THE DEMOCRAT.

E. E. HILLIARD, - - - Editor. Published Every Thursday.

Entered at the Post-Office at Scotland Necks, N. C., as Second Class Matter.

THURSDAY, MARCH 14, 1895.

in the House.

Continued from Supplement.] THE LEGISLATURE

NINTH WEEK'S RECORD.

ТИСК-DAY, МАКСН 7тн. SENATE-The bill to rotate the Stat fair, letting it go alternately to Charlotte and Raleigh was placed upon its second reading. Senator Mewborne offered an amendment to include New Berne. Lost. The bill was amended as to let the Fair remain a Raleigh, and to allow Mecklenburg county and Charlotte to purchase Fair Grounds, and, as, amended, passed third reading.

THE CODE COMMISSION.

sion was placed upon its third reading. contestants who are not entitled to been as follows Senator Paddison offered an amendment to reduce salary of Commissioner in his man! We will not do it, be he For the year 1891, from \$2,000 to \$1,500 and the salary of Populist or Republican. Under their clerk to \$750, this being the same that oaths Populists and Republicans of that the Democratic Commission received. committee have done their duty, and Senator Moody of Haywood opposed in every instance the Populist members the amendment. He thought the of that committee, who are brave and work would be worth \$2,000. He said true men have sustained me in my re- the county treasury for 1890 of \$367.75 as a lawyer he regarded the present ports. Code as almost worthless. "Of the contested cases unfavorably acted on, six were Republicans. In ev-

Mr. Fowler asserted that the present Code was arranged by three of the most eminent lawyers in the State, his case, without regard to technicali-John Manning, W. T. Dorch and John | ties, he was promptly seated. S. Henderson who received a salary of \$1,500 each. He saw no reason for increasing the salary of \$500. It was not in the line of reform or economy. Senator Dowd offered an amendment

to make salary \$1,000. He said from

labor, and responsibility upon me. The Superior court will go around with his only lawyer on the committee, the le- cigars like a swell at the expense of the gat work has devolved atmost entirely people, though he had also a petition upon me. This committee has done from Vance against this, and the counits duty bravely, fairly and honestly, ties of Mecklenburg and New Hanover At the commencement of this session, have to pay the expense all the same. Democratic Representatives upon this Against this semiment you came here floor, openly declared this committee to add new expenses to the State, when would oust every Democratic contestee Mecklenburg is willing to meet the expenses. She don't want help--it

"This I denied, but I did not hesitate takes the check of a town cow to do it to say that whenever this committee -entailing, as it does, an expense t reached the conclusion that a seat was the State of \$90,000 for the next four held by fraud, or wrong, that moment years, all at the command of a vicious would the recipient of that fraud or boss.

You say New Hanover court costs wrong be promptly deprived of it. "The editors of the Caucasian by \$11,000 a year. I have an affidavit this editorial plainly intend to convey here showing that it costs \$5,955.55. the impression that this committee has and the gentleman from New Hanover declined to seat Populist contestants be- in claiming the figure \$11,000 does not cause they were Populists, but has nev- know what he is talking about, that he er hesitated to seat Republicans. I do did not represent the best people in his not know the writer of that article, nor section in advocating it. Here McCal do I care. But this I do say, that the read the following affidavit :

charge made by this writer, be he of I hereby certify that the expenses of high or low degree, is as false and as the Criminal Court of New Hanover black as the very hinges upon which county as appears by the report of H. A. Bagg, chairman, B. G. Worth and

creak the gates of hell itself ! "If this editor supposes that he can E. L. Pearce, commissioners of said bull-doze, or intimidate myself or mem- board of commissioners for the years The hill establishing a Code Commis- bers of this Committee into seating 1890, 1891, 1892, 1893, and 1894 have

seats in this House, he is mistaken For the year 1890. For the year 1892. For the year 1893, For the year 1894. Average cost per year,

> These figures are subject to deduction of solicitor's and clerk's fees paid into for 1891, \$403.00; for 1892, \$129.00 for 1893, \$145.00.

> Witness my hand and seal of said county this 28th of February, 1895. JOHN SHAW. (Signed) Clerk Board Com. New Hanover Co (This affidavit was sealed).

French interrupted McCall several "But where that case was not made times saving his time was up ; Hunter out, this committee could not violate having the chair. Peebles said he their oaths, not even to please the edthought he had been recognized (seem ingly intending to yield time to The bill appropriating \$10,000 to the McCall). Speaker Hunter said if he



ary for some of the commissioners. Senator Paddison's amendment was adopted reducing salaries of commissioners to \$1500 and clerk's salary to

to \$750; also to require commissioners sidered in the Senate. Some approto pay their own traveling expenses. priations were made. Senator Dowd's amendment to reduce salary to \$1,000 was lost by a vote of 30 to 8. The bill as amendmend passed third reading.

Bill to appoint township tax collec- Cook to succeed himself; W. E. White tors for Halifax county passed reading. to succeed George Davis; V. S. Lusk to HOUSE .- Mr. Lusk introduced bill to succeed J. L. Stewart ; D. L. Russell to

equalize taxation.

THE BILL.

