

we have thousands of tickets, called "skin plasters," or no change at all.

Eight years ago, business, commerce, and trade all went on smoothly and prosperously. Now, business is broken up, trade destroyed, and bankruptcy, distress, and poverty staring people in the face.

Eight years ago, the expenses of Government were thirteen millions of dollars. Now, they are over thirty-two millions of dollars.

THE CAROLINIAN. SALISBURY: Friday Evening: June 23, 1837.

Belgium—once more.—It would seem that Mr. Van Buren has at last found a man willing to go to Belgium, that is, Mr. Virgil Marcy, at present Solicitor of the Treasury. No doubt the President feels considerably relieved at getting clear of this office.

Mr. Calhoun.—We notice that many of the papers are re-publishing the speech of Mr. Calhoun delivered during the session of 1833-34 on the subject of the United States Bank. Who can read that speech and not admire the foresight, the sagacity and wisdom of Mr. Calhoun?

Gen. Jackson.—It is reported that the old Tyrant Jackson was recently thrown from his horse, and badly hurt. We would be sorry to hear of any accident that might shorten his life.

The next President.—We see that some of the papers already begin to stir the question of the next President. We think this is altogether too soon.

Next Governor of Georgia.—We notice that George B. Gilmer, has been nominated by the Convention of the State-rights party, in Georgia, for the office of Governor.

A letter received from a gentleman in Cheraw, (S. C.) dated June 21st, states the market as follows: Cotton none; Corn \$1; Flour \$4 7; Bacon 10 to 12; Molasses 40.

We would call the attention of the honest laboring poor man to a few facts. Three years ago, when the party in power wanted to get at the public money, they came forward and certified that the State banks were more honest, better and safer than the Bank of the United States.

Does not such inconsistency show that the object is to inflame the passions, to awaken prejudice, to mislead the judgment? Who does not know that our prosperity depends upon our maintaining friendly relations with all the world?

At a meeting of the general Committee of Whig Young Men of the city of New York, held on the 2d of June, 1837, the following preamble and resolutions were adopted and ordered to be published.

Whereas, the Administration of Martin Van Buren as President of the United States has already been marked by assumption of power not delegated by the Constitution; by a refusal to comply with the distinctly expressed wishes of the People;

And whereas, until such union and co-operation are secured, we deem all partial expressions of preference premature and inexpedient; and are of opinion that a National Convention, embodying representations of the People of every section of the United States, would be a true and effective method of arriving at a full expression of the voice of the nation, and of securing unanimity and concert of action;

Resolved, be it Resolved, by the General Committee of Whig Young Men, that in their opinion a nomination at this time of a candidate for the office of President would be premature and inexpedient.

Resolved, That such nomination, in the opinion of this committee, should be made by a National Convention, composed of delegates representing the People of every section of the country.

DANIEL ULLMAN, Chairman. JAMES H. PINKNEY, Secretaries. WM. D. GREENE, Secretaries.

Unfortunate Washington!—We learn from a passenger who arrived here on Wednesday evening, that another destructive fire had swept away twelve or fifteen buildings, together with much other property, in our neighboring town, so recently desolated by conflagration.

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The following statement of the value of woollen and cotton goods exported from Great Britain, shows the relative quantity exported to this and other countries. It will be seen that the amount of cotton goods sent to the United States is less than one-tenth—the proportion of woollens is more than one-eighth of the whole.

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Table with 2 columns: Goods, Value. Rows include Cloth, Napped Coatings, Kerseymeres, Baizes, Woollen and worsted stuffs, Flannels, Blankets, Carpeting, Woollen mixed with Cotton, Hosiery, Cotton goods.

Plain Cottons, 283,950,158 yds. 16,339,033 Printed do., 271,755,651 " 29,291,929 Hosiery do., (value), 1,155,210 277,652 Twist and Yarn, 79,478,468 yds. 107,443

Planing Machine.—The New-York Planing Machine, invented by Dr. Hull, of Brooklyn, is one of the most important improvements of modern times. A machine of ten horse power, will do the work of one hundred and fifty men, and do it abundantly better than can be done by the hand plane.

