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you are gravely told by those who would... betray their country for gold... "It is a pitiful... Mr. Van Buren is a friend of the South...

and any thing I intended when I commenced... but hope to have the opportunity of meeting with you in person...



WATCHMAN. SALISBURY: FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1840. We have tried the Magician, his magic went down. We must weather the storm with Tippecanoe.

REPUBLICAN WHIG ELECTORAL TICKET. No. 1. Col. CHARLES McDOWELL, of Burke co. 2. Gen. JAS. WELLS, of Wilkes. 3. DAVID RAMSDELL, of Lincoln. 4. DAVID F. CALDWELL, of Rowan. 5. JAMES MEDARS, of Caswell. 6. HON. ABRAHAM RENCHER, of Chatham. 7. JOHN B. KELLY, of Moore. 8. DR. JAMES S. SMITH, of Orange. 9. CHARLES MANLY, of Wake. 10. Col. WM. L. LONG, of Halifax. 11. WM. W. CHERRY, of Bertie. 12. THOMAS F. JONES, of Perquimans. 13. JOSIAH COLLINS, of Washington. 14. JAMES W. BRYAN, of Currituck. 15. DANIEL B. BAKER, of New-Haven.

THE RALEIGH CONVENTION. From the spirit that seems to be abroad in Old Rowan, we think she will march in force to Raleigh on 5th of next month. A goodly number of Whigs have already agreed to go down, and we hear of various others who are anxious to be of the number. The arrangement is for the delegates to meet in front of the Rowan Hotel on Tuesday 29th inst., and to march in procession through the town of Salisbury on their onward road. Except elderly gentlemen and invalids, the trip is to be performed on foot. They will carry their baggage wagons with them, and will meet their fellow-citizens from Davie at Ashborough. Rowan means to do her duty in this matter, and will do it on 12th of November next.

The Richmond Enquirer and its satellites are accusing N. Carolina of being an abolition State and the last election is adduced as the proof. We are not prone to take umbrage at ordinary charges from our contemporaries, but the course pursued by this paper towards our State is most insulting and provoking. In one breath we are called Federalists and we receive from this father confessor of the true faith at Richmond, a homily for the sin of having elected a Governor to suit ourselves. In the next breath, we are kindy told what true democracy is, and we are enjoined and patted on the back as good sound Republicans, and advised to vote for Martin Van Buren. Nay, it is even declared that we will do so on the 12th of next November.

Now, we for one, protest against foreign influence of all kinds, but of all others, we spurn the intrusion of Thomas Ritchie. We have been able to live and get along in North Carolina with our kind supervision and guardianship, and we trust to be able to do so for the time to come. Let him take care of his own State, and unless we are greatly deceived, he has more than his hands full there. We learn that he was a vowed abolitionist himself in 1830—that he advised the Legislature of Virginia to take all the slaves of that State from their owners without any compensation. We have no use for any such preachers against abolition as that.

By the way of abolition. One of the hottest and most violent electioneers for Mr. Van Buren, is an abolitionist by the name of Abel Brown, a real or pretended Baptist preacher in Massachusetts, who in a late letter copied into the Enquirer, shows that he has lately opened a Van Buren meeting with Prayer—that he has given great offence by preaching political Sermons and making political prayers, containing personal abuse. Not only this, but it is very manifest that this holy abolitionist endeavors by insinuation to charge the Whigs of Northampton with holding political revels in the Congregational Church. The falsehood of this is plain enough when you come to attend to the letter closely, but the miserable fraud is evidently designed.

And still our adversaries here, have the "effrontery" to charge us with an alliance with the abolitionists of the North. They run an open abolitionist for Governor in Vermont. They have their political meetings opened with prayer for an avowed abolitionist. They are in close correspondence with him. They repeat and republish all his vile slanders against the Whigs, and still say the Whigs are in league with the abolitionists. That bell has been sounded too often to deceive the people of North Carolina.

Rip Van Winkle.—We learn that Senator Preston at a large Whig meeting lately held in Greenville, South Carolina, said he had "once applied the name of Rip Van Winkle to North Carolina, but he would now take that back, and bestow it where it was better deserved, on his own State. It was South Carolina that is asleep, while our Northern sister is gallantly doing her duty."

