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N. C. FAMILY FLOUR,

Patapsco Family Flour,

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CLEAR RIB SIDES,

CORN, OATS, MEAL,

Lowest Prices in the City.

W. M. SANDERS.

NOTICE.

IN BANKRUPTCY

[illegible] hereby given that a general [illegible] of the creditors of JOHN DEVER [illegible] will be held at the Regis[illegible] in Raleigh, N. C., before A. W. [illegible], Register in Bankruptcy, [illegible] day of March, 1879, at 10 o'clock [illegible] purposes named in the [illegible] of the bankrupt act of March 2, 1867.

R. C. BADGER, } Trustees
WALTER CLARK, }

WE STRIVE TO PLEASE.

A. Bragassa, Confectioner and Dealer in Fayetteville street, (Mosely's) has just received an assortment of Banjoes, Fiddles, Harmonicas, of all grades, screw tops, [illegible] for money for children to play with, croquet sets, toledo and candied peanuts, raw peanuts whole [illegible] kind cigars.

He wholesales and retails bananas, Malaga grapes, lemons, figs, ra[illegible]. Our candy is made in the city.

FOR SALE.

A [illegible] and stock of an old established [illegible] in Washington street. Fixtures if desired. Apply at the News office.

LOST.

[illegible] of 7 shares of stock in the National Bank of North Carolina, issued to W. J. Walters, October [illegible]. All persons are warned not to trade for the same. T. O. WALTERS, [illegible] Executor of W. J. Walters.

NOTICE.

Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 20, 1879.

On the 22 instant the banks of this city will shut that day being a legal holiday.

P. A. SILLS, Cashier,
JNO. C. BLAKE, Cashier,
SAM'L WHITE, Cashier.

ELECTRIC BELTS.

[illegible] for nervous debility, premature decay, [illegible] Pamphlets free. Address [illegible]

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Prompt attention given to all collections. Refer by permission to Banks of Raleigh, Hon. Dallas, Fayetteville; Hinsdale & Whitley, Carthage.

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Practices in the State and Federal Courts. Collections made in any part of the State. Office in Bagley Building, corner Fayetteville and Martin Streets.

COMMERCIAL FERTILIZERS.

What to Buy

Commercial Fertilizers are essential to successful production of crops, can not be questioned. This has been the practical experience of the most intelligent farmers of North and South, as well as the scientific authority. Inquiries are therefore for the considerate farmer is, what to buy, in the market. There is but one question in this: What has proved to be what guano stands before the farmers of North Carolina as a practical fertilizer? We answer, the

Fine Is and Ammoniated Phosphate.

[illegible] we have certificates [illegible] in every section where they have been used, from those who have used Commercial Manures for years and make money by it.

Second place, we say it does not pay to make manure at home. It does pay. And farmers can be successful in making their own manure. When he has made all manure possible the deficiency must be supplied by Commercial Fertilizers, for no farmer who cultivates cotton for profit and [illegible] the only profitable crop that can be used in our section, can make on his farm a sufficiency of manure for his crops.

We offer the Fine Island Guano to supply the deficiency in the fullest confidence that it is the best and cheapest fertilizer sold in the State.

We have arrangements for supplying it in any quantity, in good strong sacks, so that it can be transported any distance without loss.

The season for planting is now nearly at hand, and we hope to receive all orders early, so that they can be booked for immediate shipment from the Rail Road warehouse, thus saving the expense of drayage and handling.

Most Respectfully,
M. T. LEACH & CO.

We desire to establish agencies at all the principal Rail Road stations in the cotton [illegible]. With good reliable agents satisfactory terms will be made.

DAILY NEWS.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1879.

Weather Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 24.

South Atlantic States, winds mostly from South to West, with stationary or a slight rise in temperature, partly cloudy weather and possibly occasional rain.

THE CITY.

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W. M. SANDERS. Flour.
CHEROKEE INDIAN COUGH CURE—Local Notice.
M. T. NORRIS—Local notice.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

——The large gates of the capitol square are badly broken and out of repair.

——Pitt county yesterday drew $200 from the State Treasury for support of her outside lunatics.

——The colored fashionables had a ball at Wyche's boarding house, on Elenton street, last evening.

——The pupils at the graded school are in a transition state, as the process of regrading is now going on.

——The beautiful weather attracts fair promenaders, and yesterday these were out in goodly style and number.

