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THE LEGISLATURE.

They Keep Doing Good Work.

Below are some of the bills introduced and work done on Monday.

SENATE.

Senator Whitaker—To incorporate the Carolina Mutual Insurance Association.

Senator Butler—To prescribe books to be taught in the public schools.

Senator Whitaker—To incorporate the State Council of Junior Order of American Mechanics.

Senator James—To prevent the sale of liquor in one mile of Church of Marlboro, in Pitt county.

The present Board of Directors of the Deaf Mute school at Morganton was re-elected, viz: M. L. Reed, N. B. Broughton, M. H. Holt, V. V. Richardson and R. A. Grier.

HOUSE.

By Mr. Winston:—A resolution raising a committee of five (three on part of the House and two Senators) to canvass the matter and recommend the names of gentlemen to be appointed by this Legislature as trustees of the Agricultural and Mechanical College.

By Mr. Foushee: Authorizing the Speaker to appoint three commissioners to represent the State at the Paris Exposition of 1900.

Also by Mr. Foushee:—To regulate fire insurance rates in North Carolina.

The House also took up the matter of reducing the salaries of State officers and made about an average 20 per cent reduction as the list was gone over. Very few offices escaped the cut in salary.

Remarkable Catch of Fish.

A gentleman who returned to the city yesterday afternoon from Jacksonville, Onslow county, report some remarkable large catches of trout that were made in New river, below Jacksonville after the unprecedented cold weather of the early part of the week. He says that there were on a conservative estimate at least 15,000 on the landings at Jacksonville Friday, varying in weight from three to fifteen pounds each. They were brought to Jacksonville in boats and were sold in quantities as low as four cents each, taking the lots as they came. A large quantity of them were brought to Wilmington yesterday and the dealers found ready sale for them at 25 to 75 cents each. There were also quite heavy shipments made to the Northern markets via Newbern and via Wilmington. Fishermen say the trout were benumbed by the cold and were easily scooped up in dip nets and some were even caught by hand.—Wilmington Star.

Too Bad.

J. Van Lindley dropped in today and says it is his opinion that we will not have a peach in this county this year. The cold snap killed them in the bud. He says he thinks this is the case all over the country east of the Rocky Mountains, for he has heard from many places and it is the same cry. A day or two of warm weather about the first of the month caused buds to swell and the freeze did the rest. Of course there may be a tree or two not killed—isolated cases—but the great bulk is gone up.—Greensboro Record.

OFF TO THE FAIR.

Excursion Train An Hour Late.

There was much disappointment around the depot this morning among those who were there to go to the Nebern fair, over the delay of the excursion train getting here from Scotland Neck. It was just an hour later than the advertised schedule and some who had intended going did not do so. However, there were sixty-two tickets sold here and with those who came from points up the road the crowd numbered nearly a hundred when the train left Greenville. A few more got on at Winterville and fifty-seven were added to the crowd at Ayden. A good number also went from Grifton. All together quite a crowd went from Pitt county.

STATE NEWS.

Happenings In North Carolina.

The new county of Scotland created by the Legislature makes ninety-seven counties in the States.

A case of smallpox is reported at Selma.

The six-months-old child of Mr. Clarence Cole, of Durham, was found dead in bed Monday morning. It is supposed that the child was smothered during the night.

A man from Orange county took a wagon load of dressed rabbits to Durham Monday. There were between 900 and 1,000 in the load.

A delegation of one hundred representative business men of Charlotte will go to Raleigh to urge the passage of the dispensary bill for Mecklenburg county. A delegation of the same size also went from Greensboro to work for the dispensary there.

On Monday Superintendent W. H. Day turned over the management of the penitentiary to the new board created by the Legislature.

The home of Mr. J. F. Morgan, of Concord, was destroyed by fire Monday morning. His ten-year-old daughter, who was up stairs asleep, perished in the building, all efforts to save her proving a failure.

A young white man of the county has lost his mind from excessive cigarette smoking. He will be sent to Morganton to-day.—Charlotte Observer.

Notice.

