

THE OLD RELIABLE



LEGISLATIVE WORK.

Bills Introduced and Passed at Yesterday's Session.

Special to Journal.

RALEIGH, Feb. 5.—In the Senate today, the Chairman of the Insurance Committee introduced a bill prohibiting insurance companies which are unlicensed in North Carolina from doing business in the State through brokers.

Senator Goodwin introduced a bill to provide for a State Inspector of buildings to prevent fire waste. Senator Norris introduced a bill to incorporate the Southern Life Insurance Company.

A bill was introduced by Senator Durham to induce better attendance of children at school. Durham is Chairman of the committee on manufactures.

A bill providing for the analysis and tagging of cottonseed meal used for fertilizer was made a special order of business for next Wednesday.

In the House bills were introduced by Goodie to exempt a manufacturing corporation from a franchise tax, by Orman to protect the travelling public by requiring the employment of competent railway agents, by Hamilton to repeal the law of 1893 relative to carrying concealed weapons.

The bill passed a final reading amending the charter of the Oriental Insurance Company, a bill was passed providing for a tax on amendments to charters of corporations.

A bill was passed to allow the people of Tarboro to vote on the question of a dispensary, a majority of votes cast to settle the question.

Market Letter on Cotton.

By private wire, J. E. Latham & Co.

New York, February 4.—May sold between 8.80 and 8.84 most of the day. It sold at 8.79 on Monday, 8.79 on Tuesday and at 8.88 this a. m. Then covering and the usual support started a firmer tone. There is nothing upon which to base arguments for higher or lower prices. Every one is bullish and no one short, all want to buy. The movement this week is known to be free and no break is possible under such circumstances, but the real test will come later. As we have said this week's market is not likely to break nor likely to advance as far as we can discover.

C. W. Lee & Co.

ASKIN.

Jan. 4.—The weather has been warm for the past week.

The farmers are busy getting ready for their crops. Some are breaking the soil, some are hauling dirt and some have planted their tobacco beds. We will have plenty of tobacco for the winter.

Mr. Eugene Tucker, son and daughter Roy and Jennie were the guests of Mrs. Alphaeus Fletcher last Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

There was a party at Mrs. Laura Gaskins last Friday night, the crowd was small but every body seemed to enjoy it.

Mr. W. R. Arthur was in New Bern today.

Mr. Booty filed his regular appointment at Antioch last Saturday and Sunday. There was a very large crowd present.

Mr. Fred Scott and Mr. Cheney passed through Askins yesterday. We would like to hear from T. O. E. and Joshua again. They must have fallen in the ditch and could not get out.

WANT TOO MUCH.

Extraordinary Demand for Money From School Fund.

A New Railroad. A Drunken Member. The Prohibition Movement, Child Labor Question. A Deer Law.

RALEIGH, Feb. 5.—The State Board of Education is simply astonished at the size of some of the calls made upon it for money to keep the public schools open four months in the year. For example, Rutherford county calls for \$8,100. That is one twelfth of the whole hundred thousand dollars annual appropriation for the purpose of keeping the public schools open four months in each year. Last year Rutherford asked for \$2,600. That county seems to have gone the limit in teachers salaries, and of teachers. Of course the Board can make no such allowance.

State Superintendent Joyner says that among the amendments of the school law will be one limiting the amount of money which the county school board can set apart out of the general school fund for the building of schools before the remainder of the fund is apportioned for teachers salaries and other expenses.

Manley McDowell of Burke county, is added to the incorporators of the North Carolina Farmers Protective Association. The promoters of this association among them Secretary of State Grimes is prominent, expect great results to follow.

Much interest is found in the building of the Raleigh & Eastern railway from here to Washington. The distance is almost 100 miles. The charter will be secured in a few days. The road as projected is to pass through Wilson and Greenville and is very nearly an air-line.

There is some talk among members of the legislature about expelling, or at least disciplining one of the members of that body, of whom it is stated that he has been intoxicated ever since his arrival, and that he has spent his days and nights in riotous living.

This evening the pupils of the State school for the blind here gave a special entertainment in honor of the legislature.

