was fully vindicated ; and although the penalty incurred and paid, is worthy of little regard in a pecuniary point of view, it can hardly be doubted that it would be gratifying to the war-worn veteran, now in retirement and in the winter of his days, to be relieved from the circumstances in days, to be reneved non the circumstances in which that judgment placed him. There are ca-ses in which public functionaries may be called on to weigh the public interest against their own personal hazards, and if the civil law be violated from praiseworthy motives, or an overruling sense of public danger and public necessity, punishment may well be restrained within that limit which asserts and maintains the authority of the law, and the subjection of the military to the civil pow-er. The defence of New Orleans, while it saved a city from the hards of the enemy, placed the of General Jackson among those of the greatest Captains of the age, and illustrated one of the brightest pages of our history. Now that the causes of excitement, existing at the time, have ceased to operate, it is believed that the remission of this fine, and whatever of gratification that remission might cause the eminent man who incurred and paid it, would be in accordance with the general feeling and wishes of the American

People. I have thus, fellow-citizens, acquitted myself of my duty under the Constitution, by laying before you, as succinctly as I have been able, the state of the Union, and by inviting your attention to measures of much importance to the country. The Executive will most zealously unite its ef-forts with those of the Legislative Department in the accomplishment of all that is required to relieve the wants of a common constituency, or elevate the destinics of a beloved country. JOHN TYLER.

WASHINGTON, December, 1842.

STATE LEGISLATURE.

REPORTED FOR THE REGISTER.

IN SENATE-THURSDAY, DEC. 8. Mr. Dohson, from the Committee' on Private Bills, reported a Bill for the better regulation of the Town of Williamston, which passed its second reading, and on motion of Mr. Cooper, read a third time and passed.

A communication, addressed to the Speaker, was read, from the Sherif of Onslow County, certifying the election of Thomas Ennett, as a Senator from that County ; which, on motion of Mr. Reid, was laid on the table.

Mr. Reid moved, that the documents accompanying the Report from the Board of Internal Imprevement, be printed, one copy for the use of each member; which was agreed to.

Mr. Wm. P. Williams moved, that the documents be referred to the Committee on Internal Improvement, which was concurred in. REPORTS ON MILITARY AFFAIRS. Mr. Allison, of O., from this Committee, reported back a Bill, to incorporate the Fayetteville Rife Company, with an amendment, to strike out 'eight' and insert twelve years.

heard amidst the glitter of arms and obeyed by those who held the sword, thereby giving addi-tional lustre to a memorable military achieve-ment. If the laws were offended, their majesty Legislature, its Stockholders were individually responsible for every dollar they issued; and the Bank had never suspended specie payments. He called upon the Senate, in justice to the Bank; to pass the Bill.

> Mr. Dockery moved to lay the Bill upon the table, and print the amendment.

Mr. Edwards submitted to the Chair, whether the amendment proposed by the Senator from Wake, was not one of a distinct and separate character from the subject matter of the Bill.

Mr. Shepard then withdrew his amendment, observing, that at some other time, he should offer it to the Senate. OTHER LETTERS

After some remarks from Messrs. Dobson and Dockery, the Bill, by Ayes 32, Noes 15, passed its third reading, and was ordered to be engrossed.

U. S. SENATOR.

The Speaker announced, that the hour to execute the Joint Order of both Houses, to proceed to an election for Senator of the United States. had arrived, and that Messrs. Boyd and Moye would superintend the election; which resulted as follows: For Brown 21; Saunders 12; Graham 14. Mr. Edwards called up the Bill to provide for the Assessment of Real Estate, which, on motion of Mr. Allison, of L, was amended, by inserting after the word "land," " with the improvements thereon"; and the Bill, thus amended, was passed. Mr. Boyd, from the Joint Committe, reported no election of a United States Senator.

Mr. Stallings proposed, that a message be sent to the House, to vote again for a United States Senator, which was agreed to, and the House concurring, Messrs. Stallings and Morehead were appointed a Committee, and the Senate voted as ollows : For Brown 21; Saunders 14; Graham 12.

HOUSE OF COMMONS.

