

THE TIME IS NEAR!
FRIENDS OF TAYLOR!
ON TUESDAY, THE SEVENTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, you will be called upon to discharge a high and solemn duty. On that day you must declare by your vote whether you will support the party which continues to rule the present destructive party...

The following remarks are extracted from the "Star" of this City, as they give the substance of the remarks of Mr. MILLER, the Whig Elector, in his controversy with Mr. BUSSAR, recently before their fellow-citizens of Wake, upon the subject of the Veto power.

Correspondence of the Balt. Patriot.
The Administration is alarmed! The Government officers-holders are in the field, in spite of the admonitions and warnings of Jefferson and of Jackson, and are neglecting their official duties to interfere in the elections which are going on.

A CALL TO THE CONTEST.
Here is a spirit-stirring appeal to the Whigs of the United States, by the New York Express-Reader, all you who are friends of Taylor and Fillmore, and finding yourself moved by the spirit which animated the writer, resolve that henceforth you will neither turn to the right nor to the left—but looking only forward to the great duty of electing the man of your choice, go on to do your duty!

From the Buffalo Advertiser.
A MAN OVER THE FALLS OF NIAGARA.
Neither fiction nor fact furnish an incident of more thrilling interest than one which occurred last evening at the Falls, and is detailed below by our correspondent. There is something terribly appalling, almost sublime, in the struggles for life of a strong, self-possessed man, when drawn into the torrent that, with the speed of a race horse, sweeps him onward to certain destruction.

COMMON SCHOOLS.
IN PURSUANCE of the Acts of the General Assembly, the President and Directors of the Literary Fund, have ordered the following distribution of the net income of said Fund, for the year ending 1st of September, 1848, among the several Counties of the State, for the support of Common Schools.

Counties	Fed. Pop.	Distribution Spring 1848	Distribution Fall 1848	Total Distributed
Alexander*	12957	\$694 00	\$1176 49	\$1870 49
Anson	7269	333 00	660 03	993 03
Ashe	10437	471 75	947 67	1419 42
Beaufort	9485	434 25	861 23	1295 48
Bertie	6658	305 25	610 54	915 79
Bladen	6658	305 25	610 54	915 79
Brockton	1913	90 63	181 26	271 89
Buncombe	9606	431 50	863 01	1294 51
Burke	6184	283 50	567 00	850 50
Cabarrus	8383	384 75	769 50	1154 25
Chatham	5000	229 50	459 00	688 50
Caldwell	4999	229 50	459 00	688 50
Camden	10190	466 87	933 74	1400 61
Catawba	6047	276 75	553 50	830 25
Carroll	11885	542 75	1085 50	1628 25
Caswell	14116	641 25	1282 50	1923 75
Cherokee	3347	159 25	318 50	477 75
Chowan	5229	239 25	478 50	717 75
Cleveland	6825	301 25	602 50	904 75
Columbus	3505	163 75	327 50	491 25
Craven	11555	510 50	1021 00	1531 50
Cumberland	13125	600 50	1201 00	1801 50
Currituck	5800	268 50	537 00	805 50
Davidson	13592	622 50	1245 00	1867 50
Davie	6819	312 00	624 00	936 00
Duplin	8311	425 87	851 74	1277 61
Edgecombe	12539	589 50	1179 00	1768 50
Franklin	5552	405 75	811 50	1217 25
Gaston	6705	279 00	558 00	837 00
Gates	13330	702 75	1405 50	2108 25
Granville	5407	247 50	495 00	742 50
Green	18117	830 25	1660 50	2490 75
Guilford	13100	600 00	1189 48	1789 48
Halifax	4854	223 50	447 00	670 50
Haywood	5329	226 50	453 00	679 50
Henderson	6185	282 75	565 50	848 25
Hertford	5579	255 75	511 50	767 25
Hyde	14195	620 25	1240 50	1860 75
Iredell	9205	421 50	843 00	1264 50
Johnston	3819	174 75	349 50	524 25
Jones	6130	280 25	560 50	840 75
Lenoir	10190	466 87	933 74	1400 61
Lincoln	4722	216 75	433 50	650 25
Macon	6510	298 50	597 00	895 50
Martin	4658	214 50	429 00	643 50
Mecklenburg	15740	732 50	1465 00	2197 50
Montgomery	7400	339 00	678 00	1017 00
Mooresville	5705	255 00	510 00	765 00
Nash	10760	493 50	987 00	1480 50
N. Hanover	10665	489 00	978 00	1467 00
Northampton	6430	294 75	589 50	884 25
Onslow	21570	980 75	1961 50	2942 25
Orange	7398	339 50	679 00	1018 50
Pasquotank	6108	283 60	567 20	850 80
Perquimans	5050	239 75	479 50	719 25
Pitt	9545	431 25	862 50	1293 75
Raleigh	12313	564 75	1129 50	1694 25
Richmond	9216	425 25	850 50	1275 75
Robeson	11610	533 25	1066 50	1600 75
Rockingham	10760	493 50	987 00	1480 50
Rowan	13007	623 25	1246 50	1869 75
Rutherford	10385	476 25	952 50	1428 75
Sampson	4708	216 00	432 00	648 00
Stany	15190	696 00	1392 00	2088 00
Stokes	14365	658 50	1317 00	1975 50
Surry	4093	188 25	376 50	564 75
Tyrrell	17920	820 25	1640 50	2460 75
Union	9645	447 75	895 50	1343 25
Wake	3835	177 00	354 00	531 00
Wayne	9420	432 00	864 00	1296 00
Wilkes	11045	506 25	1012 50	1519 75
Yancey	5850	268 50	537 00	805 50

