

THE CANADIAN

We discover by the Northern papers, that great excitement prevails in the Parliament of Upper Canada, and that in the lower house, there is a decided majority opposed to the administration of the government.

A Mr. Jones, a government man of course, is represented to have used the following solid language towards a Mr. Rolph, an oppositionist—that his language was foul, infamous, and scandalous; that he had a vile and democratic heart, and ought to be sent out of the country.

A Mr. Fothergill, Printer to the King, in Upper Canada, who was a member of the house, had been dismissed from "his majesty's service," because he was found in the ranks of the opposition.

Kentucky.—Mr. Rentro, at Cumberland Gap, estimates the value of Live Stock sent from this State, through his turnpike gate, during the last season, \$905,892, viz. 4,019 Horses, at \$90 each, \$361,710; 1,109 Mules, at \$55 each, 61,140; 61,056 Hogs, at \$7 each, 441,332; 1,293 Cattle, at \$30 each, 41,900.

The number of Hogs driven to market by the Kenhawa route, is estimated at 55,000. The whole amount of this species of Stock, including the shipments of pork to New Orleans, in barrels, it is supposed, does not fall short of one million of dollars.

The Stage from the West lately arrived at Caughnawaga, N. Y. and the passengers were very patiently waiting for the driver to open the door. As there were no indications of such a step, the passengers helped themselves out, and were astonished to find they had no driver, but that the horses had brought up regularly at the stage house.

A Canal Sausage.—A few weeks since, Mr. Abraham P. Miller, the head butcher of Walnut township, made a sausage for Abraham Miller, Esq. living on the Canal Line in Walnut township, which measured 19 yards in length, out of one entire gut, without a single twist or hole in it, except at the ends, and weighed 35 pounds! Beat this ye Fairfield butchers!

James R. Gardner, recently expelled from the Legislature of Ohio, for promising, when a candidate, to pay half his compensation as a member, into the county treasury, was immediately re-elected and returned by his constituents.

The English Government has offered a loan of 70,000 to assist in opening a canal in Canada, from the Ottawa River to Kingston.

MISSION TO PANAMA. The following is the resolution passed by the House of Representatives, calling on the President of the U. S. for information relative to the mission to Panama: "Resolved, That the President be requested to cause to be laid before this House, so much of the correspondence between the Government of the United States, and the new States of America, or their Ministers, respecting the proposed Congress, or meeting of Diplomatic Agents at Panama, and such information respecting the general character of the expected Congress, as may be in his possession, and as may, in his opinion, be communicated without prejudice to the public interest; and also to inform the House, so far as in his opinion the public interest may allow, in regard to what objects the Agents of the United States are expected to take part in the deliberations of that Congress."

Last Tuesday an unruly horse broke loose in Essex street, and in full career ran against a watchmaker's bow window, at which many watches were hanging, and smashed it. This was literally running against Time.

There is a man in England, who it is said has worn the same pair of leather breeches every day for sixty-five years! If every body wore leather breeches, what would the tailors, and manufacturers do?

The state of Ohio was admitted into the Union in 1803, at which time its population was less than 50,000 souls; it now (22 years since) contains a million of inhabitants!

Salisbury:

FEBRUARY 21, 1826.

THEATRICAL.

We are requested to state, that the young Gentlemen of Salisbury have in preparation, and will perform, on Friday night of this week, the Comedy of "The Heir at Law," and the afterpiece of "The Revue, or Ways of Windsor."

It is stated in the Ottawa (Charlotte) Journal, that the carriage of Col. Thos. G. Polk, of that place, with his two young daughters in it, in attempting to ford a creek about a mile from town, was swept down the stream, and lodged against a tree; the cries of the young ladies brought people to their assistance, and they were saved.

ROWAN AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

At a meeting of the Society, held in this place on the 21st ult. but few of the members attended, owing, no doubt, to the inclemency of the weather.

