

TO THOSE INDEBTED.
The accounts of distant subscribers will be made out and forwarded shortly. It is hoped that they will be promptly paid, as we are at present in particular want of the "needful."
Congress.
At the last advices, both Houses of Congress were engaged in discussing the Tariff Bill, which, it is believed, will pass by a handsome majority.

Wings of North Carolina!
Remember, that one of the most important elections which has been in your State for a number of years is to come on the 4th day of next month. An election, not only of first importance to the Whig cause throughout the State, but throughout the entire Union!

In several counties, the Democrats are laboring to defeat you by first dividing your ranks. Where they know that there is no probability of electing a member if the Whigs are united, they induce nominal Whigs to become candidates under the promise of their support, when their real purpose is nothing else than to divide the Whig ranks and run in a candidate of their own.

RATHER UNPLEASANT. It appears from an article in a Baltimore paper, that the land on which a great portion of that city stands was leased originally, for ninety-nine years, and the lease was not renewable.

That new State again.
A meeting has lately been held in Greenville, Tenn., which took into consideration the propriety of organizing a new State, out of portions of North Carolina, Virginia, and Tennessee.

Col. J. W. Hunter, of Henderson county, is fairly in the field as a Democratic candidate to represent this, and Henderson counties, in the popular branch of the next Legislature. There are now two Democrats and four Whigs in the field.

Through the attention of Hon Messrs. MANGUM and W. A. GRAHAM, we have been put in possession of some valuable public documents, among which is the report of the committee on manufactures, which we think of noticing more particularly hereafter.

Read the article in another column, from the Fayetteville Observer, headed "More recalcitancy." It details but another instance of the numberless extravagancies which characterized the Van Buren administration...

Contrary to our usual custom, we publish this week a list of Toasts, drank at the Miners festival, in Burke county, on the 4th inst. We have long since believed and often expressed ourselves, that the practice of celebrating the anniversary of our national independence, by drinking distilled and fermented liquors, was not the better way of exhibiting our patriotism...

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The National Intelligencer says that, "as far as we know," the late act of President Tyler in vetoing the provision Tariff Bill is justified by but one single public journal that sustained the ticket that bore his name at the late National Election.

Among the last items of Foreign News we see it stated that the King of France was dangerously ill, and not expected to recover. Should he die soon, we venture to predict there will be a serious quarrel if not a fight about his crown.

Col. Webb received a bull et-in his calf. But it didn't cow him.—Rich. Star.
Gentlemen:—you should steer your jokes in another channel, and cease bawling about Col. Webb's calf.

LOUIS D. HENRY, candidate for Governor in this State, publishes a letter in the Raleigh Standard of the 13th inst., giving notice of his inability in consequence of sickness, to canvass the State any further.

We have no particular fondness for toasts except when made of good bread and well buttered, but in the following there is something too good to be lost. It is said to have been sent to a table at Rochester, N. Y., several years ago:

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Fagg would say, on my own hook, that is, if John Tyler had put on his own garment, and professed to be a Democrat, what he really is, he never would have been more than one drop in the bucket against us, but by poking himself in our fold with sheep's clothing, he has injured the party and the country more than a thousand Tylers could hold out in their true lights.

THE MESSENGER.
The Miners' festival.
A barbecue having been generously tendered by Wm. F. McKesson, Esq., at the Wilkeson Mines, on the 4th day of July, to the gold miners and other citizens of Burke county, was numerously attended...

By Col. Alney Burgin: Office seekers and fortune seekers.—Let the people beware of the one and the ladies of the other.
By S. B. Erwin: The orator of the day.
By Col. J. T. Avery: Our host.—May his generous hospitality be rewarded by the development of hidden treasures eagerly sought for and as liberally bestowed.

- REGULAR TOASTS.
1st. The day we celebrate.
2d. The memory of General George Washington.
3d. The memory of Gen. Lafayette.
4th. The memory of our revolutionary forefathers.
5th. The President of the United States.
6th. The Congress of the United States.
7th. The Judiciary of the U. States.
8th. The militia.—Our support in peace, and our ultimate success in war.
9th. The Navy of the United States.
10th. North Carolina.—The first to declare independence, she will be the last to surrender it.

