

the Pension office, which was adopted. A bill was read twice providing for the settlement of the claims of New Hampshire against the U. States.

Mr. Ashmun offered a resolution inquiring into the expediency of repealing the law prohibiting the transportation of newspapers and letters by private conveyance which was adopted.

Mr. Hudson introduced a resolution inquiring into the expediency of requesting the President of the U. States to withdraw all the American forces from Mexico to the East of the Rio Grande, and to propose forthwith a treaty of peace on the basis that the boundary between the two countries is the desert between the Neucens and the Rio Grande, and that security should be given for the claims of our citizens at the commencement of the war.

The yeas and nays were called on several propositions connected with the matter, but the resolution was finally rejected by a vote of 41 to 127.

Mr. Rockwell, of Connecticut, introduced a bill to provide for a Consular system for the U. States, which was read twice and referred.

Mr. C. J. Ingersoll offered a resolution inquiring of the President whether any notice had been taken of the remarks of the British Secretary in the House of Commons, reflecting on the want of faith of the United States, which was laid over.

HIGHLAND MESSENGER.

ASHVILLE, N. C.

Thursday, January 13, 1848.

For President ZACHARY TAYLOR, OF LOUISIANA.

"B. M. E." is in type, but necessity, which knows no law, compels us to defer it until next week.

The article of J. D., although we had intended publishing to day, is unavoidably deferred to make room for matter of more immediate interest. Next week it will appear.

See in another column the proceedings of a Whig meeting at Morganton.

Mr. Clingman made a speech in Congress the other day upon the Wilmot Proviso question, which has received the approbation of the southern press generally, for the soundness of the views advanced and the ability displayed in their enforcement. We intend as soon as we are rid of the press of matter which now throngs us, to spread the speech before the good citizens of Western Carolina. Probably in a week or two.

GEN. TAYLOR.

As some doubt has been entertained whether Gen. Taylor would accept the nomination, were it conferred upon him by a Whig National Convention, we are happy to have it in our power to settle the question upon the most undoubted authority. General Taylor will accept the nomination. We think the fears which a few good Whigs entertain of the soundness of General Taylor's politics ought to be allayed by this declaration from him. Gen. Taylor is not the man to act with duplicity. He would not accept a Whig nomination, were he anything but a Whig, good and true.

One of the editors of the Boston Atlas, writing from Washington, says: "I am informed that a gentleman, formerly a Whig member of Congress from Maryland (Hon. W. Cost Johnson), has received a letter from a gentleman in N. Orleans, who was formerly a Whig member of Congress from Tennessee, (Hon. Baile Peyton,) in which he states that he put the direct question to General Taylor, as to whether he would accept the nomination of a Whig National Convention, if made, and he said that he would. I will write you more upon Presidential matters in a few days. It is but fair to state that the Taylor feeling is pretty strong here."

MR. CLAY NO CANDIDATE.

Below will be found an extract from a Washington letter, published in the New York Mirror. From this it will be seen that Mr. Clay declines running against Gen. Taylor, who, he plainly sees, is the choice of the people, and Henry Clay is not the man to thwart the wishes of his countrymen, even though his own proclivities be the sacrifice. With that enlarged patriotism and great foresight which have always distinguished him, he sees that his own nomination would embarrass the party, while there can be no chance for his success, and hence he prefers siding in the election of Gen. Taylor, in whom he has the most unlimited confidence, to suffering his own name to be used and risk bringing defeat upon the party which he has so long been identified. The following is the extract referred to:

I have just had an interview with a warm friend of Mr. Clay, who yesterday received a letter from the great 'Harry of the West,' which states that the eminent Statesman declares that he will not run for the Presidency in opposition to Gen. Taylor. This fact may be relied on, and the announcement is received here by the Whig party proper, with the utmost satisfaction. Mr. Clay is

expected to arrive at the Capitol in a few days, and it is generally believed that he will publish a card in accordance with the above statement. He has no desire to oppose the current of popular enthusiasm that is now rising and swelling through the land. He has already surprised us age the period allotted to man, and the shadows of the "dark mountains" are beginning to fall on his declining days. His friends, who are numbered among the wisest and best of the nation, have thrice given him their votes, their hearts and their fortunes; and the crowning honor in the gift of the Republic, could not add a single ray of glory to his setting sun, which is now lingering on the verge of the horizon. Well and wisely therefore does Mr. Clay retire from the contest; and it would be cruelty and madness on the part of his friends to oppose him in his purpose. Let them rather hope and pray, that, unharrassed by party strife and executive cares, his great intellect may still be as the Drummond Light on the dome of the Capitol, shedding its brilliant rays upon the course and councils of the new Administration.

