Secretary of War,

The President has communicated to Congress, in reply to a demand by the House, the surpossed letter from General Taylor, in reply to that of the Secretary of War, relative to the publication of the former's coloured private letter to General Gaines. The General vontice to licensel with ability, and much self-respect, he letter will be read by all with interest, and, by his friends, with much satisfaction. In reading in the House on Friday is reported to have considerable excitement. It certainly can do the administration no good. The Secretary, in communicating the document, away it was not

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Again, I have carefully examined the letter in question, and I do not setmit that it is observations to the objections urged in your commandation. I see nothing in it, which, under the same circumstances, I would not write again. To suppose that it will give the enemy valuable information tou hing our pests or respective lines of operations, is to know very little of the Mexican sources of information, or of their extraordinary sugacity and facilities in keeping constantly appriated of our movements. As to my particular views in regard to the general policy to be pursued towards Mexico, I perceive from the public journals that they are shared by many distinguished statesmen; also, in part, by conspicuous officers of the navy, the publication of whose opinious is not, perhaps, obstructed by officers of the navy, the publication of e-e-opinious is not perhaps, obstructed by regulations of the department. It is diffi-then, to imagine how the diffusion of mine render any peculiar aid to the enemy, or ally distacline him to enter into negotiations wase.

specially distacline him to enter into negotiations for peace. In conclusion, I would say it has given me groat pain to be brought into the position in which I now find myself in regard to the department of war and the government. It has not been of my own seeking. To the extent of my shilities, and the means piaced at my disposal. I have sought faithfully to serve the country by exryying out the rules and instructors of the Executive; but it cannot be concealed, that since the capitulation of Monterey, the confidence of the department, and I too much fear, of the President, has been gradually withdrawing, and my consideration and usefulness correspondingly diminished.

The apparent determination of the Department to place me in an attitude antagonistical to

on. Pena y Pena has become President of the Mexican as solicited information as to the size of said farment to place me in an attitude antagonistical to the government, has an apt illustration in the well known fable of Ecop. I sake no favor, and I shrink from no responsibility, while entrusted with the command in this quarter. I shall continue to devote all my energies to the public disposed, looking for my reward to the conscientiation for my reward to the conscientiation to devote all my energies to the public disposed, looking for my reward to the conscientiation for my reward to the conscientiation to describe a standard far Mexican General Conling and his brigade were at San Angeliance of the Carling and his brigade were at San Angeliance of the Carling and his brigade were at San Angeliance of the Carling and his brigade were at San Angeliance of the Carling and his brigade were at San Angeliance of the conscientiation of the Carling and his brigade were at San Angeliance of the Carling and the others having fallen victims to discuss incident to the others having fallen victims to discuss incident to the others having fallen victims to discuss incident to the others having fallen victims to discuss incident to the others having fallen victims to discuss incident to the others having fallen victims to discuss incident to the others having fallen victims to discuss incident to the others having fallen victims to discuss incident to the others having fallen victims to discuss incident to the others having fallen victims to discuss incident to the others having fallen victims to discuss incident to the others having fallen victims to discuss incident to the others having fallen victims to discuss incident to the others having fallen victims to discuss incident to the others having fallen victims to discuss incident to the others having fallen victims to discuss incident to the others having fallen victims to discuss incident to the others having the having of the victims to discuss incident to the others hav

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I am, sir.

Your very ob't servant,

Z. TAYLOR,

Major General U. S. A. Commandio
For Hon. W. L. Marcy, Secretary of War,

Washington, D. C.

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SURGING.—Arnold Welch, Esq., for many years an overseer in the Mortunack Mills at Lowell, and a member of the last Logislature, committed suirele on Taesslay evening, let inst. by throwing himself into the Canul. He has been sick and decauged, and suffered a sad betweenest in the loss of his wife a short time one. The Lowell Courser speaks in high terms of his character and disposition. by throwing himself into the Canal. He has been ack and decanged, and suffered a said becausement in the loss of his wife a short time and a fixed the committee of his character and disposition.

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By the steamship Edith, at New Orleans, we

Intelligence from Mexico.

the Rio Grande.

Things seem comparatively quiet all through
Maxico. Our troops are mainly stationary.

awaiting, it would seem, orders from Washinghas solicited information as to the size of a

From the National Intelligence

Whig National Convention. By the steamship Edith, at New Orleans, we have Vera Gruz dates to Jan. 20th. The New York papers of Saturday contain the following telegraphie abstract of hier intelligence, which will be seen to multime ementially the late current pure removes:

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Later intelligence from the valley of the Hio Grande, Monterey, Salitilo, &c., has been received at Mastanores from Camargo on the 18th uit, and reports the troops in good health. General Scotts order issued at the City of Mexico on the 18th, had been received at Mastanores from Camargo on the 18th uit, and reports order issued at the City of Mexico on the 18th, had been received at Mastanores and Capt Chaptana, upon in receipt, at once sent out a circular requiring that all duties levied upon animals, goods, wares, or merchandise extering the city of the troops which the Republic of Mexico inco, should immediately creac; and that all such duties, pand since the lat of January, should be refunded upon presentation of the certificate of payment at the Collector's office.

