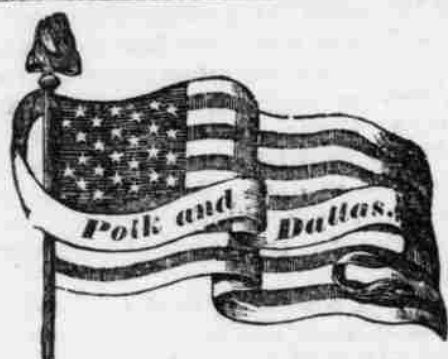


which influence me in the conclusions to which I come, I regret to be compelled to differ so widely from the views expressed by yourselves, and the meeting of citizens of Cincinnati whom you represent. Differing, however with you and with them as I do, it was due to frankness that I should be thus explicit in the declaration of my opinions.

I am, with great respect, your obedient servant,  
**JAMES K. POLK.**  
 To Messrs. S. P. Chase, Thomas Heaton, &c., Committee, Cincinnati.



**TARBOROUGH:**

SATURDAY, JUNE 22, 1844.

FOR PRESIDENT,  
**James K. Polk, of Tennessee.**

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT,  
**George H. Dallas, of Penn.**

FOR GOVERNOR,  
**Michael Hoke, of Lincoln.**

**POLITICAL MEETINGS.**

Gen. R. M. Saunders will address the people as follows:  
 At Greenville, Pitt Co.,—Wednesday 26 June.  
 At Washington, Beaufort,—Thursday 27 "  
 At Williamston, Martin,—Friday 28 "  
 At Windsor, Bertie,—Saturday 29 "  
 At Murfreesboro, Hertford,—Tuesday 2 July.  
 At Jackson, Northampton,—Thursday 4 "  
 At Weldon, Halifax,—Friday 5 "  
 At Litleton, " —Saturday 6 "

¶ We learn verbally that Nash has appointed 21 Delegates to the Convention in this place on Thursday next. If it is not too late, we hope our friends, in Pitt, will meet and act. The following are the Delegates from this county and from Martin, viz:

**EDGECOMBE.**

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 Moyer and Lemuel Deberry. No. 7. Capt. Wm. W. Edwards and Amos Wooten. No. 8. Dr. P. Sugg and Col. J. P. Pitt. No. 9. Spencer L. Hart, Esq. and Robert D. Wimberly. No. 10. Jesse C. Knight, and Col. Wm. H. Hines. No. 11. Jos. Jno. Phippen, Esq. and Wm. Thigpen. No. 12. Col. Herman Ward and Wm. Cherry. No. 13. Col. Simmons B. Staton 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.

**MARTIN.**

T. W. Ward, J. S. Yarral, Doct. Abner Williams, Col. Joseph G. Caraway, Daniel Ward, sr., Doct. P. E. Maddera, Jno. Watts, Benj. C. Mayo, M. M. Staton, R. S. Cherry, A. H. Coffield, Lawrence Johnson, Joshua Taylor, Wm. L. Mizell, Harmon Eason, A. S. Mooring, Col. Briggs Langley, Dr. Wm. W. Watts, A. S. Cotten, and William Alsbrooks.

From the Washington Republican.

**BEAUFORT DEMOCRATIC MEETING.**

A large and enthusiastic meeting of the Democrats of Beaufort county, was held at the Court-House in this town, Wednesday evening, June 5th, 1844, for the purpose of responding to the nominations of Polk and Dallas, and of attending to other important business. The meeting was called to order by Will. Ellison, Esq., on whose motion, William L. Kennedy, Esq., was nominated and unanimously elected Chairman, and Benj. Runyon, appointed Secretary. The Chairman, after explaining briefly the objects of the meeting, delivered a handsome and eloquent address upon the political topics of the day, urging upon the democracy of old Beaufort the necessity of thorough organization, unanimity and concert of action. On motion of Will. B. Rodman, Esq., a motion was submitted that the Chair appoint a committee of 5 to draft resolutions responding to the nominations of the Baltimore Democratic National Convention. Whereupon, Wm. B. Rodman, Henry S. Clark, John W. Latham, Seth Corden, and Will. Ellison, Esqrs., were appointed as the committee. The committee then retired for a short time, during which, Matthew Shaw, Esq., was called upon to address the meeting. Mr. Shaw rose and addressed the meeting at considerable length, touching upon the topics of Bank, Distribution, Tariff, &c., explaining in the happiest and most satisfactory manner, the principles which distinguish the political parties of our country. Upon the return of the committee, the fol-

lowing resolutions were submitted by their chairman, Mr. Rodman:

