

LOCOFOCISM AND THE WAR!

We do not recollect when we have seen the Democratic party as sure upon any subject, as they are, (and that justly too) upon that of the war with Mexico.

The worst feature in the whole aspect of affairs involving the interest of this Country, is, according to our judgment, the grasping disposition of a large portion of the people.

If we were to judge from what the Standard says of Mr. SHEPARD, we would be compelled to rank him as one of the first men in the State, and Mr. GRAHAM a very ordinary man, afraid to meet Mr. SHEPARD and discuss the several questions at issue between the two parties.

Agents.—We announce to the public, the following persons as agents for this establishment for the sale of Blanks, and for the receipt of dues to this office either for subscription, job work, or advertising.

The next General Assembly of the O. S. Presbyterian Church, meets at Richmond, Va.

ENGLAND AND THE UNITED STATES.

By Wilmer and Smith's European Times information has been received per the Hibernia, that incidentally the state of the relations with this country was brought to the notice of the House of Commons on the evening of the 16th May.

Towards the close of his speech on the corn question, the same evening, Sir ROBERT PEEL, determined not to be outdone in politeness by the leader of the opposition, said:

Rowan the first on Docket.—It will be seen from the subjoined letter from the Adjutant General of the State, that old Rowan has been the first to report a company of Volunteers in compliance with the Proclamation of Gov. Graham, and that they stand No. 1, in the Regiment, called for from North Carolina.

ADJ. GEN'L'S OFFICE, Raleigh, June 4th, 1846. Sir.—I received yours of the 1st inst., containing the first company of Volunteers for the service of the United States, and have placed them No. 1, in the Regiment.

Gov. Graham and Mr. Shepard met in Hillsboro', on the 28th ult., and we learn from the Recorder, that Mr. Shepard's tone was considerably altered about many things which he had before been harping upon, wherever he has been.

Truly, North Carolina would be lowered in her standing, if such a man as Jas. B. Shepard should be elevated to the gubernatorial Chair.

FRANCE.

The state of affairs between the country and Mexico, excites much interest in Paris. A correspondent of the European Times, says:

From what I can collect, I am of the opinion that if the United States, at present, were to attempt to conquer Mexico, or even to annex any considerable portion of its territory, they would cause great dissatisfaction in France; and, in all probability, would have to encounter the decided hostility of the French Government.

I say again, then, that my opinion is that any seizure of Mexican territory by the United States Government would be stoutly objected to by France and no doubt also by England.

The Washington papers announce the death of Commodore Kershaw, in this city.

BRANDRETT'S PILLS.

This medicine is acknowledged to be one of the most valuable ever discovered, as a purifier of the blood and fluids. It is superior to Sarsaparilla, whether as a purgative or alterative.

JUST RECEIVED At Wheeler's Old Stand, FRESH MEDICINES, WINES, SPIRITS, TEAS, SPICES.

SNUFFS, Cigars, Tobacco, Soaps, Candles, Fruits, Nuts, Soda and Butter Crackers, Brushes, Paints, Dyestuffs, and a splendid assortment of Fancy Articles for ladies and gentlemen.

LAST NOTICE. AS it is absolutely necessary that the business of Jenkins & Biles should be settled with as little delay as possible, all persons indebted to the late firm are requested to settle by November Court, or suit will be brought against those who fail to comply with this notice.

State of North Carolina, Iredell County—Superior Court of Law & Equity. David W. Leib and Regina Hoover and others, vs. The Heirs at Law of Jacob and Elizabeth Hoover and others.—In Equity.

State of North Carolina, ROWAN COUNTY. Hamilton C. Jones, Solicitor, vs. George W. Rex, Guardian and sureties, Robert Erwin, Isaac Tennesson, Jacob Link and Daniel Webb. In Equity.

Administrators' Sale! WILL be sold on the 30th instant, on the Plantation formerly the property of the late John C. Deane, two tracts of land.

UNION HOTEL, HILLSBOROUGH. THE subscribers, having purchased the Union Hotel, Hillsborough, N. C., have thoroughly repaired the House, and fitted it up with entire new furniture.