GEN. TAYLOR. It is stated in the Washington Whig that there is a movement to organize a National Taylor Committee in that city, composed of a member of Congress from each State, and that there is not the slightest difficulty in finding the men. The Whig says: "They are coming in the ranks from the North and the South, from the East and the West, 'like clouds and doves to their windows.'"

The Charleston Evening News came to us a few days since, in an entire new dress, and considerably enlarged. We always reckoned it among our best exchanges, but it is now even better than heretofore, and is justly entitled to rank among the best papers of the day. J. N. Cardozo is still the Editor.

The Courier of the same city is also a model newspaper, and to it we are principally indebted for our information from the seat of war.

TEN THOUSAND TROOPS MORE.

The military Committee of the Senate has reported a bill to add ten Regiments to the "Standing Army" of the U. States. "If," says the "North American," "it be desirable that ten thousand men be added to our army; if taxes and debts are luxuries, we may rejoice at the prospect with which this addition to our already great arms has been recommended. The addition proposed is nearly equal to that of the entire force of the army as it existed two years since. If, however, it be required for the support of the honor of the nation, we trust that it will meet no opposition."

"We are sorry," says the Richmond Republican, "that the study of Geography, Mineralogy, &c., will henceforth, in all probability, be abandoned by the learned world, Mr. A. Johnson, member of Congress from Tennessee, having declared in his place that he had no belief in them!"

The Legislature of Tennessee has unanimously invited Gen. Taylor to visit Nashville during the present session of the Legislature.

PUBLIC MEETING.

At a meeting of the citizens of the county of Burke, at the Court House in Morganton, on the 1st day of January, 1848, On motion of Major James C. Smythe, James Avery, Esq., was appointed Chairman, and William Walton requested to act as Secretary.

At the request of the Chairman, B. S. Gaither, Esq., explained the object of the meeting, and in conclusion offered for consideration, the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the Chairman appoint ten delegates to represent this county in the proposed Convention at Raleigh, to nominate a Whig candidate for Governor.

Resolved, That we fully concur in the suggestion that has been made, that the nomination should be made from the Eastern section of the State, and feel assured that the Convention will have no difficulty in selecting a suitable individual from such material as Messrs. Joyner, Shepherd, Hill, Collins, Bryant, Kerr, and the other distinguished gentlemen of the East.

Resolved, That we tender our thanks to his Excellency, Governor Graham, for the marked ability and integrity with which he has administered the affairs of the State.

Resolved, That, whereas many of the States are appointing delegates to represent them in a national Convention, to nominate Whig candidates for the Presidency and Vice Presidency, that we suggest to the Convention at Raleigh, to appoint two gentlemen to represent the State at large, in the National Convention, and to the several Congressional Districts of the State, to take the necessary measures to be represented in the same.

Resolved, That in selecting from among the several distinguished individuals, whose names in all probability, will be before the National Convention, we decidedly prefer General Taylor for the Presidency, and

our own talented Senator, the Hon. Willie P. Mangum, for Vice President, but we will sustain the nominees of the Convention, provided always, that they are not in favor of the Wilmot Proviso, and are opposed upon the question of Slavery.

Resolved, That we propose to the Whigs of the several counties comprising this Congressional District, to meet at its convention at Asheville, on the Thursday of the next term of Rowcombe Superior Court, to select a delegate to represent this district in the National Convention, and that the chairman appoint five gentlemen to represent this county in the Convention at Asheville.

All of which resolutions were adopted and the Chairman appointed Messrs. Jas. C. Smythe, E. P. Jones, Thos. G. Walton, John O. Roberts, J. H. Erwin, David Corpening, William C. Erwin, John H. Pearson, John Collet and Lafayette Collins, delegates to the Convention at Raleigh, Whereupon, Col. Charles McDowell, offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That we adhere to all of our former partialities for the Hon. Henry Clay, of Ky., and in case he will permit, and the Whig party shall determine to present his name again in connection with the Presidency, we pledge ourselves to each other and to the country, that the Western Reserve will give him a larger majority than any Whig has heretofore received.