The Leader of the Patient Circle of the King's Daughters request the presence of every member of the Circle who can possibly come to attend the meeting tonight.

MRS. J. B. CHERRY, Sec.

WINTERVILLE DEPARTMENT.

NEWSY HAPPENINGS AND BUSINESS NOTES.

WINTERVILLE, N. C., Feb. 22, '99
A. G. Cox is paying 12½ cents for cotton seed.

Mr. Nash Edwards who clerks for B. F. Manning & Co. was not able to be in the store yesterday.

Just come to Winterville and see if B. F. Manning & Co. are not in a position to supply your wants.

A soap agent was here Monday and Tuesday and supplied every family in the place with a cake of soap free.

Mr. W. M. Carroll was not able to open his store Monday morning but we were glad to see him out again Tuesday.

Mr. S. T. Shelby, of Aurora, was down here yesterday looking around. He will probably buy out the brick business and come here to live.

The Cigar Factory boys have been pouting a week or two because the revenue officer does not come to move them into the brick building where they will have a large nice factory.

It begins to look like old times around the shop again. Everybody is working in a rush trying to get ready to fill Cotton Planter orders a good many of which have been received all ready.

Mr. Bill Dixon, of Hobgood, who was section master on the railroad but gave up his job, has moved here. He and family came Monday night. We hear that he is expecting to take stock in the Cigar Co.

If you are on the fence as to which fence to use, just get some Winterville fence, have it put up, and you will never be on the fence again on that subject.

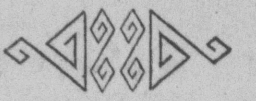
Don't Fail to See Him.

Dr. Odom, the eye specialist, has gone to the Newbern fair. He will return to Greenville Thursday, and will be in his office at Hotel Macon on Friday and Saturday for the benefit of poor people, FREE OF CHARGE, who are not able to pay for having their eyes treated. Next Monday and Tuesday, Feb. 27th and 28th, he will fit glasses for any person that needs them at reasonable prices. Don't forget to call on the Doctor on those days if you need his services. He will not examine free any longer.

Emblems of The Day.

Jesse Speight was looking for a hatchet this morning to wear in his belt today. If he found the hatchet he was next going on a hunt for a cherry tree.

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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1899

Thrilling Experience.

A special from Cape Charles, Va., says that Mrs. Thomas Dixon, Jr., and party arrived at the former's home, in that city, at 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon, after a week of thrilling and dangerous experience aboard the yacht Dixie. Confronted with the alternative of freezing and starving to death on the yacht or wading two miles across the ice and snow, where assistance could reach them, they decided Saturday morning to take the start for the mainland. The trip was a perilous and dangerous one. The crew of the life-saving station finally succeeded in reaching them and brought the party safely to the shore, where they took a special train.

The party were saved from starving by one of the life saving crew walking on the ice and taking a supply of provisions from the station. For fuel they used the oars, decoys, small boats, partitions—in fact everything movable on the yacht. The only thing remaining was the masts, which would have been used today had they not succeeded in getting away.

JUST FOR FUN.

She—"Jack says he kissed her in a quiet place." He—"Oh, yes; her mouth must necessarily have been silent during the operation."

"Wouldn't you like to be a judge of music, Mr. Grumpy?" "You can bet I would; I'd have some of these singers up for contempt of court mighty quick."

Boothin Barrett (delivering his lines)—"Locked in each others arms they rolled over the cliff to death." Senator (in the audience) "Great Scott! Another deadlock."

The long-haired visitor bowed politely. "I've called," he said, "to see if you accept poetry." "Oh, yes," replied the editor promptly, "it's one of the few things we do except. Good-day, sir."

Socialist—"I can't see why there should be such a howl against single tax." Sprockets—"You can't eh! Well, it's just these single tacks that cause all the trouble; a fellow never notices them until he's got a puncture."

That circumstances alter cases

Well this marriage sequel shows; First he led her to the altar, And now she leads him by the nose.

