From the Raleigh Register. THE ACCEPTANCE.

We subjoin the Correspondence between the Committee of the late Whig Convention, and Mr. MOREHEAD, on the subject of his nomination by that body for Governor. It will be a source of unmungled satisfaction, to the Whigs of North-Carelina, that he has accepted the nomination tendered him, and, in a spirit, that promises the most auspicious regults. We therefore unfurl the banner to the breeze. We place Mr MORSHEAD's name at the head of our paper, gratified that such a nonimation has made our duty, and that of every other conductor of a Whig Press, not only agreeable, but exceedingly easy. Though pressed for time, we must be permitted to allude to the characterteristic boldness and manliness of his commumeation. It is so plain, that he who runs may read. No shuffling, no trimming, no ambiguous sentences, but in the sphit of a true Whig, he calls things by their right names, regardless of consequences personal to himself. Next to a holy cause, the chief essential to success is to have a gallant leader. In our Condidate, we have such, and we go forth to baide confident of victory not a confidence springing from any false estimate, either of the prowess of the enemy, or of our own numercal force, but a confidence based upon the thorough behef, that the people wish to do right, and will do right, if properly enlightened. But to the Correspondence.

Raleigh, November 13th, 1839. JOHN M. MOREHEAD, Esq. :

Sin : The undersigned, as the authorized organ of a Convention of Delegates of the Whig party, assembled in the City of Raleigh do the 12th tost., have the pleasure of announcing to yon, that you have been unanimously selected by that body, as the Candidate of the Whig party for Gove not of the State, at the ensuing eleefloo.

monities by official political brawlers, will certaioly remove that doubt,

The People were promised honesty and strict accountability from the Officers of the Gevernment; and by way of earnest in the redemption of that pledge, one TOBIAS WATKINS, a Defaplier of some \$4,000 under the Administration of Mr. ADAMS, was ferretted out, hunted down caught and incarcerated; and the people well hoped, that all other public swindlers would be dealt with in like manner.

They have been told again and again, " Authority," that "all was well "-that the Go vernment was greatly blessed in the ability and faithfulness of its Public Officers : but recent in restigations have brought to light, corruption, dishonesty, and official dereliction, that are truly startling and alarming .- And the people, to their sorrow, have learned that a falsehood "by Au thotity," is more pernicious to their interests, than a falsehood " without Authority."-And they verily believe, if they shall ever be so forlunate as to have another Administration, that will bring defaulters to justice, all the Peniten-tiaries attached to the Sub Treasury Bill will not hold the TOBIASES that will then be discovered.

ECONOMY is a word that seems to have been stricken from the nomenclature of the present Administration. It has become a bye word and i jest. The Expenditures of the Government. increased from thirteen to thirty odd millions, shew what the party in power mean by the word. An empty Treasury and a bankrupi Government tell the people, how grossly they have been deceived.

The people are at lengh awakened from their lethargy and security, and aroused to their dan-They no longer regard glossy Messages ger. and partizan demagogoes. They have determined to think and act for themselves They are moving in their primary Assemblies. They are determined, by united action, to put an end to that misrule, which has bankrupted the Govern ment, corrupted its Officers, and brought universal distress upon every class of the community, except embezzling Office-holders

Your Convention was the off-oring of that determination; and no person cap units with the people, more heartily than I do, " in the great struggle for correct principles, which the Whigs are now endesvoring to maintain."

At no period of my life, could this call have In thus communicating to you the decision of been made with more inconvepience to myself, the Convention, the undersigned will add the than the present ; but as it is the wish of the people that I shall be their Caudidate, I " accept the nomination." And, for this expression of their kind consideration. I pledge them what ever of ability and of zeal I possess, in the no-

to the nuisances committed in most civil com- stant drain on her resources, already absorbed by the ordinary course of trade, which must be met at every sacrifice. We regret to perceive at such a time as this, want of harmony among the moneyed instatutions of the country, which, when al ought to put their shoulders to the wheel must be productive of additional distress and deprive her of the expedients, in which relief might be found.

