TUESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1827.

ADMINISTRATION MEETING: At a meeting of a number of the citins of Cabarrus county, held at the Court-House in Concord, on Monday, the 3d inst. agreeably to private notice, for the purpose of selecting some persons to represent this county in the Convention of Delegates expected to meet in Raleigh, on the 20th inst. to form an Electoral Ticket in favor of the re-election of John QUINCY ADAMS to the next Presidency of the United States-The following resolutions were passed.

Resolved, That we have entire confidence in the integrity and abilities of John Quincy Adams, and approve of the leading measures of his Administration; and that we will use all honorable means 10 promote his re-election.

Resolved, Thatwe appoint and hereby authorize William M'Lean and John C. Barnhart, Delegates to represent this county in the Convention of Delegates expected to meet in Raleigh on the 20th inst. for the purpose of aiding and assisting in the formation of a Ticket in favor of the re-election of John Quincy Adams to the next presidency of the U. States.
Resolved, That a Committee of Cor-

respondence of 12 persons be appointed by this meeting, for the purpose of corresponding with other committees in o ther counties in this State, who may be appointed for that purpose; consisting of John Phifer, Paul Barringer, Christopher Melchor, M. Hunt, Samuel Scott, William R. Pharr, John L. Beard, Joseph Young, John N. Phifer, Alphonzo Alexander, Archibald Houston and Samuel Morrison.

Resolved, That the proceedings of this meeting be sent for publication to the Catawba Journal and Western Carolinian, signed by the Chairman and Secreta-

Resolved, That a copy of these proceedings be transmitted to William McLean and John C. Barnbart, Esqrs.
ARCHIBALD HOUSTON, Chairman.

ALEX. H. MCREE, Secretary.

MEETING IN ANSON.

The friends of JOHN Q. ADAMS, in Anson, being anxious to show their willingness to respond to the sentiments expressed and published by the friends of the administration in Cartaret county; pursuant to a few days notice, held a respectable meeting at the Court-House in of November, 1827.

The meeting was organized by calling Doct. Thomas D. Parke to the Chair, and Williamson F. Smith was appointed Se-

On motion, it was resolved, that Doct. Samuel Bell, John A. McRae and Reuben Pickett, be appointed a committee to draft and report resolutions; who, having retired a short time, offered the troller, &c. &c.; and what is given to the following preamble and resolutions, which were unanimously adopted :-

We do not belong to that part of the community, who spare no words in calumniating the character and endeavouring to obscure the brilliancy of General Jackson; but, on the contrary, we wish to render unto Ceasar, the things that are Ceasar's, and unto Gen. Andrew Jackson, that praise and glory which he so deservedly merits. His laurels are compounded of ever green materials; his name is rendered immortal, while bravery and patriotism are duly estimated. But we are opposed to his promotion to the Presidential Chair, because we think that he is neither theoretically nor practically fitted to occupy it. As Mr. Adams would, we think, be illy calculated to lead a band of soldiers in o the field of battle; so we think Gen. Jackson would be almost as little qualified to steer the helm of our political government.

Resolved, therefore, That we use all honorable means to promote the re-election of John Q. Adams.

Resolved, That we approve of the convention for nominating an Electoral patiently submit to be governed by a hangit upon your comb, or somewhere Ticket, proposed to be held in the city of small minority; when they determine to else—why should you hide your pretty Raleigh on the 20th December next, as assert their rights, and exercise them, republican in principle and best calculated in effect to assertain the sentiments

of the people.

Resolved, That we think the time limited for this proposed convention, too short; and that we respectfully suggest the propriety to those delegates, who attend the said meeting, of adjourning until a later date, say February or March next, (provided, a majority of the coun-ties have omitted to send delegates) that the friends of Mr. Adams may more effectually concentrate their numbers, and they dare not. In the midst of their fanmake such arrangements as would meet with the views of a majority of them.

Resolved, That this meeting proceed to appoint two delegates for this county, to attend said Convention.

Resolved, That a committee of correspendence, to consist of eight persons, be appointed, who shall have power to fill vacancies in said delegation and correspond with similar committees in other sections of the State, and make such other arrangements as they may deem ex-

On motion, Doct. Thomas D. Parke and John A. McRac, Esque, were then early in the Southern States, and operate of the

were appointed a committee of correspondence, to wit :- Absalom Myres Joseph White, William Dismukes, Hugh McKenzie, Reuben Pickett, G. Dunlap, John Grady, jun. and James W. North-

Resolved, That the Secretary transmit copies of the proceedings of this meeting to the Editors of the Raleigh Register and Catawba Journal, for publication. WM. F. SMITH, Socretary.