Superintendent Ray speaking today about this school, and also about one for the colored blind and deaf mutes said that 341 pupils were present at the two institutions, and that two more would arrive in a day or two. He said there was plenty of room, but that the fund for maintenance was not sufficient to enable more to be cared for. The allowance for that fund was made two years ago when there were 200 pupils, and was on a basis of 270.

Deep regret is felt here at the untimely death of Miss Florence Boylan a very charming young woman, well known in society all over the State. Ten years ago she was dangerously injured in an accident at a switch-back here, and seems to have never recovered completely, the injury being of the head. She died last night after only four days illness.

The extension of the prohibition sentiment in the State is certainly very great, this is evidenced daily in the Legislature. The anti-saloon league regulation favors the Watts' Liquor Regulation Bill, which at first it did not think would meet the requirements.

Cotton mill men from various parts of the State were here today in considerable numbers to attend the hearing on the Child Labor bill before the Legislature. This is recognized as being one of the most important and interesting matters considered during the present session.

A great many high compliments are paid the North Carolina Insurance Department, so ably managed by J. R. Young. Insurance papers all over the country are using words of praise.

Vice-President Andrews of the Southern Railway, notifies the Corporation Committee that a new passenger and freight depot will be erected at Winston-Salem.

The State Board of Examiners of Embalmers is called to meet here next Wednesday.

The Legislature will make it a misdemeanor to kill a deer which another person is chasing with dogs. The man who does the killing will be relieved of the penalty, if he gives to the pursuer the deer he has thus killed.

Congressman Moody, Dead.

SPECIAL TO JOURNAL. RALEIGH, Feb. 5.—Congressman James M. Moody of the Tenth North Carolina District, died today at Waynesville, N. C. his home.

Thousands suffer and hundreds die every year in this country from some form of Bowel Complaint. The best remedy for these diseases in children or adults is Dr. SETH ARNOLD'S BAL-SAM. Warranted to give satisfaction by T. A. Henry.

Reward for Utley.

SPECIAL TO JOURNAL. RALEIGH, Feb. 6.—Gov. Aycock today offered \$400 reward for the capture of E. L. Utley, the murderer of clerk Hollinsworth of the Fayetteville hotel, who escaped from jail one night this week. It is charged by connivance and bribery.

WEDNESDAY'S LEGISLATURE.

Farmers Protective Association. Incorporating Stokes. Special Tax Levy Jones County. Municipal Election Bill.

Special to Journal. Raleigh, February 4.—In the House today the Watts' liquor regulation bill was reported by the committee favorably, as amended, and was made a special order next Tuesday, noon.

A bill was introduced to incorporate the North Carolina Farmers Protective Association, giving it the right to build warehouses and elevators, to do a fire insurance business, and many other things, including manufacturing and mercantile agencies. The incorporators named in the bill are, John S. Cunningham, J. J. Laughinghouse, R. S. Speight and W. F. Parker.

Bills were also introduced by Murphy to define perjury, by making it perjury to swear falsely to anything in giving evidence, whether germane to the case or not; by Fuller to amend the Code by including fowls and live stock.

Bills were passed incorporating Stokes Pitt county; establishing graded schools at LaGrange; to prohibit the sale of fire crackers over three inches long, air and spring guns, and toy pistols, dealers being given thirty days to dispose of stock on hand; to prevent the spread of contagious diseases among domestic animals, to prevent seduction and abduction of married women; to prohibit timber dealers to repeat acts relating to felling of trees in certain streams in Beaufort county.

In the Senate bills were introduced by Hoy to provide holding municipal election, by Webb to encourage professional school teachers; by Allerson to refund to State Treasurer Lacy the \$300 stolen from him by W. H. Martin ex-claimant of treasurer.

Bills were passed establishing graded schools at Swan Quarter; to allow Jones County to levy a special tax; to allow Washington to levy a special tax; to make it unnecessary to kiss the Bible in taking the oath.

Fuller's union depot bill was made a special order for Thursday, week. Hoy's bill provides that registrars and judges of Municipal elections shall be named by county boards of election.

Harlowe and North Harlowe.

