

Salisbury:

JULY 8, 1828.

THE PEOPLE'S NOMINATION.

FOR PRESIDENT,
ANDREW JACKSON.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT,
JOHN C. CALHOUN.

Rowan Auxiliary Colonization Society.

At the annual meeting of this society, which was held in the court-house, on Friday last, the 4th inst. the following gentlemen were elected officers for the ensuing year:

Col. Thos. G. Folk, President; Rev. Jesse Rankin, and Rev. John Beck, Vice Presidents; Sam'l. Silliman, Esq. Secretary; Dr. Alexander Long, Treasurer; Rev. Joseph D. Kilpatrick, Charles Fisher, Thomas L. Cowan, D. F. Caldwell, Michael Brown, James Martin, jr. and H. C. Jones, Esquires, Managers.

MASONIC INSTALLATION.

On Thursday last, the 3d inst. Fulton Lodge, No. 99, was duly constituted, and the officers thereof installed, according to the ancient usages of the Order. The members of the Lodge, and visiting brethren, marched in processions from the lodgeroom to the Episcopal Church; where the installing officer, the Rev. Wm. M. Green, of Hillsboro', delivered a very appropriate, interesting and impressive address; which must have been highly instructive and satisfactory to the uninitiated, and have tended, in a good degree, to remove the prejudices existing against the institution. After the conclusion of the address, the ceremonies of the installation took place, which were interesting, solemn and impressive.

FOURTH OF JULY.

Friday last, being the 52d anniversary of the day on which these free States were declared independent of British thralldom, was noticed in this town by a public dinner at the Mansion Hotel, of which a respectable company partook. David F. Caldwell, Esq. presided, assisted by Dr. Stephen L. Ferrand. Col. Thos. G. Folk, being called on, read the Declaration of Independence. After the cloth was removed the following toasts were drank to, interspersed with patriotic and humorous songs. Much good cheer, and great harmony, reigned throughout the entertainment; no expression or sentiment of a party cast, being obtruded to mar the festivities of the day.

REGULAR TOASTS.

1st. The 4th of July, '76: On that memorable day our intrepid fathers decreed the severance of the British empire, and proclaimed to an astonished world that America was independent and free!

2d. The Union of the States: Our existence as a great Nation, the existence of republican governments themselves, depend on the Union of the States: Let, then, no momentary excitement, no temporary pressure or inconvenience, force on our minds the thought of dissolution; for, in the prophetic language of Washington, "United we stand, divided we fall."

3d. George Washington: Let silence muse his praise.

4th. Charles Carroll: The only surviving signer of the Great Charter of American Freedom.

5th. The Army and the Navy of the United States: Always prompt to avenge their country's wrongs when that country finds it necessary to appeal from reason to the sword!

6th. North Carolina: In the great struggle for Liberty, she was among the first to pour out her blood and treasure to defend it; and though she has been neglected, and almost forgotten by the general government, she will not be the last to protect it.

7th. The Judiciary.

8th. The University of North Carolina, and other Seminaries of Learning in this State: they ought to be the glory and hope of the Church.

9th. Internal Improvement: Whilst other States are marching onward, shall North Carolina suffer her energies to slumber, and her resources to lie dormant! Forbid it, self-interest, state-pride, patriotism!

10th. The next Legislature: The crisis invokes the best talents of the State to her councils, by wisdom and firmness to avert impending calamity!

11th. Agriculture, Commerce and Manufactures; mutually dependent: the one should not be exclusively fostered to the injury of the other.

12th. South America: May she equally avoid military rule and popular licentiousness.

13th. The war between Russia and Turkey: So far as Religion is at stake, success to the Cross.

VOLUNTEERS.

By D. F. Caldwell, Esq. President of the day: In these times of high party excitement, he might be permitted to say, without offence to any one, whether Gen. Jackson or Mr. Adams succeed to the Presidency, may he administer the

government as the head of the nation, and not as the chief of a faction.

By Dr. S. L. Ferrand, Vice President of the day: The land we live in.

By Col. Thomas G. Folk: the county of Mecklenburg; distinguished alike for the chivalry of her citizens, and the richness of her mines.

Charles Fisher, Esq. being called on for a toast, gave, "Better trade, and better times: the vessel that is always letting out at the spile hole, and receiving nothing in at the bung, will soon run dry; the state that pays away more money for imports than she receives for exports, must soon become scarce of cash; that this is the condition of North-Carolina, we all see and feel; that this may not continue to be her condition, let the state improve the resources with which the God of nature hath blessed us; let us encourage home manufactures and internal improvements; and then we will have better trade and better times."

