

POETRY.

From the Boston Weekly Magazine. THE DEATH OF AN AGED CLERGYMAN BY MRS. L. H. SIGOURNEY.

You will not see him more:-You, whose first thoughts

Blent with his image, who to manhood grew Beneath the shelter of his saintly shade, And brought your own young infants to his hand, For the baptismal water, and lived on Amid his teachings, till the silver hairs Came all unlooked for, stealing o'er your brow,-You will not see him more.

There was a place, Where duly as the day of God return'd, His solemn voice held converse with the skies, For you and yours, till more than fourscore years Swept in billows o'er him. You will hear That voice no more.

There stands his ancient home, Where, with the partner of his heart, he shared Affection's joys so long, and fondly marked His children and his children's children rise Clustering around his board.

Remember ye

His cordial welcome? how he freely dealt A patriarch's wisdom, in monitions kind To all who sought him? -- how with ancient grace Of courteous hospitality, he gave Example of those virtues, pure and sweat, Which round the hearthstone rooting, have their fruit

Where men are judged?

He lingered with you late, Till all the loved companions of his youth Had gone to rest. Yet so he loved your souls, That for their sakes, he willingly sustained Life's toil and cumbrance, and stood forth alone. An aged oak amid the fallen grove. His Master called!

It was the Sabbath morn. And he had girdled up his loins to speak A message in the temple. Time had strown The almond blossom, and his head was white As snows of winter; yet within his heart Glow'd the same temperate and unwavering zeal That nerved his youth.

But lo! the Master called! So laying down the Bible that he loved, That single weapon he so meck had borne Through all the strife of time, he yielded back The spirit to its Giver, and went home: Yes, tull of honors, as of days, went home.

GEOLOGY AND REVELATION.

BY THE REV. JOHN G. MORRIS. Unbelievers in the authenticity of the Scriptures have frequently invoked the aid of the the divine origin of those ancient records is science. founded. With the most intense eagerness have they laid hold of every unimportant circumstance which could be perverted into an apparent congruity with their own conceptions. The investigations of the geologist particularly, have been watched with the keenest solicitude.-They have pursued him in his examination of mountains and planes and valleys,-have patiently stood by while he was excavating the earth and have boldly followed whilst he groped his dangerous way through unexplored caverns, confidently expecting that his discoveries would reveal facts fatal to the correctness of the Mosaic cosmo-

Some drill and bore The solid earth, and from the strata there Extract a register, by which they learn That He who made it, and revealed its date To Moses, was mistaken in its age.

My design is to show, that there is a perfect consistency between the facts demonstrated by geological researches and the sacred Scriptures. If this can be done, a strong weapon will be more firmly established. It has been often said, that there is a dis-

crepancy between science and revelation, and that consequently both cannot proceed from the same infinite Being; and as pure science, or knowledge derived from the works of God, is evidently of divine origin, it follows that the Bible cannot be, for God cannot contradict himself. But yet, it is passing strange, that the most profoundly scientific men that ever lived, were stedfast believers in the Scriptures as a divine revelation. Bacon, Locke, Newton, Davy and many others never discovered the incongruity between the works of God and his word, and it is not likely that it would have escaped their penetrating minds, If it had existed. There was a time when religious men were suspicious of physical investigations, and apprehended that they would be detrimental to the interests of revealed truth, but that age happily passed, and the friends of the Bible now boldly challenge investigation and believe that all the discovories of modern science will only establish the truth of divine revelation.

The Bible was not designed to teach men science, but religion, and hence it employs language suited to the capacity of every man. If it were not so, it would be a sealed book to thousands of readers,-but notwithstanding this, whatever a revelation asserts in regard to natural facts must be accordant with all the subsequent discoveries of science, otherwise it could not be of God. Science and revelation cannot teach discordant facts. The unbeliever endeavors to prove that there is a striking inconsistency between them, and consequently rejects revelation, as a book unsafe as a guide in science, and untrue as a narrative of facts. He would be doing right, if his conclusions were valid.

