had been ordered to wait their coming, and find-ing it still there, yet no appearance of Lalayette, he foreboded evil. For some time he lingered, in of the chance of a large reward, led the upright RALEIGH N.C. the hope of their coming, and then dismissing the judge to listen favorably to any proposal for mitichaise, trusted that his friends, having made their gating the severe punishment of the prisoners. escape by a different route, might still meet, as The show even of delicacy was then laid aside; had been agreed upon, on the frontiers of Prus- an exorbitant demand was made; and, after some sia. Three days from that time a rumor reached him that Lafayette had been retaken, and, enger preliminaries, first with their generous benefactor, to learn the truth, he took the road to Olinutz. and lastly with the prisoners themselves. Matters He was not long left in suspense; the whole story now were soon settled; the term of their imprisof the attempted escape and the recapture of the onment was fixed at fourteen years, then shortenprisoner, was well known; and in addition to this ed to seven, scon after to one, then to a month, he learned the fact of his generous and disinter- and lastly to a week, at the end of which time ested friend, the young and gallant Huger, hav- they were released from prison. The first use they made of restored liberty was, as may be suping shared the same fate.

This last seems to have been too much for the posed, to seek an interview with the Russian nosensitive mind of M. Balman, and, in despair at bleman, and pour out their grateful acknowedghaving been the primary cause of misfortune to ments for his unlooked for and welcome munifithe young American, he resolved, since he could cence: while from the noble-minded and generous Congress, has covertly labored to widen the breach, not rescue his friend from captivity, to share it W-, to whose kindness they owed all the and Messrs. Evans and Reverdy Johnson' who adwith him, and voluntarily surrendering himself, he comforts they had exprienced in prison, and to dressed the Senate on Monday, Tuesday and Wedwas committed a prisoner to the castle. Such was whose friendly and humane exertions they were nesday last, have valiantly essayed to back its game. the unfortunate issue of a plan which, for skilful ultimately indebted for their liberation, they parted Indeed, the machinations and calculations of the projection and generous self-devotion, merited a with those feelings of esteem, admiration, and happier close. But even now, the friends little gratitude, which never afterwards faded from their apprehended what was to follow. Being directed recollection.

IMPORTANT FROM TEXAS.

to prepare for examination, they believed that, having told their story, and declared the real motives of their attempt, they might be subjected tunes; it was not till the year 1797, when, a peace nents. The great leading feature of federalism, to perhaps a short imprisonment, but no more; taking place between Austria and France; that as well as that of democracy, is always made apand great, therefore, was their amazement on find- Lafayette was released from confinement at the parent to a remarkable degree after any temporary ing themselves accused of having entered into a request of the then General Bonaparte. conspiracy against the Austrian government, and that they were consequently to stand a trial for

life or death Huger was the first placed at the bar. As he was unacquainted with the Austrian language, the examination was carried on by means of an interpreter-a young man who, by his looks and voice, seemed to compassionate the situation of the prisoner, and who, when repeating his answers to the court, omitted such expressions as he thought might tend to his disadvantage. Huger quickly caught at the good intentions of his new friend, and resolving to rely on his judgment, he took the kindly hints as they were intended. One examination followed another; and the repeated sion. exhortation of the magistrate to prepare for the worst, for that there was little likelihood of a pardon being obtained, forced upon the unfortunate votes; and Dr. Miller 1 672. Gen. Darnell receiv-Huger the unwelcome conviction, that he had laid ed a majority of 48 votes of the official returns, but down his own life for the visionary project of res- no official returns were received from the counties cuing a stranger from imprisonment. The severity of his treatment also exceeded that even of sos and Lamar. In these counties Col. Horton re-Lafayette; the dungcon in which he had been placed was without light, he was fed upon the coarsest food, during the night was chained to the worn by many an unfortunate predecessor.

Wednesday, March 18, 1846. For Governor : SHEPARD, JAMES B. Of Wake County.

Correspondence of the Standard. WASHINGTON CITY, March 13, 1846.