By Mr. Henderson, of Mississippi: Palsy to the brain that shall plot the dismemberment of these states.

By Dr. L. Mitchell: the American Fair.

By Maj. John Beard, jr: the thirteen Old United States.

By Moses A. Locke, Esq: The memory of Gen. George Graham.

By Mr. Wm. Hunter: The Harp of Erin; may it be shielded by the wing of the American Eagle.

By Mr. P. Barry: Political and religious freedom throughout the world: may the blissful period soon arrive, when men can differ on politics and religion, without being enemies.

By Dr. John Scott: the Greeks; the goddess of liberty hovers over them, and may their enemies, and the enemies of liberty, be discomfited in their unholy warfare against the rights of man.

By Mr. Daniel Meenan: the Tree of Liberty; may its branches overspread every nation and every tongue.

By Mr. L. Bingham: All true Americans.

By Gen. W. H. Kerr: The American Eagle; may its wings, the panoply of freedom, extend their protecting influence over all men who are free in spirit, in whatever part of the globe their lot may be cast.

By Dr. E. Willey: As reason and experience develop, may the difference of national policy existing between the Northern and Southern states, become amalgamated by the spirit of '76.

By Doct. Alex. Long: De Witt Clinton: his memory will be borne in perpetual remembrance by a regretting nation.

By P. White: The 4th of July; may the glow of patriotism which this Sabbath day of freedom excites in American bosoms, never be quenched by sectional animosity or party rancor.

By Dr. John Scott: the Hon. George McDuffie: the steadfast adherent of general principles, and the able advocate of Southern rights.

By E. Cress, Esq.: the venerable Chas. Carroll, of Carrollton, the only surviving signer of the Declaration of Independence; may his latter days be as tranquil and serene, as his former were glorious and useful.

Mr. White: Sir, I am anxious to know, as your paper prescribes remedies for many diseases, if you can give us any cure for the sad diseases of our elections and candidates. The circumstances under which our annual elections are conducted, are indeed much to be deplored. The person who could prescribe a remedy, and give a healing touch to these threatening diseases, would be worthy of a high premium. It is enough, indeed, not only to excite a blush, but deeply to sicken the heart of a sober and intelligent man, to be a spectator of the conduct of his fellow-citizens on these occasions. How many of those persons who come together on these days, to make choice of those individuals who are to enact and execute laws, which may secure their and their children's lives, liberties and property, are presently altogether unfit to make any such choice. They are soon so much soaked and drenched with the poisonous bowl of intoxication as scarcely to know one person from another. In this situation, they are to make that choice which presently is to fix the destiny of their country, their own and the fate of their posterity. The thing is not only said, but really executed, that they will vote for the man who will give the full flowing bowl. This intoxicating draught is very often furnished and handed from behind the curtain at the expense and direction of the candidate. This candidate, if successful, is presently to have a solemn oath administered to him in the legislative hall, which it is difficult to understand how he will manage.

G, Sir, is there no remedy for this disease? Is there not love of country, is there not love of virtue, is there not love sufficient to the rising generation among us, to put down this fatal mischief? Is there not as much unyielding integrity and firmness, is there not as much regard to morals; to piety, and the character of our fathers, left in the old county of Rowan, as to face the storm, and attempt a cure? Let the citizens of this county speak out boldly, and say, as has been said in many other places, we will not give our interest to any candidate who thus offers the poisonous bowl to his neighbors, or uses it too freely himself? Is there not still some redeeming spirit among us, is there no time, or given point, where this evil shall be stayed, when such a course shall be considered shameful and degrading?

Sir, it is truly diverting, and at the same time very disgusting, to hear the harangues of the stump and old log orators of our day. Every upstart and undertrapper, when he mounts his old log rostrum, thinks himself at liberty, and in duty bound, to give the whole country, both political and religious, of John Q. Adams and Gen. Jackson; though he may, in reality, know no more about them than the man in the Moon,

with the shere-hugh in his hand; while, at the same time, the presidential question has nothing to do with his own election; yet he must give you the full history, and tell you that prof is at hand for all he advances. Many, very many, high sounding things are said in their favour, and many designed to degrade each of them. Surely, these gentlemen, both of them, deserve well of their country-men in many respects. But, Sir, here is the ladder on which they hope to climb to popularity over the heads of their opposers. I dread, Sir, the approach of these orators, presently, at our muster-grounds and other public places, more than the coming of the locusts. Come they will, I suppose, unless you, or some other person, prescribe a cure immediately.