An ordinance has been introduced in the Council at Indianapolis prohibiting any street car company or employe from demanding a fare of a passenger to whom a seat cannot be given in the car. For any violation of the ordinance a fine of not more than \$25 is provided for each separate offense.

A Cut-Up Body in Express Box.

A box, two feet long and one foot wide, that has been nearly a year unclaimed at the express office in Baldwin, a village 20 miles from here, has been opened and found to contain a human body that was cut in pieces to fit the box. The box was sent by Adams Express from Cincinnati, consigned to Dr. Emerick, whose whereabouts are unknown, and who has not been in Baldwin for ten years. The name of the sender is unknown. The body is supposed to be a man's although the hands and feet resemble a woman's. The coroner, Adams Express officials and detectives are investigating.—Cincinnati Dispatch, 17th.

Beer Figures.

Hoax—You know Schneider, the bottler, who recently became a magistrate?

Joax—Yes. "Well, he discharged a prisoner yesterday who was charged with stealing a dozen bottles of beer."

"So?" "Yes; Schneider said that wasn't enough to make a case."

The Washington Post writes bitterly in opposition to the suffrage amendment to be voted on in North Carolina. It praises the poor ignorant negro and decries the poor white man and says ignorant negroes are better citizens than ignorant whites, etc. All of which is entirely false, and is the view of the radical Republicans. We had thought the Post was a fair and conservative Republican paper but its views on the suffrage amendment are the veriest rot and the meanest Radicalism—the Radicalism that pretends to believe the negro superior to the white man.—Kinston Free Press.

The deed conveying the old C. F. & Y. V. Railroad property to H. Walters, B. F. Newcomer, Michael Jenkins, Warren G. Elliott and their associates, was filed for registration in the office of the register of deeds of New Hanover county Friday, says the Wilmington Star. The sum of money involved, including the purchase price of rollingstock is \$3,125,000 and the instrument required \$3,125 worth of documentary internal revenue stamps, 62 of the number being of the \$50 denomination, two of the \$10 denomination and one \$5 stamp.

New Enterprises in the South.

Among the more important new enterprises reported by The Tradesman for the week, ended February 18 are a bobbin mill in West Tennessee; a brick and clay works in East Tennessee; brick and tile works in East Texas; a canning factory in East Tennessee; a \$100,000 cotton mill in Texas, and a \$600,000 one in North Carolina; electric light plants in Kentucky, North Carolina and Virginia; an extract manufacturing company in Southwest Virginia; a flouring mill and a harness factory in Georgia; an ice factory in Arkansas; iron works in Virginia; an irrigation company in Florida; a \$50,000 leather company in East Tennessee; a \$100,000 lighting and heating company in Louisiana; two lumber companies in Texas and one in West Virginia; a machine shop in Kentucky; a tannery in middle Georgia, and a telephone company in Texas.—Chattanooga Tradesman.

Rheumacide cures rheumatism by neutralizing the acids in the blood and driving them out of the system. It is a permanent, positive, constitutional cure.

What McKinley Has Done.

The administration of William McKinley has already fastened an annual public expenditure upon them of not less than \$150,000,000 a year more than any previous administration, and it may reach over \$200,000,000. In fact, if the war revenue tax is continued, which it will have to be to make good the revenue deficits of the Dingley tariff the additional annual cost of maintaining the government will be close on to \$300,000,000. The country has a few thousand islands, which are not self sustaining, and an additional force of 75,000 men for military purposes to show for it all.—Kansas City Times.

Plenty of Them Now.

We were told this morning that one of the housekeepers had been besieged by five negro women making applications for places to cook, but they were turned off, which is exactly right.

During the bad weather they made no effort to secure work, as the city was feeding them; now, since the weather has broken, they are anxious to get a place.

Perhaps they will learn some day that the people of Wilson do not want to hire "fair weather" cooks. The ones that are in demand are those who come in "fair weather or foul."—Wilson Times.