Mr. Lee presented a bill entitled an act to au-thorize the Public Treasurer to pay to Bryant & Maitland their storage on Public Arms, &c.; which was referred to the Committee of Claims. Mr. Satterfield presented the following Preamale and Resolutions, which were read the first time and passed :

Whereas, in the month of January, 1815, a fine of one thousand dollars was imposed upon and paid by Gen. Jackson, the Hero of New Orleans, on account of an order issued by him as Maj General Commanding the American forces, which resulted in the safety of the City of New Orleans, and aided in the success of the contest which resulted in the memorable victory achieved on the 8th day of January ; therefore,

Resolved, by the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina, That our Senators in Congress

The bill to provide a copy of Swaim's Justice for each and every Magistrate in the State, was taken up on its second reading. Mr. Halsey mov-ed to amend by adding "Blackstone's Commen-Mr. Rayner presented a memorial on the subject; daries," but subsequently withdrew it. Mr. Mont roe moved to amend by inserting; that " when a Justice of the Peace resigns, he shall send in his book with his resignation," which was adopted..... Mr. Wilson, of Perquimons, moved to include "Clerks of the County Courts;" and Mr. Cardwell, to include " Clerks of the Superior Court and Con-stables." Mr. Nash then renewed Mr. Halsey's motion. Mr. McRae then moved its indefinite postponement, which was carried. Ayes 45, Noes 17.

Mr. Baxter, from the Judiciary Committee, to whom was referred the Resolution instructing said Committee to inquire into the expediency of so amending the laws as to provide for the redemption of property sold under execution at a sacrifice ; made a report, stating that it would be inexpedient, and asked to be discharged from its further consideration. Concurred in. Also, on the Resolution instructing said Committee to inquire into the expediency of extending the Stay laws : stating that it would be inexpedi-

ent; and asked to be discharged from its further onsideration. Concurred in. Also, on the bill, to secure a Homestead Freeold to the citizens of North Carolina; recommending its rejection. The bill, was then read the second time and rejected. Also, on the Resolution instructing said Com-

mittee to inquire into the expediency of so amending the laws as to exempt men over 60 years of age from serving on Juries in Civil cases ; stating that it was inexpedient to legislate on the subject. Concurred in.

the County of Cumberland, 34,411; and as John A message was received from the Senate, pro-M. Morehead had received a majority of the whole posing to vote again for Senator, which was anumber of votes he is declared duly elected Govreed to, and the two Houses voted as follows, viz: ernor of the State for two years from the first of For Graham 55; Brown 63; Saunders 45. No January next. election.

Mr. Bragg presented a bill entitled an Act to amend an Act concerning Coroners ; which was read the first time, and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

IN SENATE-FRIDAY, DEC. 9.

Mr. Morehead from the Joint Select Commitand Resolution, which were read, and on motion tee for the election of a United States Senator, of Mr. Morehead, ordered to be printed. Reported no election. REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Edwards, from the Committee on the Judiciary, reported back a Bill, extending the time for perfecting the titles to lands heretofore entered with this amendment, after the word lands, in second section, last line but one, insert, or the rights of junior entries.

Mr. Edwards, from the same Committee, ad versely to a Bill to exempt Mariners, in certain cases, from the payment of public tax. Mr. Edwards, from the same Committee, in

favor of amending the 4th chap. Rev. Stat. concerning Appeals. Mr. Elliott, from the same Committee, to whom

them again.]

Wilkes and Bertie.

the fine for Bastardy.

Constitution.

comparing and counting the votes for Governor. On motion of Mr. Barringer; it was Resolved, That a message be sent to the Sen-ate, informing them of our readiness to receive

ed. IF No returns at all were received from

IN SENATE-SATURDAY, DEC. 10.

RESOLUTIONS.