I close my remarks, Sir, by saying, it is to be devoutly wished, that no person may be encouraged or supported by the citizens of Rowan, who will hand round, for the purpose of being elected, the poisonous bowl, use it too freely himself, or endeavour to excite the public mind on the subject of the presidential question, at ready greatly too much heated and excited.

[We must beg to be excused from presiding in this case, lest we should incur the scorn and contempt which all quacks, as well in politics as medicine, deserve at the hands of an intelligent people. We abhor quackery, in every department of life; as much in those who attempt to tinker and patch up the body politic, without the requisite qualifications; as in those despotic empirics in medicine, who trifle with the lives of their fellow-beings, in plying them with dangerous specifics, the properties of which they are as ignorant of, as they are of the nature of the disease intended to be remedied by them.]

We are obliged to omit much matter prepared for this paper, original, communicated and selected, to make room for the proceedings of the 4th, &c. Among the matter omitted, is an article on the anti-tariff proceedings in South-Carolina, &c.

Thomas M. Randolph, Esq. formerly Governor of Virginia, died at Monticello, in that state, on the 30th ult.

Tired of life.—An old lady, upwards of ninety years of age lately hung herself in Cocksackie, New-York. Had she exercised a little of patience, she must have died in the course of nature, very shortly, and saved her name from the stigma of self-murder.

Distressing.—While Mr. Philip Smith and his lady, of Pitt county, in this state, were absent from home on the 12th ult. their dwelling house took fire, and was consumed, with four of their children in it! A fifth child, the oldest, was so badly burnt, that its life was despaired of.

Assign.—The Newbern Sentinel, which has hitherto been neutral on the Presidency, has come out in favor of the people's candidate, Andrew Jackson.

Lightning.—During a thunder storm in Fayetteville, on the 20th ult. the house of Mr. Charles B. Jones was struck by lightning, and entirely consumed; the Presbyterian church was also struck; but the Franklin rod attached to the steeple, conducted off the electric fluid, and the building was uninjured. It would be a wise precaution for every valuable house to have one of these lightning-rods attached to it.

Prolific Wheat.—On the farm of John Steel, Esq. of Richmond county, from one grain of wheat, there grew 191 stalks; on these stalks were 154 heads, averaging 3 1/2 inches in length. Unfortunately the bunch of wheat took the rust, and the grain did not come to maturity. It was the Maryland white flint wheat.

University.—The annual examination of the students of this institution, commenced on the 16th, and continued till the 26th, on which day was the Annual Commencement. The degree of Bachelor of Arts was conferred on Richard H. Battle, Henry Toole, James D. Hall, John L. Taylor, Edwin G. Booth, Edwin R. Harris, Thomas P. Johnson, James K. Nesbitt, John P. Gauze, Thomas J. Oakes, Henry S. Clark.

Lawyers.—In addition to the young gentlemen whom we have previously announced as having been licensed by the Supreme Court to practise law, we add the names of

Thomas B. Wright, of Fayetteville, Robert B. Gilliam, of Granville, in the Superior Courts.

Edmund Dargan of Anson, Leonidas King of do. John C. Palmer of Guilford, Thos. M. Wadsworth of Newbern, in the County Courts.

What a hen-peck'd foot! A western editor, whose paper did not appear on its regular day of publication, apologizes by saying, "my dear wife said I must stay at home and take care of the children, while she went to a camp meeting;" and being more intent upon obeying his wife, than minding his business, he did as he was bid, and disappointed his subscribers, that his wife might wear the breeches.

A public dinner was given to Mr. McDuffie, at Edgefield, on the 18th ult.

On the 12th, Messrs. McDuffie and Martin were complimented with a dinner at Columbia.

There were fourteen cart and wagon loads of water-cases in the Augusta (Georgia) market, on the 21st ult.; and 15 loads on the 23d. It makes our mouth water, to "hear talk of them."

Gen. Peter B. Porter, the new Secretary of War, arrived in Washington, took the oath of office, and entered upon its duties on Saturday, the 21st ult.

Alexander W. Archer, son of Mr. Allen Archer, of Petersburg, went into the river to bathe, on the 21st ult. took the cramp, and was drowned before he was able to get out.

