



FOR PRESIDENT,
LEWIS CASS, of Michigan.
FOR VICE PRESIDENT,
W.M.O. BUTLER, of Kentucky.
FOR ELECTOR, SECOND DISTRICT,
ASA BIGGS, of Martin county.
Election on Thursday, 1st Nov.

TARBOROUGH:
SATURDAY, AUGUST 5, 1848.

THE ELECTION.

On Thursday last the sturdy democracy of Edgecombe again rallied to the polls, and as will be seen below, nobly done their duty as usual. We subjoin also verbal returns from some of the adjacent counties.

Edgecombe County—Senate: Wyatt Moye. Commons: Wm. Thigpen and Wm. F. Dancy. Sheriff: Wm. D. Petway, re-elected. State of the Poll: Senate—Moye 343, Moses Baker 186. Commons—Thigpen 1053, Dancy 993, Benj. D. Battle 123. Sheriff—Petway 774, Jas. F. Jenkins 699. For Governor—Reid 1406, Manly 104.

Halifax—Senate: Andrew Joyner, re-elected. Commons: Wm. L. Long and Richard Smith. Sheriff: W. W. Brickell, re-elected. State of the Poll: Senate—Joyner 262, L. H. B. Whitaker 211. Commons—Long 595, Smith 576, Joseph B. Batchelor 538, Mat. C. Whitaker 524. For Governor—Manly 601, Reid 507.

Pitt—Senate: Benj. F. Eborn, re-elected. Commons: F. H. Satterthwhite and Wm. J. Blow. Sheriff: Burton G. Albritton.

Martin—Senate: Daniel Ward, re-elected. Commons: A. H. Coffield, re-elected. Sheriff: A. S. Mooring, re-elected.

FOR THE TARBORO' PRESS.

Meeting at Saratoga Precinct.

At a meeting of the people held at Saratoga precinct, on Saturday 29th ult., the following proceedings took place.

On motion, **Basset Sykes, Esq.** was called to the Chair, and **William Barnes** acted as Secretary.

A committee of five (consisting of Elias Barnes, Wm. Ellis, Coffield Ellis, Wm. Barnes and Hickman Ellis,) was appointed—who reported the following preamble and resolutions.

WHEREAS information has just reached us that the two Edgecombe companies recently serving in the war with Mexico, have reached Fortress Monroe on their way home, and may be hourly expected in the bosom of the county—and whereas it is meet and proper that some steps be taken to give them a public reception and otherwise testify our approbation of their services:—

Resolved, therefore, that we tender them the compliment of a Public Dinner, to be held at James Bridgers', on Wednesday, the 16th of August, or at some other place as may be hereafter agreed upon.

Resolved, that Wm. Barnes (Tosnot), Wm. Ellis, Wm. Y. Moore, Col. Bynum, James Barnes and Joshua Barnes, be appointed a committee, to co-operate with a similar committee to be appointed by the

meeting in Tarboro' on Tuesday next, to make the necessary preparations for the Dinner.

Resolved, that we recommend to the Tarboro' meeting to appoint some suitable person to address them on the occasion, in the name and in behalf of the people of Edgecombe.

BASSET SYKES, Ch'm.
WM. BARNES, Sec'y.

FOR THE TARBORO' PRESS.

'Meeting in Tarboro'.

A large number of the citizens of Edgecombe assembled according to previous notice on Tuesday the 1st inst., to make arrangements for a dinner to the Edgecombe Volunteers, who have just returned from Mexico. Capt. **Reddin Pitman** was called to the Chair, and explained the objects of the meeting in terms very complimentary to the Volunteers. **Henry T. Clark** was appointed Secretary.

A previous meeting for a similar purpose had been held by the citizens of the Upper Regiment at Saratoga, and recommended the Dinner to be furnished at James Bridgers' muster ground on Wednesday the 16th inst.—and as this meeting was desirous of so selecting the time and place as to accommodate the wishes of the whole county and the convenience of the Volunteers and community, a considerable discussion ensued, in which Messrs. Norfleet, Dancy, Bridgers, Moye, Speight and Clark participated. A portion of the Volunteers being present, were consulted as to the place most agreeable to them; who exchanged opinions, and reported their belief that Tarboro' would be the most suitable place, and be most agreeable to the Volunteers, as some of them were now in Pitt and Martin counties.

Whereupon the meeting selected Tarboro' as the most suitable place, and appointed the 17th of this month as the time, as least conflicting with any previous engagements of our citizens with the Courts of the adjoining counties.