Members of both Houses of the General Assembly,"

The Speaker then announced the result, as fol-

them into our Hall. to go into a comparison of the Vote for Governor at the last August election. The two Houses then assembled in the Commons Hall; Louis D. Wilson, Speaker of the Senate, in the Chair, and proceeded to compare and count the vote for Governor at the last election. [As the official returns have before been pub-

The Chairman remarked that he deemed it his duty to state, that the Constitution required that the returns should be under seal; and directed to the Speaker of the Senate, and that the returns from Chatham were not sealed. No action was OF KENTUCKY. had, however, and the vote of Chatham was count-

RALEIGH, N. C. lows : For JOHN M. MOREHEAD, of the County of Tuesday, December 13, 1842. Guilford, 37,943 votes ; For Louis D. HENRY. of

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

It would be a superfluous recommendation, to nvite the attention of our readers to the Message of the President, contained in this paper, as its political importance is always calculated to excite the liveliest interest. The space which it occupies, prevents either analysis or comment." Mr. Edwards, from the Committee on the Judiciary, reported adversely to any enlargement of

GOVERNOR'S ELECTION.

The ceremony of counting out the Vote for Gov. Mr. Spruill presented the following Preamble ernor, took place in presence of both Houses of the Legislature, on Friday last. It will be seen that, notwithstanding the instances of like charac-I. Whereas, the 3d Section of the 2nd Article of the ter which occurred at each of the three precedamended Constitution of the State of North Caroliing Gubernatorial Elections by the People, the na, declares that 4 the returns of every election for Vote of two Counties was lost through the negli-Governor, shall be sealed up, and transmitted to the seat of Government, by the returning Officers, direcgence of the Returning Officers. As it happens, ted to the Speaker of the Senate, who shall open and the popular will has never yet been defeated by publish them, in the presence of a majority of the these irregularities; but with such negligence, what security has any party, in a closely contest-II. And Whereas, the returns made by the Sheriff of Chatham County, of the votes taken at the election ed canvass, that all their exertions may not be for Governor, on the 4th day of August 1842, and paralyzed by the carelessness of a single Sheriff. which were handed by the Secretary to the Speaker It is high time the Legis'ature enforced the penalof the Senate, were not sealed up, as prescribed in the said 3d Section of the 2nd Article of the amended ty on defaulting Sheriffs. We may regret the individual loss, but the formali'ies of the law must

III. And Whereas, it may be important for this be observed, where a neglect of them is attended with such serious consequences, NEW COUNTIES. We learn that the Debate of Saturday, in the House of Commons, on the bill for erecting a new County by the name of McDowell, was of a very interesting character. The remarks of Mr. MOORE. of this State, were informal and improper, and ought of Halifax, we have heard spoken of particularly, as marked by great ability and ingennity, and as presenting the subject in a new and forcible light. The Speech was so made up of Statistics, that our Reporter, fearing his ability to do him justice by attempting a sketch of it, has not ventured on the effort. As a desire seems to be generally expressed by Mr. MOORE's friends, that he should write out his Speech, we hope that he will do so. It will give us pleasure to publish that, and the replies to it.

EQUESTRIAN PORTRAIT OF WARNE Sully has just completed an equestrian portrait Washington; of the full size of life. The art Washington, of the full size of life. The artist, in his picture, has represented the Father of his Country in the act of reviewing a body of troops. He has wisely adopted Sueward's likeness, which is the one new universally acknowledged. Wash-ington is mounted on a fine bay horse, with his chapeau in his right hand, with the arm extend. ed. The attitude is at once dignified and com-manding. In the distance on the right of the picture, a detachment of Artillerymen in the old Continental uniform, are employed in firing a salute—on the opposite side part of a bolumn of troops are seen marching to the rear, the front of the column being hidden front view by a rising ground in the middle of the picture. Taken al-together, we think this work is calculated to in-crease Mr. Sully's justly well established fegu-tation as one of the best artists in this country.— We understand that there is some probability that the Legislature of North Carolina may be-come the possessors of this excellent picture. come the possessors of this excellent picture. Philadelphia North American.

We know not how the impression has got abroad, that our Legislature would probably au thorize the purchase of this magnificent picture and fear the report has but little foundation. would be an acceptable, substitute for our lost Statue of the Father of his Country; and a most fit ornament for our splendid Capitol. [REGISTER.