Rowan Superior Court.—The full term of this Court commenced here on Monday last, His Honor Judge Pearson, presiding. An unusually large amount of Judgments were taken, but little other important business transacted. We learn that the Grand Jury have been quite engaged in examining into skirmishes growing out of the late election; and such has been the fact at several of the preceding Courts in the circuit.

In answer to the statement which we made last week in relation to the appointment of Henderson as Postmaster, at Concord, we have received the letter below. The writer denies "the corn," and talks largely about his ability to prove falsehoods. Well, this is all perfectly natural—we would as soon believe the loud boasting of the Government officer at Concord as at any other place. They all know their obligation and the penalty of neglect. We are not convinced that we have misstated any thing about Henderson's appointment. We assure our friends the statement made in our last week's paper was made upon the words of three as respectable gentlemen of Concord, as live in the place, and it will take something more than the disinterested denial below to make us believe our informants are in error. That the appointment is very dissatisfactory to those mostly concerned is indisputable. We have heard it said that Col. Coleman, the Assistant Postmaster at Washington, fixed the business with Henderson when in Cabarrus on a visit in the Spring, as about that time a change is known to have come over the spirit of his dream, and he suddenly transformed from a broken down, inactive and despairing follower of the Magician, to a most daring, efficient and whole hog man of the party in the County.

CONCORD Sept 14th 1840 Messrs Pendleton & Bruner Sir, In your last number of the Watchman, I see you have mentioned my name in connection with the Post office in Concord. You say that you have it "upon the best authority" that Mr Cravens petition went on "several days in advance" of mine. Now sir this is a falsehood, and I am able to prove it, by as good evidence as is in the State. You further say that I was appointed on an "almost individual application"

Now sir this is another falsehood, and I am able to prove it. There were as many signers to my petition as were to Mr Cravens, and sir there were twelve whigs of as high standing as are in the County, indeed some of the very leaders of the party, signers of my petition, and all these are Citizens of Concord. My petition was signed promiscuously, by Whigs and Van Buren men. Now sir you are well aware that any man who industriously circulates falsehood though "upon the best authority" is not exempt from the merited odium attached to such conduct. I am willing to compare my petition with Mr Cravens (who is a gentleman) and should not fear the result of the comparison either in numbers or the respectability of signers, supposing that you to do Justice to every Man, I shall expect to see your notice corrected in the next Watchman. Yours & S. THOS S HENDERSON

A New Orleans paper of 2d instant, states that letters had been received in that city, from Opelousas, containing information that four hundred negroes had planned an insurrection in the Parish of Lafayette, which was to have taken place on the night of the 22d ult. One of the negroes informed his master of the circumstance, and the ring leaders were arrested, of whom were to be hung on the gallows. Four white abolitionists who had been placed in confinement.—Camden.

Communications.

[For the Carolina Watchman]

It is perceived by the Van Buren papers that our friends on that side, have kindly volunteered to save the Whigs the trouble of nominating Senators. The Standard recommends two distinguished Whigs as deserving support although by applying the name of "Federalist," the Editor intends to injure the Whig cause. I trust that the true Democracy will not be driven from the support of these distinguished gentlemen or any others they may choose by the application of this term by our enemies. The Federal party has proved their Republican principles by an able and effectual opposition to the increase of power in the Federal Executive.

Permit, Messrs Editors, a Whig to mention the name of another distinguished man in connection with this appointment: it is that of LEWIS WILLIAMS. I am aware his name for a long time has stood prominent among those spoken of. Mr. Williams is well known as an experienced statesman and an unflinching Whig. When we look back upon the Jackson torrent by which our once happy land has been desolated, we find him almost the only prominent man in our State, who at all times and under all circumstances, remained the flood—undecided by the pretended moderation, unseduced by the flattery and dazzled by the power, of the Hero of two wars. Mr. Williams was always found warning and exhorting his fellow citizens to rally to the rescue of their Country, and pointing out in anticipation that deplorable result which is now a matter of history. Mr. Williams sustained himself by his energy, and those energies are still undiminished. He has been tried by open contest and secret stratagem and has triumphed over open and hidden foes—and the result of all the recent elections in his district is evidence of the correct information he disseminated. By his firm and upright course he has maintained the confidence of his district until for many years he has been the Father of the House; and it does seem to me that a seat in the Senate, which he is calculated to fill with so much ability would be a fit and proper reward for his consistent, upright, and unflinching course. A WHIG.

