Captions of the Laws, Passed by the Legislature of North Carolina, at its Session of 1944-45.

PUBLIC.

1. An Act more effectually to suppress the offences of trading with Slaves. [May charge in the same Bill of Indictment any defendant with trading with Slaves, re- not stand for trial at the appearance term. ceiving stolen goods, knowing them to be stolen, and petit larcenty.]

2. Concerning the admissibility of evidence against the sureties of Officers and others. [Makes the receipt or scknowledgement of the Officer admissible and competent against all or any of his securities.

3. To provide for a vacancy in the Office of County Surveyor. [Gives the appointing power to the County Courts.]

Directs the Sheriff to summons the Magistrates within fifteen days after the death election by the people.]

County Solicitor to examine the offices of by exempted.) the Registers and of the Clerks of the County and Superior Courts, at or shortly ty, known as Ocracoke, to Hyde County. before the sessions of each and every County Court, for the purpose of ascertaining whether all papers required to be recorded and registered have been done so according to law.]

6. To amend an Act, entitled an Act to keep open the French Broad River in the County of Buncombe, and the Tennessce River in the County of Haywood, 1825, Chapter 118. [Imposes the same] penalty prescribed in the first section of the before recited Act on any person or | tually into operation.] persons who shall fell timber in the French Broad River from the three forks thereof, to the Henderson County line where said line crosses the French Broad River.]

7. Concerning Jury Trials. [Gives the right to the parties or their Counsel, in all such trials, to argue to the Jury their whole case, as well of law as of

Provides also, that whenever the Plaintiff, in any judgment, shall be desirous of subjecting the bail of the defendant in said judgment to the payment thereof, such Plaintiff shall be at liberty to proceed in the first instance by scire facias against such bail, without having previously issued any capias ad satisfaciendum against the defendant, but such seire fuciasshall 15. In favor of Poor Debtors. "Ex-

empts in addition to the property now by law exempted from Execution after the first day of July next, the necessary farming tools for one laborer, one bed, bed stead and covering for every two members of the family, four hogs and all necessary household and kitchen furniture, not to exceed \$50 in value. The 2d Section provides, that whenever any poor debtor shall apply for the benefit of this Act, it 4. To amend the 5th Section of the shall be the duty of the Justice of the 19th Chapter of the Revised Statutes. Peace to whom such application shall be made, to appoint three respectable freeholders, disinterested and unconnected of any Clerk of the County Court, who with the parties, to lay off and assign to shall die between the sitting of the Courts, such poor debtors, the portion to which he to fill the vacancy until the next regular is entitled. The 3d Section declares null and void and of no effect, all and every 5. To amend the Sections of the Re- conveyance by sale, deed of trust, or othvised Statutes, concerning Clerks and erwise, for the payment of any debt or Registers. [Makes it the duty of the demand whatsoever, of the property here-

16. To attach that part of Carteret Coun-17. To protect the Public Bridges in Tyrrell, Washington and Onslow Counties. [Inflicts a fine of \$50 for forcibly running any decked vessel, boat or raft against any public Bridge in these Counties.]

18. Concerning the Superior Courts of Cleaveland County.

19. Supplemental to an Act, passed in 1838, entitled an Act, supplemental to an Act, passed in 1834, to lay off and establish for the passage of Fish passed in the year a Road from Morganton to/ the Tennessee line. | Appoints three Commissioners for the purpose of carrying said Act more effec-

20. Assenting to the purchase by the United States, of certain land in the Town of Wilmington, and ceding the Jurisdiction of North Carolina over the same, under certain limitations and conditions therein contained. (Land on which the new Custom House is erected.)

21. To appoint Commissioners, to view and lay off a Road in the County of Ashe. 22. Supplemental to an Act, passed at the fact.] 8. To extend the time for registering entitled an Act to amend an Act to incorpo-

34. To allow the Justices of the Peace of present General Assembly. Election to be held in Rowan and Edgecombe in August 1646, to as-ourchasing the Matamuskeet and Rose. Hyde County, to lay a tax for the purpose of purchasing the Matamuskeet and Rosebay Turopike.