By Col. Hicks: Henry Clay.—His bank, like the genial rays of the sun, will invigorate the withering energies of the country.
By Col. McDowell: Henry Clay, the star of the West.—May he increase in lustre until he reaches the zenith of power, and shed his benign influence over the benighted regions of Locoocoism.
By J. C. Halyburton: To the miners of Burke.—May they have a shallow top, and rich grit at the bottom of each and every pit.

By Dr. McKee: Harry, the modern, not inferior to, Cicerro or Demosthenes, an host within himself, and who, like Cincinnatus of old, is ever ready to meet the calls of a bleeding country.—May we in gratitude place him next in the Executive chair.
By the orator: The anniversary of the day that gave liberty to our fathers.—May it be remembered by their descendants to the latest generations.

reared in our hearts, and treasured in our memory.
By Wm. F. McKesson: The American Constitution, like the ark of old, floating upon the troubled billows.—May it glide smoothly on amid the shafts of error, and the envy of the oppressor, until it conducts the enthralled nations into a haven of liberty.

Mr. Morehead at Hendersonville.
Yesterday was a glorious day for the Whigs in Henderson. The Governor having staid the night previous in the neighborhood, was met near the village by a beautiful company of cavalry, and a numerous concourse of people, and by whom he was escorted into the village.

The following is a copy of the Report of the Secretary of State, and the accompanying paper from the pen of the President, as read in the House of Representatives, and yesterday referred to a Select Committee of that body:

DEPARTMENT OF STATE,
WASHINGTON, JULY 2, 1842.
To the House of Representatives of the U. States:
The Secretary of State has the honor to transmit to the House of Representatives, in compliance with a resolution adopted by this day, "an authenticated copy of the exposition of the reasons of the President of the United States for giving his sanction to the act for an apportionment of Representatives among the several States according to the sixth census," deposited by the President in this Department.

A bill entitled "An act for the apportionment of Representatives among the several States according to the sixth census."
Approved June 25, 1842.
In approving this bill, I feel it due to myself to say, as well that my motives for signing it may be rightfully understood as that my opinions may not be liable to be misconstrued or quoted hereafter erroneously as a precedent, that I have not proceeded so much upon a clear and decided opinion of my own, respecting the constitutionality or policy of the entire act, as from respect to the declared will of the two Houses of Congress.

In yielding my doubts to the matured opinion of Congress, I have followed the advice of the first Secretary of State to the first President of the United States, and the example set by that illustrious citizen upon a memorable occasion.
When I was a member of either House of Congress, I acted under the conviction that to doubt as to the constitutionality of a law was sufficient to induce me to give my vote against it; but I have not been able to bring myself to believe that a doubtful opinion of the Chief Magistrate ought to outweigh the solemnly pronounced opinion of the Representatives of the People and of the States.

Similar considerations have operated with me in regard to the representation of fractions above a moiety of the representative number, and where such moiety exceeds thirty thousand, a question on which a diversity of opinion has existed from the foundation of the Government. The provision recommends itself from its nearer approximation to equality than would be found in the application of a common and simple divisor to the entire population of each State, and corrects, in a great degree, those inequalities which are destined, at the recurrence of each succeeding census, so greatly to augment.

Gentlemen: The apostle of liberty has visited us, I mean our good Governor, J. M. Morehead. On yesterday, at our village, he spoke to a large and profoundly attentive audience. The Governor embodied in his whole deportment, dignity and manly forbearance, accompanied with an ability which was seldom, if ever equalled in this part of the State. The speaker, as with a lighted candle, searched the bosom of modern democracy, to see if there was yet a spark of the spirit of '76; but, alas! it was extinct!! He then appealed to his audience as men, and as patriots, in the name of a suffering country, to rise to their strength, and give a majority sufficient to thwart the purposes of the oppressor.

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