

Discussion at Graham.

The candidates for Governor addressed the people at Graham on Monday last. There was a large crowd in attendance—composed not only of the people of Alamance, but Guilford, Randolph and Chatham, were likewise largely represented.

Gov. Ellis led off. We did not reach the ground until he was half through, and therefore, cannot give even a summary of his speech. When first we heard him he was discussing the details of a revenue bill, instead of the great principle of equal taxation at issue between himself and competitor.

The candidates were courteous in their bearing towards each other, and everything passed off pleasantly and agreeably. There was no mistaking the fact, however, that Mr. Pool had the run. His friends were excited and enthusiastic; and Gov. Ellis' disheartened and crest-fallen. It was a good time for the friends of equal taxation; and a good account may be expected from all that region of country in August next.

From Europe. The Steamship Palestine, from Liverpool, with dates to the 16th inst., has arrived. Italian Affairs.—Garibaldi's expedition had landed at Marsala, a strongly fortified seaport on the western coast of Sicily, under the fire of two Neapolitan frigates. One of his Steamers was sunk and the other captured. Accounts of his present position are indefinite, but all agree that he has been successful, and is marching on Palermo.

How Now? The Wadesboro, Argus says: It is well known that in the contest between Douglas and Lincoln in 1858, the whole power and patronage of the Administration were used in Lincoln's favor against Douglas. Lincoln was the ally and favorite of the Administration and the Democracy, and every nerve was strained, and every ruse resorted to to elect him to the Senate over Douglas.

Ad Valorem—Bell and Everett. A correspondent writes us from Boone, Watauga county, as follows: "Ad Valorem is going to sweep the Mountains clean, from all the signs of the times, equal to a tornado. I think Pool's majority in this county, will be some two or three hundred. Bell and Everett are all the cry, with the platform annexed."

Mail Robbery. For some time, says the Norfolk Argus, considerable sums of money have been missed from the mails in the lower part of Princess Anne county. Efforts have been made to detect the leak but not until very recently was the cause ascertained.

Various statements are made relative to the amount that has been stolen, and prompt measures will no doubt be taken to arrest the guilty party.

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Nominees of the Union Convention! For President: JOHN BELL, OF TENNESSEE. For Vice-President: EDWARD EVERETT, OF MASSACHUSETTS.

PEOPLES TICKET. FOR GOVERNOR: JOHN POOL, OF PASQUOTANK. FOR THE SENATE: L. Q. SHARPE, Esq., OF IREDELL. FOR THE COMMONS: A. B. FAITHER, A. K. SIMONTON.

TO GENUIS TAKERS. We are prepared to furnish BLANKS to Marshals and their Assistants, which, by circulating among the community, will do us good before hand, will save the officers a deal of trouble and delay, when they call upon families for a statement of farm products, &c.

Appointments. The candidates for Governor, Messrs. Pool and Ellis, will speak at the following times and places, the speaking to commence at 11 o'clock A. M.

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Edward Everett. The Memphis Bulletin pays a compliment, alike beautiful and just, to this eminent statesman. It says: "The Crusaders invaded the Holy Land to rescue the tomb of Christ from the possession of the infidel Turk."

Gen. La Vega, the Mexican, who was taken prisoner by the American forces during the war with that country, met an ignominious death on the 25th of April last at the hands of Urquiza, commander of the Liberals.

Sam Houston Still a Candidate. Some one has sent to us an Extra from the Austin (Texas) Intelligencer, in which we find a correspondence between Col. John H. Manly, Chairman of Committee of Correspondence, and Gov. Sam Houston, in which the latter is addressed as "the People's candidate" for President, and accepts the designation.—Fay. Observer.

Failure of a Requisition—The Governor of Ohio on Slavery. The Memphis Argus says: "A few days ago we briefly mentioned the arrest, in Cleveland, Ohio, of Kennedy, who was to be brought back here to answer charges of negro stealing."

Whig Meeting in Taylorsville. In pursuance to previous appointment, an enthusiastic meeting of the Opposition Party of the fourth Senatorial District, composed of the Counties of Iredeell, Alexander and Wilkes, was held in Taylorsville on the 4th inst., for the purpose of nominating a candidate to represent said district in the Senate of the next General Assembly of North Carolina.

