great powers, but the people whom it was desired to impress with the greatness of this country were the semi-civilized nations of the world; it was for that object, more than any other, that these vessels were required.

The House then proceeded to vote on the bill and amendments.

Hale's amendment requiring that one-half the number should be built on private ship yards, was agreed to, yeas 77, nays 53.

An amendment offered by Barker to modify the provision in regard to [illegible] so as to make it read "not exceeding [illegible] gun," was agreed to.

Gibson's amendment requiring the plans and specifications to be report Congress and appropriations made before the work is commenced, was also agreed to.

Cox's amendment providing the number of vessels to be constructed, from 10 to 6, was also agreed to.

The bill as thus amended, was then passed.

A motion to adjourn to Monday was made and declined.

FROM ALABAMA.

MONTGOMERY, Dec. 5.—The Capitol [illegible] for repairs will not be ready for occupancy before the first of January. Governor-elect Smith will to-morrow [illegible] death of a member elect who [illegible] his seat with that body. [illegible] to-day did nothing but receive [illegible] and adjourn. One of its members, Mr. Bennett, having died during the recent, this makes two deaths since the meeting of the Legislature. Governor Lindsay left this morning for Washington.

FROM NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—The steamer L. Murchison, Wilmington inshore at Beaufort, was [illegible] yesterday.

Russell, of the *News* subscribed $1,000 to the Greeley Press Fund. Other subscriptions reported, the sum $100 from John Mullaly, of the *Metropolitan Record*.

It is stated that the Government Agent for the investigation of Consular accounts in Europe, was one of the heaviest losers by the failure of Fowles Brothers, of Paris.

FROM MASSACHUSETTS.

BOSTON, Dec. 5.—The Legislature has leased Old South Church for Post office purposes. Private Plymouth Rock will be leased next.

Hallett (democrat), North American, put in C. F. Adams' head.

Hugh York was elected Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church of Maryland, vice Lay-bait, deceased.

FROM MISSOURI.

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 4.—The Electoral College voted Grant Brown 8; Hendricks 6, and David Davis 1.

FROM VIRGINIA.

PETERSBURG, Dec. 5.—At a meeting of the Western Iron Association, it reduced the price of iron $12 per ton, and nails 50 per keg. The recent decline in pig iron accounts for the decline.

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