The whigs in Washington for the past week have been illy able to conceal their joy at the glimmering prospect of benefit to them, from our dissentions. The "Intelligencer," always eager to create jealousies among the democratic party in legitimate effect upon our friends has been brought about, even thus early. The actors in the late scene in the Senate are now both to continue a The principal hero of the tale did not, however, misunderstanding that cannot prove otherwise than meet with so speedy a conclusion to his misfor- disastrous to us and advantageous to our oppofor the latter are soon brought by reflection to sacrifice personal feelings and impressions to the

paramount importance of harmonizing for the sake The fine steamship Galveston arrived at New of the principles entrusted to their keeping, while Orleans on the 2d inst., having left Galveston on the former, for the time being lay aside all pretenthe 28th Feb. She brings the news of the prethe 28th Feb. She brings the news of the pre-liminary organization of the young State of Texas. the strength or soundness of their own political The new Legislature convened on the 16th ult., doctrines, but by sowing misunderstandings among and went to work under the most favorable aus- those who cluster under the banner of, Jefferson nices. Gen. Edward Burleson was unanimusly and Jackson. Every thing about us in Washingchosen President pro tem. of the Senate. Mr. ton now looks favorable to a good understanding Crump of Austin county, was elected Speaker of the House of Representatives. No Chaplain was ed down. Ultraisms which but a week since were the House of Representatives. No Chaptain was elected in either House on the first day of the ses-elected in either House on the first day of the ses-ated. It is indeed fortunate for democracy that its opponent never will trust to its principles, when-"The election returns for Governor and Lieuever a straw floats past at which it may clutch ; tenant Governor were counted on the 17th, and it for the constant habit of the whigs in catching at appeared that Gen. Henderson received 8,910 the least appearance of dissentions among our friends, as a drowning man grasps at straws, never fails to point out the necessity of care lest we give them support on which to float to shore in safety. of Bastrop, San Patricio, Jackson, Jefferson, Bra-Early in the week a notice was sent round callceived a majority of about 600 votes. If the offimeet on Wednesday evening last at 7 o'clock, in cial returns of these counties had been furnished the Senate chamber, to adopt some settled plan of to the Secretary of State, Col. Horton would of action to insure the consummation of their views and plans with reference to the Oregon question. what they are in Paris. Like the measles, in the what they are in Paris. Like the measles, in the It is entirely unnecessary at this time to mention course have been declared elected. Gen. Darnell

We have been without rumors concerning new propositions from Britain for a whole week; and this the first week since Congress met which has not given birth to from one to a dozen each. All, of Congress would be neither more nor less than a she pleases. Since this day week (Friday) the Hall of the

House of Representatives has been the temple of speeches one and all have been for Buncombenothing for the House-for the members without question of appropriations for internal improvement purposes some ten years ago or more. It is

an awful bore to listen as some of us have to, hour after hour, day after day, week after week, nay result in the passage of the bill by which some two Governor at the ensuing election. and a half millions of money will be abstracted Permit us, Sir, to add the hope that you will acnot only unconstitutionally, but with very little test, must be crowned with the happiest results. benefit, if any, to those for whose advantage the appropriations are nominally obtained. The committee of Ways and Means are said to have appropriation bills amounting to thirty-two millions before them. That is, including the sum necessary for the support of the Post Office Department, and exclusive of what is to be expended for the payment of private claims, to pass Congress this win-

The revenue from all sources for the fiscal year cannot reach thirty millions, so that, if these ppropriation bills are all passed, there will be a debt of two or three millions incurred. This view of the condition of things will doubdess have its due weight and influence in the way of nullifying a goodly portion of these many-propositions for

squandering the public money. ber of strangers here ; indeed more than have vis- decided negative ; on two occasions subsequent ited the capital at any previous period of the ses- (as some of the Committee well know) I desired are all the rage; but as I have very little fancy for being since privately and publicly called on and such :hings, I cannot enlighten your fair readers now urgently solicited (by the Committee appointing on the 54 40 men of the Senate and House to well as I ao, I take it for granted that even in the I cannot longer hesitate. I accept therefore, the

floor of the walt, and his own clothes, which had was not in Austin when the votes were counted. This was the fruit of hot blood; and had it been words of the old song, they may be "a long time my views on any subject of State or National incalled for Monday night last, might have resulted a gitten to 'em;" but have them they will, sooner terest, as they may be familiar to every section of the Roman Catcholics above those of others.

