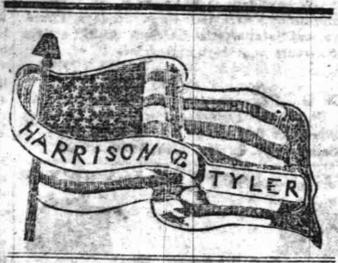


and when the day arrived, adapting the words of Bishop Heber, "From many an ancient river, From many a hill and plain, They gathered to deliver The land from faction's chain!"

And such a gathering, for such a purpose, eye had never till then beheld; nor of such, so much are the people habituated to entrust their most important business to agents and neglect it themselves, had it hardly entered into the heart of man to conceive. The people were assembled; if they were not, there is no People. The Democracy of the State were gathered together: if they were not, there is no Democracy.



WATCHMAN.

SALISBURY:
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2, 1840.

We have tried the Magician, his magic went do,
We must weather the storm with Typhoon.

REPUBLICAN

- #### WHIG ELECTORAL TICKET.
1. Col. CHARLES McDOWELL, of Burke Co.
 2. Gen. JAS. WELLS, of Wilkes.
 3. DAVID RAMSOUR, of Lincoln.
 4. DAVID F. CALDWELL, of Rowan.
 5. JAMES MERRICK, of Caswell.
 6. Hon. ABRAHAM RENOCHER, of Chatham.
 7. JOHN B. KELLY, of Moore.
 8. DR. JAMES S. SMITH, of Orange.
 9. CHARLES MANLY, of Wake.
 10. Col. WM. L. LONG, of Halifax.
 11. WM. W. CHERRY, of Bertie.
 12. THOMAS F. JONES, of Perquimans.
 13. JOSIAH COLLINS, of Washington.
 14. JAMES W. BRYAN, of Carteret.
 15. DANIEL B. BAKER, of New-Harover.

On Tuesday the 29th instant, our town presented a considerable scene of animation, being the day appointed for the Rowan Whig Delegation to start for Raleigh, to attend the Great Whig Celebration, to be held there on Monday next. At 10 o'clock A. M., a large number of Ladies were seen crowding the balcony, windows and portico of the dwelling of our fellow citizen, Wm. Chambers, Esq. The Delegation, commanded by Col. Macnamara, assembled in front of the Rowan Hotel; where a large concourse of our fellow citizens was also found. Accompanied with military music, the Delegation marched to the mansion of Wm. Chambers, Esq. there to receive a splendid Banner, prepared by the Whig Ladies of Salisbury. From the Portico, Miss MARY McCULLOCH of our town, delivered in a very distinct and appropriate manner, a beautiful and patriotic address, which will appear in our next; to which DR. P. HENDERSON responded, in the name of the Delegation, in a prompt and eloquent manner. All who saw the Banner, will bear witness to its elegance and splendour, being in every respect worthy of the fair donors, the patriotic band to which it was presented, and the noble and glorious cause to which it is consecrated. Its device, in large gilt letters is—

ROWAN!
THY DAUGHTERS CHEER THEE
ONWARD!!

The Delegation marched through our town accompanied for some distance, by a considerable number of our citizens. There was with the procession a large Canoe, which figured here on the 4th of July last, paddled with considerable activity, by what appeared to be a red man of the forest. The notable Broom of Mr. Samuel Fraley was there, emblematic of the general clearing and cleaning, which the White House will undergo on the 4th of March next.

We this week commence publishing a Communication sent us a few weeks ago. One No. of it will be found in another column. It is every way worth the reader's attention, and we think the unprejudiced will readily admit the weight of the arguments purporting to prove that Gen. Jackson is not so great a man as is generally considered; and that his military glory is not superior to that of some whose deeds of chivalry have scarcely arrested public attention, and who have died and passed away without leaving a name behind. Gen. Jackson's late conduct towards the Patriotic Harrison, is an evidence as glaring as the sun that the favor which he has received from the hands of the American people, were far greater than his deserts.

MAINE ELECTION.

