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We learn that two of our citizens who took the Stage for the North on Thursday last, had their Trunks cut off from the Stage, about half a mile beyond Louisburg, on the Halifax road.

Daniel Turner, Esq. the late Representative in Congress, from the Warren District, having declined a re-election, Charles A. Hill, Esq. has offered his services.

The Salisbury papers announce John Giles, Esq. as a Candidate for Congress in that district.

Virginia.—We have a few more returns of the voting for members of Congress in Virginia.

In the Winchester district, Saml. Kercheval obtained a majority of three or four hundred votes over Robert Allen, the late member;

In the Wheeling district, Mr. Leffler (the late Representative) having declined serving, it appears to be likely that Philip Doddridge will be chosen his successor.

In the district lately represented by Mr. Randolph, there are three candidates.

In the Norfolk District, there will have been a closer contest than usual, though it is believed that Mr. Newton will be again chosen.

Connecticut.—The General Election of State officers and Representatives to Congress has just taken place in this State.

Massachusetts.—From the returns already received, it appears beyond doubt, that Governor Lincoln and Lieut. Governor Winthrop have been re-elected by immense majorities.

It is stated that John Pope has refused to accept the appointment of Governor of Arkansas, and that he is a candidate to represent the district lately represented by Mr. Moore, in Congress.

The Secretary of the Navy.—The old friends and neighbors of Mr. BRANCH, on his late visit to Halifax, invited him to a Public Dinner; but he declined the compliment by the following note:

Enfield, April 15th, 1829. GENTLEMEN—Your kind congratulations for the recent honor conferred on your old associate and friend, together with the polite invitation of the citizens of Halifax to dine with them on Thursday next, merits the warmest tribute of my heart.

Removals.—No less than eleven Inspectors and other Officers of Revenue were removed on Monday last in the city of Baltimore, by order of the Secretary of the Treasury.

We learn that DABNEY S. CARR has been appointed Naval Officer of the Port of Baltimore, vice WILLIAM B. BARNEY, removed.

Capt. Reid, who in the privateer Gen. Armstrong, distinguished himself and did honor to his country, by one of the most heroic and gallant actions which took place during the late war, has been removed, by the caucus power of "the party," in New-York, from the office of Warden of the port of New-York.

Philip S. Markley, Naval Officer at Philadelphia, is removed, and Mr. Pemberton has been appointed in his place.

Timothy Uplam, Collector of New-Hampshire, to make way for John P. Decatur.

John S. Magill has been appointed, by Chancellor Tucker, Marshal of the Winchester District, in the State of Virginia, vice Geo. W. SeEVERS, resigned.

J. M. Pherson Berrien, the Attorney General of the United States, has accepted an invitation from the Cliosophic Society, to deliver an oration before the literary Societies of the College of New-Jersey (Princeton) on the day previous to the next annual Commencement.

The Twelve Thousand Dollars recovered. On Mr. Skinner, the Postmaster at Baltimore, entering the Post Office at an early hour, on Tuesday morning last, one of the Clerks handed to him a letter without any superscription, which was supposed, from the circumstance of having the advertisement attached to it, to contain the \$12,000 advertised by Mr. Matthews, as having been lost between the Steamboat and his residence.

High Rents.—The Democratic Press says, that two new stores in Philadelphia, opposite the Bank of North-America, are rented—the Eastern one to Messrs. Robb & Winebrenner, tailors, for \$1,800 a year, and the Western one to Mr. Russell, hatter, for \$1,600 a year.

Washington's Birthday, was observed in Paris, by a Public Dinner, at which Isaac Cox Barnet, Esq. U. States Consul presided, assisted by Samuel J. Fisher, Esq. of Philadelphia.

Pope Leo 12th.—In the Foreign news lately inserted in the Register, it was stated that a new Pope would be shortly elected; but nothing was said of the decease of the late Pope.

Corn-trade of England.—It appears from an official Statement of this trade for several years past, that there was less stock of Grain on hand in England at the commencement of the Harvest of 1828,

by a million of quarters, which is eight million bushels, than in the preceding year. We should suppose, therefore, if when the stock on hand in 1827, was 1,768,245 quarters of grain, and the harvest a good one, it was necessary to import 511,344 quarters of foreign grain, that in 1828, when the stock on hand was only 755,274 quarters, and the harvest of that year deficient at least one-fourth, the imports of foreign grain and bread-stuffs, must be extraordinarily large to meet the consumption, and keep down the prices until next harvest.

Trade of Rotterdam.—The proper authorities of this City have given notice, that they have had a Canal cut from Helvoetsluys to Rotterdam, 21 feet deep and sufficiently capacious for Vessels of War, so that, in future, vessels from Sea can pass up this Canal to the City, without breaking bulk, or being under the necessity, as heretofore, of employing lighters.

