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AND FOR SALE BY  
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**CURES are constantly EFFECTED**  
By these pills, in cases where every other means had utterly failed. The most abundant proof of this could be given, but a trial of one box will convince the patient. They can be ordered and sent by mail, at trifling expense. The price is 25 cents a box. Where two dollars worth are ordered and money remitted, the Company will pay the postage on the pills. Remittances at the Company's risk. Wherever there is no Agency of the Company, they can be ordered by mail.

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Bowel complaints, constipation, Dyspepsia, Fever & Ague, Headache, Jaundice, Liver Complaints, Rheumatism, all stomach complaints, green sickness, &c. &c. yield at once to these pills. They purge away offensive humors, arrest the progress of disease, and at the same time restore tone and vigor to the system. In cases of general derangement of the health, they are SOVEREIGN.

**BY THEIR USE,**  
the weak will become strong; the pale and bilious complexion be restored to a perfectly fresh and healthy color; all the bad symptoms will one by one disappear.

In short, these pills are an inconceivable advance upon any other medicine ever before offered to the public. A TRIAL WILL SATISFY ANY ONE OF THIS.

May 28, 1847.

## POETRY.

FOR THE TARBORO' PRESS.

Princeton, N. Jersey.

My dear Mr. Press: Hark! my muse has struck the lyre of grief—its tremulous chords warble the tale of woe:—its sweet though sad melody is blended with the sighing breezes and even woos the fragrant flowers to weep at the recital of its tale, and as it courts the sympathy of all nature, 'tis borne upward to the seat of mercy and there elicits an ear. Its teaching is morality—its tenor punishment, and as it faintly dies away, its distant echo is, revenge on the guilty destroyer of unconscious innocence.

A smile of innocence she wore,  
Which lightened all her face;  
A flood of sweetness it did pour  
O'er every outward grace.

Her cottage slept beside a brook  
Which rippled, brawled along,  
And broke the stillness of the nook,  
With gushings of its song.

And there the maid would blithely stray,  
Whenever the day was o'er,  
And sweetly carol on her way  
Strains which her heart would pour.

The little birds in sheer delight,  
Each music-tone would quote;  
And the woods, from morn till night,  
Echoed the lovely note.

And when with gladsome step she trod,  
The greenwood's cool brown shade,  
Each floweret would joyous nod  
Its little blooming head.

Each thing at her approach seem glad,  
So lightsomely went she,  
Imparting to whate'er was sad,  
Some portion of her glee.

The traveller paused, and wonder took  
His breast, as e'en she smiled—  
He'd ne'er seen one, before, to look  
So like sweet nature's child.

As years flew o'er that maiden's head  
No charms they took but gave—  
The same sweet, guileless life she led,  
Unruffled by a wave.

At last the spoiler came—too soon  
He gained her artless heart;  
She loved so fond, that trusting one,  
She yielded to his art.

He triumphed o'er her weakness, then  
He left his easy prey—  
He plucked the sweetest flower e'er seen,  
He flung it crushed away.

No longer did that cottage smile—  
Mirth's echo sounded not—  
The maiden sickened, drooped awhile,  
Then died, and was forgot.

Forgot by all, save only her  
Who gave that darling birth—  
She saw that loved one fade and sink,  
Into the cold, cold earth.

A gnawing canker ate its way,  
Deep down within her breast—  
Heartbroken on her bed she lay,  
Till death put her to rest.

The little cottage fell to ruin—  
It crumble dall away;  
Its blooming bowers, with none to tend,  
That mouldered to decay.

Now nought is left of that fair spot,  
Except a shatter'd pile;  
To tell of joys that now are not,  
Though once it used to smile.

OLD TARE RIVER.

## POLITICAL.

From the Raleigh Standard.

**The Bulletin and Gen. Taylor.**—The New Orleans Bulletin, the first paper out South which hoisted the flag of Gen. Taylor, and which, by the way, is decidedly Federal in its sentiments and instincts, thus notices the campaign for Congress in North Carolina:

"Both parties are up and doing in this State. There appears at present to be no Rip Van Winkles in it. The Raleigh District, which is strongly Democratic, has five Democratic candidates in the field, and no Whig; but thank Heaven, only one of them can be elected."

After alluding to the fact that Mr. Toole, one of the candidates, is for Gen. Taylor for the Presidency, the Bulletin

says: "We never go beyond a glass of lemonade in our bets, and are willing to stake it on the election of the Taylor man against the field." You would lose it, Mr. Bulletin; for it deserves to be mentioned, as a remarkable fact, that though Mr. Toole has been out for weeks, with the Taylor flag flying, and though he gives it as his opinion that Gen. Taylor is equal, in many respects, to Washington, and greatly superior to Jackson, yet the Whigs are very backward and tardy in flocking to his standard. The Democrats are satisfied with their nominee, Gen. Daniel, and will give him their cordial support; but "the Taylor man against the field" is likely to make but a poor showing on the first of August—unless indeed the Whigs should evince the regard they profess for Gen. Taylor, by coming forward to the aid of the man who so boldly declares him to be his first choice for the Presidency.