CLOTHING FOR SALE, CHEAP FOR CASH! B. F. FRALEY, will also make in the latest style, well done and warranted to fit at his shop, opposite the large brick house at Salisbury.

TAKEN up on the 18th May, and entered on the stray book for Rowan, a sorrel horse colt, supposed to be 3 or 4 years old, blaze in the face, the left fore leg white up to the knee, and the left hind foot white half way to the knee.

Dr. G. B. DOUGLAS. HAVING returned to Salisbury, and located permanently, offers his professional services to the public. He hopes by the strictest attention to the duties of his profession, to merit a continuance of the confidence heretofore shown him.

ALL KINDS OF BLANKS. Neatly printed and for sale at this Office.

JEWELRY! JEWELRY!!

BOGER & WILSON, HAVE JUST RECEIVED A LARGE AND FASHIONABLE STOCK OF JEWELRY.

Consisting in part of fine full jewelled Gold and Silver Lovers, Lepine, Patent Vertical and common escapement Watches, gold guard Chains, and Keys, Ladies and Gentlemen's fine breast Pins and finger Rings, Necklaces, Medallions, Bracelets, Studs, Coral, Woodward's superior gold Diamond pointed Pens, and ever pointed Pencils, gold and silver Thimbles, gold and silver pencil cases.

Chapman's & Emerson's superior Razor Straps.

PERIFOCAL SPECTACLES. A new and superior Article of American manufacture, constructed upon scientific principles, and perfectly restful to the eye.

ROWAN HOTEL. FOR SALE! THE SUBSCRIBER WISHING TO REMOVE FROM THIS PLACE offers his HOUSE AND FURNITURE.

IMPORTANT TO MILL OWNERS. Hotchkiss's Vertical Water Wheel. IN consequence of the very great popularity which these wheels have attained by the use of nearly 4000 of them in different parts of the country, the subscribers have sold about 100 Rights in North Carolina, thirty of which are in full and successful operation in Cumberland county.

SPRING AND SUMMER FASHIONS FOR 1846. At the old Tailoring Establishment! HORACE H. BEARD, HAS JUST RECEIVED OF MR. F. MARRAS, the London, Paris, and Philadelphia FASHIONABLE DRESS FOR THE Spring and Summer of 1846, which far exceeds anything of the kind heretofore published.

CANDIES! CANDIES!! CANDIES!!! Cheapest and most Extensive Candy Manufactory in the World!!! JOHN J. RICHARDSON, No. 42, Market St., Philadelphia.

SALE of REAL ESTATE. THE UNDERSIGNED EXECUTORS of the last Will and Testament of DANIEL H. CRESS, deceased, will sell at Public Auction, on SATURDAY the 4th DAY of JULY, at the Court-House in Salisbury, the HOUSE AND LOT, NUMBER TWO.

By Friday Morning's Mail. LATER FROM MEXICO. THE PORT OF VERA CRUZ BLOCKADED—the Powers of American Consuls Annulled—Americans Ordered to the Interior of the Country—Efforts of the Government to Sustain the War, &c.

TRACT OF LAND containing 150 ACRES, adjoining the lands of Samuel Ribela and others, with a HOUSE and THIRTY ACRES cleared on it.

Orders were received by the American citizens from the city of Mexico, directing them to leave Vera Cruz by the 24th inst., or retire into the interior. It was expected that our Consul would board one of our vessels. On the American vessel approaching the port, it was immediately boarded by the Mexicans and forbidden to enter the port.

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The Castle of San Juan de los Rios, our last accounts state, was in a state of defence, and the officers commanded were confident of being able to repel an attack.

The Mexicans were in high spirits, various gaudy despatches were sent from the camp of Matamoros, with the utmost enthusiasm of a young condition of their army, and the most magnificent triumph of American forces.

Ministry of War and Marine.—Injuries which the United States have number of years inflicted on the Mexican, violating and treating with contempt treaties which united the two Republics have recently added to the invasion of partment of Texas, Territories of New and Tamaulipas, by penetrating with force and in the pay of their Government of Upper California, and to the ravages of Vera Cruz, Matamoros, and other parts of both oceans.

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New Hampshire.—Gen. ASTOR has been elected Governor of this State, by the vote of 10,000.