The position of the agency of the Bank of the United States in London will be found securately described in our London correspondence. Whether Mr. Jaudon succeeded or not, in finally obtaining the loan contemplated in Amsterdam, it is believed by those well informed on the subject, that he possesses resources sufficien to meet all his engagements. It is eviden from the authority required from the Dutch Government; that the object in view is to submit proposals for the loan to the public through the agency of Messrs Hope-as were a sale of stocks or bonds the object. this authority would not be requisite-and the completion of the loan will therefore probably depend on the time at which the account of the suspension of the Bank is received there. If the loan be not completed before intelligence of this event is re ceived, it cannot afterwards be supposed that it will be taken up.

We learn that a full statement of the fairs of the Bank in this town, and we re assured, on good authority, that making every allowance for bad debts, and estimating, its State Stocks at their nominal val ue, but stocks of incorporated companies. hypothecated to the institution, at their ac tual value, it exhibits a surplus of assets. over all its liabilities, of five million of dol lars.

Considerable business in stocks was done at the first Board on Saturday; a the second, little business was trausacted and at reither was there any material alteration in rates. We have no change to advise either in Domestic Exchanges or uncurrent money. Yesterday in fact every

LOUO FOCO NOMINATION FOR GOVERNOR.

The Honorable Editor of the Loco-Foro paper in this Town, among his other reminscences to the 10th Congressional District, n his second article signed " An Old Republican," has nominated Judge Romulus Saunders as the Loco Foco candidate for

Governor; and he gives among other reasons for it, that " he has always been a republican and holds the faith yet." Well, if Judge Saunders has always been a Republican, what has Mr. " Old Republican" Fisher been ? for they have not been together. Judge Saunders was for Mr. Crawford and went into the Congressional CAUous that gave so much offence to the nation. Mr. Fisher was then for Mr Calhoun and and vetoes, and finally in favor of ratifying these points. Will be and his party now say, that they who went for the "bloody bill" and the law "to shoot women and children " were the true Republicans ? Will they now say that the political maxim of rewarding friends, and punishing enemies by means of official patronage, is Republican. Verily, Mr. Old Republican, we give you joy of your Republicanism. But to the modesty of this nomination. It was a monstrous encroachment on the

rights of the people for Delegates to go from a large number of the citizeus of the State and nominate a Whig candidate for

Mill Patents .- We have, on several form- of the five are said er occasions, referred to the high degree of cuniary aid, for y improvements, to which the process of grind- ken up. ing grain had attained by the several imovements now in operation in Davie Co The following letter received from a friend. who is well calculated to judge of these matters, will be read with sati-faction.

MOCKSVILLE, Nov. 25th, 1939 Gentlemen :- I have just returned to this place, from a visit to Mr. Thomas Foster's Mill in this neighborhood, and cannot but xpress my astonishment at the results which I witnessed : the mill is newly fixed upon Rucker's patent improved plan, with Gilbert's spincle and composition inks There was only a head of Si feet water, and never saw any mill that whirled out the meal half as fast. Mr. Foster has a pair of stones propelled in the common mode of gearing, Gen. Jackson, and went into a . a meeting' the workmanship of hich looked better to have them, " or one or the other" nom- than common : in order to show the differinated. It was not understood at that day | ence, this was put in motion, and the differthat the Republicanism of Mr. Calhoun and | ence was so great as to strike every one prethat of Mr. Crawford was one and the sent with surprise. There can be no mistake same thing. Judge Saunders was warmly in these improvements, whitever interested and openly in favor of General Jackson's persons may promulgate to the contrary; the Proclamation and the force Bill : in favor | fact is undoubted, that these wills can grind of removing the deposites-in favor of EX | double as much in the same time, with the PUNGING : in favor of Jackson's Protest same head of water, as any other mill ever invented. Such is the judgment of every his nomination of Mr. Van Buren as his unprejudiced person, I have met with, and successor. It is of no use for us to say to such must be the unanimous opinion of the our readers, how Mr. Fisher was on all public after a fair trial. The simpleness of construction, the cheapness and economy of power are its great recommendations. Yours, &c.

