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NEW-ORLEANS:
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## PROFESSIONS AND PRACTICE.

We noticed the other day, a few of the undemocratic features of our democratic professing administration. The fact alone was by no means complete; we have undertook to show the difference between words and acts of the present dynasty in office, and the democracy he would, indeed, have us to believe is all at sixes and sevens to take. Let us, [illegible] the real value which the [illegible] place upon democracy, pursue the Martin vs. political disquisitions, and [illegible] democracy with that of Martin Van Buren. He will perceive that one is the very antipode of the other. The democracy of 1828 would [illegible] federalism in the days of Jefferson [illegible] as Buchanan, Wall, Hubbard and [illegible] have been placed among the most strenuous opposers of John Adams and Alexander Hamilton. There is no doubt whatever that Mr. Van Buren [illegible] a great many admirable and whole[illegible] traits. He professes economy—and his administration [illegible] $10,000,000 a year, he professes [illegible] frauds—and systematically attempts [illegible] to desire to weaken the power [illegible] and is strenuing every nerve to [illegible] the sword, he professes to [illegible] the organ of these unhappy [illegible] cohorts of office holders to [illegible] them and persists in schemes which [illegible] condemned and disowned, he professes [illegible] confident of the people and that of a party [illegible] through his name [illegible] recognize a man [illegible] and associates the eighty-five [illegible] and [illegible] himself to be [illegible] the processes the most [illegible] delinquency and peculation—[illegible] corruption, he had better for consistency [illegible] political title. But the truth is [illegible] of Mr. Van Buren meets with few [illegible] among the people. If left to themselves [illegible] to his flocks. But they are constantly [illegible] the machinations of office hold[illegible] interested demagogues who make talk [illegible] between the whigs and their opponents, and [illegible] political or sectional prejudices, call [illegible] to support administration measures [illegible] to protect them [illegible] constantly in the more benighted [illegible] hoodwinked from those who [illegible] in those dark and dreary spots, [illegible] throughout the light of [illegible] glimmer. In state like [illegible] and Alabama, where the [illegible] was not enough with barrels and [illegible] to carry the day, now boldly [illegible] the [illegible] Van Buren's [illegible] support of Mr Van Buren, by [illegible] of Jacksonism and [illegible] to their generosity not to desert him. Yet with all these obstacles to contend [illegible] the whigs prove triumphant by a majority [illegible] Tennessee may be counted upon [illegible] as Alabama in 1840.

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## THE ELECTION IN TENNESSEE

[illegible] of seventy counties. Returns [illegible] received from about one-fourth the number [illegible] in West Tennessee. Gov Cannon [illegible] some three hundred and fifty votes [illegible] in Middle Tennessee, Col Polk has [illegible] of four hundred. Consequently, in all [illegible] heard from, the loco-foco candidate for [illegible] 50 votes a head. The contest has [illegible] which was anticipated by some—seems [illegible] expected. Our impression was that [illegible] will be re-elected by a diminished [illegible] the whigs would certainly carry six [illegible] and the loco-foco as certainly [illegible] having five districts in which the [illegible] fought with great animation on both [illegible] the result might be considered as [illegible] the chances inclining in favor of the [illegible] stood unchanged by the recent [illegible] received. Gov Cannon [illegible] East Tennessee, where he is [illegible] influence and popularity of Judge [illegible] the state, no return [illegible] Last Tennessee will give [illegible] 15,000 to 20,000 West Tennessee [illegible] Memphis Enquirer will send the gun [illegible] the river with 2000 majority. Middle will at the worst, give the two candidates [illegible] we expect better things from it, inasmuch as most of the strong adhesion [illegible] in the immediate vicinity of Nashville [illegible] while the returns from the west [illegible] have not yet been received [illegible] to cultivate our belief that Gov [illegible] will be re-elected by a respectable majority [illegible] that in Tennessee the issue [illegible] made between Clay and Van Buren [illegible] Cincinnati seem blinded or [illegible] Whig minority have uniformly expressed [illegible] for Mr Clay, the administration can [illegible] with equal unanimity avowed their adoration [illegible] Van Buren. A whig victory in Tennessee [illegible] substantial source of congratulation [illegible] the administration. It will let [illegible] the state to the support of Mr Van Buren [illegible] Cut the whigs have [illegible] the [illegible] ordinary magnitude [illegible] the [illegible] treed every [illegible] the shoot of the Americans [illegible] the people [illegible] raising of a [illegible] to [illegible] Clay and to [illegible] support of Mr Van Buren, by [illegible] of Jacksonism and [illegible] to their generosity not to desert him. Yet with all these obstacles to contend [illegible] the whigs prove triumphant by a majority [illegible] Tennessee may be counted upon [illegible] as Ala state in 1840.