Death of the Attorney General.—The Raleigh Register, of the 1st inst. announces the death of James F. Taylor, Esq. Attorney General of this state. After a short and deceitful illness, which seemed little to threaten so fatal a termination, he departed this life without a groan or a struggle on the evening of Sunday the 29th ult. This calamitous event which has carried the most poignant anguish to the bosoms of a bereaved family, and diffused a general gloom over our community, will be heard by all who knew the deceased with profound grief. While he secured the public respect by the ability, mildness and firmness with which he discharged the duties of his office, his winning manners, playful wit, manly spirit, generosity and benevolence, gave him a very strong hold upon the affections of his fellow-citizens.

The Mexican papers give a horrible picture of the civil war now raging between the states of Guatemala and St. Salvador. The soldiers of the former state, on entering St. Salvador, put to death by fire and sword, men, women, and children. The feeble and the aged were driven at the point of the bayonet to perish in the flames.

The Season, thus far, (says the Jackson, West Tennessee, Gazette, of the 7th ult.) has been favorable to the Planter in this district. We are pleased to learn that the crop of Wheat will prove better the present harvest than was anticipated a few weeks since. Cotton looks well, as also Corn, and vegetation generally.

The general health of our citizens, throughout the district, is remarkably good.

A London paper of the 11th. (the Englishman) speaking of the affairs of the East, holds this language—"It appears to be beyond question that the Russian army, in its General to the meaneast drummer-boy, is impelled by an almost enthusiastic desire to come in collision with the Turkish forces. So strong is this mania for a Turkish war, that it may be almost doubtful whether the Russian autocrat, in his present circumstances, could resist the current of opinion which sets so strongly throughout his forces, and almost throughout the whole of his population"

Mississippi.—In this state, the election for member to congress, (being entitled to but one) members to the state legislature, &c. takes place the first Monday in August. Wm. Haile, the present member to congress, having declined a re-election, a convention of the friends of Gen. Jackson assembled at Natchez on the 22d May, and nominated Gen. Thomas Hind, of Jefferson county, as the Jackson candidate, to succeed Mr. Haile. We observe that Gen. David Dickson, of Copiah, is also a candidate for the same office: whether he is a Jacksonian or Adamsite, we cannot gather from the Vicksburg Newspaper.

Advertisements omitted this week, shall go in our next.

MARRIED.

On the 25th June, Mr. Daniel MacRae, of Montgomery, to Miss Parker of Richmond county.

In Cabarrus county, on the 1st inst. by the Rev. John Robinson, Capt. Charles W. Harris to Miss Mary Barringer, daughter of Gen. Paul Barringer, all of Cabarrus county.

DIED.

In this county, on the 26th inst. Mr. Augustus Booth, a native of Virginia. Also, on the 30th, Mr. Samuel Baxter.

Near Stateburg, S. C. on the 15th ult. the Hon. Thomas Wyles, one of the oldest associate judges of that state.

In Cheraw, on the 18th ult. Sarah Ann, infant daughter of Dr. Thomas E. Powe, aged 13 months and 20 days.

Hillsboro' Female Seminary. THE Summer Session of this Institution, will commence on the 10th instant.

PRICE OF TUITION AS FOLLOWS: In the ornamental department: Latin Class - \$10 00; Greek Class - \$10 00; French Class - \$10 00; Drawing & painting 25 00; Needle work 1 00; Contingent expenses 2 00

Board can be obtained in the most respectable families of the place at \$10 per month, including washing, wood, candles, &c. A few Young Ladies may be accommodated as boarders in the family of the Instructresses.

W. M. GREEN, Superintendent July 4th, 1828.

Trotter & Huntington, WATCH MAKERS AND JEWELLERS, CHARLOTTE, N. C.

HAVE just received an elegant assortment of articles in their line; which they will sell very low for cash, or to punctual customers on a credit. All kinds of Watches repaired, and warranted to perform well.

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Lincolnton Female Academy. THE semi-annual Examination of the young Ladies of this institution closed on the 21st instant. The exercises of the Academy will be resumed on the first Monday in July next, under the immediate care of Miss MARIA ALLEN, a lady very eminently qualified to teach the various branches of literature usually taught in similar institutions; together with Embroidery; Painting, &c. Terms of tuition:

Higher branches, \$10 per session. For the lower class, including Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, &c. \$5 per session. Extra branches, \$3 per session.

