SENATE.

THURSDAY, Dec. 2, 1852. Mr. Shaw, from the Select Committee on the Fsheries, submitted a minority report in writing, which was read and laid upon the table. Mr. Thomas, from the Committee on Interfor 800 shares of the stock of the Fayetteville and Centre Plank Road Company, reported and asked to be discharged.

On motion of Mr. Boyd, it was Resolved, That a message be sent to the House of Commons, proposing to raise a Joint Select Committee of three, on the part of each | dopted. House, to designate the time and manner of comparing and counting the votes cast for Gov-that the appropriation therein made shall be and the bill passed 2d and 3d reading. ernor at the last August election.

Mr. T. F. Jones introduced a bill for the government of Elizabeth City, in the county of Dam, and so on up the Cape Fear River. Pasquotank. The bill was read a first time. Mr. Washington introduced a bill to amend the 9th section of an act concerning Divorce | bill. and Alimony; read and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. McMillan introduced a bill to improve the Navigation of the South-west branch of the to vote this appropriation until a disposition had Neuse River in the county of Onslow; read and been manifested to do justice to that section. referred to the Committee on Internal Improve-

perance in the county of Gates; read and refer- sition of the Senate was concurred in. red to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Albright moved a reconsideration of the Yancevville Bank was rejected.

Mr. Washington moved to lay the motion on Mr. Clark said he hoped the motion would

important business of the session had been disthe motion was not by any means to delay the should probably vote for the bill. bill, but to give the friends of the measure an ago Free Suffrage was rejected in this Hall, a tion was necessary to save that before made. motion to reconsider the vote was made, and that

and proper in that case, but decidedly wrong was adopted. now it seemed.

The motion to reconsider was agreed to; and the question recurring on the passage of the bill be postponed to Thursday next at 12 bill, it was decided in the affirmative—yeas 25, o'clock. navs 18.

On motion of Mr. Caldwell. Ordered, That a message be sent to the House of Commons, proposing to go into an election

Commercial Bank of Wilmington was read a two houses proceding the commercial bank of Wilmington was read a two houses proceding the commercial bank of Wilmington was read a two houses proceding the commercial bank of Wilmington was read a two houses proceding the commercial bank of Wilmington was read a two houses proceding the commercial bank of Wilmington was read a two houses proceding the commercial bank of Wilmington was read a two houses proceding the commercial bank of the commercial bank of Wilmington was read a two houses proceding the commercial bank of the third time, and on motion of Mr. Joyner, temperarily laid upon the table.

A message was received from the House of Commons, concurring in the proposition of the half-past 11 o'clock.

The bill to emancipate Lewis Williams read a second time.

The bill to alter the line of the county of ers 23. No election. Madison was read a second time, and, on motion of Mr. Woodfin, it was made the special order for Saturday next at 12 o'clock.

The bill to appoint commissioners to alter and establish the boundary lines between the proposing to vote for a Judge of the Supreme counties of Lincoln, Gaston and Cleveland, was read a second time, and amended on motion of Mr. Hoke, by striking out so much as relates to appropriation for Cape Fear and Deep Riversthe county of Cleveland.

The hour fixed by joint agreement of the two Houses, to go into an election for U. S. Senator. having arrived, the Senate proceeded to vote, Messrs. Drake and Kelly superintending. On motion of Mr. Bower, the Senate took up

the bill to establish a new county by the name of Sevier, whereupon Mr. Bower offered a substitute for the same, proposing to establish Courts of Pleas and Quarter Sessions within the limits prescribed in the bill, which was read, Committee on the Judiciary.

nership and other debts, was read a second time, amended and passed. A message was received from the House of

Commons, proposing that the two Houses go into an election for Attorney General this day at half-past 12 o'clock. Mr. Person moved that the message be laid upon the table, which motion prevailed-yeas

25, navs 21. Received a message from the House of Commons, proposing to go into an election for Judge of the Supreme Court this day at one o'clock."

Mr. Kelly, from the Committee appointed to superintend the election of U. S. Senator, re-

ported that no choice had been effected. On motion of Mr. Canaday, it was ordered that a message be sent the House of Commons, proposing to go again forthwith into an election or U. S. Senator. A message was received from the House of

Commons, concurring in the above proposition. superinteredence of Messrs. Kelly and Drake. A message was received from the House, proeral this day at vale o'clock.

Mr. Bower moved that the message be laid

apon the table. The yeas and nays were taken-yeas 24, nays

24. There being a tie, the Speaker voted in the affirmative, and the motion prevailed. A message was remitted from the House of

three on the part of each House, on the subject | tor. Messrs. Scales and Adams were appointof comparing the votes for Governor. The ed to superintend the election. Committee consists of Messrs. Stubbs, Lockhart, and Shimpock, on the part of the House, and Messrs. Boyd, Washington and Bunting on the part of the Senate. The bill to attach a portion of the county of

McDowell to the county of Rutherford, was read a second time and passed. The bill to repeal the 4th section of an act to

amend an act to incorporate the Caldwell and Ashe Turnpike Company, was read a second time and passed. The bill to repeal an act to amend an act concerning the mode of choosing representatives

Mr. Thompson, was made the special order for Monday 12 o'clock. The bill to incorporate the Greensboro' and Deep River Plank Road Company, was taken | was sent to the Senate with a proposition to

up, and on motion of Mr. Clark, was referred print. to the Committee on Corporations.

read a second time, and on motion of Mr. Bynum, was indefinitely postponed.