On motion of E. J. Erwin, ordered that the proceedings of this meeting be forwarded for publication to the Raleigh and Asheville papers.

JAMES AVERY, CHM.
WM. WALTON, Secretary.

GATHERINGS.

Mrs. Charlotte Caroline Johnson, consort of His Excellency, Isaac Johnson, Governor of Louisiana, died at New Orleans, after a short illness, on the 14th ult.

Hon. Richard A. Buckner, formerly Member of Congress, died at his residence in Greensburg, Kentucky, on the 8th ult., aged 84 years.

The Rev. Walter M. Lowrie, an American Missionary at Ningpo, a gentleman of eminent attainments, has been cruelly murdered in the Chinese seas by pirates. Nineteen hundred and fifty-nine new houses have been erected in Baltimore this year, the assessed value of which is upwards of two millions six hundred thousand dollars.

The Aberdeen (Miss) Advertiser states that at least one third of the Cotton crop of the Bigbee valley has been destroyed and swept away by the recent freshet, and that the total loss is not short of a million of dollars.

Four Indian skeletons, sitting in an upright posture, have been found recently in a subterranean chamber, in the State of New York. They had by their side the military utensils of the race.

OLD ZACH A TEMPERANCE MAN.—In a letter addressed to Jacob Carter, of Boston, Gen. Taylor says—"I am, myself, virtually an observer of the rule of total abstinence, and find my health and ability to endure hardships greatly increased thereby."

SHALL POX.—The Legislature of Indiana has adjourned until the first Monday in February, in consequence of the small pox prevailing at Indianapolis. The Hon. Andrew Kennedy, late member of Congress, is down with it.

FOREIGN COURTS.—Steps are about to be taken by Congress to regulate foreign coin out of circulation. If any measure can be devised for banishing the small and depreciated Spanish coins, the public will be greatly the gainers by it.

AT CINCINNATI on the 22d ult., 7000 hogs were sold at \$2.50 per hundred.—About 25,000 have been packed in that city this season.

"BREAD UPON THE WATERS"—The American Tract Society have recently started two Colporters, with flat bottomed boats, laden with their valuable publications for the purpose of supplying the numerous boatmen, traders, and travellers, on the waters of the Tennessee and Mississippi rivers to New Orleans, with healthful moral and intellectual food.

A LONG FAST.—Died in Lunenburg, on the 14th instant, Mrs. Elizabeth Jackman, aged about 80 years. She was stricken with palsy, and laid forty days without partaking of a morsel of food.

On Sunday, the 12th ult., it was so dark in Cincinnati at 9 A. M. that faces could not be recognized at a greater distance than two yards.

"THERE DARNED YANKEES."—A correspondent of the R-veille says, "all quiet in Mexico, and a Yankee has opened a store next door to the Hall of the Montezumas!"

A SOUND PARAGRAPH.—The time is not far distant when the merchant whose rent costs him more than his advertising will be universally regarded as one who does not understand his business, and will not long have any business to understand.

A HUMAN TIGER.—We notice in an English paper that a jealous wife recently tied her husband in bed while he slept, and then poured boiling water over him. When aroused for trial, which resulted in transportation for life, he boldly confessed the crime.

MARRIED.

In Rutherford county, on the 4th inst. by Rev. Erasmus Rowley, Mr. Samuel Wilkins to Miss Jesse Morris.

Notice.

The Exercises of the speaker's School will be resumed at his new residence in the Cove, near Asheville, on Monday, 13th inst. STEPHEN LEE.

NOTICE.

The Methodist Female Academy will be resumed on the 15th day of February, 1848. Mrs. Wilson, the late Principal, having resigned, the School will be placed under the charge of the Misses Stranizer, Susan Warren, M. C. The Trustees have the satisfaction of stating to the public, that, from the numerous testimonials of the capacities and acquisitions of these young ladies, furnished by gentlemen of high standing in the community in which they reside, they leave every confidence in recommitting the Institution, and inviting the patronage of the public. The testimonials are left in the hands of the President of the Board of Trustees, Dr. J. McEnroe, and are open to the inspection of parents and guardians who may be desirous to patronize the School.