Instead of there being any discrepancy between geology and revelation, it can be demonstrated that they support and establish each other, so that far from being conquered by the arms of the unbeliever, we wield them fatally against himself.

1. The discoveries of geology show that the things even to dunning.

earth is not eternal. There was a time when it did not exist. It had a beginning. They do not determine the time of its beginning, but they prove its non-eternity. Our investi-gations result in the undeniable conclusion, that all organizations have advanced in a progressive series, from the less to the greater: long and definite intervals of time occurred between these series, and if we pursue them backwards, we will end in losing all evidence of organization, that is, we will arrive at a period when there was nothing in existence.-This accords precisely with the Scriptures. They teach that "God created the heaven and the earth." "Before the heavens were brought forth, or even thou hadst formed the earth and the world, even from everlasting to everlasting thou art God." Ps. xc. 2. "I was set up from everlasting, or ever the earth was. Prov. viii. 23. The most conclusive argument against the atheistic hypothesis of the ological examinations of the world itself.

2. The discoveries of geology show that before the creation of man, the earth was to a merged in water. The tossil remains of the no man in existence: may he prosper. animals of that period show that most of them were marine or amphibious. The remains of been mostly such as grow in marshes. The stratified rocks, the regular layers in clay pits, the position of animal remains, and other phenomena, exhibit the frequent and longcontinued action of water. This agrees precisely with the Scriptures, which declare that the Spirit of God moved on the face of the

3. It is certain from geological investigations, that the earth has not been the habitation of man and of most of the races of animals now existing, for more than a few thousand years. It has been before stated, that the great French naturalist proved from certain progressive changes on the earth's surface, as well as from the concurrent traditions of many nations, that the first appearance of man on the face of the earth, cannot be referred to a period farther back than about five or six thousand year's from the present time. We find no remains of man, and few of such animals as now live on the earth in places where they could naturally be found, if they had then existed, and had been destroyed in the general calamity. Indeed, the earth would not have been a fit habitation for such a being as man. It is only in the upper formations that the remains of such animals as now exist, are found, and perhaps human bones, proving that man and the present tribes of animals, are of recent creation. This accords exactly with the Bible, which teaches that man and other animals on the earth, were created less than six thousand years ago.

4. Geological discoveries develope the fact, that since the creation of man, the whole earth has been subjected to the sudden and violent action of water. The whole face of the earth affords abundant proof of the deluge. The man who doubted it, would be considered insane. The evidence of the fact also shows that the period of its occurrence cannot have been remote. The Bible tells us the time and cause of this catastrophe, and thus sciences, to invalidate the evidence on which its instructions agree with the conclusions of

5. The researches of the geologist show that the same kind of animals existed before the deluge which exist now. How were they preserved from the general destruction? or were they all destroyed and afterwards re-produced? The latter idea is contrary to previous analogy. The Bible gives us the solution. Different antediluvian animals were preserved from the desolating effects of the deluge with Noah in the Ark.

These are a few of the facts in which geology and the Scriptures illustrate and establish each other. There are others which are only probable, but which need not now be mentioned. Enough has now been said to show that the unbeliever gains no advantage by calling on geology to aid him in his attacks on revealed religion. That science is triumphantly marshalled against him. Its discoveries demonstrate the God of nature to be the God of the Bible, and having come to this conclusion, we are led to praise

"Him first, Him last, Him midst, Him without

AMERICAN MUSEUM.

CONSISTENT.

Lundy Foot, the celebrated snuff seller in Dublin, who made an enormous fortune by his business, has a snuff box on his carriage for his crest, and the words " who'd have thought it, nose has bought it," for his motto!

They have "Victoria Decanters" in New York. Very few articles have a better claim to the title. They have won continued rictories since they were called into service .-U. S. Gazette.