Resolved, That the readiness and unanimity with which the late Baltimore National Convention of Democrats settled their minor differences about men, by the nomination of JAMES K. POLK, of Tennessee, as a candidate for the Presidency, and GEO. M. DALLAS, of Pennsylvania, for Vice Presidency, is deserving of all praise, and cannot be too much admired.

Resolved, That this surrender of preferences for men to principle and to the success of the party, is the strongest assurance of victory at the coming election, and gives us renewed evidence of the integrity and honesty of the democracy of the U. S.

Resolved, That the resolutions of the late Baltimore Convention contain the creed of the democratic party and the principles for which we contend in the present contest, and for the triumph of which, we promise, one and all of us, zealous and hearty effort.

Resolved, That we are decidedly in favor of the immediate reannexation of Texas to the United States, as a measure required no less by the country, than it is recommended to our feelings, by the consideration that Texas is a country peopled by our friends and our kindred.

Resolved, That the following gentlemen be appointed to represent the county of Beaufort in the Convention to be held at Tarboro' on the 27th of this month, for the purpose of nominating an Elector for this Electoral District.

Which resolutions were unanimously adopted.

**Washington District.**—Wm. A. Blount, H. S. Clark, W. B. Rodman, Wm. F. Bryan, F. Gallagher, Wm. Ellison, Guye E. Backman, Paul Cornell, Matthew Shaw, Martin Bernie, James T. M'Swain, Richard Cogdell, M. F. Van Nortwick, John S. Tellair, F. J. Day, J. Havens, Caleb E. Raney, John R. Carmer, Moses A. Robason, George Brown, and Wm. Clark.

**Tranters' Creek.**—B. F. Latham and Henry Hodges.

**Beaver Dam.**—J. V. Little and J. Brown.

**Long Acre.**—Hoyt N. Waters and Arnet Waters.

**Bath.**—Jos. B. Clark, Wyniott B. Windley.

**North Creek.**—Oden Bailey and James Pairtree.

**Lower Broad Creek.**—Richard Respass and John A. Satterthwaite.

**Leachville.**—Caleb Clark, Jr., and James W. Satchwell.

**Head of Pungo.**—Wm. Allen and Isaiah E. Allen.

**Goose Creek.**—Noah Gaskill and James Potter.

**South Creek.**—Owen O'Neil and J. B. Simpson.

**Durhams' Creek.**—Charles W. Crawford and Will. Archbell.

**Blounts' Creek.**—John W. Williams and W. H. P. Gerard.

**Chocowinity.**—Henry Harding and Jos. G. Godley.

After the adoption of the above resolutions, Messrs. Wm. B. Rodman and Henry S. Clark successively addressed the meeting amid loud and enthusiastic applause.

On motion,  
 Resolved, That the thanks of the meeting be tendered to the Chairman and Secretary; and further,

Resolved, That the proceedings of the meeting be signed by the Chairman and Secretary, and be published in the Washington Republican, Tarboro' Press, and Raleigh Standard.

On motion of Mr. Day, the meeting adjourned.

**WILLIAM L. KENNEDY, Ch'n.**  
**B. RUNYON, Sec'y.**

**FOR THE TARBORO' PRESS.**

At a meeting of the Democratic Association of District, No. 15, held at the house of James C. Marks, on Saturday, the 15th June, 1844, after an effective and stirring speech from Wm. E. Bellamy, Esq. the following Resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we cordially and enthusiastically approve of the nominations of JAMES K. POLK, of Ten. and GEO. M. DALLAS, of Penn. as candidates for the office of President and Vice President, and will use every honorable and manly effort to secure their election.

Resolved, That we recognize in Messrs. Polk and Dallas, Republicans of the Jeffersonian school of politics—men opposed to the establishment of a 50 million National Bank—to an odious protective Tariff, which taxes the South for the benefit of the North—to Distribution, which creates the necessity for raising the Tariff to supply the deficiency thus created—the friends and advocates of the Annexation of Texas—and in fine, Democrats in all things, and opposed to the whole brood of Federal heresies and abominations.

