

The Old North State

SALISBURY, N. C., SEPT. 3, 1868



FOR PRESIDENT:
HON. HORATIO SEYMOUR,
OF NEW YORK.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT:
GEN. FRANK P. BLAIR,
OF MISSOURI.

FOR CONGRESS:
FRANCIS E. SHOBER,
OF ROWAN.

ECONOMY IN THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE GOVERNMENT; THE REDUCTION OF THE STANDING ARMY AND NAVY; THE ABOLITION OF THE FREEDMEN'S BUREAU; A ALL POLITICAL INSTRUMENTALITIES DESIGNED TO SECURE NEGRO SUPREMACY.

DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM.

IT IS NOT A MERE PARTY TRIUMPH WE SEEK. WE ARE TRYING TO SAVE OUR COUNTRY FROM THE DANGERS WHICH OVERHANG IT.

GOV. SEYMOUR'S ADDRESS.

THE ELECTION OF A DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE AND A MAJORITY OF DEMOCRATIC MEMBERS TO THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES WOULD NOT GIVE TO THAT PARTY ORGANIZATION THE POWER TO MAKE SUDDEN OR VIOLENT CHANGES; BUT IT WOULD SERVE TO CHECK THOSE EXTREME MEASURES WHICH HAVE BEEN DEPLORED BY THE MEMBERS OF BOTH POLITICAL ORGANIZATIONS. THE RESULT WOULD MOST CERTAINLY LEAD TO THAT PEACEFUL RESTORATION OF THE UNION AND RE-ESTABLISHMENT OF FRATERNAL RELATIONSHIP WHICH THE COUNTRY DESIRES.

Gov. Seymour's Letter of Acceptance.

THE DISTRICT CONVENTION—THE NOMINATIONS.

We attended the Democratic and Convention which assembled at Statesville on yesterday for the purpose of nominating a candidate to represent this District in the next Congress, and also for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Presidential Elector for this District. Never did we witness greater harmony in any public assemblage than pervaded that body. The Convention was largely attended—ten of the twelve counties composing the District being represented.

Col. John M. Long, of Cabarrus, was President of the Convention, and E. A. Osborne, of Mecklenburg, Secretary. It was agreed that each county should cast the number of votes to which it is entitled to delegates in the House of Representatives, and that two-thirds should be requisite to effect a nomination. The counties were called on for nominations, when Fredell presented the name of John H. McLaughlin, Wilkes the name of R. F. Armfield, Yadkin the name of A. C. Cowles, Davie and Union the name of Z. B. Vance, and Rowan the names of W. M. Robbins and Francis L. Shober.

Three votes were then had for the nomination. The first vote was divided between all the names presented. On the second, Mr. Shober's vote increased, and on the third he was unanimously nominated. In response to loud calls Mr. Shober then came forward and accepted the nomination in brief, but eloquent and eloquent speech. After Mr. Shober had concluded his remarks the name of W. M. Robbins was proposed for Presidential Elector when he was nominated by acclamation. He also accepted the nomination in a brief but forcible speech.

Of these nominations it is scarcely necessary to speak. Mr. Shober is well known to the people of this District as an able and effective debater, a fine scholar and an urbane, popular and accomplished gentleman. Maj. Robbins is also well known to them as a gentleman of high character, and as one of the best political speakers in North Carolina.

Up to the last moment hopes had been entertained by many that our present Representative, Hon. N. Boyden, whose course at the last session gave such universal satisfaction, would announce his intention to support the nominees the New York Convention. In that event he would have been unanimously re-nominated. We even believe that he would have been re-nominated if he had been known to be neutral. But the delegates to the

Convention learning from one of their number, who had a personal interview with Mr. Boyden but a few days before, that he was certainly for Grant and Colfax his name was not mentioned in that body. It is understood that Mr. Boyden will be an independent candidate for Congress, and that he will publish a card announcing the fact in a few days.

Mr. Shober, we learn, will commence the canvass at once, and will address the people of Catawba, at Newton, on next Monday, and the people of Davie, at Mocks ville, on next Tuesday.

LATEST NEWS.

From Washington.

Washington, Sept. 1, M.
Quite a number of Southern Post Offices have been discontinued in the South from causes which can easily be remedied.

The Post Office Department desires advice from parties of the several Post Offices discontinued of acceptable persons who can take the oath, and who are not excluded by law from charge of Post Offices, but can act as assistants.

The President proclaims the ratification of the treaty between the United States and Nicaragua. It is of a liberal character of friendship, commerce and navigation.

Markets.

New York, Sept. 1, M.
Cotton quiet at 30 1/2.
Turpentine firm at 44 1/2. Rosin steady; strained common 2 7/8.
Gold 141 1/2. North Carolinas, old 7 1/2, new 7 1/4.

Elections.

Washington, Sept. 1, P. M.
The Wilmington municipal election was a warm contest. The vote is largely increased. The Republicans re-elected their Mayor by an increased majority of one hundred.

New York, Sept. 1, P. M.

The Vermont election resulted in the success of the Republicans by a largely increased majority over last year.

Returns from a third of the State indicate the majority at twenty-seven thousand. Some make it a thirty thousand vote—the heaviest thrown since 1860.