It has two vertical wheels, with planes, or more properly speaking, planing irons, set at a proper angle on the surface of each wheel; one wheel acting as the common jack plane, to reduce the board, and the other giving a smooth and even surface, more perfect than can be produced by the hand plane.

Trial of two children for Arson.—An interesting trial took place at Lowell, on Wednesday, before the Supreme Judicial Court. The prisoners were Michael Monephou and Michael Whalan, two boys, the older only 12, and the younger 10 years old, for arson, in burning the Almshouse in Cambridgeport on the 29th July, 1836.

That it was clear rule of law that malice supplied the want of age in all cases where the party is over seven years old. Nor was it necessary that actual ill will towards any one should be proved, or that they had a design of burning the house, or were ignorant of the extent of the crime and the punishment. It was sufficient if they were conscious that they were doing a wrong and wicked act.

GLANDSTINE IMPORTATION OF PAUPERS.

The disgorging of the workhouses, penitentiaries, and poorhouses of England upon our shores, has become so barefaced an act of contumacy to the American People, that the persons engaged in this dishonorable traffic feel themselves some remorse, and resort therefore to illicit and secret modes of introducing the ragged and dissolute contents of their emigrant ships into the bosom of our population.

The officers and passengers in these vessels say that twenty-two more are coming out, laden with human beings, seven of which have already sailed. N. Y. Star.

Life is short.—The poor pittance of seventy years is not worth being a villain for. What matters it if your neighbor lies in a splendid tomb? Sleep you with innocence! Look behind you through the track of time; a vast desert lies in retrospect; through this desert have your fathers journeyed; wearied with years and sorrow, they sunk from the walk of man.

Episcopal School, Raleigh.—We learn that the Rev. Dr. Empe has been compelled by the state of his health to resign the Rectoryship of this school, and that the Rev. M. A. Curtis, a gentleman every way qualified, has been appointed to succeed him.

Hillsborough Recorder.

Testimony of Respect.—A number of the citizens of Raleigh without distinction of party, invited Joseph Gales, Esq., now on a visit to this City, to a public dinner, on Friday last, as a testimony of their respect for his character, and to vivify the kindly feelings of his old friends.

LETTER NO. II.

From a gentleman now travelling in Texas, to the Editor of the Western Carolinian.

My DEAR H: Here I am at length, almost at the end of the world, in the new Capital of the new Republic of Texas. Not four months have elapsed since this spot was a perfect wild, not a tree had been felled nor a cabin erected.

My DEAR FRIEND: Yesterday, Sunday, I attended divine service at the Capitol. We had two excellent sermons—they would have been deemed such in any city in the Union.—they were listened to by large and attentive audiences.

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to come, as the soil is esteemed less fertile than the regions both east and west of it. It is not more probable that this will be the seat of Government, than it is sufficiently central and therefore was established as the capitol only till the year 1840.

Every thing here is tolerably high. Town lots 50 feet front by 100 deep sell readily for \$2000 to \$10,000. There is a moderate sized tent pitched on the corner of a lot, for which a ground rent of \$50 per month is paid.

On my arrival here I found our old friend General Pinckney Henderson, Secretary of State. I was introduced to the President, Gen. Houston, to the members of the Cabinet, and at various times subsequently to most of the leading men of Texas, who are here attending the session of Congress.

A duel was fought yesterday on the skirts of the town. I was present as a spectator, and stood within 15 paces of the combatants. They were six paces from each other face to face, and fired without wheeling.

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Texas is, in my opinion, rapidly clearing itself of those propensities which heretofore and at present too are not altogether undeserved. An association is formed by the ministers of various denominations now in this section, in the best spirit of Christian harmony, to prevent the intrusion of impostors, whose lives would bring dishonor upon the cause of Religion, and a subscription is in progress for the erection of a Church.

The interests of Education too are not neglected.—These people are already laying the foundations for different seminaries of instruction at this first moment after they have emerged from a revolution and cleared their country of their foes—better safeguards against vice and immorality than any penal enactments however carefully framed, or however rigidly enforced.