Candidate for Govern It will be perceived by the following Correspondence, that JAMES B. SHEPERD, Esq has evening last, at the City Hall, a Lecture by M. not given birth to from one to a dozen each. All, bondenet, and by the Democratic State Com- Mooney on the History and present condition of here, are coming to their senses upon this subject; been nominated by the Democratic State Comhere, are coming to their senses upon this subject; been nominated by the behicete for Governor, Ireland. We were surprised, gratified, and edif. stand that England is too shrewd to hazard the and that he has accepted the nomination. This ed. Surprised, that Irelands' carly history, teem. advantage which she is to reap from a failure to and that he has decined and the bas decined by the Committee, ing as it does with so much to engage the attention by the action nomination has been made by the Committee, ing as it does with so much to engage the attention to the action nomination has been made by the Committee, ing as it does with so much to engage the attention to the action nomination has been made by the Committee, ing as it does with so much to engage the attention to the action nomination has been made by the Committee, ing as it does with so much to engage the attention to the action nomination has been made by the Committee, ing as it does with so much to engage the attention to the action nomination has been made by the Committee, ing as it does with so much to engage the attention to the action nomination has been made by the Committee, ing as it does with so much to engage the attention to the action nomination has been made by the Committee, ing as it does with so much to engage the attention to the action nomination has been made by the Committee, ing as it does with so much to engage the attention to the action nomination has been made by the Committee, ing as it does with so much to engage the attention to the action nomination has been made by the Committee, ing as it does with so much to engage the attention to the action nomination has been made by the Committee, ing as it does with so much to engage the attention to the action nomination has been made by the Committee, ing as it does with so much to engage the attention to the action nomination has been made by the Committee, ing as it does with so much to engage the attention to the action nomination has been made by the committee, ing as it does with so much to engage the attention to the action nomination has been made by the committee, ing as it does with so much to engage the attention to the action nomination has been made by the committee, ing as it does with so much to engage the attenting at the action nominatis at the after due advisement and deliberation; and we tion of the scholar and the antiquary, should have plain intimation to England that she may make have room at this late hour only to express our been so long neglected; gratified, to find among just such a settlement of the Oregon question as have room at this late hour only to express our been so long neglected; gratified, to find among high gratification they the banner of the good old us a Lecturer equal to his subject and to the ex. cause has been committed into such safe and able pectations of his auditory; edified, by his sound House of Representatives has been the temple of stupidity. The harbour bill, together with a little hands. It will be seen, by Mr. Shepard's appoint- learning, his graceful elocution, and his liberal private business, has been on the carpet. The ments, in another column, that he will canvass the and elevated sentiments.

State; and we predict that he will arouse the parnothing for the House-for the members without is and kindle a flame of enthusiasm wherever he early history of Ireland-its settlement-the original exception have made up their minds on the ty and kindle a flame of enthusiasm wherever he early history of Ireland-its settlement-the original entry is a settlement of the goes. The following is the Correspondence: RALEIGH, March 17, 1846.

after hour, day after day, week after week, nay year after year, to a repetition of the identical ar-State Committee of North Carolina, held this day, year after year, to a repetition of the identical ar-Non were nominated by a majority of the Comguments on a threadbare subject. The question you were noninated by a majority of the detection, over Roman power and dominion-

Mr. L. Faires

and a half millions of money will be abstracted Permit us, Sir, to add the hope that you will ac-from the treasury. No one knowing the history of cept this nomination, tendered as it is under the of St. Patrick-its subsequent advances in the from the treasury. No one knowing the history of cept this nothing to the democra-such bills as well as the improvements made under most encouraging circumstances for the democra-such bills as well as the improvements made under most encouraging circumstances for the democra-such bills as well as the improvements made under most encouraging circumstances for the democrasuch bills as well as the improvements made under most encouraging on well-founded belief that per-them, can doubt that two-thirds of the sum annual-tic cause, and in the well-founded belief that per-under the yoke of Britain, and so lost all but its ly appropriated for such pur oses is squandered, severance and vigorous exertion in the present con-

Kimbrough Jones, Josiah O. Watson, W. N. Edwards, Perrin Busbee, Gabriel Holmes, Louis D. Wilson, John W. Ellis, Robert Strange, Calvin Graves, Thomas Bragg, Jr. Robt. P. Dick, William W. Holden. W. W. Avery,

Dem. State Committee. Mr. Shepard's Reply.