From Washington.

Washington, Sept. 1, P. M.
McCulloch and Rollins had a fruitless consultation to-day.

The Indian Department has nothing new.

Large expenditures for the War Department, Freedmen's Bureau, etc., will increase the public debt several millions.

From Georgia—The Legislature.

Atlanta, Sept. 1, P. M.
In the House, a resolution passed, regulating the discussion on negro eligibility allowing each negro one hour for debate and the members participating twenty-five minutes. The eligibility discussion costs the tax payers of Georgia two thousand dollars, daily.

From New York—Arrests.

New York, Sept. 1, P. M.
Warrants were issued, to-day, for the arrest of prominent Revenue officials here. Charges not made public. Ex-Collector Smith was arrested.

From South Carolina.

Columbia, Sept. 1, P. M.
The House sustained the Governor's veto of the Charleston City Charter bill, —an extreme Radical party measure.

Deaths by Lightning.

Philadelphia, Sept. 1, P. M.
Hon. Thomas B. Jones and his two daughters, aged twelve and seventeen, were killed, and his son seriously injured, by lightning, to-day, at New Egypt, New Jersey.

From Baltimore—North Carolina Merchant Robbed.

Baltimore, Sept. P. M.
A North Carolina merchant had his pocket picked of three thousand and one hundred dollars, last night.

Markets.

New York, Aug. 29, P. M.
Cotton more active and firm. Sales of 2,500 at 30 1/2.
Bonds nominal at 68 a 70.
Gold dull at 144 1/2.

Mr. Dickens picked up this story during his last visit to America, and the English papers are repeating it with evident enjoyment: A man in this country is now everybody. Name what celebrity you could—Palmerston, Guizot, Arago, Landseer, Livingstone, Morio—no matter. "Oh, yes! I knew him very well indeed."

"Did you happen to know the Siamese twins?" The omniscient but conscientious speaker at once replied, "Well, one of them I know exceedingly well, but I not quite sure whether I ever happened to meet the other."

Col. George Hancock, of Jefferson county, Ky., is said to be in possession of an original letter of General Washington, dated March, 1787. It he declines to attend a political convention in Philadelphia in the following May because he had previously declined to attend a meeting of the Cincinnati at the same time and place.

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The Proprietor in returning his sincere thanks to the traveling public for the liberal patronage extended to him during his connection with this Hotel, takes occasion to assure them that no effort or expense will be spared to retain the present reputation of the Hotel as one of the very best in the South.
He is happy to announce that the fall in the price of supplies enables him to reduce the price to
Three Dollars per Day.
To citizens coming in to spend a week or more, he will still make a greater reduction. He is prepared to furnish Board without rooms at very low rates.
He hopes to have the pleasure of welcoming to the Yarbrough House his old customers and many new friends.
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July 7, 1868. [w-tw-1m]

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THE FALL SESSION of this institution will commence on Tuesday, the 8th of August, and continue twenty weeks.
Board: \$10 per month, and other charges proper, totaling not over \$150. Tuition must be paid by each student before entering, and the balance at the close of the term.
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This College is located between Salisbury and Greensboro, in one of the most beautiful and healthy towns on the N. C. Central Railroad and is in two miles of the celebrated "Helton Chalybeate Springs." And at the additional expense of 25 cents per day, any of the "College girls" can have the constant use of the water.
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June 27—tw-w-1m President.

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State of North Carolina, DAVIE COUNTY, IN THE COURT OF EQUITY. John M. Farries and others vs. George Howell and others.
Petition for sale of Land, etc.
I appearing from the affidavit of D. M. Farries, one of the parties complainant, that Giles Hutchens and wife Rebecca, Joseph Howell, and J. W. Martin and wife Sarah, defendants in this case, are not inhabitants of this State; Notice is therefore given in the "Watchman and Old North State," to the said defendants, to be and appear at the next Court of Equity to be held for the county of Davie, at the Court-House in Mocksville, on the last Monday in August next, and plead, answer or demur to complainant's Petition, or the same will be taken pro confesso, and the case set for hearing, as to such, as to them.
Witness, J. Bingham, Clerk and Master in said Court of Equity, at office, July 30, 1868. Prof. S. J. L. BINGHAM, C. M. K.

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INCOME FOR 1867.
\$7,726,516.53.
FOR PREMIUMS
\$6,332,804.95,
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State of North Carolina, ALEXANDER COUNTY. Superior Court of Law, Spring Term, 1868. L. H. & J. W. Jones, vs. Wiley Gaither. Attachment.
It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the defendant in this case, Wiley Gaither, resides beyond the limits of the State, it is therefore ordered by the Court that publication be made for six weeks successively, in the "Watchman & Old North State," a paper published in the town of Salisbury, notifying the said defendant to be and appear at the next Term of this Court to be held for the county of Alexander, at the courthouse in Taylorsville, on the 6th Monday after the last Monday in August next, then and there to show cause, if any he has, why the property levied on should not be condemned to the plaintiff's use.
Witness, E. M. Stevenson, clerk of our said Court at office, the 6th Monday after the last in February, A. D. 1868.
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