



TARBOROUGH:
SATURDAY, JUNE 1, 1844.
FOR GOVERNOR,
Col. Michael Hoke, of Lincoln.

We are authorised to announce Gen. LOUIS D. WILSON, as a candidate for re-election to the Senate, at the ensuing election for members of the General Assembly of this State.

We are authorised to announce Gen. JOSHUA BARNES, as a candidate for re-election to the House of Commons, at the ensuing election for members of the General Assembly of this State.

We are authorised to announce ROBERT R. BRIDGERS, Esq., as a candidate for the House of Commons at the ensuing election for members of the General Assembly of this State.

We are authorised to announce WM. D. PETWAY, as a candidate for re-election at the ensuing election for the office of Sheriff of this county.

We are authorised to announce LOUIS C. PENDER, as a candidate at the ensuing election for the office of Sheriff of this county.

We are authorised to announce JESSE MERCER, as a candidate at the ensuing election for the office of Sheriff of this county.

FOR THE TARBORO' PRESS.

DEMOCRATIC MEETING IN EDGE-COMBE.

A meeting of a portion of the Democrats of Edgecombe was held in the Court House on Tuesday evening the 28th May, 1844, at which Gen. Louis D. Wilson was called to the chair, and James W. Lancaster appointed Secretary.

After a neat and appropriate address from the Chair, explanatory of the object of the meeting, it was moved by Wm. Norfleet, Esq. that the Chair appoint thirty-four delegates, (two from each captain's district,) to represent this county in a Convention, to be held in Tarboro', on the last Thursday in June, for the purpose of nominating an Elector in the second Electoral district.

This motion being agreed to, the Chair proceeded to appoint for district No. 1. Wm. Norfleet, Esq. and Charles G. Hunter, Esq. No. 2. Redmond Bunn and Maj. Etheldred Gray. No. 3. Col. David Williams and Meedy Willford, Esq. No. 4. Gen. Joshua Barnes and Larry Dew, Esq. No. 5. James Bridgers, Esq. and John G. Williams, Esq. No. 6. Gen. Wyatt Moye and Lemuel Deberry. No. 7. Capt. Wm. W. Edwards and Amos Weston. No. 8. Dr. P. Sugg and Col. J. P. Pitt. No. 9. Spencer L. Hart, Esq. and Robert D. Wimerley. No. 10. Jesse C. Knight, Esq. and Col. Wm. H. Hines. No. 11. Jos. Jno. Phippen, Esq. and Wm. Thigpen. No. 12. Col. Harman Ward and Wm. Cherry. No. 13. Col. Simmons B. Stator and Benj. Batts, Esq. No. 14. Patrick McDowell, Esq. and Hugh B. Bryan. No. 15. Maj. L. R. Cherry and Wm. E. Bellamy. No. 16. James S. Battle and Capt. Charles Harrison. No. 17. Col. Robert Bynum and John P. Sharpe—and, on motion of Spencer L. Hart, Esq. the name of the Chairman was added.

On motion, a committee of three, (to wit,) Wm. Norfleet, Esq. Robert R. Bridgers, Esq. and Jno. S. Dancy, was appointed to invite Col. Hoke to attend the Convention.

It was moved, that these proceedings be published in the Tarboro' Press, Washington Republican, and Raleigh Standard.

On motion of Wm. Norfleet, Esq. the thanks of the meeting were tendered to the Chairman and Secretary, for the satisfactory manner in which they severally discharged their duties—whereupon there being no further business before the meeting, on motion, it was adjourned.

LOUIS D. WILSON, Ch'n.
James W. Lancaster, Sect'y.

FOR THE TARBORO' PRESS.

MEETING IN GREENE.

Pursuant to previous notice a meeting, of the Democratic citizens of Greene, was held at the Court House in Snow Hill on 25th May 1844, for the purpose of selecting a suitable person to be run on the Democratic ticket for a seat in the House of Commons. Also to appoint delegates to meet in Kinston on 28th inst. to confer with the Democratic citizens of Lenoir, in the selection of a suitable person to represent this Senatorial district in the next Legislature of North Carolina.