A physician quoted the Richmond Dispatch says that snow is healthful, and that there is now less sickness in that city than usual. "The amount has been very appreciably reduced within the past ten days, or during the prevalence of the snow and ice," he says. "I cannot imagine anything purer than fresh snow, or the air blowing over it. Not only this, but a hard winter is always followed by a summer in which there is little sickness. 'Green winters make fat graveyards,' you know."

A New York preacher insists that Dewey and Otis are missionaries who are shooting the way open to the introduction of the Gospel where it could not be otherwise introduced. This is the McKinley theory with a difference. The President looks upon the Philippine campaigning as incidental and accidental. It grew out of our missionary enterprise in Cuba, and is a practical enlargement of the sphere of our humanitarianism beyond our expectation.

A cute Indiana drummer who learned that his wife had in his absence instituted a suit for divorce went home and smothered her with kisses, kissed her 500 times, and then she withdrew the suit.—Wilmington Star.

It is said that Captain John H. Surratt, whose mother was hanged as an accomplice—which she was not—in the murder of President Lincoln, is employed in Baltimore, and still on \$25,000 bail because the jury which tried him in 1867 disagreed. It is about time to enter a nol pros in that case.—Wilmington Star.

The Nashville, N. C., Graphic wants to know why Nashville can't have a brass band. "Perhaps she can't 'raise the wind.'"—Wilmington Star.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

Notice is hereby given that the firm of Coward, Brown & Co., will on the first day of April dissolve by mutual consent. All persons owing said firm will make immediate payment, all persons holding claims against said firm will please present same for payment. No new debts or contracts will be made by said firm of Coward, Brown & Co. COWARD, BROWN & CO.

HEART DISEASE.

SOME FACTS REGARDING THE RAPID INCREASE OF HEART TROUBLES.

Do Not Be Alarmed, But Look For The Cause.

Heart troubles, at least among the Americans, are certainly increasing and while this may be largely due to the excitement and worry of American business life, it is more often the result of weak stomachs, of poor digestion.

Real organic disease is incurable; but not one case in a hundred of heart trouble is organic.

The close relation between heart trouble and poor digestion is because both organs are controlled by the same great nerves, the Sympathetic and Pneumogastric.

In another way, also the heart is effected by the form of poor digestion, which causes gas and fermentation from half digested food. There is a feeling of oppression and heaviness in the chest caused by pressure of the distended stomach on the heart and lungs, interfering with their action; hence arises palpitation and short breath.

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Leave Selma	2 56	11 57										
Lv Fayetteville	4 30	1 08										
Ar Florence	7 25	3 15										
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TRAINS GOING NORTH.												
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Train on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leaves Weldon 3 35 p.m., Halifax 4 15 p.m., arrives Scotland Neck at 5 08 p.m., Greenville 6 57 p.m., Kinston 7 55 p.m. Returning leaves Kinston 7 50 a.m., Greenville 8 52 a.m., arriving Halifax at 11 18 a.m., Weldon 11 33 a.m., daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8 20 a.m. and 2 30 p.m., arrive Parrale 9 10 a.m. and 4 00 p.m., returning leave Parrale 9 35 a.m. and 6 30 p.m., arrive Washington 11 00 a.m. and 7 30 p.m., daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro daily except Sunday at 5 30 p.m., Sunday 4 15 p.m., arrives Plymouth 7 40 p.m., 6 10 p.m., returning, leaves Plymouth daily, except Sunday, 7 50 a.m. and Sunday 9 00 a.m., arrives Tarboro 10 05 a.m., 11 00 a.m.

Train on Midland N C Branch leaves Goldsboro daily, except Sunday, 7 05 a.m., arriving Smithfield 8 10 a.m., returning leaves Smithfield 9 00 a.m., arrives at Goldsboro 10 25 a.m.

Train on Nashville Branch leave Rocky Mount at 9 30 a.m., 3 40 p.m., arrive Nashville 10 10 a.m., 4 03 p.m., Spring Hope 10 40 a.m., 4 25 p.m. Returning leave Spring Hope 11 00 a.m., 4 55 p.m., Nashville 11 22 a.m., arrive at Rocky Mount 11 45 a.m., 6 00 p.m., daily except Sunday.