Accounts from Buenos Ayres dated the 16th of Feb. say that Admiral Brown continues Governor pro tem. Lavalle being outside. News had just reached there of Molini and 500 of his men being routed by Suarez, one of Lavalle's Colonels.

Mesa, one of the Chiefs opposed to the present Government, who had been taken in arms, was tried, condemned, and shot in the Public Plaza. He met his death like a warrior, with composure.

Methodism.—It was in the year 1729, just a century ago, that John Wesley, aided by two or three of his fellow students at the University of Oxford, commenced the work of reforming the morals of the great body of the people of England, and especially those of the lowest and most neglected classes.

These were large hogs, but they must knock under to five hogs raised by five neighbors in Burke county, of the following weights: 587 lbs. 500, 477, 472, and 449, making an aggregate of 2485 lbs.!

We learn that a man by the name of M'Gammon was shot on the night of the 6th inst. by Win. C. Byrd, in Surry Co. near the Shallow ford.

The Bank law in New-York.—The bill upon Fournier's plan, has passed both branches of the Legislature of New-York, and become a law. Its provisions are singular, and experimental.

The paragraph, furnished by a correspondent, which appeared in our Register of the 10th instant, giving an account of two criminal cases tried at the last Superior Court of Wayne county, it appears

was incorrect. We insert therefore the following correct statement:

In the case of Virgil, a slave, charged with the murder of George, also a slave, there was no evidence of any previous quarrel or malice between the parties. They were both carpenters, and were working in the same house; Virgil up stairs, and George below stairs, in the room from which the stairs ascended.

The Hon. Ezra C. Gross, a member of the New-York Assembly, from the county of Essex, died on Thursday week. He had been ill but a few days.

The subscriptions for rebuilding York Minster, in England, lately destroyed by fire, amount to £11,000 sterling, and are daily increasing.

Extraordinary Passage.—The brig Sarah Herrick, which had been for some time given up as lost, arrived at Wilmington, N. C. on the 7th inst. in fifty six days from N. York.

Small Pox.—A friend at Wilmington informs us, that the schooner Fair Play, from Philadelphia, was below at Quarantine, having the Small pox on board.—ib.

Taborough Free Press.

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The Legislature of New-York have imposed a fine of \$1000, upon persons holding a Masquerade in Theatres, or other public places—an excellent law, which we hope will nip this abominable amusement in the bud.

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to meet engagements, &c. Mr. Van Buren, we believe, recommended this plan. How it will succeed time must show. It will have the effect, we think, of reducing the number of Banks, for we observe that eight Banks in the City have already signified their determination not to take a renewal of their charters under the conditions of the new law.

Banks, of whose solvency no one ever entertained a doubt, will naturally, we should suppose, feel an unwillingness to guarantee Banks of less public credit.

Silliman's Journal.—The April No. of this valuable Journal contains an unusual variety of interesting articles. The first is a communication from Professor Mitchell of this State, on the Geology of the Gold Region of this State.

The building which contained the office of the Pensacola Gazette, was burnt, with a part of its contents, on the morning of the 25th of last month.

Chesterfield Rail Road.—We understand, that the books for receiving subscriptions to this interesting enterprise were closed in this City on Saturday last.—The whole number of shares (1000 at \$100 each) have been taken.—The Rail Road is to extend from the Coal Pits in Chesterfield county down to the James River.—We congratulate the Public on the enterprising spirit thus exhibited, the benefit which it promises to the Colliers, and the impulse which it will communicate to the spirit of Internal Improvement in other directions.—Enquirer.

Married.

At Wilmington, on the 9th inst. Lieut. Saml. M'Fee, of the United States Army, to Mrs. Mary Wheaton, of that place.

At Rocky Point, on the 7th inst. Mr. James M'Lendon, to Miss Jane Thally.

In Haywood county, lately, John P. Perkins, Esq. to Mrs. Eliza H. Leigh, widow of John R. Leigh, Esq. and daughter of Col. Richard Nixon.

DIED.

Another Revolutionary hero gone!—Died suddenly, on the 25th ultimo, at his residence in Marion Dist. Ct., S. Carolina, Mr. William Blue, aged 73.

In Orange county, on the 8th inst. Mrs. Jane Murphey, consort of the Hon. A. D. Murphey, in the 49th year of her age.

At Fayetteville, on the 14th inst. Mrs. Olivia Hamner, consort of the Rev. James G. Hamner, Pastor of the Presbyterian Church in that place.

In Duplin county, on the 6th inst. Mr. William Stallings.

In Merrimack, N. H. Mrs. Sarah Giles, in the 102d year of her age. She had been a regular member of the Presbyterian Church for upwards of 70 years.

NOTICE.

NATIONAL HOTEL, Elizabeth City, N. C. The Subscriber having taken that large Brick House, owned by Asa Hingerson, Esq. on the corner of Main and Road Streets, and fitted it up for a Public House, expects shortly to receive a supply of Furniture, and be ready for the reception of Company on the 15th instant.