Dr. John Scott, Allmand Hall, Jr. Martin, Thos. Chambers, and Jno. Giles, were appointed a committee of correspondence; Dr. Robt. Moore, Samuel Jones, Dr. S. L. Ferrand, H. C. Kern, and Thos. L. Cowan, a committee to prepare a list of premiums for the next annual exhibition.

John Beard, Jr. Esq. was appointed to deliver a public address at the next annual meeting of the Society.

A letter from George Andrew, Esq. to the Society, gave the information, that the Board of Agriculture, at its late session, ordered seven bushels of White Flint Wheat, and a certain quantity of Grass Seed, for each County Society, to be purchased in the markets at the north, and shipped to different parts of the state.

GENTLEMEN LEGISLATORS.

A committee has been appointed in the legislature of Maine, to contract with some suitable persons to draft bills and resolves, and copy papers for members! Verily, this is a refinement upon luxury and indolence, hitherto unknown in our Republican country.

DEATH OF THE EMPEROR OF RUSSIA.

It will be seen, by reference to the foreign news in this day's paper, that Alexander, Emperor of all the Russias, is dead. This potentate undoubtedly possessed, next after the great Napoleon, more mind and more genius than any crowned head in Europe for ages past; and he wielded a power competent to carry into execution any gigantic schemes of conquest and aggrandizement, which his ambition might suggest.

We again ask an indulgence from correspondents; their favors shall be attended to, as soon as our limits will warrant. Many of their communications we never publish; and we will take this occasion to remark, that it is not a natural inference, where we decline publishing a communication, that we are therefore displeased with it—far from it.

CONVENTION IN VIRGINIA.

We stated, in our last, (and accompanied the statement with some casual observations) that the bill which had been brought forward in the Virginia House of Delegates, authorizing the people of that state to vote, at their next election, on the propriety of calling a Convention to amend their Constitution, had been rejected by a majority of seven votes: we perceive, by the

last Richmond Whig, that motion has been made by a member who votes with the majority, for a re-consideration of the motion. It is stated by the Whig, that a motion is at work among those who have hitherto opposed the call of a Convention; and that public opinion is developing itself so unexpectantly in favor of the measure, that, on a re-consideration, a majority of the legislature will probably refer the question to the decision of the people.

We see it stated in the Charleston Courier, that Mr. William Nesbitt Mitchell died at St. Johns, (Berkeley), on the 19th ult.—and on the Sunday following, his body was buried in an iron coffin, purchased for the occasion, in the year 1803!

Shameful.—A young man died in New-York on Tuesday, the 10th ult.; was buried on Wednesday, the 31st; and on the Saturday night following, the grave was opened, and the coffin rifled of its contents; the perpetrator of the sacrilege had not, at last accounts, been detected.

AN INSANE WOMAN.

A friend in the north part of Burke county, requests us to make mention, that an insane woman is wandering about in that section of country, who says her name is Priscilla Whirely, (or Whirly, or something similar to it) and that her connections live at Thomason's creek, Fairfield district, S. C. She is about 23 or 30 years of age. She is almost destitute of clothing; and as she will not stay contented at any one place, she is often in danger of perishing with cold.

The Markets.

FAYETTEVILLE PRICES, Feb. 8. Cotton, 11 a 11 1/2; flour, fac. scarce, 54, superfine 6; wheat, \$1 a 1 1/2; whiskey, 40 to 42; peach brandy, 30 a 50; apple do. 60; corn, 80 to 90; bacon, 7; salt, Turke Island, 70 a 80 per bush.; muscovado, 32 1/2; sugar, muscovado, 11 a 12; coffee, prime green, 20 1/2; 2d and 3d quality, 17 a 18; tea, hyson, \$1 20 a 1 20; flaxseed, 90; tallow, 10; beef, 30 a 32; rice 3 50 to 4 per 100 lbs.; iron, 34 a 6, per 100 lb.; tobacco, leaf, 5 a 6; manufactured, 3 a 20 pr. cwt.

CHARLESTON PRICES, Feb. 6.