## POST-MASTER OF NEW ORLEANS

We understand that a letter has been received in this city from Washington, stating that the appointment of post master has been, or will be, conferred upon William McBurney, esq

## NEW MAIL ARRANGEMENT.

We neglected yesterday to state that, by instructions received from the post master general, the eastern mail for Mobile, will close, from and after the 13th instant, at 9 o'clock A. M.

## NAVAL.

The French frigate *La Gloire*, sloop of war *Naiade*, and brig of war *Lucie*, arrived at Pensacola on the 9th. They indeed, came during what is termed the hurricane season. The French squadron is under the command of Com Lanie. Our harbor, says the Gazette, now presents the unusual spectacle of two frigates, seven sloops of war, and one brig of war.

*** We learn by the New York Herald, that Mr. Poinsett, secretary of war, now in New York, has received despatches from general Scott, conveying the intelligence of his entire success in pacifying certain hostile demonstrations made by the Indians, in Wisconsin territory, against the United States. The mission of general Scott, says the Herald, was principally directed to the settlement of the differences between our own citizens and one of the tribes who had begun to violate the treaty—and in this mission the general has been eminently successful.

Characteristic.—Some weeks ago Stephen Lowell, a whig, was removed from the post office in Sangerville, Me., and Jackson Thissell, a rabid locofoco, appointed in his stead. Of the satisfaction given by this appointment we may judge by a card published by 56 citizens in several newspapers, requesting that all letters, newspapers, &c. sent to their address by mail, may be directed to *Guilford*, Me.,—"the post office in Sangerville having been entrusted by the government to an individual whom they deem incompetent to discharge the duties of the same, in a *safe*, appropriate and acceptable manner."

Specie.—The packets which left New York on the 1st, carried out not less than a million of dollars in specie. By the *Great Western*, $450,000; by the *British Queen*, $300,000, and by the Baltimore, for Havre, $246,000. The banks, says the Journal of Commerce, were called on for large sums, which they paid promptly, and without complaining, or seeming to consider the calls as unkind, or any thing else than fair business transactions.

Fire in Charleston.—A fire broke out in Charleston on the morning of the 7th, by which three wooden houses on Wall street were destroyed. In order to prevent the extension of the flames, a house adjoining the burning buildings was blown up, by which a laboring man, a native of Ireland was killed, and Mr Robert Burnham, injured.

A Fire occurred in Cincinnati on the 30th ultimo, which destroyed a large frame house in George street together with a small frame house adjoining it. The fire, which is the second this season, near the same spot, is supposed to be the work of an incendiary

Gov Gilmer, of Georgia, has had a relapse, and is again dangerously ill.

☞ The Houston National Intelligencer of the 9th states, that several of the fine oxen in the city of Austin sold as high as two thousand seven hundred dollars; and that the average of the whole sales would not fall short of fifteen hundred dollars a lot.

Mose Depatting.—The post master at Norfolk, Va., is discovered to be a defaulter to the tune of $4000. The *Globe* says, in his defence, that he is an *amiable and popular* man. We suppose that in the locofoco code of ethics, these qualities, especially the latter, are sufficient to shield a disciple of Swartwout from the odium that should follow theft.