Returns have now been received from every town in the State except 3 or 4, which do not throw more than 100 votes in all, and the result is that Kent is elected by a majority of about 400 over Fairfield. The scattering votes are few. The Portland Advertiser states that only 10 have been heard from so far.

The Legislature.—The Senate consists of 25 members.—As far as heard from the two

parties stand as follows—Whigs 14. Administration 7.

The House consists of 186 members.—The Whigs have already 94, which is a majority. As far as heard from, it stands—Whigs 94. Administration 66.

In 22 districts there is no choice, and 4 remain to be heard from.

In case there is no election of Governor by the people, the Senate makes choice of one, and as it is Whig, Mr. Kent will, in either case, be the next Governor.

Congress.—It is not certain whether there is any choice in the Hancock and Washington District, before stated to have elected Noyes, Whig. If he is elected his majority will be small, if not there is no choice. In the Oxford District there were two Administration and one Whig candidate. The Whig ran ahead of the other two. So there are four Whigs and two Administration men certainly elected, and in one district there is no choice and the other is still doubtful.—Richmond Compiler.

THE VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

If our paper was a daily publication, we would not have room to notice half the popular gatherings that are held in every part of the Union in these times, to bear testimony against the misdeeds of the Administration, to honor the merits and services of Harrison, and to exchange congratulations on the bright prospects now opened to all the sincere lovers of our republican institutions. Where, we again ask, do the Loco Focos find the evidences of any reaction? or any thing to found a hope upon? Whatever their vain imaginations may tell them; whatever their wishes may suggest; how ever false statements may deceive; it is hardly possible for any rational and well informed man among them to believe that Van Buren will be re-elected.—Madisonian.

Jacob F. Mintzing, Esq., has been elected Mayor of Charleston, against five other candidates. The election turned entirely upon local and personal grounds.

The Repealers.—It is stated that the Repealers throughout Ireland "are known by their dress—a pepper and salt coat, velvet collar, and repeat buttons, which garb Mr. O'Connell has already adopted."—Richmond Compiler.

Communications.

For the Carolina Watchman.

No. 1.

Messrs. Editors:—Seeing that your columns are filled with emanations from some of the most able statesmen and patriotic citizens of our country; it is with some diffidence that I venture before the public eye. Yet, sir, we see exhibited about the Capitol and White House, scenes which would almost "move the stones about Washington to rise and mutiny"; and our blessed Constitution, the Magna Charter of our liberties; handed down to us from a worthy ancestry unblemished, and bright from the conflict of parties, contending nobly and honestly for principles; and we see this Capitol, our house of refuge, and this constitution, the palladium of our liberties; the one filled with calumny and detraction, and the other now tottering to its base. Not shaken by a mutual contest for constitutional rights; but by a sordid strife for money, place and power. Oh Democracy! Oh my country! how thou hast departed from thy original simplicity; once so lovely that you needed not the aid of foreign ornament! Then thou didst possess the ardent and unaffected love of all thy children; and they delighted to honor thee with one heart as Republicans. Had you the heart of Washington bleed, could he look down and behold them now deserting their first love; and putting on strange and gaudy attire; such as National, Democratic, and Jeffersonian Republicans; and Whigs and Democrats of 76 & 93; and not content with these pretty trappings, worn too often to caparison, blind and deceive; denouncing each other as Loco-focos, spotters, and worse than all, as Bank-bought, Blue-light Federalists, and Tories! Would not the Father of his country speak to us in the burning accents of an affectionate, but wounded parent, and say: Why have you forgotten my farewell advice! Where is that devotion to truth and justice, which filled your hearts, in the days that tried men's souls; when to say "I saw it in print" was evidence complete! Where that love of country which once beat high in your bosoms! Why do you now exhibit to the whole world this humiliating spectacle of political suicide; wasting your energies in blind party strifes, and throwing wide open to the cunning aspirant, the portals, which guard the pillars of the Constitution? Why are the most distinguished citizens of the Union, Statesmen and Heroes that would do honor to any nation or country, held up to the gaze of the universe as traitors and cowards? For the sake of Liberty and the hope of universal freedom, I beseech you to pause in your wild career!