On motion of Jas. P. Speight, Peter E. Hines was appointed Chairman and Wm. A. Darden, Secretary. The chairman, on motion, appointed Wm. Dixon, Jas. P.

Speight, and Wm. M. Albritton a committee to draught resolutions expressive of the sense of the meeting, who after retiring a short time returned and reported the following preamble and resolutions.

By virtue of an inestimable right guaranteed to us by the sacred charter of our liberties; we, a portion of the democratic republicans of the county of Greene, have this day assembled in meeting for the purpose of proclaiming our unshaken devotion to the cause we espouse, and consulting with each other as to the course that shall be adopted in order to consummate its success. We believe the general Government to be a compact entered into between the sovereign States of this confederacy, for purposes specifically set forth in the preamble to the constitution, viz: "to form a more perfect union, to establish justice, insure domestic tranquility, provide for the common defence, promote the general welfare, and secure the blessings of liberty to ourselves, and our posterity." By the compact all legislative power therein granted is vested in a Congress of the United States, which consists of a Senate and House of Representatives. Apprehensive however that Congress in their legislative capacity might assume an unlimited power, and pass any and every law which they might think necessary and proper, thereby prostrating the sovereignty of the States, and destroying the great objects for which the compact was formed, the authors of that immortal instrument very wisely imposed a restraint, by enumerating all the powers which they should exercise, and by reserving to the States respectively or to the people all powers not delegated; therefore, we contend that Congress in the exercise of its powers should strictly adhere to the letter of this compact—keep within the bounds prescribed by the enumerated grants. Hence we are opposed to the establishment of a National Bank by Congress, because we find the power to charter such an institution no where delegated—because experience has proven to a clear demonstration that it is unnecessary as a regulator, either of the exchanges, or currency of the country—and because we believe it to be corrupting to morality, and dangerous to political liberty.

The framers of the constitution intended that all laws passed by Congress which had for their object the collection of revenue from the people for the support of government, should operate equally on all, for the letter of the compact expressly declares (and the spirit dictates) that Congress shall have power to lay and collect taxes, duties, imposts and excises; but they shall be uniform throughout the United States; therefore, we view the present tariff of duties as unjust, unequal in its operations, highly noxious to the agricultural portion of the community, and without the sanction of the constitution.

We are opposed to a distribution of the proceeds of the sales of the public lands at a time when the treasury is empty; choosing rather to let them remain for the support of government than to distribute them among the States, and thereby furnish a flimsy pretext for the passage of this abominable tariff law.

We are also opposed to an abrogation of the veto power, because we view it as the only safeguard in the constitution by which hasty and unwise legislation can be checked and thereby shield an oppressed minority from the wicked devices of a reckless and ambitious majority.—In fine, we are opposed to the whole catalogue of principles, avowed and supported by our federal opponents; because we see in them a disposition strongly evinced, to prostrate our plain republican form of government—subvert those sacred principles of equal rights and equal privileges so brilliantly achieved by the sages and patriots of '93 and '99 under the banner of him whom we claim to be the immortal author of our creed, and which have been so nobly acted out by each successive administration (save one) from that time to the present day, and establish upon their ruins a government of monopolies and exclusive privileges. Therefore

Resolved, 1st. That we should regard the elevation of Henry Clay to the chief Magistracy of this union as an event fraught with the most disastrous consequences, because it would be a departure from the good old republican practice, and the establishment of a new theory which we conceive to be highly injurious in its tendency, ruinous in its progress, and ultimately destructive to the liberties of the people, we will therefore use every exertion in our power to prevent the direful calamity.

Resolved, 2nd. That we have the utmost confidence in the wisdom, integrity, and impartiality of our democratic brethren that will assemble in Baltimore on Monday the 27th inst. for the purpose of selecting candidates for the presidency and vice presidency of the United States, and firmly believing that they will lay aside personal preferences, and be governed by the interest of the party at large in their selection, we pledge ourselves to use our utmost exertions to secure the election of the nominee of that convention.

