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BOMB SHILL

NO. 2.

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THE LEGISLATURE.

Condensed Report of Proceedings.

TWENTY-FIFTH DAY.

SENATE.

Among the bills introduced were these.

Alexander, to provide for the erection of a building for the deaf and dumb at Morganton.

Early, to appoint cotton weighers for Garysburg and Seaboard, Northampton county.

Person (colored), to prevent discrimination in passenger accommodations; also to regulate official bonds of Edgecombe county.

Moye, to make water courses eight feet deep and twenty feet wide lawful fence.

Parker, of Alamance, to amend the charter of Rocky Mount.

Maxwell, to provide for divorces in certain cases of females under 18 years of age.

HOUSE.

Bills were introduced as follows:

Chapman, to incorporate Winterville, Pitt county.

Parker, of Perquimans, to prohibit sale of liquor in Hertford township, Pamlico county.

Rawls, to work Northampton county's roads by taxation.

Price, to amend the law as to election of county superintendents of education so as to restore the same.

Bryan, of Edgecombe, to fix the bond of register of deeds of Edgecombe county.

Hare, to prevent destruction of live trees by lumbermen; to protect owners of timber trees.

Chapin, to make Cape Fear and lower Little rivers, in Harnett county, lawful fences.

Sutton, of Cumberland, to repeal the law as to the ferry at Elizabethtown.

Schulken, to incorporate the "Supreme Ruling of the Fraternal Mystic Circle," and to incorporate the "Woodmen of the World," in North Carolina.

Cunningham, to amend sections of the code so that where issues of fact arise in an action of which the courts of equity of the state had jurisdiction prior to the constitution of 1868, or in a common law action upon equitable rights, involving equitable relief, compulsory references shall not deprive either party of his constitutional right to trial of issues of fact arising in the pleading.

Dixon, of Cleveland, to repeal the \$10 annual license tax on physicians.

The bill passed chartering the bank of Greenville.

The bill passed providing that in case a person who makes a deed refuses to acknowledge its validity, witnesses may be subpoenaed to prove the grantor's handwriting.

By leave, Hancock introduced a bill to abrogate and repeal the charter of the Goldsboro and Morehead Railway Company, to which letters patent were issued by the secretary of state and filed in Wayne county October 30th last.

Pleasant Entertainment.

The Armstrong family of Swiss Bell Ringers gave quite an enjoyable entertainment in Germania Hall Thursday evening. Every feature of the performance was good. The bell ringing by the family and playing on glasses by Mrs. Armstrong were novel and interesting. Little Elva in her songs and dances delighted all present, and Harry proved himself a wonder on the cornet. Their entertainment is well worth attending.

"THERE IS RETRIBUTION IN HISTORY."

If We May Use An Already Once Borrowed Expression.

In other words "every dog has his day," and it looks like the REFLECTOR can have a day now without having any hand in the rumpus at all, or at least we can point to a bit of the retribution that is taking place.

People on the outside are having no little amusement at things transpiring in the political world, to wit: the controversy between Marion Butler and Harry Skinner, the erstwhile great and shining lights of the Populist party. As had been oft predicted, rivalry sprung up between them as to which should be the leader of their party, which rivalry produced war and war to the knife.

The aforementioned outsiders are not yet able to decide which of the noble twain is on top, as each is still declaring himself champion and claiming that he is entitled to the belt.

Now that the contest between them in electing a Senator is ended they have gone to calling each other names, and telling just how mean the other is.

In a late interview Butler says: "Skinner is probably the most despised and contemptible character in North Carolina. He could not today be elected a delegate of the People's party from any township in his own county to a county convention. He has no future except in the Republican party, and he will have no future in that party, for the reason that that party has no future in the State."

It is not always considered exactly polite to jump up and say "I told you so," but this reminds us that in the campaign of 1892 Col. Skinner made his first speech in Pitt county declaring his affiliation with the Populist party. It was a meat, bitter speech, and the REFLECTOR took him to task about it. Among other things this paper said at the time was "He is ready to make any sacrifice of principle or manhood if by so doing he can blind the people and by their suffrage be raised to power and affluence."

Now if Mr. Butler had been a close reader of the REFLECTOR he might have learned something of the kind of man Mr. Skinner is without having to wait nearly five years to find him out.