Asheville Male Academy.

The Trustees have obtained the services of Mr. James H. Newson as Principal, who is a gentleman of experience and sound education, being a graduate of the University of N. Carolina, take pleasure in announcing to the public that the exercises of this Institution will commence on Monday, the 17th inst.

TERMS.

1st Class—Reading, writing, spelling, and oral arithmetic, per session of 5 mos. \$ 5 00
2d Class—Geometry and Arithmetical, with the above continued, 7 50
3d Class—English Grammar, History, Geography, defining words, Declamation, with the above continued, 10 00
4th Class—Ancient Geography, History, Cosmology, Algebra, Geometry, and Declamation, 12 50
5th Class—Latin, Greek, and French Languages, Natural, Moral, and Intellectual Philosophy, Plain and Spherical Trigonometry with Mensuration of Heights and Distances, Astronomy, Chemistry, Navigation and Surveying, Rhetoric, Logic, Composition, and Declamation, 15 00

A small entrance fee not exceeding 75 cents to pay for fuel and other incidental expenses, will be required.

Pupils entering the institution will be regarded as engaged for the entire term, unless otherwise stipulated.

Board can be had in the best families at \$40 per session, every thing included.

The tuition expenses for the term will range from 48 to \$56 per session, only, except for books and stationery.

Perhaps no institution has been organized in the State under more favorable auspices. The location is remarkable for health, the population moral and intelligent.

Suitable Assistants will be employed in the primary department, and no pains will be spared to advance the moral and intellectual interests of the pupils.

R. W. PULLIAM, Sec. Board of Trustees.
James W. Patton,
Nicholas W. Woodfin,
Montrose Patton,
James M. Smith,
Hugh Johnston,
Levi Baird,
J. F. E. Hardy,
Ephraim Clifton,
R. W. Pulliam,
Board of Trustees.

Asheville, N. C., Jan. 13, 1848.—t.

WILLIAM WILLIAMS.

Will take a limited number of young gentlemen to board, who may wish to avail themselves of the advantages of the Male Academy here. His charges will be as follows:
For Board \$6
Washing 50
Lights and fuel per month 50
January 13, 1847.—t.

ISAAC B. SAWYERS.

Will take Boarders at the same rates.
January 13, 1848.—t.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

Henderson County.

In Equity—Fall Term, 1847.

Bill for sale and foreclosure of a Mortgage.

M. King vs.

Wesley Hawkins, Thos. R. Miller, John H. Goodwin, and J. J. Bates.

It appearing by affidavit that J. J. Bates, one of the defendants in this case, is a non-resident of this State, and lives without the jurisdiction of this Court; it is therefore ordered that publication be made in the Highland Messenger, a newspaper printed in the town of Asheville, for six weeks, notifying the said J. J. Bates personally to be and appear before the next Court of Equity to be held for the county of Henderson, at the Court House in Hendersonville, on the 1st Monday after the 4th Monday in March next, and plead, answer or demur to the complainant's bill of complaint, or the same will be taken pro confesso, and set for hearing as to him.

Witness, Wm. Bryson, Clerk and Master in Equity for Henderson county, at office in Hendersonville, 4th day of January, 1848.

W. BRYSON, C. M. E.

Jan. 13, 1848.—St. Printer's fee \$5

SALT, SALT.

I am manufacturing a large quantity of the purest Salt equal in quality to any in the world, which I am selling now at

20 Cents Per Bushel,

at the Works. The citizens of Western North Carolina will find it upon trial, their interest to adopt it generally.

Messrs. Rankin & Pulliam, of Asheville, are my authorized agents for selling orders for the South Western counties of North Carolina, who will themselves keep a constant supply for sale.

THOMAS L. PRESTON.

Saltworks, Va., Jan. 13, 1848. 3854t

Penmanship on a New Plan.

S. D. HAYDEN respectfully announces to the citizens of Asheville that he will give a thorough course of Lessons in Penmanship, on the *Simple Angular System*, during which the principles of writing on this plan will be taught. This system is more easily acquired and more rapidly written than any other. The object, in learning to write, is permanent impression, and with proper attention on the part of the pupil, such impression will be warranted, or no recompense required.