These reflections, Messrs. Editors, have been originated by witnessing the unprecedented excitement of the times, and have indeed the wish to say something through your columns to the Whigs and Democrats.

And now fellow citizens, when our country is torn by faction and wasted by pecuniary embarrassment, in the language of the Bible, "come and let us reason together," and let us meet open to conviction. How unfortunate, and fatal to the stability of our institutions, is the error into which we have fallen, and which is getting more and more fashionable among us: so soon as we have declared for an individual candidate for a high office, we are apt to feel an obligation resting upon us to defend each and all the measures of that candidate and his partisans; and through pride of consistency, and party animosity, our judgments are perverted and our patriotism buried by passion. How else is it that such a perfect unanimity of sentiment seems to exist among the individual members of each party? What drills us so readily into opposing ranks on all great questions of right and policy? If we have the liberal spirit of our forefathers, and their love of truth and virtue about us, can we not ground our arms, subdue our prejudices and meet in friendly council; and now, as we have met I hope in this spirit, I will give you

my views in another number as coolly as my excellent nature will permit, hoping that you will favor me in turn with yours.

YOUNG RIP.
(For the Carolina Watchman.)

Messrs. Editors:—In the Western Carolina of the 5th of July last, I saw a publication, written, I suppose, by some Loco-foco scribbler, signed "A Friend to Equal Rights," who wishes to make himself known abroad as some very great personage, especially in politics; for at home, where he is known, he has no idea of his standing as a politician of respectability.

The writer in the Carolina appears to think that the Federal Merchants and money shavers, as he is pleased to call them, are a most desperate set of fellows, who are trying to deceive the people and to swindle them out of their votes; and those of Cabarrus in particular; for he says "at a little place near him, there are two Federal Stores, and when any of their ununiformed neighbors go there, these insolent Federalists attack them on politics; (I suppose he means those fellows who attend to those Federal Stores) and read to them from such filthy sheets as the Southern Citizen, Greensborough Patriot, and Lincoln Banner, and then for their hard cider and spurious lives of Harrison, both Dutch and English—and they tell these ignorant people that the Government is insolvent, and wish the people to be on their guard, for those insolent Federalists are very corrupt and devoid of principle. The writer then goes on to give his opinion who these sturdy Dutch will support at the election in November. He says, "if he is not very much mistaken, they will give a cordial and very unanimous support to Mr. Van Buren, who goes for the interest of the farmer, mechanic and laboring men generally, and against the Banks," &c.

Now Messrs. Editors, as I am somewhat acquainted and live near this little place, which is situated in that part of Cabarrus inhabited by Germans, and I have some knowledge how things are carried on there, therefore I will give a small history of that part which Mr. Equal Rights has left out, designedly or forgot, for he must have known more about the place than he told; but it would not have suited his purpose so well to have given a full detail. There is beside those two Stores, a Federal-ory-Loco-foco Grog Shop, kept by one of the most insolent, corrupt Loco's that the country affords—equal in making false statements, to any one that can be started; and when any of his neighbors come in they have Montgomery and Hawkins' Circular, and the beautiful sheets of the North Carolina Standard, parcelled by dozens, in the shape of extras, the Lincoln Republican, and the Jim Crow Carolinian, read and explained in a very masterly manner, both in Dutch and sorter English, and if these lack any thing the balance is added, all of which, is washed down, not with hard cider, but with the real knock him stiff.—But those persons who attend this shop are not uneducated, but are quite in the estimation of Mr. Equal Rights, that is, if they will promise to vote for Mr. Van Buren. As to those Dutch people being very ignorant as Mr. Equal Rights would have you believe—I think he is somewhat mistaken for they generally do their own voting and their own thinking. He also thinks that those sturdy Dutch will give a very unanimous support to Mr. Van Buren in November, but judging from the sign given the 13th of August, I would guess that it will not be quite so unanimous as it might be. I think Mr. Equal Rights has rather cornered on himself, when he abuses the opposers of Mr. Van Buren for saying that he is opposed to and wishes to put down all Banks, and then says, that the sturdy Dutch of Cabarrus will give a very unanimous support to Mr. Van Buren, who goes against bank monopolies and associated wealth.