Cotton, S. Island, 40 a 50; stained do. 32 a 35; Maine and Santee, 32 a 35 cts.; short staple, 1 1/2 a 1 3/4 cts.; Whiskey, 30 a 32 cts.; Bacon, 6 a 7; Hams, 10 a 11; Lard, 9 a 10; Bagging, Dundee and Inverness, (42 lbs.) 22 a 24; Coffee, Prime Green, 18 a 18 1/2 to good, 14 to 17 cts.

CAMDEN PRICES, FEB. 4.

Cotton, 11 a 11 5/8; corn, \$1 to 1 1/2; bacon, 10 to 11; whiskey, 43 to 45; brandy, peach 50 to 55, apple 45 to 50; tallow 10 1/2 to 11; flour, 5 25 to 7; tobacco, (manufactured) 12 to 15.

CHERAW, FEB. 7.

Cotton is selling freely at 11 50 a 12; extra prime has sold during the last week at 12 1/4; Corn is uncommonly scarce, and will command one dollar per bushel; Meal is in equal demand, Flour is 6 50 a 7; Fodder 100 to 130; Pork 6 dollars; Beef 5 a 6, scarce; Groceries, as usual, are plenty.

Liverpool, Dec. 21.—In consequence of the numerous failures in London, and the general pecuniary distress, we wish you to cancel all our orders, not executed on receipt of this. When we can see our way somewhat better you will hear from us again. We do not think Uplands safe costing more than 7 1/2 d. per Liverpool good.

Celebration of Washington's Birth Day. Arrangements have been made to celebrate, in Salisbury, the 22d of February; and for that purpose, the Salisbury Light Infantry Banns will parade at 5 o'clock on this day; an Oration will be delivered at the Court-House at 8 o'clock, by E. W. Maxwell, Esq.; and a Military Ball will be given in the evening, the subscription for which may be found at Col. Taylor's Office; free to such gentlemen as may wish to subscribe. The Ladies are respectfully invited to attend at the Court-House, during the delivery of the Oration.

DIED.

In Rowan county, on the 11th inst. Mr. William H. Bradshaw, son of Robert Bradshaw, Esq. in the 27th year of his age. At the residence of his father, in Hopewell congregation, Mecklenburg county, N. C. on the 5th inst. after a protracted illness, Mr. Robert Kearns, aged 26 years. Mr. Kearns was a young man of irreproachable character, and was highly esteemed by all who knew him.

By Saturday's Mail.

The subject of the mission to Panama, was not undiscussed in the U. States Senate, at our last dates from Washington, 11th inst.

In New-York, on the 6th inst. Upland Cotton met with a ready sale at 13 to 14 cents.

The Petersburg Republican of the 10th inst. quotes cotton at from 9 to 13 cents.

LATEST FROM EUROPE.

By the arrival at New-York of the ship Leeds, English dates to the 27th Dec. have been received.

The Emperor Alexander died after an illness of only ten days. His disease was a bilious typhoid fever. The Archduke Constantine had been proclaimed Autocrat of all the Russias. In Paris, all parties agree in recognizing in this event the dissolution of the Holy Alliance, and the commencement of a new era, not only for Russia, but for all Europe. Will Constantine adopt the policy of his brother, towards the Porte?—Or will he not rather follow the impulse of the Russian people, who are passionately interested in the cause of the Greeks? Will he not endeavor to make the people believe that the sudden death of Alexander is also an effect of the Divine vengeance, and an order to march on Constantinople? Will he not wish to fulfill the destiny of his name? If these are his sentiments, the elevation of Constantine will be the signal of a political revolution in Europe, the consequences of which are incalculable.

The King of England has appointed the Right Hon. John Lord Ponsbury, to be Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the United Provinces of the Rio de la Plata; and Alexander Cockburn, Esq. to be Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the Republic of Colombia.

Captain Spicer, arrived at New-York from St. Domingo, informs that an order of the Government went into operation on the 1st of last month, prohibiting foreign vessels from trading and taking in their cargoes on the coast, as formerly.