——Rev. N. M. Jurney, formerly pastor of Person street Methodist church, Rev. W. S. Black being ill.

——Mary Stephens, negress, was yesterday sent to jail by Mayor Manly, for the crime of larceny. Ben Phillips, colored, was put in on a capias.

——Legislators seem to have made up their minds to go to work in earnest, and yesterday did a good deal of business.

——The meetings at the Salisbury street Baptist Church are largely attended and much interest is manifested.

——Cotton was firm and in good demand yesterday. There was no change in prices. The receipts were quite light.

——The Indian doctor is back again, and holds his audiences spellbound, as the medicine will hath, every afternoon, by the Market.

——Some one suggests that the city authorities grade Martin street by the government building, and the suggestion should gain the ear of the street Commissioner.

——The fence of the government lot is neat and substantial, being of wrought iron. A great many men are now at work on the lot, removing old buildings, grading, etc.

——The Governor offers a reward of $100 for the capture of George J. Littleton, who in October last murdered Peter Randall, in Columbus county. He escaped from the jail of that county on the night of the 18th inst.

——The next theatrical sensation is the coming of the Milton Jaspers, or as they term themselves, the Pathfinders a la Troubadours. Their specialties are in the comic line. They are booked for Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of next week, at Tucker Hall.

DR. WINGATE ILL.—Information comes that Rev. W. S. Wingate, D. D., President of Wake Forest College, is so dangerously ill that his life is despaired of.

PERSONALS.—Mr. W. Dumont, of Charlotte, is in the city.

Jas. T. Legrand, Esq., and H. C. Dockery, Esq., of Rockingham, are at the Yarboro.

Mr. W. E. Clarke, Member of the House from Craven, is at the Yarboro.

MARKET REPORT.—Mr. C. Battle Fowler, the keeper of the Metropolitan Market, reports that during last week the good people of this burg consumed the following in market: Beeves, 85; sheep, 31; hogs, 141; sausage, 450 pounds; fish, 274 bunches.

During the week the market was fairly supplied with country produce, a dozen eggs sold at 12½ @ 15 cents; chickens at 15 @ 20 cents.

U. S. COMMISSIONER'S COURT.—Commissioner Purach tried three cases at his court of justice in the government building, yesterday. The first was that of Alex. Jones, colored, for counterfeiting the silver currency of the United States. This case was dismissed for want of evidence.

The same party was then tried on a charge of selling unstamped cigars. In this case also Jones came out luckily, the warrant being dismissed for the same cause as the other.

One Lonny Tompkins, another of the Black Feather gang as the band of counterfeiters who last autumn operated in a part of this county was termed, was up for uttering base coin. Lonny is the embodiment of darkness, being the blackest darky whenever weakened daylight. The evidence against him was so strong that the Commissioner put him in a place he will find congenial, in default of $3,000 bail.

WALKS ABOUT TOWN.—A stroll around town these delightful mornings reveals the fact that the city is being beautified by the erection of a number of buildings, while the streets in some places are being improved. On Boylan avenue, near Hillsboro avenue, the elegant residence of Geo. H. Snow, Esq., is nearly complete. On Saunders avenue several dwellings are going up, and the hill in rear of the old mansion bids fair to be soon covered with them. The street is receiving some attention, as to grading and curbing. At the corner of West street and Hillsboro avenue Mr. J. D. Whitaker is building a two frame, about 30 x 50, to be used as a store and dwelling. Out by St. Mary's the street needs attention, and should be leveled, the grade being uneven. Some of the foot bridges need looking after, while there seems to be a desire to have the wooden bridge over the railway made more substantial. The new Sunday school room at Edenton street Methodist church is going up rapidly, and will soon be ready for occupancy.

New and Unheard Of!

These unique cards. Just received at the News Job Office. The marvel of the age. *

DISCOMFORTS.—The Charlotte Democrat takes occasion to animadvert rather strongly upon the management of the streets of this city, which it declares are but bogs in winter and dust heaps in summer. There is much of truth in its remarks, as is evidenced. But a few days ago the streets were mud lakes, almost unnavigable, whereas on Saturday they were filled with dust clouds, as pedestrians found to their discomfort. Now they are in better condition than for some time, but will not long be so. Never mind, in the sweet by and by there will be pavements and street sprinklers, so that both these disagreeable conditions will be avoided.

