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RALEIGH, N. C. Saturday, February 14, 1852.

STANLEY UPON GIDDINGS. We learn, through a Telegraphic Dispatch, received at this office on Wednesday evening, that the House of Representatives, on that day, was the scene of a terrible exhortation of Giddings, the Abolitionist, at the hands of Mr. STANLEY.

DISTRICT DELEGATES. The Washington Wagon, Raleigh Times, and perhaps other papers, strongly object to the proposed plan of appointing Delegates to the National Convention.

THE SPEECH OF SENATOR SHIELDS IN THE SENATE, in support of the resolution expressive of sympathy for the Irish State prisoners, was, according to the Republic conceived in a spirit of friendliness towards England, and being in this respect directly at variance with the former speech of Gen. Cass, was well calculated to promote the object which the friends of the exiles have in view.

RELEASE OF MR. THRASHER—RETURN OF THE SPANISH CONSUL. Information has been received at the Department of State of the release of Mr. John S. Thresher.

WE have seen no confirmation of either of the statements contained in a Telegraphic Dispatch to this paper of Saturday last, viz: That Col. Doniphan had been appointed Governor of Utah, or that there has been a heavy defection in the Custom House at San Francisco.

WORKS OF CALHOUN—VOL. I. We are indebted to a newspaper article upon this book lately issued, we may be permitted to notice one or two passages which strike us as most remarkable. Upon page 130, occurs the following argument: "It remains to be shown over whom it, (the Constitution of the United States) was ordained and established. That it was not over the several States, is settled by the seventh article beyond controversy. It declares that the ratification by nine States should be sufficient to establish the constitution between the States so ratifying."

INTERESTING CENSUS STATISTICS. We are indebted to the Hon. JAMES T. MORRIS, for the highly interesting Report of the Superintendent of the Seventh Census. The seventh enumeration of the inhabitants of the United States, exhibits results which every citizen of the country may contemplate with gratification and pride. Since the census of 1840, there have been added to the territory of the republic, by annexation, conquest, and purchase, 324,769 square miles; and our title to a region covering 341,461 square miles, which before properly belonged to us, but was claimed and partially occupied by a foreign Power, has been established by negotiation, and it has been brought within our acknowledged boundaries. By such means the area of the United States has been extended, during the past ten years, from 2,055,163 to 3,221,935 square miles, without including the great lakes which lie upon our northern border, or the bays which indent our Atlantic and Pacific shores.

PRESENTATION OF A MEDAL TO MR. CLAY. A very gratifying interview took place, by appointment, on Monday, at Mr. CLAY's lodgings at the National Hotel. The committee charged with this welcome duty were Deputized from Mr. CLAY's New York friends, political and personal, who had prepared this volunteer offering in token of their appreciation of the services rendered by the illustrious statesman to his country and mankind.

LETTER FROM PROF. EMMONS. We copy from the "Standard," the following interesting and important letter from Prof. E. M. Emmons, State Geologist, in relation to the Chatham coal-fields: FAIRFAXVILLE, Feb. 7, 1852. To His Excellency, Gov. Reid: Sir—I have executed the preliminary examination of the Chatham coal field, which your Excellency proposed when I visited Raleigh.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. Mr. Welch offered the following resolution, viz: Resolved, That the Committee of Ways and Means be instructed to report a bill modifying and altering the tariff of 1842, by substituting, wherever practicable, specific for ad valorem duties, with such rates of duty as will yield a sufficient revenue, and with such discriminations in favor of iron and other articles of domestic manufacture and production, as will afford adequate protection to the labor of our own citizens against foreign competition.

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BY MAGNETIC TELEGRAPH. (Reprinted expressly for the Register.) WASHINGTON, Feb. 12, 1852. In the Senate, to-day, Clemens spoke against intervention; when the subject was postponed until next Monday week.

Office of Adjutant General, Raleigh, Feb. 10, 1852. WHEREAS, according to an Act of the Legislature of 1837, ordering an additional Division, to be called the 10th Division, and also a new Brigade, to be called the 20th Brigade of North Carolina Militia, elections have been held for the proper officers for said Division and Brigade; and it appearing from returns made to me, that at an election held in the regiment composing the said 20th Brigade, A. J. Kern was duly elected Brigadier General of that Brigade; I have officially made known the same, to His Excellency DAVID S. REID, Governor of North Carolina, who has issued a commission accordingly, bearing date Feb. 10, 1852. Notice is hereby given, according to the requirements of the 11th section of the 73d chapter of the Revised Statutes, that A. F. Kern is duly commissioned as Brigadier General of the 20th Brigade of North Carolina Militia; and as such, all officers and soldiers are required to yield him their ready obedience. R. W. HAYWOOD, Adjutant General of N. C.