It might be said here also if certain Populists of Pitt county ever cursed the REFLECTOR more about one article than any other, it was what was said about Skinner then, and now some of the very men who abused the paper for its frank utterances are saying worse things about him than ever the paper said.

From that day in 1892 to the present the REFLECTOR has believed that Harry Skinner was heading for the Republican party, or anywhere else that he saw money for his own pocket, not caring what man or party rose or fell just so he came out on top.

It recent events have not verified this belief we are not a good judge of the situation.

An Editor Dies.

Every newspaper man in North Carolina is saddened at the announcement of the death of Mr. W. W. McDairmid, editor of the Lumberton Robesonian, which occurred Wednesday night. He was the most jovial and kindhearted member of the N. C. Press Association, and published one of the best papers in the State. Only a few weeks ago his office was destroyed by fire.

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1897.

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BY O. L. JOINER.

(CONCLUDED FROM YESTERDAY.)

In the midst of the routine business of the convention a recess from twelve o'clock until nine at night was taken and an excursion was given by the F. C. & R. R. R. to Silver Springs. It was not the writer's pleasure to take in this feature of the convention, but we were told by those who did go that the Silver Springs of Florida are almost as great a wonder to one who has never seen them as Niagara Falls or the Yosemite Valley of California. They are described as a curiosity of singular beauty and the volume of water is so great as to produce a lake stream sufficiently large as to be navigable for small steam boats. We are told that anywhere on the lake, even where the water is at a depth of thirty feet a grain of corn or a penny can be as plainly seen almost as if it were on the surface, so clear and pure is the water.

After the excursion to Silver Springs the Plant System R. R. had two cars in waiting at the depot in Ocala which they placed at the disposal of the convention for a pleasant trip to Homosassa, another enjoyable part of the programme in which it was not our pleasure to participate on account of a previous engagement that we had made to go to Dade City, about sixty miles south of Ocala. We want to say here in passing that we have never known, and don't believe they are to be found often, a more clever set of railroad officials than those operating the Plant System. At one time it looked as if though the

work of the convention would not be completed in time for many of the delegates to take in this excursion over the Plant System.

The railroad authorities learned this and sent a committee to appear before the committee on business of the convention to ask them to make special provisions for this excursion so that all who might want to could go. This was done, and those who went expressed themselves as having had a very pleasant and delightful trip.

After this excursion nothing more was done in convention save to organize a National Tobacco Growers' Association with the time and place of next meeting to be decided on by the President at some future time.

This convention was a great thing for Florida and the Governor in selecting Ocala could not have named a more appropriate place, for situated as it is just midway between the Gulf and the Atlantic and about one hundred miles south of Jacksonville it gave the visitor a very fair idea of Florida, and the citizens of Ocala certainly know how to treat visitors, for they did all in their power to make the stay a pleasant one. Kind, affable and obliging they seemed anxious to put themselves to trouble for the convenience of their visitors.

There are a great many North Carolinians living in Ocala a number of whom hearing that I was from Carolina found me at my hotel and lent their aid in making my stay more pleasant. Among these were Mr. Tom Crawford, who was raised in Beaufort county, and who probably is known by a good many Greenville people. Mr. Crawford moved to Florida about eight years ago from Oxford on account of some lung affliction and he says Florida has proven a panacea for him.

Having given some idea of the work of the convention, I suppose it is now in order to say something about Florida, its conditions, its people and its climate, the three most natural things that I can conceive about which one wishes to know.

Outside of the cities and towns in the writer's opinion in virgin simplicity Florida will compare very favorably with what we are led to believe North Carolina was one hundred years ago. The inhabitants of the cities and towns are mainly immigrants from other states, north, east, south and west, and so far as manners and customs are concerned, their religion and politics, there is of course a blending of many shades of thought which from the class of people that would naturally seek a town one can readily see forms a very desirable class. Reconcile these two ideas and you have some idea of the people. The condition of Florida at present like many other southern states is not very prosperous. The frost that killed the orange groves set the State back at least ten years but there are more diversified resources there probably than in any other southern state. All kinds of early vegetables are grown for northern markets and very profitably, too. The cigar tobacco industry has gained a considerable foothold there and if Congress gives the growers the tariff protection for which they are asking no doubt it will soon be the leading industry of Florida.