35. To smend the Revised Statutes, en titled an Act concerning Legacies, Filial Portions and distributive shares, and the Revised Statutes Descents. (Directs that in the division of Intestates' Real Estates, that they shall be charged with the excess in value, which he or she has received, over and above an equal distributive share of

their personal estates.) 36. To open the Pedre and Yadkin rivers. 37. To amend the 8th/Section of the 59th Chapter of the Revised Statutes, entitled an Act, concerning Frauds and Fraudul int Conveyances. (Makes all contracts void for leasing lands for the purpose of digging for Gold or other Minerals, unless they are mile in writing.

38. To loan the North Carolina Military Academy at Raleigh, for the use of Cadets thereof, the uccessary Military Arms and Equipments.

39. Providing for the re-organization of the Portsmouth and Roanoke Rail Road Company. (Directs the Governor to appoint Commissioner on behalf of this State, to act with the Commissioner appointed by the State of Virginia, who shall expose to public sale the said Road, with all the property, privileges, rights, franchises and immunities belonging to the Road. Gives the right to the State of Virginia to fix the amount of Capital Stock of the Company thus formed, provided that said Stock shall not exceed \$600,000 nor less than \$300,000, nor any share to he less than \$100, nor more than \$200. Provides further, that there shall be no less than twenty Stockholders, no one of whom shall hold more than one-half of the Stock.)

40. To amend the 58th Section of the Rgvised Statutes, entitled Courts, County and Superiors. (Makes it unlawful for any officer to execute any civil process, on any person attending divine worship, during the time of such worship, under a penalty of \$5.) 41. To prevent the levying of Executions upon growing Crops, until said Crops are maored.

42. To revive and continue in force an Act. passed in the year 1841, entitled an Act to authorize the laying off and establishing a Turnpike Road from Laxton Lynch's, in Rutherford County, to the widow Sail's in Buncombe Countr.

43. Concerning a Penitentiary. (Del clares it proper and expedient to have a deal cisive expression of public opinion upon the be necessary for one to act in his official capacity. subject, based upon the knowledge that the 76. To prevent fraudulent voting. Makes it present Session of the General Assembly, fund to erect a Penitentiary must be raise in an indictable offence, leaving the penalty to the by a direct tax, and therefore directs that at Court. the next Election for Members of the Gene ral Assembly, every voter, entitled to vote for a member of the House of Commons, shall be at liberty to vote for or against a Penitenliary.)

For the relief of the Blind, Deaf and Dan Appropriates \$5,000 annually, out of the Literary Fund, for the education of these unfortunate individuals

62. To prevent Free Negroes and Mulattoes from trafficking in ardent spirits. [Imposes a fine of \$14 for the first offence, and for the second, to be indicated in the Superior Court, and fined or imprisoned at the discretion of the Court.]

63. Supplemental to an Act passed by the present General Assembly, entitled an Act to attach that part of Carteret County known as Ocracocke to

by a single Magistrate, and to encourage and facili-tate the practice of taking security for the forthcom-ing of property seized under Execution. [Makes it the duty of the Officer to specify the property levied on, in his Bond, and to furnish the security a list of the same, and all the property levied on to be deemed in the security of the security to the forthcoming Bond. in the custody of the security to the forthcoming Bond. 65. To incorporate the North Carolina Mining, Manufacturing and Land Association. [Capital not to exceed \$100,000 in shares of \$100 each; when \$50,000 of the Stock is subscribed for, are declared corporated.

66. In relation to the State Library. [Defines the duty of the Librarian. 67 Relative to Notaries. [Reduces the fee to 50

cents

to the Navigation of Roanoke River, occasioned by the erection of the Petersburg Rail Road Bridge across the same. (Instructs the Company to construct a draw of sufficient capacity to admit of the easy and ocnvenient passage of such Steam Boats and masted vessels as navigate Roanoke River.]

