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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

SENATE. THURSDAY, January 20. Bills and resolutions were introduced and disposed of as follows:

Mr. Turner, an act to amend sections 2186, 2196, 2206 and 2208, of the Code, and providing for the support and maintenance of the department of agriculture by appropriation. Finance.

Bills passed third reading and sent to the House:

To amend section 2834 of the Code, so as to allow owners of land to shoot birds on their own land in certain counties; to regulate the sale of seed cotton; to amend section of the Code, relating to discrimination in railroad freight.

Mr. Pou, in a speech full of strong and pointed arguments, asked that this bill be referred to the judiciary committee. Seconded by Mr. Williams, of Davidson.

Mr. Pou withdrew his motion. Mr. Williams, of Davidson, moved that the bill be referred to the committee on judiciary. Lost.

The bill then passed its third reading. BILLS ON SECOND READING. An act to amend section 3824 of the Code, changing the time for shooting birds. Lost.

Bill to repeal an act to appoint a cotton weigher for the town of Newton. The substitute by the committee was carried on second and third readings, was engrossed and sent to the House.

A bill to prevent the felling of timber in Munsford Cove creek, in McDowell county. Lost.

A bill to require banks incorporated in this state, or private banks, to make statements to the public treasurer, to be published in the town where the banking is done. Calendar.

To amend section 18 of the Code (to allow attorneys from other states to practice law in this state.) On motion of Mr. Locky the bill was tabled.

A bill to prevent the sale of deadly weapons. Tabled. HOUSE. INTRODUCTION OF BILLS. Mr. Bennett, to amend the charter of the South Atlanta and North Western R. R. Co.

Mr. Stevens, bill to annex a part of Duplin to Sampson county.

Mr. Howe, bill to exempt firemen of Wilmington from poll tax.

H. B. 187, to extend the time for the completion of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway to Patterson, was taken up as unfinished business. After a lengthy discussion, lost—2 ayes, 58 noes.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES. The committee on penal institutions asked that H. B. 293, to establish a department for the criminal insane and for the better protection of the public, be printed and re-referred to that committee.

The committee on corporations reported favorably on S. B. 29, H. B. 269 to ratify and consolidate the Rutherford Railway Construction, Rutherford & Marion and Cincinnati & Charleston R. R. Co.

The committee on Salaries and fees, reported favorably on a substitute for H. B. 251 to regulate fees of state solicitors.

Mr. King introduced a resolution of instruction, relating to the repeal of the tax on state banks. Calendar.

SENATE. FRIDAY, January 21. Bills and resolutions were read and disposed of as follows, viz.:

Mr. Taylor, a bill for compulsory education. Education.

Mr. Purcell, an act to license the carrying of concealed weapons. Propositions and grievances.

BILLS ON THEIR SECOND READING. S. B. 195, to amend section 1079 of the Code. (Allowing the sale of liquors, in larger towns, during a

political speaking.) Mr. Adams offered an amendment limiting it to places that have a police force.

Mr. Winston offered an amendment, making it read, between the hours of 10 and 3 o'clock, which he withdrew.

Mr. Field said he thought that the bill should be referred to the judiciary committee. Referred.

A resolution passed the Senate that the Senate meet hereafter at 10 o'clock on Saturdays and 3 o'clock on Mondays, so as to allow Senators living near the capital to spend Sunday at home.

HOUSE. INTRODUCTION OF BILLS. Mr. Prichard, bill to make a distinction between grand and petit larceny.

Mr. Pritchard, bill to repeal the law against carrying concealed weapons.

Mr. Turner, bill to alter article 13, section 1, of the constitution, giving magistrates jurisdiction in petit larceny cases.

The bill to extend the time for the completion of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley R. R. was taken up as unfinished business. After a lengthy discussion, lost, 52 ayes, 55 noes.

SENATE. SATURDAY, January 22. Bills and resolutions were introduced and disposed of as follows:

By Mr. Kerr, an act to amend section 1273 of the Code, so as to prevent chattel mortgages being given upon growing crops, to take effect January 1st, 1888. Judiciary.

Mr. Alexander moved the rules be suspended and a vote be taken on his bill making it unlawful for railroad companies to charge a greater rate of freight to smaller towns, not preventing them from giving reduced rates to large shippers.

Mr. Locky moved that this bill be referred to its proper committee, and offered an amendment allowing the railroads to charge extra for handling.

The bill and amendment were referred to the judiciary committee. The bill to equalize the tax paid by taxpayers of Mitchell county, allowing them a rebate or credit for taxes paid, was tabled.

HOUSE. INTRODUCTION OF BILLS. Mr. Turner, bill to mark out the Marion & Asheville turnpike in Mitchell county.

Mr. White of Perquimans, bill to provide signboards to be placed at public road crossings on railroads.

The Baptist minister in Shelby, in a sermon to the young men of his congregation, says: "Never plead infancy on a debt, pay your obligations at whatever cost."

This is religion of a practical sort. Ministers ought to preach it and parents ought to teach it around the fire-side. Children ought to understand that there can be no religion which is not inseparably connected with every day honesty, and that there is no honesty in withholding the money which belongs to another.

The man who has the money to do it, and who yet refuses to pay his honest debts, is on the road to hades, no matter how long his face is or how high up he sits in church. If misfortune overtakes him and he is not able to pay, that is another matter. We are talking of those who can but won't.—Statesville Landmark.