Office of Adjutant General, Raleigh, Feb. 10, 1852. WHEREAS, a vacancy having occurred in the office of Major General of the 2nd Division of North Carolina Militia, to fill which an election has been made according to an Act of the Legislature, in such cases made and provided; and it appearing from returns made to me, that at an election held in the 2nd Division of North Carolina Militia, I have officially made known the same to His Excellency, DAVID S. REID, Governor of North Carolina, who has issued a commission accordingly, bearing date Feb. 10, 1852. Notice is hereby given, according to the requirements of the 11th section of the 73d chapter of the Revised Statutes, that J. W. HAYWOOD is duly commissioned as Major General of the 2nd Division of North Carolina Militia, and as such, all officers and soldiers are required to yield him their ready obedience. R. W. HAYWOOD, Adjutant General of N. C.

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State of North Carolina.—[JANUARY COUNTY.—In Equity, Fall Term, 1851. Richard Pittbladen, Plaintiff, vs. Stephen W. Cotton, Turner Byrum and William Steiman, Defendants. It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that William Steiman, one of the Defendants in the above suit, is a non-resident of this State, it is ordered by the Court that publication be made in the Raleigh Register, for six weeks, notifying said defendant to come forward, at the next term of the County to be held in Pittbladen, in the County of Chatham, on the 3rd Monday in March, 1852, and plead, and answer to the complaint filed, and that he will enter an affidavit in pro confesso, and heard & parts, as to him. Witness, M. Q. Waddell, Clerk and Master in Equity, of said Court, at office, the 3rd Monday in September, 1851. MAURI L. Q. WADDELL, C. M. E. Feb. 13th, 1852. 13

North Carolina Manufactures. BATTLE & SON. ARE still manufacturing, at the Rocky Mount Mill, No. 12, about 300,000 lbs. of Cotton Yarn, No. 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 70, 80, 90, 100, 110, 120, 130, 140, 150, 160, 170, 180, 190, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260, 270, 280, 290, 300, 310, 320, 330, 340, 350, 360, 370, 380, 390, 400, 410, 420, 430, 440, 450, 460, 470, 480, 490, 500, 510, 520, 530, 540, 550, 560, 570, 580, 590, 600, 610, 620, 630, 640, 650, 660, 670, 680, 690, 700, 710, 720, 730, 740, 750, 760, 770, 780, 790, 800, 810, 820, 830, 840, 850, 860, 870, 880, 890, 900, 910, 920, 930, 940, 950, 960, 970, 980, 990, 1000, 1010, 1020, 1030, 1040, 1050, 1060, 1070, 1080, 1090, 1100, 1110, 1120, 1130, 1140, 1150, 1160, 1170, 1180, 1190, 1200, 1210, 1220, 1230, 1240, 1250, 1260, 1270, 1280, 1290, 1300, 1310, 1320, 1330, 1340, 1350, 1360, 1370, 1380, 1390, 1400, 1410, 1420, 1430, 1440, 1450, 1460, 1470, 1480, 1490, 1500, 1510, 1520, 1530, 1540, 1550, 1560, 1570, 1580, 1590, 1600, 1610, 1620, 1630, 1640, 1650, 1660, 1670, 1680, 1690, 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Notice. VOLUME 24, Fessner's Southern Medical Reports. Just received at the N. C. BOOKSTORE. Raleigh, February 12th, 1852. 13

80 BARRELS OF FAMILY FLOUR, Superior article for sale by L. W. PECK & CO. GENERAL AGENCY. THE undersigned offers his services as agent for the transaction of any business in the City of Raleigh, at the Public Departments, the Banks, Insurance Offices, &c. He may be found at the Office of the Secretary of State. All letters addressed to him will be promptly attended to, and his charges will be moderate and satisfactory. RUFUS H. PAGE, REFERENCES. Gov. David S. Reid, Wm. Hill, Secy. of State, D. W. Courts, Pa. Treasurer, E. B. Freeman, Clerk, Supreme Court, Geo. W. Moreland, Pres. of Bank State, W. J. Clarke, Comptroller, W. H. Jones, Cash. Bank Cape Fear, W. W. Vass, Treasurer, R. R. G. Road. Raleigh, Jan. 1st, 1852. 1