

INTERESTING EXHIBITION.

Among the most interesting exhibitions which we have had the pleasure of attending during our absence, was one of some blind pupils from the New England Institution for the education of the blind and of some mutes, from the New York Asylum before the Virginia Legislature.

education, and it is to supply peculiar processes of instruction that our Institution is established.

What will be the action of the Legislature of Virginia, upon this interesting subject we have yet to learn; but it does not make some provision for educating and improving the condition of so interesting and numerous a portion of the population of that State, then we make bold to assert, that with all her boasted supremacy, she is far behind many of her sister States in wisdom and intelligence.

Commerce of Wilmington. We present to our readers a view of the exports from Wilmington, and the number of vessels employed in the year commencing 1st of November, 1836, and ending 1st November, 1837.

EXPORTS OF WILMINGTON, FROM NOVEMBER 1st, 1836, TO NOVEMBER 1st, 1837.

Table listing various export goods such as Bales Cotton, Casks Rice, Bushels Flour, etc., with their respective quantities and values.

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VESSELS

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By a letter received by a gentleman of this place, from the Commander of the Revenue Cutter, Campbell, dated Bay Biscayne, March 5th, we learn that the Cutter was that day run foul of by the Schr. Caspian, and had her bulwarks, stanchions, and one of her boats stove, which rendered it necessary for her to go to Indian Key, or Key West, to repair.

The Legend promised in our last has been mislaid, but we will give it a place as soon as it re-appears.

We owe our thanks to Mr. White for the March number of the "Southern Literary Messenger," which came to hand in due season.

Mr. CLAY and Mr. Calhoun have at length gratified public expectation, and relieved themselves by giving utterance to that which was within them.

The Virginia House of Delegates have appropriated \$150,000 to build a road from Staunton to Parkersburg, and \$12,000 to make one from Beverly, by Morganton, to the Pennsylvania line.

Mr. Webster occupied the attention of the Senate on the 12th inst. on the Sub-Treasury Bill.

Vote on Sub-Treasury.—Speculations upon the fate of the Sub-Treasury bill differ. Wz published last week the opinion of the correspondent of the Richmond "Enquirer."

Nothing was done in Congress on the 16th and 17th, in consequence of the death of the Hon. Mr. Carter, of Maine.

The authorities of Petersburg a short time since, ordered the periodical edited by the Rev. Mr. Breckenridge, of Baltimore, to be burned in the public streets, in consequence of its flagitious character.

Carolina Gazette.—William E. Mills has withdrawn from the editorial chair, and left Mr. Weldon Hall sole occupant.

We have received no number of Blackwood since December. We hope, however, that the recent arrivals from Europe are not without some tribute of this kind for us.

Mr. WEBSTER stated his late speech on the sub-Treasury in the hearing of Mr. CALHOUN, and proved the assertion, that Mr. Calhoun was the very first man who proposed the legalization of the payment of Bank Notes for public dues.

A decided majority of the people of Virginia, says the Richmond Enquirer, are against this odious measure, [the Sub-treasury system].

INDIAN DISTURBANCES.

Serious apprehensions are entertained, lest difficulties will occur in executing the treaty which provides for the removal of the Cherokee Indians from the western part of this State.

We call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of the Spring Villa school, which we publish to-day.

We would be very thankful to all persons who advertise in our paper, if they will send in their advertisements by Wednesday evening—for although we can insert them at a later period, it puts us to very great inconvenience.

In that most authentic history, "A Voyage to Lilliput," there is a description of the mode of rising at Court in that country, which struck us with great force, as being the pattern, which many had imitated in this, within the eight years past.

The emperor had a mind one day to entertain me with several of the country shows, wherein they exceeded all nations I have known both for dexterity and magnificence.

This diversion is only practiced by those persons, who are candidates for great employment, and high favour at court.

These diversions are often attended with fatal accidents, whereof great numbers are on record.

There is likewise another diversion, which is only shewn before the emperor and empress, and first minister, upon particular occasions.

Per the Steamboat North Carolina from Wilmington to Charleston March 15th.

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March 17th, Schr. Triumph, Hoyt, bound from this port to New York, and put back in distress to Dickinson & Morris.

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From the Charleston Courier. From Key West.—By the Schr. Sultan, Capt. Lewis, from St. Marks, via Key West, we have received a copy of the Key West Mercury, of the 5th inst. and a letter from our attentive correspondent to the 8th inst.

The case of the ship Bombay, of and for Boston, from New Orleans, lost on the Tortugas, a few weeks ago was heard before our Court for salvage on a valuation of \$50,000.

Brig Lucinda, HARKNESS, master, of and from New York, for St. Marks, put in here a few days ago, leaking very much, she was hove out and caulked, and proceeded yesterday for her port of destination.

Brig Timoleon, CLARK, master, from New-York, for Apalachicola put in here in consequence of unshipping of her rudder, while ashore on the Samba Key—she got off without any other injury or any assistance, but afterwards made use of a wrecking schooner to steer her into this port, for which \$250 was awarded by arbitration.

Austria has offered to mediate between the Pope and Prussia about the arch-bishop of Cologne. No good result is expected.

The authority deputed to Earl Durham comprehends the entire British possession here, viz. the two Canadas, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island. He is virtually a dictator.

The last cotton sales had been very extensive, and the previous decline had nearly recovered itself.

THE MARRIED. In Philadelphia, on the 12th inst. by the Rev. Mr. Jona. Story, M. S. M. WEST, of this town, to Miss MERCY O. FISH, daughter of Mr. Lyman Fish, of the former place.

DIED. On the 18th inst. HORATIO, aged two years, infant son of Mr. Thomas F. Davis.

PER PASSENGERS. Per the Steamboat North Carolina from Wilmington to Charleston March 15th.

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Per the Steamboat North Carolina from Wilmington to Charleston March 15th. Mrs. Cleaveland, Miss McWhirter, Mr. Glascock, lady and servant, Messrs. Muse, Nixon, Nixon, E. Mead, Borden, Barber, Dickerson, and Swift.

Per the Steamboat North Carolina from Wilmington to Charleston March 15th. Messrs. Bigelow, Corrie, Howard, Star, Penkerton, Johnson, Watson, Howel, Jennings, Vandant, Hobson, Wright, Haley, Cardine, Cohen, Rookwood, Williams, Thompson, Stubblefield, O. Moran, and five negroes for Smithville.

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Table listing various goods such as Pitch Pine boards and Scantling, Stearns Mills, etc., with their respective prices and quantities.

SPRING-VILLA FEMALE SEMINARY, At Bordentown, N. J.

THE summer Session of this Seminary will commence on the 25th of April next.

TERMS.

The charge for each pupil is two hundred dollars per year, payable semi-annually in advance.

SHIP NEWS.

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