

POLITICAL.

Mr. Adams. As a constant subscriber to your paper, and a faithful political friend of yours, I ask of you to publish Mr. Carron's speech...

REMARKS OF MR. CARSON, OF N. C. In the Committee of the Whole, upon the bill making appropriations for furnishing the President's House, and to carry on the Public Buildings.

The question being upon striking out that part which appropriates twenty-five thousand dollars to furnishing the President's house.

Mr. Carson said, I am sorry, Mr. Chairman, to trouble the Committee with a solitary remark upon this subject, but a sense of duty impels me to do so.

It will be recollected, Mr. Chairman, that at the last session of Congress, fourteen thousand dollars were appropriated for this particular purpose.

The Colossal Lion to be erected on the field of Waterloo is finished; it is 12 feet high and 17 feet long.

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FOREIGN EXTRACTS.

Captain West, of the packet ship Montezuma, arrived at this port from Liverpool, and brought Liverpool papers down to the 31st ult. inclusive, and a London paper of the 7th.

The riots in the manufacturing districts still continue. At an affray at Bradford several persons were wounded, and some severely, by the Yorkshire Hussars.

Symptoms of the revival of trade have manifested themselves in Huddersfield. In the woollen factory of Paddy & Co. the workmen are employed from daylight in the morning till 10 o'clock at night.

A number of the clothing villages in the neighborhood of Leeds, have become unusually active.

Subscriptions to the amount of eighteen thousand pounds were raised in one day in London, for the benefit of the distressed operative and manufacturers.

The London Morning Chronicle, of May 2, affirms that all the Silk weavers in Spitalfields were in full employment, and expresses the belief that there would soon be a demand for all sorts of manufactured goods.

At Edinburg, Dr. Hamilton, Jr. has obtained a verdict of \$3000 against Dr. Hope, for calling him a liar.

Mr. Hume, on 4th May, spoke four hours on the state of the nation, and moved forty-seven resolutions.

A London paper says, nothing more fully proves that Fortune is blind, than her giving 130,000 in Prizes to two Members of Parliament who voted against Lotteries.

The question of Parliamentary reform has been debated with much warmth in the House of Commons.

According to Parliamentary returns, England and Wales contain 1,687 brewers, and 46,113 victuallers; of the latter 28,598 brew their own beer.

A great number of counterfeit sovereigns, made chiefly from "Egyptian ore," were in circulation in London, and so well executed as scarcely to be detected but by the application of aquafortis.

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LATEST FROM COLOMBIA.

By the brig James Coulter, Ferguson, arrived at this port in 19 days from Leguire, papers and letter to the 30th of May, inclusive, have been received. Tranquility had been completely restored in Venezuela; and the municipalities of Valencia and Caracas had invested General Paez with the supreme authority of civil and military chief of Venezuela, until the arrival of President Bolivar.

The British cruisers on the coast of Africa have captured during the past year, eighteen vessels engaged in the slave trade, with upwards of three thousand slaves.

GENERAL SUMMARY.

From the Norwich Register we learn, that one hundred and seven boats passed the lock on the Schuykill Navigation, opposite to that borough, during the last week.

The establishment formerly known by the name of Judd's Hotel, has been refitted and adorned, and is now opened under the management of Mr. Saint.

The New Penitentiary near Bush Hill is rapidly progressing. One range of cells is already finished, and another is near completion.

The tolls collected by the Schuykill Navigation company, have amounted to as much as 7000 dollars in one month, during the present season.

On the 4th inst. three thousand cords of wood were destroyed at Mount Etna iron works in Huntingdon, (Pena.) by the accidental breaking out of fire from a coal pit.

A Mr. Young, of Norwich, Connecticut, has commenced the publication of a paper in this city, called "The Canal of Intelligence." There is no disputing about tastes.

By the Hamilton (Ohio) Gazette, we perceive that the truly eccentric genius, Lorenzo Dow, is now edifying our western friends with his sermons—he preached in Hamilton to an audience consisting of nearly two thousand persons.