Captain Meyer, of the Graf Zisendorf, arrived at Charleston, on the 2d inst. states that it has not rained in Ceara (North Coast of Brazil) for the last three years; in consequence of which, the inhabitants were reduced to the necessity of depending entirely upon their live stock for subsistence.

It is stated from Rome, that, at the instigation of a foreign government, the papers of Jerome Bonaparte had been seized in his chateau on the shores of the Adriatic. Mr. Murat had asked permission to reside at Rome, but was refused.

The London Morning Post, says that information has been received, which leaves no doubt of the fact that the Emperor Alexander was strangled.

It is stated in the French papers, that Sir Gregor MacGregor, Captain of Payan, while buying himself in raising recruits for his kingdom in South America, was taken up by the police of Paris, and committed to prison.

The Brazilian frigate Piranga, Capt. SERRANO, sailed from Portsmouth, England, on the 14th of December, for Rio Janeiro.

It was reported that Lord Cochrane had proceeded for Greece.

The last commercial advices from England, to the 27th December, represent the cotton market as rather depressed. Uplands sold at from 6 1/2 to 9 1/2 pence sterling.

From Mexico.—The editors of the New York Mercantile Advertiser, have been favored with the loan of a file of Mexican papers to the 15th ult. brought by the schr. Lion. This vessel left Vera Cruz on the 17th, when it was said that a rendezvous was established at Campeachy, and several vessels had been chartered to carry troops to that place, destined for the expedition against Cuba.

Our countryman, General Wilkinson, died the latter part of December. His funeral took place in the city of Mexico on the 1st of January.

Rowan Agricultural Society.

BY the constitution of the society, its semi-annual or spring meeting, takes place on the last Thursday of March, which is the 30th day of that month. The meeting will be held in the Court-House, precisely at the hour of 11 o'clock. It is earnestly hoped, that all the members who have the success of the society at heart, will punctually attend. The Farmers of Rowan, are generally invited to come forward on the occasion, and join an institution, which has in view the improvement of the farming interest.

Education.

THE subscribers having engaged Mr. M. O'Reilly to take charge of a SCHOOL, beg leave to inform those who may be disposed to educate their children, that the school will be opened on the 1st of March. Boarding can be had on reasonable terms, and a few scholars taken in. Mr. O'Reilly is highly recommended for moral character, and as being well qualified to teach the English, Latin, and Greek Languages; and we feel confident will give satisfaction to such as may entrust their children to his charge. The situation is healthy, being within one mile and a half of Beatties Ford, and within three miles of the Catawba Springs, in Lincoln county.

NEW STORE.

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends, and the public in general, that he is now receiving, from New York and Philadelphia, a choice and handsome assortment of Dry Goods, Hardware, &c. which he intends selling at a small profit, FOR CASH ONLY. Persons wishing to purchase, will please call, examine, and judge for themselves.

Vendue.

THERE will be sold, on Monday, the 26th of March next, and if not all sold on that day, will continue from day to day until all is sold, at the house of John Barber, Esq. 54 miles east of Salisbury; Horsec, Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, 2 Mills, Wagon and Cart, 5 or 600 bushels of Corn, nine bales of Cotton, and sundry other articles, too numerous to mention. At the same time, will be hired, 3 negroes, to 1st of January next. All to be at a credit of 12 months, the purchaser or hirer giving bond with approved security, before the property is delivered. Where due attendance will be given, by the Administrator.

Hillsboro' Female Seminary.

THE second session of this Institution commenced on the 12th inst. and the superintendent takes pleasure in informing Parents and Guardians at a distance, that he is at present assisted by a Gentleman and Lady of the most unobscured qualifications. He can, therefore, with confidence, recommend the school to the attention of the public, and engage that no exertion shall be spared to give to it a permanent and useful character.

WM. M. GREEN, Superintendent, January 25th, 1826.

Dissolution.

THE copartnership heretofore existing under the firm of West & Brown, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Nathan Brown having taken the stand lately occupied under the firm of West & Brown, returns his sincere thanks to the public in general, for their liberal encouragement; and begs leave to inform them that he still continues to make and repair, on the shortest notice, and in the most workmanlike manner, all kinds of Carriages, Gigs, Sulkeys, &c. and hopes, by strict attention to business, still to merit a share of public patronage.

