

**JUDGE CLAYTON.** The public has heretofore been apprized, that the upsetting of a carriage had detained this distinguished statesman for a few days, in South-Carolina. It was all for the best, no doubt; and we dare affirm that the honorable gentleman will bless the day when he was tumbled from a stage coach, inasmuch as it has introduced him to a public dinner, given by the citizens of Laurens' district. The Southern Sentinel states that the "village was thronged with persons from all quarters," and the dinner was the best the editor had ever seen on a like occasion. From the same paper we extract the following toast and response:

5th. *The Hon. A. S. Clayton.* Our distinguished guest—The able expounder of the Constitution and talented advocate of southern rights; he has successfully exposed the fallacy and oppressiveness of the American system, points us to the remedy, and with zeal and ability maintains the right and the duty of the south to redress her wrongs.

After the long continued applause which succeeded this sentiment had subsided, Judge Clayton arose, and after returning his thanks, proceeded to speak of that subject of most absorbing interest to the south—the tariff. We regret that the want of room, this week, renders it impossible to give an abstract of his noble speech. Next week we shall attempt to do so, and hope shortly to have it in our power to lay it before the public from the pen of the author. Suffice it now to say—that he clearly showed the late tariff act to be more grievous and oppressive to the south than the bill of '28, at the same time that it gives all the blessings of free trade to the north. In concluding, he said, "You will naturally inquire what is to be done? Submit? certainly not. No freeman will submit to it! I advise, then, the most peaceful remedy, and strange as to some it may seem, I advise **NULLIFICATION!**" He then went on to show the efficacy and the peaceableness of this remedy—in three instances of Georgia nullification, viz: the cases of Chisolm, Tassles, and the Missionaries. But we are debarred of space to run over his grounds. Next week, as nearly as can be recollected, they shall be presented. He concluded with the following toast:

*The late Tariff Act.* It is now a plain case—**LIBERTY** or **SUBMISSION!** He that dallies is a Dastard—he that doubts is damned!