A message was received from the House of Commons, proposing that the two Houses go to the Senate proposing to go into the election into an election for Attorney Ceneral this day of Attorney General at half past one o'clock toat half-past one o'clock. The message was not Mr. Smith introduced a resolution providing

The Senate proceeded to consider the special order, viz: the bill to regulate the salaries of Attorney General and Solicitors, and for other purposes; the question being upon the amendment reported by the Committee. After debate by Messrs. Kelly, Bynum, and others, the amendment was disagreed to, and the question | the Senate proposing to go forthwith into the | ley .- 33. being upon the passage of the bill upon its se- election of a Senator. Mr. Caldwell, of Linsond reading, it was, by yeas 10, nays 37, decided in the negative.

A message was received from the House of cided in the negative-year 50, navs 62. Commons, proposing to go into an election for Judge of the Supreme Court to-morrow at halfpast 11 o'clock.

Mr. Brogden moved that the message be laid

The motion did not prevail-yeas 22, nays

MECH. OR

Clark and Thompson appointed a Committee to to-morrow. The proposition was concurred in superintend said election. On motion, the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE OF COMMONS.

THURSDAY, Dec. 2, 1852. The unfinished business of yesterday-the nal Improvement, to whom was referred the bill to increase the capital stock of the Cape resolution directing the Treasurer to subscribe Fear and Deep River Navigation Companywas taken up.

Mr. Avery moved to postpone the unfinished business until 111 o'clock, which motion did not prevail. The question pending was on the amendment A bill to declare what persons shall interoffered by Mr. R. M. Saunders; which was a marry.

expended, first in the completion of the Cross Creek Lock and Dam, next Jones' Lock and Bank of Wadesborough.

Mr. D. addressed the House in support of his

amendment and in favor of the passage of the of Randolph, and Mr. Fagg spoke at some length in explanation of his position in reference to this bill, and read the 2d and last time, and passed. contended that it was proper for the west not

A message was received from the Senate proposing to vote for a Senator at 111 o'clock .-Mr. Willey introduced a bill to incorporate On motion of Mr. Avery, the bill before the Sunsbury Division, No. 174, of the Sons of Tem-

The unfinished business was again taken up. After some remarks by Mr. Smith, by way vote given yesterday, by which the bill for the of objection to the amendment offered by Mr. Dobbin, to which that gentleman replied, Mr. not prevail. It was high time that some of the | question of prudence and economy, and he was | present time. Messrs. Leach, Saunders and Hill satisfied, from what he had heard, that unless this appropriation was made, the \$80,000 before Mr. Washington said his object in making appropriated will be lost. For this reason he

Mr. George submitted a few remarks in favor opportunity for further explanation if necessa- of the bill, contending that the work is practicary. And he begged to remind the Senator from ble, that the State is deeply interested in its Edgecombe of the fact that when a few days completion, and that the additional appropria-

Mr. Smith then offered an amendment to the amendment, which was accepted by Mr. Dobmotion laid on the table, and there was no complaint made then - such course was all right | bin; and the amendment to the amendment Mr. Fagg then moved to amend the amend

The motion to lay upon the table did not pre- ment by inserting a bill to incorporate the N. Carolina and Tennessee Rail Road Company which he afterwards withdrew, and moved that

Mr. Marshall moved that the bill be indefinitely postponed. Messrs. Turner, Puryear and Brooks made a

brief explanation of some remarks made by for U. S. Senator this day at half-past 11 o'- them in the discussion of the bill on yesterday. The Speaker announced that the hour had ived for executing the joint order, and the Messrs. Norfleet and Watters were appointed to superintend the election. FIRST VOTE.

Mr. Norfleet, from the committee, submitted Senate to go into an election for U. S. Senatorat | the following report: 165 votes cast-83 necessary to a choice. Mr. Dobbin received 76: was Mr. Saunders 33; Mr. Shepard 10; Mr. Rayner 7; Mr. Thompson 10; Mr. Graham 6: oth

On motion of Mr. McDugald, a message was sent to the Senate proposing to vote at 121 o' clock to-day for Attorney General; and

On motion of Mr. Spruill, one was also sent Court at 1 o'clock to-day. The unfinished business-the bill making at

was again resumed. The motion to postpone indefinitely was withdrawn. The substitute proposed by the committee was adopted; and the bill passed its second

reading-yeas 69, nays 44, as follows: Messrs. Adams, Albertson, Allen, Amis, A very, Bynum, of Chatham, Byrd, Caldwell, of Guilford, Caldwell, of Lincoln, Calloway, Carmichael, Cherry, Chesnut, Christmas, Collins, Cook, Cotton, Corbett, Dargan, Dobbin, Dobson, Erwin, Fonville, George, Gwynn, Harris, of Caand on motion of Mr. Lillington, referred to the barrus, Harris, of Davidson, Hawkins, Herring, Hill, of Caswell, Holeman, Johnson, Long, of The bill in relation to the collection of part- Caswell, Long, of Randolph, Lowry, Love, Munday, McDugald, McIntyre, McNeill, Pegram, Perkins, Phelps, Philips, Puryear, Rives, Russell, Saunders, of Wake, Scales, Shimpock, Simons, Smith, Spruill, Strange, Sutton, Thornburgh, Trexler, Tripp, Turner, of Iredell, Tur ner, of Orange, Watters, Walton, Ward, White-

Wood, Wynne,-69. Messrs, Alford, Barco, Barrett, Black, Blow. Brooks, Bryant, Bynum, of Northampton, Daniel, Dortch, Dunn, Durham, Ellis, Eure, Fagg, Foreman, Furr, Gaither, Godwin, Hill, of Dup-Mr. Thomas moved that the message be laid lin, Jarvis, Jones, Lander, Leach, Lockhart, upon the table, which motion prevailed—yeas Lyon, Martin, Marshall, Matthews, Miller, Mills. Norfleet, Reid, of Duplin, Reid, of Rockingham, Sanders, of Johnston, Sauls, Sherrill, Styles, Teague, Tolson, Waugh, Webb, Willi-

hurst, Williams, of Warren, Wiley, Wilder,

ams, of Greene.-14. On motion of Mr. Avery, the bill to incorporate the Tennessee and North Carolina Rail Road Company, which had been made the special order for to-day, was postponed until to-mor-

row at 12 o'clock. A message was received from the Senate. in-The Senate then proceeded to vote, under the forming the House that they had laid upon the table the propositions to go into the election of Attorney General and a Supreme Court Judge ; posing to go into an election for Attorney Gen- and proposing to vote again, forthwith, for Sen-

> Mr. Dargan moved to lay the proposition on the table, which was decided in the negativeyeas 54, nays 59. The proposition of the Senate was then concurred in.

