OUR LEGISLATURE.

A Proposition Made for the Insane Asylum.

[Special in Charlotte Chronicle]

RALEIGH, N. C., Feb. 25.—The Senate to-day passed the bill making an appropriation for the Insane Asylum. $56,000 yearly for the Raleigh Asylum, and $38,000 annually for four years for constrnction of two wings. To the Morganton Asylum $80,000 for the next fiscal year and $90,000 for the year thereafter.

The house has defeated the bills to create the counties of Badger and Lillington, and has finished the revenue bill. An amendment was insisted in the latter in passing an annual tax of $10 on attorneys.

The House discussed the bill making appropriation for the agricultural department, making it $27,500 for next firscal year and $25,000 for the yearafter, all excess to be applied to the State agricultural college.

The bill passed its second reading.

Petition for Prohibition Legislstion.

Mr. Richard H. Morse, the local prohibition champion, yesterday forwarded to Raleigh his petition praying the Legislature to pass a law prohibiting the sale or manufacture of spirituous liquors in Mecklenburg county, after Jan. 1st, 1888. The petition contained over 300 signatures, and among these were the names of several bar keepers. This matter has been looked upon with indifference by the majority of our people, but some of them are now beginning to think that there is really some probability of such a law being passed by the Legislature.

Apropos of this subject, we might state that a prominent citizen claims to have discovered that there is not a bar room in Mecklenburg county outside of Charlotte.—*Charlotte Chronicle.*

A man in Ontario can repeat perfectly 166 chapters of the Bible, fifty-eight psalms, and every collect, epistle and gospel in the ecclesiastical year, according to the English Church prayer book.

In 1834 the Roman Catholics had in the Diocese of Detroit one bishop, thirty priests and Catholic population of 20,000. In 1885, in the territory comprising the Diocese of Detroit in 1834, there were two archbishops, nine bishops, 920 priests and a Catholic population of 802,000.

We must ond a weak spot or two in a character before we can love it much. People who do not laugh or cry, or take more of any thing than is good for them, or use anything but dictionary words, are admirable subjects for biographers. But we don't care most for those fine patern flowers that press best in the herbarium.

An old merchant said years ago that not more than 1 per cent. of the best class of merchants succeed without failing in Philadelphia. Not more than 2 per cent. of the merchants of New York ultimately retire on an independence after having submitted to the usual ordeal of failure, and not more than three out of every hundred merchants in Boston acquire an independence. In Cincinnati, out of 400 business men in business twenty years ago five are now doing business.—*Dry Goods Chronicle.*

Uncle Sam will celebrate his next Forth of July with some loud new *cannons*, and the New England fishermen shall hear the eagle scream again.—*Louisville Courier-Journal.*

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Leave New York	12 15 n't	3 40 pm
Leave Philadelphia	3 50 a m	5.42 pm
Leave Baltimore	6 45 a m	800 p m
Leave Washington	9 00 a m	11 00 p m
Leave Charlottesville.	1 45 p m	3 00 a m
Leave Lynchburg	4 05 p m	5 15 am
Leave Danville	7 05 pm	8 05 a m
Leave Richmond	1 30 p m	2 30 a m
Leave Goldsboro	11 50 am	*5 00 pm
Leave Raleigh	4 35 pm	11 45 pm
Leave Durham	5 42 pm	1 39 am
Leave High Point	9 37 pm	10 16 am
Leave Salisbury	11 00 pm	11 23 am
Leave Charlotte	12 45 am	1 00 pm
Leave Spartanburg	3 38 am	3 34 pm
Leave Greenville	4 55 am	4 48 pm
Arrive Atlanta	11 40 am	10 40 pm

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Dec. 19th 1886.	No. 51. Daily.	No. 53. Daily.
Arrive Charlotte	5 05 am	6 25 pm
" Salisbury	6 41am	8 01 p m
" High Point	7 54 am	9 08 pm
" Greensboro	8 22 am	9 47 pm
" Durham	12 41am	4 45 am
" Raleigh	1 50 am	6 50 am
" Goldsboro	4 40 am	11 20 am
Arrive Danville	10 10ma	11 28 pm
" Richmond.	3 45pm	6 40 am
Arrive Lynchburg	1 05 pm	2 00 am
" Charlottesville	3 30 p m	4 10 am
" Washington	8 23 pm	8 30 am
" Baltimore	11 25 pm	10 30 am
" Philadelphia.	3 00 am	12 35 pm
" New York	6 20 pm	3 20 pm

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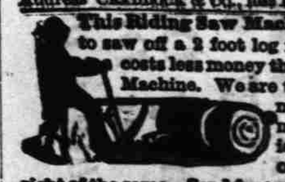

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Lv Weldon	3 15 p m	5 38 p m	1 10 a m
Ar Rocky Mt	2 33 p m	.....	.....
Ar Tarboro	4 50 p m	.....	.....
Lv Tarboro	11 30 pm	.....	.....
Ar Wilson	4 05 p m	6 58 p m	3 07 p m
Lv Wilson	4 15 p m	.....	....
Ar Selma	5 40 p m	.....	.....
Ar Fayettev.	8 32 p m	.....	.....
Lv Goldsboro	4 54 p m	7 40 p m	3 58 a m
Lv Magnolia	6 09 p m	3 38 p m	5 18 a m
Lv Burgaw	7 00 p m	.....	6 13 a m
Ar Wilming.	7 50 p m	9 55 p m	7 00 a m

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

	No. 45 Daily.	No. 47 Daily.	No. 43 Daily.
Lv Wilming.	11 40 pm	8 50 a m	8 52 p m
Lv Burgaw	.....	9 34 a m	9 50 p m
Lv Magnolia	12 52 am	10 23 am	10 42 pm
Ar Goldsbor.	1 55 a m	11 35 am	11 58 am
Lv Fayettev.	.....	7 00 a m	.....
Ar Selma	.....	9 58 a m	.....
Ar Wilson	.....	11 25 am	.....
Lv Wilson	2 32 a m	12 25 pm	12 51 am
Ar Ro'ky Mt.	.....	1 00 p m	1 27 a m
Ar Tarboro	.....	4 50 p m	.....
Lv Tarboro	.....	11 30 am	.....
Ar Weldon	4 05 a m	2 15 p m	2 45 a m

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