RALEIGH, N. C., Tuesday, March 17th, 1846. GENTLEMEN: Your letter informing me of m

ernor of North Carolina, has been received. In Washington City is very gay at the present January last, when in Newbern, I received a letter time, although what the fashionables term "the from a friend requesting me to accept such a nomiseason" has ended. There are a very large num- nation. To that request I returned a prompt and the property of the deceased parent equally to all sion, so the taverns and boarding houses are full to that my name might not be connected in any man- witness that the Americans, in laying the foundaoverflowing. Concerts, balls, and private parties ner with the distinguished office of Governor : but tions of their governments, had discarded the old concerning either the gossip or fashions of the gay ed by the late Convention to act for the party) to principle in dividing estates which the mind of world. I regret this, because, knowing the sex as become the standard bearer of our noble principles, Ireland had furnished.

mountains of Buncombe, the dear creatures are nomination so cordially and politely tendered, and just as anxious to know "what is the fashion?" in shall use every exertion to defeat the policy and pression which exists among many in this coun-

MR. MOONEY'S LECTURE We had the pleasure of hearing, on Thursday

Mr. Mooney traced with some minuteness the ginal organization of its government-its strug. gles against the Danes, the sea-Kings of the DEAR SIR : At a Meeting of the Democratic North-its resistance, and the triumphs it achiev its conversion to Christanity under the preaching unconquerable love of liberty, and the renown obtained for it by its sons in other ages. Ireland, he said, had been a great nation; and, continued the eloquent Lecturer, it is written in Heaven and in history, that Ireland shall again be

" Great, glorious, and free, First flower of the earth, and first gem of the sea." Mr. Mooney stated several facts, which to us were new, and which, perhaps, deserve to be remembered. The honor of having invented the Trial by Jury he claimed for Ireland, from whence the knowledge of it was carried into England by nomination as the democratic candidate for Gov- King Alfred, who was educated in the former country. He also stated that Irish legislators were the authors of the doctrine which divides the children; and he called his hearers to bear English law of primogeniture, and adopted that

Mr. Mooney also corrected the erroncous imtry, that the struggle in Ireland for Repeal is in-He said there was no sectarianism in this effort permit me to congratulate the Democracy upon to get clear of the English yoke; that, on the The Washington Union of the 13th instant, the success of all the leading measures of the ad- contrary, many of the great leaders of Ireland were Protestants; and that the best feeling was great deal of interest. Its appearance has been upon equitable principles, during the present ses- cherished for each other by the different Churches. It was a struggle for national independence We regret that we have no more room to devote to this interesting Lecture. Mr. Mooney is evidently well acquainted with his subject, and he seems to appreciate the importance of the work W. Avery, W. W. Holden, Robert Strange, Louis D. Wilson, Weldon N. Edwards, Thom-he is performing. That work is, to lift up Ireas Bragg, Jr. Gabriel Holmes, Robert P. Dick, land to the gaze of Americans, as she was and as Members of the Democratic Committee of the she is-to put, if possible, all prejudices against her and her noble history to sleep-to interest, by his facts, his pathos, and his stirring appeals, all liberal spirits this side the water, in her past greatness and present deplorable condition. A bright day, say we, to Ireland, but darkness and storms

elected. His friends think he will resign." For three months he dragged on this misera- The Inauguration of the Governor was to take ble existence; but at the end of that time there was place on the 18th inst., when the glorious ensign movement abandoned it; so no such meeting took some amendment in his condition; he was re- of the Union was to be raised. moved to a better room, into which was admitted Col. V. E. Howard has resigned his seat in the judge for himself and to shape his action upon the a small but welcome light; better clothes, and Legislature; it is thought he will be made Attor- Oregon question as circumstances tell him is for more wholesome food, were allowed him; and ney-General, having declined the office of Secre- the interest and honor of the country. The result altogether, his circumstances were improved: but tary of State. It was expected that Judge Hemp- of this call satisfies me, most conclusively, that the he still continued in total ignorance as to what his hill would be appointed Chief Justice, and Judge future fate was to be; for the julier, the only hu- Lipscomb and Judge Wheeler Associate Judges man being he ever saw, was unable or unwilling of the Supreme Court.