69. For the more speedy administration of Jus-[Authorizes the Judge to appoint a special term of Superior Courts, when the business of the civil docket cannot be done at the regular term.

70. To modify an Act concerning Slaves and Free Persons of Color, passed in 1840. ,71. To amend the 59th chapter of the Revised

Statutes, and the 49th section of said Act. [Reates to the Inspection of Turpentine.]

tled Wills and Testaments, to amend the same, and to repeal part of the 15th section of the Revised Statutes, entitled Lands of deceased Debtors. [Authorizes Testator to bequeath every interest, and directs a free construction of Wills 73. Concerning the Agents of Cherokee lands. Directs a duplicate statement of all monies, to e made to the Comptroller.]

of said court.

sion of the General Assembly, entitled an Act to amend an Act concerning Coroners, Revised Statutes, chapter 25, Sec. 4. Gives the power to three Justices of the Peace to appoint a Coroner, where a county is without one, and it shall

and making compensation to such Justices | general estimate of the land tax for the for certain services.

21. To amend an Act, entitled an Act 1842.

22. To incorporate the Phœnix Fire Company in the town of Elizabeth City. 23. To Incorporate the Trustees Morganton Academy.

24. To lease a Silver Mine to George Southerland the discoverer, and for other purposes.

25. To amend An Act passed in 1336 " to incurporate the Town of Greensboro', in the County of Guilford. [Repeals the 5th Sec. of the Act of 1836 '7.]

26. To incorporate the Fayetteville Libray Institute, in the Town of Payetteville. 27. To protect the Public Bridges in

Tyrrell County.

28. To alter the mode of appointing Constables in Beaufort County.

29. To revive An Act for the better regu lation of the Town of Warrenton, in Warren County.

30. To incorporate the Town of Rocking. ham, in the County of Richmond.

31. To incorporate a Milling Company in

32. To improve the navigation of Cypress

33. To incorporate a Corps of Cavalry in

the County of Chowan. S4. To incorporate Dunn Faison Academy

in the County of Duplin.

35. To incorporate Washington Lodge, No. 3, of the Independent Order of Odd

Fellows, in the Town of Murfreesboro'. 36. To appoint Commissioners for the

Town of Asheboro", in the Co. of Randolph. 37. To divide the Militia of the County of Anson into two Regiments.

39. To provide for the opening and clear ng out of Muddy Creek in Stokes County.

39. To incorporate a Volunteer Infantry Company in Washington, Beaufort County. 40. Making compensation to Tales Jurors

in the County of Person.

41. To incorporate a Corps of Cavalry in the County of Perquimans.

42. To incorporate the Trustees of the Morganton Academy.

43. To give to the County Courts of Stany County, two Jury terms.

44. To incorporate the Carthage Male and Female Academies, in the County of Moore.

45. To incorporate the Trustees of the. Bethania Society and Academy, in Stokes Co.

46. For the relief of Samuel Lowers, of Davidson County. (Relieved and exonerated from all pains and penalties of the 14th

year 1842.)

7. In favor of Wm. Stringer and Green to incorporate the Fayetteville Riflemen, Hill. (Allows five days compensation for of the County of Cumberland, passed in assisting in the organization of the Sen-

> 8. In favor of Art'r S. Mooring, Sheriff of Martin County. (Returns him \$55 50 being one half of a penalty collected by him from George Staples, for unlawful peddling.)

9. In favor of Wm. Dills of Macon County. (Authorizes the issuing of a Grant to said Dills.)

10. In favor of John L. Christian, Sheriff of Montgomery County. (Returns \$200 to him, collected for failing to fill the Clerk's Certificate, relative to blank licenses.)

11. Relating to Smithville in Brunswick County. (Authorizes the U. S. Officer in command at Fort Johnston, to close up Ellis Street in said Town)

12. In favor of Wm. T. Bain for \$16. as an express for Col. James Watt, one of the Council of State, to attend a meeting of the Council.