WALKING AS A FINE ART.—In all the cities the new and fashionable sport of walking matches is all the go, and men and women are striving by day and night to walk the greatest possible number of miles. All classes of society are wild over the new fancy of the hour, and the papers teem with accounts of pedestrianizing. Thus far the prevalent disease hasn't reached Raleigh, and "walking against time" is one of the unknown things. Properly restricted, much amusement as well as benefit may be had by exercise in this respect, and it will no doubt come in vogue here. There should be an attempt made to get up a match and a prize offered. It will be found that there are numbers of young men who think themselves the match of any pedestrian. It will be no trouble to fill a hall as the scene of the match, and it will astonish any one who will push the enterprise to find how many will pay to see a match. The suggestion is thrown out, with the remark, incidentally, that there's millions in it.

JOHN KING, Esq.—After having been connected with the work on the government building almost from its inception, serving first as Master Mechanic and more lately as Superintendent, Mr. John King has now severed his connection with the work, and by order from Washington has turned over the finished building to the post master. The building has been under their peculiar care and attention by Mr. King, and the skill he has brought to bear, together with his painstaking devotion to the work, are shown in the finish and workmanship of the completed structure, one of the most beautiful and best built in the South. It adds great credit upon him and gives him a high rank in his profession, as is evidenced by the praise which his work earns from architects everywhere. His management has been strict, honest, and in all respects careful, and the interests of the government have always been considered, and his instructions faithfully followed. He leaves the work with the confidence of all connected with it.

SUPREME COURT DECISIONS.—Opinions were filed by the Justices in the following cases:

By SMITH, C. J.

Florance Flynt, Administrator, vs. F. H. Boeckhimer from Forsyth. Affirmed.

Eaton Dean and wife vs. W. N. Ragsdale et al, from Forsyth. Reversed.

M. L. Simonton vs. Roxanna Simonton, Executrix, from Iredell; Error—Venire de Novo.

John Collett and wife, et als, vs. L. P. Henderson and wife from Burke; Affirmed.

By ASHE, J.

J. C. Halyburton et al, vs. John Carson, Executor, from McDowell. Affirmed.

State vs. David Barnwell, from Buncombe; Reversed.

DILLARD, J.

First National Bank of Charlotte vs. Sample & Alexander et al, from Mecklenburg; Affirmed.

State vs. Simpson Pettie, from Buncombe; Affirmed.

Isaac H. Smith vs. A. and M. Hahn, from Craven; Error—Further proceedings.

SUPREME COURT.—Court met at 10 o'clock on yesterday. Present Chief Justice Smith, and Justices Ashe and Dillard.

Appeals at the foot of the docket were called as follows:

E. F. Skinner, Executor, vs. M. G. Rotham, Administratrix, et al, from Chowan; argued on motion to dismiss. Gilliam & Gatling for the plaintiff, and J. B. Batchelor and Mullen & Moore for the defendants. (Chief Justice Smith, having been of counsel in this care, did not sit at the argument.)

Griffin Pritchard, vs Jno O Askew et al from Hertford; argued. J B Batchelor for the plaintiff, and Gilliam & Gatling for the defendants.

R H Sanders vs W J Gatling, from Hertford; certiorari ordered and cause continued.

Mary A Banks vs W F Bynum et al, from Hertford; certiorari ordered and cause continued.

Washington Toll Bridge Company vs Commissioners of Beaufort; left open.

State vs Joshua Scott, from Jones; continued.

T C Davis vs H C Moss, from Wilson; argued. H F Murphy, for the plaintiff and Gilliam & Gatling for the defendant.

State vs J H Blackburn, from Pender, argued. Attorney General Kenan for State; no counsel contra.

Thomas Jones, Administrator, vs A McF Cameron et al, from Greene; continued for want of counsel.

Wyatt Earp et al, vs W H Richardson et als, from Wilson; continued.

Earle Company vs R W Hardie, Sheriff, from Cumberland. Argued by Hinsdale & Devereux for the plaintiff, no counsel for the defendant.

State vs Jesse Davis, from Johnson; argued. Attorney General Kenan for the State; no counsel for defendant.

State vs B A Anderson, from Columbus; argued. Attorney General Kenan for State, no counsel contra.

State vs Richard Lee, from Cumberland; argued. Attorney General Kenan for State, and Guthrie & Carr for the defendant.