Chance for a Fortune!
BELOW WE ANNEX A SCHEDULE OF BRILLIANT LOTTERIES FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER.
DISTANT CORRESPONDENTS should mail their order a few days in ADVANCE of the date of drawing.
TICKETS and PACKAGES of Tickets in all the schemes that are drawn in Maryland, and advertised by the various Lottery vendors, can be had at our Agency.

Piano Fortes.
THE continued success with which GAINES, RICHES & CO. have met in the sale of their Piano Fortes, has induced them to enlarge their supply, and they are now pleased to inform their friends and the public generally, that they have at present on hand, and intend keeping continually, different styles and patterns, of both Rose Wood and Mahogany, varying in prices from \$210 to \$500. They have supplied a great many orders from different sections of the country, and have received from them the most flattering testimonials of approval, both as to the distance (who bought their Pianos without first seeing them) voluntary letters of approval, both as to the quality and price of the instruments, and as to their delivery to their large stock of Books, Fancy Articles and Stationery, all of which they sell at Publishers and Northern prices. They have also a Book Bindery attached to their establishment, in which every style of binding is executed with durability and neatness. Blank work of every pattern will be made to order, Music bound, &c. Persons wanting any of these articles, will find it to their advantage to give them a trial, as they are determined to spare no pains in their efforts to give entire satisfaction to all their customers.
GAINES, RICHES & CO.,
March 11, 1848. Sycamore Street, Petersburg.

MARK THE ABOLITIONIST!
PLATFORM OF LEWIS CASS—THE WILMOT PROVISION!!!
"Mr. Cass was surprised at the attack of the Senator from New Jersey. How did he know how he would have voted at the last session? But he confessed that, at the last session, he should have VOTED FOR THE WILMOT PROVISION!"
CON. PROCEEDINGS, March 5, 1818.
"As soon as Mr. Davis had taken his seat, Gen. Cass came over to this side of the Senate, and with much earnestness said, in the presence of the Senators, that HE REGRETTED MUCH THAT MR. DAVIS HAD BY HIS SPEECH PREVENTED THE VOTE FROM BEING TAKEN; THAT HE (Gen. CASS) AND EVERY DEMOCRATIC SENATOR FROM THE FREE STATES, WOULD HAVE VOTED TO SUSTAIN THE PROVISION; that Mr. Allen would have led off, and all the rest would have followed; that he was very sorry that they had been deprived of the opportunity of voting upon it; that it would have settled the question, and Gov. Davis was responsible for defeating that result.—See Houston's Senate Debates pp. 755-756."
"Mr. Cass got up to reply to this, (to Mr. Miller's speech), and seemed to be very much out of humor. He said he would have voted for it, if he had voted at all, last year; but he did not then anticipate, as he sees now, that it would stop the war and prevent the acquisition of territory."