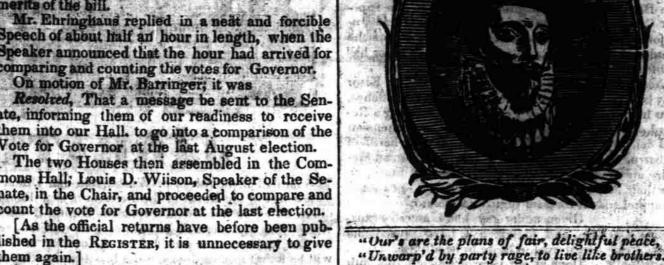
Or General James P: Henderson; of this State killed Napoleon B. Gamer; at S. Augustine, in lexas, three weeks ago, by shooting him with a double barrel gun! Gen. H.; it is said, was justifiable in the course which he pursued; as Mr. Garner had repeatedly threatened his life; and the day on which he was killed stated to several per: tions that he intended to kill him (Gen. H.) before night.

FOR THE REGISTER.

Mr. EDITOR-I see in the REGISTER of this day, slight mistake in the Senate's Proceedings; on the Bill to prevent the felling of timber in the water courses of Davidson County; &c. Mr. Moore, Chairman of the Committee of Propositions and Grievances, to whom was refered the above named bill; reported adversely thereon ; when I expressed my surprise at the action of the Committee on the bill, and asked the aid of the Senator of Warren, who had moved the reference of the bill to the Committee, and not who aided in me in the framing of the bill; as appeared in the Register. In speaking of the water courses of Davidson, I said, strictly speaking, there were no rivers in the County, and most of the stream might more justly be, denominated Branches. I did not say the two principal streams as reported. I am very Respectfully,

J. W. THOMAS.

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For the Presidency of the United States, HENRY CLAY,

Mr. Reid suggested, that the necessary advertisement required by law, had been made.

Mr. William P. Williams moved to lay the Bill upon the table, until satisfactory proof of the requisite advertising, which he believed the law made imperative upon this subject, had been adduced.

Mr. Reid and Mr. Williams mutually explained and the Bill passed its second reading.

Mr. Allison, of O., from the same Committee reported adversely to a Resolution, so to amend the Militie laws of this State as not to conflict with the Civil laws of this State, and asking to be discharged from further consideration of the same: agreed to.

Messrs. Worth, Hester and Joyner were announced as the Committee on amending the Tobacco Inspection law.

RESOLUTIONS ON THEIR SECOND READINGS. Indevor of Richard C. Stubblefield. In favor of John R. Harrison. In favor of George Simp son; all of which passed their several readings. In favor of Charles Frazier, proposing to strike out " forty-five" dollars, (the amount claimed) and insert "thirty-six" dollars.

Mr. Edwards asked for the reading of the Report; which was read. He then said, the Report set forth no facts, by which the Committee on Claims had arrived at its conclusion, and he wished the Chairman of the Committee to throw some light on the matter.

Mr. Reid remarked, that the work in question had been executed by order of the last Legislature ; the Committee had satisfied themselves that the duty had been performed, but individuals, more competent of judging upon the value of the labor than any of its members, had informed the Committee, that the sum of thirty dollars would be a full and ample consideration. The Resolution as amended, then passed its second reading.

The Bill to extend the time of holding the Superior Courts in the County of Cumberland, was read a third time, and ordered to be engrossed.

THE MERCHANTS' BANK OF NEWBERN. The Bill to amend the Act of Incorporation of this Bank, so as to grant it the privilege of issuing Bills of the denomination of three dollars, was then taken up.

Mr. Shepard observed, he would state his objections to the present Bill. In the first place, he would say to his friend, the Senator from Martin, that he most fully concurred in the opinion vesterday expressed by him, that this bill, in its character, was essentially anti-Democratic ; and for one. he wished no longer continuance of Banks, than their respective charters allowed them. As to granting them further privileges, he was utterly opposed to any such measure ; there were defects enough in the Banking system of North Carolina, which he should like to see corrected, before he would vote for a bill of this kind. He would not charge the Senator from Craven, with senting the wishes of his constituents : but this much he knew, that the last election in Wake had principally turned upon the Bank question : and that she was Anti-Bank, her present Representatives would show. Mr. S. proceeded in a "salty" speech, adverse to all Banks, of which, our space forbids further report ; concluding, by moving as an amendment to the bill, to insert a proposition, (which not appearing on the Journal, is necessarily abridged,) to issue One Million of Dollars in Treasury notes! on the faith of the State, bearing interest at the rate of 21 per cent. per annum; for the relief of the people of North Carolina.