> The vacancy occasioned by the death o Judge Hitchcock, in the representation of he County of Mobile, (Ala.) to the Legislature, has been filled by the election of Mr. Erwin, (Whig.) The vote was for Erwin 815; for Campbell 786. Erwin's majority 29.

great Washington (We omitted last week to acknowledge the receipt, by the kindness of the publishers, of a copy of Mr. James B Shepard's Address, delivered before the Citizens, Me chanics and Guards of Raleigh, on the 4th of July last.

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hope, that it may suit both your inclination and convenience, to accept the nomination, and therehy give the fulles: assurance of your hearty cooperation in the great struggle for correct principles which the Whigs are now endeavoring to maintain-on the success of which, sooper of later, they verily believe depends the existence of all those inestimable institutions which have been reared by the wisdom of our forefathers, and consecrated by their blood.

You will be pleased to make known your determination, by replying to this note at your earliest convenience.

We have the honor to be

Very respectfully, your most ob't servite. J. P. CALDWELL JOHN HINTON. WM. L. LONG, S. F. PATTERSON JAMES WEBB.

Greensboro', 25th November, 18\$9.

GENTLEMEN : Your Communication of the 13th instant has been duly received, annonneing to me that the Convention of Delegates of the Whig party, assembled in the city of Raleigh on the 12th inst. had, unanimously, selected me as the Candidate of the Whig party for Governor of the State, at the ensuing election.

This flattering testimonial of respect, emanating from so respectable source as that Convention, does not fail to impress me with a lively seuse of the houor done me by that body; and, if there were no other reasons to influence my course, the respect | have for the wise heads, the pure hearts, and the well established Re publican principles of those who composed that Convention, would make me hesitate long before I would gainsay their wishes

Bot I know I shall be pardoned by that Convention, when I say that considerations, higher than those already suggested, combine in making up the decision to which I have come.

I view that Convention as emanating directly from the people, and as reflecting their wishes and their will. They have found themselves grossly deceived by those in whom they here tofore placed confidence. They were promised every thing, every thing, that the simplicity, purity, honesty and economy of our Republican in stitutions could require .- Instead of finding these pledges fairly redeemed, they have witnessed with mortification and regret, the Federal Exacolive, repeatedly endeavoring to fix upon them the complicated machinery of his Sub Treasury; and that, ton, after they have repodtated his no tions and rejected his scheme. From manifestations in the Presidential Tour, we may expect the wishes of the people to be set at definnce, and another attempt made to force this scheme upon them.

If this attempt is again made, the issue will be fairly made up between the President and the People-to say whethe: HE or THEY shall go vern.

On the one hand we shall behold the Prest dent and his official myrmidons, greedy for the onset, with their bauner unforled, beating the iasulting inscription -" To the Victors belong the Spoils "-- On the other, we shall see the

ble cause in which we have embarked. Before closing this communication, I desire to submit a few remarks in relation to two subjects in which North-Carolina has much at stake. allude to the Public Lands, and to the subject of Abulition.

North Carolina ceded to the United States a large Territory. She is equally interested, with the other States, in all the Public Lands Her interest in these Lands is worth millions opon millions; and, if she could receive her share of the proceeds of those Lands, every poor child of the State could be educated, and every work of Internal Improvement successfully prosecuted. The President has left us nothing to hope from that goarter, and it remains for the people to say whether his will shall govern them, or their will shall make him cease to govern-whether HE shall be sovereign, or THEY shall be sovereign. As a North Carolinian, I will never surrender this ample patrimony of car Old State.

On the subject of our domestic institution of Slavery, I should suppose there could be but one opinion in the South, among men who have ca pacity to think

The emancipation of our slaves among us would lead to consequences too direful for con remplation And no man will meet with more uncompromising hostility, than I will, the very first fanatical or unconstitutional aggression made upon this institution, guarantied to us by our Federal Compact.

The People's attention should be drawn to the fict, that some rickety understandings, and hyp peritical politicians, are continually conjuring up the awful charge of a union between the Abolitionists and the Whigs-not because they have such apprehension, but to prevent the discovery of an actual union and co-operation of the Aboli tionists with the present Administration, even since they received that withering rebuke at the hands of Mr. CLAY.