friend the interpreter entered his cell, and nothing could exceed the delight of the poor prisoner at once again meeting with a kindly face. Huger above his own ; and, after various efforts, he suceceded in holding communication with him, in a manner as venturons and ingenious as that adopted with M. de Lafayette. The window, which tacks of bostle fleets in the Gulf. threw a borrowed light into his own cell, served "The United States Cutter Woodbury, Capt. However, a whig Dorrite is no uncommon thing ed not more for its general ability than for its likewise to light that of Bulman, and with a piece Foster, sailed on the evening of the 28th, for the in Yankee land. Indeed, Dorrism alone will seof lime taken from the wall, Huger contrived to Brasos St. Jago to co-operate with the movement cure the return of Senator Simmons at the election scratch a few words upon a black silk handker- of General Taylor's command in that position. chief, which, by fastening to a stick, and climbing up the side of the room, he raised as near the com- at the mouth of the Brasos, with a cargo of 600 Mr. Webster. A few nominations have been conbales cutton. mon window as he could. It attracted the attention of M. Balman, and, after many efforts, making himself master of it, he returned an answer by the same method. From this time no day passed ing their situation still more comfortable. By "to Washington." small presents and occasional bribes of money, he Mr. Rusk is a man of high character and unihad secured the good offices of the wife of the versally popular. While we do not admire Gen. jailer, so that secretly, she provided them with Houston, in every particular, his cloquence and

books, food, wine, and warmer clothes. Through his courage have done much for the new Repubthe attempt to liberate Lafayette had been planned -and Gen. Houston, then in command, came

not, as was supposed, a plot laid by the secret commanding figure, his brilliant and burning eloof each other's society, and the hope of a speedy ing to reinstate the bloody flag of Mexico. money, that sentence might be changed for one Times presents the following striking outline of lous, a very large class, indeed, from Washington much less severe, as it was in the power of the his roving character. Though we highly disap- City, North and East. I find no man of character release them entirely.

This information seemed to bode the unfortu- spite of all, we cannot help liking the man, for evidence of the extreme gullibility or reckless denate prisoners little, at least of immediate good; some admirable points of charater: for Balman had no fortune, and Huger being with- Gen. Sam Houston. The return of this gentle- originators of the libel are themselves members of out credit in Austria, could not, within a short man as a member of Congress, will create a sentime, receive a remittance from England. Their friend, however, did not desert them; he with-A few years since, he left the United States, and the additional formatical description of the people; and we take this occasion to offer to the conductor of the the people; and we take this occasion to offer to kill off presidential aspirants who threaten to rival the conductor of the people; and we take this occasion to offer to the people; and we take this occasion to offer to the people; and we take this occasion to offer to the people; and we take this occasion to offer to the people; and we take this occasion to offer to the people; and we take this occasion to offer to the people; and we take this occasion to offer to the people; and we take this occasion to offer to the people; and we take this occasion to offer to the people; and we take this occasion to offer to the people; and we take this occasion to offer to the people; and we take this occasion to offer to the people; and we take this occasion to offer to the people; and we take this occasion to offer to the people; and we take this occasion to offer to the people is a set of friend, however, did not desert them; he with-drew, promising to use all his influence for their mingled his fortunes with a country comparatively rescally as the whole affair is, it is the nine days' action in the premises. release; and it is probable he had already formed that design, which the generosity of another, equally a stranger to the prisoners, whose name, and having stated the case as it then stood, he was about to intreat, in his own name, a loan for the use of the prisoners, when he was interrupted by an offer of whatever sum might be required to se-Judging the heart of his noble friend by his own, he hesitated not for a moment to accept the

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done its work, and therefore the getters up of the

place, and all are left as they should be, each to fraction in the Senate and House who would yet set up to dictate to the Administration and country at large as to the precise terms upon which our Oregon dispute should be adjusted with England.

to answer any questions on the subject. At length "Majors Chase and Ogden returned a few days is small indeed-too small to trust such an exhibione day, much to his surprise and joy, his young since, says the Galveston Civilian of the 28th ult., tion of their number as would be open to the eyes publish it as soon as we are favored with the in the Cutter Woodbury from Corpus Christi- of all, if on bringing forward extreme propositions Maj. C. informs us that all the information he has in caucus, they met the fate of an overwhelming manuscript." acquired strengthens his opinion of the practica- rebuke.