Jan. 4.—Mrs. J. H. Forbes, of North Harlowe has returned after short visit to her former home bringing her daughter Esther, with her. Miss Laura Conner, of Riverdale, is making a visit to Miss Bessie Morton and other friends of the North Harlowe. Mr. L. M. Egerton the bicycle man of New Bern was in our burg on last Monday on his gasoline wheel which was quite a sight and noise while running our roads and attracted much attention.

Mr. Joseph W. Pigott, our county Superintendent is making his yearly rounds visiting the schools of his county and paid his visit to the school of Miss Madie Bell yesterday and spent the night with Jas. R. Bell Esq.

Mr. Eddie Taylor of Beaufort and Mr. George Willis of Morehead City were visitors at our school last Sabbath.

Miss Vera Hancock of New Bern is visiting her cousin Miss Nellie Hancock.

Mr. Jesse G. Taylor spent last Monday in the city of Elms.

Mr. Ben J. Bell of Beaufort came up Monday on some business and we were glad to have him remaining for a night in our burg.

Mr. Charlis Ward has taken a place on a barge which carries lumber from Blades Mill to Philadelphia.

Mr. W. L. Roberson accompanied by Mr. Charles Thomas of Beaufort came up Monday for lumber for some improvement which he is making.

Mr. M. E. Springle of Russell Creek, came up to North Harlowe Tuesday bringing Mrs. Parsons with him and taking her daughter back to make a visit to her aunt Mrs. Springle.

Messrs M. E. Moore and Jas. R. Bell were on business in New Bern on last Wednesday.

A Sovereign Remedy

James Bond, of Windsor, N. C., writes "This is to certify that I have used Worthington's Family Remedy in my family for more than 40 years, and for Cramps, Colic, Cholera Morbus, and Diarrhoea, have found it to be a sovereign Remedy. Manufactured by Dr. Worthington Southern Mfg. Co., Wilson, N. C. Sold by all dealers.

RALEIGH.

Wilkes County Makes Liquor Only to Sell.

Changes in Present Insurance Law. Charged With Murder. Child Labor Bill. Laws R. & L. Adulterations.

Raleigh, February 4.—A number of representatives, fire insurance agents were here today and met in the office of Insurance Commissioner Young, their purpose being to secure some desired changes in the present insurance law and to present these in the shape of a bill after conference with the commissioner.

State Treasurer Lacy was asked today if the sub-committee on finance had so far made or rather suggested any changes of importance in the revenue act. He replied that it had not, but up to this time had been working on what may be called the small things, and relieving any friction. As yet it has not reached the important matters. For example, the present pedler's license law is nearly valueless. The Supreme Court quite recently said in defining pedler that the law left out the words, on foot. The committee has inserted the words.

James H. Poul left for Wilson today to assist in the defence of J. D. Farrow, a rich and prominent man charged with murdering on the streets of Wilson a negro named Hunt. The latter had been accused of attempting to burn the town of Wilson directly after the election of 1890. It is said that Farrow had received some threatening letters and had an idea that they came from Hunt. It is further said that this and the attempted incendiarism had preyed upon Farrow's mind.

The bill regarding the labor of children in factories comes up in the Legislature in a few days. One member was heard to say today that he did not know of any demand for such a bill, but others speak very differently about the matter. It is very safe to guess that a very plain law will be passed, and that it will be pretty closely along the lines of Gov. Aycock's message.

The bill to give all of Wilkes county prohibition came up in the House today. At one time, and not so very long ago, it used to be said that Wilkes was the hardest drinking county in the State, but yesterday in a speech before the committee which had up the liquor regulation bill for the whole State, a member said that no liquor was drank in that county; that the people only made it and shipped it out for other people to drink. This raised a great laugh.

It is very sure that the law officers all over the State greatly favor the movement to restrict the manufacture and sale of liquor to incorporated towns. Here in Wake, one of the largest counties in the State there is not a bar room outside of Raleigh, but there are distilleries, both licensed and unlicensed.

The joint committee to investigate the alleged cruelty to convicts near Marion today through chairman Warren, notified the person making the charges and also the penitentiary people to have their respective witnesses on hand at Marion next Tuesday.