Messrs. Editors, there was a certain bell weather of the Van Buren party before the election, that boasted of their strength in Cabarrus when in other counties. But all their bragging would not do, for it is a gone case here, as it was taken with a disease, which was about to annihilate the physician was called in from a neighboring town, but he was too late, for the Whig had taken of morehead in readiness, which counteracted the effects of his medicine so well, that it made their Doctor himself to tremble. However, he applied his balm, but without effect; for being rather unskillful, and the case desperate—passover they gave up in despair. It however, lingered on until the 15th of August, and now there is nothing but a mere skeleton left.

The Whigs of Cabarrus will, I think, do their duty in November—they have got the Loco's where they want them, and where they intend to keep them down below.

LIBERTY AND EQUALITY.

To the Editors of the Western Carolinian.

Messrs. Editors:—I have been a Subscriber to your paper about a year and a half, and during the most of that time, I considered myself as good a democrat (identifying myself with your party) as ever lived in any age or place; but since the commencement of the great political canvass, the character and politics of the two men now before us for the Presidency, have been ably discussed on both sides, and I must confess that I did not understand myself, while supporting the present incumbent in office as Chief Magistrate, and until recently, I always believed that you intended to do what was right between the Government and the People. I find from an examination of your paper, that you, in the most uncompromising manner, write and act in perfect accordance with all the destructive principles of Martin Van Buren, which ultimately, if carried out in the abstract, must involve the liberties of all the free Institutions of this Government.

You advocate the re-election of Martin Van Buren, which is as much as to say, that you sanction his Standing Army Bill of 200,000 men—his Sub Treasury, of which he appears to be the President, Cashier, and Director, and his expenditure of one hundred and eleven million of dollars in three years, for what? Answer your own conscience, sir, and see if some of the money did not go to purchase some party dogs, which would neither follow nor fight. "The Constitution reserves the right of each State of organizing their own militia"—and are we, the free people of North Carolina to be called off to Florida at the beck and call of Van Buren? No sir. We, the hard headed yeomanry of the country, will in November, try to relieve him and his hirelings of their charge, and save him of the trouble of throwing us in prison for expressing an opinion against the President. All men who understand the use of figures, know that there are more than seven million of dollars lost to the farmers and mechanics annually in the way of Exchange under the Sub-Treasury law.

Now, sir, elect Van Buren President of these United States, and from the same source, which produced the Sub-Treasury and Army Bill, will emanate a law laying a direct tax upon us, and by the laws of the land sir, you will have to abide by it—I am too fast, I will not say you, because I believe you will be promoted in case of your success.

I therefore, desire that you forward your bill against me for collection at Williamsburg, Iredell county, North Carolina, and from after the day you receive this letter, send me no more of your papers, as I have determined not to take them from the Post office.

I subscribe myself,
JOHN FURCHES.

WHIG MEETING IN DAVIE.

A number of the Whigs of Davie assembled in the Court House in Mocksville, on Saturday, the 19th instant, notice having been previously given. The meeting was called to order, and C. Harbin requested to take the Chair and Rowland Crump and Wm. Hawkins to act as Secretaries. The object of the meeting was explained by the Chairman, and a Resolution introduced for sending Delegates to the Whig Convention in Raleigh on the 5th of October next. In the course of discussion upon the Resolution some half a dozen good Whig speeches were delivered, in which the shameful abuses & wrong doings of the Administration were forcibly pointed out: The Resolution was unanimously adopted and a large number of Delegates appointed, & all good Whigs who can go were requested to consider themselves appointed, as the invitation is to all. The Whigs of Davie are up and a doing, and will not relax in their exertions until after the great battle in November.

ALTAIR OF HYMEN.

These whom love cements in holy faith,
And equal transport, free as Nature live,
"What is the world to them,
His pomp, its pleasure and its nonsense all,
Who in each other clasp whatever fair
"High fancy forms, and lavish hearts can wish!"

MARRIED.

In this County, on the 17th ult., by the Rev. S. Rothrock, Mr. Lewis Jacobs, to Miss Rebecca E. Walton.

