From the Western Continent. THE WILMOT PROVISO AND THE SOUTH. In another part of our paper, to-day, will

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be found an able article from the Charleston Mercury, on the-unconstitutionality of the Wilmot Proviso. We are gratified to observe the firm and decided stand which the editor of the Mercury has taken in reference to this important and exciting question. While most of the leading political presses of the South, on both sides are engaged in the discussion of the old party issues, the Mercury has raised aloft the banner of Southern rights, and neglecting all minor considerations, all local differences, is calling upon all parties to unite in defence of the constitutional guarantees of the Southern States. This is the right course; and we only wonder how any Southern editor, in view of the importance of this question to the South-in view of the steady persistance of the unanimous North, in this openly avowed measure of dictation and aggression—can for a moment hesitate to follow his example. While "The Wilmot Proviso" is the title of the leading article in almost every Northern paper we open, it is seldom mentioned in many of our Southern journals, or if alluded to at all, is only spoken of as a party measure to affect the local elections. Are the politicians of the South blind to the signs of the times? or are they so wedded to party that they are willing to sacrifice the permanent interests of of their section, for the triumph of a day? It can no longer be disguised that the people of the Northern States, irrespective of party, are determined on the enforcement of the principles contained in the Wilmot Proviso. They have been impelled to this resolution by the long teaching of fanatics, by envy, by prejudice, and by a desire for political power, and are encouraged now to venture the issue by the seeming apathy of the South.

During the long years of agitation which have passed, no effort has been made by the South to vindicate her cause. Whilst every interest at the North has been arrayed against us; while the literature, even the school books of the country have been impregnated with abolition sentiments; while presses have been established all over the land expressly to promulgate the slanders and falsehoods of our enemies, the people of the South have quietly patronized the North, even to the purchasing of her Sunday school tracts and literary periodicalsvoted with her in Congress, and sent her sons to be educated in her Colleges. Is it strange then that the people of the Northern States should lose all respect for our rights, or that they or that they should have determined to wrest from as what they do not conceive one half of the Wilmot Provisionists of

One half of the Wilniot Provisionists of the North are under the impression that public opinion at the Southers not very averse to the accomplishment of their design. The Philadelphia North American, a leading Whig journal, discussing this question, says that Jefferson and Madison were in favor of the doctrine, and, says the editor, we venture to assert that the most editor. We must attribute the editor's assertion to his ignorance of the apprior of four Southern at the most installed that the most is he to know better, it has even the testific that the well-like the soliding a majority of the Congressions of the party in power. Its colums are open of the party in power. Its colums are open to every man in the country, for the discussion of the party in power. Its colums are open to every man in the country, for the discussion of the party in power. Its colums are open to every man in the country, for the discussion of the party in power. Its colums are open to every man in the country, for the discussion of the party in power. Its colums are open to every man in the country, for the discussion of the party in power. Its colums are open to every man in the country, for the discussion of the party in power. Its colums are open to every man in the country, for the discussion of the party in power. Its colums are open to every man in the country, for the discussion of the party in power. Its colums are open to every man in the country, for the discussion of the party in power. Its colums are open to every man in the country, for the discussion of the party in power. Its colums are open to every man in the country, for the discussion of the party in the country, for the discuss

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tation; but if, on the contrary, they are resolved to maintain the so vereign position bequeathed them by their fathers, let them say to the North, in language not to be mistaken : "Stay your lawless aggressions, ere the point be passed at which endurance ceases to be a virtue."

Mock Oysters of Corn.—Take a dozen and a half ears of large young corn, and grate all the grains . off the cobb as fine as possible. Mix the grated corn with three large table spoonfuls of sifted flour, the yolks of six eggs well beaten. Let all be well incorporated by hard beating. Have ready in a frying pan an equal proportion of lard and fresh butter, hold it over the fire until it is boiling hot, and then put in portions of the mixture as nearly as possible in shape and size like fresh oysters. Fry them brown and send them to the table hot, they should be near an inch thick.

