

TARBOROUGH: SATURDAY, SEPT 8. 1838.

Our election returns are not yet complete, consequently we are compelled to defer until another number the list of members elect to the next General Assembly...

The Washington Whig is informed, that Democratic Republicans desire neither part nor lot in Whig "swine," above or below, behind or before, inside or out. But we feel anxious to know the whole particulars...

In the account of our State elections last week, we mentioned that H. Clay, Jr. was defeated in his attempt to obtain a seat in the Legislature of Kentucky...

We see there is some little difference in the calculations of the Federal editors. The Salisbury Watchman reduces the opposition majority to two in the Senate...

Instruction to Senators.—The federal presses are beginning to talk about instructing our Senators—if they can; and to discuss the propriety of their resigning in case of being instructed...

It will be recollected that when the "whigs" of North Carolina offered Judge White to the people as a candidate for the Presidency; they declared him to be a friend of Geo. Jackson, and a supporter of his measures...

Government Bank.—One of the methods by which the public mind had been deluded on the subject of the Independent Treasury, is the outcry about a Government Bank...

ble for public does, in preference to establishing a new funded debt. Those very obliged and accommodated persons then turn round, load it with obloquy for its kindness, endeavor to depreciate its notes, and repeat the cuckoo cry of Government Bank...

DEMOCRATIC REPUBLICAN MEETING.

At a meeting of a portion of the Democratic Republican citizens of Caswell county, held at the Court House, on Friday the 24th of August, (inst.) On motion, Gen. Barzillai Graves was called to the Chair, and Geo. W. Graves and Geo. C. Rogers, were appointed Secretaries.

On motion, it was agreed that we have such a Dinner, and that it be given at Yanceyville.

On motion, a committee of seven were appointed to make arrangements for the dinner.

The following gentlemen compose this committee, viz:

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On motion, it was agreed that all Revolutionary Soldiers living in the county be invited to the festival, and such others as the committee may deem proper.

On motion, ordered that the proceedings of this meeting be signed by the Chairman and Secretaries, and published in the Milton Spectator, N. C. Standard, and such other papers as are friendly to the objects of the meeting.

On motion, the meeting adjourned.

B. GRAVES, Chair. GEO. C. ROGERS } Secretaries.

Fire.—About 1 o'clock on Wednesday morning last, our citizens were roused from their beds by the cry of fire! The fire was found to proceed from a two story wooden building, in the rear of Mr. Sylvester Smith, Merchant Tailor, on Fayetteville Street, and occupied by him as a workshop and dormitory for his apprentices...

State Race Course.—An association, for the improvement of the breed of Horses, has been recently formed in this City, of which Gen. Beverley Daniel is President, Robert W. Haywood, Vice President, Wm. H. Holloman Secretary and David McDaniel, Treasurer and Proprietor.

Commencement, a notice of it appeared in the Hillsboro Recorder, from the pen of a Correspondent, which escaped our notice at the time. It has just come under our observation, and we cannot forbear the pleasure of extracting from it the following interesting paragraph, taking the occasion to express our most ardent hopes that the Societies will lend their hearty cooperation to carry into effect the suggestion of Judge Gaston.—ib.

Judge Gaston, Chairman of the Committee, whose business it was to examine the report of the Faculty on the doings of the session, submitted an interesting report which was unanimously accepted. The action of the Faculty was sustained and commended in every particular. The discipline was represented as mild, yet firm. The Committee expressed great regret at finding one case of discipline for intemperance, and the honorable Judge commented in terms at once forcible and appropriate, on the "mean" vice of drunkenness. A most admirable suggestion was delectately made to the two Literary Societies, with a view to banish forever from the institution a vice equally destructive of moral and literary excellence and alike incompatible with the character of the scholar and the gentleman...

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more counterfeit coin than paper. The five frank pieces, Mexican dollars, and American halves are all counterfeited, and the market is constantly supplied with them. The counterfeits are generally much darker than the genuine coin, and often resemble pewter or lead.

The Western Indians.—Meditated war. The Nashville Banner of Aug. 22d, contains the official documents of Gen. Gaines in reference to the supposed intention of the Cherokees in Arkansas to assemble a council of all the Western tribes to commence war on our border. The Banner, however, thinks the intentions of the Council are most probably peaceable.

The General therefore believes 5000 mounted Kentuckians and Tennesseans are required, in addition to the 1st U. S. Dragoons and other troops there, immediately, and before the enemy are concentrated. He calls on Gov. Cannon for volunteer companies to be ready to march Sept. 1, and if the Indians unite he thinks he will require from 3 to 5000 men from Tennessee.