Copper.-A discovery has been made in Ashe County, of a bed of Copper Ore, a specimen of which has been sent to us, and may be examined at this office. The specimen is very rich; and if the whole bed be of the same quality, it will indeed be a mine of wealth.

We regret to learn,-and the regret will be generally and deeply felt,-that upon investigation, a reported defalcation exists in the Treasury to the amount of \$69,000! We cannot, however, believe that this deficiency is real-there must be some error-and we indulge the hope that further examinations will detect it, and remove the cloud which now, for the first time, hangs over the integrity of the late Treasurer. It is with reluctance we mention this unexpected and unpleasant development; but the reported defalcation in the Treasury has gone abroad, and "rumor, with her hundred tongues," will magnify & distort it: it is best, therefore, that the simple fact should be laid before the public, with the suggestion, that further and stricter investigation may set every thing right. That such will be the result, we cannot but entertain a confident

Comptroller .- Mr. James Grant has been elected Comptroller, on the 12th ballotting, beating Mr. Henderson some 12 or 13 votes. Mr. Grant is from the Eastwas supported as the Eastern candidate -consequently a citizen of the West could expect nothing less than defeat. We dislike alluding to or making these

geographical distinctions in the state; but when one portion of the state clings Wadesborough, on Saturday, the 24th to them, and is almost invariably governed by them in filling offices, we cannot forego the poor privilege of complaining, and of protesting against a policy so clannish, and so injurious to the best interests of the State. The Eastern part of the State has both of the Senators in Congress; the Governor, Treasurer, Comp-West? One or two Engrossing Clerks This is the mighty amount of Eastern liberality! The Governor appoints one of our citizens, possessing all the requisite qualifications, to an office of some little importance, and on the very first opportunity he is displaced, to make room the power-though on no principle of republicanism are they entitled to it,-and they seem determined, not only to retain it, in defiance of the wishes of the people, but to use it for their own exclusive benefit.

> The next Governor, too, we have no doubt, will be from the East; for it would be expecting vastly too much of Eastern magnanimity, to hope for the election of a western man. And this state of things, this monopoly of all the offices by one portion of the State, will continue, so long as the majority of the people shall power will then be restored to its legitimate owners-and not till then.

The last Star asserts that Mr. Adams can, in no event, obtain a single electoral vote in North-Carolina. Restore the Wheeler, Cashier of the Office at Norfolk, District System then, and put the truth of this assertion to the test. But this the General's friends will not do-because cied security, however, defeat and disaster may come upon them as a whirlwind.

The people of Virginia are overcomagement and protection of Munufactures. Experience is convincing them of their error; and they will ere long be found System." The delusion on this important subject, which has prevailed so gen-

ligent and substantial citizens are now decidedly in favor of the policy of protecting Domestic Manufactures; their number will rapidly increase; and the Southern States, at no distant day, will be united with the other members of the Union, in the support of what our wisest and best statesmen have declared, and what experience has already demonstrated to be the true American policy. Passion and prejudice, and all the arts of political weathercocks, who are one thing to day and another to-morrow, just as the popular wind blows, cannot prevent this result, which the current of events is steadily bearing onwards.

Kentucky .- Mr. CALHOUN, a decided friend of the Administration, has been elected to Congress in the place of Dr. Young, deceased.

We learn from the Raleigh Register, that the election of Governor of this State for the ensuing year, was to have taken place on Tuesday last. The following gentlemen are named as candidates :-- Gen. Jas. Iredell, Richard Dobbs Spaight, of Newbern, Col. William Polk, of Raleigh, and John Stanley, of Newbern. The West furnishes no candidate. Gen. Iredell, it was thought by many, would be elected; though conjectures as to the result were various; and some were of the opinion that Mr. Spaight would be the successful candidate. It matters little which.

Bills of Exchange.—We learn from the New York American, that the Senate of that State have concurred with the Assembly in the reduction of damages on foreign bills of exchange to 10 per cent, and on motion of Mr. Stebbins, the rate of damages on bills drawn upon any person residing in the states of Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Delaware, Maryland or Virginia, or in the District of Columbia, was reduced in cases of protest or non payment, from 5 to 3 per cent.; and in North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Kentucky or Tennessee, from $7\frac{1}{2}$ to 5 per cent. In the remaining states of the United States, and in the West Indies, Canadas, &c. the rate of damage remains at 10 per cent, as now fixed by law. A motion to reduce the rate of interest from 7 to 6 per cent, was Ball. Pat.