Resolved, 3rd. That we hail with joy the nomination (made by our State Convention) of Col. Michael Hoke of Lincoln county as a candidate for the gubernatorial office of this State, and we hereby pledge to him our undivided support, and that we may have better acquainted with him, and have the assistance of such a champion in the cause of democracy, we do hereby

specially invite him to come to this our county at such time as will suit his convenience, and address the people upon the great questions which agitate the country.

And, whereas, in order to arrive at a complete triumph of our principles, it becomes necessary that we should be represented by men entertaining opinions similar to our own—Therefore

Resolved, 4th. That the chairman of this meeting appoint delegates, one from each captain's district in this county, whose duty it shall be to attend a democratic meeting, to be held at Kinston, Lenoir county on Tuesday the 28th inst., and confer with that meeting in the selection of some suitable person to represent the Senatorial district composed of Green and Lenoir in the Senate of our next Legislature; and having undiminished confidence in the ability, integrity, and pure republicanism of Edwin G. Speight, Esq., our late Senator, we do hereby recommend him to the consideration of that meeting as a suitable person to fill that exalted station.

Resolved, 5th. That having the most unshaken confidence in the honesty, the capability, and the unwavering democracy of our worthy fellow citizen, Peter E. Hines, Esq., we do hereby present his name to the freemen of Greene county as a suitable person to represent them in the House of Commons of our next Legislature.

The Chairman, in obedience to the 4th resolution, appointed Jas. Brown, Reuben Wallace, Wm. Dixon, Francis Harper, Wm. M. Albritton, Jas. P. Speight and Samuel R. Pridgeon delegates to represent us in the meeting in Lenoir on 28th inst.

On motion, Resolved, that these proceedings be published in the Tarboro' Press, Washington Republican, and Raleigh Standard.

On motion, the thanks of the meeting were tendered to the Chairman and Secretary, for the faithful performance of their duties.

On motion, the meeting adjourned.
PETER E. HINES, Ch'n.
Wm. A. Darden, Sec'y.

BALTIMORE DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONVENTION.

We learn from the Globe of Monday night last, that this body met on that day. Upon the assembling of the Convention at 12 o'clock, Mr. Saunders of North Carolina nominated Mr. Wright of Pennsylvania as chairman pro tem; which nomination was agreed to by the Convention unanimously.

Mr. Saunders nominated Mr. William F. Ritchie as secretary pro tem; which was carried unanimously.

Mr. S. also moved that the rules of the Conventions of 1832 and 1835 be adopted as the rules of this. These rules require a majority of two-thirds to make nominations of President and Vice President, which gave rise to an animated discussion. Benjamin F. Butler spoke two hours in favor of the majority rule—of the majority governing the nomination. He said it was known that there were not two-thirds in favor of any one man. If the two-thirds principle prevailed, the majority would have to yield, or else there would be no nomination. He hoped Mr. Saunders would move that a committee be appointed to report rules for the government of the Convention; and, if Mr. S. would not take the suggestion, he would feel bound to make such a motion himself.

Mr. Henry of North Carolina moved that the States be called to receive the report of the committee.

The following are the names:—

- Maine.—Amasa Stetson.
- New Hampshire.—Henry Hubbard.
- Massachusetts.—George Bancroft.
- Vermont.—Luther B. Hunt.
- Rhode Island.—Olney Ballou.
- Connecticut.—Isaac Toucey.
- New York.—H. K. Smith.
- New Jersey.—F. B. Kennedy.
- Pennsylvania.—John Bredin.
- Maryland.—B. C. Howard.
- Delaware.—James M. Sutton.
- Virginia.—W. H. Roane.
- North Carolina.—John Hill.
- South Carolina.—Don't answer.
- Alabama.—Benjamin G. Shields.
- Mississippi.—Robert J. Walker.
- Louisiana.—Judge Leonard.
- Tennessee.—Cave Johnson.
- Kentucky.—John W. Tibbatts.
- Arkansas.—Wm. S. Fulton.
- Ohio.—Thomas W. Bartlett.
- Indiana.—Jesse D. Bright.
- Illinois.—James Dunlop.
- Missouri.—Thos. L. Price.
- Michigan.—Robert S. Wilson.
- Georgia.—F. H. Cone.

After some discussion on reporting rules for the government of the Convention, it adjourned till 4 o'clock, P. M.