On motion of Mr. Leach, a message was sent to the Senate proposing to go into the election Commons, concurring the proposition of the of Attorney General at 1 o'clock to-day.

Senate to raise a Joint paract Committee of The two Houses proceeded to vote for The two Houses proceeded to vote for Sena

SECOND VOTE.

Mr. Adams, from the committee, reported as follows: 166 votes cast-necessary to a choice 84. Mr. Dobbin received 77; Saunders 43;-

Mr. Shepard 9; Mr. Rayner 10; Mr. Clingman 5: others 22. No election. A message was received from the Senate, informing the House that they had laid upon the

table the proposition to go into the election of Attorney General at one o'clock; also, one proposing to appoint a joint select committee to compare and count the vote for Governor ;which was concurred in, and Messrs. Stubbs, in Congress was taken up, and on motion of Lockhart and Shimpock were appointed on the part of the House.

The Speaker presented a communication from the Cashier of the Bank of Fayetteville; which

On motion of Mr. Leach, the bill to incorpo-The engrossed bill to pay tales jurors, was rate the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad was made the special order of this afternoon at

On motion of Mr. Blow, a message was sent

Mr. Drake, from the Committee appointed to that, from and after Friday the 3d instant, the superintend the election of U. S. Senator, re- afternoon sessions shall be devoted to the reception of bills, petitions and memorials, and consideration of bills on the third reading .-

Laid over one day under the rule. On motion of Mr. Cook, the bill to sub-divide Surry was made the order of the day for Tuesday next at 12 o'clock.

Mr. Waugh moved that a message be sent to coln, moved that the proposition be laid upon Gilmer, T. F. Jones, Joyner, Kelly, Lane, Mcthe table until the 14th instant; which was de-

A message was received from the Senate refusing to concur in the proposition to vote for thirds of the whole representation in the Senate Attorney General; also one proposing to vote forthwith for a Senator,—which was laid upon A message was received from the House

to the Senate proposing to go into the election State. The proposition was concurred in, and The message was concurred in, and Messrs. of a Judge of the Supreme Court at 111 o'clock the Senate proceeded to vote for a Comptroller.

by the Senate. On motion of Mr. Marshall, a message was sent to Senate proposing to set apart the afternoon of the 11th December, for the appoint- laid on the table. ment of Justices of the Peace.

first reading. A bill to ascertain the whole amount of taxes

paid by the people of North Carolina. A bill to incorporate the Greensborough and Leaksville Plank Road Company.

A bill to amend an act to incorporate the Ra-

A bill to increase the capital stock of the A bill to amend an act to incorporate Union Institute-the Normal College-in the county

A resolution in favor of C. S. Wheeler. The rules were suspended, and this resolution was The House then took a recess to 31 o'clock. EVENING SESSION.

The House met at 31 o'clock, and took up the special order, viz: the bill to incorporate the Atlantic and North Carolina Rail Road Compa-Mr. Williams, of Warren, offered an amend-

ment proposing to strike out that portion of the

bill which provides for a transfer of the stock in the Raleigh and Gaston Road. Upon this motion a discussion ensued, in which Messrs. Leach, Spruill, Hill, of Duplin, Cherry addressed the House in explanation of Saunders, of Wake, and Amis participated .his position in regard to this work. He had Mr. Spruill supported the amendment, and Mr. voted against it originally; but it was now a Amis opposed the bill as inexpedient at the opposed the amendment as equivalent to a de-

struction of the bill. The question was taken on the amendment and it was rejected—yeas 36, nays 68. Mr. Dortch moved to amend the 23d line of 34th section, by inserting the words "and

shall not be sold [the stock in the R. & G. Road] for less than par;" which was adopted. Mr. Johnson proposed to amend by inserting a provision that the Road shall be built with T iron rails weighing not less than sixty pounds

to the linear yard; which was adopted. Mr. Holeman moved to strike out the 38th and 39th sections, [authorizing the counties on the line to subscribe \$300,000, &c.;] which, after some discussion between Mr. Holeman and Mr. Saunders, was rejected-yeas 35, nays 78.

The qestion then recurring on the passage of the bill on its 3d reading, the bill passed by a vote of 56 yeas to 52 nays. [Tremendous applause followed the announcement. On motion of Mr. R. M. Saunders, the rules

were suspended, and the bill was ordered to be engrossed and sent to the Senate at once. On motion of Mr. Carmichael, the House adjourned.

SENATE.

FRIDAY. Dec. 3, 1852. Mr. Washington laid before the Senate a state ment of the affairs of the Merchant's Bank of Newbern, which, upon his motion, was ordered to be sent to the House of Commons with a pro- Caswell Plank Road Company.

Mr. Boyd, from the Committee on Senatorial Districts, submitted a report accompanied by a hill dividing the State into fifty Senatorial districts. They were ordered to be laid upon the able and printed.