*To the Editors of the New-Orleans Bee:—*

After having read myself, with much care and proper attention, the masterly exposition of the pseudo-democracy of Martin Van Buren and the cringing ambitude of mercenary satellites that do his bidding, which appeared in the editorial department of your valuable journal on Saturday last, I cannot restrain the disposition to ask the question, whether there be a single person living of sound mind, the enlightened, the independent and patriotic feelings of a freed *American* origin, that can or will, read that article, and not exclaim, "tell now the half had not been told me!" I ask, I repeat, if there be in a whether he be a Jew or Gentile, whig or tory, if he love his country, if he seriously regard those grand principles of *genuine* republicanism that constitute the broad basis upon which the beautiful structure of this government has been erected, he cannot read that article, I repeat, without feeling the alarming conviction that this administration is fast sapping the foundation of our liberties and subverting every trace principle of salutary government. And such has been the deplorable tendency of the present administration, from its commencement under the presidency of the great reformer, retrencher, warner chief him who shed relation in his first inaugural address to the congress of the U S., "*that no public patronage had been made subservient to electioneering purposes*" Thus says the official organ of the court of Mr James, upon whom M. Van Buren prevailed to set an example of slavishness and independence, that, perhaps, no other man in that country could have attempted Under him and his administration, the whole moral and political aspect of the country has been changed—usurpations and violations of law and the constitution have, for the first time, been sanctioned by the people and by congress." And this, forsooth, is the vaunted democracy of the father of democrats the modern Alkibiades "A Jew" and from his reign, was the same British journal, "England may learn a lesson on republicanism, which under his administration has proved a splendid failure." And "the people are now satisfied that they cannot govern themselves without a master This gentlemen, is the impression, I may say, the language of the British cabinet, upon the new fangled democracy of these degenerate times; and they utter it exultingly. Nothing could delight that government more than the present political tendency of the ruling democracy of this country. Has she not expended millions to quell the republican spirit in old Ireland—to exterminate, root and branch, republicanism in Germany and France, and to crush every vestige of it in Italy and Europe to zero. It is British influence, it is British intrigue, that has kept in a continual state of confusion and revolution the feeble republics of South America. And with government watching every pulsation of movement of this which thank God, in former days gave no occasion for out political enemies to rejoice. But on the contrary, under the wise the powerful, the republican administration of every president from the great and good Washington to the recentric John Q. Adams, this government has been a dreadful thorn in the sides of the monarchs of Europe And if the bright examples could be crushed, if the light of republican liberty could be put out, erected with the life's blood of our fore-fathers and maintained in unity and prosperity as a beacon light to the whole world, by the sage and patriotic administrations of Jefferson, Madison and their successors up to the twenty-ninth year of the nineteenth century, then, royalty would prevail and monarchies be established all over the world.

But England our near neighbor and distant relative knows full too well that this cannot be effected by external force, it can only be done by internal convulsions, unchecked usurpations, dissension and civil war, and it is the interest of Great Britain, says an able writer, to bring about these events; and she has been under the present dynasty, in part the fulfilment of that event, and rejoiced, to our shame and confusion be it said Yes, they laugh, and well they may, at our democracy. We all may they say, that we cannot govern ourselves, but must have a master, when we quietly submit to *so barbed usurpations, violations of law and the constitution* Will may they take to their bosoms Martin Van Buren—and his royal family—with his *democracy*, and say, this is our president with whom we are well pleased.

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☞ It was observed in Architratus, "that Greece could not be another Alcibiades, and I will add, nor America another Jackson