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SCICIDE OF A BRIDE.—The Saratoga Sentinel says that Mrs. Rackel Vandermaker, twenty all around, years old, and married only three weeks, out her threat with a racor on the 29th uit.

cost Marter of this town, eice John C. Haswell, emoved.—Bennington Guizette.

See Hague, the Philadelphia astronomer, says larch will be colder than any month of the least of course those who have less a side wing will be all up in arms.

Sew YORK MARKET. Fan 8—The cales of Flour ancounted to 2500 bile, at 55.55 for New Orleans, 55.35 a 56 for Michigan, 56.35 for Horizon receiver, at 56.57 for pure Genesee.

The market for good white and yellow Corn was farm, at 615 a 65c. Rye, delivered, at a 50c. Out.

VERMONT PHŒNIX.

estay morning, the cry of "fire" called the citizens of our village to the store of Mr Zelates Dickinson, which our readers will recollect was stiempted to be fixed by an incendiary only a few works since. In his second attempt he wan more successful, and the leaking has suffered extensive injury. The five break through the first floor and caught upon the ceiling averbead, damaging the walls and charring the flooring and stairs to the admost above. The goods are burned, movind and wet to a considerable amount. Such dissperation should rouse our whole community to detect and punish the author of the entrance was effected at the trap-shoot in front of the lasement.—Democrat:

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ries. Senator Davis has enjoyed that privilege; and it most have interested and gratified him to ruse the comments of various pap occasion of his romoved decease. The Philadel-phia North American says: "His name was a proverb of political integrity; and 'houset' John Davis will be remembered as long as the coun-

Saxion's River Seminary.

The Monument is designed to be a circular building 250 feet in diameter, and 100 feet high, with an obeliek shaft rising 500 feet more. Its estimated cost is \$1,000,000. There is only \$50,000 in the hands of the Monagers; but vigorous efforts are to be made, all over the country, to mise the requisite sum. The smallest contributions will be received, and persons giving \$5 will be entitled to a fine engraving of the Monament.

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Water Navyou as Converting. The Whig members of Congress have with much unanimity agreed upon Independence Hall, Philadelphia, as the place, and Wednesday, June 7th, as the time, for the series of a Whis National Countries of a Whis National Countries of the Confidence of the Confi and Vice President. This is just two weeks later and than the Locofoco Convention, which meets at elleit Baltimore, May 24th.

WAR EXPRESES."-This is the title of Hon. Albert Gallatin's second pamphies on the Mexican war, which has just appeared. Mr Gallatin Santon's River, Va. Feb. 1st, 1848. s a most able financier, having been Se is a most able financier, having been Secretary of the Treasury ander Jefferson and Madison; and his present essay is a clear, exerinct and thorough exposition of the enormous burdens of the war, and its blighting effects on our trade trail prosperity. We hope it may be widely circulated and road. Mr Gallatin takes distinct ground against any further appropriations by Congress for the conquest of Mexico.

Townshend, Vt., Feb. 3, 1982.

63 On the 1st of January, 1848, the popula- Townshead, Va. Feb. 3, 1848. tion of School District No. 2. in this town, was 2085: last year 1988. Number between the ages of 4 and 18, 476; last year 475.

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Enmons Connected — A very material error coursed in last week's paper, in an item about how we the Dace. Wheeler Ferm, the Fremont Court Martial. The probable expense of that affair to the country was put down at "nearly one hundred millions of dollars." It should have read, "nearly one hundred thousand dollars." Still, that's one hundred thousand dollars. Still, that's one hundred thousand dollars too much.

The Mr Myers whose marriage we published last week, from an exchange paper, is not the many that the last rate dairy farm or pasture.

Also, one other Harm situated in

Married.

So The citizens of this village are requested.

In this village, of the Stage House, Feb. 2, by H.

Smith Feb., Mr. Jonathan S. Handley, of Proposers of the 11th, at 7 o'clock, for the purpose of the Stage was measures to force out the Burglace and Incompliance who intest the neighborhand.

Heartichoro, Feb. 7th, 1818.

Fere in Brattleboro.—About 4 o'clock on the Burglace of the Stage House, Feb. 2, by the stage was the property of Boston.

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Brighton Cattle Market,

At Market—Sto Beef Cartle, 13 points Working Onen, 10 Cowe and Calves, and 520 Swine. Beef Cartle—We quote to correspond with last week a prices. Extra 8t, 725 first quality 56 a \$6,20; second dis \$5,25 a \$6,75; third do. \$4,75 a \$6,25; Working Oxen—Sales at \$70, \$22, 885 and \$90 Cowe and Caires—Sales at \$90, \$29, \$72 and 50s.

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Sheep—Seles at \$1.75, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$5 and \$3.62.
Swine—Lots to pecific at 44c for Sows and 54c or Recrews. Old Hops, 45c, a let to close, 4c a retail, from 5 to 64c.