A young lady in Boston recently fainted on entering a room where stood a beaureau without drawers. At least so says the Boston Post.

"Overcome evil with good," as the gentleman said, when he knocked down the burglar with the family Bible.

An Irish sailor once visited a city where, he said, "they copper bottomed the tops of their houses with sheet lead."

REMOVAL.

Wm. Ketcham & Co. Have removed their stock of Dry Goods to the store under the American Hotel, (late Hubbard's where it is their purpose to keep a full assortment of

American, French and English DRY GOODS,

We would take this opportunity to return our thanks to our numerous friends for the very liberal patronage bestowed on us for the last six years, and would solicit a continuance o their favors.

We would also invite all persons buying Dry Goods in Hamburg, who are not already on our list of customers, to give us a trial.

Our stock will consist of a much larger and

more general assortment than we have heretofore kept. We will also continue to keep our usual assortment of CARPETTING. OIL CLOTH, FLOOR MATTING, BONNETS, and Ladies' and Childrens'

N. B .- Just received a full assortment of all numbers of DUTCH BOLTING CLOTHS, which, together with all articles in our line, will be sold as low as they can be

procured in Hamburg or Augusta, WM. KETCHAM & CO. Hamburg, Aug I1

To The Public.

The undersigned would respectfully announce to Travellers and persons visiting Hamburg, that he has taken for a term of years, the HO-TEL, long known as HUBBARD'S AME-RICAN HOTEL, which it is his purpose to keep as such a House should be kept, and wil only promise to all who favor him with a call that he will do all in his power to please; and where as much Comfort and Quiet may be

expected as can be found at any Public House. A careful and attentive Hostler will be kept constantly in the Stable, and Horses shall be attended to in a way that shall give

entire satisfaction. A liberal patronage is respectfully solicited.

WM. KETCHAM.

Hamburg, Aug Il

A CARD.

The undersigned returns her most grateful acknowledgments for the liberal patronage long bestowed upon her, and takes great pleasure in recommending to her friends and for-mer patrons, Mr. WM. KETCHAM, in whose management of the House she has the utmost confidence, and would solicit for him a continuance of their favors.
SARAH HUBBARD.

The Daily National Whig, Is published in the city of Washington, every day at three o'clock, P. M., Sundays excepted, and served to subscribers in the City, at the Navy Yard, in Georgetown, in Alexandria, and in Baltimore the same evening, at 6½ cents a week, payable to the sole agent of the Whig, G. L. Gilchrest, Esqr., or his order. It is also mailed to any part of the United States for \$4 per annum, or \$2 for 6 months, payable in advance.

The National Whig is what its name indicates. It speaks the soutiments of the Whigh

cates. It speaks the sentiments of the Whig party of the Union on every question of public policy. It advocates the election to the Presidency of Zachary Taylor, subject to the decision of a Whig National Convention. It makes war to the knife upon all the measures and acts of the Administration deemed to be adverse to the interests of the country, and

Hogan & Thompson, WHOLESALE BOOKSELLERS AND STATIONERS, No. 30 North Fourth Street,

Have for the supply of Booksellers, Country Merchants and others, a large and complete assortment of BOOKS, STATIONERY, and FANCY ARTICLES.

H. & T. are the publishers of School and Standard Books, Manufacturers of Blank Books and most of the articles of American Stationery; and keeping also a handsome assortment of FOREIGN FANCY STATIONERY, they are enabled to offer extraordinary inducements to purchasers, in the prices, variety, and extent of their stock.

Having recently become the Commission Agents of some of the most extensive Paper Makers, they can offer to wholesale or retail dealers and to printed and binders, LET-TER, CAP, LEDGER, WRITING and PRINTING PAPERS, at very low prices. They will also keep constantly on hand a stock of WALL, WINDOW, & SCREEN PAPERS, of the most beautiful patterns and brilliant colours, at manufacturers' prices.