It was therefore Resolved, that a Public Dinner be given to our Volunteers at Tarboro' on the 17th inst., and that all the Officers and Privates of Companies A and E of the late No. Ca. Regiment of Volunteers be respectfully invited.

Resolved, in order fully to carry out the wishes of this meeting, that a committee of six be appointed to act with a similar committee from the Upper Regiment, who are to be charged with the execution of the wishes of this meeting, and to aid them in the discharge of their duties shall appoint as many aids and sub-committees as they deem best.

The committee from this Regiment are Messrs. John F. Speight, William Thigpen, Robt. R. Bridgers, Orren Bullock, Harman Ward and S. L. Hart. Committee from Upper Regiment before appointed are Wm. Barnes, Wm. Ellis, Wm. Y. Moore, Col. Bynum, Jas. Barnes and Joshua Barnes.

On motion, Resolved, that the committee select some person to deliver a suitable Address to the Volunteers on the day of the Dinner.

It was further Resolved, that the thanks of the meeting be presented to the Chairman and Secretary, and that those proceedings be published in the Tarboro' Press.

R. PITMAN, Ch'm.
H. T. CLARK, Sec'y.

A DINNER

Complimentary to the Volunteers of companies A and E of the North Carolina regiment, will be given at Tarboro' on the 17th inst., by the citizens of Edgecombe county. The Volunteers are requested

to appear in uniform, and the soldiers of the N. C. Regiment are invited to be present. By order of
Committee of Arrangements.

Our Volunteers.

It will be seen by the preceding articles that the Volunteers who have recently returned from Mexico, have met with a joyous and hearty reception, to which they were so justly entitled, after undergoing so many severe hardships and privations.

The subjoined letter from Old Point reached us too late for our last issue. The news it contains will be gratifying to the many friends and relatives of the Volunteers, and to every citizen who has the least spark of county pride. We publish it with great pleasure.

Old Point Comfort, Va.

July 27th, 1848.

Editor of the Press:

It is a source of just pride and gratification to a citizen of the Old North State to witness the behavior of the four Companies of our Regiment now here awaiting their discharge from service.

They reached Point Comfort on Saturday the 22nd, and up to this time there has been nothing like dissatisfaction or rowdiness, and no call for correction of the slightest dereliction of duty. This conduct is in striking contrast to another Regiment here, and has been remarked upon by citizens of the State whence that Regiment came. It is to be regretted that the conduct of a few officers or men can soully the reputation of a Regiment. Such is the case in the present instance.

We are proud to record the fact that the conduct of the officers and men of the detachment here under the Lieut. Col. has been unexceptionable, and such as to call forth praise from the visitors. The Regiment has been frequently noticed in the orders of Brig. Gen. Wool, and companies A and G, Captains Buck and Henry, have been singled out for good discipline and soldierlike conduct.

Personal intercourse with the officers has removed some prejudices, and given the writer a high estimate of their character as gentlemen and soldiers. They are men to be relied on at home, and trusted with the honor of the State abroad.

The gallant spirits who went from Edgecombe, will return much thinned in numbers. Of 130 who went from the county, over 50 have died. Those left are as fine soldiers as any service can boast of. They are eager to join their families and friends, and it is due them that Edgecombe should give them a warm and parental reception.

The Banner presented by the Ladies, judging from its neat appearance, has been carefully watched over, and every one of our men seem to have it under their special guardianship.

A CITIZEN OF EDGECOMBE.

Newbern Market, Aug. 1st, 1848.

There have been several parcels of some magnitude at the market since our last report, and a disposition has been manifested by buyers for speculation. One lot of some hundred barrels sold last week at \$2.25; since which sales have generally been made at \$2.15 for old dip, at which latter price we now quote.

Tar—is scarce and wanted—a lot of 100 bbls. sold to-day at \$1.40.

Corn—a sale of 230 barrels to-day at \$1.80.

Lard—in bbls. 9 1/2 cts.

Bacon—assorted 7 a 7 1/2—hams 8 a 9 c.

Washington Market, Aug. 2.

Bacon, 6 a 7 cents; Lard, 8 a 8 1/2; Corn, \$1 85 a \$2 00; Peas, 45 a 50 cents.

Naval Stores—turpentine, \$2 00 a 2 10; scrape, 90 a 95; tar, 1 40 a 1 50.