[For the Carolina Watchman.]

"DON'T CARE." Messrs Editors: During our late electioneering campaign the expression which constitutes the caption of this article, fell frequently from the lips of a certain Tory candidate in this county. It happened however that being regarded only in the character of a blind guide, but few chose to risk with him a launch into the ditch, where on the memorable 13th of August, 1840, he landed so effectually bedraggled, as to prevent

ever since the flapping of his wings. Thus, sir, ended the race with this "don't care" or "don't care" preacher of Fishershire, Van Burenism, from time to time, manifested not his spirit when battling for that blood-bought treasure, which we are now the proud and happy possessors.—Such a spirit haunted not the immortal Harrison, at the Thames, Fort Meigs, or Tippecanoe.

The spirit of that monster ("Don't care") has multiplied widows and orphans upon the face of the whole earth, and doomed its millions to irretrievable woe. Such a spirit no doubt finds a home in the bosoms of those whose dirty work it is, to slander the people's candidate for President. And lastly, such a spirit called forth the cold and indifferent reply from one now in power, "The President finds nothing in the case of Lieut. Hoop, to require his interference."—That spirit however, is now rebuked, and the spell which bound good men to the party with which it is identified is broken. Harrison, it is said, "will come in like a whirlwind," but the figure is not quite bold enough. He will "come in," sir, with all the restlessness impetuosity of a tropical tornado. The goddess of victory is even now hovering over our effort, and will soon perch in security upon the broad banner of political reform. The day of our redemption draws nigh, and the shouts of ransomed thousands will ring the air from centre to circumference of this our again happy Republic.

WHIG VOTER.

[For the Carolina Watchman]

Messrs. Editors: On Saturday the 12th inst., a patriotic fellow citizen of Davie county, Mr. John Ford, gave to the Citizens of his neighborhood and friends generally, a real Tippecanoe justification. Mr Ford is the owner of several very valuable plantations in Rowan & Davie counties; one of them, his Greenville place, lies on both sides of the South-Yadkin river. The frequent crossing of the river by his hands has heretofore been attended with considerable risk, which prompted him to construct a large Canoe for their safety and convenience. On the day appointed for launching the "Tippecanoe," (invitation having been previously given) a considerable number of persons—some of whom were from several other Counties, besides Rowan & Davie, met at Mr Ford's residence and escorted the Boat to the river accompanied by a band of Music. She was launched at Hall's Ford, about one mile above her final destination, amidst shouts of hurrahs for Harrison and Tippecanoe, and sailed down in triumph to the boat landing, where an excellent Barbecue had been prepared for the guests, who united in the utmost harmony and friendship in the celebration. One who was there.

A CALL.

The Whigs of Davie county invite their friends from all parts to join them in a Social Re-peat on the 22d of October.— A BIG DINNER AT MOCKSVILLE!! Our Barns, Cribbs and Meat-houses, are full. Our crops of wheat, oats, corn and all sort of vegetables are as abundant as heart can desire—but we have no money at home, nor can we get paid for hauling our produce abroad. We promise a bountiful supply of every thing that is wholesome, to our friends—but "yellow boys." As we cannot furnish Champagne and Burgundy, we must substitute "hard cider."

Invitations have been sent to all the most distinguished Orators in the County to attend and give us also intellectual Re-peat.

The Whigs of Davie

Are requested to meet in Mocksville on Saturday the 22nd inst., for the purpose of organising a Tippecanoe Club, and appointing Delegates to the Convention and Celebration at Raleigh, on Monday the 5th of October next. Mocksville, Sept. 16, 1840.

A Republican Whig Meeting

Will be held at the Court House in Concord, Cabarrus County, on Saturday, the 19th inst., for the purpose of appointing Delegates to the Raleigh Convention on the 5th of October, when the Whigs are invited to attend. By order of the Tippecanoe Club of Cabarrus R. W. ALLISON, Sec'y. Concord, Sept. 7, 1840.

