



Tarborough,

FRIDAY, MAY 30, 1828.

Congress.—Both Houses adjourned on Monday last, after a session of nearly six months. A number of the members from the South have already passed through this place on their return home. We shall probably be enabled to give a condensed view of their principal proceedings in our next paper.

The nose-pulling Affair.—The majority and minority of the Committee appointed by Congress to investigate the affair between Russel Jarvis and the President's Private Secretary, have made separate reports: the majority coming to the conclusion, that although the assault "was a violation of privilege, which merits the censure of the House;" yet, "it is not expedient to have any further proceedings in this case." The minority concurred with the majority, "in the expression of their disapprobation of the assault, in reference to the *time when* and the *place where* it was committed;" but questioned the competency of the House to punish Mr. Jarvis for the assault. Both reports were ordered to lie on the table. The following extract from the report of the majority, shows that the provocation was not only of an aggravated nature, but was also given at a time when and a place where such treatment would least be anticipated:—it no doubt will be generally conceded that the Capitol was a very improper place for Mr. Jarvis to assault Mr. Adams, but at the same time it must be admitted that the latter richly merited the treatment he received:

"In the letter of Mr. Jarvis, he stated, as the provocation by which he had been prompted to commit the assault upon Mr. Adams, certain offensive and insulting language used by the latter, in the House of the President, at a levee, in the presence and hearing of the wife of Mr. J. and other female friends and relations, who attended the levee under his protection.

"Mr. Adams submitted a counter statement, differing in several particulars from that contained in the letter of Mr. Jarvis, and several witnesses were, therefore, examined, with the view of ascertaining the true character of the occurrence at the levee of the President. The committee believe it is not difficult to reconcile the apparent contradiction in the testimony of the several witnesses, relative to this branch of the case. The material facts can be satisfactorily made out, without involving any imputation upon the veracity of the witnesses. It is proved, by those on both sides, and indeed by the admission of Mr. Adams, that he did use language calculated, if overheard, to insult Mr. Jarvis.

"It is also proved, to the satisfaction of the committee, that Mrs. Cordis, the mother of Mrs. Jarvis, was very near to Mr. Adams when he made use of the offensive language, and that she as well as other persons of the party who accompanied Mr. Jarvis, heard it with some distinctness. It also appears that the ladies who accompanied Mr. Jarvis interpreted the language of Mr. Adams as an insult offered to the whole par-

ty, and it seems that Mr. Jarvis acted throughout the whole of the transaction, under the same impression. On the contrary, it is stated by Mr. Adams and Mr. Stetson, that Mr. Adams did not use that offensive language relative to Mr. Jarvis, with a view of injuring the feeling of the ladies who accompanied him, nor, indeed with a knowledge that it was overheard by them. The fact, however, appears to be indisputable, that so much of the language was heard by Mrs. Cordis and Mr. Dexter, as induced the party, and particularly the female friends who accompanied Mr. Jarvis, to leave the President's House as soon as possible, under the idea that they had been insulted."

Jackson Electors.—The whole of the Electoral Districts have not yet been officially heard from by the Central Committee at Raleigh, and hence the names of the Electors nominated on the Jackson Ticket have not been published. It is expected that the list will be completed in a short time, when the Central Committee will publish an address to the people of North-Carolina. This may be expected in June.—*Fay. Jour.*

Raleigh, May 23.—We are pleased to hear, that upwards of \$20,000 have been subscribed to the stock of the Oacock Navigation Company; and that a meeting of the Stockholders will be held at Washington on the first Monday of next month, for the purpose of organizing the Company. As soon as a fit season shall arrive, the Engineer of the State will make a survey of the Inlet, as directed by the Act for incorporating the Company.—*Reg.*

State Bank of North-Carolina.—We learn from an advertisement in the last Raleigh Register, that—

"The President and Directors have determined to circumscribe the extent of their business, by calling in gradually a portion of their outstanding debt—by declining, for the present, to make any new loans on accommodation papers, and thus curtail the amount of their notes in circulation.

"The better to effect this object, and to sustain the credit of the Bank, they have determined to make no dividend of the profits for the last six months, but make use of them, with such other means as they can command, for procuring such available funds as shall, in future, enable them to meet more promptly, demands which may be made upon the Institution."

Banking.—The Pennsylvania Gazette mentions, on the authority of a friend acquainted with the fact, that there never has been a failure at Bridgeport, Connecticut. The bank at that place has, for the last twenty years, never changed its President nor its policy. It discounts all the business paper of the town, but has never discounted an accommodation note.—*Gazette.*

Capital convictions.—At the Superior Court for Cabarrus county, held in Concord, last week, Judge

Donnell presiding, negroes Joe, the property of Mr. George Kizer, and Molly, the property of Mr. George Long, were tried, the first for murdering Mrs. Long, wife of the aforementioned Mr. Long; and the latter as "an accessory before the fact;" and were both found guilty. The Judge sentenced them to be hung on Friday, the 30th instant.

