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A DELINQUENT 'SUBSCRIBER'S' SOLOLOQUY.

Yes, it is so! two years have flown, Since first I took my paper; Time scarcely comes ere it is gone...

From the N. Y. Plebeian.

THE GENIUS OF DEMOCRACY'S ADJURATION.

Air—Bruce's Address. Friends of "equal rights and laws!" Rouse ye up for Freedom's cause!

From the Washington Republican.

CRAVEN COUNTY RESOLUTIONS --DISTRICT CONVENTION.

We invite the attention of the Democratic party of the 8th Congressional District, to the proceedings of their friends in Craven, which appear in to-day's Republican...

prove or disapprove of the method suggested by their Craven friends. And it is to be hoped it will be speedily done, in order that we may not interfere with the arrangements made in other Counties...

We would prefer, if it were possible to be done, that the delegates be elected by the people, but as it is not probable that the people would give their attention to an election of this kind...

CRAVEN COUNTY--DEMOCRATIC MEETING.

At a meeting of a portion of the Democratic party of Craven County, held in the Court House at Newbern, on the 14th inst.: on motion of Jas. C. Cole, Esq., the meeting was organized by calling the Honorable R. D. Spaight to the Chair, and appointing Messrs. C. D. Foy and N. S. Brown, Esqrs. Secretaries.

The object of the meeting being expressed by the Chairman, On motion of Geo. E. Carraway, Esq., a Committee of six persons were appointed to draft resolutions expressive of the sentiments of the meeting...

Whereas, The Democrats of Craven, feeling a deep interest in the success and preservation of the free institutions of our country, believing that since the defeat of the Democratic party in 1840, a ruinous policy has been pursued by the party who came into power...

Resolved, That the proposition of the Democrats of Wake, to hold a State Convention in the City of Raleigh, on the 14th December next, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Governor of this State, and appointing delegates to the National Convention, to be holden at Baltimore in May next, meets with our hearty concurrence.

Resolved, That we are unwilling to express any preference in regard to the choice of candidates for President and Vice President, because we have sufficient confidence in the wisdom and patriotism of the Convention which will assemble at Baltimore in May, 1844...

Resolved, That to be victorious in the approaching contest, an organization of our party is highly necessary, and that the Chairman of this meeting appoint a Committee of Vigilance, and a Committee of Correspondence to communicate with similar Committees throughout the State.

Resolved, That the name of MICHAEL

Hoke, Esq., of Lincoln County, having been presented by several Democratic meetings as a candidate for Governor, we recommend to our delegates to urge his claims before the State Convention...

Resolved, That the Chairman appoint Twenty-Five delegates to represent this County in the State Convention.

Resolved, That we call upon the Democrats of the Eighth Congressional District of this State, to hold a District Convention, at Washington, Beaufort county, to appoint a delegate to represent this Congressional District in the Convention to be holden in Baltimore in May next...

The preamble and resolutions having been read, the question then being called for, the resolutions were unanimously adopted.

The Chairman named the following persons as delegates to the Convention at Raleigh: Christopher D. Foy, Benj. F. Burdon, Henry Jones, N. S. Brown, Redding Jones, Thos. I. Pasteur, John L. Lee, N. H. Street, R. W. Latham, W. Daniels, George Stevenson, Abner Brickhouse, W. H. Marshall, E. R. Hubbard, Geo. E. Carraway, W. Carman, Jas. Robinson, Caswell Gardner, Thos. Howard, Jess. Lancaster, Henry I. Green, O. S. Dewey, Raymond Castex, Jas. C. Cole, John Chadwick.

The chairman appointed as the committee of correspondence, Martin Stevenson, Jr. Jas. Robinson, Zachus Slade, F. P. Latham, Michael H. Lennie, C. B. Wood, Geo. E. Carraway.

The chairman appointed as the committee of Vigilance, Jas. C. Stevenson, Thos. Bowen, M. W. Jarvis, Nathan Whitford, H. B. Lane, John Jackson, Thos. Sparrow, Allen Anderson, Francis Mason, Obed Palmer, B. M. Cooke, Wm. S. McKoy, Wm. D. O. Leary, Kinnion F. West, Noah Miller, Graves Fonville, Wm. Lewis, Jas. E. Morris, Jas. Holton, Chas. Kelly, Philip Pipkin, Jas. Putman.

A call was made for Mr. Geo. Stevenson to address the meeting; Mr. Stevenson came forward and addressed the meeting in a short and animated speech, which gave general satisfaction.

On motion of O. S. Dewey, Esq., a Committee of seven be appointed by the Chairman to attend the convention at Washington.

The chairman appointed as delegates to the Convention at Washington, Thos. I. Pasteur, C. B. Wood, Oliver S. Dewey, John R. Donnell, Nathaniel H. Street, Zachus Slade, Israel Disoway.

