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RALEIGH, N. C., TUESDAY EVENING, MARCH 2, 1897.

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## JIM YOUNG SEATED

### House Kills the Charlotte Police Board.

#### CAPITOL STREETS

To be Paved.—Bill has Passed Both Houses—Dockery's Fertilizer Measure—No Bills to be Introduced in Senate After Tomorrow.

The house met at 10. The N. C. R. R. lease bill was made special order for next Friday at noon.

The following bills passed:  
To levy a special school tax in Wake Forest township, Wake county. To allow the Raleigh township school committee to issue bonds for school houses. To appropriate \$23,000 for new building and other improvements at the colored deaf-mute and blind institution here, \$11,500 for each of the years 1897-98. The vote was unanimous on the passage of this bill.

The bill to increase the annual appropriation to the state guard to \$12,000 came up with favorable report. It is re-referred to finance committee and made a special order for tonight.

The bill to appropriate \$10,000 for each of the years 1897-97 for the deaf-mute school at Morganton passed after some debate, Dixon, of Cleveland making the statement that the argument the democrats met during the late campaign was the republican-populist liberality in 1895 in making appropriations to institutions, and that he hoped the fine record would not be broken.

Bills passed to allow a colored physician to be employed at colored institutions for deaf mutes and blind here and to establish graded schools at Washington.

Dockery brought up his bill to prevent the use of "fillers" or worthless substances in fertilizers. Its text is as follows:

"Whereas, any commercial fertilizer or fertilizing material shall be analyzed as required by law and if such analysis shall show the presence in such fertilizers, hair, hoof-meal, horn, leather scraps, manure or other deleterious materials known as fillers, publication shall be made in the monthly bulletin by the department of agriculture showing the result of such analysis and calling the attention of the public to the presence in such fertilizers of such substances and the same shall be signed and condemned as provided by law in other cases.

Dockery offered the following amendment, strike out the words manure or other deleterious materials known as fillers, and substitute "or other substances non-available for plants, but which contains ingredients that go to make up the required or guaranteed analysis." The amendment was adopted and the bill passed.

The special order for 11:30 o'clock, being the bill to provide a police commission for the city of Charlotte was taken up.

There was a heated discussion of the bill. When it came up on the second reading it was defeated, yeas 60, noes 47. Both Adams and Ferrall, of Wake voted against it.

The case of Broughton vs Young came up. A majority report was made in favor of Young and minority in favor of Broughton. Mr. Cook opened for Young. Mr. Duffy and Col. Cunningham spoke eloquently for Broughton.

The majority report seating Young was adopted, yeas 62; noes 35.

SENATE.  
The senate met 10 o'clock. Lt. Gov. Reynolds presiding. Prayer by Rev. Dr. Daniel of this city. Bills introduced as follows: By Newsom, bill to amend sec. 1022 of code relating to crimes and punishment.

By Maxwell, resolution to investigate the business of the State Farmers Alliance.

By Person, bill to improve the efficiency of public school teachers and increase their pay, also a joint resolution in favor of employees of present legislature.

By Grant, to amend the charter of the town of Goldsboro.

To protect real estate sold under mortgage or deed of trust.

By Moye, Resolution that after today no bill shall be introduced at this session unless by suspension of the rules. Passed.

The bill to amend the charter of Wilmington providing for a police commission passed third reading, yeas 24, noes 18. The bill is now a law.

## SOMEbody HAS LIED!

### Senatorial Investigating Committee Reports.

#### THE TESTIMONY

Is a Varied Assortment—Morrison Swore He Never Offered Morton a Job—Senator Utley on the Stand—Parker Denies Statement.

J B Schulken, chairman of special committee to investigate the charges of fraud and bribery in the election of U. S. Senator, made a long report in the house today. It contained the examination of many witnesses sworn and examined by the committee. Some of the evidence caused a laugh, particularly that part in which Senator D. Reid Parker said he had discovered that he had a peculiar fitness for the position of commissioner of agriculture.

These questions were asked witnesses:  
First. If witness knew of any offer of money or office to vote for or against any one for U. S. senator.

Second. If it was given to understand to witness that he would receive either federal or state patronage for his vote or influence for or against any one for U. S. senator.

Third. Whether in voting for U. S. senator he was actuated or influenced in casting such vote by the hope or expectation of receiving either money or office as a consideration therefor.

Robert Hancock, H. T. Brown and Senator Odum and others answered the questions negatively. Odum was asked if he was promised the position of postmaster at Wadesboro and he said not. Y. C. Morton swore he was offered a four years' job by D. M. Morrison to vote for Pritchard. Morrison swore before the committee that he did not.

Senator Utley testified that while the bolters were in session in the Branson House he heard one of them say that there were 200 good offices they could get by voting for Pritchard.

Parker, of Perquimans, denied Mr. Utley's statement.

From the above the public can well ascertain their motive, and any unprejudiced mind can draw the inference necessary to the conclusion: I do not deem it proper nor expedient at this time to reply to their misrepresentations, but will pay my respects to the articles which have been published in due time, and the public is respectfully asked to reserve their opinions until they have the facts fully before them."