Boarding may be procured in respectable families, from six to eight dollars per month. By order of the board of trustees. JNO. D. HOKE, Sec'y. June 29, 1828. 334

Coach Making. THE subscriber returns his sincere thanks to his friends and the public for the liberal encouragement he has received in his line of business since his commencement in this place. Having enlarged his Establishment, and employed some additional hands, together with his own unremitting attention, he flatters himself that he will be able to give general satisfaction to those who may favour him with their work. He keeps constantly on hand,

Coaches, Chariottes, Pannel and Stick Gigs, Mail Stages, &c. &c. M. C. PHIFER. 425

Lincolnton, June 28, 1828. N. B. Repairs of all kinds in his line of business, done with neatness and despatch.

Union Hotel. MRS. FENNEL, informs her friends and the public generally, that she has opened a

Boarding House, one door north-east of the Episcopal Church on Green-street, where she is prepared to receive and accommodate Travellers and Boarders in a neat and elegant manner. The dwelling is the one formerly occupied by Dillon Jordan, Esq. known by the name of Jordan's Hotel. Its proximity to the Court House as well as the business part of the town, renders it deserving of the attention both of the gentlemen of the bar and others attending the courts, of the Planters and Country Merchants of this place. She assures them that no expense nor exertion shall be wanting on her part to render her home unexceptionable in every respect; therefore, respectfully solicits a share of public patronage.

MARY FENNEL. N. B. This House will be conducted and superintended for me by my brother, Mr. Dillon Jordan, senr. late proprietor of the Mansion Hotel.

There are very large and commodious stables and carriage house appurtenant to the above Boarding House. M. F.

Seats will be secured at the above Hotel for the Charleston, Norfolk and Augusta Stages. Fayetteville, June 4, 1828. 425

LIST OF LETTERS REMAINING in the post-office at Concord, N. North Carolina, the 1st day of July, 1828.

John H. Alexander Abner Hagans
Walter Bell Michael Kline
Charles F. Bloom George Kiser
Catharine Baringer David McClure
David Bradshaw Joseph McNully
Peter C. Boger Wm. McClain
James Bruster Charles McClelland
James H. Burns Margaret Misenhimer
Henj. E. Brown John Means
Peter Cagle Archibald McCurdy

John M. Cochran M. McCurdy
Thomas Carter Tobias Miller
John Carlock Francis G. Newal
Henry Cagle Daniel Udy
Charles Carter Abram V. Pelt
Nicy Davis Mary Pickens
James Dickerson John F. Phifer
Owen Dry Ezek'l. W. Folk
John P. Dry Louisa Phifer
Robert Davis Elizabeth Perry
Joseph Eagle James Pharr
Joseph Flinn Martin Phifer
Tobias Furr Aaron Ridenhour
John Furr Rev. John Robinson
Catharine Ferrel Moses Rogers
David Fisher David Russell
George A. Gray Permenia Rogge
Nathan Green Ozni Rogers
John Garmon James Stewart
John Gilliam Martin Stough
Ransom Gray Dan'l. Stough
Dan'l. Gouger Arthur Stafford
John Garmon David Wincoff
Sam'l. Harris Josiah W. White
Doct. S. S. Harris Sam'l. Weddington
Robert W. Harris James Wear
Isabella Hunt William Young

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LIST OF LETTERS REMAINING in the post-office at Mocksville, N. North Carolina, the 1st day of July, 1828.

Joel Banks John Kinick
George Cook John York
William P. Crittendon William March
Nathan Chaffin George March
Wesley Clark Thomas McNeely
Michael Click George Mulder
Gruberry Dyson, 2 Jane Woods
George Dooan L. Owings
Samuel Devour Jesse Pickler
Elizabeth Eatop Thomas Richardson
Josiah English John Rupert
Ely Foster Thomas Rutledge
Isam Ellis Barbara Reid
George Graves James Renshaw
Thomas D. Gibbs Isaac Fanslow
Rachael Howard Charles Stephens
Levin Howard David Tulerow

John C. Hawkins Augustus Taylor
Michael Haines William Thompson
William Gales Benjamin Tompison
Lucy Ann Jones Nancy Walker
Freeland Lodge 324

A. G. CARTER, P. M.

Camden, June 28.—Cotton, middling to fair, 8 1/2 to 9; fair to good, 9 to 10; for very prime, 10 1/2 cents have been paid.