Now when we come to talk climate, Florida has the most suitable climate in the U. S. I left Florence, S. C., at nightfall on Jan. 11th, with the thermometer standing at about 18. When daylight again dawned I was "away down on de Sewanee ribber" and when the train stopped at Sewanee Springs I stepped out of the car and the first thing that greeted my ears was a passenger standing on the platform, and why this is the most elegant climate I ever saw, I am sure, I could sleep out on the ground all night and never want a blanket.

The dining hall of the Ocala House was decorated with evergreens, palm leaves, palmetto and orange blossoms. Florida in midwinter is truly picturesque. Traveling along the railroad one can look through the windows and see large fields of growing vegetables. The foliage of the forests while not even green presents an autumn like appearance and reminded me of the

balmy September days that we have here in North Carolina just as the leaves begin to turn.

Florida is truly a land of sunshine and flowers. A land to which the northern tourist, where the severity of winter renders life almost a drudgery, can fly, so to speak, and find spring, lovely, beautiful spring, a land where in the bleakness of winter, the mecking can be heard in early morn warbling his spring time song.

Cotton and Peanut.

Below are Norfolk prices of cotton and peanuts for yesterday, as furnished by Cobb Bros. & Commission Merchants of Norfolk.

Good Middling	7 1/2
Middling	6 1/2
Low Middling	6 1/4
Good Ordinary	5 13-16
Tone—steady.	
PEANUTS.	
Prime	2
Extra Prime	2 1/2
Maney	2 1/2
Spanish	60 to 75
Tone—quiet.	

Greenville Market.

Corrected by S. M. Schultz.

Butter, per lb	15 to 25
Western Sides	4 1/2 to 5 1/2
Sugar cured Hams	10 to 120
Corn	40 to 65
Corn Meal	50 to 65
Flour, Family	5.50 to 6.20
Lard	6 1/2 to 10
Oats	35 to 40
Sugar	4 to 5
Coffee	13 to 20
Salt per Sack	75 to 1 55
Chickens	10 to 24
Eggs per doz	120
Beeswax, per	2

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Yours respectfully,
A. M. RAMSEY.

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Furniture and Fixtures 1,500.00	Deposits 81,787.50
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Premium on Stock 1,000.00	Time Certificates 1,255.00
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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

Dated Nov. 15th 1896.	No. 23 Daily.	No. 49 Daily.	No. 78 Daily.	No. 32 Daily.	No. 48 Daily.
Leave Weldon Ar. Rocky Mt.	A. M. P. M. 11 55 9 44 1 00 10 39	A. M. —	A. M. P. M. 8 40 7 40 11 10 9 40	A. M. P. M. 12 37 1 20 11 35	A. M. P. M. 9 25 10 52 12 01 1 00
Lv Tarboro	12 12	—	—	—	—
Lv Rocky Mt	1 00 10	—	—	—	—
Lv Wilson	2 05 11	—	—	—	—
Lv Selma	2 53	—	—	—	—
Lv Fayetteville	4 36 1 07	—	—	—	—
Ar. Florence	7 23 3 4	—	—	—	—
Lv Wilson	P. M. 2 08	A. M. 6 20	—	—	—
Lv Goldsboro	3 10	7 05	—	—	—
Lv Magnolia	4 16	8 10	—	—	—
Ar. Wilmington	5 45	9 45	—	—	—

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

Dated Nov. 1, 1896.	No. 78 Daily.	No. 32 Daily.	No. 48 Daily.	No. 32 Daily.	No. 48 Daily.
Lv Florence	A. M. P. M. 8 40 7 40 11 10 9 40	A. M. P. M. 12 37 1 20 11 35	A. M. P. M. 9 25 10 52 12 01 1 00	A. M. P. M. 12 37 1 20 11 35	A. M. P. M. 9 25 10 52 12 01 1 00
Lv Fayetteville	12 37	1 20 11 35	—	—	—
Lv Selma	12 37	1 20 11 35	—	—	—
Ar. Wilson	1 20 11 35	—	—	—	—
Lv Wilmington	9 25	10 52	12 01	1 00	—
Lv Magnolia	10 52	12 01	1 00	—	—
Lv Goldsboro	12 01	1 00	—	—	—
Ar. Wilson	1 00	—	—	—	—
Lv Tarboro	2 48	—	—	—	—
Lv Wilson	P. M. 1 20	P. M. 11 35	P. M. 10 32	P. M. 11 15	—
Ar. Rocky Mt.	2 17	12 11	11 15	—	—
Ar. Tarboro	4 00	—	—	—	—
Lv Tarboro	—	—	—	—	—
Lv Rocky Mt.	2 17	12 11	11 15	—	—
Ar. Weldon	—	1 01	—	—	—