Mr. T. F. Jones introduced a resolution i favor of P. Cahoon and others, sureties of J. A. Pool, late Sheriff of Pasquotank, which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance. Justices of the Peace. [Makes process return-Mr. Joyner presented a resolution of enquiry relative to certain iron laid down on the Rafeig! and Gaston road ; read and referred to the com-

mittee on Internal Improvements. A message was sent to the House of Commons, stating that the Senate had passed the Charlotte, North Carolina, and Cheraw, South Carolina, Plank Road Company.

Mr. Woodfin, from the Committee on the Juliciary, reported back the bill to authorise the The same bill would also be introduced in the several Courts of Pleas and Quarter Sessions to | Senate, and would there be printed; and for pay the Wardens of the Poor, and recommended ts passage. Also the bill to give to the Courts of Pleas and

isdiction over the sale of real estates, for divis- Reid. ion amongst joint tenants' and tenants in common, and recommended its rejection. A message was received from the House of Commons, stating that the House has passed the

following engrossed bill, in which they ask the concurrence of the Senate, viz: A bill to incorporate the Bank of Plymouth. in the County of Washington. The bill was read and on motion of Mr. McClees was made the special order for half past 11 o'clock to-

Mr. Thomas from the Committee on Internal Improvement reported back with an amendment the bill to amend an act to incorporate the Raleigh and Gaston Rail Road Company.

Mr. Washington from the Committee on the Judiciary, reported back the bill to amend an act concerning Divorce and Alimony, and recommended its passage.

The bill to emancipate Lewis Williams was read a third a third time and passed. The engrossed bill in relation to partnership and other debts was read a third time, amended.

A message was received from the House of Commons, that the hour having arrived for the off a road from Enoch Vannoy's Mill in Wilkes execution of the joint order, they were about to | county to the Virginia line. proceed to the election of Judge of the Supreme

The Senate then also proceeded to vote. Mr. Bynum, from the Select Committee, appointed to enquire into the expediency of printing an additional number of the report of Professor Emmons, reported the following resolu-

Resolved, By the General Assembly of North Carolina, that the report of Professor Emmons be distributed among the members of the present General Assembly, giving an equal number of copies to each member; and that a suffi cient additional number of copies be printed to

give each member thirty copies. The resolution was read a first time and passed, and on motion of Mr. Bynum the rules were suspended and the resolution was read a second

and third time and passed. On motion of Mr. Steele, the rule requiring that no bill or resolution of a public nature shall be sent from the Senate until 12 o'clock, on the succeeding day, was suspended, and a message was sent to the House of Commons asking their concurrence in the foregoing resolution.

The engrossed bill to incorporate the bank of Yancvville was read a third time and passed. The bill to attach a portion of the County of McDowell to the County of Rutherford, and The bill to repeal the fourth section of an act

Ashe Turnpike Company, were severally read a third time and passed. The hour for the consideration of the special order having arrived, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of bills on their third reading,

consider the same, being the engrossed bill to amend the Constitution of the State, so as to authorise Free Suffrage, on its first reading. The yeas and nays were taken with the following result:

YEAS .- Messrs. Albritton, Arendell, Barrow Ward, Washington, Watson, Withers and Wil-

NAYS .- Messrs. Albright, Bynum, Cowper, Clees, Mitchell, Palmer, Parks, Richardson, Thompson and Woodfin .- 15. The bill not having been voted for by two

A message was received from the House of Scales and Cherry were appointed to superin- was suspended and the bill read a third time laugh.] Sir, there is a large portion of that mocratic party for many years, and passed.

Was suspended and the bill read a third time laugh.] Sir, there is a large portion of that mocratic party for many years, and passed. Commons, proposing that the two Houses go | tend the election.

On motion of Mr. Dortch, a message was sent | forthwith into an election for Comptroller of the

two Houses go into an election for Attorney General this day athalf past one o'clock.

One of the state of th On motion of Mr Drake, said message was

A message was received proposing that the two Houses go into an election for Judge of the

Mr. Thompson, from the Committee appointed ed a majority of the votes given, there was no election. On motion of Mr. Steele, the vote, by which the bill to attach a portion of the County of Mc-

the passage of the bill, it was rejected. Mr. Jones, of Wake, from the Committee ap- next at 12 o'clock. The motion prevailed. pointed to superintend the election of Comptrolwas elected, having received 97 votes, and E. P.

Miller 62. The engrossed bill to amend the first section of the twentieth chapter of the Revised Statutes, so as to give the election of Clerks and Masters in Equity to the people, was read a second time, under a suspension of the rules. and on motion of Mr. Lillington, it was inde-

finitely postponed. The engrossed bill to incorporate the Frank- to the election of a Comptroller; and linsville manufacturing company passed its se-

the bill to incorporate the Charlotte Blue Ridge and Chattanooga Rail Road Company. Said bill was read a second time and passed.

A message was received from the House Commons, stating that the hour having arrived proposition to go forthwith into the election of in. for going into an election for Judge of the Su- a Comptroller. preme Court, the House would proceed to vote. The Senate then also proceeded to vote.

The bill to incorporate the Swift Creek Plank Road Company passed its second reading. The bill supplemental to an act to alter the line between the Counties of Buncombe and Henderson passed its second reading.

The Senate adjourned.

HOUSE OF COMMONS. FRIDAY, Dec. 3d, 1852. On motion of Mr. D. Reid, the House resolved itself into committee of the whole-Mr. Cherry, of Bertie, in the chair-and took up the Judiciary bill. Mr. Reid then moved that the committee rise, report the bill to the House and ask to be discharged from its further consid-

eration; which motion prevailed. The committee rose, and through its chairman, Mr. Cherry, reported the bill to the House and asked to be discharged from its further consideration; which was concurred in. On motion of Mr. D. Reid, the Judiciary bill

was made the special order for Wednesday next, at Il o'clock. INTRODUCTION OF BILLS. The following bills were introduced, passed

ferred: By Mr. J. B. Bynum: A bill to authorize the union of the Greenville and Roanoke Rail Road Company with the Petersburg Rail Road

their fire reading, and were appropriately re-

By Mr. S. P. Hill: A bill to incorporate the By Mr. Dargan: A bill tomake compensations to Justices of the Peace, and for other purposes. The warrant to be returned before the Justice

issuing it, and he is required to keep a record of all the proceedings in the case. Compensation to be 25 cents for a warrant, 15 cents for judgment, and 10 cents for the execution.]