Resolved, That we believe the nomination of Messrs. Polk and Dallas, will be the signal for the thorough re-union of the whole Republican party from Maine to Georgia—from the Atlantic to the Pacific—and with exertions commensurate with the truth of our principles, Federalism will be driven from the land.

Resolved, That the above resolutions be

published in the Tarboro' Press, Washington Republican, and Raleigh Standard.

**Congress.**—In the Senate, on the 10th inst. Mr. Benton introduced a bill for the annexation of Texas, which on the 13th inst. was laid on the table by a vote of 25 to 20; being a strict party vote, with the exception of Mr. Hannegan, a democrat, who voted for laying the bill on the table; and Mr. Tallmadge, a Whig, voted against laying it on the table.

On Monday last, at 12 o'clock, the two Houses adjourned sine die.

**Appointments by the President.**—Among the recent appointments by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, we notice the following:—

John Branch, of North Carolina, to be Governor of the Territory of Florida, from 11th August, 1844, vice R. K. Call, whose commission will then have expired.

George M. Bibb, of Kentucky, to be Secretary of the Treasury.

Nathaniel P. Tallmadge, of New York, to be Governor of the Territory of Wisconsin, from the 13th September next, vice J. G. Doty, whose commission will then expire.

T. A. Howard, of Indiana, to be Charge d'Affaires to Texas.

R. Wickliffe, jr., to be Charge d'Affaires to Sardinia, vice Ambrós Baber, recalled. James D. Hallyburton, of Virginia, to be Judge of the Eastern District of Virginia.

Thomas G. Scott re-appointed Deputy Post-master at Raleigh, North Carolina.

John McRae re-appointed Deputy Post-master at Fayetteville, North Carolina.

**From the Democratic Signal.**

**Mr. Dallas and the Bank.**

The Whig papers can find no fault of the nominees of the Baltimore Convention, except that Mr. Dallas, as chairman, reported a bill in 1832 to re-charter the U. S. Bank. Hear how a plain tale will vanquish them.

Mr. Walker, of Mississippi, here rose and said, that he had been requested by several delegates from the South, to state the fact well known to himself, that it was true that Mr. Dallas, in 1832, did support a bill for the recharter of the Bank; but it was also true, that he stated at the time, in his place in the Senate, that he did so in obedience to instructions of the then Legislature of Pennsylvania. His colleague, Mr. Ellis, was in the Senate, and knew the fact also that Mr. Dallas stated, not only that he voted on the question in obedience to these instructions, but that he acted in direct opposition to his own decided views and opinions. Mr. Walker could state farther, that two weeks after this vote was given, Mr. Dallas went back to Philadelphia, and addressed a mass meeting of that City in an able and convincing speech against the Bank; and from that period, down to the present, Mr. Dallas had continued its uniform, vigorous, and decided opponent. As to Mr. D's views on the Texas question, Mr. W. said that the very first letter within the last year, that had appeared in the United States in favor of annexation, was a letter from Geo. M. Dallas. That letter was clear and decided in favor of annexation. And what gave it double force and value was this—that it was written long before the excitement on this subject, and was totally disconnected with any views to official station.

Mr. Powhatan Ellis said the facts stated by Mr. W. were strictly true.

**More Changes!**—We saw a gentleman a few days since, who has just returned to his home in Warren county, Va., from a visit to the South and West. He is a gentleman of talents and intelligence, and we doubt not of influence where he is known. He told us that he has hitherto been a Whig, that he voted for Gen. Harrison, and that he designed supporting Mr. Clay until his anti-annexation letter appeared. "Since then," says he, "I intend voting for the annexation candidate, and now I intend to support Polk and Dallas."

This gentleman informed us that in the South and South West, the Whigs were running from Clay like horses from a prize on fire.

A gentleman from Eastern Virginia, says numerous followers of Clay have withdrawn their support from him on account of his letter against annexation. Really, M. Clay is growing very popular.

[Rockingham Va. Register.]