In this County, on Tuesday the 29th ult., by Jacob S. Myers, Esq., Mr. John Lineberger, to Miss Catherine Glover.

THE COURT OF DEATH.

All pass this gate in one promiscuous crowd,
The grave, the gay, the humble, and the proud;
The rich, the poor, the ignorant, the wise—
"The neutral ground whence all distinction flies."

DIED.

In this City, yesterday, after a short illness, aged 63 years, Beverly Daniel, Adjutant-General of this State, and late Marshal of the United States for the District of North Carolina, an office which he honorably filled for more than thirty years. And nothing could more forcibly evince the high respect in which Gen. Daniel was held by this community, than the highly respectable and numerous attendance at Public Dinner which was lately given to him on being dismissed from office. He will be long respected by all who knew him, as an honest, courteous and good citizen.—Raleigh Register, 15 Sept.

PROSPECTUS OF THE WESTERN WHIG BANNER.

MR. GUION, the late Editor of this paper, wishing to devote himself entirely to the duties of his profession, has given up to the subscribers his interest in the office of the Banner.

Usage has rendered it necessary that the conductors of a public Journal should state, at the outset, the course which they intend to pursue with respect to the great political questions which agitate the public mind. In obedience to this custom we shall do so, in as brief a manner as possible.

The subscribers believe themselves to be true Republicans; and consequently, are opposed to the leading measures of the present Administration, and shall oppose, to the utmost of their ability, the re-election of Martin Van Buren, the present federal incumbent of the Executive Chair; and we will use all honorable exertions to promote the election of Wm. Henry Harrison and John Tyler; believing that upon their success depends the political salvation of our country—the continuation of our free institutions.

We look upon the re-election of Martin Van Buren as the greatest curse which can be inflicted upon our country. By the unwise measures of his Administration, our country presents a new spectacle for the contemplation of mankind.—When he assumed the reins of Government, our National Treasury was overrunning with millions; we were free from a National Debt; commerce & manufactures flourished; the labors of the husbandman and mechanic were crowned with success and profit; & prosperity blessed our country every where. But, behold! as if by magic, in a few short years, the aspect of things is entirely reversed: our National Treasury is bankrupt; a heavy National Debt is hanging over us; commerce and manufactures are prostrated; the price of our agricultural productions is so reduced as scarcely to pay for the labor bestowed on them; and calamity, ruin and desolation are spread over our land; in short, we see all the mighty energies of this great Republic completely paralyzed by the mad experiments and wasteful extravagance of a reckless party, who are only held together by the cohesive power of the public plunder; and who seem determined to reduce every thing to a level with the hard money despotisms of Europe, and to establish a splendid monarchy on the ruins of American Liberty.

It is evident to every reflecting man that a change of rulers is necessary; we cannot be injured by it, and our condition must be improved; we therefore call upon every man who feels the necessity of this change, to aid in spreading light before the people—to aid us in increasing the circulation of the Banner, in which we shall endeavor to lay correct information before the public; for it is only necessary to tell the truth to insure the overthrow of the present corrupt and profane Administration.

Although the Banner will bear a character strictly political, we shall use every exertion to make it acceptable to the general reader, by devoting a part of our columns to the diffusion of information on Agricultural matters; to the cause of Morality and Virtue; the Arts and Sciences; Polite Literature, &c., &c.

TERMS.

The Banner is published every Saturday, in Lincoln, N. C., at two dollars per annum, if payment be made within three months from the time of subscribing; two dollars and a half if paid before the expiration of the year; or three dollars if payment be delayed until the end of the volume.

Any person procuring five responsible subscribers shall receive a sixth copy gratis.

No paper will be discontinued but at the option of the Editors, until full payment of all arrears.

All written Communications to the Editors must be post paid, or they will not be attended to.

ALFRED A. BAKER,
JAMES C. ELLIOTT.

A CALL.

The Whigs of Davie county invite their friends from all parts to join them in a Social Feast on the 23d of October—

A BIG DINNER AT MOCKSVILLE!!