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A WOEBEGONE COUNTRY.

Life in Algeria as an English Writer Describes It.

The Algerian question, says a writer in the London Times, is dependent not upon men, but upon a simple physical phenomenon, a question of temperature, a matter with which God alone can deal. If Algeria were 2 degrees farther south or 10 degrees farther north, all would be changed. Instead of a region, which is neither European nor colonial, we should have the most marvelous country in the world. It would beat Santo Domingo, Ceylon and India, because, being at the very doors of France, 48 hours from Paris and 60 from Brussels and London, it would be a suburb of Europe, whither 15,000,000 or 20,000,000 of emigrants would come to cultivate coffee, indigo, vanilla, sugar, cotton, pepper—in a word, all colonial products. On the other hand, if it were situated 10 degrees farther to the north Algeria, whose virgin soil contains mineral wealth at present incapable of exploitation, would rival Normandy, Auvergne, Beoune and Picardy, as well as the plains of Belgium. It would be the land flowing with milk and honey of the Scriptures and would contain no longer a population of 10,000,000 to 25,000,000, but after 50 years one of 30,000,000 or 40,000,000. It would become an empire—the African empire.

But, as it is, what is the condition of Algeria? The sugar cane has no sugar; it is inferior bamboo. The coffee berry is empty. The cotton is too short for spinning. The cocoa palm is incapable of bearing fruit. The indigo plant comes to nothing. The pineapple does not ripen. A hothouse is necessary for the vanilla. Of spices we had better not speak. There is nothing here to compare with Brazil or India. And for European products it is still worse. Corn becomes hard in the third year. A mealy potato is a myth. Oxen in the fourth generation dwindle from 300 kilograms weight to 150 pounds. Fowls are poor, fruit wormy, even the banana being pasty. True, there are a few good oranges, but the wine is harsh and rough, the sugar of the grape not being capable of being entirely converted into alcohol and carbonic acid. In short, there is a rebuff all along the line.

The human race shares in this degeneration. Rare are the children of a third generation who do not succumb to meningitis, tuberculosis or affections of the spinal marrow. What is to be done? How fight against these conditions which affect all living organisms, plants and animals? There is no remedy. Life—pardon the truism—is a question of temperature. Beyond or within certain limits it is death. In cold regions or lands occupying bastard zones every living thing is blasted, and Algeria, in spite of its fascinations, of its admirable sites and of the fruitfulness of its soil, is subject to this law of what I may call "bastardization." Everything there is still born. I put aside the burning question of race, the hatred of which is fanned by the scorn professed by the Mohammedan for the Christian dog. I insist solely on this brutal fact, which has never been noted—that in Algeria it is always too cold or too warm or not cold enough and not warm enough, and that for this reason the country is, as it were, under an evil eye.

Discouraging.

A young matron of an inquiring turn of mind consulted a fortune teller the other day. "Of course, I'm not really superstitious," she said, as she recounted her experience to a teacup coterie. "But I had heard wonderful tales of his skill in palmistry, and as I had always had a horror of a lonely, loveless, poor old age, I thought I'd ask him what he could tell me about my future."

"Oh! What did he say?" asked a young thing, in her teens, who was making calls under mamma's wing. "He told me my disposition first. Told it very well too. Said I was married and would never be a widow; that I was well off in this world's goods and would probably have a good deal of pleasure before I died. I insisted on the old age question, whether or not I would be happy or lonely at 70. His answer was cheerful. It has put my doubts to sleep. He said, very solemnly, 'Madam, you will not have an unhappy old age, as it is extremely unlikely that you will live to be 40.' Encouraging, wasn't it?" — New York Commercial.

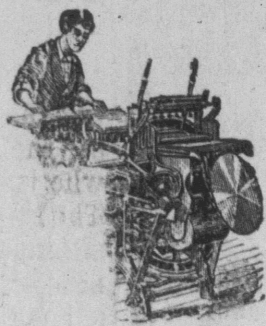
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Dr. C. J. O'Hagan left Tuesday evening for Kinston and goes from there to Newbern to attend the fair.