BLANK BOOKS of their own superior make, are always kept in quantities to supply

orders, or made up to such particular patterns as may be required.

MERCHANTS' SOW-BILLS, or Advertising Cards for New Goods.—H. & T. have been printing these Showbills for the last year or two for their customers in a very beautiful style, but for the approaching season they have had some New and Elegant Designs engraved, which will make a more showy and attractive advertising sheet than has before been printed, and they particularly invite the attention of merchants to this article, which will be furnished at a very mode-

Desirous of retaining their old customers, and of adding as many new ones as possible to their list, H. & T. will endeavor always to have such a stock of articles in their line as is to be found in any other establishment, and their prices will be found to range as low as any other house, they hope, therefore, the advantages which they can offer will induce all dealers in these articles to call at NO. 30 NORTH FOURTH STREET, whenever they visit Philidelphia,

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Ware-House and Commission BUSINESS.

HAMBURG, S. C.

The subscribers having leased the Ware House in Hamburg. Tately occupied by Smith & Ben & son, under the firm of RAMEY & TAGGART. They offer their services to their friends and the public generally, in the STORAGE and SALE of COTTON, FLOUR, BACON, and Produce of all kinds; RECEIVING and FORWARDING MER. CHANDIZE, and Purchasing Goods to Or-

der, &c. They hope, by strict attention, to merit a share of public patronage.

Their House will be open on the first September for the transaction of business. JOHNSON RAMEY.

JOHN TAGGART. June 23, 1847. OF The Hamburg Journal will copy the above until further orders.

Warehouse and Factorage. The subscribers have pur-chased from Nathon L. Griffin, Esq., the Cotton Warehouse in Dr. J. F. Griffin. and formerly by Messrs. H. L. Jeffers & Co., situated at the foot of

the Hill, and immediately at the head of the main business street. From its superlor location, and being surrounded by a stream of water, it is comparatively exempt from the casualty of fire and entirely above the reach of high freshets.

They propose to carry on exclusively the WAREHOUSE and GENERAL FAC-TORAGE BUSINESS, under the firm of GEIGER & PARTLOW.

Having engaged an experienced and cometent assistant, in addition to their own personal attention, and possessing means to make liberal advances on produce consigned to their care, they hereby tender their servisces to Planters, Merchants and others, in the STORAGE and SALE of COTTON, FLOUR, BACON, and other PRODUCE, in RECEIVING and FORWARDING MERCHANDISE, and PURCHASING GOODS to ORDER.

W. W. GEIGER. JAS. Y. L. PARTLOW. June 9

Bagging and Rope.

The subscriber offers to sell at the lowest rates of the market,

150 p's. heavy KENTUCKY BAGGING
75 do. DUNDEE do
As suitable for making sheets to sun wheat
on, forty-five inches wide. Orders from his friends and the public generally for these articles, will be strictly attended to. He soli-J. HOWARD. I5 4tsm

The State of South Carolina, ABBEVILLE DISTRICT. IN EQUITY.

Asbury R. Ramey, Adm'r.; v. Mary Don-ald, et al.—Bill to Marshall Assets, &c. By order of the Court of Equity, the Commissioner By order of the Court of Equity, the Commissioner appoints the first Monday in October next, within which time the creditors of the estate of John A. Donald, deceased, are required by said order to establish their demands against said estate.

H. A.JONES, c. s. oner's Office, July 7, 1837. 20-13t

Notice to absent Heirs &c.

All persons having demands, or owing, the
Betate of Samusi Foster, senior, deceased,
will present them by the first Monday in No-

Head Quarters.



LIMESTONE SPRINGS. July 1, 1847.

Order No. -The following Regiments will parade for Review and Drill, at the times and places as follows, viz:

The 39th Regiment of Infantry, near Ruff's Mountain, on Tuesday, the 10th of August next.

The 38th Regiment of Infantry, at Keller's, on Thursday, the 12th of August. The 10th Regiment of Cavalry, at Martin's, on Saturday, the 14th of August.