On motion, that the chairman be added to the list of delegates to the convention at Raleigh.

On motion of George E. Carraway, Esq., that the thanks of the meeting be tendered to the chairman and Secretaries for the discharge of their respective duties.

On motion of O. S. Dewey, Esq., that the proceedings of this meeting be signed by the chairman and Secretaries, and forwarded to the Editors of the Washington Republican, and North Carolina Standard, with the request that they publish them.

On motion the meeting adjourned.

ROBERT D. SPAIGHT, Ch'n. CHRISTOPHER D. FOY, } Secretaries. NATH'L S. BROWN, }

From the Roanoke Republican.

DEMOCRATIC MEETING IN HALIFAX FAX.

At a meeting of a portion of the democrats of Halifax County, held in Halifax town, on the 21st day of Nov. 1843--(being Tuesday of Court) the meeting was organized by calling Dr. T. S. Brownlow to the Chair and appointing Whitmel H. Hardee, Secretary.

The object of the meeting was explained in a neat and appropriate address from Dr. Wilcox, after which;

On motion, the following gentlemen were appointed a committee to draft resolutions for the action of the meeting; L. M. Long, Dr. M. A. Wilcox, W. W. Daniel, Harrison Walker, Dr. W. T. Skelton, who after retiring a short time reported, through their Chairman, Mr. Long, the following resolutions which were unanimously adopted.

1. Resolved, that we concur with our friends in proposing to hold a convention of the democratic party of this State, at Raleigh on the 14th Dec. next, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Governor at the ensuing election, and appointing two delegates to represent the State in the National Democratic Convention to be held at Baltimore in May next, and for taking such steps as may be thought necessary and expedient to effect a general and vigorous rally of the Democracy of the State in support of the candidate of our party.

2. Resolved, that the acts and designs of the present whig party, as indicated by the proceedings of the late Congress, are fraught with the most alarming tendency--dangerous to the Constitutional rights, and best interests of the people. We see in them the attempt to revive the old spirit of Federalism, and to erect the fallen temple of consolidation, which the people have repeatedly pronounced hostile to the letter and spirit of the Constitution...

3. Resolved, that our confidence in the principles of the democratic party is unshaken, and we sincerely believe that upon the triumph of those principles depends the prosperity and happiness of our Country.

4. Resolved, that we will support the nominee of the Democratic National Convention for President of the United States, for notwithstanding our preference for men, we love principles better than men.

5. Resolved, that we will meet our Democratic brethren of this congressional district, at some future day, for the purpose of selecting some person to represent us in the Baltimore Convention, but we think it inexpedient to take definitive steps for such purpose at present.

6. Resolved, that the Chairman of this meeting appoint twenty five (25) delegates, to be approved of by the meeting, to represent this County in the Convention to be held in Raleigh on the 14th December next.

Under the last resolution the Chairman appointed the following gentlemen as delegates to the State Convention: Frederick McWilliams, Thos W. Harris, R. P. Hamlin; Dr. Jas W. Alston, Isaac Hilliard, John Davis, Thos. P. Alston, John Campbell, Dr. Thad Davis, L. M. Long, T. D. Heath, Dr. M. Whitaker, William W. Daniel, Lemuel Savage, Matthew Whitaker, Jas. Jones, M. A. Allen, Harrison Walker, Dr. W. T. Skelton, Thos. Tillery, Jas. Snow, Thos R. Purnell, Wm. Branch, Francis Bobbit, Wm. Hustin.

On motion of Dr. Wilcox, the names of the Chairman and Secretary were added to the delegation to the State Convention.

On motion of T. D. Heath, the thanks of the meeting were tendered to the Chairman and Secretary, and the proceedings directed to be published in the Democratic papers in the city of Raleigh, with the request that the other democratic papers in the State will copy, also that the Roanoke Republican publish the proceedings of this meeting.

TIPPOO S. BROWNLOW, Ch'n Whitmel H. Hardee, Secretary.

From the Richmond Enquirer.

To remove any incorrect impressions, which may have been undesignedly produced by our remarks, we cheerfully lay before our readers, the following letter from Mr. Calhoun--received by yesterday morning's mail:

Fort Hill, 12th Nov., 1843

Dear Sir:--I write this to correct the mistake you made, in supposing, that, in my letter to a gentleman of North Carolina on the subject of the Tariff, (published in the Enquirer of the 7th instant,) I referred to my letter to Mr. Nicholas of Louisiana, published in the same article. The letter referred to was Mr. Delaney of Louisiana, and was in answer to one containing an inquiry similar to one addressed to me from North Carolina. The answer to Mr. Nicholas was to one on a very different subject. If you had adverted to dates, you would have avoided the mistake. The North Carolina letter refers to one recently written. It is dated the 24th September last, and the letter to Mr. Nicholas 7th May, 1842, more than fifteen months before.