Mr. Macon's exonerating Mr. Clay of dishonorable motives in voting for Mr. Adams, is as the National Intelligencer justly remarks, particularly gratifying to Mr. Clay's friends. Suspicious of an opposite nature, were at that time, confined to two classes, the weak and cred ulous, and those who appealing to them selves, concluded that Mr. Clay bargained for his advancement, because possibly, it was in his power to have done so, and because, they felt that they would have done so, in his circumstances. The more enlightened and liberal portion of those who subsequently formed the opposition, certainly, when the charge of argain was first promulgated, treated it with most incredulous contempt. Befor an Eastern man! The East have sides Mr. Macon, Mr. Tazewell, we understand, declared that his vote against the ratification of Mr. Clay's appointment, was not the result of belief in the bargain, but of disapprobation of Mr. Clay's latitudinous construction of the constitution, touching certain disputed powers. Mr. P. P. Barbour is known to have expressed the same disbelief in the pretendd corruption, and we ourselves, had the pleasure of hearing the same disavowal from the Representative of this District soon after the election.

Richmond Whig.

Bonnets were formerly used to cover and protect the head : this is obsolete, altogether antiquated and vulgar. Be sure not to put your bonnet on your head; else-why should you hide your pretty face?

Norfolk, Nov. 19 .- A counterfeit \$20 note of the U. S. Bank, payable at the office in this town, has been detected. is dated 4th Oct. 1824; letter S. No. 5192; signed, N. Biddle, Pres't Thos. Wilson, Cashier; drawn in favor of Luke and endorsed George Newton, Pres't for L. Wheeler, Cash'r. We understand the signatures are tolerably well executed, and might deceive, but that the engraving is indifferent, and a comparison of it with an original note will at once discover the deception. They are believed to be a part of the emission of Newbold and Company. We learn that the Bank will issue no more \$20 notes ing their prejudices against the encour- of the plate counterfeited by that con-

Virginia .- The county meetings in Virginia, disclose more and more the the firm advocates of the "American great weight of character which is arrayng itself in that State against the milicary candidate for the Presidency. It is cheering and auspicious to find so many of the leading mer of Virginia—men

ages of the ancient Republicscheering to see so great a number of such men coming out in support of the patriotic sentiments avowed by them, and no long time ago supported by those who now are violently opposed to them.

MARRIED.

In this county, on Thursday evening, 29th ult. by the Rev. Samuel Williamson, Mr. Robert C. Barnet, to Miss Margaret Weeks, daughter of John Weeks, Esq. of this county.

Notice.

A T a late meeting of the Lincoln Cotton Manufacturing Company, they agreed to sell yarn and cloth in future, at the following rates; but reserving unto themselves the priviof rising or falling, as circumstances may They now offer to sell at the following prices, for cash, or produce at cash prices, viz

Cotton Yarn Nos. 5 & 6, 321 cts. per lb.

7 & 8, 35 ets. per lb.

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9 & 10, 37½ ets. per lb.

11, 42½ ets. per lb.

12, 47½ ets. per lb.

13, 52½ ets. per lb.

Any quantity of yarn under 5 lbs. of Nos. 5,

6, 7, 8, 9, 10, they will sell at 37½ cents per lb.

They also propose to sell Cloth by the bolt, made of yarn No. 9, about 700, and one yard wide, at 20 cents per yard; any quantity under made or yarn No. 9, about 700, and one yard wide, at 20 cents per yard; any quantity under a bolt, at 25 cents per yard. Every 23 yards of the cloth will generally weigh a pound.

They likewise offer the following prices for produce, in the way of an exchange, viz:—

Corn, per bush. 43\(\frac{3}{4}\) Pork, per lb. 4J. Flaxsecd, do. 62\(\frac{1}{2}\) Flour, do. 3
Wheat, do. 100 Bacon 8, Tallow 9
Picked cotton, 1st qual. 8 cts. Seed do. 2c. Lard, 9 cts. per lb. Beeswax, 25

But should any person wish to trade at the former prices, they will still continue to allow sets, per lb, for seed cotton, and 11 cents per lb. for picked cotton, and sell yarn and cloth as formerly. These are the prices that they will give at the factory. JAS. BIVINGS.

Dec. 1, 1827.—2t61r

Sheriff's Sale.