The 40th Regiment of Infantry, at Boyd's on Tuesday, the 17th of August. The 41st Regiment of Infantry, at Park's

Old Field, on Thursday, the 19th of Au-

The 45th Regiment of L Burnt Factory, on Saturday. 21st of The 9th Regiment of Cavalry, near the

Glenn Springs, on Tuesday, the 24th of August...

The 36th Regiment of Infantry, at Tim-mons' Old Field, on Tuesday, the 31st of The 1st Regiment of Infantry, at Bru-

ton's, on Thursday, the 2nd of September The 3d Regiment of Infantry, at Toney's

Old Store, on Saturday, the 4th of Septem-The 1st Regiment of Cavalry, at Pick-ensville, on Tuesday, the 7th of Septem-

The 5th Regiment of Infantry, at Hunter's, on Thursday, the 9th of September.

The 2d Regiment of Infantry, at Hall's, on Saturday, the 11th of September. The 42d Regiment of Infantry, at Min-

ton's, on Tuesday, the 14th of September. The 4th Regiment of Infantry, at Varennes, on Thursday, the 16th of Septem-

The 6th Regiment of Infantry, at Lomax's, on Saturday, the 18th of September. The 8th Regiment of Infantry, at any place the the Brigadier General may select, and report to this Department the point selected, on Tuesday, the 21st of September.

The 2d Regiment of Cavalry, at Longmire's on Thursday, the 23d of Septem-

The 9th Regiment of Infantry, at Low's, on Saturday, the 25th of September.

The 7th Regiment of Infantry, at the Old Wells, on Tuesday, the 28th of Sep-

The 10th Regiment of Infantry, at Richardson's on Thursday, the 30th of Septem-

The Commissioned and Non-Commissioned Officers will assemble at their respective parade grounds on the day previous to review, for drill and instruction.

The Major Generals will, with their staff, attend the reviews, in their divisions, and the Brigadier Generals will, with their staff, attend in their respective Brigades, and are charged with the extension of this order.

By order of the Commander-in-C

J. W. CANTEY, Adj't. and Insp'r. General. July 28

Cotton Press.

We offer to the citizens of Abbeville and the adjoining Districts, our improved SWING. ING FULCRE PRESS. The invention was not the result of mere chance, but of long experience and mathematical calculation. As to power, it is equal, if not superior, to any thing now in use. It requires less tim-ber, easier framed, and put up in less time, and with less danger than a screw; and the Press will last as long as any timber protected from the weather or above ground. From the number of these Presses which are now in the number of these Presses which are now in use from North Carolina to Mexico, we feel no hesitancy in saying that they will supercede the Screw; and there are ten of our Presses up to one of any other, and we feel justified in saying fifty to one. The average duration of Screws in this District is not more than four and a half or five years, and as there is not less than five hundred Screws, see what is paid out in one year.

see what is paid out in one year.

For single or individual rights, \$15.00.

We offer the District rights for sale on very low terms, which we consider a greater speculation than there is in the country.

Persons wishing information respecting the Press, will find me for two weeks to come at the residence of Mr. James Cobb. I wil build one more Press in this District for \$50, Trivented in Barnwell District; S. C. PROVOST, Patentee.

June 9

The State of South Carolina. ABBEVILLE DISTRICT.

CANDIDATES.

FOR TAX , COLLECTOR. We are authorized to announce JOHN M.

GOLDING as a candidate for Tax Collecto at the ensuing election. We are authorized to announce JAMES M. CALVERT, as a candidate for TAX

COLLECTOR, at the ensuing election.
The friends of Capt. E. C. MARTIN,
announce him as a candidate for TAX COLLEC-TOR, at the next ensuing election.
The friends of WILLIAM J. HAM-

MOND, take pleasure in announcing him a Candidate for TAX COLLEGTOR at the Ensuing election.
The Friends of JOSEPH S. D. WETH-ERALL, amounce him as a Candidate for TAX COLLECTOR, at the ensuing elections.