ATTENTION!

OFFICERS OF THE 88th Regiment of Davison County, N. Carolina Militia.

YOU are commanded to parade at George Hedrick's, on the 15th of Oct. next, at 10 o'clock, A. M., armed with Muskets for Drill; and on the 16th at 10 o'clock, A. M., with your subal terns, with six rounds of powder for General Muster. By order of WM OWEN, Col. Com't. IRA FITZGERALD, Ad't. September 18, 1840—4w8

NOTICE.

THE undersigned has been appointed special Administrator on the Estate of Joseph Cowan, deceased, and in pursuance of his authority will proceed to expose to public sale, on the 13th of October, 1840, at the late dwelling of said deceased, the following property, to wit: Two Horses, Thirty six head of Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, and a quantity of Corn Wheat and other articles. LEVI COWAN, Special Adm'r. of Joseph Cowan, deceased. September 18, 1840—3w8

NEW STORE.

JOEL H. JENKINS & JAMES BILES, beg leave to give notice that they have succeeded Mr. Thomas L. Cowan in the Mercantile business, and have taken the stand lately occupied by him, where they offer for sale the Stock of Goods recently owned by Mr. C., to which they intend soon to add a very general assortment of Dry Goods, Groceries, &c, from the North. THOMAS L. COWAN, having rented his Store to Jenkins & Biles, respectfully requests all who are indebted to him to call and settle their accounts, and if they cannot pay the money, give a note. He may be found at the Counting Room of Jenkins & Biles. Salisbury, Sept. 4, 1840. 61—

State of North Carolina, IREDELL COUNTY.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, August Term, 1840. G. B. Parkes to the use of? Josiah Cowles, vs. William Rash and E. E. Joutney. Justices Judgment. Levied upon the land of Def't. Rash.

State of North Carolina, IREDELL COUNTY.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, August Term, 1840. Job Richards, vs. William Rash. Original Attachment levied on Land. IT appearing to the satisfaction of the court, that William Rash is not an inhabitant of this State: It is therefore ordered by the court that publication be made in the Carolina Watchman for six weeks, for the said Rash to come in at the next Term of this court, to be held for the county of Iredell, at the Court House in Statesville, on the third Monday of November next, then and there to show cause, if any he has, why the said land should not be condemned to satisfy plaintiff's debt and all lawful costs. Witness, J. F. Alexander, Clerk of our said court at office, the 3d Monday in Aug. 1840. J. F. ALEXANDER, clk. September 18—6w8: Printers' Fee \$5 62

State of North Carolina, IREDELL COUNTY.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, August Term, 1840. Wm. B. Deaton, vs. Cowles & Wilcox. Justices Judgment Levied upon Defendants Land. IT appearing to the satisfaction of the court, that William B. Deaton is not an inhabitant of this State: It is therefore ordered by the court, that publication be made in the Carolina Watchman for six weeks, for the said Deaton to appear at the next Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, to be held for the county of Iredell, at the Court House in Statesville, on the third Monday in November next, then and there to show cause, if any he has, why the said Lands levied should not be condemned to satisfy plaintiff's debt and all lawful costs. Witness, J. F. Alexander, clerk of our said court at office, the 3d Monday in August, 1840. J. F. ALEXANDER, clk. Sept 18—6w8: Printers' Fee \$6 62

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NOTICE.

TAKEN up and entered on the Ranger's Books of the County of Cabarrus, by John C. Cochran on the 11th day of August, 1840, a mare mule, from 8 to 12 years old, of a brown color, appraised at \$5 dollars. The owner is hereby notified to come forward, prove property pay charges and receive it as the law directs. J. M. MILSTER, Ranger. Cabarrus County. August 14, 1840.—Su3

SEWING.

MRS. HOWARD respectfully informs the gentlemen of Salisbury, and citizens generally, that she will make pantaloons, vests, and Summer coats, for half the price now paid elsewhere for such work. She has done a great deal of such work for the Tailors, and will inquire all that may be given her, to be done as durable and neat as any done by them. Shirts, bosoms, &c., will also be made at a very reasonable price. Salisbury, August 21, 1840—1f4