For weal or for woe, my destiny is fixed in North Carolina-my prospects for future prosperity are attached to her soil-and whatever I now have or ever expect to have, will be protected by her institutions.

For your kind expressions of regard towards me, accept, gentlemen, individually my sincere thanks, and for the distinguished honor done me by your Convention, accept collectively, and in their behalf, the profound acknowledgements of

Your most ob't serv't., JOHN M. MOREHEAD. To Messis J P CALDWELL JOHN HINTON WM. L. LONG. S F PATTERSON, JAMES WEBB. Committee.

The New York Courier and Enquirer thus speaks of the effect of the News by the British Queen :-

SUNDAY EVENING, Nov. 24. The Anxiously expected arrival of the British Queen, has brough us nothing very moortant, either in regard to the financial or commercial position of affairs in Europe Intelligence of the suspension in cities south of us, had not been received, and we must wait the arrival of the Liverpool on the 14th inst .- to know the effect of that event. We do not anticipate any thing very serious from it. Some consternation in those q orters most interested, it will probably produce, but it will be but temporary. In any event, had happen what may, we do not believe it can cause further distress here. We have gone through the ordeal, and our internal resources, whatever may be the fate of other countries, must now gradually bring about better times amongst us. It is the misfortune of two short crops of Grain in England, a calamity increased by a deficiency in the harvest of neighboring countries. is the great cause of the embarrassment; there. It is idle in the ex. treme to a tribute them to defects in the u onetary system, or to abuses which have previled under it. No country or system can be expected to stand unharmed, a shock so unexpected, or so violent, as that proof life,-beyond all comparison, the most material product of her labour and capital -and particularly a country so swarming with people as the British Empire, the history and the opinion of her statesmen and to this. It causes an extraordinary and con- zeal to its service.

thing was waiting the arrival of the British Queen.

The Canal was closed by the frost on Friday night and we learn that near siz hundred boats laden with produce for this city were locked up in the ice It is prob able-and much to be desired-that the present milder temperature and rain will people! reopen the navigation.



WATCHMAN. SALISBURY: FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1839.

REPUBLICAN WHIG CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR JOHN M. MOREHEAD, OF GUILFORD COUNTY.

MR. MOREHEAD'S LETTER.

It will be seen from our columns to-day that Mr Morehead, has in a plain straight forward and munif style, consented to let his name be used in the canvass for Governor, next Summer. Now let the Loco Focos bring out their Richard, and then to the battle. We enter with confidence into the contest, and nail our colors to the mast head.

THE TARIFF.

We have seen in several of the Loco Fo co journals, and particularly the Western Carolinian, intimations that the Whige in Congress intend making an effort this ses the very "extravagance of foolishness." politics, believes that any portion of the Whig party have any purpose of disturbing the Compromise. If any such wicked attempt is made, it will come from the father of Nullification, and his sattelites : These are the men who delight in stirring up the embers of strife between sectional interests They tried it on the tariff question : they

Governor: but for Mr. " Old Republican" Charles Fisher, to nominate Mr. Old Republican Romulus M. Saunders, for the same office, is all fair and square. How ridicalous is such trash ! How insulting to the understandings of a free and self-governing

We have only remarked upon Judge Saunders, Republicanism in contrast with his GRAND NUMINATOR. When we know how far this modest designation shall be adopted by the party, we will make a closer examination of his qualifications. Until then, we do not feel justified in lifting the veil from the face of the prophet. All we have to say is, we are willing for them to run Judge Saunders if they dare.

NO GO!

We learn frum that pink of Democracy, the Lincoln Republican, that a Democratic meeting was advertised to be held in Lincolnton, on 30th ultimo, but it rained a little, and the Democrats did'nt come.

" And they did'nt And they would'nt And they could'nt Come at all."