bility, case, and importance of opening the interior The Senate have spent some three or four hours now learned for the first time the total failure of navigation along the coast of Texas from the Sa- during the week in secret session; over the Rhode their scheme-that Lafayette had been retaken, bine to the Rio Grande. Comparatively a very Island nominations, it is believed. As all demoand that Bilman, a fellow-prisoner, was under few miles of excavation will connect all the rivers crats in that State are tinctured with Dotrism, found impression than Mr. Haywood's late effort. the same roof with himself. Shortly afterwards, and bays, having their outlet in the Gall of Mexi- all the whigs, with one or two exceptions, out of he discovered him to be in the room immediately co, with each other along the whole extent of our doors at least, growl against every nomination sent Southwestern boundary ; and thus open internal in for United States officers in Rhode Island. It navigation from Loustana to Mexico, secure at all is said that Mr. Webster is to have the manage- Evening Post, the Boston Evening Traveller, and times from the dangers of the ocean storms, and ment of the case against them in the Senate, and completely protected in case of war from the at- also that Senator Simmons, a Rhode Island whig, other leading prints all devote marked attention is a strenuous advocate for their confirmation.

to it; while the Charleston Mercury, distinguishcandor, says Mr. Haywood has done himself which is soon to take place in his State, if, by the great honor, as well by the matter as by the man-"The steamer S. M. Williams, recently arrived by, it fails to seat Thomas W. Dorr along side of ner of his speech. The Washington Correspon- the centre; and the best single shots were made dent of the Boston Traveller says: firmed since Saturday last, none of which are of "The speech of Mr. Haywood, of North Caro-

A private letter, dated at Galveston the 28th interest to your readers, and therefore I shall not ult., and published in the N. O. Bulletin, says- repeat the list here. The nomination of Andrew lina, this morning in the Senate, was distinguishdence of both parties in Congress. seldom, and to-day spoke remarkably well.'

The late publication in the " Times " newspaper (which has doubtless met your eye) charging a queer way: majority of the Senate whigs and democrats of course, with plotting treason, &c., &c., caused quite her interest also the two friends procured a long- lic. We saw this displayed in a remarkable but the gossips and quid nuncs soon set themselves to retain the favor of an administration, which has The fire had been placed under the Dwelling a sensation in Washington for thirty or forty hours, wished for meeting. At first the visit was short, manner in the early part of the year 1836. The to work to ferret out the truth of the allegations, yet three years of power and patronage, will be but by degrees becoming less timorous, they were Provisional Council was then holding a session which on being subjected to their probing searches less rampant for Buncombe, upon 54 40, than of House occupied by Mr. Samuel M. Whitaker, Jr., the Methodist church,) being called on, from all permitted to pass some part of every day together. at San Felipe de Austin. A conspiracy had been proved to be "moonshine" and bring them to the test, we will chal- and when discovered, was burning rapidly. A The government being at length satisfied that organized to put down the temporary government, the poor Editor after being kicked and cuffed by lenge you upon several of the most furious, who few minutes longer, and the building would cer-Senator Colquitt on the floor of the Senate on will passively walk down from Russia to the line independently by these two adventurers, and was forward to arrest the rebellion. His lofty and Monday last (understand me, not literally, but in of forty-nine." the "personal explanation" he felt called on to

agents of France, they were remitted to receive quence, and the courageous stand he assumed, ef-town. The fact is, the man is essentially "green," make) is laughed at most unmercifully by the sentence from the supreme magistrate of Olmutz. fectually quelled the storm and saved Texas from and has been the subject of a most unmerciful quiz In this condition they were permttted every indul- domestic treason, at a critical moment, when San- on the part of some queer wag or other. As the gence but that of liberty ; and, in the enjoyment ta Anna and his Mexican mercenaries were march- "Times" has reiterated the charges, since Mr.

release, were already beginning to forget past suf- All are familiar with the wild and mysterious the subject yesterday and moved for a select comfering, when, by a visit from their newly-found life of Gen. Houston-his leaving the refinements mittee, which was unanimously granted. They formed that the time for the departure of the friend, the kindly interpreter, they learned with of civilized life, and living amongst the rude In- are to be charged with an investigation into the Greensborough Mail from this place has been dismay that the intended punishment was to be dians, with whom he became allied by marriage making the accusation, is not the victim of a quiz, truth or falsehood of the allegations. If the Editor changed back to Wednesday, by the Department ment for life. A hint was at the same time con- and civil authorities of Texas, when her liberties expense; and has taken this method to make his leave here as it did under the old arrangementveyed that, if by any means they could procure were achieved. The New Orleans Commercial paper sought after by the patrons of the marvelon Wednesdays.