13. In favor of the Justices of the Peace of Haywood County. (Grants a reduction of \$1462 on the Bonds of John Dillard and others for Cherokee Lands.)

14. In favor of Samuel Walters, of Macon County.

15. In favor of Thomas J. Roane, of Macon County.

16 In favor of John Hill and others. 17. In favor of Morriss R. Tayloe and

C. Kephart of Cherokee Co. (Grants them 3000 acres of land to erect Iron Works on.)

18. In favor of L H. Marsteller,

19. In favor of Wm. Thompson of Raleigh. for 893 50.

20. Relating to the Committee Rooms in the Capitol.

21. In favor of Thomas Wilson, Sheriff of Yancy County, for \$51 56.

22. In favor of William Davidson of Mecklenburg County, for \$669 93, being the fourth part of a Judgment obtained by him against the Catawba Navigation Company, in which the State is a Stockholder.

23. In favor of Thomas W. Rooker. Directs the Adjutant General not to proceed against him for failing to make return to the Brigadier General.)

24. In favor of Michael Francis, Esq. 25. Relating to the Statue of Washington. (Directs the Governor to cause the fragments of the Statue of Washington, to be emoved to the room of the State Library.) 26. In favor of the Commissioners of Raeigh. (Authorize's them to get building Stone from the State's Quarry.

72. In addition to the Revised Statutes, enti-

74. To amend the 10th Sec. of the 45th chapter of the Revised Statutes. [Authorizes the Court of Equity to appoint the time and place of sale of all property made by a decree

75. To amend an Act passed at the last Ses-

68. To provide for the removal of the obstruction Auson County. Creek in Bladen County.

exempting Mortgages, Conveyances in by four horses.) Trust or to the Swamp Lands in the Eastern part of the State.]

9. To cede to the United States a certain tract of land, lying on the Island of Portsmouth, Carteret County, for the hereon.

10. To amend the 9th Section of the Revised Statutes, entitled an Act concerning the Comptroller. [Directs the Governor to have 250 copies of the Comptroller's Report printed in Pamphlet form, for the year when the Legislature is not in session. Also, repeals that part of the Act, which requires the publication of the Comptroller's Report in five newspapers of the State-and amends the Act by publishing it hereafter in two newspapers in the City of Raleigh]

11. To cede a portion of Rutherford County to the County of Henderson .--Cedes that portion of Rutherford County lying west of a line beginning at a point on the dividing line on top of Sugar loaf mountain, running thence South 10 Degrees East to the South Carolina line, then West with said line to the Henderson County line, then commencing at the beginning point and running another line on the dividing Ridge between fall Creek and Reedy Patch Creek to Broad River at Pan's Gap, then North 5 Degrees East to the McDowell County line, then with said line to the Henderson line.

12. To authorize the Portsmouth and Roanoke Rail Road Company, to charge tolls on their Bridge over Roanoke River. near the town of Weldon.

13. Extending the jurisdiction of Justices of the Peace over Judgments, and amendatory of the 6th Section of the Revised Statutes, entitled "Justices of the Peace"-and the 4th Section of the Revised Statutes, entitled "Courts, County Peace, exclusive jurisdiction over all sums not exceeding \$100 in the principal. The a less sum.

14. More effectually to prevent the Imprisonment of Honest Debtors. [Provides that hereafter no capius ad satisfuciendum shall issue, unless Plaintiff, his Agent or Attorney, shall make affida-vit in writing, before the Clerk of the Court, in which said judgment may be, or the Justice of the Peace, to whom application is made for such process, that he be- fish with seines, nor he interested in fishing, lieves the defendant has not property to until they shall have resided in this State 12 satisfy such judgment, which can be reach-ed by a *fieri facias*, or has fraudulently concealed his property, money or effects, or is about to remove from the State. Provides further, that no Court in this State shall permit an issue of fraud to be made up and tried, under the provisions of the Act for the relief of Insolvent Debtors-Revised Statutes, Chapter 58, Section 10th -unless the Creditor, his Agent or Atterney, shall file a suggestion, in writing, of such fraud or concealment, therein ape eifying the particulars of such fraud or soucesiment, and shall annex to the said suggestion, his affidavit, that he verily believes the matters therein stated are true, 'ty to the County of Cleaveland.