We learn that one old country gentleman with something of a white head and a round belly, brought up his two daughters with some "durkies" to sell, and he promised to show the females a " Temocratic Convention." but the " convention" was a sickly affair; so they called it over again, but the old man swore that his cals should never come to another sich a show. He said that "General Edney's muster was worth a thou sand of it, and if dat was de way de Temocrats went on, de General was de man for his money

But as the people did'nt come and make a nomination, the Lincoln Republican, for fear, perhaps, that they might be without a Candidate altogether, takes up the cue of its brother Republican of Rowan, and nominates Judge Romulus M. Saunders. Well, this reminds us of a joke we once heard of some of these same sion, to increase the Tariff Now, this is | Democrats of Lincoln: A goodly number of them had assembled at the Courthouse to see a hang No one at all acquainted with the state of ing frolick, but before the hour arrived a pardon came from the Governor, and the prisoner was discharged. Some tellows, bent on fun, sword they would have a frolic any how ; so they hung dog. Just so with the Republican: if they could not have a regular nomination, they must have a sort of a dog nomination.

> Instructing Resolutions to Messrs. tius." White & Foster, have passed the Tenne-

" A Citizen of Davidson," was duly received, but was unavoidably crowded out of our last week's paper. It will be found in another column. And for our lives we acting ; - that is-w cannot see how any person can have the conscience to impose on the printer by sending them a communication as badly spelt and written. It is well for the author that he is unknown to us, for we would certainly have sent his article back to be transcribed. We hope this hint will be remembered by him. He must patiently submit to the alterations we have been compelled to make in his manuscript on this occasion.

The Schooner Almira, had on board quantity of merchandize for several of our Merchants. For J. &. W. Murphy, to the amount of \$6 000; T. L. Cowan, nearly 3.000; and Michael Brown, a smaller amount. We believe all was insured

Shiptoreck.- A Schr from Philadelphia, bound to Wilmington, supposed the Almira, went ashore on Boddy Island on the night of Tuesday the 12th. Cargo-dry goods-partly saved, vessel a total loss -Schr. Franklin, bound from Washington, N C. to New York, went ashore at the same time.

The Farmer's Friend -This is the 11le of a paper to be published at Hillshor- discover that the ough, and to be edited by William Stringer. Mr Stringer says it is entirely an "experiment," and we have no reason to disbelieve him. The Farmer's Friend will give its hearty support to Martin Van Buren, for the the triumphs of the M Presidency, he being the "Northern man with Southern principles," and to James K. Polk, of Tennessee for Vice President. The Independent Treasury will also receive its support.

We invite attention to the article in our to-day's paper over the signature of " Cur

party : Still, on the whenever it tunched the honeyed and ju reform - curtailing of public officers, themes. Occasioni the distinction bet " Republican Wh advice and gentle ch stowed on the great with which it had acily in perpendic no Van Buren pape horrified at the m was no advocate of was shocking to rather (as we scheme. Their Van Buren, and posed to the Sub-I it. These opini and re-iterated written speeches false step of trium in its columns amo ren and the Sub-T the cue to strike h the Standard-man w is expunged. The we'll explain a/ter tion is over. 'I'he] man who is opposed and the Whigs are of one who profess double game succeed. most alarming appre heat is won by a representative of the But mark ye, now, change comes over The paper becomes name, but in effect. to throw off the d moral, literary and carefully distributed are now almost ba no Republicans at to publish accounts nounce them most ly silent about the su ren men. Their pap ries of the Administr Buren men, to be sure ceedings of the party called.) by " particu ren men, but association ance; and the lack veyors for their not tracts from the G are now doubled in their paper are filled nications from upstart vulgar names, denou and " Federal Whe

- FREEMEN-the sons of the Whigs of the Revolution, who knew as " Victors," and who offered no " Spoils," but the havoc committed upon invading legions

If the same saitit now burn in the busom of the sons, that animated the sires, the issue can not be doubtful. The star spangled banner will be thrown to the breeze, and the glorious motto - E pluribus unum " -shall float again in tri umph ; and the minions of power and corruption will vanish before the bl zing indignation of an injured people, like the morning mists before a glormus sun:

