

a crisis in public affairs which imperatively requires the exercise of this prerogative...

William A. Graham, Esq. was then selected by the unanimous vote of the Convention...

Mr. Graham then addressed the Convention, and said he had the honor to be informed by the Committee...

Resolved, That in the opinion of this meeting, it is important that the whole South should be represented in the proposed National Convention...

Resolved, That we recommend to our Whig brethren of this State, to meet in Convention in their respective Congressional Districts...

Resolved, That we approve of a State Convention to be held at Raleigh, to nominate some individual as the Whig Candidate for Governor...

Resolved, That this Convention recommend to the Whig generally and to those of Orange county in particular, to encourage the circulation of political papers favorable to the Republican Whig cause...

A vote of thanks was tendered to the Chairman, who responded in an eloquent and animated tone...

The Convention then adjourned. BURKE COUNTY. At a Whig meeting recently held in this County...

Whereas, we believe that the policy protracted by the present Administration, has a strong tendency to consolidate the union and rights of the States...

Whereas, we believe that the extensive influence given the President, by means of his patronage, has not only the co-ordinate departments of the General Government...

Whereas, we believe that it is impossible to bring back the Government to its pristine purity, in any other mode than by a change of rulers...

Whereas, we feel confident, that a large majority of the American people are with us in opposition to the leading measures of the present Administration...

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The Hon. Edward Stanly made a speech at Tarboro' last week which was not very easily digested by the Van Buren party...

Our correspondent also writes us that could array a religious sect in aid of their corrupt politics, it is no good...

Methodists, and Mr. Deberry's friends are mostly Baptists. This shows that the staunch Whigs of Richmond do not deserve the degrading opinion formed of them by their opponents...

Humiliating Contrast-1794 & 1838.

Mr. Senator King, of Georgia, in the best speech which he ever delivered in Congress, remarked that more gray hairs had grown upon the head of our republic within fifty years...

We were never so forcibly impressed with the truth of Mr. King's remarks, as we have been in perusing the letters of General Hamilton and Mr. Wolcott, in relation to some of the early defalcations in the Department of the Treasury...

If Mr. Woodbury had but followed the precedent thus established in the better and purer days of the republic, our official records would not now exhibit the endless catalogue of peculators and defaulter which is published in the documents of this Department...

Treasury Department, Feb. 10, 1794. Sir—The enclosed letter of the 27th of last month, from the collector of Tappahannock, relates to a subject equally delicate and disagreeable...

Treasury Department, June 6, 1794. Sir—It is with regret that I inform you that another collector has suffered Treasury drafts to return unpaid, which were drawn upon moneys reported by him to be in his hands...

Treasury Department, Feb. 18, 1795. The Secretary of the Treasury has the honor respectfully to submit to the President of the United States certain documents by which it appears that John Muir, collector for the district of Vienna, in Maryland, neglected his duty in failing to collect...

Here we see no cavilling, no paltering with delinquency. Nothing is said of political or personal connexions of the defaulter, or of their ability to serve or injure the Administration...

We have received a catalogue of the TRUSTEES, TEACHERS and STUDENTS of this Institution, and are glad to be thus informed of its healthful condition...

The Hillsborough Academy has been under the charge of Mr. Wm. J. Bingham, A. M., the present Principal, for the last twelve years and its patronage has gradually increased during that whole period...

From the N. Orleans Louisiana, of May 21. HORRIBLE DUEL. The Coroner was called on yesterday to hold an inquest on two bodies which were found near the road to the Bayou St. John...

Commodore Preble.—The following anecdote illustrating some points in the character of the gallant Commodore Preble, is from Cooper's Naval History of the United States...

SANTA ANA'S STAR is again in the ascendant in Mexico. A correspondent of the N. O. Louisiana, writing from Mexico, says he has become the idol of the day...

THE CONVERSION OF PARSONS, from playing to preaching, has heretofore been mentioned in our columns, but unaccompanied by the interesting particulars, which are given as follows in the Chicago Democrat...

THE LAST TRICK.—A gentleman from the East was passing along Pearl Street two days ago, when a boy came up to him and asked if he would buy a gold watch which he exhibited...

The Slaves wrecked on the Bahama Islands.—A letter, evidently from an authentic source, in Washington, is published in the last Richmond Enquirer, in which it is stated that Mr. Stevenson, our Minister in London, has succeeded in making an arrangement with the British Government...

[The subjoined humorous Communication is no doubt intended as a cut at Dr. Moxtockery, the Administration candidate for Congress, in this District. It is certainly a very good analysis of the Doctor's Circular.]

FOR THE REGISTER. To the Voters of Wake, Orange, and Person. FELLOW CITIZENS: At the solicitations of a vast of my countrymen, I am a candidate to represent you in the next General Congress of America.

I am one of your abstricatory, no federal or bank Whigger. I was born in a manger, cradled in a pig trough, and grown up, unsifted by the weeds of education...

I am opposed to the Collage at Chapel Hill. It taxes the poor people, and takes from them their hard earnings to keep up the rich silk stocking and ruffled shirt gentry...

I am for reducing the taxes of the people, and as a means of doing it, I am for reducing the salaries of all our Public Officers. Let us have a cheap government and one of Republican simplicity.

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Appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that the Defendant, Wm. B. D. Spright, is not an inhabitant of this State...

Witness, Charles Edwards, Clerk & Master of said Court at Office, the second Monday after the fourth Monday in March, A. D. 1839. C. EDWARDS, C. M. E. (Wm. B. D. Spright, Petitioner.)

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