### TICKETS FOR CARNIVAL

They Are Going Fast—You'd Better Get Yours and be in the Push.

Seats for the "Carnival" have been selling at a lively and gratifying rate today, which shows that the people are in an appreciative mood. With such encouragement the Olque will doubtless exceed itself this evening. If you have not yet secured your seat, do so at once. Fair seats will doubtless be obtainable at the hall.

It is something more than gallantry which makes the yellow kid speak in such flattering terms of "de laddies." You should see them in gala costume.

There is only one weak point about the play. Madame Pollard can't look her part of ancient wife. She plays it though "out 'o sight."

Give Us Life for a Girl.

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor.

NYACK, N. Y., March 1.—There have been many sympathizing callers today at the little cottage of Robt. Lawrence, where lie the remains of his brave 17-year-old son Arthur, who lost his life while trying to save little Mammie Lynch early last evening from drowning in Pelters ice pond.

The boys and girls were playing on the ice yesterday when Mammie Lynch broke through and went down. Arthur Lawrence hastened to Mammie's rescue. He secured a board and put it over the edge of the ice where the girl was struggling in the water. Mammie caught hold of the board, when the thin ice cracked again and Arthur broke through into the water. The boy struck out to swim toward the girl, but threw up his arms and sank. Several men with ropes rescued Mammie, but the boy was dead when taken out.

Mr. HEC Bryant, of the Charlotte Observer is one of the delegation that came to Raleigh in opposition to the Charlotte police bill, which fell by the way side in the house this morning.

## POPULISTS CLASH.

### THRONED THE STREETS

#### WEATHER PERFECT.

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The arrest was made by police officers Woodall and Thompson and constable Upchurch. Burch was brought to the city and placed in the station house. Subsequently he was sent to jail, where the facilities are better for keeping him.

Burch was wounded in the back of the head and he is suffering very much. He is not rational a good part of the time.

The ball was removed from the burglar's head yesterday afternoon by Dr. Moore of Apex. It was a 32 and discloses the fact that Mr. Birdsong is a good marksman. The negro left Raleigh yesterday morning about daylight and was driven to Apex by Daniel Jones. The latter has been arrested and placed in jail as an accomplice.

Burch sent for Dr. Moore at twelve o'clock, but he was not able to get there until later in the evening.

The burglar told Dr. Moore that he was shot in a street fight in Durham. Of course the physician suspected nothing and successfully removed the ball, which was imbedded in the skull.

Dr. Moore stated to the Press-Visitor today that the ball went in the skull sufficiently far to press the bone on the brain. He says that Burch's conditions is serious and he should have hospital treatment.

Burch has confessed having committed the burglary. If he had accomplished it is not known. After he was shot he went to the house of a woman named Brown on the corner of Davie and Dawson streets, where he is in the habit of going. This led to his arrest.

A dangerous looking knife, at least ten inches long was on Burch's person when arrested.

Burch will have to stand trial for burglary. Judge Clark, who knows the premises says that it is a clear case of burglary.

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## DISPENSARIES

### CAUCUS IN A RUMPUS

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And Mad Because They Are Not Given Pie—High Old Time Last Night—Committee Appointed to Wait on the Governor.

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### TODAY'S MARKETS.

The Movements in New York and Liverpool Markets.

NEW YORK, March 3.

Market quotations furnished by E. B. Cuthbert & Co., 30 Broad street, New York, and 305 Wilmington street, Raleigh, N. C., over their special wire.

The following are the opening, highest, lowest and closing quotations of the New York cotton market today:

MONTHS.	OPEN-ING.	HIGH-EST.	LOW-EST.	CLOS-ING.
January,	....	....	....	6 86-
February,	....	....	....	7 01-
March,	7 07	7 07	7 02	7 01-
April,	7 10	7 11	7 06	7 06-
May,	7 16	7 17	7 10	7 11-
June,	7 20	7 20	7 15	7 15-
July,	7 25	7 26	7 19	7 20-
August,	7 27	7 29	7 21	7 21-
Sept'mb'r,	6 89	6 89	6 85	6 85-
October,	6 78	6 78	6 77	6 74-
Novemb'r,	6 82	6 82	6 76	6 76-
December,	6 85	6 89	6 83	6 81-

Cotton Movement.

The following shows the semi-weekly movement of cotton at 13 leading interior towns this week compared with that of last week, last year and 1895:

REC'DTS.	SHIPMENTS.	STOCKS.
This week, 20,903	31,331	316,116
Last week, 27,394	37,953	378,008
Last year, 10,482	30,154	330,376
In 1895, 41,975	44,595	337,053

New York Stock Market.

The following were the closing quotations on the New York Stock Exchange today:

Sugar	117 1/2
American Tobacco	75 1/2
Burlington and Quincy	76 1/2
Chicago Gas	76 1/2
American Spirits	14 1/2
General Electric	34 1/2
Louisville and Nashville	