be, and they are hereby instructed, and our Re presentatives requested, to introduce and support the passage of a bill to refund to Gen. Andrew Jackson the amount of the fine thus unjustly imposed upon him, with the legal interest thereon. Resolved, That his Excellency, the Governor of the State, be, and he is hereby requested, to transmit a copy of the above Preamble and Resolutions to each of our Senators and Representatives in Congress.

Mr. Walker, from the Committee on the Judi ciary, to whom was referred the memorial and counter-memorial, relative to fishing in Cashie River, made a report, stating that it would be inexpedient to legislate further on the subject, and asking to be discharged from its further consideration. Concurred in.

Mr. Russell presented a memorial from Joel Strong, of Granville County, on the subject of the boundary line between this State and Virginia which was read, and on motion of Mr. Mills, laid on the table.

Mr. Kirk presented a memorial from sundry citizens of Mecklenburg, protesting against the passage of a bill altering the Courts of Pleas and Quarter Sessions of said County; which was laid on the table, to be taken up when said bill is under consideration.

Mr. Nixon, a bill for the better regulation of the town of Wilmington; which passed its first reading. Mr. Francis, from the Committee on that subject, reported a skeleton map of North Carolina; and on his motion, it was ordered, that the report be sent to the Senate, with a proposition to procure ten copies for the use of the two Houses. Mr. Biggs presented a memorial, accompanied

by a bill to authorize John McBoyle to keep floats or rafts of timber in Wilche's Creek. Re ferred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

The bill to lay off and establish Cedarville, in the County of Onslow, and the bill to repeal so much of an act concerning the Courts of Moore and Sampson Counties as relates to the County of Sampson, were read the third time, passed, and ordered to be engrossed.

The Resolution for the relief of Joshua Bullock, was read the third time and passed.

The bill to lay off and establish a new County by the name of McDowell, was taken up on its third reading, and, on motion of Mr. Wilson, was laid on the table and made the order of the day for Saturday next.

Mr. Patterson presented a bill, entitled an Act to incorporate the town of Franklinton, in Franklin county. Passed its first reading.

Mr. Nixon, a bill, entitled an Act to secure Mechanics payment for their labour and materials in erecting any House or other buildings, which was read the first time, and, on motion of Mr. Cardwell, referred to the Committee on the Juliciary.

Mr. Harrington, a bill, entitled an Act to alter the time of holding the Fall Term of the Superior Court of Moore, for 1843. Read first time and passed.

On motion of Mr. Bower, ordered that a message be sent to the Senate, with a proposition to print the documents accompanying the Report of the Board of Internal Improvements.

Mr. Halsey presented the following, which was adopted : Resolved, That the Committee on Education be

instructed to inquire into the expediency of so amending the eighth section of the law relating to Common Cchools, as to give the appointment

been referred a resolution to amend the law so as to compel overseers of Roads to apply all fines collected by them from the hiring of hands, to the keeping such roads in repair, reported a Bill for such purpose.

Mr. Shepard, from the same Committee, a Bill to amend the present law, so as to allow Masters of Slaves the right of appeal for misdemeanors before one Justice of the Peace.

All of which passed their first reading, and were made the order of the day for to-morrow.

The Senator elect from Onslow County, appeared, qualified, and took his seat. Mr. Dobson presented a petition from certain

inhabitants of Surry County, in favor of Richard Cox, which was read and referred to the Committee on Private Bills. Mr. Miller, introduced a Bill, to incorporate the

own of Shelby, in the County of Cleveland. Mr. Cooper, a Bill, to amend the 29th Sec. of

the 31st chap. of Rev. Stat., which on motion of Mr. Edwards, was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

The Bill to incorporate the Fayetteville Riflemen of the County of Cumberland, passed its first reading.