Joseph Weir, who was convicted, at the last fall term of Cabarrus Superior Court, of kidnapping negroes, and sentenced to be hung—but who appealed to the Supreme Court, and whose decision, we have heretofore advised our readers, was, that the sentence of the Court below be carried into effect—has been ordered to be executed on the same day.—*Car.*

Beat this.—From sixty sheep, Mr. Nicholas M. Lewis, of this vicinity, received 200 pounds of clean wool. One sheep alone yielded four and three-quarter pounds.—*Milton Gaz.*

Cotton.—The New-York Telegraph, in congratulating the public on the advance which has taken place in the price of Cotton, has the following remarks:

"The Southern Planter will smile at the prospect of getting some return for his produce.—The Southern merchant will be twice blessed, once in being able to receive, and once in being able to pay debts, and a new life and vigor will be diffused through our manufacturing establishments, for low prices are destructive to all, while medium rates will give a living to all, and insure a brisker trade. We cannot stop here, for we believe that activity in any one great staple will diffuse its influence to others, and thus create what all desire, a more *satisfactory* state of affairs. One word of caution—remember 1825!!—Don't go too far!"

Foreign.—European intelligence to the 18th ult. has been received at Philadelphia. The great question of war or peace between the Allied Powers and the Turks, still remains undecided. The British and French ministers positively assert that the tranquillity of Europe will not be disturbed; but at the same time we learn from authentic sources, that immense hordes of Asiatic troops are collecting in the vicinity of Constantinople—that Austria is organising a large army—that Russia has 700,000 men ready for the field—that the military peace establishment of France has recently been increased from 170,000 to 250,000 men—and that a very considerable augmentation of the British naval force will immediately take place. What will be the result of these formidable preparations, time only can determine. Our great staple Cotton is improving both in demand and in price in the Liverpool market.

MARRIED,

In this county, on Sunday evening last, Mr. Elisha Woodard, aged 70 years, to Miss Teresa Deberry, aged 18.

In Halifax county, on Thursday evening, 22d inst. by the Rev. Joshua Lawrence, Mr. Robert Wimberly, of Tennessee, to Miss Margaret Ann Powell

Price Current.

MAY 23.		per	Peters'g.	N. York.
Bacon,	lb	7	8	9
Brandy,	gal.	35	37 1/2	40
Corn,	bu'h	35		45
Cotton,	lb	8	10 1/2	9
Coffee,	-	16	17 1/2	13
Flour, family,	bb'l	600	475	500
Iron,	ton	\$110	112	\$90
Molasses,	gal	35	40	32
Rum, New-Eng.	-	42	57	38
Sugar, brown,	lb	9	12 1/2	8
— leaf,	-	18	25	17
Tea, Young Hyson,	-	100	125	90
— Imperial,	-	140	150	120
Wheat,	bu'l	80	85	90
Whiskey,	gal.	33	36	27

North-Carolina Bank Note.

At Petersburg, 8 to 10 per cent. discount.
At New-York, 8 to 12 - do.

Look!

I HAVE RECEIVED, and offer for sale, one hundred barrels of

Cut Herrings,

Warranted to be good—price \$4, cash, per barrel.

JOSHUA WATSON.

Palmyra, May 27, 1828. 41-3

Goods at Half Price!

MARSHALL & ARNOT,

HAVING determined to close their business, will sell their Stock on hand at COST, and many articles less—aware of the reduced prices of Dry Goods, they offer many articles at *Half of their former Prices*. They solicit the attention of their friends and the public generally, and inform them that altho' they have not received any Goods this spring, yet they have many articles as desirable and as good as those just received.

Halifax Town, May 31, 1828.

☞ We have on hand a few barrels of prime *Cut Herrings*, which are offered at the lowest market price. Also, a few barrels good *Apple Brandy*.
41-3 M. & A.



Masonic Notice.

THE ANNIVERSARY of St. John the Baptist will be celebrated the 24th June, by the members of

Concord Lodge, No. 58,

TARBOROUGH.

The Masonic Fraternity are respectfully invited to attend.

By order of the Lodge,

D. RICHARDS, Sec'y.

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Valuable Land

FOR SALE.

ON THURSDAY, the 26th of June next, will be exposed to Public Sale, at Providence, (the residence of Maj. Lunsford R. Cherry,) in the county of Edgecombe, a valuable

Tract of Land,

The property of Hansel Linch, containing about three hundred and twenty acres; lying on Swift Creek, and adjoining the lands of Maj. L. R. Cherry, the heirs of Moody Porter and others. To those who wish to purchase a small farm, I recommend this; not only for the quality of its soil, the conveniency of its buildings and the healthiness of its situation; but, also, for the superiority of its range for hogs, cattle, &c.

The terms, which will be accommodating, (credit entirely,) will be made known on the day of sale.

R. PITTMAN,

Att'y in fact of H. Linch.

May 28, 1828. 41-4