WILL be sold, for cash, at the store house of Thomas Davidson, in the upper end of this county, on the Statesville road, leading from Charlotte to Statesville, on Thursday, the 20th day of this instant, his present stock of GOODS, co. of ting of Cloths, of different qualities, Calicoes, Ladies' fancy Goods, Delf Ware and Groceries, and other articles, too tedious to mention, to satisfy two executions issuing from the County Court in favour of Houston and Rowan. James Doherty, Esq. is appointed the agent of the firm of Davidson and Dewese to settle the books.

I will sell, at the Court-House in Charlotte, on the 4th Monday of this instant, the following property, viz :-

Eight Negroes

the property of A. Grier and John McQuay, to satisfy sundry executions issuing from the County and Superior Courts, in favor of Wm. Lees, Wm. Carson, and others.

JOHN SLOAN, Sheriff. Dec. 8, 1827.--2161.

FOR SALE OR RENT,

I tion formerly owned by Samuel Smith, ir, lying on Samuel Smith, ir lying on big Sugar Creck, opposite

the former residence of Mr. Richard Springs, in the Indian Land. The cleared upland, of which there are about SIXTY ACRES, is nearly all fresh and well adapted to the cultivation of Cotton and Corn. The low ground is rich and well suited to Corn or small grain. On the premises are all the necessary outbuildings, for the comfortable residence of a family. To purchasers, I will make the terms very easy, or I would rent it on the usual terms, or lease it for a term of time.

JOHN IRWIN. Charlotte, Dec. 8, 1827.-3162r.

Notice.

WILL BE SOLD, on Thursday, the 27th VV instant, at the late residence of Jame Potts, Esq. deceased, several Horses, a quanti ty of Corn and Fodder, a Metal Clock, and the Library of the deceased, in which are some val-uable LAW BOOKS; with various other arti-

-ALSO-

at the same time and place, will be hired eight or ten valuable NEGROES, an excellent Blacksmith, and other prime field hands. Twelve months credit and due attendance will be giv-

en, by SAMUEL WILLIAMSON, Executor.

Dec. 3, 1827.—3162.

N. B. ALL persons indebted to the Estate of N. B. ALL persons indepted to the Estate of the above named deceased, are requested to come forward and make payment; and those having claims against said Estate, to present them as the law directs.

YOU are required to parade at the Court House, on Saturday, the 22d instant, at 10 o'clock, equipped in full Winter uniform. Those who fail to attend will be fined to the full extent of the law:

By order of the Captain.

B. W. TAYLOR, O. S. Dec. 5, 1827.—2161.

Notice

Is hereby given, that whereas the subscriber did give or make a note of hand, payable to John Neel, and Margaret Clark security, for FORTY BOLLARS, the note bearing date some time in November last, and the said subscriber not having received any consideration for the same, he being surprised into it; does therefore forwarn all persons from dealing for said note or trading for it, as the said sybscriber. said note or trading for it, as the said subscriber is determined never to pay it.

ROBT. H. CLARK.

Dec. 4, 1827.-1v.

HAND SAW,

TAKEN from A. M'Gin's new building about the 28th of August last, with W. H. W. branded with fire brand in four places on the handle. The person who has it, will please return it to the same place and oblige the owner.

W. H. WRISTON.

WILL sell, on a credit of twelve months, at the late residence of *Daniel Gullant*, deceased, on Thursday and Friday, the 27th and 28th days of this month, all the personal property of said deceased, viz:

1500 Bushels Corn, 11000 or 12000 weight of seed Cotton,

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150 bushels of Rye,
50 or 60 bushels of Wheat,
A large quantity of Fodder and Oats,
9 head of Horses; and Cattle and Hogs,
1 Road Waggon, one fine Gig,
1 sett Blacksmith's Tools, 2 Cotton Gins,
1 Thresting Machine, one Cob Mill.

1 Threshing Machine, one Cob Mill, 1 Eight day metal Clock,

1 sett elegant Mahogany Tables, 1 do do Sideboard, 1 do do Sideboard, 1 large map of the U. States, A number of valuable Books, 7 first rate Beds and Furniture, 1 fine toned Piano Forte.

Together with many other articles. At the same time I will hire, for the term of one year,

a number of valuable negroes.

WASHINGTON MORRISON, Executor. Dec. 3, 1827.-3t62.

N. B. At the same time will be rented, for one year, all the lands of Daniel Gollant, deceas-ed, except the plantation on which he resided ed, except the plantation of at the time of his death.