A message from the House, asking the concurrence of the Senate in the following

ENGROSSED BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS. To establish a new County by the name of Catawba. To amend the 65th Sec. Chap. 39 of the Rev. Stat., concerning public landings. To incorporate the New Hanover Rifle Corps in the town of Wilmington. To incorporate the Iredell Blues, of the County of Iredell. To incorporate Union Academy in Lenoir County. For the better regulation of the Town of Statesville. To repeal the

act of 1835, abolishing the office of County Trustee in Moore County ; all of which Bills passed their first reading.

A Resolution for the relief of the County Court of Franklin, on motion of Mr. Wm. P. Williams. was laid on the table.

THE VOTE FOR GOVERNOR.

A message from the House, informing the Senate that the hour had arrived for executing the Joint Order, for the purpose of counting and comparing the votes for Governor, the Senate adourned to the Hall of the House of Commons .-(See Proceedings in the House.)

On the return of the Members of the Senate, to their Chamber.

Mr. Spruill moved, that a Message be sent to the House, for the purpose of raising a Committee consisting of one, on the part of the Senate, and two on the part of the House of Commons, to wait on JOHN M. MOREHEAD, inform him of his

election as Governor, for two years, from the first day of January, 1843, and to ascertain from him, when it will suit his convenience to appear before the two Houses of this General Assembly, and take the oaths of office.

HOUSE OF COMMONS.

Mr. Haskins presented a bill to allow tales Jurors in Onslow County, pay for their services in certain cases. Read first time and passed.

Mr. Mendenhall, from the Comn nittee on Education, to whom was referred the Resolution instructing said Committee to inquire into the expediency of so amending the law relating to Com-mon Schools, as to give the appointment of the School Committees to the Board of Superintend-

ents, reported against the proposition. Concurred in.

General Assembly, to express an opinion on the Constitutionality of said Returns of the Sheriff of Chatham, (the votes given in said County not affecting the result of said election,) in order that the question may be settled.

IV. Therefore Resolved, That the returns of the Governor's Election, made by the Sheriff of Chatham County, were not made in accordance with the 3d Section of the 2nd Article of the amended Constitution not to have been counted.

Mr. Spruill also presented a Resolution directing the Secretary of State to commence suit against the Sheriffs of Chatham, Bertie and Wilkes Counties.

Mr. Reed, a Resolution in favor of Morris, Tasker and Morris; Read and referred to the Committee on Claims.

BILLS INTRODUCED.

By Mr. Hester, to prevent the sale of growing Crops. Read and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. Cathey, to amend the act in relation to Public Schools, which was referred to the Committee on Education and the Literary Fund. Mr. Joyner presented a memorial and Bill, em-powering the Directors and Company of the Bank of Cape Fear to alter the time of holding their annual meetings from January to May. Read and made the order of the day for Monday.

A bill to exempt Mariners from the payment of Public Taxes, was debated at some length and finally rejected. It was advocated by Messrs. Spruill and Hodges, and opposed by Messrs. Ed-wards, Jones and Morchead.

HOUSE OF COMMONS.

The unfinished business of yesterday, being on the motion of Mr. Wilson, of Perquimons, to lay on the table the bill to prevent obstructions to the passage of fish up the Cashie and Roanoke Rivers, Mr. Wilson withdrew his motion ; and the question recurring on its passage, Mr. Biggs offer-ed an amendment. Mr. Halsey proposed an amendment to the amendment, which was lost, and the amendment of Mr. Biggs was adopted .--On motion of Mr. Moore; the bill was laid on the table, and made the order of the day for Wednesday next.

Mr. Barringer, from the Committee on Internal Improvements, to whom was referred the bill to revive and continue in force the bill to incorporate the Weldon Rail Road Company and to amend the same, made a report recommending its passage. The bill then passed its second reading. Mr. Mendenhall, from the Committee on Education, to whom was referred the Memorial pravng certain amendments to the School Law, reported against said amendments, and asked to be discharged from its further consideration. Concurred in.