Persons desirous of improving their writing will please call at the Eagle Hotel this week, where a great variety of specimens will be exhibited.

January 6, 1848.—t.

FIVE CENTS REWARD.

Runaway from the subscriber, on the 30th ult. a bound boy, named PETER N. NULL. Said boy is between 14 and 15 years of age, small size, hair light, and has a down look. The above reward will be paid for the delivery of said boy to me at my residence three and a half miles west of Asheville.

JAMES BROOKSHIER.

January 6, 1848.—3t.

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In addition to the usual English branches taught in the highest Seminary, the Misses STRANIZER will give instructions in the French Language, Music, and in ornamental work.

The Trustees submit the following extracts from two of the testimonials furnished:

Extract from a letter addressed to Dr. J. McEnroe, by the Rev. N. L. Graves and Julius Wilcox, Principals of the Warrenton Female Institute:

"The Misses Stamme have been members of our School for nearly six years. During this time we have met them daily, as pupils, and we are happy to have this opportunity of bearing testimony in their favor, as young ladies of winning manners, of unusual talents and attainments, and of great moral worth."

"They have excelled in whatever they have undertaken to learn, and invariably stood at the head of their classes. Both have graduated with honor to our school, to themselves, and their friends."

"We are glad to be able to say that we do not enjoy the acquaintance of two young ladies whose manners, talents, and attainments so well qualify them to become teachers of eminence as those of the Misses Stamme."

Extract from the testimonial furnished by R. A. Enell, A. M., Principal of the Warrenton Male Academy:

"Having been intimately acquainted for the last eight years with the two Misses Stamme, I can safely recommend them to the public, as eminently qualified by the highest literary attainments, by savvy of manners, by the most genial dispositions, and by great energy of character, for the most important and responsible business of teaching."

"Both Ladies have received the best education that our country can afford in the sciences, in the languages, and in the polite branches of accomplished female learning."

State of North Carolina.

McDowell County.

SUPERIOR COURT OF LAW.

FALL TERM, 1847.

James Warren vs.

Ys.

Abraham McCallister.

Joseph McD. Carson and George R. Mills, summoned as Garnishees.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the defendant, Abraham McCallister, is a non-resident of this State, so that the regular process of Law cannot be served on him—it is therefore ordered by the Court that publication be made in the Highland Messenger for six successive weeks, notifying said non-resident defendant that he be and appear before the Judge at the next Superior Court of Law to be held for the county of McDowell, at the Court House in Marion, on the 6th Monday after the 4th Monday in March next, and then and there to plead or demur to said Attachment, otherwise judgment will be entered against him.

Witness, S. Bulow Erwin, Clerk of said Court, at Office, the sixth Monday after the 4th Monday in September, A. D. 1847, and in the 72nd year of our Independence.

S. BULOW ERWIN, C. S. C. L.

Jan. 6, 1848.—St. Printer's fee \$6.

A LIST OF LETTERS.

Remain in the Post Office at Asheville, N. C., on the 1st of January, 1848, which if not taken out within three months, will be returned as Dead Letters.

Abner Jones L
Bernes S. Jones
Bridgely William
Brinkley Samuel L.
Balls Thomas M.
Blackstock Miss E.
Brook A J or
L P Wright
Barnard S J
Bonny E M
Brink Joseph Esq
Baker Thomas
Barnard Isakiah
Baughman Joel T
Cunningham Merritt
Carson Jas D
Caldwell Hugh
Chambers John W
Chamber Philip
Chenault Wm Ulysses
Crawford Simons
Cresson Dr Robt H
Crawson Jacob
Campbell Joseph
Cheestnut Abraham
Clark Frank
Clark Co Jo Buncombe
Candler Charles M
Duncan George H
Davis R H Esq
Duckett Richard W
Duganston Artist
Engle Henry
Frank Mrs B
Foster B F

Falconer G N or
Sidney Fortwood
Fulton Wm H
Gedge Henry
Hunter Charles
Hart Henry
Heath Capt James
Hunt Andrew
Ingram John
Jones David L
Lanning James
Levil B M
Lanford Miss C M
McCullough Elijah
Madder Motes
Neal William
Newby John
Oldham Strlton
Pittman Lott
Patton J M
Pattor Alexander jr
Ramey Thomas Esq
Rutledge James Esq
Roberts Berce
Ree Ushperry
Tabor S A
Taylor J M jr
Thurston Henderson C
Williams C P
West Mrs Elizabeth
Woods A D
Westall Miss C T
Wolf M
West John
Westall Mrs H L
E. McCATTS, P. M.