*[From the Baltimore Sun]*

## LATE FROM BUENOS AYRES.

By an arrival at this port, the "British Packet," an English paper printed at Buenos Ayres, has been received up to the 25th of May The legislature of Corrientes had received all the enactments made under the Astrada administration, both as regards the alliance with Don Fructuoso Rivera, and concession to the French, and declared the firm determination of their constituents to stand by their countrymen in the struggle for independence It is added that the new governor of Corrientes is to be colonel Jose Antonio Romero, an appointment that will meet the approbation of the other members of the confederation. The Packet gives a diary of the proceedings of the blockading squadron, and notes every shift and turn of the vessels By the diary we ascertain that on the 9th of May, 15 French launches entered the Arroya of Atalaya and burned 7 vessels The government has issued a proclamation, calling on all persons who have participated by this attack, to give an account to the government. On the Sunday previous the French ship Cerf captured several Uruguay coasting vessels. The success of the Argentine arms over general Santa Cruz, was celebrated with great pomp. Salutes, illuminations, and bonfires were the order of the day. Advices had been received from Valparaiso to the 15th April, in which it is stated that a detachment of 50 men from H B majesty's corvette Samarang, had landed and marched to the residence of the British vice consul, from whence they escorted on board the Samarang, generals Santa Cruz Cordena, and Millan, late governor of Rio la Rioja Aguero and their adjutants. The consul addressed a pretty severe note to the Chilian government on explanation, but received no answer. He intimates that if the persons named are taken to any part of the Peruvian territory, he will not answer for the fury of the people. On the 15th of April J P Dubois, the secret emissary of Rosas, sent to excite insurrections in the provinces of the interior, was arrested at Mendoza. He is a French man The provinces of Mendoza, San Juan, and Rioja, have addressed letters of congratulation to the governor of Buenos Ayres, on the occasion of the victory over Santa Cruz, whom they call a vile traitor colluding with Rosas On the 24th of May, the birthday of the queen of England, a treaty for the abolition of the slave trade was signed by the British minister, and the minister for foreign affairs of the Argentine confederation The Packet of the 25th contains a long correspondence between commodore Nicholson, commander of the naval forces of the United States, on that station, and his excellency, Juan Manuel de Rosas, governor of Buenos Ayres. The commodore offered his services as mediator between the Argentines and the French, and proposed some articles of reconciliation. They were, however, declined by his excellency, and others offered by him. These were rejected by the French commander, and the commodore offered some amendments which the French had agreed to The amendments were declined by the governor, and the negotiation was discontinued.

*[From the Washington Metropolis]*

A table showing the total amount of American and Foreign tonnage employed in foreign trade, from 1789 to 1837.

| Years. | Amount. | Years. | Amount. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1789 | 223,983 | 1814 | 116,067 |
| 90 | 403,510 | 15 | 917,913 |
| 91 | 603,240 | 16 | 1,136,184 |
| 92 | 636,957 | 17 | 992,302 |
| 93 | 611,330 | 18 | 916,515 |
| 94 | 608,623 | 19 | 826,473 |
| 95 | 657,009 | 20 | 880,112 |
| 96 | 721,892 | 21 | 846,621 |
| 97 | 669,635 | 22 | 888,502 |
| 98 | 610,805 | 23 | 894,739 |
| 99 | 732,422 | 24 | 952,408 |
| 1800 | 809,274 | 25 | 974,651 |
| 01 | 1,000,572 | 26 | 1,047,860 |
| 02 | 944,324 | 27 | 1,055,959 |
| 03 | 951,138 | 28 | 1,018,601 |
| 04 | 944,103 | 29 | 1,003,632 |
| 05 | 1,140,140 | 30 | 1,099,197 |
| 06 | 1,139,089 | 31 | 1,124,960 |
| 07 | 1,203,021 | 32 | 1,202,089 |
| 08 | 946,423 | 33 | 1,268,146 |
| 09 | 704,094 | 34 | 1,449,782 |
| 10 | 849,069 | 35 | 1,563,863 |
| 11 | 981,649 | 36 | 1,336,597 |
| 12 | 710,415 | 37 | 1,336,453 |
| 13 | 841,908 | | |

## ALABAMA ELECTIONS

[illegible] come in very slowly The Mobile Sunday, publishes the following, from [illegible] papers which are all that have been received

[illegible] senator Pickens and Hot[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Hale and Walker, whigs

[illegible] to Dr Wright [illegible]

[illegible] Van Buren [illegible]

[illegible] Van Buren [illegible]

[illegible] Van Buren