magistrate to make it what he chose, and even to proved of General Houston's course in regard to and judgment of either party who places the least which this Mail left here on Tuesdays, and in Annexation, and though he has many faults-in confidence in the story ; all such regard it as either pravity of its acknowledged author, the Editor. perince has shown to be the best for the reading Persons are not wanting who assume that the real

HALIFAX. the Commonwealth. With zeal, activity, and energy, we can and will be triumphant; and here MR. HAYWOOD'S SPEECH. ministration. The admission of Texas into our says: "Mr. Haywood's speech has excited a glorious Union and the adjustment of the Tariff,

waited for with a great deal of curiosity. We sion of Congress, cannot fail to redound to the understand that it will be ready for the press by the controversy concerning Oregon, and questions by the whole people of Ireland, and not by a por-Monday or Tuesday. Its preparation has been of State policy, and indeed all others, I deem it tion of her people for the advancement of sectaquite useless now to expatiate, because they will rian purposes. retarded by Mr. H's indisposition. We shall be examined at length in my discussions before the people. With sentiments of high regard and es-Your ob't. serv't. teem.

JAMES B. SHEPARD. If we may judge by the tone and comments of To Kimbrough Jones, Dr. Josiah O. Watson, W. the public press, we should say that no speech, for the last ten years, has produced a more pro-John W. Ellis, Calvin Graves, Perrin Busbee. The New York Herald, the New York Express, the Harrisburg Union, the New York State of North Carolina.

THE RALEIGH GUARDS.

On Saturday last that fine Company, the Raleigh Guards, under the command of Capt. Clark, marched to their old shooting ground in the vicinity of the City, and shot for the blue plume. The to her oppressor !

propriate manner.

Bennett of the New York Herald says, in his THE INCENDIARY ABROAD! On Thursday night last another attempt was " It is evident that the expose of Senator Haytainly have been consumed. Fortunately, how-

Should this Speech reach us in time, it shall ever, a gentleman happened to be passing, who aroused the family, and with his assistance, the flames were extinguished, without having done serious injury. Our subscribers at Prospect Hill, and in the

Colquitt's denunciation, Mr. Jarnagan called up Western portion of the State generally, are in- ish us that we have among us persons who will scruple at nothing which may promise them plunder or gain. Let each citizen keep a vigilant eye

> the citizens themselves to turn out alternately in to have been not only a party but a family conis better than a pound of cure."

DEATH OF WM. P. DOBSON, ESQ.

HYDE COUNTY.

A portion of the Whigs of Hyde held a Meetby Messrs. Hudson and Ashly-three and a half ing on the 24th of last month, at which David inches each from the centre. The plume was Carter, Esq. formerly of this City, was nominat-"The Houston boat has this moment arrived Jackson Donaldson as Minister to Prussia, in place ed from all that had preceded it, and commanded won by Mr. Edward E. Harris, by an aggregate ed for the Senate, and Mr. Thomas R. Gibbs for "and the steamer Galveston is ringing her bell. of the Hon. Henry Wheaton who comes home at very deep attention from both sides of the house. shot of twenty-three inches; and at the request of the office of Sheriff! Mr. Stanly was present, and without their holding communication with each who the steamer Galveston is ringing nor ben. who contest in the field of the friendly inter-who the friendly inter-with the Captain, it was presented to Mr. Harris by consented to close the exercises of the Meeting and the steamer Galveston is in a handrome and and will probably be confirmed without a be on intimate terms with the President. He is a Gaston H. Wilder Esq. in a handrome and and with "a few remarks" We quote as follows preter they were indebted for the means of mak- "expected here every hour to proceed on his way division, for he is very popular and has the confi- young member, of very courteous manner, speaks Gaston H. Wilder, Esq. in a handsome and ap- with "a few remarks." We quote as follows

from the official proceedings :

"While the committee were absent, deliberating on the matters confided to them, Messrs. Salterthwaite and Donnell, were called on and gave impressive and able speeches which were frequently applauded. And, afterwards, Mr. Wynne (already favorably known as an effective minister of sides of the house, entertained and delighted the audience with his eloquence and humor."