Samuel P. Swain vs James D. McRae et al, from Brunswick; argued. D L Russell for plaintiff, and J D Bellamy, and W S & D J Devane for the defendant.

Pending the argument in this case, court adjourned until this morning at 10 o'clock.

Fresh Lime and Cement.

Always in stock, prices and quality guaranted, sash, doors and blinds enough always in stock to build 200 houses. Write for price list. Julius Lewis & Co., Hardware Merchants, Raleigh, N. C. *

WAKE SUPERIOR COURT.—Court met at 10 o'clock yesterday, His Honor Judge Mills L. Eure presiding. The following business was transacted:

The jury for the present week were called and sworn as follows: J A Honeycutt, L D Baucom, Henry Pollard, C D Bunn, D P Judd, G B Bagwell, Terrell Lowrey, L H Wood, C C Briggs, Wm Mitchell, W J May and C H Beckwith.

H W Montague vs Burwell Ray. Continued for plaintiff.

H J Smith vs. J J Lynn et als, (two cases.) Judgements for defendants.

H W Montague vs A T Mial. Two cases on the bastardy docket were called and disposed of.

IN A BOY'S POCKET.—Our friend Mr A. P. Bryan, the efficient Superintendent of the Express Company, and who is more loved by the boys than any man in the universe, had a few days ago three or four boys around him in his office. Curiosity led him to see what a boy's pocket might contain, so calling one up he made a thorough examination, and the little fellow shelled out the following articles which embrace a correct and truthful inventory, to-wit: 3 tops, 1 top cord, 1 pin cushion—embroidered, 1 pair pulse warmers, 1 pair ivory tablets, 1 diary, 1 pair white kid gloves, 1 old show ticket, 1 bean shooter, (of course,) 1 glove finger, 9 slate pencils, 1 pen holder, 1 pencil calendar, 1 lead pencil, 2 shells, 1 watch chain, 1 glass bead, 1 package red glass, 2 buttons, lot of shot, 1 cartridge shell, 6 marbles, 1 knife, 1 bundle of strings.

The L. & R. Guano, Formerly Called the Star.

This celebrated brand of Guano formerly sold and so well and favorably known to the farmers of this section, is now represented in this market by Messrs. Latta & Myatt, who are prepared to offer it to their friends and the farming public on the most reasonable terms. Call on them for circulars and prices. *

Monroe's Prosperity.

Monroe Enquirer.

The business of this season, since the opening of the cotton market, certainly makes a good showing for Monroe. The number of bales of cotton shipped from here for the past four or five months will compare with the cotton exports of any inland town or city in the State; and the daily cargoes of merchandise freight landed at this place is gratifying evidence of the prosperity of our merchants and the activity in business circles. It is a notable fact that the business of Monroe is steadily increasing—not rapidly, it is true, but still there is an increase every year. Her fame as a desirable mart for sale of country productions and the procuring of great bargains is widening and spreading over a large area of country, and our merchants need but to adhere to the course which heretofore marked their to make business a fixed success of the future. "Quick sales and small profits" is always the winning card.

Cheap Grain and Forage

At Martin & Orr's grain and feed store, 1,000 bushels corn, 700 bushels oats, car load best drawn shingles, car load sawed shingles, car load shucks, fodder and hay. *

Look Before

You buy your clothing at the new goods just received at R. B. Andrews & Co., Clothiers and Hatters.

Fresh Arrival at Watson's.

Green corn, green peas, peaches, omatoes, brandy peaches, lobsters ove oysters and a great many othe, goods going cheap. *

Fine Arts in Raleigh.

Seldom have our citizens the opportunity of viewing so large and varied a collection of Fine Oil Paintings as will be displayed at 28 Fayetteville, street, (Newsom's old stand) on Tuesday, at 3 p. m., with catalogues. The entire collection is from the Philadelphia Art Gallery, and will be closed out at auction commencing at 3 and 7 p. m. on Tuesday. As there is no limit, this will be a first-class opportunity to adorn your homes with works of art at your own price. The ladies are especially invited, for whom the afternoon sale will be held. *

Look out for Fun,

A grand raffle for a Pony, Buggy and Harness will take place at the Yarboro House Bar on Monday night. No postponement—let all be on hand. *

Fresh Arrival.