The president of the convention is Hendrick B. Wright, Pa.

Ralph J. Ingersoll, Con.; Samuel Young, N. Y.; Joseph Edsell, N. J.; J. M. Sutton, Del.; W. H. Roane, Va.; R. M. Saunders, N. C.; John H. Howard, Ga.; Benj. G. Shields, Ala.; Powhatan Ellis, Miss.; Thos. M. Williams, La.; Cave

Johnson, Tenn.; Lynn Boyd, Ky.; W. S. Fulton, Ark.; Stephen Emery, Me.; Henry Hubbard, N. H.; H. Childs, Mass.; Luther B. Hunt, Vt.; Olney Ballou, R. I.; Nicholas Schoonmaker, Ohio; Ethan A. Brown, Ind.; James C. Sloop, Ill.; J. Coffman, Mo.; Robert S. Wilson, Mich.—vice presidents.

Wm. F. Ritchie, Va.; Thos. B. Mitchell, N. Y.; George A. Vroom, N. J.; Charles Bradford, Miss.; Henry H. Carroll, N. H.; Wm. D. Morgan, Ohio,—secretaries.

Tyler Convention.

The Globe of Monday night last, says: We liked to have forgot (to use an everyday expression) to mention that there was also a Tyler convention held in Baltimore to day, composed of the friends of John Tyler exclusively, to nominate him for the presidency; and that he was nominated unanimously, just before dinner.

Congress.—The Senate, on the 25th, after passing upon several private bills, took up the resolution fixing the 17th of June for the adjournment of the present session of Congress, sine die; when on the motion of Mr. Sevier, its further consideration was, by a vote of 24 to 21, postponed till Friday next.

The House is principally engaged in amending the naval appropriation bill—and the Senate in discussing the tariff bill.

Episcopal Convention.—The annual

Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church, of the Diocese of North Carolina, commenced its session in this Town on Wednesday, 22d inst. and closed its labors on Monday morning last. Every thing seemed to conspire to render this one of the most pleasant and interesting meetings ever held in this Diocese. There was quite a large number of the Clergy and Laity in attendance, and many strangers from different parts of the Diocese, most of whom, we learn, were members of the church. Every day was fully occupied by the sittings of the Convention, and by divine service, which was performed morning and evening in St Peter's Church. Several of the sermons were of the highest order, and were listened to by very large and attentive congregations, all appearing to be deeply interested in them as well as in the other solemn services. On Saturday and Sunday evening the Right Reverend Bishop confirmed a number of persons and on Sunday morning ordained, as Deacon, Mr. N. C. Staughten. A collection was taken up, in aid of the missionary operations in this Diocese, which amounted to upwards of \$200. We cannot close this short notice without making particular mention of the masterly discourses of the Rt. Rev. Bishop on the distinctive principles of the church—they were logical, eloquent and perspicuous, and delivered in a forcible manner, peculiarly the Bishop's own. We are pleased to learn that the Convention have requested, by unanimous vote, that these sermons be furnished for publication which request we sincerely hope will be complied with.

The next Convention will be held in Fayetteville, on the second Wednesday in May, 1845.

Washington Whig, May 30.

COMMUNICATED.

UNIVERSALIST PREACHING.

The Rev. Jacob Frieze is expected to preach at Stantonburg on Wednesday, 12th of June next; Friday, 14th, at Upper Town Creek; and Sunday, 16th, at the Falls of Tar River.

Masonic Notice.

THE members of Concord Lodge, No. 58, Tarboro', will celebrate the 24th of June next. Members of adjacent Lodges and the Fraternity are invited to attend. By order,
L. D. BELL, Sect'y.
May 31st, 1844. 224

\$20 00 Reward.

WENT OFF, in the latter part of April, 1843, my negro woman FIVE, about 32 or 33 years old, thick lips, chunky built, and black Vice has a husband at Doctor Thomas H. Hall's near Tarboro', near which place she has been seen and at this time is supposed to be lurking.
I will give the above reward for her apprehension and delivery to me on Town Creek, Edgecombe county, N. C., or if secured in any jail so that I get her again.
D. G. BAKER.
27th May, 1844. 22

Commissioner, &c.
For the Territory of Florida.