A FACT. There is a man living within fifty miles north of the city of Cincinnati, who has had 25 children by one wife, 18 of whom are full grown, hearty males, and capable of bearing arms. No wonder Cincinnati increases so fast in population, if they have many such chaps as this among them .- Rochester Dem.

LEICESTER OR LONG WOOL SHEEP. One buck and two ewes of this valuable breed have been imported, via Savannah and Augusta, to this place. Those feeling an interest in the heretofore much neglected science of Agriculture, and rearing domestic animals, particularly those intended for the table, have evinced the most lively interest in the importation. Wm. Dearing, Esq, has presented the proprietor 500 acres of land, in Rabun county, where they will be located .- Athens

Collecting a Debt .- A grocer in Boston, the Post says, has been in the practice of ringing a customer's bell daily and nightly, for some months back, and crying out "pay me that \$1,17. The customer got tired of this dunning, and handed his annoyer over to the watchman, who took him before the mayor. His honor fined him 2 dollars and costs, intimating that there was a limit to all AN AMERICAN GROTTO DEL CANE.

There is said to be a sort of Grotto de Cane on the Chippewa river, emitting an un- Court of Pleas as pleasant gaseous odour fatal to dogs or other animals. This is probably one of those emissions of carburetted or sulphuretted hydro- Mich'l L. Cope, gen gas, common in all limestone countries, bubbling up from beneath the beds of rivers and crevices of rock. At Fredonia, indeed in our own state, is presented the spectacle of a town on Lake Erie beautifully light by this natural supply from natures own gas house. The light house itself on the shore being also furnished from the same source .-Evening Star.

The following toasts were drank at the Democratic celebration of the Sth of January. 1839, at Pittsburg, Pennsylvania.
6th Regular Toast. The Hon. Thomas

H. Benton: The veteran Senator and the able. eternity of the world, is derived from the ge- faithful and indefatigable soldier in the good cause. Missouri deserves well of the Union and of liberty for re-electing Thomas H. Benton, who for talents, industry, eloquence and great extent and perhaps often entirely sub- perseverance in well doing, is surpassed by

By R. H. Kerr, Sec'y. Col. Benton, of the United States Senate. Upon the preservaplants and vegetables, indicate them to have tion of his principles our country will increase in prosperity, command the respect of the world, and his election will redound to the happiness of the American people.

By Daniel Maurer. General Jackson, Thomas H. Benton aad Martin Van Buren -the three greatest men in the nation-the darkness was upon the face of the deep, and Democracy of the country have confided in them-their landmarks are laid down, and the people know them and will carry them out, particularly the Independent Treasury Bill. which goes to separate the Banks from the Government.

Scraps.

The rarest men in the world-rich prin-

The bravest men in the world-those who are not afraid of a dun.

To see a Federal paper quoting from Thomas Jefferson, forcibly reminds us of the old law about the "Devil quoting Scripture." A happy marriage is the highest state of

friendship, it lessens our cares by dividing them, at the same time that it doubles our pleasures by mutual participation. SHARP WIT .- One said to another, "You

speak foolishly;" he answered, "It is that you may understand me." FEMALE SINGER .- A gentleman being asked his opinion of the singing of a lady who had not the purest breath, said that the words

much admire the air. Pun .- "I really think I must have the tic doloreux,' said a lady who was suffering with a pain in her face, to her husband. "No doubt of it, my dear," was the kind reply,

"you have the take dollar oh! to perfection." A Southern paper says, that the Exploring Expedition has discovered Maderra. Buf-

Yes, the officers discovered it one day in a bottle. - Philadelphia Times.

WATCHES, Jewellery, &c.of Gold, Silver, Duplex, Lepine and plain Watch es, of various qualities. Fine and common fash ionable Jewellery, of every description, together with a great variety of fashionable fancy and household articles, too tedious to enumerate:—all of which are offered at reduced prices.