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Grants, Mesne Conveyances, Powers of rate the President, Directors, and Company Attorney, Bills of Sile and Deeds of of the Yadkin Toll Bridge. (Authorizes a Gift. [Extends the time to two years, charge of 75 cents for a loaded wagon, drawn

23. To amend an Act, entitled an Act, to punish the default of returning Officers in the election of President and Vice President of the United States, passed 1842-3, Chapter 29. (Directs that the offence created by the above recited Act, he cognizable purpose of creeting a Marine Hospital in the Superior Court of Law of the County wherein the defaulting officer resides.)

24. Concerning the Superior Courts of Currituck County. (Relates to the issuing of the Clerk's Certificate to the Judge.) 23. To prevent the felling of timber in the Creeks and Rivers, within the County of Cabarrus. [Imposing a fine of \$10 if any person permits the timber to • remain 20

26. To authorize the forcelosure of the Mortgage of the Raleigh and Gaston Road. Directs the Governor of the State to have all the Morigages on the Road foreclosed at

Spring Term of Wake Superior Court .-The Road is then to be sold to the highest bidder, after due advertisement, on the following terms, viz: \$25,000 in six mouths, and the residue of the purchase money divided into four equal instalments, to be paid at intervals of ten months, with interest .--The Governor is to bid for the State the sum of \$300,000-a sum sufficient to cover the last Mortgage and interest.]

27. To authorize the Wilmington and Raleigh Rail Road Company to issue Bonds to the amount of \$100,000 to redcem a like amount of Bonds issued under the Act, entitled " An Act for the relief of the Wil. mington and Raleigh Rail Road Company. Pledges the faith of the State for the payment of the Bonds, authorized to be issued The object of the bill is to relieve the State. from the payment of \$100,000, as the sccu. rity of the Wilmington, before the meeting of next Legislature, by issuing new Bonds to take up these due, under the Act of 1842, on the first of January 1845 and 1846 respectively. The liability of the State for the Road is not increased by this Act.] 28. More effectually to secure the debts due for Cherokee Lands, and to facilitate the and Superior." [Gives a Justice of the collection of the same. [Directs the Governor to appoint a Commissioner, to examine the Bonds given to purchasers of Cherokee lands, 2d Section dismisses all suits brought in | and ascertain if the Principals are selvent. either the County or Superior Courts for Also, directs the Governor to cancel all Bonds where the Principals are insolvent, upon condition that the purchasers surrender to the Agent for the use of the State, possession of the lands purchased, with all the improvements thereon, and a release of all claim to any money paid thereon. Also, gives fur-

ther indulgence to Purchasers. 29. To secure to the citizens of this State the right of fishing in the navigable waters of the State. | Provides that no person shall months, under a penalty of \$100, &c. S0. To prevent obstructions in Hitchcock's Creek in the County of Richmond. 31. To amend the 123d Chapter of the Act of the Revised Statutes, entitled an Act day.) concerning Wrecks and Wrecked Property. Changes the Wreck Districts-disquali fies any Pilot to act as a Commissioner of Wrecks_allows 21 per cent. to the Commissioner on the amount of the value of property saved, when not sold by auction.] 32. Relating to the Buncombe Turnpike Road in Buncombe and Henderson Counties. (Hands working on Road, onlysubject to 50 cents for failure.] 83. To cede a portion of Ratherford Coun-