On motion of Moses Teague, the Convention was called to order by appointing A. Carson, Esq., of Alexander, to the Chair, and requesting R. A. McLaughlin, Esq., of Iredeell, and James E. Reynolds, Esq., of Wilkes, to act as Secretaries.

The Convention being organized the following gentlemen appeared and took their seats as delegates, to wit: Irdeell—W. P. Caldwell, R. A. McLaughlin, Dr. T. C. Haleburton, R. M. Johnson, Abner Morrison, Rufus W. H. Finster, R. S. Lawrence, L. W. Morrison, Milton Graham and T. N. Ramsey—10.

Wilkes—J. O. Martin, A. S. Calloway, James E. Reynolds, A. K. Smith and S. J. Jennings—5. Alexander—R. F. Moore, J. P. White, J. J. Miller, E. M. Alexander, Isaac Drum, Azeel Sharpe, Edward Beckham, H. L. Smith, Ellis Haynes, R. O. Bennett, G. J. Allen, S. Davis, J. B. Bentley, Elisha Beber, Lewis Davis, John Chapman, R. L. Steele, J. T. Feague, C. Jones, W. H. Lucas, Sr., Dr. J. W. Watts, H. Smith, Geo. W. Long, Wm. Smith, D. M. Patterson, Henry Smith, Cyrus Flowers, V. Teague, Jr., A. Carson, T. A. Jones, J. F. Stephenson, Moses Teague, W. M. Bogle, Dr. J. M. Carson, E. C. Harrington, J. M. Bogle, D. W. Moore, A. C. Watts, F. A. Campbell, R. P. Mathison, W. G. James and Jas. Beber—42.

On motion a committee of two persons from each county was appointed to select a Senatorial candidate for said district, consisting of the following delegates: Irdeell—Abner Morrison and M. Graham, Wilkes—J. Oscar Martin and S. J. Jennings, Alexander—J. F. Stephenson and Van Teague, Jr.

The committee then retired for the purpose of making a nomination, when Dr. Jones, M. Carson offered the following resolutions, which were read and unanimously adopted: Resolved, That we most heartily approve of the principles set forth in the platform of the Opposition Convention, which assembled at Raleigh on the 23d of February last, believing them to be so sound, conservative and just that every North Carolinian, of whatever party he may be, can and should support them.

Resolved, That at this time when the State is deeply indebted and her citizens pressed down with heavy and unequal taxation, the people desire and demand a change in the present system of raising revenue. We therefore call upon every good and patriotic citizen to come over and help us to relieve the people from such unequal burdens.

Resolved, That in John Pool of Pasquotank, we recognize an accomplished gentleman, a true patriot and an able standard bearer, and as he advocates (in our judgment) the best interests of the State, we most cordially endorse his nomination for Governor, and appeal to all the advocates of his just principles, to arouse themselves to action and rally to his support.

Resolved, That since fanaticism, reckless extravagance and corruption, dissipation and profligacy have spread over this land, threatening to destroy our glorious Republic, it is the imperative duty of every patriot and philanthropist to rally to the standard of his country, and save the nation from ruin—by engaging upon the Standard of the Union, the best interests of the State, the Union and the Laws enforced, with this banner under the lead of the noble patriots, Bell and Everett, the Union will be saved.

Resolved, That we most heartily concur in the sentiment enunciated by the Democratic party of this county in their convention at Mars, 1858, when they declared that Stephen A. Douglas "had by factious opposition placed himself beyond the pale of the Democratic ranks, and that he now stands identified with the Black Republicans in their damnable work for the overthrow of the Constitution, and the oppression of the colored people."

Resolved, That we have seen with mortification and regret the demagogical and contemptible efforts that have been made by those occupying high and honorable positions to engender sectional differences in our State, by falsely representing the views of the people in favor of changing the present basis of representation in the Senate.