On the 13th inst. the steam-boat Gen. Brown, Scott arrived at St. Louis, from New Orleans, a distance of 1500 miles in seven days and seven hours, running time. This, it is stated, is perhaps the fastest running ever made on the Mississippi.

A boy only eleven years old committed suicide in Charlestown (Mass.) a few days since, by hanging himself to a beam in a barn.

The Governor of the State of Rhode Island has recently been elected a fire warden in the town of Providence!!

Capt. Symmes is lecturing in Salem, Mass. on his new theory. The eastern papers say that his auditories are numerous and attentive, and that he is making many converts to his opinions.

The Steam boat Caledonia sailed from Natchez for Louisville, May 2, with 500 passengers!

Our African Colony at Liberia is said to be flourishing. They have taken some slave ships and gained some victories, so that their state if prosperity is not the most peaceable.

Mrs. Wilkinson, widow of General Wilkinson, is about opening a "Female Academy" in New Orleans.

Colonel Dunmet has informed the Editor of the East Florida Herald, that he has planted about 80 acres in Sugar Cane, and is very confident of success. He is said to be an experienced planter, whose judgment is much relied on.

Mr. Armisted Churchwill, was killed by lightning near Mr. Ashby's mill on the Shenandoah river, (Va.) on last Saturday week, while in the act of taking a horse out of the stable, which he was going to ride. The deceased was a farmer, in the prime of life and usefulness.

The skeletons of two Indians have been dug up at Bridgeport, Connecticut. The horns of a deer were buried with one of them, denoting a famous hunter; with the other were found the skulls of several wolves.

It is worth a remark, that while the Spaniards in Cuba are making preparation to repel an invasion from Colombia, the Colombians were making similar preparation against an invasion from Cuba.

By a Medical gentleman lately returned from the Island of Cuba, and whose veracity we cannot doubt, we learn that the fog at that place is so dense, that one can drive a nail into it, and hang his hat up. [This sounds a little absurd.]

In Ohio, lately, a man swore his life against another, and then became his bail.

In New-Bedford, Mass. during a shower, the barn of Mr. Caleb Case was struck by lightning, and consumed, together with a yoke of oxen, a horse and cow.

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Mr. DeLong, late of New Orleans, has issued proposals for publishing a newspaper, in the city of Vera Cruz, in the Spanish, French and English languages.

Much is said about the intense heat of Louisiana, and Louisiana year, which returns once in seventeen years. The summer after the Lexington battle in 1774, was a Locust year; 1792 another; again in 1809; and now 1836. The next of course will be in 1845.

A steambost has travelled the distance between New York and Albany, after having made 13 different landings, in 17 hours. [The distance is 130 miles.]

Some quarries of fine marble have, it is said, been recently found in the vicinity of Nashville, Tennessee, which may be employed with advantage for building, and other purposes.

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"A Crisis."—Under this head, Mr. Niles, in his Register of the 30th, notices the departure from Baltimore, of a schooner wholly laden with Domestic Cottons, for Mexico.

A man by the name of McCartney, confined in the house of correction, in Boston, for intemperance, committed suicide on the 9th inst. by cramming his sticking down his throat!

Beauchamp, convicted of the murder of S. P. Sharpe, Esq. of Kentucky, and sentenced to be hung for the same, on the 7th July, has made a full confession of the crime, even designating the spot where he had buried the bloody knife.

It is stated in the Constitutionnel, that since the first of January, 2000 officers of the French army, disgusted at the conduct of ministers, had solicited leave to retire.

Lately in England, some thieves, who had broken into a store, in attempting to make a breach in an iron chest with an iron bar struck fire and exploded 3 or 4 pounds of powder which was in the chest; the rogues were wounded, and one is said to have been caught.

Integrity.—The Mogul Sultan Achar bore this inscription upon one of his seals: "I never knew a man lost upon a straight road."

It is stated that a Branch of the United States Bank is to be established at Mobile. During the last year, in the United States, twelve hundred young gentlemen were prepared for the profession of Medicine, six hundred for Law, and five hundred for the Ministry.

