

The resolutions of Mr. Wilde, calling for information connected with the correspondence of the Governor of this state, and of the Indian Agent, with the President of the U. States, introduced on the 21st ult. and acted upon on the 29th, was, upon a motion made by Mr. Wilde, laid on the table.

Resolved. That the President of the United States be requested to inform this House, if it will not, in his opinion, be injurious to the public interest: whether any and what measures have been taken to preserve inviolate that part of the Constitution of the United States which declares that no new State shall be formed or erected within the jurisdiction of any other State, nor any State be formed by the junction of any two or more States, or parts of States, without the consent of the Legislatures of the States concerned, as well as of Congress.

Mr. Wilde, then offered the following modification of the resolution :

Resolved. That the President of the United States be requested to communicate to this House, if it will not in his opinion, be injurious to the public interest, copies of any correspondence between the government of the State of Georgia and the Executive of the United States, touching the formation of a new government by the Cherokee tribe of Indians within the States of North Carolina, Georgia, Tennessee, and Alabama ; and also copies of any correspondence between the Executive government of the United States, or any department thereof, and any officer or agent of the United States, or of any State or any Indian tribe, showing the extent to which such new government has been recognised by the Executive of the United States, and how far it is considered as changing or disturbing the relations heretofore existing with the said tribe, and advancing or obstructing the policy of the United States towards them ; together with any information not heretofore communicated concerning the agency which white men, citizens of the United States, have had in forming the same : the extent to which any citizen of the United States, without the authority of government, has had verbal or written intercourse with said tribe with intent to influence their measures or conduct, and to defeat the mea-