Miss Lena Carr, of Willow Green, who has been visiting Miss Rosa Hooker left Tuesday evening.

Mrs. T. G. Skinner, of Hertford, arrived Tuesday evening to visit Mrs. Chas. Skinner at Hotel Macon.

R. L. Humber returned this morning from Beaufort. Mrs. Humber will remain there until next week.

Mrs. J. R. Moye and J. S. Higgs left this morning for Greensboro to see their sister, Miss Emily Higgs, who is sick at the N. and I. College. She has appendicitis and the physicians think an operation may be necessary. Her many friends hope she may soon recover.

Deaths.

The wife of Mr. George Griffin, about six miles from town, died Monday.

Mr. E. N. Hatton died Monday night at his home about four miles from town. He had measles which was followed by pneumonia.

Mr. William Webb, who for some years lived on Mr. William Whitehead's place, died Tuesday of pneumonia.

Died.

TO THE REFLECTOR:
 Thomas Webb died last night at half-past 8 o'clock of pneumonia. He was a good and honest man, age about 25 years. He was born in Granville county and came here about 7 years ago, and has been in my employ most of the time.
 Feb. 22, 1899. B. F. PATRICK.

An enormous snow slide near Opper, Col., destroyed the Caribou concentrating plant and killed one man.

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Attention is called to the notice of dissolution of Coward, Brown & Co.

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OVER THE COUNTRY.

Ex-Governor Thomas C. Fletcher, of Missouri, aged 71, was stricken with apoplexy at Washington, D. C.

Speaker Reed's friends say he will remain in the next Congress and will be Speaker again.

Secretary of Agriculture Wilson is said to have his eye on Senator Gear's seat in the Senate, which will be vacated in 1901.

"Paddy" Shea, a pugilist of Wichita, Kan., has been convicted of second-degree murder for killing James Dawson in a saloon fight.

The National Civil Service League urges that the United States census force be organized on a business and non-partisan basis.

The Denver (Col.) Trades and Labor Assembly will erect a building for the use of labor bodies as a memorial to Rev. Myron W. Reed.

Accepted, Pastorate.

The Rev. I. A. Canfield has accepted the offer of the Vestry of St. Pauls Church to become their pastor and will enter at once upon his duties.

TO-DAY'S MARKETS.

NEW YORK COTTON FUTURES.

	Opening.	Noon.	Close.
March	622	622	627
May	622	623	625
August	626	626	626

LIVERPOOL.

February and March.		
Opening.	Close.	Tone.
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CHICAGO.

Opening.	Noon.	Close.
Wheat.		
May	72 1/4	73 1/4
Ribs.		
May	47 1/4	47 1/2

STOCKS.

Opening.	Noon.	Close.
A. M. T.	170	174
A. S. R.	139 1/2	140 1/2
B. R. T.	97 1/2	97

The exchanges being closed today on account of holiday we republish yesterday's quotations with the exception of Liverpool.

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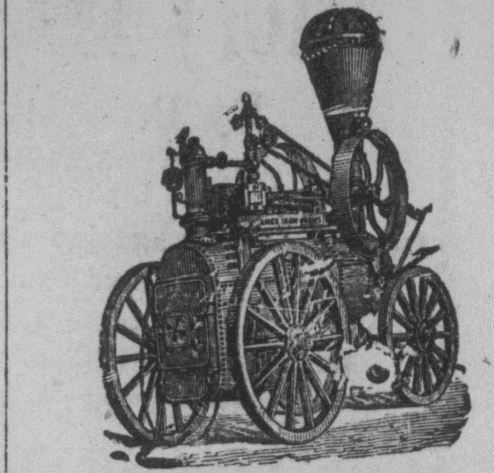
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Due from Banks	31,116.20	Expenses and Taxes paid	3,941.98
Cash Items	3,584.19	Deposits subject to chk	118,914.22
Cash	30,688.37	Due Banks	39.09
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