And why is this so? The answer is easy. Whatever the leaders may say or do, or however broken down politicians may seek to build up their fortunes by attaching themselves to a successful warrior, the people are not yet prepared to take up the question of the Presidency. They are generally pleased with the existing state of things; they do not believe that their condition could be improved or the country profited, by going into a campaign for the Presidency eighteen months before the election; and until they move all steps for this man or that will be in vain. The Democrats of North Carolina, we know, entertain the highest admiration for Gen. Taylor; they believe the war he is waging to be just and righteous, and they would back him and sustain him with all their energies and all their hearts in his efforts against the public enemy; in common with a patriotic people in all portions of the Union, they are proud of his military achievements, and hail him, with "nine times nine" as he stands in the fullness of his glory on the hills of fame, and they are ready to defend him against Federal and Abolition slanders and abuse at home; but they do not profess to be informed as to his political principles, and if they were, they are not ready to commence an exciting campaign for the Presidency; and more than this—were Gen. Taylor known to be a Democrat, and were they in search of an available candidate, they would not, as the Bulletin does, run him for the Presidency against "his will, wishes, and consent." At any rate, and at all hazards—whether defeat shall depress them for a season, or whether victory shall perch upon their banners, the Democratic party of North Carolina will stand by their principles, by the Union of the States, by the great doctrines of an Independent Treasury and of Free Trade. Will the Federalists stand by their principles? We shall see.

[Query? Have they got any principles?]

From the Newbern Republican.

## Proceedings of the Democratic Convention of the 8th District.

According to previous notice the Delegates to the Democratic Convention of the 8th Congressional District assembled at the Court House in Newbern, on Wednesday the 8th inst, at 11 o'clock, A. M.

On motion of James C. Stevenson, Esqr., the Convention was organized by appointing Dr. S. A. ANDREWS, of Wayne, President.

On motion of Wm. Ellison, Esqr., James C. Stevenson of Craven, and John W. Latham of Beaufort were appointed Vice Presidents.

On motion of O. S. Dewey, Esqr., James G. Edwards of Greene, and Richard Cogdell of Beaufort were appointed Secretaries of the Convention.

The list of counties comprising the 8th Congressional District being called, it was found that seven were represented, Beaufort, Craven, Cartaret, Jones, Wayne, Lenoir, and Greene; and four not represented, Pitt, Hyde, Washington, and Tyrrell.

The list of delegates being called, the following were found to be present.

**Beaufort.**—R. Cogdell, Dr. Wm. T. Bryan, Wm. Ellison, John O. Camp, Col. J. W. Williams, Chas. W. Crawford, Josiah Lupton, John Potter, Henry Hodges, B. A. Shipp, John W. Latham, Aaron Ernul, Joseph R. Latham, Isaiah Rowe, James Lee, Wm. J. Smaw, Amos Ireland.

**Craven.**—O. S. Dewey, George Reel, Johnson Bryan, Jr., Z. Slade, J. J. Robertson, Col. J. M. Bryan, Philip Pipkin, Albert Reel, H. B. Lane, L. B. Herritage, H. G. Cutler, Martin Stevenson, Jr., Joseph Hartley, F. P. Latham, S. R. Street, Freeman Ernul, Thomas Sparrow, Sr., S. D. Sparrow, C. B. Wood, R. W. Latham, Wm. C. McCoy, G. S. Stevenson, W. B. Gulick, J. C. Stevenson, James E. Morris, Col. Brinkley, Wm. Simmons.

**Cartaret.**—Levi T. Oglesby, Benj. Robinson, Richard Canaday.

**Greene.**—Jethro Murphy, Isaac Jordan, W. A. Fields, Gen. W. R. Jones, Edward Coward, Jr. W. A. Darden, James G. Edwards.

**Lenoir.**—Allen W. Wooten, Wm. C. Loftin, John L. Lee, James W. Morris, Col. James Davis, Windel Davis, Joseph R. Croom, James B. Webb.

**Jones.**—Wm. P. Ward, Nathan Foscoe, Richard Oldfield, R. M. McDaniel, Dr. P. N. Curtis.

**Wayne.**—Dr. S. A. Andrews, Giles Smith, Col. J. J. Baker, J. L. Pridgeon, Daniel Pipkin, Wm. K. Lane, R. W. Best, F. L. Castick, Benj. Barden, C. J. Nelson.

The Convention being ready for business, it was resolved that the representation of each county in the House of Commons be adopted as the basis of voting.

On motion of James E. Morris the delegates present were requested to adjourn to the jury room for consultation.

Having returned to the Court Room, on motion it was resolved that the President appoint one man from each of the counties represented to compose a committee, to draft resolutions to be presented for the consideration of the Convention.

The President accordingly appointed the following gentlemen said Committee:

**Beaufort.**—Dr. Wm. T. Bryan.

**Cartaret.**—Richard Canaday.

**Greene.**—Jethro Murphy.

**Jones.**—Wm. P. Ward.

**Lenoir.**—Wm. C. Loftin.

**Wayne.**—Giles Smith.

**Craven.**—G. S. Stevenson.

**Evening Session.**

The Convention convened according to adjournment, and proceeded immediately to vote for a candidate.