The Governor, State Treasurer and to succeed H. C. NcNeill; P. H. Morris State Auditor with two members of to succeed J. N. Todd; J. M. Thomas Senate and three members of the to succeed H. D. Williams. House shall be by the bill, a State Board of Apportionment and equalization of tration

Sec. 2. To meet at the capital, 1895, first Monday in December and on first Monday in December every four years thereafter, and proceed to equalize and apportion taxation throughout the strongly in support of the pill and of State, the clerks of board of commis- the school. Flack offered an amendsioners in each to file with the Auditor before first Monday in November complete abstract of taxable property.

Sec. 3. If the State Board shall in any one year discover after a careful examination of values made by several clerks of the several counties of the values of properties subject to taxation that the rate of tax levied for general purposes will produce more revenue than is required in carrying into effect the appropriations made by the General Assembly for such year, said Board Mitchell opposed the appropriation, is hereby authorized and directed to reduce the rate of taxation levied for gen- from the public schools. He moved to eral purposes such as per centum as will produce the amount of revenue so required. If said Board shall find that the rate levied will not produce the amount necessary for such general purposes it shall proceed and it is hereby stitution in the State. Norment said directed to increase the said rates ob- the motion to table was a direct insult serving the equation between property to every mother in North Carolina. and polls.

House and Senate shall receive same ing a great need, and that this Legislaper diem for each day they serve on the Board.

a competent clerk to pay him a suita- unanimously. ble sum for his services.

Sec. 6. Providing for record.

Sec. 7. Amending section 3690 of the Code by striking out after the court, including Halifax and Edge-

Confederate monument was taken what he heard \$500 would be a big sal- up, discussed and passed by a vote of 60 to 38.

erv instence where a Populist made out

FRIDAY, MARCH STH.

SENATE .- The revenue act was con

UNIVERSITY TRUSTEES.

The committee reported the following nominations for trustees of the

University, to fill vacancies: C. A.

succeed T. J. Jarvis; T. W. Babb to

itors of the Caucasian."

succeed W. T. Faircloth ; Angus Shaw

House.-The bill making an annual appropriation of \$13,750 for the Normal

and Industrial School at Greensboro and \$5,000 annually for the next two years for a new dining room, recitation rooms, etc., and sanitary improvements was taken up. White, of Bladen, spoke ment making the special appropriation \$4,000, instead of \$5,000. White said

the committee had itself made the recommendation of the special appropriation and that it really ought to be \$10,000 a year. He said that this school was demanded by the Farmers' Alliance. Wooten said he hoped that not a vote would be cast against this appropriation; that the school was a necessity to the whole State, something which the common people needed. saying that the bill took the money table the bill. On this Stevens demanded the ayes and nays. This was lost-ayes 13, noes 63. French was

applauded when, in explaining his vote, he said this was the grandest in-

Young in explaining his vote said the See. 1. Members of Board from the school was a grand institution, supplyture must not do anything to cripple

it or any other educational interest in Sec. 5. Board authorized to employ North Carolina. The bill passed almost

CRIMINAL COURT.

The bill to establish a new criminal

had recognized Peebles he had made a mistake. French insisted in expedition -Grizzard asking to send up amendment-French saying that amendments were useless-that they were simply pro forma and the bill would go through

without change.

Grizzard grew red in the face and asked by what rule was it that the

gentleman from New Hanover should dictate when, and when not, a member should send up an amendment. "I will have the gentleman from New Hanover to know that he is not here to determine only as a member the amendments of other members and the doings of this House.

HALIFAX DON'T WANT IT.

Grizzard sent up an amendment to except Halifax. Halifax had three Superior courts, two inferior courts ; no need for this court ; no prisoners were enclosing same with ship to put it there when we don't want it. Is it a job to give an office to some ing when they would be tried before. the bar of public sentiment. French called the previous question. Peebles trose with two amendments, (not recognized) Howard got up for a moment ; recognized. Speaker said he would

vietd to all gentlemen for a moment. they did not need it, they had three by return mail. Address Superior courts. French insisted on the previous question. Speaker said he had agreed to recognize Peebles, who gave notice of amendments. The vote was taken on McCall's amendment (the syes and noes being idled), which was defeated by a vote of 49 to 39.

Grizzard's amendment (French calling to those around him to vote no, noes being called) by a vote of 45 to gles. Laths, &c.

After other discussions and explaining of votes the bill passed third reading by a vote of 51 to 43.

SATURDAY AND MONDAY.

The columns of THE DEMOCRAT are too crowded to give details of Saturday's and Monday's proceedings. The Code Commission was tabled and Otho

whose term expires.

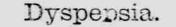
626 East Main Street.,

RICHMOND VA.

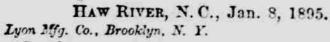
LUMBER COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

Gives personal and prompt attention vote no) was put and lost (the ayes and to all consignments of Lumber, Shin-4 17 90 ly

A WONDERFUL REMEDY FOR







Gentlemen :- A short time since one of my horses had scratches so very bad that its leg became swollen and very much inflamed. I used a few bottles of Mexican Mustang Liniment and the inflammation and scratches soon disappeared, leaving my horse as good as ever. I find it is the best remedy that can be had for this disease, and I heartily recommend it to all who have horses or stock of any kind.

Truly yours, J. W. B. BASIN.

Wilson was made railroad commission- Manufactured byer in the place of Capt. T. W. Mason,