By Mr. McDugald: A bill concerning the place of trial for civil process, returnable before

able in the Captain's district where the defendant resides.]
By Mr. D. Reid: A bill to lay off the State into fifty Senatorial Districts. On his motion, it was laid upon the table and made the order of day for Thursday next at 12 o'clock. Mr. Reid stated that the committee on this subject had been unable to agree upon a report, and for this reason he had introduced this bill in the House. that reason he had not made a motion to print.

Mr. Puryear gave notice that he would introduce on to-morrow, a bill differing materially in its Ouarter Sessions of the County of Randolph, ju- arrangement from the one introduced by Mr. According to the bill introduced by Mr. Reid twenty nine senatorial districts are formed out of twenty nine counties, a county for each. The remaining twenty-one districts are composed as by the change of a certain number of votes, follows: 1st, Pasquotank and Perquimons; 2d. Camden and Currituck; 3d, Gates and Chowan; 4th, Washington, Tyrrell and Hyde; 14th; Onslow, Carteret and Jones; 15th, Greene and Lenoir; 18th, Bladen and Robeson; 19th, Brumswick and Columbus; 33d, Raudolph and Montgomery; 34th, Richmond, and Moore; 35th, Anson

and Union; 40th, Stanly and Cabarrus; 41st. Rowan and Davie; 43d, Stokes and Forsyth; 44th, Ashe, Surry and Yadkin; 45th, Wilkes, Iredell and Alexander: 46th Burke, McDowell, Caldwell and Watauga; 47th, Lincoln, Gaston and Catawba; 48th, Rutherford and Cleveland 49th, Buncombe, Henderson, Yancey, and Madison; 50th, Haywood, Macon, Cherokee and By Mr. Carmichael: A bill to improve the

Gap; also a bill to appoint commissioners to lay

be printed. By Mr. Wheeler: A bill to amend an act to

improve the navigation of the Catawba river .-Referred to a select committee. By Mr. Cook: A bill to alter and improve the road leading from Trap Hill in Wilkes county to the Ford of Yadkin River at Isaac

By Mr. Fagg: A bill to alter the line between the county of Madison, and to establish the county of Warm Springs. By Mr. Dobbin: A bill to incorporate the North Carolina Sam Carriage and Plank Road |

Company. By Mr. Saunders, of Wake: A bill to amend Railroad Company. By Mr. Tripp: A bill to prevent obstructions

to the passage of fish in the waters of Blount's grossed and sent to the Senate. Creek and its tributary streams. By Mr. Simons: A bill for better securring creditors against loss. By Mr. Webb: A bill to restore Jury Trials in the county Courts of Rutherford county.

By Mr. Harris, of Davidson: A bill to pre-

scribe how persons shall be prosecuted for keepto amend an act to incorporate the Caldwell and | ing insufficient fences. On motion of Mr. Smith, the resolution offerred by him yesterday, to set apart the afternoon sessions for the introduction of bills, &c., and

was taken up and adopted. The hour for electing a Judge of the Supreme Court having arrived, Mr. Cherry nominated for the office B. Moore, Esq., of the county of Wake.

Mr. Norfleet arose to second the motion, and, Berry, Bower, Boyd, Brogden, Bunting, Cald- by leave of the House spoke at some length of into an election for Attorney General this day well, Cannaday, Clark, Collins, Cunningham, the eminent qualifications of Mr. Moore for the at 11 o'clock. Drake, Hargrave, Herring, Hoke, W. Jones, Kerr, Lillington, McDowell, McMillan, Murchison, Person, Shaw, Speight, Steele, Thomas, of friendship, but he believed he was doing a Mr. Clarke from the committee to supering the first seems I am not to get even one. A laugh. The Senator service to the State. Mr. Scales nominated the Hon. W. H. Battle,

of Orange. Mr. Williams, of Warren, nominated Thos. Bragg, Esq., of Northampton; but Mr. Saunders having stated that Mr. Bragg had informed him that he could not accept the station, if it were tendered, Mr. W. withdrew his name. Carolina State Agricultural society, and recom- as favorably disposed to increase, quite as wil- propriety in permitting his The two Houses proceeded to vote. Messrs. mended its passage and on his motion the rule ling as the people of any other section. [A He had contended for the principles and Charmen and Ch

1st vote for Judge. Mr. Cherry, from the committee, submitted a Mr. Cherry, from the committee, submittee, s to a choice. Mr. Moore received 48, Mr. Bat- August election, submitted the following re- improvement shall be fast

it being the bill to incorporate the North Caro-

lina and Tennessee Rail Road Company. Mr. Avery stated that he wished to introduce The following engrossed bills passed their Supreme Court at 1 before 2 o'clock. Concur- an amendment to the bill, by which it should was reconsidered, and the question recurring on the further consideration of the bill be postponed, and made the order of the day for Monday journals of the two Houses.

