grees with their own weapons."
listlowre was made to me by Mr.
lechama, a member of Congress
mayivants, a gentleman of the first
bility and intelligence. The evene, he had communicated, substanticate with me, and ascertain my velve on the subject. This he declined doing, suggesting to Mr. Buchanan that he, as well as himself, could converse with me, and ascertain my opinion; though, from his knowledge of me, he thought he could well conjecture my answers—that I would eater into no engagements whatever. It was the morning succeeding this interview, after Major Eaton had objected to converse with me on the subject, and before I had set out from my lodging for the capitol, that Mr. Buchanan came to visit me, and when the conversation I have stated took place. The answer returned has already been published, and need not here be repeated.

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To be thus approached by a gentleman of Mr. Buchanan's high character and standing, with an apology proferred at the time for what he was about to remark to mossome who, as I understood, had always, to that moment, been on familiar and friendly terms are that on certain minment, been on familiar and friendly terms with Mr. Clay, distiring me that on certain terms and conditions being assented to on my part, then, "by an union of Mr. Clay and his friends, they would put an end to the presifriends, they would put an end to the presi-dential contest in one hour," what other con-clusion or inference was to be made, than that he spoke by authority, either of Mr. Clay himself or some of his confidential friends. The character of Mr. Buchanan, with me, forbids the idea that he was acting on his own responsibility, or that, under any cir-cumstances, he could have been induced to propose an arrangement, unless possessed of satisfactory assurances, that, if accepted, it would be carried fully into effect. A weak mind would seldom or ever be thus disposed

to act, an intelligent one never.

Under all the circumstances appearing at that time, I did not resist the impression that Mr. Buchanan had approached me on the cautiously submitted proposition of some au-thorized person; and, therefore, in giving him my answer, did request him "to say to Mr. Clay and his friends," what that answer had been Whetherthecommunication was made to Mr. Clay and his friends, I know not; this, though, I do know, that while the opinions and course of Mr. Clay as to the election, were but matter of conjecture with many at were but matter of conjecture with many at and before this time, very shortly after this and before this time, very shortly after this conversation took place, his, and his friend's opinions betame forwith matter of certainty and general knowledge. Still I have not said, nor do I now say, that the proposal made to me was "with the privity and tonient" of Mr. Clay; nor, either, have I said that his friends in Congress made tropositions to me. These are Mr. Clay's interpretations of my letter to Mr. Beverley, and not what my letter itself contains. What I have stated, are the facts of a conversation between myself and a thember of Congress of high respectability. The conclusion and inference from that conversation—the time—manner—and all the circumstances, satisfied my mind that it was not unauthorized. inference from that conversation—the time
—manner—and all the circumstances, satisfied my mind that it was not unauthorized.
So I have thought, and so I still think; and yet, I sgain repeat, that in this supposition I may have possibly done Mr. Clay injustice. If he should be able to austain the averments he has made, and noguit himself of any agency and participation in the matter, I beg leave to assure him, that, so far from affording me pain, it will give me pleasure. I certainly can have no desire that the character of my country, through the acts of a prominent citizen, shall rest under any serious imputation: for the bonor of that country, I should greatly prefer that any inference I have made may turn out to be ill founded.

Mr. Clay declares his great satifaction, that this matter has at last been brought to light, and to public consideration. He feels rejoiced "that a specific accusation by a responsible accuser has at length appeared."

To this a passing notice is due.

It must be recyclected, that in consequence of a letter from Mr. George Kremer in January, 1835, an inquiry was set on fort in Congress upon the application of Mr. Clay himself.

On this memorable occasion, of guilt im-

On this memorable occasion, of guilt imputed on the one hand, and innocence main-tained on the other, Mr. M'Duffie, it will be recollected, submitted for conside-ration to the House of Representatives, as on the one hand, and innocence mainration to the House of Representatives, as matter of instruction to the committee, the following resolution:—!* That the said committee be instructed to inquire whether the friends of Mr. Clay have hinted that they would fight for those who would pay best, or any thing to that effect; and whether overtures were said to have been made by the friends of Mr. Adams to the friends of Mr. Clay, offering the appointment of Secretary of State for his sid to elect Adams; and we there the friends of Clay gave this information of State for his aid to elect Adams; and wether the friends of Clay gave this information to the friends of Jackson, and hinted that if his friends would offer the same price, they would close with them; and whether Henry Clay has transferred, or resolved to transfer, his interest to John Q. Adams; and whether it was said and believed, that as a consideration for this abandoument of duty to his congituents, Clay was to be appointed Secretary of State, and that the said committee be authorized to send for persons and papers, and thorized to send for persons and papers, and to compel the persons so sent for to answer upon oath."