44. To regulate the 70th and 71st Regiment of North Carolina Militia.

45. To revive and continue in force and State, passed in the year 1836. Act passed at the Session of 1831-2, entitled an Act to re-enact and extend the provisions of an Act passed in the year 1829, Chapter 35, entitled an Act to incorporate the Lake Drummond and Orapeak Canal Company, an Act passed at the Session of the Gene-Chapter 109, entitled an Act to amend an ral Assembly of 18:30-'31, entitled an Act passed at the last Session of the General, Act for the relief of such persons as may Assembly of the State, entitled an Act to suffer from the destruction of the records incoporate the Lake Drummond and Orapeak of Hertford County occasioned by the Canal Company and for other purposes. 45. To amend the 103d Chapter of the offices of said County. (Extends the pro-Revised Statutes, entitled an Act concerning the improvement of Rivers and Creeks," and to prevent obstructions to their navigation.

47. To amend an Act, entitled an Act to provide for the collection and management of a Revenue for this State. (Authorizes of the County of Hyde. Sheriffs to draw upon the Treasurer for insolvent taxables returned by them.)

48. To provide for making a survey from # Raleigh and Fayetteville, West to the Geor. No. 4. of the Independant Order of Odd gia line. (Directs the Governor to cause a Fellows in the Town of Favetteville. survey to be made, with a view of making a Turopike Road, and appropriates \$1500 passing up the Creek, called Six Runners, for the object.)

49. For a Canal from Cape Fear to Lumber [Authorizes the opening of Books in the river. town of Wilmington for subscription of stock to the amount of \$300,000 in \$100 shares.] 50. To amend the Revised Statutes, entitled Religious Societies. [Empowers them to appoint Trustees to hold property and receive d ations.

51. To alter the time of holding the Superior Courts of Law and Equity for the counties of Rockingham and Guilford. 53. To authorize the making a Turnpike Road

Wilkes county, and to incorporate a company or that purpose

53. Concerning Sheriffs and Constables .-Makes the officer liable for the debt, when due liligence in collecting the same has not been used, notwithstanding the person against whom such claim existed, may be able to pay the same.] 54. Supplemental to an Act passed at the General Assembly of 1842-'43, entitled an Act to lay off and establish a county by the name of McDowell, and to fix the time at which the Superior Courts of Law and Courts of Equity, and two erms of the now Jury Courts of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, shall be held in the counties comprising the 7th Judicial Circuit.

55. To authorize the holding of two additional terms, of the Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, in and for the County of Catawba, at which there shall be no Jury Trials.

56. Concerning Inspectors of Flour. (Autho-rizes the appointing of an Inspector in the town of Wilmington by the County Court, who is to hold his office for the term of 5 years.) 57. To amend the 7th Section of the Revised

Statutes, entitled Guardian and Ward.

59. Providing for the appointment of Engross. ing Clerks. (Gives the appointing power to the two Principal Clerks of the Legislature, and re-duces the number to two, whose pay is to \$3 per roe, in the County of Union, (Provides for the election the County of Union, (Provides for the election the text of Mon-rects the Secretary of State to issue a Grant for 59 Acres of Land in Cherokee 60. To consolidate and amend the Acts herefor the appointment of Commissioners &c. County.) tofore passed, on Common Schools. (Provides 4. In favor of Leonard Ziglar, Sheriff 17. To incorporate the town of Marion that Superintendents be appointed at the Court next preceding the first Monday of October, and to take office on the first Monday of October in of Stokes County. (Returns \$40 for Ina the County of McDowell, and to appoint Commissioners for the same. solvent Polls.) 5. In favor of Henry Addington. (Di-

77. To establish and regulate a Turnpike Road in the county of Macon, to be called the Tennessee River Turnpike Road. [Appoints Commissioners to lay off the Road, &c.

78. To encourage the culture and manufacture Silk and Sugar among the Cherokee Indians in this State. [Extends to them the provisions of the Act encouraging these articles in this

PRIVATE.

1. An Act to extend the provisions of Carolina, Revised Statutes, Chapter 89, burning of the Court House and Clerks visions of the Act to the Counties of Montgomery and Stanly.)