> A message was received from the Senate aler of the State, reported that William J. Clark greeing to the propsition to devote Saturday afternoon of the 11th instant to the appointment of Justices of the Peace; also a resolution proposing to have a number of extra copies of the Report of Professor Emmons printed for the use | 9th section of an actentitled entries and grants, | ness to obey the injunction of S. of the members, which passed three readings,

On motion of Mr. Strange, a message was sent to the Senate proposing to go forthwith in-On motion of Mr. McDugald, another was

sent proposing to go into the election of an At-On motion of Mr. Thomas, the Senate took up torney General at half past one o'clock to-day. Attorney General this day at 1 past 11 o'clock. good criterion, the Senator in a Bust A message was received from the Senate informing the House that they had laid on the table the proposition to go into the election of Attorney General; but that they agreed to the fore 12 o'clock. The message was concurred

> On motion of Mr. Lander, a message was sent to the Senate proposing to vote for a Judge | Plank Road Company. The bill was read afirst of the Supreme Court at a quarter to two o'-The two Houses proceeded to vote for a comp-

Mr. William J. Clark, of Raleigh, and Mr. Fagg having nominated Mr. E. P. Miller, of Caldwell. Messrs. Strange and Fagg were appointed to superintend the election. ELECTION OF COMPTROLLER. Mr. Strange from the committee appointed to superintend the election, submitted a report ordered to be printed.

as follows: 159 votes cast-80 necessary to a Mr. Clark, having received a majority of the whole, was elected. The time having arrived for executing the oint order, the two Houses proceeded to vote for a Judge of the Supreme Court. Mr. W. J. | kco-read and referred to the committee on In-Long put in nomination the Hon, John H. Bry-ternal Improvements.

an, of Raleigh. Mesers. Phillips and Norfleet were appointed to superintend the election. ELECTION OF SCPRENE COURT JUDGE. Mr. Norfleet, from the committee, submitted a report, as follows: 163 votes cast-82 necessary to a choice. Mr. Battle received 90; Mr. Moore 27-: Mr. Bryan 24: Seat ering 12 Mr.

was elected. The vote in the House was as follows:

2ND VOTE FOR JUDGE. Those who voted for Judge Battle are: Messrs. Speaker, Alford, Amis, Avery, Black, J. B. Bynum, Boyd, Carmichael, Chesnut, Cook, Corbett, Dobbin, Dunn, Eure, Foreman, Furr, George, Lowry, Love, J. F. Lyon, Martin, Marshall, Mills, Mooring, Munday, McIntyre, McNoill, Pegram, Phelps, Phillips, D. Reid, A. Reid, Rives, Scales, Sherrill, Simons, Stubbs, Sutton. Teague, Trexler, W. Turner, Walton, Ward, Webb, S. A. Williams, Adams, Daniel, W. H. Lyon, McDugald, B. F. Williams, Wheeler, Ellis, Wood, Durham, W. S. Harris, Miller, Gaither, Waugh, Matthews, Barrett, S. P. Hill, W. E. Hill, Jarvis, Wynne, W. H. Harris, Strange. Saunders, Leach, Stiles, Godwyn, and Sauls

For Mr. Moore. - Messrs, Barco, Brooks, Bryant, T. Bynum, Calloway, Cherry, Christmas, Cotton, Dargan, Dortch, Gwynn, Jones, Nortleet, Perkins, Puryear, W. H. Sanders, Shimpock, Smith, Spruill, Thornburgh, Tolson, Watters and Wilder-23. For Mr. Bryan :-- Messrs. Albertson, Blow,

D. F. Caldwell, Collins, Fagg, Hawkins, Johnson, W. J. Long, Russell, Tripp, and Whitehurst-11. Judge Baily I, D. Reid 1. [We may state here, that Messrs. Bryan and

Moore received, each, a considerably larger

vote than that mentioned above; but when it

was found that Judge Battle could be elected many gentlemen, who had voted for either Messrs. Bryan or Moore, accordingly changed.

The House took a recess to 31 o'clock. EVENING SESSION.

Mr. S. P. Hill introduced a resolution to ap propiate \$1000 for furnishing the Governor's louse: which passed its first reading. Mr. Dobbin, a bill to incorporate a company to construct a Rail Road from the town of Fay-

etteville to the Coal region. Passed first read-Mr. S. P. Hill, a bill to amenal the constitution of North Carolina. [A Free Suffrage bill.] in that section of the State is very small; I should Mr. Hill said: I learn that to day, in the Senate, the Free Suffrage Bill has been defeature for the slaves within the county of Madipublic road leading from Holeman's Ford in the | ted, and I therefore, by this Bill, propose to re- | son. That would give a population of 6,500 to county of Wilkes to the Tennessee Line, by Deep | new this work of principle; for it is one of the proposed two counties, or 3,250 to each. those principles which may be defeated, but never can be destroyed. In order that there usual in such cases, upon the expected rapid may be a fair expression of the opinions of mem- increase of the population. Now, sir, I am of By Mr. J. Turner: A bill to qualify every bers of this House, whether they are willing the opinion that other parts of the State are goman of good mind and good character to serve and prepared to reconstruct that which has as a juror, without respect to freehold. Refer- been this day defeated, I move that the Bill is a healthy country, and they have an abunred to a select committee of five, and ordered to be made the order of the day for Monday next dance of the necessaries of life; these two caus-

at one o'clock. gentleman from Caswell, (Mr. Hill.) seemed to partake somewhat of the commanding tone of the article in the Standard, but he did not object to the motion. He gave notice that he should introduce an amendment to provide for required population. It is true, there is a wide the election of Senators in the State Legislature for a term of six years, so as to remove some of the objections to the bill.

The motion to make it the order of the day for Monday next then prevailed. The bill in relation to the county of Jackson was taken up, on motion of Mr. D. Reid, and put upon its third reading. The bill an act to incorporate the Roanoke and Valley | passed its third reading, and the title was amended. On motion of Mr. Love, the rules were suspended, and it was ordered to be en-

> The bill for the better regulation of the town of Clinton passed its third reading. Mr. Amis moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill to amend the constitution had been made the special order for Monday next. Pending this motion, On motion of Mr. Phillips, the House adjourn-

ed to to-morrow 10 o'clock.