At the call of the several counties they voted as follows: Beaufort, 2; Craven, 2; Cartaret, 1; Greene, 1; Lenoir, 1; Jones, 1; and Wayne, 2, all for Wm. K. Lane, Esq., of Wayne. So he was declared the unanimous choice of the Convention.

On motion a committee of three were appointed by the President to wait on Mr. Lane, and inform him of the choice of the Convention, requesting his acceptance of the nomination, and his presence at the Convention.

O. S. Dewey, Wm. A. Darden and Windel Davis were appointed that committee, who in a short time returned with Mr. Lane.

Mr. Lane then addressed the Convention in a short and appropriate manner, signifying to the Convention his acceptance of their nomination.

The Committee appointed to draft resolutions reported through their Chairman, G. S. Stevenson, Esq., the following Preamble and resolutions which were unanimously adopted:

Believing that the principles of the Democratic party are best calculated to advance the interest of our Republic, and secure the prosperity and happiness of her citizens; and in order that each citizen may enjoy the right to think and judge for himself, it is incumbent upon every party to make a free, candid and full exposition of the measures, which it advocates; therefore:

**Resolved,** That the Administration of President Polk receives our most hearty approbation; and that upon the success of the principles on which it is based, and of the measures which are the legitimate offspring of those principles depend the permanence and progress of our Government.

**Resolved,** That we are, now, and ever shall be, opposed to Monopoly, and, therefore, in favor of a Tariff for Revenue only; that, being enemies of the unnatural amalgamation of the Government and Banking Corporations; we are an advocate of the Independent Treasury; and that we consider the distribution of the proceeds of the public lands, as a mere straw to which the Whigs cling to save themselves from drowning.

**Resolved,** That we agree with the Whig candidate for this District when he asserts, that his party have not been in power in sixteen years, that is to say, since the administration of that rank federalist, and still more rank abolitionist, John Quincy Adams.

**Resolved,** That while we regret that by the "act of Mexico, we have been forced into a war," our duty and love of country compel us to aid and support the Government in its endeavors to conquer an honorable peace.

**Resolved,** That to Gen. Zachary Taylor, and Gen. Winfield Scott, and all the gallant soldiers who have so bravely carried out the plans of the Administration by their gallant conduct on the field of battle, we tender our heartfelt thanks, and hail them as heroes, who have given additional lustre to the American Arms.

**Resolved,** That in Wm. K. Lane, a farmer of the county of Wayne, we find a firm Democrat, and an honest man, well qualified to represent this district in the next Congress, and we recommend him to the confidence and support of the people.

The Convention having called on Messrs. Z. Slade and George S. Stevenson, Esq., they addressed the Convention in their usual warm and agreeable style.

On motion of Nathan Foscoe, Esq., of Jones, the following resolution was offered and adopted:

**Resolved,** That we hail with pleasure the establishment of a Democratic Press in the town of Newbern as a prominent era in the history of our party in this district, and recommend The Republican to the warm patronage of every Democrat.

On motion it was ordered that the proceedings of this Convention be signed by its officers and published in The Republican with the request that the Democratic papers throughout the state copy.

On motion of Z. Slade, it was resolved that the thanks of the Convention are due to the President, Vice Presidents and Secretaries for the able and faithful manner in which they performed their duties.

No more business being before the Convention, on motion the Convention adjourned sine die.

Dr. S. A. ANDREWS,

President.

JOHN W. LATHAM,

JAMES C. STEVENSON,

Vice Presidents.

James G. Edwards,

R. Cogdell,

Secretaries.

From the Raleigh Standard.

From Camargo.—A Correspondent of the Milton Chronicle, writing from Camargo under date of May 17, says:

"We saw the Mississippians on the road and among them we found some North Carolinians. Dr. Thompson, and William Thompson from Caswell, Capt. Taylor and T. McClannahan from Oxford, and Walter Thompson from Chapel Hill. They have fought through some hard battles; and now are on their way home. They wish now to enjoy the reputation that they have acquired."

"During our stay at Monterey, we saw Gen. Taylor, and I can say that but few would think him a General. He was dressed plain, and looked almost like a Mexican, with his Lombro."'

The writer adds, that the North Carolina Regiment will leave Camargo in a fortnight for Saltillo; that the health of the Regiment was improving; that Col. Fagg had not arrived; and that Capt. Wilson had accepted the Colonelcy, and was to leave the next day for New Orleans. The two Companies from this State—Captains Clark and Richards—will be under the command of Col. Wilson, and will proceed to Vera Cruz.

The Wilmington Journal states that it is currently reported that a number of Boston capitalists are now in North Carolina for the purpose of completing negotiations for the building of a Railroad from Raleigh to Columbia or Camden, South Carolina. As preparatory to this step, the said rumor says that these gentlemen have already purchased the Portsmouth and Roanoke Railroad, and that they intend to purchase the Raleigh and Gaston Railroad, now the property of the State of North Carolina.