BENJ. D. BATTLE,
Of Rocky Mount,

HAS received from the Governor of the Territory of Florida, a Commission to take the acknowledgment of Deeds, &c. for said Territory in and for the State of North Carolina, and has duly and legally qualified himself to execute said Commission.
22 5 May 28, 1844.

For Sale.

THE subscriber offers for sale the Hotel at Rocky Mount Depot, No. 10, now occupied by Maj'r E. Gray. It is generally known to be an excellent stand for business; it is the House for travellers getting off and on the train, also the House for the Raleigh and Tarboro', and Louisville Stages; it is also a convenient house for people travelling by private conveyance and boarders; and it is situated in a neighborhood where grain and pork are always cheap.
T. NEWBY.
21st May, 1844. 22 3

To Contractors.

ON SATURDAY, the 15th day of June next, at the Court House in the town of Nashville, county of Nash, and State of North Carolina, will be let out to the lowest Undertaker, the rebuilding of

A wooden Jail,

In the town aforesaid. The particulars as to the plan and time of completion, will be made known on that day.
BY THE COMMISSIONERS.
21st May, 1844. 21 3

Shocco Springs,
Warren County, N. C.

THE undersigned takes this method to inform her friends and the public, that she has laid in an ample supply of everything for the good accommodation of all visitors who may favor her with their company during the approaching watering season, which will begin the 1st of June next, and she flatters herself, with the ample means which she possesses, with best disposition on her part, together with the low prices, made to suit the times, to make her visitors comfortable, and having called to her aid a gentleman whose qualifications and attentions cannot fail to please in his department, that she will give universal satisfaction.

Prices at Shocco Springs.

Families of more than two persons who board by the season of three months, will be charged \$16 66 2-3 per month each; by the week they will be charged \$6, and by the day \$1 each. Single persons will be charged \$20 per month; by the week \$7 50; by the day \$1 25. Children and servants half price. Horses, Twelve dollars per month.

From these prices there will be no deviation during the Season.
The known efficacy and salubrity of the Shocco water, the fine and airy situation, and good arrangements, as well as good order of all the buildings, entitle the Proprietress to hope, during the approaching season, that she will be favored with the company of all who may wish to restore or to preserve their health, and to insure the comfort and pleasure of all, she promises unremitting attention.
ANN JOHNSON.
May 18, 1844. 21 6

More Brandreth's Pills.

WE have just received a fresh supply of this valuable Medicine, which is recommended by thousands of persons whom they have cured of Consumption, Influenza, Colds, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Head Ache, and a sense of fullness in the back part of the Head, usually the symptoms of Apoplexy, Jaundice, Fever and Ague, Biliions, Scarlet, Typhus, Yellow, and common Fevers of all kinds; Asthma, Gout, Rheumatism, Nervous Diseases, Liver Complaint, Pleurisy, Inward Weakness, Depression of the Spirits, Ruptures, Inflammation, Sore Eyes, Fits, Palsy, Dropsy, Small Pox, Measles, Croup, Cough, Whooping Cough, Quinsy, Cholera, Cholera Morbus, Gravel, Worms, Dysentery, Deafness, Ringing Noises in the Head, King's Evil, Scrofula, Erysipelas, or Saint Anthony's Fire, Salt Rheum, White Swellings, Ulcers, some of thirty years standing, Cancers, Tumors, Swelled Feet and Legs, Piles, Costiveness, all Eruptions of the Skin, Frightful Dreams, Female Complaints of every kind, especially obstructions, relaxations, &c.

Also, Brandreth's Liniment, for sores, swellings, wounds, &c., at 25 cents a bottle. Those Pills are for sale in every County in this State, and by the following gentlemen in this vicinity.
Geo. Howard, Tarboro'.
R. & H. Belcher, Sparta.
Isaac Scarborough, Oak Grove.
Daniel & Runtree, Stantonburg.
Peebles, Fenner, & Co. Clarksville.
J. L. & R. W. Hyman, Palmyra.
Wm. W. Jones, Reed's Roads.
D. H. Holland, Smithfield.
May 14, 1844. 21