Sugar, coffee, clear rib sides, flour of all grades, Richmond bolted meal, salt, corn, oats, molases, early rose seed potatoes, all of which bought to the best advantage and will be sold accordingly. Also our fine buggy horse [7 years old] of elegant style, drives well and gentle, for sale. Apply to, L. R. Wyatt, Wilmington street, opposite Market house. *

Excellent

Champagne cider at Watson's for fifty cents per gallon.

Change of Firm Name.

The Merchant Tailoring business that has been conducted under the name of C. Weikel, heretofore, will in the future be carried on under the name and style of C. Weikel & Co. All accounts due Mr. Weikel for work done by him have been placed in the hands of Mr. R. G. Lewis, his attorney, and will be collected by him. Weikel & Co., have on hand splendid goods, do first-class work for the smallest prices and take cash only for work done by them. *

At Watson's.

Hechler's sausage, tripe and pigs feet. *

We shall never cease to endorse the good qualites of Dr. Dr. Bull's Cough Syurp; for without its good effect our paper would have been short of reading matter this week; we had a shocking cough—Weekly Union.

Low Prices.

Black and colored silk scarfs at 50 and 60 cents.

Black silk stocks at $1.00 each.

Black silk ties at 25 40 and 50 cents, received to-day at R. B. Anderson & Co., Clothiers and Hatters. *

Cherokee Indian cough cure is the best remedy for colds. *

OUR LAW MAKERS.

SENATE.

MONDAY, Feb. 24, 1879.

The Senate was called to order at 10 a. m., President Robinson in the chair.

Mr. Henderson having been absent from his seat on Saturday, in attendance on the committee on finance, asked leave to have his name recorded in the affirmative, on the passage on its second reading, of the bill to aid in the construction of the Winston, Salem and Mocksville Railroad. Leave was granted.

PETITIONS.

Mr. Alexander presented petitions from citizens of Halifax and Edgecombe counties, asking for the enactment of a stock law. Referred.

Mr. Snow, a petition from citizens of Wake and Chatam counties in favor of a new county from portions of Wake and Chatham. Referred.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports of standing and select committees were presented by Messrs. Waldo, Bryan, of Pender, Moye, Shackelford and Davidson.

GOVNEROR'S MANSION.

Mr. Moye, from the special committee on that subject, reported on the erection of a Governor's residence. The report was accompanied by a bill carrying out the views of the committee. It was proposed to continue the commission—Governor Jarvis concurring therein, though he desired no house for himself. The bill limits the cost of the proposed building to $25,000 in case a new one shall be determined upon, and to $15,000 should it be determined to repair and refit the old Governor's Mansion. The report was ordered to be printed.

STATE DEBT.

On motion of Mr. Mebane, the special order, the bill to compromise, commute and settle the State debt was postponed till 7:30 o'clock p. m.

STATE TAXES.

On motion of Mr Alexander, the bill for levying equalizing and collecting taxes was made the special order for Thursday next at 10, m.

CALENDAR.

The disposition of the calendar was then resumed, and the fallowing bills were acted upon as indicated.

House bill to authorize the commissioners of Brunswick county to submit to the people the question, of the removal of their courthouse and jail. Passed third reading and was ordered to be enrolled.

ALBEMARLE AND CHESAPEAKE CANAL.

The resolution providing for an investigating into the condition of the State's interest to this work, was taken up an led to an animated discussion.

Mr. Ward moved to indefinitely postpone the whole matter, and it wrs agreed to by a vote of 20 to 18.

PROTEST.

Mr. Williamson, pursuant to notice, presented the protest of himself and other Senators against the passage of the bill to change the name of the Western Railroad, and to authorize its consolidation with the Mount Airy road, etc.

The protest, which was quite lengthy, was read by the clerk.

Mr. Caldwell warmly assailed the protest. It stated, he said, what was not so, and should not be permit ed to go on the Journal as it stood. He considered it libelous, and said it contained statements that were false.

Mr. Williamson raised the point of order that Mr. Caldwell was indulging in language unparliamentary and improper.

Mr. Caldwell said the protest was a libel upon the road.

Mr Davidson concurred in the point of order on the employment of objectionable language in the protest.

Mr. Williamson produced a recorded protest to show that the language employed therein justified that used by him.

Mr. Caldwell, whilst conceding the right of protest, insisted that it did not include the right to make an argument to which no opportunity was given for reply, nor did it admit of a miserable stump speech being injected into it.