The friends of the Rev. JAS. MOORE respectfully announce him as a candidate for the office of Tax Collector at the ensuing

election.
The Friends of W S. HARRIS, announce him as a candidate for re-election to the office of TAX COLLECTOR, at the ensuing election.

We are authorised to announce JOHN CUNNINGHAM, as a candidate for TAX COLLECTOR, at the next election.

The friends of EZEKIEL TRIBLE announce him as a candidate for the office of Tax Collector at the ensuing election.

We are authorized to announce T. T. CUNNINGHAM as a candidate for Tax Collector at the ensuing election.

Greenwood Female Academy.

ABBEVILLE DISTRICT, S. C. (Under the Control of the Baptist Denomination.)

The first session of this Institution terminated on Friday the 11th instant, in the handsome and commodious school-house recently erected in the above salubrious and pleasant village. The principals, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Nicholls, are desirous to tender their grateful acknowledgments to their friends and the public for the very liberal patronage so early bestowed on their new undertaking, and to assure them that neither labor nor expense shall be spared to ensure a continuance of the confidence thus implied. They have had forty pupils under their charge during the present session, and are now prepared, both with competent assistants and airy and convenient school-rooms, to receive a much greater number: similar arrangements are made to secure comfortable board to all appli-

They again submit to the Public their very reasonable terms

Per Session of Five Months. Orthography, Reading, Writing and Arithmetic, ; ; ; ; ; ; \$6.00 The above, with Geography, Gram-

mar, Parsing and Composition, : The above, with History, Moral and Intellectual Philosophy, Logic and

Rhetoric, : ; ; ; ; : : 12.00 The above, with Natural Philosophy, Use of the Globes, Construction of

Maps, Algebra, Geometry, Chemistry, Botany and Astronomy, : 15.00

The French and Spanish Languages,
each : : : : : : : 10.00

A Philosophical Apparatus will soon be

Mrs. Nicholls's Department. MUSIC-Piano and Singing, ; : 20.00 Use of the Piano, 5: : : Embroidery and other Fancy Needle-

york, (the pupil finding her own materials,) : : : : : 8.00 Good board can be obtained at \$8.00 per

Miss Sarah A. Anderson, who is engaged as assistant instructress in Music, is prepared to give lessons in Drawing and Oil and Wa-

er-color Painting. The second session commences Monday the 26th of July next, and it is earnestly recommended that every pupil should be present on that day.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholls confidently refer to his Excellency Gov. Johnson and the Hon. F. H. Elmore, of Columbia; to the Hon. William J. Grayson and John C. Hoff, Bsq., of Charleston; to the Rev. Dr. Thomas Curtis, of Limestone Springs, in whose school they taught during the year 1846; and to any of the parents of their present pupils. Greenwood, June 12 16

The State of South Carolina.

ABBEVILLE DISTRICT,

In the Court of Common Pleas.

Benjamin F. Spikes, who has been arrested, and is now confined within the bounds of the jail of Abbeville District, by virtue of a writ of capias ad satisfaciendum, at the suit of Wade S Cothran and James Sproul, flaving filed his petition, with a schedule, on oath, of his whole estate and effects, for the purpose of obtaining the benefit of the Acts of the General Assembly commonly called "the Insolvent Debtors Act:"—Public Notice is hereby given that the petition of the said Benjamin Fly that the petition of the said Benjamin T. Spikes will be heard and considered in the Court of Common Pleas to be holden for Abbeville District, at Abbeville Court House, or the third Monday of October next, unon an other day thereafter as the said Gourt in order; and all the creditors of the said Bermin F. Spikes are hereby summoned persually or by attorney to be and appear then a there, in the said Court, to shew cause. It is they can, why the benefit of said should not be granted to an F. Spikes, upon the testing the cuting the assign nent receive aforesaid. J. F. LIVIVES