Clock and watch repairing, and other work in his line, thankfully received and strictly attend-

Pittsborough Academy. THE Trustees of this Institution having procured the services of a very competent and experienced Teacher, Mr. J. M. Lovejoy, beg leave to recommend it to the notice of parents and guardians. Mr. Lovejoy has had charge of this school for the last eight months, with about thirty boys un-der his tuition; and the Trustees and parents express universal gratification at the skilful and successful management of that gentleman as a teacher. Boys are prepared for College at cheap rates, under the most approved discipline and strictist attention

to their morals, and general deportment.

The location is perfectly healthy, and board can be obtained at 10 dollars per month in respectable

Terms of tuition for students in the classics, per session, commencing the 14th January, 1839, 18 dollars; for all other students, 15 dollars. By order of the board. M. Q. WADDELL, Secretary.

WHOLESALE and RETAIL HAT STORE,—northeast corner of Mar-ket Square.—The subscribers are now receiving a large and elegant assortment of Men's and Boys' ashionable Hats, Fur and Cloth Caps, of all de scriptions, and a general assortment of hatter's trimmings, recently selected by themselves, in Philadelphia and New York. They have made arrangements to keep a full supply on hand, and are prepared to sell to country merchants, at reduced prices.

J. R. & D. GEE.

MUSIC AND FRENCH.—MrsBEZE PERRY has the pleasage to inform
her friends and the public, generally, that she has
opened her Music and French School, at her house
on Old street. Terms:—For Music, fifteen dollars per quarter, (say 13 weeks,) three lessons each week, of three quarters of an hour's length. For French, six dollars per quarter, (say 13 weeks.)

NEW GOODS.-A general assortment of fancy and staple goods,-10 pieces of Muslin de Laine 3 picces Satin Vanbuliers, (a new article) Merino Demaskine
French and English Merinos
Circassian, Pongees, Muslin Edgings
Worked Collars, Blond Nett, etc. etc.

ONE THOUSAND SHOES, (assorted) Cutlery and Hardware, (general assortment.) GROCERIES Salt, Sugar, Coffee, Molasses, etc.
GEO. McNEILL.

For sale, CHEAP, by

The North Carolina Justice. We regret exceedingly that the appearance of this work has necessarily been so long delayed; and we again assure the public that every exertion has been used to complete it by the time it was expected. The plan of the work, since it was first advertised, has been so improved as to cost many times the quantity of labor then anticipated. And besides, northern materials had to be procured, which could not be brought on till the late rains had swelled the waters. We have no hesitation in assuring our patrons and the public, that the printing and hinding will be completed at Raleigh, and the Book ready for delivery, just as soon as practiSTATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,

Sampson County. nd Quarter Sessions, Term, 1838.

Charles Stevins, Original Attachment. "Levied on the Goods in his

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Store, also Summond Sal-

and requiring him to appear at the next Term of said Court to be held on the 3d Monday in February 1839 and then and there replevy and plead, or Judgment by Default will be awarded against him, the Goods levied on and Debts attached will be condemned to the satisfaction of Plaintiff's demand Witness, Thomas I. Faison, Clerk of said Court, at Office, the 3d Monday of November, 1838. THOMAS I. FAISON, Clerk.

Fayetteville, Nov. 28, 1838. STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,

Sampson County. Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, November Term, 1838.

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, Cumberland County.

IN EQUITY. Maria Thomas, John Wesley Thomas, Neal Black and Sally his Wife, James Black and Original Bill. Elizabeth his Wife Andrew Clark & Fran-

T appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the Defendants in this case are not inhabitants of this State, it is therefore upon motion ordered Carolina Journal for the Defendants to appear at the next Term of the honorable the Court of Equity of the song were delightful, but he did not to be holden for the County of Cumberland, at the Court House in Favetteville, on the sixth Monday after the fourth of March next, and plead, answer

> heard exparte.
> From the Minutes.
> Witness, Arch'd A. T. Smith, Clerk and Master of our said Court at Office the 7th Monday after the 4th Monday of September, A. D. 1838.
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> ARCH'D A. T. SMITH, c. M. E.

or demur, or the Bill will be taken pro confesso and

Fayetteville, Nov. 28,1838. Timber and Lumber Agency. THE subscriber will attend to the sale of TIMBER, LUMBER, &c. in the Town of

Wilmington, North Carolina, for all persons who may favor him with their commission. He pledges himself to procure for them at all times the highest prices for such articles as they may trust to his Steam Mills, or their Agent; and will give the best security for the faithful discharge of his duties as Agent.