Among the most prominent wants of Texas at the present appears to me to be the refining influence of the softer sex. Some perhaps did not stand in much more need of the Sabine women, than Texas does of some of the Major Downing's Lowell girls, who are, I fear, themselves in need these hard times.

Senator, the other of a Representative in Congress. Young, &c.

Fire.—We state with regret that our worthy and enterprising townsman, Mr. B. Flanper, suffered a heavy loss, on Thursday morning, in the entire destruction of his Turpentine Distillery.

Altar of Hymen. In Lexington, Davidson county, on the 25th ult. by W. Womack, Esq., Mr. DANIEL LEONARD to Miss PHIBBE BRINDLEY.

UNITED IN WEDLOCK. In the City of Raleigh, on the 14th inst., by the Rev. Geo. W. Freeman, Rector of Christ Church, Mr. WILLIAM A. LUGAS, Teller in the Bank of the State, to Miss HARRIET WILLIAMS.

DEPARTED THIS LIFE. In this County, on the 31st instant, Mrs. MARY SWANK, consort of Capt. Peter J. Swank, aged 41 years, and 15 days. Mrs. Swank for a number of years was a member of the Presbyterian Church, and continued faithful until the hour of her departure, to reap the reward of the righteous.

BECKWITH'S ANTI-DYSPEPTIC PILLS.

The Cure of almost every variety of internal disorder of the Stomach, Bowels, Liver and Spleen; such as heart-burn, acid eructations, nausea, head-ach, pain and distention of the Stomach and bowels, incipient diarrhea, colic, flatulency, habitual costiveness, loss of appetite, sick head-ach, sea sickness, &c. &c.

Their efficacy is strongly attested by Certificates from the following gentlemen, viz: Bishop Ives, Rev. Dr. McPheters, Rev. G. W. Freeman, Rev. B. T. Blake, Gov. Iredell, Hon. Henry Potter, Hon. G. E. Badger, Hon. Richard Hines, Thos. P. Devereux, Esq. Professor Anderson, Wm. Hill, Esq., Secretary of State, Wm. S. Mhoon, Esq., late Treasurer, Jas. Grant, Esq., late Comptroller, W. R. Gales, Esq., of the Register, Capt. Guron, Guion's Hotel, Dr. K. C. Wood, Dr. G. S. Cooney, Dr. J. Y. Young, Rev. F. L. Haskins, &c.

THOMAS L. JUMP, Gen. Agent. Raleigh, N. C. (2d 1st door west of the Presbyterian Church.

EDITORIAL CONVENTION.

Several of the Proprietors of Newspapers published in North Carolina having proposed the holding of an Editorial Convention in this State, for the purpose of taking into consideration such matters, in relation to their business, as may be deemed expedient; and one of said Proprietors having suggested the first Monday in September next, as a convenient day, the Editors of the Papers at the seat of Government, have come to the conclusion of requesting a meeting in the City of Raleigh, on the first Monday in September next, to which they cordially invite the attendance of all their brethren.

To the Stockholders of the Bank of Cape Fear.

In pursuance of an order of the Board of Directors, and fulfillment of a promise, given at the time of the late suspension of payments in specie, I have the honor to submit to you the following Statement, showing the condition of the Bank on the first day of June, 1837.

Very Respectfully, Your obt. servant J. D. JONES, Pres't.

State of the Bank of Cape Fear, On the Morning of Thursday, the 1st of June, 1837.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Rows include Capital Stock, Increased Capital, Notes in Circulation, Deposits, Dividends unpaid, Due to Banks, Profit & Loss.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Rows include Deposits in Foreign Banks, Specie, Notes of other Banks on hand, Due by Banks in North-Carolina, Real Estate, Debt.

JOHN HILL, Cashier.

EPISCOPAL SCHOOL.

The Summer Session of this Institution will commence on Friday, the 25th inst. under the care of the Rev. M. A. Curtis, Rector; the Rev. Dr. Empe having, on account of the impaired state of his health, resigned his charge.