After the adoption of the resolutions, W. P. Caldwell, Esq., in response to a call made upon him, rose and proceeded to address the meeting at considerable length in favor of the resolutions and especially upon an ad valorem system of taxation. Before Mr. Caldwell had concluded his remarks the Committee returned, when he gave way and the Committee reported as follows: "The candidate in nomination before the Convention was L. Q. Sharpe, J. M. Bogle and A. M. Bogle, who received the vote of the voters as follows: L. Q. Sharpe, 4; J. M. Bogle, 1; A. M. Bogle, 1; reported as true and signed by the Committee.

An account of the proceedings had at the two College Examinations, which came off in this place, last week, may be found on the first page.

Resignation of Mr. E. W. Faucette. Mr. F. having tendered his resignation as President of Concord Female College, the following is a minute expressive of the feelings of the Board of Trustees upon its reception: WHEREAS, Mr. E. W. Faucette has determined to remove to the South-West, and in order to carry out that determination, he has tendered his resignation as President of our College:

In reluctantly accepting this resignation, we feel it to be our duty, and it affords us pleasure as guardians of the Institution, to express our entire satisfaction as to the skill and ability with which he has managed the affairs of the College.

It is gratifying to us to testify, that by his close personal attention, his untiring industry, and his wholesome moral influence, he leaves the Institution in a healthy, growing condition. He, therefore, carries with him our best wishes and fervent prayers, that he may be as successful in promoting the cause of sound learning in the State of his adoption, as he has been in the State of his nativity.

WALTER W. PHARR, } Cox. T. H. McBRIDE, } T. H. STOCKTON, } May 29th, 1860.

THE LATEST EUROPEAN NEWS. ARRIVAL OF THE VANDERBILT. NEW YORK, June 8.—The steamship Vanderbilt, arrived at this port to-day from Liverpool, bringing dates to the 23d ult.

GENERAL INTELLIGENCE.—The insurrection in Italy was spreading, and the fighting had extended to the Roman Territory.—Garibaldi was everywhere successful.

All the northern ports of China have been blockaded by the French and English squadrons.

Additional by the City of Baltimore. GENERAL INTELLIGENCE.—The English House of Lords have rejected the Bill repealing the paper duty, by eighty-nine majority.

The latest accounts from Sicily state that Garibaldi had gained a decisive victory at Moriati. The Neapolitan Government have very little to say about the insurrection. Their last bulletin states that two columns were pursuing the dispersed troops of Garibaldi. The insurgents were daily gaining strength.

It was vaguely reported that France and Prussia had signed a treaty on the Eastern question.

Congressional. WASHINGTON, June 2. SENATE.—The Senate amended the House army bill by adding eight hundred thousand dollars for the Texas rangers, and eleven hundred thousand for fortifications.

House.—The business transacted in the House was unimportant. The Hon. Mr. Winslow stated that he had received from the best authority evidence that Millard Filmore would not support the Chicago nominations.

Special Dispatch to the Charleston Courier. Successor to Judge Daniel. WASHINGTON, June 1. Wm. J. Robertson, of Charlottesville, Virginia, at present a Judge of the Court of Appeals, in that State, will probably be appointed to the vacancy on the United States Supreme Bench, occasioned by the death of Justice Daniel.

The Captain of the Wildfire Released. KEY WEST, May 28.—The Captain of the slaver Wildfire, has been released from imprisonment on his own bond.

A Sad Disaster. We are pained to announce another fatal steamboat explosion on the Cape Fear. The boiler of the Kate McLaurin, a new and handsome freight and passenger boat, exploded on Tuesday morning last about 4 o'clock, at the Little Sugar Loaf, about 60 miles below this place, by which Capt. Wm. F. Evans and three hands lost their lives. Capt. Evans is supposed to have been thrown 75 or 100 feet into a cane-brake, which being overflowed in the high state of the river, his body was not found when we last heard. Charles, a free boy of color, is supposed to have been thrown into the river. William, a negro man belonging to Mr. Duncan McLaurin, was blown over the top of the new steamer A. P. Hurt, which was delivering goods at a landing near by. Capt. Hurt very promptly had him picked up, alive; he was brought to town in the Hurt, but died before he could be landed from the boat. The third boat hand lost was a free boy named John Henry Hayes, who was unhurt by the explosion, but was drowned in attempting to swim ashore.—Fay. Observer.