It is said that a remodeling of the laws regarding building and loan association is desirable; that the law is contained in the code and is 20 years behind the time that these associations are organized before clerks of court, who report to the corporation committee. It is said that the proper way to do would be to have the report come directly to a State official, or rather to the corporation commission.

During the last fiscal year of the United States Revenue Department, 200 illicit distilleries were destroyed by deputy collectors.

In a few days a bulletin of the State Agricultural Department will be published on adulteration of foods. It is learned from one of the chemists who made the analyses that the work done before hand is having a good effect. For example—in the previous report it was shown that of the samples of certain kinds of canned goods, 65% were adulterated, while this report will show only 13%. The chemist says the cause of this great improvement is the exposure of this dangerous and outrageous fraud, and the fear of still further exposure.

CLARKS.

Sickness Prevalent. Prosperous Condition of School.

Feb. 5.—Farmers are preparing for the crops of this year.

Messrs J. W. and J. L. Humphrey and Misses Clara Humphrey and Olive Cleve visited at Bellair Monday evening.

Mr. J. H. Stevenson of Bellair, was in Clarks today. Master Herbert Eubanks is quite ill. We hope he will be convalescent in a few days.

The public school at Clarks is progressing finely under the skillful management of Miss Cleve, of Vanceboro.

Mr. Jay Humphrey spent Wednesday in New Bern. Mr. H. R. Dixon of Bellair, was in Clarks today. There is considerable sickness in Clarks at present but hope it will not continue long. PANSY AND VIOLET.

NASAL CATARRH CURED

Pe-ru-na Cures a Case of Five Years' Standing.



Mr. Rudolph M. Patterson, Chicago, Ill.

Hon. Rudolph M. Patterson, a well-known lawyer, of Chicago, Ill., writes the following letter to The Peruna Medicine Co., at Columbus, Ohio:

"Gentlemen—'I have been a sufferer from nasal catarrh for the past five years, and at the earnest solicitation of a friend I tried Peruna and am glad to say it has afforded a complete cure. It is with pleasure I recommend it to others.'—RUDOLPH M. PATTERSON.



Mrs. J. C. Garrett.

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"I can honestly recommend Peruna as a great catarrh remedy. It heals and soothes quickly and permanently. This is simply the whole story in a word. I have for years suffered with catarrh, aggravated when I took cold and Peruna cured me. It is indeed a great medicine, and worthy the highest praise, for it is reliable and will never disappoint you."—Mrs. J. C. Garrett.

which all doctors agree, is that it is difficult to cure it. Local remedies may give relief but they fail to cure permanently. Sprays or snuffs amount to little or nothing except to give temporary relief.

Catarrh is frequently located in internal organs which cannot be reached by any sort of local treatment. All this is known by every physician.

To devise some systematic internal remedy which would reach catarrh at its source, to eradicate it permanently from the system—this has been the desire of the medical profession for a long time. Forty years ago Dr. Hartman confronted this problem. He believed then that he had solved it. He still believes he has solved it. He cures thousands of people annually. During all these years Peruna has been the remedy upon which he has relied.

It was at first a private prescription, afterwards manufactured expressly for him in large quantities. This remedy, Peruna, is now to be found in every drug-store and nearly every home in the land. It is the only reliable internal remedy ever devised to cure any case of catarrh, however long the case may have been standing.

Mr. Camillus Senne, 27 West 129th street, New York, writes:

"I had fully recovered from my catarrhal troubles, I suffered for three years with catarrh of the head, nose and throat, I tried all kinds of medicine without relief, but at last I have been cured by the wonderful remedy called Peruna."

There are two things that the whole medical profession agree about concerning catarrh. The first is that catarrh is the most prevalent and omnipresent disease to which the people in the United States are subject. All classes of people have it. Those who stay indoors much and those who go outdoors much. Working classes have it and sedentary classes have it.

The doctor finds catarrh to be his constant and ever-present foe. It complicates nearly every disease he is called upon to treat.

The second thing about catarrh on a course of Peruna never fails to bring relief. There is no other remedy like Peruna. Its cures are prompt and permanent.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

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