Train on Scotland Neck Branch leaves Weldon 3.55 p. m., Halifax 4.10 p. m., arrives Scotland Neck at 4.55 p. m., Greenville 6.57 p. m., Kingston 7.45 p. m. Returning, leaves Kingston 7.2 a. m., Greenville 8.22 a. m. Arriving Halifax at 11:00 a. m., Weldon 11.20 a. m. except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.00 a. m., and 3.00 p. m., arrive Pamlico 8.50 a. m., and 4.40 p. m., Tarboro 9.45 a. m., returning leaves Tarboro 3.30 p. m., Pamlico 10.20 a. m., and 6.20 p. m., arrives Washington 11.50 a. m., and 7.10 p. m. Daily except Sunday. Connects with trains on Scotland Neck Branch.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C. via Albemarle & Raleigh R. R. daily except Sunday, at 4.50 p. m., Sunday 3.00 P. M.; arrive Plymouth 9.00 P. M., 5.25 p. m. Returning leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 6.00 a. m., Sunday 9.30 a. m., arrive Tarboro 10.25 a. m. and 11.45

Train on Midland N. C. branch leaves Goldsboro daily, except Sunday, 6.05 a. m. arriving Smithfield 7.30 a. m. Returning leaves Smithfield 8.00 a. m., arrives at Goldsboro 9.30 a. m.

Trains on Latta branch, Florence R. R., leave Latta 6.40 p. m. arrive Dunbar 7.50 p. m. Clio 8.05 p. m. Returning leave Clio 6.10 a. m. Dunbar 6.30 a. m. arrive Latta 7.50 a. m. daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton daily, except Sunday, 11.0 a. m. and 8.50 p. m. Returning leaves Clinton at 7.00 a. m. and 3.00 p. m.

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The Prison Labor Question.
In England a question that agitates is discussed—that of prison labor. Sir Edmund Du Kane presents one phase of the subject in The Contemporary Review:

The fact has evidently never been considered by those who assume that industrial work can be introduced as the general practice in prisons on the supposition apparently that the moral effect is the only point to be considered. It is only a small residue who can be profitably employed.

To find employment even for this limited number is not without difficulties, the principal of which is to find customers for the work they can do. Evidently the prison department itself has wants which prison labor can supply, and accordingly, since the prisons have been united into one department, a great development of this work has taken place, such as was not possible when each prison was an isolated unit. Tailoring, shoemaking, tin working, weaving, knitting and many other like trades are now carried on in certain local prisons for the supply of the whole number. A very large amount of building work, involving carpentering, bricklaying and iron work, has been carried on in local prisons, and this, with the baking, cooking, washing, etc., absorbs a large number of the available prisoners. But there is still a large residue for whose work outside consumers must be found, and this residue will be larger if the gross number of prisoners should again increase.

The Bull and the Government Papers.

Here is a comical adventure that some members of an English ordinance survey met with while touring in the south of Scotland. In the prosecution of their calling they entered a field belonging to a crusty old farmer. Seeing the strangers looking about in a way he could not understand, the farmer approached. "What are ye loitering in the field for?"

"Oh, we have a right to go anywhere," returned one of the com-

ny. "We are surveying, and here are our government papers."

"Paper here or paper there," returned the farmer, "oot ye gang oot o' my field."

"No, we shan't," returned the man, "and you are rendering yourself liable to prosecution for interrupting us."

The farmer said no more, but went over to his shed, which opened into the field, and let out a vicious bull. The bull no sooner saw the redcoats than he went for them in full career. The surveyors snatched up their theodolite and flew for their lives, while the old farmer, in great glee, yelled after them:

"What are ye running for? Can ye no show the bull yer government papers?"—Harper's Round Table.

English Wild Cattle.

The British islands have a race of wild cattle. Three herds are known to exist—one in the chase of Chillingham castle, the property of the Earl of Tankerville, in Northumberland; one in that of the Duke of Hamilton, at Hamilton castle, in Scotland, and one at Dremelanrig, in Dumfriesshire.