On motion of Mr. Jones, of Orange, leave of absence until Tuesday next was granted to Mr. James A. Holloway, of Person county.

Mr. Barringer presented a Report from the Adutant General; which, on his motion, was ordered to be sent to the Senate with a proposition to print. Mr. Nash presented a bill to amend an act entitled "an act to incorporate Rocky Mount Manufacturing Company." Passed its first reading, and referred to the Committee on Private Bills. Mr. Bragg, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred a bill to repeal the section of an Act, concerning Constables, made

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UNITED STATES' SENATOR

No vote has been had since our last, for Senator, and all is uncertainty and doubt as to the issue of the struggle. If in the political, as in the physical world, the darkest hour is just before daylight, then we shall have a brilliant sunrise soon, for, at present, the political darkness is visible.

CONGRESS.

The length of the Presiden.'s Message drives out every thing, and leaves no room for Congressional details, though they are uninteresting. Mr. Benton has introduced a bill to repeal the Bankrupt Law:

Mr. Adams is making himself troublesome again about the presentation of Abolition Petitions.

17 The "Washington Republican" der jes tha Mr. RODMAN is the Editor of that paper, as intimated by us. We are heartily glad to hear it, and with pleasure make the amende honorable. It might have promoted his interest in the recent contest for Solicitor, had the fact been known.

INFANT SCHOOL EXAMINATION.

We are so pressed for space, that we can but briefly notice the very delightful Exhibition offer. ed to the public on Friday and Saturday evenings last, by Mrs. C. M. PEAT, in the examination of her interesting Infant School. It may be considered a great weakness perhaps-if so, we are not ashamed to own it-but our feelings have rarely been more powerfully affected than in witnessing the Exercises of those innocent children, varying in age, probably, from three years up to eight. The scene was one of moral sublimity ; and taking into view the principles of human nature, and of education which it exhibited, and the mighty results which the system is capable of producing upon Popular Education, it is, perhaps, difficult to conceive of a subject more exalted in its nature. and better fitted to awaken an ardent and noble sensibility.

The animating and touching Exercises performed by these little immortals, evinced to the dullest comprehension, what almost apparently miraculous improvement, intellectual and moral. children are capable of, even in their most tender ed in. Mr. McRae presented a Bill to repeal the 12th section of the 95th Chapter of the Revised State dection of the 95th Chapter of the Revised State

LOOK OUT.

Or you'll lose your chance! WISE, Optician, will leave Baleigh, with his stock of Optical Instruments, on Saturday, the 17th inst. December 12, 1842.

Moire sysw Goods.

UST received, among many others, the follow ing, viz : Black and Blue Black Silk Velvet.

White Sating, Cherry and other colored Florences,

A new supply of Be utiful French style American Prints,

Ditto, Furniture Ditto.

More low priced Satinetts, Brown and Bleschel Votions, &r. &c

Also, a good assortment of Tailors' triminings. JAMES M. TOWLER.

Dec. 13. ALT in Sacks, again. 110 empty Flour Barrels with both heads complete.

WILL, PECK. Raleigh, Dec. 13, 99-31

ORANGES.-Just received; a lot of Sweet Oranges, For sale by M. HANDLE. Italeigh, Dec. 12. 99-21

PLENDID ANNUALS FOR 1843 .- Just re ceived, an elegant assortment of Annuals, fo 1843-among which are the following :

The Gift, a Christmas and New Year's Present, The Magnolia, The Rose of Sharon, Friendship's Of-fering and Winter's Wreathy The Christian Souve-nit, The Friend's Annual, containing The Task,

and other Poenis, &c." We would respectfully call the attention of the Public, to the above elegant books. Call and examine for yourselves.

TURNER & HUGHES. No. 1, Payetteville Street, Raleigh, N. C." Dec. 13, 1842. (The Star will please copy.

THE FARMER'S LAND MEANURER. Pocket Companion, showing, at one view, the content of any piece of Land, from dimensions taken in yards, with a sett of useful Agricultural Tables.— Every Farmer ought to have one. TURNER & HUGHES.