The People were promised by the last Ad ministration, in the foot steps of which the pres ent was to tread, the cleansing of the "Augean stable," and the same purity that characterized the purer days of the Republic. In the days of WASHINGTON, JEFFERSON and WADISON qualifications for office were honesty and capacity " Is he hunest ?" " Is he capable ?" -and Of fic -holders were stricty enjoused from be coming political partizans, and from interfering in elections In the present day, behold the melancholy contrast ! The qualifications now are if we judge by the result, unquestionable dishon esty, otter incapacity to discharge the duties of the office, but extraordinary capacity to serve " the Party ;" entire unwillingness to pay the people their money, but great readiness to pay the levies made upon salaries and imbezzlements for the support of " the Party."

Posterity will certainly do the present Admin-Istration the justice to say, that no prior one has manif-sted more signal ability in the selection of its officers for the purposes of the office, than the present has manifested in the selection of its Of ficers for the purposes of the purly : And if there be any doubt noop this question, reference to the bein ordinary abstractions from the Treasury, and

have tried it on Abolition, and not having gained much of the spoils by their sgitation, they have changed their allies, and threaten to try the tariff again ; although the faith of all parties is considered pledged to abide by the Compromise. We repeat it, we have no idea, that the Whigs ever mean to attempt raising the tariff. For the Whigs of North Carolina we can speak with assurance : they are decidedly hostile to agitating that inflamatory question, and will go against it in a body. For ourselves, we never were, nor ever will be in favor of a tariff. for the protection of manufactures.

Who is Mr. Thompson, the Editor of the Lincoln Republican? We have not the honor of a personal acquaintance with him nor have we of his character or history, more than we have been able to gather from his paper. From it, however, we have piclured in our imagination its Editor : We judge him to be from a more northern late duced by a deficiency in the first necessary | tude than North Carolina. We think he must be a "Northern man with Southern principles !" and that he is not entirely master of his EARLY PREDILECTIONS. He certainly deserves the serious attention of his ablest political econon-lats bear testimony party, for we are witness to his unparalelled

see Legislature. Mr. Fuster resigned. A new election took place to fill the vacancy. which, by a strict party vote, elected Mr. Grandy as follows :

For Grundy, 56

" Foster, 44-Grundy's maj. 12 Judge White has not yet been heard from, but he will also, no doubt, resign.

WHAT'S THIS?

The Whigs of Massachusetts have failed to elect a Governor, in consequence of the union of the Abelitionists and Loco Focos. Morton their candidate, is an open Aboli lionist.

In New York, the only drawback upon the overwhelming defeat of the Loco Focos. was the co-operation of that party with the Abolitionists. Think of this Master Brook !

Resumption .- We are glad to see that the Banks in different parts of the Country are resuming the payment of specie. The Providence Bank, Rhode Island, has resomed, and it is believed that the other Banks of the State will soon follow the example,

"Not Guilty " writes again. See him in another column.

FIRE.

On Sunday Morning last, between the hours of 12 and 1, the peace of our town was disturbed by the alarm bell of fire. Upon its discovery, it had made such progress, as destroyed every hope of distinguishing it, before its rage should be fully vented. It originated in the work-shop of B. Jetton & Sons, and fanned by a steady breeze. rapidly communicated to the adjoining buildings and quickly reduced them to ashes. The large and commodious Hotel, of Mrs. Schenck with all the appurten- of the nomination of ant buildings ; the two story building occupied by Gen. Seagle and the Messrs. Jettons ; the store of Jacob Ramsour. E.g. and all the buildings in the rear of these upon the same square, were completely destroyed. A portion of Mr. Ramsour's Goods were saved, little or nothing belong- at nost equal in force ing to the others.

The loss has been very considerable, for the lew that have suffered It is estimated by none at less than \$25,000.

Mr. Ramsour through us tenders his sincere thanks, and warmest, acknowledgments to the citizens of the Town, for their energetic services in rescuing his property from the flames -- Whig Banner.

A meeting of the Citizens of Lincolnton has been held subsequently to the fire, for Delphic Oracle itsel the purpose of taking into consideration the cases of the sufferers. None but two and legisal conclu

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