NANCY GALLANT.

Land for Sale.

ON the 21st day of January next, viz: on the 3d Monday of said month, at the Court.

House in Charlotte, I will sell to the highest bidder, by an order from the Court of Equity, bidder, by an order from the Court of Equity, the plantation on which David Johnson, deceased, formerly lived, adjoining the lands of William Johnson, Samuel Johnson, Matthew Bain and Wm. McComb, and of others; containing, by estimation, 275 acres. Three hundred dollars of the purchase money will be required on the day of sale; on the balance, a credit of 12 months will be given by the greater size. months will be given, by the purchaser giving bond and satisfactory security.

D. R. DUNLAP, c. M. E.

Dec. 4, 1827.—6165—pr. adv. \$2.

Notice.

On the 4th Monday of December, 1827, I will sell at the Court-House in Charlotte, Eight likely Negroes, consisting of men, women and children,

giving the purchaser the privinge or putting his Bond in the Bank at Charlotte, for the purchase money. Persons wishing to purchase property of this kind are invited to attend. I chase money. -ALSO-

sell, upon a credit of twelve months, two tracts of Land, lying five or six miles from Charlotte, towards the Catawba River; one tract formerly owned by W. K. Lemond, adjoining the lands of James Freeman, J. Kithenr and ethers the other the lands of A. Hipp, Wm. M*Cormick and others formerly to Wm. a Next the property of Wm. a Next the second of Wm. and the second of Wm. a Next the second of Wm. and the second of Wm. a Next the second of Wm. and the second of Wm. others, formerly the property of Wine a Sect J. M. HUTCHISON.

Dec. 8, 1827.--2t61.

MASONIC CELEBRATION.

THE 27th of December next, being the Anniversary of Saint John the Evangelist, will be celebrated by the brethren of Mount Morial be celebrated by the brethren of Mount Moriah Lodge No. 32, Statewille. There will be, on the occasion, a procession, and brother N. W. Alexander will deliver an Address. Brethren of neighboring Lodges are invited to attend. In the evening a Ball will be given at Mrs. Ma-ry Worke's.

By order,

By order, THOS. KERR, Secretary. Nov. 24, 1827.-2t60

Joel Alexander's Estate.

THE subscribers, having qualified as Administrators of the Estate of Joel Alexander, de-In trators of the Estate of Joel Alexander, deceased, will offer at Public Sale, on Friday, the 21st of December instant, at the late dwelling of the deceased, the following property, to wit:—Horses, Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, Corn, Cotton, Fodder, Hay, Household and Kitchen Furschurg, and various other articles. Also, will be niture, and various other articles. Also, will be hired, for the term of one year, several Negrocs.

Terms, &c. made known on the day of sale.

JOHN CAMPBELL,

THOS. H. ALEXANDER,

J. Adm'rs

Dec. 1, 1827.—3161.

Charlotte Female Academy. THE subscriber respectfully informs the public, that the exercises of this Institution, under the direction of his lady, with suitable assistance, will be resumed on the first day of January, 1828, and continue until the first of August, including a term of seven moaths.

He flatters himself that the long experience of Alea. Cottrell in the teaching and manage-

of Mrs. Cottrell in the teaching and management of young ladies, and the general satisfaction she has given, will continue to her a liberal share of public patronage.

Prices of Tuition.

LITERATURE, for the abovementioned term, \$14 having claims against said Estate, to present them as the law directs.

S. W.

Attention, Lafayette Artillery!

Stoll are required to parade at the Court

Music, on the Piano Forte, 28

One half payable in advance, the balance at the end of the session.

One dollar deposite money will be required

of each student, to defray the expense of fire wood for the disc of the school and to keep the windows, &c. in repair. A few young ladies can be boarded in the A.

cademy, on reasonable terms; and merchantable produce, at current prices, will be received in produce, at current payment for boarding,
THOS. COTTRELL.

EDUCATION.

THE subscriber will resume the exercises of his PRIVATE MALE ACADEMY, on the first Monday in January next. The first session will continue until the lst of August, at the rate of ten dollars for five months, as heretofore, payable in advance.

BENJ. COTTRELL. N. B .- Fifty cents from each student, in ad-

Found, by the subscriber, on main road from Charlotte to Salis ury, a LE GUN, which the owner can have by RIFLE GUN, which the owner

proving property and paying for this advertise St61. THOS. L. HUTCHISON

Attachments and Bonds

For safe, at the effice of the Journa's