Raleigh, N C (Star copy)

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Dec. 13,

PHYSICIAN OF THE EVE AND EAST AND OPERATIVE SURGEON AVING located himself permanently in Raleigh, will continue to operate for the relief of Dest ness and other affections of the Ear, Cataract, Ptery-gium, Crossed Eyes, &c. Stammering, Clubsoot, Con-tractions and distortions of limbs, whether congenital of the result of accident, Aneurism, Hernis, Enlarged palate and fousils, Cancer, Tamours sind Surgical d casés in general.

Dr. H. will visit any section of the State, wh services may be required He may be found at his Office, nearly opposite Mrs. STUSET's Boarding House, or at Col. Yandonoven's Hotel. Dec. 10, 1842. 92-34

PIENIALIE SCHOOLS IN HILLSBORO' N. C.

THE Spring Sension of Mr. shill Mrs. BUR. WELL'S School, will constitued on the fifth of January. TERMS-in advance.

[Norg-The sum proposed by the Senator, [Norz—The sum proposed by the Senator, with that previously offered on the same plea, by the Senator from Martin, would have the Demo-oratic tendency, to make a State date, for the nice kille amount of only Oxe Million AND A BALF or BotLARS !] Mr. Pasteur said, the speech of the Senator from Wake, was no answer to the arguments ad-duced yesterday, on the merits of the Bill. All

of the School intendents.

Mr. Burgin, a bill to abolish the County Courts of Buncombe, Henderson, Haywood, Macon and Cherokee, and establish special terms of the Superior Court ; which, on motion of Mr. Candler, was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. On motion of Mr. Bragg, B. F. Moore, of Hali-fax, was added to the Committee on the Judiciary. Mr. Bragg, from the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the Resolutions instruc-ting said Committee, to inquire into the expedien-cy of so amending the law as to make it arson to burn a Cotton Gin or Threshing Machine, repor-ted a bill for that purpose, which was read the first

time and passed. Also, the bill to exempt certain articles of Personal property from execution, without amendment. Mr. Biggs moved to amend by ad-ding the words " for all debts contracted after the first of June next," which was adopted, and the bill, as amended, passed its second reading. The Speaker then announced that the hour had

Section of the 95th Chapter of the Revised Stat. utes, and otherwise amend the same. Passed its its second reading, Mr. Avery moved to lay it on first reading. Mr. Wilson, of Perquimons, from the Commit-tee on Claims, to whom was referred the resolu-ing it on the table until the first Thursday in Au-

ty, made a report, recommending the passage of interest ensued on the merits of the bill; Messrs. said resolution. The resolution passed its second Mendenhall, Cardwell, Nash, Erwin, Candler,

Mr. Bryan, of Wilkes, presented a memorial on the subject of Cherokee Lands, which on his motion, was referred to the Committee on the Cherokee Lands.

A communication was received from Charles L.

the table and make it the order of the day for Tuestion in favor of James Buchanan, of Yancy Coun- gust next; and on this motion a debate of so

reading. Mr. Whitaker presented a bill for the relief of purchasers of Cherokee Lands, which passed its first reading, and was referred to the Joint Select Committee on Cherokee Lands. Mr. Bryan, of Wilkes, presented a memorial on the unbient of the select of th

[The bill provides for giving the appointment of Constables to the County Courts.] The bill to hay off and establish a new County by the name of McDowell, being the order of the by the name of McDowell, being the order of the day, was taken up on its second reading ; and the and merited encouragement.

Avery MONTFORT STORES, of North Carolina He died at Fort-Gibson, on the 4th ultimo, in the 82d year

tion-showing that its prominent features are to French'L gratify that love of ceaseless activity, that ardent Latin or Greek curiosity, and those vigilant and piercing eyes of children, which are ever on the watch, to collect materials from natural and surrounding objects, to expand and delight their opening and sprightly o A few pupils can be according our own family, where, the

minds we say all this was so apparent, that we cannot see how it is, that the School is poorly REFERENCES. --- Hon will in all Terms, \$10 REFERENCES .--- Hon. P. No patronized, as we learn to be the fact. It is a reflection on the City, and on Parents, that it should be so. It argues an indifference to the intellec-tual and moral interests of their Children, which

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