Asheville, Jan. 1st, 1848. 384—3t.

Good Tavern Stand TO LET.

Offer to rent the plantation on which formerly lived, 3 1/2 miles north of Hendersonville, situated immediately on the State Road, upon which two DWELLING HOUSES,

one of them well adapted for a House of Entertainment, with ten rooms and five fire-places. A good Kitchen, two sets of Stables, and other necessary outbuildings, plenty of watered Lots for Stock—from 20 to 50 acres of cleared land under a good fence, a part of which is well set in Muds Grass.

In fact almost any other convenience necessary to make it a desirable Summer resort for Southern visitors visiting this section of country for their health, can be had on the premises. Persons wishing to rent, would do well to apply early and examine the premises for themselves.

For reference, J. Dunlap, Asheville, J. Livingston, Hendersonville, L. S. Gash, Claytonville, or myself at Home.

January 6, 1848. POLLY M. SUMMY.

A beautiful lot of handsome and desirable patterns of muslin de laines are offered at unprecedentedly low prices, by

RANKIN & PULLIAM.

August 5, t.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

Court of Probate and Orphan's Court.

Session 1847-1848, December.

R. M. Elzey, Attachment levied.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that Seth W. Pratt, the defendant in this case, is not an inhabitant of this State it is therefore ordered by said Court that publication be made in the Highland Messenger for six successive weeks notifying the said defendant that he be and appear at the next Court of Probate and Orphan's Court to be held for the county of Macon, at the Court House in Franklin, on the 3d Monday in March next, and show cause if any he hath, why the Magistrate's judgment shall not be confirmed, and the Land levied on condemned to plain-tiff's use.

Witness, J. E. Gray, Clerk of said court at office, the 2d Monday in December, 1847.

J. E. GRAY, CLK.

January 6, 1848. For Sec. 384—6t.

VALUABLE OINTMENT.

FOR SALE IN ASHEVILLE BY

HUGH JOHNSTON,

The only Agent West of the Blue Ridge.

August 16, 1847.—6m.

J. M. EDNEY BANK AGENT.

Will attend to the offering of Notes by all and Discount at the Asheville Branch Bank of Cape Fear. Business entrusted care will be promptly and faithfully attended. His charges will be 50 or 75c per \$1000.

NOTICE TO BANK DEALERS.

J. PATTON,

Will act as Agent in Offering Notes for Discount and Renewal at the Asheville Branch of the Bank of Cape Fear, and will charge the Customary Fee for his services.

Asheville, April 13, 1847. 346—1y.

ALBERT T. SUMMEY, AGENT.

Will attend to Renewing and Offering Notes for Discount at the Branch Bank Cape Fear.

ASHEVILLE, January, 1847—333.

J. M. ALEXANDER & Co.

100 Bags prime Rio Coffee; 3000 lbs. Sugar just received and for sale very low, at

RANKIN & PULLIAM'S.

Oct. 7, 1847. 371—4f.

State of North Carolina.

FALL TERM 1847.

Superior Court Office Cherokee County.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the business on the Civil Docket cannot be done at the regular Term of said Court, and that a Special Term is necessary; it is therefore ordered that a Special Term of the Superior Court of Law for the Co. of Cherokee be held on the 1st Monday in March next, in conformity to the act of Assembly. It is further ordered that the Clerk advertise this order in the Highland Messenger for six weeks. Suitors and Witnesses will take notice and attend accordingly.

Witness, James H. Bryson, Clerk of said Court for the 16th day of December, 1847.

A true copy from the Minutes.

JAS. H. BRYSON, CLK.

Dec. 23, pro fee, \$6. 382—6t.

NOW OPENING.

Brief variety of Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware and Cutlery