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The Message---Congress.

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The North American of Saturday last has an article on the subject of the threats of these Southern traitors and disorganizers, that will be responded to by every free man of the north. We are sorry that we cannot copy the article entire. We extract, however, the concluding more raph:

We are sorry that we cannot copy the article entire. We extract, however, the concluding paragraph: "Party feuds must he forgotten, when the Union is endangered. Let all the faithful of all parties unite for the purpose of nipping mischief in the bud, by the immediate organization of the House. No matter, now, who is Speaker, provided he be a man who is true to the Union. Let the House organize at once; and let its first measure bo the adoption of a resolution decla-ring it a disorderly and infamous act, an outrage upon the people of the United States, for any member to advocate, or to threaten, a dissolu-tion of the Union; and let every member guilty of such disorderly and infamous act, and such outrage upon the people of the United States, be pusished by the ignominy of immediate expul-sion. No such person should be allowed to dis-race the American people by his presence in Congrest."

Wm. J. Brown.

Wm. J. Brown. This individual, who attempted to reach the Speaker's chair by the most corrupt means and the most infamous duplicity, as will be seen by reference to our Congressional news, was sec-ond Assistant Post Master General under the administration of Mr. Polk. And it will be recollected, that on his dismissal from office by the present administration, he wrote, what our Locofoce cotemporaries were pleased to terma the present administration, he wrote, what our Locofoco teomporaties were pleesed to term, a "scorching letter" to President Tayfor. Would they have the goodness to re-publish that letter now? If they consent to do so we would sug-gest that in place of their former heading—"ta scorching letter"—they would întroduce the letter to their readers thus; The Administra-tion if Davie Ream." tion " Done Brown." In speaking of the recent Congressional fea

of this individual, the Daily News says : There can be little doubt that the late Locofoco candidate for speaker has been " done Brown." date for speaker has been "done Brown." We have no disposition to strike a prostrate enemy, much less one who is so utterly helpless as is Wm. J. Brown; but his operations justify the suggestion of the N. Y. Tribune, that if any cir-cus manager is in want of an equestrian to ride several horses at once, he would do well to try the distinguished performer who so nearly rode into the Speakership on the backs of the dash-ing barbs, Burt and Bagby, and at the same time with the shaggy, cross grained ponies Wil-mot and Giddings. We consider that equal to anything ever attempted by Ducrow or Franconi.

The Railroad.

The Lewistown Gazette, of Saturday last The Railroad is now completed to McVey-town, iwelve miles above Lewistown, and the cars will henceforward, we presume, (un to that place.

Removed.

Removed. The Post Office in this place has been re-moved to the residence of the Postmaster, in Mashington street, immediately opposite the place it was formerly kept. DT At the election in Boston on Monday last for municipal officers, Mr. John P. Biglow, the Whig candidate for Mayor, policd 4000. All the other candidates had 1078 votes. The Whigs carried every ward in the city.

Southern Convention,

A Mutrar Property.-The Legislature of South Carolina has adopted a resolution sanc-tioning the call for a Convention of the South-ern States, by Mississippi, to be held at Nash-ville, Tennessee, on the first Monday in June next. This is in accordance with the recom-mendation of the Governor, who, in his late message, declared that "hereafter South Caro-ling whet with a solution willion. "ina must exist as a military people," as so "iong as the Union endures there is to be no peace for the slaveholder."

HUNGARIAN COLONY IN AMERICA .- The fate of the Hungarian exiles, who are now in Ham-burgh, was decided through the direct media-tion of the American Ambassador in London ; tion of the American Ambassador in London, Klapka has selected in five different parts of the majority of free northern members. (Laugh-North of the United States, a large space of tand, where he will establish a Hungarian Col-ouy. The price of the land is very moderate. The exgewrenor of the eity of Cornorn, Nizzy was to leave for America on the 15th of No-vember, in company with a Geometer, who will select the finest and most advantageous country and will immediately proceed to its division... The other Magyars, and Klapka himsell, will ail for New York on board the ship Franklin.

FROM WASHINGTON.

No organization has yet been effected in the ouse. Mr. Cobb, the caucus candidate of the

louse. Mr. Cobb, the caucus candidate of the occofocos, withdrew early last week, and for ometime the votes of that party were scatter-d among a number of candidates. On Tuesday ust thou comments ed among a number of candidates. On Tuesday last they concentrated on Wa. J. Bnows, of Indiana, and gave him 100 votes. On the same day Mr. Wirvritor, the Whig candidate, with-drew his name, remarking that possibly an or-ganization could be more easily effected with some other name. On Tuesday night a corrupt bargain was entered into between Mr. Brown, Wilmot, Giddings and Co., by which Mr. Brown secured the Free Soil vote. What followed on Wednesday, is fully described by the annexed ed proceeeings and letter. Free Soilism and Southern Locofocoism were both emphatically "done Brown," at one and the same time :

Great Flare up in the House--No Speaker yet. Wasursoros, Dec. 12. SENATE.-The Senate met at 12 o'clock, and adjourned without transacting any business of adjourned without transacting any business of fourned without transacting any business of pecial interest. Mr. Pierre Soule, the newly elected Sentato com Louisiana, appeared in his seat this mor

ng. House.-The House met at 12. Journa

HOUSE. — Ine House here a rate read. Mr. Cobb, of Ala., adverted to an article which appeared in the Union of this morning, which said that the election of Mr. W. J. Brown, of I.a., depended in part on his part.— And in conclusion said that he world take a chore of two men rather than that there should be no organization.

choree of two men rainer than that there shown be no organization. Mr. Wilmof, of Penn'ä, said thaf he had been more honored by the voies which had been giv-en him, than if he had been elected to the Chair. He said that he was unwilling, both the candid-ates having retired, to stand in the way of an organization, and therefore requested his friends notagain to vote for him. The House then proceeded to vote vica voce for Seable.