The President held that the language of the protest was unparliamentary, and said a protest should be confined to a statement of the reasons prompting it.

Mr. Williamson, whilst bowing to the decision of the Chair, drew attention to the section containing a distinct disclaimer of all intention to wound the feelings of any Senator voting in the majority. He concluded by requesting permission to withdraw the protest for the present, with a view to some modification. Agreed to.

ALBEMARLE AND CHESAPEAKE CANAL.

Senate bill to authorize the Public Treasurer to exchange the stock of the State in the Albemarle and Chesapeake Canal Company for bonds of the State issued prior to 1861, was taken up.

The bill proposes an exchange of the State's stock at par for State bonds and unpaid coupons (without interest) issued previous to 1861, and to cut loose from the concern.

After a lengthy discussion the bill was made the second special order for to-night.

CALANDAR

Mr. Henderson introduced a resolution in regard to clerical assistants.

Senate bill to incorporate Raleigh Tabernacle of the Genal Grand Accepted Order of the Sons and Daughters of Love and Charity.

Senate bill to incorporate the North Carolina Industial Association.

Senate bill to amend the charter of the town of Salisbury.

Senate bill to prohibit fishing in Coneto Creek, Pitt county.

Senate bill to amend the charter of the Chrlottee and Taylorsville Railroad Company.

Senate bill to allow the commissioners of Pender to levy a special tax.

These several bills passed second and third reading and were ordered to be engrossed.

House bill to lay off and construct a public road in Wilkes county. Passed and enrolled.

House bill to regulate the practice of denistry, &c., passed second reading and took its place on the calendar.

House bill to secure the better drainage of low bottom lands in Burke county. Passed.

Senate bill requiring clerks of all the courts of the State to account for all the penalties and forfeitures coming into their hands passed its several readings.

House bill to incorporate the Warm Springs (Madison county) Turnpike Company passed its several readings and was ordered to be enrolled.

House bill for the drainage of land on Muddy Creek, McDowell county, passed its several readings.

NIGHT SESSION.

The Senate again met at 7½ o'clock.

THE STATE DEBT.

The special order was at once proceeded with, the Senate bill to compound, commute and settle the State debt, the question being on the third reading of the bill, considered by sections.

On motion of Mr. Mebane the first section was amended by excluding the bonds issued for the construction of the North Carolina railroad—so that the section prescribes as the first class of bonds proposed to be commuted at 40 per cent. all bonds issued prior to 1861, except those known as construction bonds of the North Carolina Road.

Mr. Aenderson moved to amend section four by providing that all bonds exchanged for the new bonds shall be surrendered with all the coupons attached. Adopted, and the fourth section was then agreed to.

Sections, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 were agreed to without amendment.

Mr. Henderson offered an amendment, the object of which, he said, was to make this compromise a finality. He moved to strike out the entire section. He believed the limited compromise heretofore offered was fatal to it. He desired this ode to remain open for a hundred years, if necessary, and if the creditors failed or refused to come in they could stay out. They certainly could not begin to draw interest till they made the exchange. Rejected, and the section agreed to without amendment.

The remaining sections of the bill—from 12 to 17 inclusive—were then agreed to without amendments, and the question recurred on the bill as amended.

There was quite a lengthy discussion after which Mr. Everett moved the previous question, which was agreed to and the bill then passed its third reading and was ordered to be engrossed and sent to the House. Ayes 25, nayes 14.

ALBEMARLE AND CHESAPEAKE CANAL

The second special order, the bill to exchange the stock of the State for State bonds was taken up. [The bill proposes to authorize the public Treasurer to receive $350,000 of the old bonds of the State, with interest, in exchange for the like amount of State stock in the company.]

This subject was fully discussed during the morning session. It appeard, however, to-night, that no court had been made to sell the property, though the mortgage bonds will mature on 1st of July next and a foreclosure to insiated upon.

Messrs. Everett and Bynum opposed the bill.

Mr. President Robinson, (Mr. Graham, of Lincoln, in the chair) made an able argument in its favor and was ably seconded by Mr. Snow.

The vote on the third reading resulted—ayes 32, nays 10.

Adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

MONDAY, Feb. 24th.

Mr. Speaker Moring called the House to order.

PETITIONS

were presented by Messrs Orchard, Berry, Capt. Carter of Buncombe, Etheridge, Waddell, Lockhart.

