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BURY.—This section of country has almost been inundated, by the heavy rains, which have been falling for two weeks, with but little intermission. The crops will suffer much from them. Wheat, in particular, will be injured very much. The original cotton crop, will suffer some, but not so much by the wet, as by one of its consequences,—weeds and “crop grubs.” A momentary application, however, of “weed-grease,” will account for some of our farmers, who are knowing in these things, will remove the last evil.

We omitted to mention in our last, that JOSEPH GALLO, Esq., the veteran Editor of the *Register*, had left Raleigh for Washington. Previous to his leaving, a public dinner was given him at the citizens of Raleigh were given him, at which Mr. Swan presided.—The paper will appear under the sole management of Mr. Western H. Gal, Esq.

ROBERT M. SANDERS, Esq. Attorney General of the State has been appointed a commissioner under the convention between France and the United States in the place of Mr. Williams, resigned.

An infringement of the rights of the people can never be justified by the poor argument it is not forbidden by any written law. Murder would be a crime, even though not pronounced so by the canon and civil laws; and oppression ought to be exposed even though it may not be expressly illegal.

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DOCTRINES OF THE REPUBLICAN PARTY.

This party headed by Thomas Jefferson, subscribed to the doctrines contained in the Virginia resolutions of ‘98, we publish them this week for the information of our readers, they were drawn up by James Madison and it will be perceived that they declare “that in a case of a deliberate, palpable and dangerous exercise of other powers, not granted by the said compact, the states, who are parties thereto, have the right, and are in duty bound, to interpose to arrest the progress of the evil, and for maintaining within their respective limits the authorities, rights, and liberties appertaining to them.”

These Resolutions are the doctrines of the Republicans of 1800, as in effect, we commend them particularly to the attention of that party, for here they may find their ancient landmarks, which a great number have lost sight of.

In our next we will publish the act of be Virginia legislature, protecting the members of their assembly from the operation of the Sedition law, since we deny that such an act ever was passed.

The Convention for reducing the number of representatives in the legislature of Georgia has adjourned. Every State in the Union at present has had a convention for amending their constitutions except North Carolina. Shall we be in this, as in every thing else, the last to move? Are we so drowsy and sleepy that we can do nothing? It is time that we were up and doing;—we have been asleep long enough.

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