**From the Raleigh Standard.**

**Supreme Court.**—The following gentlemen have been licensed to practice law in this State, by the Supreme Court, which commenced its session in this City on the 3d instant:

In the Superior Courts, John D. Cameron, Fayetteville; F. B. Satterthwaite, Pitt county; A. H. Caldwell Sallsbury; George C. Clarke, Jamestown; Guilford county; George S. Stephenson, and Thomas Sparrow, Jr., Newbern; Samuel H. Walkup, Union county; John C. Gullick, Henderson county; George W. Bruser, Hertford, Perquimans county; Maurice Q. Waddle, Pittsboro; James W. Lancaster, Nash county.

**County Courts.** Robert Strange, Fayetteville; Patrick H. Winston, Franklin county; C. E. Carson, Rutherford county; Marcellus V. Lanier, Granville county; M. A. Bledsoe, Raleigh; Jas. S. Johnson, Halifax; Josiah G. Turner, Hillsboro; J. R. McLean, Greensboro; Edward F. Smith, Hertford, Perquimans; Sylvester T. Brown, Washington; Monford McGehee, Person county; R. Don Wilson, Caswell county; Walter P. Caldwell, Mecklenburg county; John H. Manly, Rat-

leigh; Geo. F. Rounsaville, Lexington; Robert S. Anderson, Yanceyville; William L. Long, Halifax county.

**Suicide.**—Mrs. Cannady, the wife of Mr. Dorris Cannady, of this County, committed suicide on Tuesday last, by hanging herself with two hanks of thread.

Ral. Reg.

**North Carolina Silver.**—We had the pleasure of viewing a large mass of silver, with a slight mixture of gold, weighing three hundred ounces, the produce of a mine in Davidson county, N. C. which is now being successfully worked. This is now the largest mass ever made in the United States, and the ore from which it is produced yields very nearly if not quite seventy per cent. of metal.

U. S. Gazette.

**Terrible Accident.**—On Friday morning at 25 minutes before two o'clock, an explosion occurred in one of the Black Heath Coal Pits, in Chesterfield—in consequence of one of the furnaces not being kept up, and the current of fresh air being thereby cut off. A barrel of gunpowder was first ignited, and its explosion fired the gas, which was secreted. Twelve hands were in the pit—4 Englishmen and 8 Negroes—(3 belonging to Mr. A. Reid, 2 to Mr. Malone, 1 to Mr. Page, and 1 to Mr. Drake.)

Mr. Gifford, the General Agent of the Company, exhibited much intrepidity on the occasion, and descended, accompanied by Mr. Joseph Hall, one of the Agents. About ten yards from the foot of the shaft, one of the Englishmen (Joseph Jewett) was found, still living, but senseless. He will probably recover. We learn from yesterday's Compiler, (to whom we are indebted for most of our facts,) that all the bodies of those killed by the explosion, (except two of the Negroes,) were found, horribly disfigured, on Saturday, after an active search. The six colored men were buried on Saturday, and the three Englishmen were consigned to the grave on Sunday morning.

To-day, at 12, M., Bishop Johns will preach their funeral sermon at the house of Mr. Gifford. We should be glad to listen to his eloquent commentary on this awful dispensation of Providence.

Since the terrible explosion of 1840, when 54 lives were lost, every precaution has been adopted to guard against danger—such as the use of Sir Humphrey Davy's safety lamps, &c.—but, from the neglect of orders, this tremendous loss of life occurred.—Richmond Enquirer.

**Four Sisters killed by Lightning.**—We learn from the Cincinnati Chronicle, that the house of Mr. Horner, a gentleman living near Lebanon, Ohio, was struck by lightning on Thursday two weeks, and his four only daughters instantly killed. Two were in the front room up stairs. The old gentleman and his lady were the only persons in the house besides the daughters. Mrs. Horner was seriously injured, and remained insensible some time. Mr. Horner was considerably stunned, but soon recovered.

