

At the Convention held in Kingston, on Tuesday last, twelve thousand dollars were subscribed to the Atlantic Road, which, together with the subscription of the County, heretofore made, makes the whole amount subscribed by Lenoir, \$23,000.

Davidson College.
Rev. J. B. Adger, of Charleston, was unanimously elected by the Trustees of the Institution at Charlotte, recently, President of the above College, in the place of Dr. Williamson, resigned.

Hon. Presley Ewing, member of Congress from the second District of Kentucky, died of cholera at the Mammoth Cave, on Wednesday last.

Hon. J. W. Jackson, M. C., from Georgia, died of Yellow Fever recently.

Bishop of New York.
The Episcopal Convention of New York elected, on the 8th ballot, the Rev. Horatio Potter, D. D., of Albany, Provisional Bishop of the Diocese. His principal competitors were Drs. Vinton and Haught.

The New York Express calls attention to the singular coincidence that for the second time now two brothers have been elected over the great Dioceses of New York and Pennsylvania—the elder in each case, being chosen first, and being chosen by Pennsylvania.

Bishop Potter was we see it stated, originally from Poughkeepsie. His age is probably about 50 years. He is a gentleman of pleasing manners, fine culture, much talent, and may be said to represent the Low Church party.

Human Life.

Ah! this beautiful world. Indeed, I know not what to think of it. Sometimes it is all gladness and sunshine, and heaven is not far off; and it changes suddenly, and it is dark and sorrowful, and the clouds shut out the sky. In the lives of the saddest of us, there are bright days like this, when we feel as if we could take this great world in our arms. Then come the gloomy hours, when the fire will neither burn in our hearts or in our hearths, and all without and within is dismal, cold, and dark. Believe, every heart has its secret sorrows, which the world knows not, and oftentimes we call a man cold when he is only sad.

Charles F. Fisher, of Rowan, is the Democratic candidate in the Salisbury Senatorial district.

A despatch from Washington to the Baltimore Patriot states upon undoubted authority that several "Know Nothing" clerks in the City Post Office were deported on Tuesday by order of Col. Berret, the Postmaster. This he does to meet the wishes of the Democratic party and of the Administration.

The fusion in Indiana between the whigs and abolitionists is almost complete. The democrats have nothing to oppose to this combination but a straight out democratic ticket; and we are glad to see that the prospects are good for their success at the coming election.

COMMON SCHOOL ELECTION.

The following persons are appointed to hold the election at the usual place in their respective School districts, for the election of three School Committee-men for each district, to serve the ensuing year.

District 1, Range 1, Jos. Simpson, J. Bouldin.
District 2, Range 1, Azariah Graves, A. Ware.
District 3, Range 1, Launcelott Johnston, Jas. Watlington.

District 4, Range 1, Robert W. Totten Henry Badgett.
District 5, Range 1, John Cobb, C. Strader.
District 6, Range 1, J. D. Kesse, W. G. Stokes.
District 1, Range 2, J. C. Penix, James Walker.
District 2, Range 2, Thos. Radd, L. Deshong.
District 3, Range 2, Paul Watlington, John C. Totten.

District 4, Range 2, James H. Gunn, William S. Hatchett.
District 5, Range 2, J. S. Henderson, T. Ware.
District 6, Range 2, John Travis, Wm. Barton.
District 1, Range 3, Nathan Brown, P. Walker.
District 2, Range 3, Henry Turner, Lewis Love.
District 3, Range 3, Cary W. West, Thomas Bigelow.

District 4, Range 3, Pleasant H. Womack, P. Hodnett.
District 5, Range 3, G. P. Womack, J. S. Totten.
District 6, Range 3, Thomas Ray, E. Knight.
District 1, Range 4, H. W. Cooper, William H. Baranwell.

District 2, Range 4, Alex. M. Brannock, John Dameron.
District 3, Range 4, H. F. Adkins, W. N. Kimbro.
District 4, Range 4, Alvis Lea, James Ingram.
District 5, Range 4, William Lea, Thos. Slade.
District 6, Range 4, Nat. Hunt, Daniel Gunn.
District 7, Range 4, J. L. Denny, N. L. Farmer.

District 1, Range 5, S. W. Browning, Calvin J. Richmond.
District 2, Range 5, J. James, Jeremiah Smith.
District 3, Range 5, H. A. Richmond, S. Walton.
District 4, Range 5, J. Chambers, V. Bradsher.
District 5, Range 5, Thomas L. Lea, J. G. Lea.
District 6, Range 5, J. M. Allen, Jarvis Friou.

District 1, Range 6, G. W. Morgan, W. M. Lea.
District 2, Range 6, T. J. Evans, J. H. Fuller.
District 3, Range 6, G. Woods, T. W. Currie.
District 4, Range 6, I. G. Stephens, E. Dillard.
District 5, Range 6, J. R. Rainey, Jas. Moore.
District 6, Range 6, Caleb H. Richmond, Thos. Brandon.

Returns of the election will be made to the chairman, or Gen. Thomas W. Graves, the clerk of the Board of Superintendents, at or before November Superior Court.

NATHANIEL J. PALMER,
Chairman Board of Superintendents,
Milton, September 20, 1854. sep 27-31.

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A NEW MAP OF

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The undersigned are preparing, and will publish as soon as the regular surveys, &c., can be obtained, a new, large, and complete Map of North Carolina, five feet by three, well engraved, and finished in the best style. It is admitted on all sides, that such a work is a great desideratum in our State, and it is in consequence of the frequent inquiries on this subject, that the undersigned have embarked in the enterprise.

The only attempted work of this kind is that of McRea, published in 1833; and since then the Counties, Towns, Roads, and Post Offices have increased in number, and all our works of Internal Improvements, with small exceptions, been set on foot.

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MARY W. TIMBERLAKE,
Caswell county, N. C., Sept. 20, 1854. sep 29-41.

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Milton, September 27, 1854. sep 27-41.

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1. The names of the Post Offices in your County, and the distance and direction from the County Town.

2. The names of the Rivers and Creeks, giving the general direction in which they run, and where they empty.

3. The name and location of Mills, Factories, Foundries, &c., &c.

4. The Schools and Colleges, with the number of Teachers and Pupils.

5. The Churches, designating the denomination of each.

6. The character and productiveness of the Mines and Fisheries, and the principal articles of export.

7. The number of Lawyers, Physicians, Merchants, and other professional men.

8. The general character of the timber, and the soil in the different parts of the County.

To those who have so promptly responded to the above request, the subscriber returns his sincere thanks, and hopes that many others will communicate as much valuable information as they can collect, on all or any of the foregoing subjects of inquiry.

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