MILES COSTIN. Wilmington, N. C. Feb. 23, 1839.

To Printers and Publishers. HE subscribers have completed their new specimen book of light faced Book and Job Printing Types, Flowers and Ornaments, the contents of which are herewith partially given.

Diamond, Pearl, nos. 1 and 2

Agate, nos. 1, 2 and 3

Agate on Nonpariel body Nonpariel, nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 Minionette, nos. 1 and 2 Minion, nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 Minion on Brevier body Brevier on Minion body Brevier, nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 Brevier on Burgois body Brevier on Long Primer body Burgois on Brevier body Burgois, nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 Burgois on Long Frimer body Long Primer, nos. 1, 3 and 4 Long Primer on Small Pica body Small Pica, nos. 1 and 2 Pica on Small Pica body Pica, nos. 1, 2 and 3 Pica on English body English, nos 1 and 2 Great Primer, Paragon, Double English Double Paragon, Cannon Five line Pica to twenty Eight line Pica Gothic condensed to 25 Seven line and ten line Pica ornamental 6, 7. 9, 12 and 15 lines Pica shaded 8, 10, 15 and 16 lines Antique shaded. Also a large and beautiful collection of flowers, from pearl to seven lines pica, which are not to be found in any other specimen; a new assortment of ornamental dashes, a variety of card borders, near two thousand metal ornaments, brass rule, leads of various thickness, astronomical and physical signs, metal and brass dashes from 3 to 30 ems long; great primer and double pica Scripts on inclined body; diamond and nonpariel music of various kinds—antique light and heavy face two line letter; full face Roman & Italic nonpariel, minion, brevier, long primer and other blacks; nonpariel, minion and

brevier Greek, Hebrew and Saxon. A large variety of ornaments, calculated particu-larly for the Spanish and South American markets; Spanish, French and Portuguese accents furnished to order, with every other article made use of in the pfinting business. All of which can be furnished at short notice, of as good quality and on as reasonable terms, as any other establishment.

CONNER & COOK, Corner of Nassau & Ann streets, New York. EW GOODS .- The Subscribers have on hand and constantly keep a general and extensive assortment of GROCERIES, consisting in part of 9 Hhds. Sugar, 30 " Molasses,

50 Bags Coffee, 100 Kegs Nails, (assorted) 100 dozen Weeding Hoes, 200 Pair Bright and Blue Traces,

March 2.

12 Boxes Collins' & King's Axes, 100 Sides Sole Leather, which are offered on favorable terms at wholesal NOTT & STARR.
Country merchants would do well to call.

L. R. CLARK respectful-ly inform their friends and the public, that they have opened a TIN, SHEET IRON and COPPER-WARE MANUFACTORY, 5 doors south of the Market House, on Gillespie street, where they will keep, constantly on hand, a full assortment of plain and fancy Japanned Tin Ware.

JOB WORK done at the shortest notice. Orders from the country, would receive prompt attention. mar 2-tf. A N APPRENTICE wanted at the office feb 23. PROSPECTUS

Of "The North-Carolinian." The subscriber, having this day purchased of the proprietors, the presses and types of the "North Carolina Journal," begs leave to announce to the public, that he intends, as soon as the necessary arrangements can be made, to commence the weekly publication of a paper at this place, under the above

Duly sensible of the importance of newspaper publications to the community at large, and of the corresponding responsibilities of editors, the editor of the "North Carolinian" only here promises its readers, his industrious efforts and persevering application, to make the paper a useful channel of correct intelligence, upon all subjects of public interest, falling within the range of his limited experience observation and research. perience, observation and research.