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PLATFORM OF LEWIS CASS—THE WILMOT PROVISION!!!
"Resolved, That the charge that the Democrats are in favor of extending Slavery, or of perpetuating its existence, is founded in falsehood, and those who make it KNOW IT TO BE A LIE, AND BY NO MEANS OBJECT TO IT."
"Resolved, That the only ticket now before the people, which contains the WILMOT PROVISION, and which bears the name of LEWIS CASS and WILLIAM O. BUTLER, and which has NOT THE NAME OF A SLAVEHOLDER ON IT, NOR THAT OF ANY MAN INTERESTED IN EITHER THE PERPETUATION OR EXTENSION OF SLAVERY!!!"
"There you have it, pat enough, that whoever makes the 'charge,' that Gen. Cass is opposed to the Wilmot Provision is guilty of perpetrating A LIE, and those who make it know it to be a lie, when they say it! How do you take it? We did not say it; the DEMOCRATS of Massachusetts are its authors. What say you of them? Are you sincerely happy to know, and announce, in this matter, as in all others, that Massachusetts Democracy and North Carolina Democracy, are one and indivisible? Freeman of the South, reflect! How sorely Democrats think well of you, if he should say, 'Not a Slaveholder on the Cass Ticket.' Is the South to be duped by such hypocrisy and double dealing? Let her at once, then, 'Awake! arise! or be forever fallen.'"
The Cleveland Plain Dealer—a paper published on the spot at which Gen. Cass was so stoned by the "noise and confusion" that he could not answer as plain questions as ever were propounded—thus boldly and insolently talks to the South:
"Every day brings us new subscribers from the South. Our circulation is no longer limited by Mason & Dixon's line. It has been a mystery to us how simultaneously subscribers from Florida, Mississippi and Texas should see such virtues in our paper. Yesterday we got a clue to the mystery. A gentleman in Mississippi wrote to a friend here who sent him the Plain Dealer. From that friend we learned the character of the Southern subscribers. They are Taylor Whigs who want to show to their Democratic neighbors the free soil articles in this paper, by way of convincing them that Gen. Cass is a 'Free Soil' man. WELL, NOW GENTLEMEN SUBSCRIBERS OF THE SOUTH—YOU WILL READ THIS VERY ARTICLE, LET US SAY TO YOU IN ALL CANDOR AND FRANKNESS, IF YOU WANT TO SUPPORT A SLAVEY-PROPAGANDIST VOTE FOR GEN. TAYLOR—GEN. CASS IS NOT YOUR MAN. WERE HE SO, THE PLAIN DEALER WOULD NOT SUPPORT HIM!"

DEATH OF MRS. MAFFITT.—Readers will probably remember the marriage of Rev. J. N. Maffitt, some two years and a half ago, as the circumstances created some excitement at the time. The parties soon separated and have since lived apart, Mr. Maffitt being at present in Arkansas. Mrs. Maffitt died on Friday night, aged only eighteen years and seven months, of bilious fever, after ten days illness.

We copy the following from the Albany Atlas:
POLK'S GENERALS.
Pillow dug on the inside his ditches,
And cushioning felt down with a nap;
Marry got a bad rent in his breeches,
And Cass run his sword in a stump!

A SCARY TRICK.—The Salisbury Watchman notices the circulation in that District of pamphlets vilifying Gen. Taylor, framed by a Member of Congress from Alabama named Borden, and so badly written as to resemble very much Borden—the object evidently being to induce the people of that District to believe that these pamphlets were sent there by their Representative, the Hon. Nathaniel Borden.—Salem Patriot.