**Rumored Troubles in Canada.**—The N. Y. Sun learns by passengers from the Canada frontier, who arrived in New York, on Sunday morning, "that terrific scenes of riot and disorder were being enacted last week near the Lachine Canal. The facts, as near as we can gather them, are, that the Irish laborers who were recently discharged for their interference at the Montreal election of a member of Parliament, assembled in great numbers on Wednesday or Thursday, and commenced the work of destruction and bloodshed by destroying the work, attacking the contractors, and beating the overseers. The military were called out & marched to the scene of carnage and bloodshed. As the companies approached the rioters, symptoms of disaffection were manifested in the ranks, but concealed from the officers. The spirit of revolt gradually spread among the army, & being drawn up before the rioters, on receiving orders to fire, the soldiers grounded their arms! declaring their unwillingness to fire. The utmost consternation prevailed among her Majesty's officers of the highest grades; the subordinates united with the revolutionists, and ordered the temporary seizure of all who would not join in the revolution. Such are the facts, as near as we have been able to collect them from gentlemen of respectability who had just arrived from the frontier. We confess the story is rather improbable."

The following also, is from the Pittsburg Chronicle of Saturday last:  
 We heard a report last night, founded upon information said to have been received by a gentleman in this city, who has a son residing in Toronto, U. C., that there had been a fresh outbreak at Niagara, U. C., between the Patriots and the civil authorities. The Patriots had been making some movements which the civil authorities did not like, and the troops were called out and the Patriots dispersed for the time only, it is thought for the purpose of organizing to make resistance. We give the above as a rumor, having no certainty in the information.

**Washington Market, June 20.**—Corn—wholesale, \$1 90 per barrel. Bacon—6 a 74 cents. Lard, 7 cents. Naval stores. New dip, \$2 00; Old, \$1 80. Scrapes, 90 cents.—Rep.

**MARRIED.**

In this county, on Wednesday evening last, by Rev. Mark Bennett, Mr. Jesse Mercer to Miss Margaret Norfleet, daughter of Isaac Norfleet, Esq.

**DIED.**

In this county, on Wednesday last, at an advanced age, Mr. John Lawrence. Also, on same day, Mrs. Lee, aged about 92 years.

Suddenly, in Petersburg, on Wednesday week last, Mr. Warren Harris, a respectable merchant of that place. The Intelligencer says: Mr. H. had only become a resident of Petersburg within the last 12 months; but short as was his sojourn among us, he had made many warm friends, who sincerely mourn over his departure from our midst.

His death was awfully sudden. He arose in the morning as well as usual, and, while sitting in his counting room, fell down in a fit which terminated his existence in about three hours from the time he was taken.



**COUNTY CANDIDATES.**

¶ 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.

**Prices Current,**

At Tarborough and New York.

	JUNE 23.	per	Tarboro'.	New York.
Bacon,	lb	7	8	5 7
Brandy, apple,	gallon	40	50	40 50
Coffee,	lb	12	13	9 13
Corn,	bushel	30	35	47 48
Cotton,	lb	7	8	8 10
Cotton bagging,	yard	20	25	15 16
Flour,	barre	\$5	\$4	\$5 54
Iron,	lb	5	6	3 4
Lard,	lb	6	7	7 10
Molasses,	gallon	35	40	18 20
Sugar, brown,	lb	9	12	6 94
Salt, T. L.	bushel	45	50	32 33
Turpentine,	barrel	170	180	225 238
wheat,	bushel	65	75	100 110
whiskey,	gallon	35	40	20 25

**WARRENTON**

**Male Academy.**

THE Exercises of this Institution will be resumed on the 8th of July 1844. The terms of Board and Tuition are the same as heretofore published. For the scholarship and moral department of the students the public are referred to the Trustees and patrons of the Academy.—The Tuition fees and half the amount of Board for the Session are payable in advance.

R. A. EZELL, A. M. Principal.  
 Warrenton, N. C. June 15, 1844. 25-4

**Notice.**

THE subscriber has repaired her Boarding House at Grove Hill, for this summer, and hopes to accommodate a part of those who resort to healthy parts during the sickly season. She has made ample preparations, and no pains shall be spared to accommodate those who think proper to give her a call. Taking in consideration the hard times, she has thought proper to reduce her former prices this season, viz:

Single persons \$15 per month for three months or more; Families twelve dollars per month for three months or more; Single persons fifteen dollars for one month or a less time; Children and servants half price; Horses ten dollars per month.

SARAH THRIFT.

Grove Hill, June 15, 1844. 25-5

**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.