[Certificate from the Principal of the **Fredonia, New York, Seminary.]**

Fredonia, July 17th, 1848.
Dr. Seth W. Fowle,—Dear Sir:—Feeling, as I do, under obligation to the friend who urged me to try Wistar's Balsam, in spite of my hostility to the endless variety of remedies claiming infallibility I cannot just refuse to comply with your request to furnish a statement of its effects.

From my youth I have been subject to lung complaints, and during the last ten years I have been under the necessity of using the utmost caution to avoid that most ungracious customer, "a cough." In February last I took cold—a cough set in, and though slight in the beginning, I made use of the simple remedies which I always keep for that purpose. These failing, I resorted to others, many of which have gained celebrity, but my cough increased

in violence, and a pain in the side and right lobe of the lungs set in, which soon became very distressing and at intervals were attended with oppressive strictures on the lungs. During this time I expected to die freely, but the mucus raised from the lungs indicated a disease deeply seated. Two or three physicians kindly sent me their medicines, which have been very efficient in curing coughs, but they failed to reach my case, and I began to be somewhat uneasy. In the latter part of April I left home, intending to travel awhile and if possible escape, by that means, from present danger. When I reached Buffalo I had taken an additional cold, and my cough was considerably aggravated. A friend there advised me to try the

Balsam of wild Cherry,

But I told him I had swallowed medicine enough. Well, sir, I coughed out that day and the night following, and the next day and the night following, and the next day my friend urged me again to try "Doctor Wistar," and at 3 P. M., I was willing to try anything, for I coughed constantly. I procured a bottle—drank of it—read the directions—took the stage for home, continued taking it from that bottle one week, and when the Balsam was gone my cough and pains were gone, and I have not coughed since.

Respectfully yours, &c.

F. A. REDINGTON.

None genuine, unless signed **J. BUTTS** on the wrapper.

For sale by **Dr. A. H. Macnair**, Agent for Tarboro', and by dealers in medicines generally.

DISEASES OF THE SKIN CURED.

From Mrs. Sisome, formerly Mrs. James, of Phila.

Bristol, Pa., Jan. 16, 1846.

Messrs. Editors:—I write to inform you and the public, that my son was under the treatment of our family doctor for more than a year, for a very troublesome disease of the skin, without obtaining any relief. I then applied to several other physicians, who gave him so much medicine, and dieted him so low, that I thought he would die from its effects. One physician told me that it was a disease to which some families were subject, and could not be cured. Some called it scrofula, and others tetter, salt rheum, eczema, leprosy, &c. After trying every means for nearly five years without effect, I was advised to give him **Dr. Jayne's Alterative**. At this time he was literally sore from his head to his feet. Sometimes it would dry up and scurf off, and then break out again as bad as ever, and itch and burn so intolerably as to drive him almost to distraction. He had not taken the Alterative, however, two weeks before there was a change for the better. He went to school all the time while taking the medicine, and partook of the same kind of food as the rest of the family, and ran about through thick and thin, the same as the other boys of the school, until he was perfectly cured, and became fat and hearty, and though now over five years ago, yet not a symptom of the disease has ever made its appearance. He took altogether twenty six bottles of the Alterative, and no other medicine while using it. Yours respectfully,

MARY ANN SISOME.

Prepared only by **Dr. D. JAYNE**, Philadelphia, and sold on agency by

GEO. HOWARD.

Tarboro', Nov. 9, 1847.

COMMUNICATED.

Appointments for Elder B. Cooper.

August 14th, at Upper Town Creek; 15th, at Tosnot; 16th, at White Oak; 17th, at Meadow; 18th, at Autrey's Creek.



DIED.

At Rocky Mount, in this county, on the 28th ult., in the 15th year of his age, **Henry Clay Battle**, eldest son of Col. Benj. D. Battle.

At the residence of Jacob S. Barnes, Esq. in this county, on the 11th ult. after a protracted illness of ten weeks, **Mr. Gideon Bynum**, in the 25th year of his age.

Tarboro' Male Academy.

THE VACATION in this Institution will commence on the 12th inst. and continue till first Monday of Oct. next. By order of Trustees.

R. B. LINDSAY, Prin.

Tarboro', 4th August, 1848.

Tarboro' Academy, Female Department.

THE VACATION will begin on the 12th of August, and the duties of the School will be resumed on the 1st Monday in October, 1848.

By order of the Trustees,
THE R. OWEN, Prin.
28th July, 1848. 31-G

SELLING OFF.