A Grand Mistake.—A survey of the route of the Grand Caledonian Canal led to the belief that the work could be constructed at an expense of 200,000, and an appropriation to that amount was first granted by the Government. The trifling sum of 1986,000, says Professor Carter, was afterwards added.

The Legislature of New Hampshire assembled on Wednesday 7th June.—Matthew Harvey was elected President of the Senate, Samuel Dinsmore, of Keene, Clerk, and Mr. French, Assistant Clerk. In the House, Henry Hubbard, Esq. was chosen Speaker.

The St. Clairsville (Ohio) Gazette states, from a source entitled to credit, that David Jennings has resigned his seat in Congress, and that his resignation has been forwarded to the Governor.

Connecticut School Fund.—The Report of the School fund to the legislature now in session, states that the funds consist in Bonds, Stock, Lands and Cash. The principal of these is \$1,719,434. The interest due is \$116,288. The number of persons between 4 and 16 years old, in Connecticut, is about 85,000. There are 208 school societies, and 85 cents is the dividend for the schooling of each person. More than 6000 dollars of interest remain on hand.

The writer of the following editorial ought to receive the highest prize for the best dunning address; and we hope the typographical fraternity will contribute a small sum from their surplus funds (???) for that purpose.

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RANDOLPHIANA.

One day while Mr. Randolph was abusing every body in a six hours Senatorial rhapsody, while he was speaking with great freedom of abuse of Mr. Webster, a Senator informed him in an undertone that Mrs. Webster was then in the gallery. He had not the delicacy to desert, however, until he had fully said what he intended of him. He next set upon Mr. Speaker Taylor, and after abusing him soundly, turned sarcastically to the gentleman who informed him of Mrs. W.'s presence, and asked, "Is Mrs. Taylor present also?"

By the schooner Lovely Keziah, we have Havana papers to the 13th inst. inclusive.—No news.

The U. S. corvette Hornet, arrived the day before Capt. M.W. sailed, and requested to be reported "all well."

The Columbian privateer Zulma, captured by a Spanish brig of war, on the Florida Coast, is advertised for sale in the Havana papers. Her officers, five in number, and about 40 men, (three fourths colored,) had been sent to the Fortress of Cabanas, for safe keeping. Courier.

Speaking of the resignation of the Hon. Mr. Lloyd, the editors of the National Intelligencer say:

"No man ever entered the Senate, who bore a higher character than Mr. Lloyd, in that body, of which he was at the same time a most useful member and a distinguished ornament."

Captain Bradford, arrived at Plymouth, Mass reports that four thousand troops arrived from Ireland at Liverpool on the 3d of May, on their way to Manchester, to preserve order at that place.

UNPRECEDENTED DESPATCH.

A few days ago, John Brown was discharged from the house of correction, in Boston, where he had been sentenced some time before by the Police Court. On his egress, he pilfered a shirt from a clothes-line, was detected, carried before the court, found guilty, and sentenced again to the house of correction for six months. The whole period, from the time when he was let out till the key was turned upon him the second time, was twenty minutes!

"Diplomatic Arrangements."—The National Journal states that Mr. Adams had it in contemplation, during the last session of Congress, to associate Mr. Gallatin with Mr. King at the Court of Great Britain, because of the ill health of the latter, and the importance of the subjects of negotiation. The ill health of Mr. King was certainly a good reason for the measure; but in a time of profound peace, with no fear of its disturbance, we should suppose that one able Minister might be intrusted with the diplomatic concerns of this government at any foreign court; and we think the people would consider any other practice as a useless waste of the public treasure, and as tending to increase the splendor, without adding to the strength, of the government.

Fayetteville Observer.

VEGETATING INSECTS.

Dr. Philico, of Sangamon, in Illinois, writes under date of the 4th of May—Capt. Abraham Hathaway has ploughed up, in an old turnip field, a number of vegetating insects. He gave me several of them when I was at his house a few days ago. The root of the plant is uniformly situated near the head of the creature, which is a sort of worm, or rather grub; and the stem in some instances divides into three leaves. My neighbour has planted some of these singular productions in his garden, and intends to watch their progress, and make observations.