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FORTIETH BALLOT.		
[Two hundred and twenty-six	votes	we
cast-necessary to a choice, 114.]		
W. J. Brown, Dem., of Ia.,		112
Duer, Whig of New York,		26
Morehead, Whig, of Ky.,		17
Stanley, Whig, of N. C.,		18
McGoughy Whig of In		10

McGaughy, Whig, of Ia., Winthrop, Whig of Mass., Scattering, Scattering, Messrs. Giddings, Allen, Preston King and Wi' *t* voted for Mr. Brown, and several of the Southern members who voted for him yes-terday fell off. Mr. Stanley, of N. C., offered the following resolution:

Mr. Stanley, of N. C., offered the following resolution : *Resolved*, That the members of the Democrat-ic party appoint three members to confer with three members to be appointed by the Whigs, to operafe relative to a Speaker. Mr. Stanley remarked that the resolution was not his own suggestion, but came from the oth-er side. He believed, with Hon. Mr. Benton, that the Union was not to be dissolved at this end of the Capitol, and so long as Rough and Ready was in the chair, there was no danger. He believed, in respect to the Democratic party, there was foomething rottenin Demmark.³ He repeated that his desire was to have an or-ganization-some competent man. For himself he kas not competent to preside, and while he felt gratified with the number of vores cast for him, he did not wish to be a candidate. He blushed for the Democracy, but not for the Whigs.

him, he did not wish to be a candidate. He blushed for the Democracy, but not for the Whigs. Mr. Bayley, of Virgunia, replied to Mr. Stan-ley's remarks, and referred to the northern and southern Whigs being at variance as to General Taylor's sentiments on the slavery question, and accused them of being answerable for the state of things which now exist. Mr. Ashmun, of Mass., rose merely to ask the gentleman whether there was any truth in the rumor that a written engagement or assu-rance had been enfered info between Mr. Brown and the Free Soil representatives. Mr. Bayley indigmathy denied it. He said there was no foundation in truth for the rumor. Mr. May replied, that if there had been, he was not aware of it. Mr. Mayley-ls there authority for moking Mr. Bayley-ls there authority for moking

false !' Mr. Bayley-Is there authority for making e charge ? Mr. Ashmun-Nothing more than com

Mr. Ashmun-Nothing more than common romor. Mr. Bayley-The free soliers voted for our candidate without consultation with us. Mr. Boot, of Ohio, protested against the two parties arrogating to themselves the settlement of the question at issue. The minority had as much right to be heard as the majority. Mr. Bayley was permitted to interrupt the gentieman, and säy on the authority of Mr. Brown, that there was a correspondence be-tween him and Mr. Wilmot, but the correspon-dence was not of the character intimated.--(Laughter, and much surprise manifested.) Mr. Root resumed and concluded a humor-out speech.

Mr. Root resumed and concluded a humor-outs speech. Mr. Brown, of Ia., was then permitted to speak for himself. He stated among other things, that when he came here he had no inten-tion of running for Speaker; that his friends urged him? that he had pointed southern gen-tlemen to his votes when he formerly occupied a seat in Congress, &c. Mr. Burt, of S. C., wished to see the corres-pondence—he wished to see it now. Mr. Brown—I have it. Genulemen crowded around him, and some took a standing position in the centre of the hall.

took a standing position in the centre of the pall. h_{1}^{*} . Brown remarked that the letter from M_{1}^{*} . Wrown reselvasied him in what manner he would, if elected Speaker, constitute the committees, cld he (Mr. B.) stated in reply that he would n ake them satisfactory to him and his friends. M_{1}^{*} . Wilmot remark,"d that he had addressed the note to M_{1}^{*} . Brown, as, high him nothing more than to greanize the committees on the District

Mr. Wilmot remarked that he had addressed the note to Mr. Brown, asking him nothing more than to arganize the committees on the District of Columbia, on the Territories, and on the Ju-diciary in such manner as to give a full and fair expression to the will of the contry. Mr. Thaddeus Stevens of Pennsylvania, wish-ed to know whether, from the conversation, Mr. Wilmot had reason to believe that the commit-tees would be formed of a majorify of those in favor of free soil. Mr. Wilmot replied that he had reason to be-lieve that the committees would have on them a majority of favor of these soils of the soils of the soil the source of the soil.

Mr. Wilmot replied that he had reason to be-lieve that the committees would have on them a majority of free northern members. (Laugh-ter.) Nothing more. Mr. Inge, of Ala., 'what do you mean by that? Mr. Wilmot--Men who would not seek in committees from any considerations to smother the expression of the will of the people of the north.

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