

WEEKLY NEWS

Thursday, July 1, 1847

For President 1848. MAJOR GENERAL ZACHARY TAYLOR OF LOUISIANA.

THE NEW ASSESSMENT LAW. We publish to-day an act passed at the last session of the Legislature...

The Hon. James Graham passed through this place on Monday last, going towards the western counties...

THE MARKETS.

ASHVILLE.—Flour is now in demand at \$6. Corn is worth from 25 to 45 cts. Bacon 8 to 10. Lard 9 to 10.

GEN. TAYLOR.

From the east, west, north and south, the most cheering news reaches us relative to the feeling of the people in favor of Gen. Taylor for the next Presidency...

We intend to see old Zac inaugurated, 15 March, 1849, if he and our humble self live until that time!

Ten Cherokee Indians, residing at Qualatown, in the adjoining county of Haywood, have been duly recognized by the Governor as a corporate body...

It is said that Gen. Pillow, whose whole Regiment, through their officers, have pronounced him a coward and an ass...

MR. POLK AND THE BAG OF DIMES.

The following hard hit at Mr. Polk was given recently by John M. Reed, Esq., a prominent member of the Administration party...

THE PILGRIM AND THE PRESS.

Would it be true in talking about the pilgrim Editor to be so cautious how he places his words as he would be with his foot upon the walking eagle...

Without the assistance of the press, how utterly powerless would be the efforts of the ministry! Newspaper editors are not all christians...

Should the weather be pleasant, a procession will be formed in front of the Eagle Hotel on Saturday, the 3d of July...

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AN ACT.

To provide for a Re-assessment of the lands of this State, and a more accurate estimation of the taxable polls.

Sec. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina, that the duty of the several county courts in this State, at the respective terms when they appoint justices of the peace to take in the list of taxable property for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-seven...

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Sec. 3. Be it further enacted, That the owners of all lands in this State (if said owners be residents thereof, and if not, then the agent or attorney of such owners) shall furnish, on oath, to the Board of Valuation, whenever called on for that purpose...

Sec. 4. Be it further enacted, That the justice of the peace and assessors required to be appointed by the first section of this act, shall in each district, take in the list of lands and improvements situated on gold or silver mines, or lands supposed to contain gold or silver, or other mineral, taking into consideration the increased value of all such lands arising from the circumstances of their containing such gold or silver or other mineral as aforesaid...

Sec. 5. Be it further enacted, That if any justice of the peace in this State, who may be appointed by the county court to take in the list of taxable polls or other taxable property, shall take the same without administering the oath of affirmation as required by the 4th section of this act, entitled "An act to provide for the collection and management of a revenue for this State..."

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