

the passage of this act, the... shall be reduced in proportion which shall have been... twenty-first of January, and twenty-nine of May, 1 and thirty, at owing said duties on the imported su- out of which the same shall factured or distilled, and in rawback exceed the amount aid on either of those art

it further enacted, That... day of February next, shall not be subjected, ns of this act, or any exist- payment of higher rates of ollowing, name:y: on red six cents a gallon; white n cents a gallon, and French ts in bottles, twenty-two rovided, that no higher du- d under this act, o. any ex- red wines of Austria. than e by this act, levied on the n, when the said wines are.

it further enacted, That... act to release from duty a d actually laid on rail- d lines," approved four ghteen hundred and thirty- same is hereby repealed: laid, collected, and paid on r imported a duty of twen- d volorem. Pr.vided, that ot operate, nor shall such on any railroad iron which under the provisions of the the third day of March. and forty-three, and laid road or inclined plane, of uction has been already which shall be necessary to

it further enacted, That... contained shall apply to vessel bound to any port es, actually having left her eastward of the Cape of yond Cape Horn, prior to gust. eighteen hundred and

it further enacted, That... of laws inconsistent with repealed. JOHN WHITE, House of Representatives PL L. SOUTHWARD, of the Senate pro tempore 11, 1841. JOHN W. WOOD

A RESOLUTION in relation to the purchase of domestic water-rotted hemp for the use of the United States navy.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Navy be, and he hereby is, directed to purchase domestic water-rotted hemp for the use of the United States Navy, so far as the same shall be found of suitable quality, and can be used beneficially to the service, having regard to the cost, strength and durability of the article; and for that purpose shall cause purchases of such hemp to be made in the different hemp-growing regions of the Union.

Sec. 2. And be it further resolved, That this joint resolution shall be and remain in full force for the period of seven years from the passing thereof.

Approved, September 11, 1841.

JOINT RESOLUTION making it the duty of the Attorney General to examine into the titles of the lands or sites for the purpose of erecting thereon armories and other public works and buildings, and for other purposes.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That it shall be the duty of the Attorney General of the United States to examine into the titles of all the lands or sites which have been purchased by the United States for the purpose of erecting thereon armories, arsenals, forts, fortifications, navy yards, custom houses, light-houses, or other public buildings of any kind whatever, and report his opinion as to the validity of the titles in each case to the President of the United States.

1. Resolved, That it shall be the duty of all the officers of the United States having any of the papers or property aforesaid in their possession, to furnish them forthwith to the Attorney General, to aid him in the investigation aforesaid.

2. Resolved, That no public money shall be expended upon any site or land intended to be purchased by the United States for the purposes aforesaid, until the written consent of the Attorney General shall be had in favor of the validity of the title, and also the consent of the Legislature of the State in which the land or site may be shall be given to said purchaser.

4. Resolved, That it shall be the duty of the District Attorneys of the United States, upon the application of the Attorney General, to furnish any assistance or information in their power in relation to the titles of the public property aforesaid lying within their respective districts.

5. Resolved, That it shall be the duty of the Secretaries of the Executive Departments, upon the application of the Attorney General, to procure any additional evidence of title which he may deem necessary, and which may not be in the possession of the officers of Government; the expense of procuring which to be paid out of the appropriations made for the contingencies of the Department respectively.

James M. Howry, Esq. of Oxford, is elected Circuit Judge of this the 9th judicial district, over Judge Clayton of his party, who became a candidate only a few days before the election. The present incumbent Judge Huling, was not a candidate, believing his term had not expired.

For District Attorney, George A. Wilson Esq. the present incumbent, is re-elected over Robt. Joslyn, by a small majority.

For the legislature, Marshall has elected two whigs and two democrats, and the Senator a democrat.

POLICEMEN.—1st district, W. T. Carters is elected; 2d, Andrew Craddock; 3d, M. Garrett; 4th, H. Pence; 5th, John J. Jowers.

In the DeSoto Senatorial district, Andrew Knox (whig) is elected.

Representatives for DeSoto, Coleman and Hancock, both democrats.

Tunica, L. A. Besancon, dem.

McLEOD.—The trial of this notorious disturber of the pence of our country, has been brought to a close in his acquittal. He was attended by a guard to the borders of his country. The Montreal Courier mentions his arrival at that place, where he was cheered as he landed and afterwards walked about the lion of the day.

Hon. John Forsyth, the secretary of State under Mr. Van Buren's administration, died at Washington on the 21st ult.

The appointment of Thomas Claiborne (a warm loco) by the President, as Marshall for the middle district in Tennessee, is creating a good deal of excitement in that quarter.

The most important news brought by the Columbia, (the latest arrival from Europe,) is that Queen Vic was about to pro- rogue Parliament till after her 'accouchment' Take old England altogether—her corn laws, her lord mayors, her babies and her baby Queens, and we must all acknowledge that she is the greatest humbug yet. "The world is governed too much."

The Mississippi Union Bank has made an assignment of all its assets to three of its officers, as trustees for the benefit of its creditors.