The columns of the North Carolinian will be

freely devoted to the hearty, but temperate and candid support of the measures of the present administration of the general government, on the ground that the editor believes the principles upon which they are founded, to be the same which have always governed the great body of the Democratic Republicans of the country, as contradistinguished from the Federal or National Republicans, who mainly constitute and give character to the opposition party, or self-styled Whigs.

It shall be an object of paramount consideration

in publishing this paper, to draw public attention to, and concentrate public opinion more zealously upon, the peculiar interests of North Carolina as an independent State; by often presenting to the reader's observation the State's most prominent claims to distinction and rank among her sister States; by anxiously co-operating with every effort that shall be made for the full development of her vast and yet unemployed resources; and by every other fair means, endeavoring to enkindle and keep alive a manly spirit of State pride, (too prone to be extinguished or kept cold by party bickerings about

federal politics.)

As almost every man in the State is to a greater or less extent a planter, the editor will seek diligently to make his paper profitable to the agriculturist by frequent and copious extracts from approved books and periodicals, upon the subject of farming. The periodical press has been of late, so much enlarged in its circulation, and so much improved in the departments of literature and taste, that the editor would feel he did injustice to the consequent editor would feel he did injustice to the consequent-ly enlightened state of public opinion, feeling and intelligence, if he did not here promise earnestly to lend the aid of his humble capacity, in the general diffusion of literary subjects, through the channel of

his paper. Should the partiality and kindness of the subscriper's friends enlarge the subscriptions so as to justify it, he will discontinue his practice as an attorney in the courts, and devote his time exclusively to his duties as an editor.
FATETTEVILLE, N. C., } H. L. HOLMES.

February 1, 1839. }
TERMS—The price of publication will be, Two
Dellars and Ffty Cents per annum, if paid in advance; Three Dolls if paid at the end of six months: or Three Dollars and Fifty Cents at the expiration

"The North-Carolinian" PRINTING OFFICE.

THE subscriber having purchased the Journal establishment, and made considerable ad ditions to it, is prepared to execute in a neat and expeditious manner, BOOK, PAMPHLET AND JOB PRINTING. He will keep on hand, a general assortment of BLANKS, of the most approved forms, for Clerks of Courts, Sheriffs, Constables, &c. &c. His prices are regulated by those adopted at the Editorial Convention, held at Raleigh. Hand Bills on medium, royal or super roya quarto, for 30 copies, \$2.50, for 50 copies \$3, and \$1 for every additional 100 copies.

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Larger ones in proportion to the size and Large Cards, a single pack, \$3, and \$1 25 for every additional pack. Small Cards, a single pack

\$2, and \$1 for every additional pack. BLANKS Kept constantly on hand for sale at 75 cents per quire; and printed to special order, for a single quire \$2, for every additional quire under five, \$1;

ding five quires, 75 cents per quire. PROSPECTUS OF THE UNITED STATES MAGA-ZINE AND DEMOCRATIC REVIEW. published at Wasnington, District of Columbia, and delivered simultaneously in the principle cities of the United States. The work is devoted to the principles of the Democratic party.

It has long been apparent to many of the irreflecting members of the democratic party of the United States, that a periodical for the advocacy and diffusion of their politica! principles. similar to those in such active and influential operation in England, is a desideratum, which it was very important to supply-a periodical which should unite with the attractions of sound and vigorous literature, a political character capable of giving efficient support to the doctrines and measures of that party, now maintained by a large majority of the people.-Discussing the great questions of polity before the country, expounding and advocating the Democratic doctrine thro' the most able pens that that party can furnish, in articles of greater length, more condensed force, more elaborate research, and more elevated tone than is possi-ble for the newspaper press, a Magazine of this character becomes an instrument of inappreciable value for the enlightening and formation of public opinion, and for the support of the principles which it advocates. By these means, by this explaining and detending the measures of the great Democratic party, and by always furnishing to the public a clear and powerfu commentary upon those complex questions of policy and party which so frequently distract the country, and upon which, imperfectly un-derstood as they often are by friends, and misrepresented and distorted as they never fail to be by political opponents, it is of the utmost importance that the public should be fully and rightfully informed, it is hoped that the periodcal in question may be made to exert a beueficial, rational, and lasting influence on the public

Other considerations, which cannot be too highly appreciated, will render the establishment and success of the proposed Magazine of very great importance.