SENATE.

sent to the House of Commons proposing to go | County will be adopted, without receiving due

majority of all the votes given. B. F. Moore 37, J H. Bryan 24.

reported back the bill to incorporate the North of any other section; at all events, they are quite mong his political friends,

. Mr. Boyd from the committee appointed to ing up; people are coming in from a designate the time and manner of counting and and setting there; and this will

That the two houses of the General Assembly | cording to the present breast shall convene in the Hall of the House of Com- have. And thus the mons on Monday next the sixth of December, score will be speedily removed. instant, at 12 o'clock; that one member shall be tor will recollect that we are to appointed teller on the part of the Senate, and parate County representation of two on the part of the House of Commons, to lons of Madison Common an amendment to the onl, by which it should be provided that the State shall guarantee the make a list of the votes given for Governor of Mr. Steels. I do not know State superstructure and equipment of the Road when the State of North Carolina, as they shall be destion my friend from Buneaut to superintend the election for Judge of the the Election for individuals shall have done the grading. By clared by the Speaker of the Senate, who shall I shall represent the people of to cross the mountains than it does to cross the said the state of the vote of the person elected, desire to place myself in so plains. The formidable objection heretofore if it appears that a choice has been made agree- tion, even if the good pour urged, that it would cost an immense sum to ably to the Constitution of the State; which and should extend to me that deep pass the mountains, will thereby be avoided.— nunciation shall be deemed a sufficient declar- but if I understand the remarks of To complete this amendment, he moved that ation of the person elect, which together with I think he has, to use a common of

> The report was concurred in, and ordered to Last session he asked for two and be sent to the House of Commons. Mr. T. F. Jones introduced a bill for the re-

> lief of Sheriffs and Jailers—read and referred to abate a little and still proper by the committee on the judiciary.
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> Mr. Thompson introduced a bill to repeal the part of what he asks for Well, tendency of the population, and read and referred to the committee on finance. crease and multiply, I have make Mr. McMillan introduced a bill to incorpor- trail of the scripant is over usan ate the New River Canal Company-read and But what I desire in connection referred to the committee on Internal Improve- progressive movements is, they

> A message was received from the House of Commons, proposing to go into an election for course I have pursued, which I at Not agreed to. A message was received proposing to go into

an election for U. S. Senator this day at a | be- man is at all at a loss, I will mende Mr. Woodfin introduced a bill to amend the measure. act incorporating the Ashville and Greenville

Mr. Bynum introduced a bill relating to trials in capital cases-read and referred to the troller. Mr. Strange having put in nomination | committee on the judiciary. On motion of Mr. Gilmer, the bill to attach a

part of Davidson county to Forsythe county was taken up and made the special order for Monday at 11 o'clock. Mr. Woodlin introduced a bill to incorporate the French Broad River Railroad Company-

Mr. McCleese introduced a bill for the protecchoice. Mr. Clark received 97; Mr. Miller 62. tion and benefit of sundry citizens within this State-read and referred to the committee on the judiciary. Mr. Thomas introduced a bill to incorporate

> Mr. Bynum presented a memorial against the establishment of Ruffin county.
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> The Senate proceeded to consider the special

order, being the bill to incorporate the bank of Plymonth. Mr. McClees advocated its passage. Mr. Jovner urged upon the Senate the Battle having received a majority of the whole portance of establishing a bank at the point

proposed in this bill. The question being on its passage, the year and mays were taken, and the bill was rejected, yeas 17, pays 23. On motion of Mr. Bynum, the resolution concerning the Supreme and Superior Courts, the bill abolishing jury trial in the County Courts, and for the more speedy and certain adminis tration of justice, &c., were taken and made the

special order for 11 o'clock on Monday.

The bill to alter the line of Madison county and to establish the county of Warm Spring, was taken up, being upon its second reading. Mr. Woodfin a tyocated the passage of the bill. He exhibited petitions numerously signed praying for a division of Madison county, so that the inhabitants of the opposite extremities the county might not be so much inconvenenced as at present in transacting their county business, having now from one direction, many of them, to cross and recross a wide river with toll bridges, and in another direction a high mountain, besides travelling a very consideraale distance over had roads. He would not inflict upon the Senate the reading of the petitions, he would merely state that the object prayed for was earnestly desired by a large number of the citizens of that county; and it was but fair to state also that there were some who opposed it. He would state further, that it was not proposed that the county, when thus divided, should send two members to the House of Commons, before the time of the next apportionment, twenty ears hence: by which time the amount of pop-

ulation there would be sufficient to require sep-Mr. Steele. I would enquire of the Senator from Buncombe, if he knows the number of votes that were given in that county at the last

election for Sheriff? Mr. Woodlin said he did not know how many votes had been given for Sheriff, but he believed there were upwards of 800 votes in the county. Mr. Steele. Then, sir, if there are 800 votes in the county, upon a fair calculation, the number of white inhabitants in the county will be about 4,500. Probably, then, there may be taken from Buncombe 1000, making the whole number of white inhabitants in the territory proposed to be divided into two counties 5,800.-Every Senator knows that the number of slaves

The Senator from Buncombe, sir, relies, as is ing to increase quite as rapidly. It is true, it cs combined tend, no doubt, to increase the Mr. D. F. Caldwell said the remarks of the population of a country; such is the doctrine promulgated in the Congress of the United States, and of course, no one will dispute such high authority; but the probability is, that at the end of twenty years there will not be the river to be crossed, and the bridges are sometimes washed away, and no doubt the inhabiitants of Madison county are subjected to some inconvenience on that account. One of those bridges is a toll bridge, I have reason to know, as I was tolled upon crossing it, and pretty heavily I thought. Well, sir, the citizens of Buncombe are laboring under the same difficulties and inconveniences, and the same argument will apply in favor of division of Buncombe .-While the evidence set forth by the Senator from Buncombe must make it apparent to every Senator that the erection of new counties, instead of allaying difficulties, begets them, I will venture to say, that in less than five years we shall have applications for the formation of three more new counties in that section, to be formed out of Haywood, Macon and Cherokee. Now, sir, we have got to stop somewhere, or we shall in a few years have a House of Commons consisting of 175 members, and then we shall be compelled to build a new wing to this capitol to accommodate them (which will not cost less SATURDAY, Dec. 4, 1852.