Rising of the Indians West, confirmed.—The St. Louis Bulletin of the 16th has the following: By a gentleman who arrived yesterday from Fort Leavenworth, we are informed that the Sioux Indians made an attack on the Kickapoos, and that a detachment of troops had been sent from the post to the scene of action to quell the marauders.

Strangers fever is now prevailing extensively at Charleston, S. C. according to the Courier, the Editor of which paper has been seriously ill with it. It is a highly malignant billious fever, owing to the extreme heat of the weather, in addition to cellars filled with water in houses destroyed by the great fire, and other local exciting causes.

We have further and more distressing verbal reports from Charleston. The disease is said to attack natives, or residents, as well as strangers. It would, indeed, be remarkable if it did not. Disguised as it is under the name of "Stranger's Fever," it is simply, the old malignant billious fever, an infection "that the sun sucks up from bog, fen, marsh," and which knows no discrimination in its victims.

Important from Texas.—We learn from Captain Stockman of the steamer "Teche" arrived yesterday from Natchitoches that news had been received at that place from Texas, announcing the commencement of hostilities with the Indians in that republic. President Houston has issued his proclamation calling out the militia: and Gen. Rusk had marched to the scene of action with all the force he could possibly raise.—N. O. True American.

Foreign. From Europe.—The packet ship Mediator, Capt. Champlin, arrived at New York, bringing London papers to July 22d, and Portsmouth to the 22d. The dates from Liverpool are no later than before received.

Counterfeit Coins.—The New York Journal of Commerce says—"The public have much reason to be on their guard against spurious coin. In proportion to the quantity in circulation, there is much more counterfeit coin than paper. The five frank pieces, Mexican dollars, and American halves are all counterfeited, and the market is constantly supplied with them."

phates steamer, announce that he has ascended the river of the same name from Bassorah to Hit, a distance of about 500 miles in 120 hours—that he had found no particular difficulty in passing the Lammum marshes; nor encountered the slightest opposition from the Arabs.

Trouble at Porto Rico.—We learn via Havana, that the Governor of Porto Rico has been assassinated, and that 25 of the inhabitants had been arrested. In consequence of these disturbances more troops were sent from Havana.—ib.

Petersburg Market, August 31.—Cotton—some sales have been made this week at prices from 9 to 10 1/2 cents; inferior and good qualities, 9 to 10 1/2 cents; and prime, 10 1/2 cents; best, 11 cents would be obtained for strictly prime.—Corn, (wholesale) \$4—Bacon, (hog round,) 11 to 14—ib.

Washington Market, Sept 4.—Turpentine, new dip, \$2.90; Old \$1.85; Sassafras, \$1.00. Tar, \$1.60.—Whig.

Norfolk Market, Aug. 31.—Cotton, 8 to 11 cents; Corn, 83 to 86 cents; Lard, 11 to 12 cents.—Her.

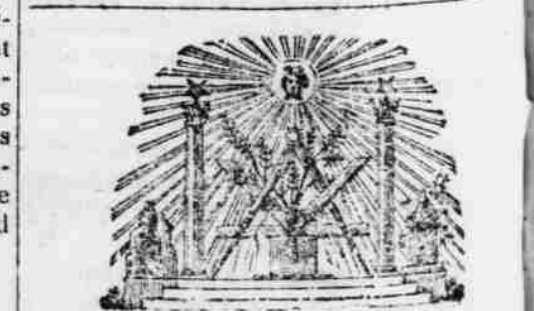


DIED. Near this place, yesterday, after a lingering illness, Mrs. Margaret Spruill wife of Mr. B. J. Spruill, leaving a desolate husband and three small children to mourn their irreparable loss.

Table with 3 columns: Item, Price per unit, and Location (Tarborough, New York). Items include Bacon, Brandy, Coffee, Corn, Cotton, Flour, Iron, Lard, Molasses, Sugar, Salt, Turpentine, Wheat, Whiskey.



For Sale. I WILL SELL very cheap for cash, on time, A first-rate Horse and Sulkey. The Sulkey is one of Hedenburg's best full plate, and superior to any in this country.



Masonic Notice. THE Funeral ceremonies of Bro. Benjamin Coffield, will take place at his late residence on Thursday, the 13th Sept. next. The Rev. Joshua Lawrence will preach a Sermon on the occasion. The members of the Fraternity are generally invited to attend. J. W. BACHELDER, Sec'y of Enfield Lodge.