In the mighty struggle of antagonist principles which is now going on in society, the demo-cratic Party of the United States stands committed to the World as the depository and ex-emplar of those cardinal doctrines of political faith with which the cause of the People in every age and country is identified. Chiefly from e want of a convenient means of concentra ting the intellectual energies of its disciples, this party has hitherto been almost wholly unrepresented in the republic of letters, while the view and policy of its opposing creeds are daily advocated, by the ablest and most commanding efforts of genius and learning.
In the United States Magazine the attempt

will be made to remove this reproach. The present is the time peculiarly appropri ate for the commencement of such an undertaking. The Democratic body of the Union, after a conflict which tested to the uttermost its stability and its principles, have succeeded in retaining possession of the executive admin-stration of the country. In the consequent comparative repose from political strife, the period is auspicious for organizing and calling to its aid a new and powerful ally of this characier, interfering with none and co-operating with

Co-ordinate with this main design of The United States Magazine, no care nor cost will be spared to render it, in a literary point of view, honorable to the country, and fit to cope in vigor of rivalry with its European competitors,

Viewing the English language as the noble. ritage and common birthright of all who s the tongue of Milton and Shakespeare, it may be the uniform object of its conductors to be sent only the finest productions in the various branches of literature that can be procured and diffuse the benefit of correct models

taste and worthy execution, In this department the exclusiveness of pany which is inseparable from the political departs ment of such a work will have no place. Her we all stand on a neutral ground of equality and reciprocity, where those universal ples of taste to which we are all alike subject will alone be recognised as the common law. Our political principles cannot be compromised but our common literature it will be our common pride to cherish and extend, with a liberal ity of feeling unbiassed by partial or mine

As the United States Magazine is founded to the broadest basis which the means and influence of the Democratic party in the United States can present, it is intended to render it in every repect a thorough NATIONAL WORK, not merely designed for ephemeral interest and attraction, but to continue of permanent historical value. With this view a considerable portion of each number will be appropriated to the following subjects, a addition to the general features referred to above A general summary of Political and of Domeste Intelligence, digested in the order of the States comprising all the authentic important facts of the

General Literary Intelligence, Domestic and Fa-General Scientific Intelligence, including Agn.

cultural Improvements, a notice of all new ents. &c. A condensed account of all new works of Infer.
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by a general view of all now in operation or in ogress. Military and Naval News, Promotions, Change,

Movements, &c. Foreign Intelligence. Biographical obituary notices of distinguished

After the close of each session of Congress, as extra or an enlarged number will be published, containing a general review and history of its proceedings, a condensed abstract of important official ocuments, and the Acts of the session.

Advantage will also be taken of the means con-

centrated in this establishment from all quarters the Union, to collect and digest such extensive statistical observations on all the most important in terests of the country as cannot fail to prove of

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the duration of the work.

Although in its political character The United States Magazine addresses its claims to support particularly to the Democratic party, it is hoped particularly to the Democratic party. that its other features referred to abdently of the desirable object of becoming acquainted with the doctrines of an opponent thus advocated-will recommend it to a liberal and candid support from all parties, and from the large class of

To promote the popular objects in view, and re-lying upon the united support of the Democrate party, as well as from others, the price of subscrip-tion is fixed at the low rate of five dollars per asnum; while in mechanical arrangements, and in size, quantity of matter, &c. the United States Magazine will be placed on a par at least with the leading monthlies of England. The whole will form three large octavo volumes each year.

The subscription will be in all cases payable in

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