I regret the mistake. Unauthorized liberty has been taken with my letter to Mr. Nicholas, by printing portions in italics, and the word protecting in glaring capitals, calculated to make the impression, that I, too, am the advocate of the protective policy; and that, too, by editors professing to be opposed to protection and friendly to me, as well as those in favor, and politically hostile to me. By such means, hasty readers of newspapers have been led to believe, that I admit the right of protecting the Louisiana sugar planters against foreign competition by the imposition of duties on the foreign article for that purpose, directly against the plain import of my letter. The protection of which I spoke is expressly stated to be not against foreign competition, but against the machinations of the opponents of slave labor. I intended simply to say, that I could resist, in adjusting the Tariff, any attempt that might be made to take off or reduce the duty, that foreign sugar ought airily to pay, on revenue principles, on the ground of discouraging the domestic article, because it was the product of slave labor.

What I regret in your mistake is, that it is calculated to strengthen the false impression made by the unauthorized Italics and Capital letters, not only by publishing my letter with them, but still more strongly, by publishing it as the one referred to in my North Carolina letter, in confirmation and elucidation of my opinion on the subject of protection.

As it is my wish to be fully and explicitly understood on that and all other public subjects, I must request you to publish what I have written, in the Enquirer. With respect, I am, &c. &c., J. C. CALHOUN.

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THOS. RITCHIE, E-q.

From the Baltimore American.

We mentioned briefly yesterday the arrest near Alexandria of two of the kidnappers who had stolen a negro family in Worcester County, Md., about a fortnight since. These men are said to be named Benjamin C. Dickson and Rowland H. Vail, and are reported to belong to Kentucky. The Alexandria Gazette says--

Information was received in this place that Dickson and Vail, with the negroes thus kidnapped, had come up the river Potomac in a vessel, landed below this town, and proceeded towards Leesburg, in Virginia. On Saturday night, three young men, James Chatham, James Cole, and Thomas Jarvis, started in pursuit; about 12 o'clock the same night found the kidnappers at a house just beyond Draneville. The party, headed by Chatham,--who throughout the affair displayed the greatest coolness and discretion,--forced their way to the room where Vail and Dickson lodged, and commanded them to surrender. Vail drew a pistol and fired at Chatham, the ball passing within a few inches of his head. Before he could fire a second time, Chatham felled him to the floor, and Cole and Jarvis having prostrated Dickson, the two ruffians were secured and bound in a very short time. The negroes were in the same house, and seemed much rejoiced at being rescued from the kidnappers.

Having accomplished their object, the young men returned, carrying Dickson, Vail, and the negroes, to Fairfax Court House, where they had them all committed to jail--the white men to answer the charge of robbing and abduction, and the blacks for safe keeping and the order of their master.

It seems that Dickson and Vail hired a vessel here some short time since, and went down to the farm of Brittingham, for the express purpose of getting possession of these slaves. Succeeding in their plan, as above narrated, they came up the river, and were making their way out to Kentucky, their arrest will probably speedily be followed by proper punishment.

Murder.--We copy the following from the Hopkinsville (Ky.) Gazette of the 14th inst. On Tuesday evening last, about sunset, two strangers in a small two-horse dearborn, were observed to stop at a place called the Salubrious Springs Meeting House. They kindled a fire at this spot in the open air, under a tree, and repaired to the residence of Mr. Holland, where they had some biscuit baked, and bought a few pounds of bacon. A gentleman returning home about 9 o'clock at night observed the strangers by their fire, talking in a low voice. At an early hour, next morning, one of the strangers was discovered lying before the fire under some covering, with his face horribly mutilated by hogs. A club and some stones, he instruments of death were found lying near the murdered man, a few dollars in small coin were also scattered about the body, but the fiendish assassin was not there: under the lash of guilt and fear he had fled. The dearborn, with a small gray horse, was left on the ground, the other horse, a sorrel, with probably a blind bridle on him, was gone. It is supposed that the murdered man was killed by his companion, and that money was the object. A pair of saddle bags was left in the dearborn; in the saddle-bags were found some papers, from an examination of which it would appear, that their owner lives in White county, Tennessee, and that his name is Thomas Robinson.

A Hebrew Wedding took place on Wednesday in the Synagogue in Crosby st. where Mr. T. J. Seixas was united to Miss Annah Judah, Rev. J. J. Lyons officiated as Priest, assisted by a Philadelphia brother. The ceremonies were most impressive, the large congregation of Gentiles whose curiosity had drawn them to the sacred edifice, which is rarely open to any but the Faithful on such occasions. A long recitative in Hebrew was chanted by the priest from the altar, after which a canopy 120 years old, resting on four uprights, was brought out, and the parties took their station under it and were united. A ring was given, a glass of wine drank by the wedding pair, the glass broken with some chanting intermingled and the ceremony declared complete.--N. Y. Tribune.