THE Subscribers being about to dissolve their Copartnership in business, will commence offering their

Very Extensive Stock of Goods,

AT AN ADVANCE OF **10 per cent. on Prime Cost.**

Their assortment of Goods is very complete, embracing a very great variety of

Splendid Staple and Fancy DRY GOODS,

Hardware, Cutlery, China, Glass, Crockery ware, &c &c

All of which will be now offered to the Public at such

Exceedingly Low Prices,

As we hope may enable us to close our business speedily.

BOWDITCH & HOWELL.

Tarboro', July 24th, 1848. 31



FOR SALE,

Town lots, Nos. 13 & 24.

J. L. BRIDGERS.

July 20th. 30

Dr. Jayne's Family Medicines.

Everybody praises Jayne's Hair Tonic and for the best reason in the world, because it is the only hope that the bald-headed can have of once more regaining the full flowing locks of hair, with which nature adorned their heads in youth, which it does to the admiration of all who use it as directed. Try it, all of you who need more or handsomer hair. It is the very thing for you.

Worms! Worms! Worms!—To remove those troublesome and dangerous inhabitants of the stomach and bowels, which so often impair the health and destroy the lives of children, use Jayne's Tonic Vermifuge, a certain and safe preparation for the removal of the various kinds of worms, dyspepsia, sour stomach, want of appetite, infantile fever and ague, and debility of the stomach and bowels and organs of digestion. It is without exception one of the most valuable preparations in the world.

Hear Dr. Highb's opinion.—Dr. L. J. Highb, Milwaukee, W. T., Nov., 1845, writes to Dr. Jayne, and says, Your Carnative Balsam, Hair Dye, and Hair Tonic, all go well, and the Balsam goes finely. It has saved many lives this season. I had to get twice supplied from New York in September last. I shall want of you at least 200 bottles. I have on sale, and have seen tried many of the "crack articles" for this Bilious Diarrhoea, which we are subject to; and of all, yours is invaluable. I could get \$5 per bottle for it, if it could not be had for less, and any quantity of certificates of the strongest kind. These Diarrhoeas are the worst diseases we have here, and your Balsam is the only thing that cures them.

Prepared only by **Dr. D. JAYNE**, Philadelphia, and sold on agency by **GEO. HOWARD.**

Tarboro', Nov. 9, 1847.

Western Indian Panacea.

We assert there is no family medicine of half its virtues, and none that will so delight the users of it, and to convince all that these are facts, we offer as above. Try it without price, if you are not charmed by its effects. Fuller descriptions and an Almanac for 1848 gratis, with the agents for the county. (See below.)

Geo. Howard, Tarboro'.

Brandreth's Pills.

Be exceedingly afraid of **COUNTERFEIT PILLS.** The Agent is the only person from whom Brandreth's Pills should be purchased.

For sale by **GEO. HOWARD.**

Constables' Blanks for sale, AT THIS OFFICE.

Official statement of the Polls of Election, for the County of Edgecombe, compared at the Court House in Tarboro', on Saturday, the 5th of August, 1848.

	For Governor.		Senate.		Commons.		Sheriff.	
Districts.	Reid.	Manly.	Moye.	Baker.	Thig'n.	Dancy.	Battle.	Pet'y. Jenkins.
1 Tarboro'	37	12	12	7	67	75	7	66 24
2 Brake's	118	17	25	25	83	84	54	79 50
3 Armstrong's	124	16	36	20	99	85	24	91 32
4 Tosnot	142	10	52	1	114	98	8	89 58
5 Gardner's	103	0	31	7	62	48	0	60 38
6 Saratoga	94	12	36	5	78	86	0	75 29
7 Barterfield	97	2	34	15	61	51	0	64 31
8 Sparta	86	6	41	10	50	40	7	50 42
9 Pender's	49	0	3	7	41	42	0	17 31
10 Bulluck's	84	0	6	18	51	56	1	7 74
11 Harrell's	75	4	26	1	76	67	1	19 56
12 Hickory Fork	62	4	30	2	62	61	2	29 35
13 Edwards's	61	2	11	7	51	51	0	39 23
14 Logsboro'	68	0	8	15	41	37	0	35 35
15 Cherry's	68	7	4	29	56	49	7	24 52
16 Lawrence's	38	9	6	6	39	24	14	22 23
17 Gay's	50	3	10	10	32	36	5	8 46
	1406	104	343	185	1059	993	128	774 699