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One Farm situated in Wardsborn, of every description, at Very Law Prices, nown as the Dark Wheeler Farm, of every description, at Very Law Prices.

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Melrose Seminary.

THE SPRING TERM of this popular School, will commonte on Wishoosing the first day of Marsin and, under the charge of Hev. Jours S. Lee, Principal, and Miss Engers, Bernert, Proceedings, B. D. Chang, A.B., Teucher of Mattematics, Miss Jawr II Heart, Teacher of Marie.

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We feet small pleasure in recommending this School in the favorable notice of the public. It has then far been very accessful in regard to the nambers and progress of the students. The Fall Term was extended by one bundled scholars, and the recent term has been very houseful age. The prospects of the facures are extensive very flattering.

Boats' can be obtained in good families, at \$1.00 per week, including all incidentials. Those wishing to boand in duby can hier research on very reasonable terms.

Tailtims, from \$3.00 to \$4.00. Marcle, including two of Fance, \$6.00. Drawing and Painting, extra. \$1.00.

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HOBERT GOODENOUGH, Commisses JOHN H. WILLIN. for the ERENEZER HOWE, Ja., Trustnes. Bruntleboro, Feb. 1, 1848.

DR. FARWELL, Dentist,

HAS removed his affect to the most over B. D. Buschet's Junetry Store, where he will attend to his preference in all its learnings. CHL/HOFORM afformistered to any who may wish it for the purpose of carracting tenth without not. 107 Office No. 2 Granite Row.

1848. AT NO. 4, Opposite SMITH'S STAGE HOUSE. Z. DICKINSON is receiving additions of every description of Merchandine adapted to the Vermont Trada, including a very choice lot of Gro-

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For the sale of Produce and Warss, which interest calls Fast, or Paulo much here, Z. D. having you at No. 4, without maning Grant Borgoins, Mighey Advantages believing persons in want, are aware that the extreme modest quack, contares to write at the head of his advantagement in these our day.

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Another SPECIAL NOTICE.

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A Prime Stock of Goods. THE soluction offers for sole the stock of Goods belonging to the late firm of Wissan & Rojes, now in the brick stars in Templeton. The goods will see sold with or wishout the store building, at the option of the buyer. This stock has been bought new within two years on the most advantageous terms for each. An excellent opportunity is offered for doing a regular trade. The store has been recently sined up in a style of superior excellence and convenience to any store in the country.

Templeton, Jan. 26, 1848.

A CABD. O. H. CHOLEY respectfully tenders his he change to the citizens of Beattleberg and

or extended to bins, and bogs leave is inform them that he introduced to bins, and bogs leave is inform them that he introduced to re-open his Degareroscope resons in this place, in the mouth of April next. Till them he will be happy to see his framels in his magnificant Gallery in Springhest.

Brattleborn, Feb. 3.

The Old Ledger I've the series of the series

West Brattlebore, Feb. 2, 1848.

UPHOLSTERY WORK

OF all kinds, as old Sala, Makoogasy Claire, Madrausa, Cashione, for, neatly, promptly and surably repaired. Also, for eale all kinds of rovering for the same. Microso, Dimente, French do: Ferniture Patch, Estatusal Volote, Plent, (the real Gonts Hair.) See, See. Come and Hair Mastrasses, Fonther Bolt, at short notice. Microres, Madogany Borton, Estatus, News and Parise Claire, Elegant Wood Seat Chairs, Capr and Wood Seat Setten.—A large amount of.

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A. J. BROWN & CO., POST OFFICE. Fitchlung, Oct. 1, 1847.

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A. J. BROWN & CO.
Central Block, nearly opposite the Post Office
Jury, Sept. 15, 1847.

STATE OF VERMONT. In Probate Court, Jan 51, 1848. The following petition is presented:
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To the then Probate Court for the district of Matthorn.
Systems Nales, Administrator upon the estate
of Luther Wasters, late of Haifax, deceased, respectfully represents, that the amount of
debts due from said deceased, in 81435,73
That the expenses of administration.

\$1509.73 That the value of the personal property

393,60 Leaving a balance unprovided for of \$677.12 Wherefore, he prays for license to sell so much of the Real Ectate of suit decreased as may be necessary to pay said delets and expenses. Halifer, Jan. 31, 1848.

Halifex, Jan. 31, 1948.

Whervapon, it is ordered that said administrator notify all persons interested that this Court will decide upon said application at the assion thereof, to be holden at the Probase Office in Brattleboro, in said distret, on the last Therebay in Pebruary next, by publishing a copy of the record of asid pertion, and this order thereon, there weeks successively in the Vermout Phenous, pointed at said Brattleboro, previous to said time of hearing.

A true copy of Record.

24 Attent, F. HOLBROOK, Begr.

STATE OF VERMONT.

In Probate Court, Feb. 2, 1848.

The following petition is presented,—to to the Hen. Protote Gent for the district of M of every description, at Very Lew Prices.

27 Exchanges make far on basets of London.

A. VAN DOURN & SONS.

Brantleboro, Seh. 3, 1848.

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