Notice.

I Forewarn any person trading for a note of hand, executed by the subscriber, to John Hughes, for the sum of ninety five dollars, dated some time in last December, the date not recd. let; as the note was obtained fraudulently, I am determined not to pay it. ac.

JOHN McCAIN, January 28, 1826.

Great Bargains.

THE subscriber offers for sale his House and Lots in Statesville, either with or without his Bedding and other Household Furniture, and with or without all his House servants. Several tracts of Land, the whole amounting to between 1500 and 2000 acres, adjoining the town land of Statesville, or any part thereof, to suit purchasers.

The lands in Centre, known by the name of the White House tract, and those adjoining; in the whole about 1200 acres. Also, my interest in several other tracts, all joining the former. A great number of other tracts of land, lying in different parts of the county of Iredell. All the remainder of my negroes, 27 in number. Cash will be required for the whole price of the Negroes; all the other property will be disposed of at one, two, and three years credit. It is deemed useless to describe the property more particularly, as the purchasers will wish to view it before they buy.

Fifty Dollars Reward.

RANAWAY from the subscriber, on the night of the 27th day of November last, his negro man, known by the name of BILLY, aged about 45 years, and near about six feet high; no particular marks recollected; has rather a yellow complexion; sound teeth, the foreteeth rather inclined to be black, occasioned by chewing tobacco; has a very brazen saucy countenance; when spoken to, speaks in a very impolite, abrupt manner; very slim legs, and long hollow feet for the color. He carried off four full suits, two hats, two pair of shoes, one superfine black broad-cloth coat; one great coat of the very best quality, lined with red flannel; between 40 and 50 dollars, about \$30 specie. I expect that he has aimed for Tennessee state, Carroll county. It is highly probable he has obtained a free pass, from some person or persons, and intends passing as a free man. I will give the above reward if he is taken out of this state and confined in some jail, so that I get him again.

N. C. NEHEMIAH HEARN, Montgomery county, N. C. Jan'y. 18, 1826.

State of North-Carolina, Montgomery county.

COURT of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, Jan. term, 1826. John B. & F. Martin vs. Moses Gibson and Dixon Gibson; attachment levied on land. Ordered by the court, that publication be made in the Western Carolinian for six weeks, that unless the defendants appear at the next county court, to be held for the county of Montgomery, at the court house in Lawrenceville, on the first Monday in April next, reply or plead, judgment will be entered for the amount of the plaintiff's demand, and a decree of condemnation made.

6102 Test: J. B. MARTIN, CLK.

State of North-Carolina, Iredell county.

COURT of Equity; Joseph Byars and James Kerr, vs. Alfred D. Kerr and William Kerr; original bill, for the conveyance of land. It appearing to the satisfaction of the court, that William Kerr, one of the defendants in this cause, lives beyond the limits of this state, it is therefore ordered, by the court, that publication be made for six weeks successively in the Western Carolinian, that unless he the said William Kerr appear at our next court to be held for the county of Iredell, at the court-house in Statesville, on the fifth Monday after the fourth Monday in March next, then and there to plead, answer, or demur, otherwise judgment will be taken, pro confesso, as to him, and the case heard ex parte.

6102 JOHN N. HART, c. n. c. s.

State of North-Carolina, Stokes county.

COURT of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, Dec. term, 1825. John Webb, vs. Edmond Beazly; original attachment, returned levied on two thousand four hundred and seventy-eight acres of land, in different tracts. In this case, it is ordered, by the court, that publication be made for six weeks in the Western Carolinian, that unless the defendant appear at the next court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, to be held for the county of Stokes, at the court-house in Germantown, on the 2nd Monday of March next, reply the property levied on, and plead, the plaintiff will be heard ex parte, and leave judgment rendered in his favor, pro confesso.

6102 Test: MATT. R. MOORE, c. c.