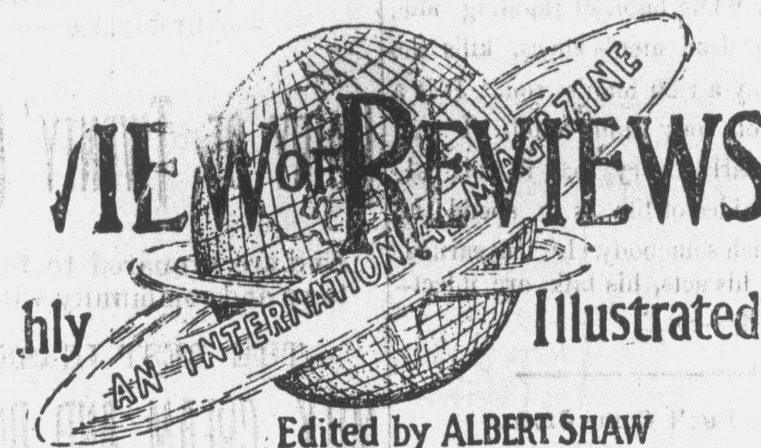
Beggars' ticks is the common name of Bidens chrysanthemoides. It is so called from the small hooks with which the seed case is provided, by which it attaches itself to almost any substance with which it comes in contact.

The wasp, like the bee and almost every other insect, is infested with parasites. Wasps have been captured which had two or three dozen parasites clinging to their bodies.

The fern is indicative of fascination. In Saxony the present by a lover to his sweetheart of a handful of ferns is equivalent to a proposal.

The Huns number in their annals four great kings—Attila, Bleda, Ellac and Dengezic.

A centimeter of the metric measure is almost exactly four-tenths of an inch.



Edited by ALBERT SHAW

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Steamer Tar River arrives from Washington Monday, Wednesday and Friday leaves for Washington Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

MARKETS.

By Telegraph.)

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WHEAT—				
May	75½	76¼	75½	75½
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May	7.50	7.57½	7.50	7.50
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May	3.82½	3.85	3.82½	3.85

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Threatening and rain, slightly warmer tonight and Saturday.

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The Armstrong family left for Washington this morning.

By special request of the Pastor, Rev. B. H. Melton will preach at the Methodist church again next Sunday night.

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Notice,

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FRIVOLIOUS FOLKS.

They Step Lively During February Weather.

S. H. Abbot, of Kinston, is in town.

W. M. Lang, of Farmville, was here today.

Mrs. M. R. Lang returned Thursday evening from Tarboro.

Sheriff W. H. Harrington left this morning for Goldsboro to take a colored man to the asylum.

C. W. Priddy and wife, of Norfolk, who have been visiting the family of F. G. James, left this morning.

Grand Lecturer Harrell, who has been spending a week here lecturing to the Masons, left this morning. He will return March 15th and remain here another week.

The improved weather this week caused an increase in tobacco receipts. Prices have been stiff.

The Eastern Carolina News is the name of a paper just started at Trenton by D. W. Waitaker.

The Town Council met Thursday night but transacted no business, owing to a squabble that resulted in breaking the quorum.

The Bohemian Glass Blowers will give exhibitions in Germania Hall for five days, commencing Tuesday, 9th.

A war in prices is on between some of our fruit of the loom dealers. While the war continues the public can get the benefit of the low prices.

A late president of one of our colleges once said, "The habit of standing idle, waiting for dead men's shoes, kills the life in many a rich man's son. It is a paralysis of body and mind. I can pick out nearly every boy in this college whose idea of life is to spend the money which somebody else has earned. His looks, his acts, his talk, are infected with a dry-rot."

He Don't Come Often.

Mr. R. F. Wilson, of Beaufort county, was in town today and called in to have his name put on the REFLECTOR list. He said this was his first visit to Greenville in 28 years, and the town seemed quite strange to him.

Notice to Creditors.

Having duly qualified before the Superior Court Clerk of Pitt county as Administrator of the estate of William Stokes, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the estate must present the same for payment on or before the 23rd day of January 1898, or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery. This 23rd day of January 1897. R. F. STOKES, Adm'r. of William Stokes.

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