Our Bams, Grist and Meat houses, are full.—Our crops of wheat, oats, corn and all sort of vegetables are as abundant as heart can desire—but we have no money at home, nor can we get paid for hauling our produce abroad. We promise a bountiful supply of every thing that is wholesome, to our friends—but "yellow boys," As we cannot furnish Champagne and Burgundy, we must substitute "hard-cider." Invitations have been sent to all the most distinguished Orators in the Country to attend and give us also intellectual Repast.

MANY CITIZENS.

PHILADELPHIA CIRCUS,

AND
Gymnastic Arena Company,
Under the immediate direction of
Messrs FOGG & STICKNEY, Proprietors.
Will be exhibited in Salisbury, on Friday and Saturday, the 9th and 10th of October.



THE MANAGERS of the Philadelphia Amphitheatre have the pleasure of announcing to the public that their splendid Equestrian Company will perform as above.

The Proprietors have also the honor to make the public acquainted with the fact that their Company comprises a combination of talent and brilliant appointments that have never before concentrated, either here or elsewhere, and that will probably never be presented again by any Company that may succeed it. The Proprietors of the Philadelphia Amphitheatre have been induced to embark upon this expensive expedition chiefly with the view of removing from this noble, classic and time honored amusement, the obloquy which, of late years, has been cast upon it by exhibitions offensive both to taste and morality, and to restore the Olympic Games of antiquity in all their primitive purity and simplicity.

In the varied facts exhibited in this Arena will be witnessed the wonderful power and resources with which the God of Nature has endowed his creatures for their protection—exhibitions, which, (when properly conducted) while they command our admiration by the graceful and elegant flexibility of the human frame, brought into action by these manly, healthful and athletic exercises, give to the beholder that confidence of his supremacy over all other animal creation so necessary for his security and happiness.

Splendid Stud of HORSES.

This department of the establishment has never been approached by any similar exhibition in the world, as regards numbers, symmetry of form, beauty of appearance, fleet travelling, and astonishing performances. The flattering notices that were bestowed upon this splendid STUD OF HORSES by all who have witnessed their movements, as well as the high encomiums lavished upon them by the leading papers of Philadelphia, will of themselves sustain the managers in the assertion above made.

A Splendid Band,

composed of the first Musicians in the country, in the skillful performance of various instruments, will enliven the entertainments constantly, by a selection of the newest and most popular Airs, Marches and Waltzes.

Performance to commence at half past one o'clock in the evening, and at half past seven at night.

Price of Admission, Boxes 50 cents. Children under 12 years of age half price. Servants 25 cents.

Seats will be erected, on the most substantial plan. Proper Officers will be in attendance to enforce good order and decorum.

October 2, 1840.

NOTICE.

SALE OF NEGROES.

BY virtue of a Decree of the Court of Equity held for the County of Iredell, at the Court house in Statesville, on the 3rd Monday after the 31st Monday in August 1840. I will offer for sale on Tuesday the 13th of October next, at the late residence of Samuel Williams, deceased, all the

NEGROES

belonging to said Estate—nine in number—consisting of men, women and children.

A credit of twelve months will be given—bond and approved security required.

T. H. McKORIE, c. m. c.
Statesville, N. C. Sept. 22, 1840—1110

NOTICE.

The Subscriber will open a School in the vicinity of Back Creek Church, Rowan County, commencing on the first Monday in November next. All the useful branches comprising an English education will be taught, and the morals of pupils strictly guarded.

Terms of tuition as usual in the Country.—Also, it is presumed that Boarding can be procured in the neighborhood on accommodating terms. Patronage is solicited.

JAMES H. SMITH.
October 2, 1840—6w10

NOTICE is hereby given, that application will be made to the next session of the General Assembly of North Carolina, for the passage of a law incorporating the Concord Cotton Factory. By order of the Company.

P. BARRINGER, Pres't.
Of Board of Directors.
October 2, 1840—1110

NOTICE is hereby given, that application will be made to the Legislature of North Carolina at its next session to incorporate the Salisbury Manufacturing Company.

WM. CHAMBERS,
For himself and others.
October 2, 1840—3w10