Now, here is a resolution, officially submit-ted, covering more than the ground of my communication to Mr. Beverley, and resting in connexion with an accusation publicly charged in the newspapers, and yet Mr. Clay, at this late period, professes to be re-

onsideration of the lothed in the pointed phraseology, that this moreon it be inferred, that in a matter so clothed in the pointed phraseology that this is, nor can it be inferred, that in a matter so serious, the friends of Mr. Clay would have voted against extending this asked for power to the committee. An innocent man before an importal tribunal fears not to meet the exercise of any power that competent authority gives; and far less should he distrust that exercise, when in the hands of correct and honorable men.

Innocence never socks for safety through covert ways and hidden ambuscades; she fights by day and in the open plain, and proud in her own strength, meets her enemy fear-lessly. In the proposition submitted by Mr. M'Duffie, there was nothing to alarm, nothing that innocence should have doubted about; it was neither more nor less, than a

about; it was neither more nor less, than a call of the attention of the committee to particular inquiries with an application for pow-er to ferret out the truth, through an appeal to the oath of those who might be called upon

to depose before them.
Without documents, and unacquainted with the number of Mr. Clay's friends, in the house, I cannot assert that they were in op-position to Mr. M'Duffie's resolution. Yet it is obvious, that the influence he possessed would have been amply sufficient to produce a different result, had Mr. Clay been at all

lesirous that a different one should have been produced. The resolution contained strong produced. The resolution contained strong imputations, and serious charges—Mr. Clay and his friends were both implicated. Can it be presumed, under such a state of general excitement, that if Mr. Clay desired it, he could not have found, present and at hand, some friend to ask in his behalf, that the resolution should be adopted, and full powers extended to the committee? And moreover, can it be thought, that such an indulgence, if desired by Mr. Clay, or any of his friends, could or would have been denied? And yet, t was denied, inasmuch as the resolution was rejected and the power asked for, refused to the committee. A solicitude to find "a specific accusation, by a responsible accuser," could not then, as it is earnestly expressed now, or else so excellent an opportunity being afforded to encounter both, both could be the second to th not have been so carelessly regarded-so contemned, and so thrown away. A controver-sy with me can no more disclose or render apparent Mr. Clay's innocence than could the controversy placed within his reach two and a half years ago; and yet, while the one was avoided, or at any rate not embraced with a zeal corresponding with the necessity of the occasion, at the prospects presented by the other exceeding joy seems to be mani-

Then, as now, a threefic accusation

One further remark and I am done, with a hope that, on this subject, I may not be un-der any necessity of again appearing in the newspapers. In saying what I have, all the circumstances considered, I have felt it was due to myself and to the public. My wish would have been, to avoid having any thing to say or do in this matter, from an apprehen-sion well conceived, that persons will not be wanting who may charge, whatever is done, to a desire to affect others, and benefit myself. My own feelings, though, are of higher importance and value to me, than the opinion of those who impose censure where it is believed not to be deserved. I have been actuated by no such design, nor governed by any such consideration. The origin—the beginning of this matter, was at my own house and firetide; where surely a freeman may be permitted to speak on public topics without naving ascribed to him improper designs. I have not gone into the highways and market places to proclaim my opinions, and in this, feel that I have differed from some, who even at public dinner tables, have not scrupled to consider me as a legitimate subject for a speech, and the entertainment of the company. Yet, for this, who has heard me com-plain? No one. Trusting to the justice of an intelligent people, I have been content to rely for security on their decision; against the countless assaults and slanders which so repeatedly are sought to be palmed upon them, without seeking to present myself in my own defence, and still less, to become, "the re-possible accuser" of Mr. Clay or any other person. ANDREW JACKSON.

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October next. Apply by letter to the subscriber.
ISAAC PORCHER,
President of the Board of Trustees.
August 17

To the Public.

MY first communication to the community MY first communication to the community was necessary to remove undue lapressions, by cautioning them against certain circulated singlers, relative to my consern with R. Sondiely, whose indecent and illegal traspass on my promises in the night, and with a pratended posess officer, subservient to his purposes. If such conduct is allowed, no man's domicle can protect him from insult and injury to his person, property, or repatation. The propriety of my public contions, is indubitably evident from the fettilous, and very sourcitous piece of John I, Watter, as appointed in the last Telescope It is a declaration of atrecty, and involent confession of their very ted intentions; they are fit associates to labor in a plot of defamation. I therefore decline an written aution hereafter, to any of his, or R. Sondisy's productions. It may much profit them, to seriously read the decalogue, "that basis of divine law, and divine justice," and to communion that the third command is not abrogated, or the aboth yet repealed. To Night Walkers.

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WM C. PRESTON, Chairman.

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