A writer in the North State Whig, who signs himselt "W ****," (very probably the above "Minister" so "favorably known"-) abuses us roundly for having protested against this effort on the part of the Whigs to make judicial officers sub servient to party spirit; but that writer must come down from his stilts and become not only more

decent, but less toploftical, before we can serious ly notice him. Both the North State Whig and the Newber-pay additional taxes for a double Guard, or for so far as that Meeting is concerned, for it seems

> small Companies to guard their property, than it cern all round. Mr. Wynne, makes an "effecwould be to stand in imminent danger, as they tive" speech in favor of his relation, Mr. Thos. probably now do, of seeing a destructive fire let R. Gibbs, for Sheriff; Mr. Carter, who is also, loose upon the City. "An ounce of prevention we believe, in the family, is nominated by the same Meeting for the Senate; while Mr. Zachariah Gibbs and two of the Spencers also take part in this laudable attempt to manage the affairs

These repeated attempts to fire the City admon-

In discarding the new arrangement, under

coming back to the old arrangement, which expublic, the Department has manifested a com-

> We are pained to have to record the death of of the people of Hyde County. All these gentle-WILLIAM P. DOBSON, Esq. of Surry County. men, we are inclined to think, are related to each He expired at his residence on the 1st instant, of other by marriage or by blood. And who were Congestive Fever, in the 64th year of his age. the leaders in the Meeting? Lawyers from other Mr. Dobson was favorably known to the peo- Counties-Mr. Stanly from Beaufort, and Mr. ple of this State, by his useful services in the Leg- Donnell from Craven ! Will the people of Hyde islature; and the County of Surry, so often and sanction such as this? Will they turn out a good so faithfully represented by him in that body, will Sheriff, to put in any man thus brought jorward? feel most sensibly the absence of his strong com- Will they be the first to set the example to the mon sense and undoubted patriotism. As a public State of interfering with the political opinions of man Mr. Dobson was not ambitious of display. their Sheriff? We hope not. Let them stand He rather sought that distinction which belongs like men upon their rights, and resist, now and to solid talents and to integrity of character, and hereafter, all attempts by selfish and interested was content to labor, with equal modesty and as- men to dictate to them how they shall vote. siduity, for the welfare of those he served, and to whom he considered himself at all times responsible. An honest man and a good citizen has of those who may want rich fruits and Confecgone down to the grave ; but the measure of man's tionaries, to the new Store of Mr. John R. Whil-

equally a stranger to the prisoners, whose name, instead of being unknown, should be published aloud, enabled him afterwards so happily to carry through. A Russian nobleman of large fortune, residing near Olmutz, was perhaps, from a resem-blance in character, the most intimate friend of the whole story of the projected release of Lafay-ette, of its failure, and of the generous conduct of

sentiments of the magistrate. His situation as in- original Hebrew, Black, Red and White.

the whole story of the projected release of Lalay-ette, of its failure, and of the generous conduct of the two friends. To him W_____, for the initial only has been given for the name of the good Sa-maritan, flew for assistance in this new difficulty; and having stated the case as it then stood, he was better in the store for the store for the store of the store of

Texas. It appears to me that his recent election The True Wesleyan says: "It is a singular by so overwhelming a vote, too, is a most triumph- the Spring, Mr. Shepard will make his appointoffer, and scarcely affording himself time to speak fact, which has been strangely overlooked, that ant vindication against these charges one and all. the gratitude he felt, he hurried off to sound the the words Ham, Shem, and Japheth, mean in the Men who reason from a knowledge of the world can hardly fail to come to the same conclusion. of election.

Appointments of Mr. Shepard. Mr. SHEPARD will address his fellow-citizens of the State, at the following times and in the following places, to wit :

appear in the next number of the Standard.

GREENSBOROUGH MAIL.

Franklinton, Franklin county, 26th March, Henderson, Granville, 27th March, Elizabeth City, Pasquotank, 1st April, Currituck C. H., Currituck, 4th April, Hertford, Perquimans, Sth April, Columbia, Tyrrell, 15th April, Hyde C: H., Hyde, 18th April, Washington, Beaufort, 22d April, Beaufort, Carteret, 28th April, Kinston, Lenoir, 1st May, Waynesboro', Wayne, 5th May, Wilmington, New Hanover, 9th May, Smithfield, Johnston, 13th May, After having visited the Eastern portion of the ments for the Summer in the West until the day

We would most respectfully call the attention days with him was well nigh finished, and his aker, near the Presbyterian Church. Mr. Whitmemory will long be cherished, not only by his aker deserves, as we learn he is receiving, a liberfamily, but by a large circle of devoted friends. | al share of public patronage.