2. To incorporate the Franklinsville Guards, in the County of Randolph.

3. Making compensation to the Jurors 4. To repeal an Act passed in 1828, so

far as it extends to the County of Martin. 5. To incorporate Cross Creek Lodge,

.6. To prevent the obstruction of fish in the County of Sampson.

7. To alter the mode of appointing Constables in Tyrrell County. (Gives the appointment to the County Court.) 8. To attach a portion of the Militia of the 69th Regiment to the 68th Regiment. 9. Granting to the Superior Courts of

the Counties of Yancy, Buncombe, Henderson, Macon and Cherokee, original and exclusive jurisdiction in all cases, where the intervocation of a Jury may be

necessary 10. To smend the Act, incorporating the Trustees of the Edenton Academy.

11. To incorporate a Company of Cavlry in the Town of Wilmington, in the County of New Hanover.

12. Authorizing the County Court of Lincoln County, to exercise exclusive jurisdiction over the Public Road, which is the dividing line between the Counties of Lincoln and Cleaveland.

13. To incorporate the Trustees of the Milton Female Institute in the County of Caswell.

14. To amend an Act, entitled an Act to change the location of the Court House of the County of Montgomery and for other purposes, passed at the session of the General Assembly of 1842-'43, Chapter Sec. of the Revised Statutes, entitled an Act concerning Divorce and Alimony.)

47. To establish a new Regiment out of the Militia, in the County of Union.

48. To incorporate the Town of Pittsboro', n the County of Chatham.

49. Supplemental to an Act passed at the General Assembly of 1842 3, entitled an Act to lay off and establish a County by the name of McDowell.

50. To repeal a part of an Act of the General Assembly of the State of North Section 1st, as to the time and manner of clecting Wardens of the Poor, so far as relates to the Connty of Northampton.

51. To amend an Act, to incorporate the town of Shelby, and for other purposes. 52. To repeal a part of an Act of the Gen. eral Assembly of the State of North Carolina, Rev. Stat. Chap. 89, Sec. 1st, as to the time and manner of electing Wardens of the Poor, so far as relates to the Counties of Hertford, Tyrrell and Yancy.

53. To authorize the Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions of Pitt County, to appoint special Justices of the Peace, and making compensation to such Justices for certain services.

54. To repeal an Act passed in the year 1825, concerning Fire Companies in the town of Favetteville.

55. To repeal an Act passed in the year 1825 entitled an Act to repeal in part an Act passed in the year 1820, entitled an Act to authorize and empower the commissioners of the several towns

of Fayetteville, Newbern, Wilmington and Tarborough, to organize and keep up Fire Engine Companies.

56. To amend an Act passed in 1843, entitled an Act to incorporate the Nantahalah Turnpike company. [Extends the time for opening books and receiving subscriptions to the 1st day of March 1845 ; also, reduces the capital stock from six to three thousand dollars.

57. To incorporate Washington Academy in the county of Duplin.

58. To locate the Court House in the county of Catawba, at the town of Newton.

59. To repeal an Act to repeal the third Section of an Act passed in the year 1825, Chap 1272. entitled an Act to direct the manuer in which licences shall hereafter be is-ued to retailers of Spirituous liquors, so far as regards the Counties of Richmond and New Hanover.

60. To appoint Commissioners for the Town e. Rockford in the County of Surry.

61. To repeal an Act passed in the year 1842, en. titled an Act to repeal an Act passed in the year 1835, entitled an Act to abolish the office of County Tran-tee in the County of Moore, and for other purposes. 62. To confirm a sale by James W. Guinn Agent for the State.

63. To authorize the removal of the county seat in Wayne county, from the town of Waynes. boru' to the village of Goldsboro'.

RESOLUTIONS.

1. Resolution in favor of Wm. J. Lewis for \$24 for carrying a writ of election to Pitt County.

27. In favor of the Door-keepers of both Houses for \$25 extra pay.

28. Relating to the interchange of Docu. ments. (Approves of the proposition of the Legislature of South Carolina, and recommends its universal adoption.)