Renews Her Youth. Mrs. Phoebe Chesley, Peterson, Clay Co., Iowa, tells the following remarkable story, the truth of which is vouched for by the residents of the town: "I am 73 years old, have been troubled with kidney complaint and lameness for many years; could not dress myself without help. Now I am free from all pain and soreness, and am able to do all my own housework. I owe my thanks to Electric Bitters for having renewed my youth, and removed completely all diseases and pain." Try a bottle, only 50c, at Tull's Drug Store.

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Bill Nye Studying Zoology in North Carolina.

[Correspondence St. Louis Globe-Democrat.] There is no place in the United States, so far as I know, where the cow is more versatile or ambitious, if I may be allowed the use of a term that is far above my station in life, than here in the mountains of North Carolina, where the obese 'possum and the anonymous distiller have their homes.

The life of a North Carolina cow is indeed fraught with various changes and saturated with a zeal which is praiseworthy in the extreme. From the sunny days when she gambols through the beautiful valleys, inserting her black, retrouses and perspiration-dotted nose into the blue grass from ear to ear, until at life's close when every part and portion of her overworked system is turned into food, raiment or overcoat buttons, the life of the Tar Heel cow is one of intense activity.

Jackasses in the South are of two kinds, viz: male and female. Much as has been said of the jack ass pro and con I do not remember ever to have seen the above statement in print before, and yet it is as trite as it is incontrovertible. In the Rocky Mountains we call this animal the burro. There he packs bacon, flour and salt to the miners. The miners eat the meat and flour, and with the salt they are enabled to successfully salt the mines.

The burro has a low, contralto voice which ought to have some machine oil on it. The voice of this animal is not unpleasant if he would pull some of the paths out of it and make it more joyous.

Here the jackass at times becomes a co-worker with the cow in hauling tobacco and other necessities of life into town, but he goes no further in the matter of assistance. He compels her to tread the cheese press alone and alone and contributes nothing whatever in the way of assistance for the butter industry.

The North Carolina cow is frequently seen here driven double or single by means of a small rope line attached to a tall, emaciated gentleman, who is generally clothed with the divine right of suffrage, to which he adds a small pair of ear-bobs during the holidays.

The cow is attached to each shaft and a small singletree, or swingletree, by means of a broad strap harness. She also wears a breeching, in which respect she frequently has the advantage of her escort.

I think I have never witnessed a sadder sight than that of a new milch cow, torn away from home and friends and kindred dear, descending a steep mountain road at a rapid rate and striving in her poor weak manner to keep out of the way of a small Jackson Democratic wagon loaded with a big hoghead full of tobacco. It seems to me so totally foreign to the nature of the cow to enter into the tobacco traffic, a line of business for which she can have no sympathy and in which she certainly can feel very little interest.

A great many people come here from various parts of the world for the climate. When they have remained here for one winter, however, they decide to leave it where it is.

It is said that the climate here is very much like that of Turin. But I did not intend to go to Turin, even before I heard about that.

Please send my paper to the same address, and if some one who knows a good remedy for chilblains will contribute it to the Sabbath Globe, I shall watch for it with great interest.

Yours as here 24, BILL NYE. Asheville, N. C., Dec. 9, 1886.

P. S.—I should have said relative to the cows of this State that if the owners would work their but-

ter more and their cows less they would confer a great boon on the consumer of both. B. N.

Under Sentence of Death.

[Charlotte Chronicle.] About two years ago a man named R. A. T. Robertson purchased a lot of land at Blowing Rock, and gave it out that he was going to build a big hotel at that place. He made about two months free board, and secured a good deal of free notoriety, when the Durham Reporter, hearing of what was going on, exposed Robertson as a fraud. Robertson then wrote letters to several State papers saying that he was on his way to Durham, in company with a Virginia lawyer, to indict the editor of the Reporter for libel. The Reporter, however, was game, and dared Robertson to set his foot in Durham, and nothing more was heard from him until a few days ago, when a letter was received in Durham over his own signature, stating that he is sentenced to be hanged on March 11th, for the crime of murder. The letter was received by Capt. Jack Wiggins, of Durham and the daily Recorder states that it sets forth that Robertson is confined in the county jail at Spencer, West Virginia, awaiting the sentence of death to be executed on him the second Friday in March. And now we quote the prisoner's own words: "Capt. Wiggins, for God's sake help me. I am now in jail staring death in the face, having been convicted of murder and sentenced to be hung the second Friday in March. My lawyers state that with \$200 I can get a new trial and probably be acquitted. My folks spent all they had on my first trial. Go to see every person in Durham and try to get them to contribute something."

Mr. Robertson is evidently in a close place, but our people have big hearts and if they find that he is deserving of help, no matter how big a rascal he has been in the past, they will do what they can to keep him from trying on a hemp necktie.

An exchange says: The postal law makes it larceny to take a newspaper and refuse to pay for it. A newspaper in Illinois recently brought suit against forty-three men who would not pay their subscription, and obtained judgment in each for their full amount of the claim. Of these, twenty-eight men made affidavit that they owned no more property than the law allowed them, thus preventing attachments. Then they, under the decision of the Supreme Court, were arrested for petty larceny, and bound over in the sum of \$300. All but six gave bonds, while six went to jail.

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