

Political

Extract from Mr. Rhett's Speech in Charleston.

My friends, there have been nineteen years of Republicanism in this country...

There are but two ways under Heaven, by which a written Constitution, establishing a free Government, can be preserved...

If a dissolution of the Union is the most alternative to submission to a servitude without limitation in its powers, it may not be improper to glance at its consequences...

In them then any thing the Union now abhors, which the South could not as well possess without it. In the taxes imposed and expended, we will be free.

bloody catastrophe which must mark her fall. I have thus, fellow-citizens, fulfilled my duty. I have, in obedience with open breast to you this night, of your present condition and future political prospects...

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Washington Correspondence OF THE CHARLESTON COURIER. It was ascertained, last week, that the Compromise scheme must certainly fail in the Senate, without some essential amendments.

Washington City, July 29, 1850. The Senate was quite the theatre of a scene yesterday, and Mr. CLAY was impudently the Roscius. He made what was called the closing speech on the Compromise debate.

THE SOUTHERN BANNER. Sunterville, So. Ca. WEDNESDAY, JULY 31, 1850. Messrs. A. White & Co. are Agents for the Banner in Sunterville.

We know not what may be the feelings of the people of other Southern States, but we feel assured, that, if Mr. Rhett is a traitor, all the citizens of this State, with few exceptions, are traitors also.

It is well understood that the new administration is in favor of compromising the Texan question and opposed to the admission of New Mexico as a State. In fine, the policy that governs the administration is Mr. Webster's and Mr. Clay's policy.

Washington City, July 31, 1850. The officers of the Navy, Army, and Marine Corps, including Generals Scott, Wool, Jessup, and Gibson, and Commodores Moore and Warrington, waited on the President...

The Crescent City arrived at New York on the 23d inst., bringing the latest intelligence from California. She brought 157 passengers and \$180,000 in gold in the hands of the passengers.

United States Census for 1850. As the census taker is about to visit the Citizens of our District, we publish for their convenience the questions which the head of each family should be prepared to answer.

QUESTIONS TO BE ANSWERED BY EACH HEAD OF FAMILY. 1st. How many persons in your family on the first of June, profession and occupation of each.

QUESTIONS TO BE ANSWERED BY EACH HEAD OF FAMILY. 10th. How many acres of improved land, and how many unimproved have you.

QUESTIONS TO BE ANSWERED BY EACH HEAD OF FAMILY. 19th. How many bushels of wheat, corn, oats, did you make in the year ending first June 1850.

QUESTIONS TO BE ANSWERED BY EACH HEAD OF FAMILY. 28th. What was your market garden worth for the same year, ending first June 1850.

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REMOVING.

The office of the Southern Banner has been removed to the new building (repairing) one door north of A. J. & P. Moore's store.

The Market.

The Charleston Cotton market continues very quiet. The transactions on Saturday were limited to 394 bales.

Southern Union - Its Necessity.

The Southern Press of a late date publishes the following extract from a letter by a Northern gentleman, who has been elected next to the very highest station in this Government...

Religious Intelligence.

Queen Victoria has been convicted and sentenced to 7 years transportation.

Release and Arrival of Most of the Corby Prisoners.

A letter from a friend in Pennsylvania, dated Sunday, July 28th, contains the following welcome news.

From Texas.

By a despatch from N. Orleans, we learn that late advices from Santa Fe, represent the execution of the New Mexican Affairs as still unsettled.

Cross.

The Franklin (Ma) Democrat, 24th inst., says: "There has been a great improvement in the prospect of the cotton crop in the last few weeks in this vicinity."

Prospect of the Cotton Crop.

Notwithstanding the extremely unfavorable prospect, and the bad season, we understand from several planters with whom we have conversed, that with a favorable fall, a tolerable good crop may be made.

The Southern (Jackson) Mirror.

The Mirror of the 15th inst. says: "The incessant rains of the past week have seriously injured the Cotton crop in this parish."

Travellers in Ohio.

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- 4th. How many acres of improved land, and how many unimproved have you. 5th. How many acres of land in woods, pasture, or otherwise unimproved.

QUESTIONS TO BE ANSWERED BY EACH HEAD OF FAMILY.

- 19th. How many bushels of wheat, corn, oats, did you make in the year ending first June 1850. 20th. How many bushels of rice or lbs. of tobacco did you make the same year.

QUESTIONS TO BE ANSWERED BY EACH HEAD OF FAMILY.

- 28th. What was your market garden worth for the same year, ending first June 1850. 29th. How many lbs. of butter and cheese did you make in the same year.