29. Authorizing the Governor to employ Counsel in all cases, where the interest of the State requires it.

SO. Authorizing the purchase of a Naional Flag for the State.

31. In favor of Thos. M. Cash, of Ala-Dama, for \$200.

32. In favor of John H. Wheeler, Public Treasurer

33. Appropriating \$1000, for purchase of Furuiture for the Governor's House

34. Relative to re-building of the Branch Mint at Charlotte. [Memorializes Congress for an appropriation to re-build the Mint

35. In favor of Adman Van Bokkelin, for \$500, for the storage and package Public Arms. 36. Authorizing R. W. Ashton to enclose

State lot in the City of Raleigh.

37. In favor of Justin Martendale, for \$4 55. 38. In favor of the Commissioners of the town of Wilmington and others, for \$827 28

39. In favorof John A Averett, Sheriff of Onslow, County, \$200, being the amount recovered against him.

40, In favor of Reeder & Longee, for \$9 50. 41. In favor of Wm. Ennett, for \$25, for carryng a writ of Election to Onslow County.

42. Authorizing the Governer to forclose the Mort-rages executed by the Clubfoot and Harlow Creek Canal Company.

48. Relating to the Cherokee Indians residing in North Carolina. [Requests our Sensiors and Representatives in Congress to use their influence to obtain a speedy settlement of the just claims of the Cherokee Indiana residing in this State.]

44. Concerning the printing of the Inangural Ad-dresses of the Governor of this State.

45. In favor of the Students of the Raleigh Acad-(Loans 50 muskets.)

46. Relating to estimates of allowances. 47. Resolution directing the Secretary of State to receive proposals for enclosing the Capitol Square with a stone Wall, and an Iron Railing nce, and submit the same to the next Legis

48. Resolution relating to the flistory of the State. [Directs the Governor to collect informs tion on the subject.]

A PREMATURE ENDORSEMENT .--- A story is told of a Hibernian who offered his rote in a neighboring town under circumstances which induced the Locofocos to believe him a Whig. He had his

ticket firmly encased in his brawny fist, when the inspectors asked him his name

"Barney Flagherty, yer bondrs, the world over, save in Kintucky, where they call me Barnabas O'Fisherty for shortness.'

"I challenge his vote," said a Locofoco, as soon as he heard the word "Kentucky."

"You are challenged, Mr. Flagherty. Are you prepared to take the oath ?" "I'm challenged, am I? Then I'm the man for his mutton. Any weapon from a double-fist full of bones to a Donnybrook shillelah. And as

58. To repeal the 8th Section of the Revised 15. To amend an Act for the better 2. Authorizing the Governor to erect Statutes, entitled an Act concerning Crimes and regulation of the town of Mocksville in Grave Stones at the Graves of deceased

18. To annex a part of Ratherford County to the County of McDowell. in the water courses of the County of of \$115 39.) to continue in office until others are chosen as

required by this Act. All persons over four years old to be allowed to go to the Schools. Copies of this Act to be printed and distributed among the Counties with the Acts and Journale of the to appoint special Justices of the Peace, I land, in consequence of an error in the

rects the Public Tressurer to return him 19. To prevent the falling of Timber | four Bonds executed by him for the sum

Guilford. 20. To authorize the Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions of Beaufort County, 5300 amount paid by him upon value of the port of t

for the oath, I am ready to swear by St. Patrick or ould Hickory that a better Dimocrat"-"Withdraw the challenge, Jim. He's for Polk." "As for the matter of that, thin, I voted for ould Hickory and"-"J withdraw the challenge." "And for Martin Van Buren"-

"Take his vote ; take his vote." "But may the Old Boy take me if I'm iver caught by Losofoco blarney sgin," added Barney. as he saw his vote deposited ; and marched off shouting for "ould Kaintuck, who never turned the back of his hand to a friend por the back of his coat to an inimy !"

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