REPORTS

were submitted by Messrs. Jones, Ardrey, Buchan, Brown of Mecklenburg, Blaisdell, Clarke, Taylor, Woodhouse.

RESOLUTIONS

were introduced by Messrs York.

BILLS

were introduced by Messrs Jones, Brown of Yadkin, Colwell, Etheridge Orchard, Davis of Madison, Carter of Buncombe, Cobb, Cooke, Richardson of Wake, Ardrey.

CALENDAR.

Bill for the relief of J. H. Cox, Sheriff of Perquimans county, who was robbed on the highway of $1642, due by him for State taxes, was referred to the committee on Propositions and Grievances.

Bill to amend law in relation to convicts, work on railroads in which the State has no interest, by allowing the Boards of Directors to pay a bonus to the State instead of giving a first lien for this labor. Mr. Foard, said that it would give the State money for the labor on these roads. The bill then passed its second reading.

Resolution in favor of the Raleigh National Bank, passed its readings.

Bill for a fence law in Stewart's Creek township, Harnett county, passed third reading.

Bill in relation to the packing of fish, prescribing manner of packing sizes of barrel, etc, passed.

The calendar was placed at the Speaker's disposal.

Bill to prohibit the carrying of concealed weapons. A long list of Arkansas toothpicks sling shots etc., is given, while the razor is put down as deadly, and the pocket knife is declared not dangerous. The bill was made special order for tomorrow.

Bill to prevent the seduction of women, making it a crime. The bill was argued by Messrs. Clarke, Cooke, Turner, Carter of Buncombe, York, Vaughan, and Jones. The latter moved to table the bill. Upon this the ayes and nays were called, when it was lost. An amendment was then adopted that if the man marry the women the proceedings shall be quashed. The bill then passed its second reading.

Bill for relief of land owners, where the land has been sold by the State for taxes allowing such to redeem land in a twelve months by paying 10 per cent costs. Over $17,000 worth of land has been sold. The bill passed its readings.

Bill to prevent the killing of fish by exploding dynamite in the streams etc., passed its readings.

Bill to authorize the use of Moore's History of North Carolina in the public school, as a text book, passed its readings.

Bill to make the slander of women indictable and punishable by imprisonment, passed its readings, after a good deal of discussion.

Bill to punish the abduction of children under 18 years, passed its readings.

Bill to prescribe degrees of kinship, within which persons may not marry, making half-blood whole blood, passed its readings.

Bill to amend act in reference to Inferior Courts, was tabled.

Resolution providing for the publication of 20,000 copies of the report of the State Geologist and the proceeding of the meeting of Northern settlers at Charlotte, for distribution in other States. Messrs. Ardey and Clark spoke of the importance of this publication, as showing how northern settlers are treated here, which refutes the stories circulated by a portion of the press. Mr, Lindsay offered an amendment that the cost be paid by the Department of Agriculture. Messrs. Ardrey, Clarke and Blocker opposed this and it was lost. The resolution then passed its readings.

Bill to amend the law establing Inferior Courts, so as to give the right of appeal therefore to Superior courts in questions of law only, passed its readings.

Bill to amend law in reference to appeals from Justices of the Peace, passed its readings.

Bill to provide for the better proof of deeds executed out of the State, allowing clerks of courts of record full power in such cases, passed its readings.

Bill providing for the exemption of certain persnal property from sale under execution; reenacts an antique law, passed its second reading.

At 2 15 p. m. the House adjourned.

EVENING SESSION.

Bill to establish Normal Schools at Trinity and Davidson Colleges. Mr. English, the introducer of the bill, argued in its favor. It appropriates $500 for each school. Mr. Buchan offered an amendment providing for the like sum to a school for white at Goldsboro. Mr. Jones feared the bill would prove a dangerous precedent, and opposed it. Mr. Carter of Buncombe thought that these schools should be provided in each Congressional District, for both races, to be paid for out of the school fund.

Mr. Mebane moved to lay on the table. On this the ayes and nays were called, when the bill was tabled by a vote of 56 to 41.

Bill for exemption of certain personal property from sale under execution, came up on final reading, and passed.

Bill to incorporate the town of Hickory, Catawba county, passed its final reading.

Bill to alter and amend the charter of the Snow Hill, Greenville & Goldsboro R. R., passed its final reading.

At 10 p. m. the House adjourned.

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