Mr. Person, from the select committee on ton, in the case of the National Capitol. Sir, I Military offairs, reported a bill concerning the think this multiplying of counties is bad policy. militia of North Carolina, which was read a and the sooner we put a stop to it, the better.

Mr. Woodfin. There is not much danger, I joint order, the two Houses I Mr. Cunningham moved that a message be think, Sir, that a proposition to establish a new for Senator. Messrs. W. II. attention while the Senator from Richmond is tion. here: and I hope that may be many years. Sir,

tend the election for Judge of the Supreme Court, reported that William H. Battle had been duly elected that William H. Battle had to be a local to be a loc tary one. The Senator seems to think we are Saunders 35; Mr. Rayner 30; Max been duly elected, having received 90 votes, a asking for new Counties faster than we can populate them. I believe, as far as increase of population is concerned, the reputation of that see- personal explanation, which was Mr. Steele from the committee on agriculture tion of the State is at least quite equal to that S. said so long as the contest for

have a rail road through that

the establishment of but three new shall be a healthy progress. And tion of my opinions is to be permit me to say that I have assisted at carry out what is called reform, 1 the Free Suffrage question, where he will

my vote in favor and his own opposed Mr. Woodfin, [interposing, and alluling ularly, to a point of order in reference bill which had given rise to some sise said.] It is not in order to teler to Suffrage bill.

Mr. Steele. The Senator is rich mend to him that excell at maxim of Romans, "De mortais nil und booking Sir, the Senator says there is a very best the County of Madison still unsember if I have any capacity to juage of it I say it never will and never ought to be It would be impossible to erect a louse of many parts of that County walent danger of its tumbling down hill. And ploughing, it is absolutely out of the qualit cannot be done. On the whole, Sinais I have generally failed in every landable I have made to oppose the estadisma Counties, as I did last se sion when I a the Turnpike Company in the county of Cherothe Jackson bill, and although if I show the honor of a seat in this body for a se years, I may be called upon to oppose a number of such measures, yet so long a main a member of the General Assem shall I oppose the establishment of County, wheresoever it may be heated it has a population equal to the one hand twentieth part of the population of £

> The yeas and mays were then taken m passage of the bill with the following yeas 5, mays 43. So the bill was rele-Vandin enquired if a m sider would be in order.

> large majority of the people at whose

Mr. Brogden made some remarks.

The Speaker. Not if the Senator

Mr. Hoke demanded the year and ar Mr. Steele withdrew the motion to The bill to repeal the County of da ing been returned from the House of ! with an amendment, substituting in mental bill to complete the organizata County, was taken up. The amed about to be read by the clerk.

Mr. Steele. I apprehend, Sir, that t pretty long bill, and pechaps we have made up our minds how to vote. It fore we had better defer the formally ing it at this time. I renew my mon

Senate adjourn. Mr. Hoke again called for the year and they were taken,

The motion was decided affirmatists, Senate adjourned. HOUSE OF COMMONS

SATURDAY, Dec.

The unfinished business of yesterlay samed, it being the motion of Mr. A consider the vote by which the Fac bill introduced vesterday by Mr. II well, was made the special order to next. The motion to reconsider pres the casting vote of the Speaker-the ing stood 42 to 42.

Mr. Amis raised a question of order reception of the bill. The Speakers the bill could be introduced; and is pose, as he stated, of testing the que Amis appealed from the decision Mr. Amis stated the ground upo had based his opinion that the bill properly be entertained; to which it

Hill and Avery replied. The question, shall the decision be sustained? was decided in the afyeas 87, nays.17. The bill was then order of the day for Monday next at On motion of Mr. Leach, a message to the Senate proposing to go into t of Attorney General at 11 fo'clock to on motion of Mr. S. A. Williams, an

posing to go into the election of a Ser quarter to 12 o'clock. On motion of Mr. Leach, the bill ist by him in relation to the call of a st was taken up and made the order d for Thursday next at 11 o'clock. Mr. Avery moved to take up the

reconsider the vote by which the bl certain persons in Duplin to raise, \$30,000 for the purpose of draining Swamp, was rejected. The motion prevailed; and the question having best the motion to reconsider was lost-On motion of Mr. Avery, the bil live stock in the mountain ranges of western counties was put upon its att ing. After some remarks from Mr.

opposition to the bill, which were res

Messrs. Avery and Miller, the bill #2

ed, by striking out the county of sed its second reading by a vote of it Mr. Webb moved that the rules best and the bill put upon its third realist motion prevailed. Mr. Webb then me mend by striking out Rutherford fre visions. Mr. Mills opposed the the question being taken, the amount rejected.

The question recurring on the pass bill, Mr. Webb made a few remarks tion to it, and called for the ayes and The bill passed its third reading-; A message was received from the 3 forming the House that they had

cur in the proposition to go into the Attorney General; but that they proposition to vote for Saustor. The time having arrived for est Long were appointed to

Mr. Long, from the commission, Mr. R. M. Saunders asked leave