

consider the Hero of the last war, supporting, at the same time, for the national Senate, one of the ablest and warmest opponents of the war, at that date, in Congress. Mr. Gaston's chief recommendations with his party are his uniform advocacy of Federal doctrines and his admitted abilities.

Next, we hear of Mr. BROWN, a distinguished lawyer of this city, and author of the "Young Whigs Text Book." This gentleman was once quite a prominent friend of Gen. JACKSON, having written an eloquent address to the people of the State, urging his claims for the Presidency. We do not know that said address ever became a *Text Book* for young Democrats; but it was doubtless quite eloquent, and certainly very disinterested. We do not know at what time, or for what reasons, he abandoned Gen. JACKSON; but think it quite likely that he was dissatisfied with his first Cabinet, and particularly with the appointment of Attorney-General. Not knowing, we cannot say with certainty. But thus much we are quite positive about—that Mr. BROWN is a gentleman of very extraordinary abilities; and altho' his general political character is that of rank Federalism, yet being rather *shifty*, the Republicans may entertain some hope, in case of his election to the Senate, to find him on their side before his term expires.

Next, we hear of Judge SWAIN, of Chapel Hill. He, like the others, has his troop of friends; and altho' we are not among the number, yet having much respect both for his character and talents, we shall make no unfriendly remark about him. He has been aloof from party contests for several years, sequestered in his philosophical retreat. This fact, which should constitute a high claim, will doubtless destroy his prospects with the turbulent spirits of the Harrison Party. It is not improbable too, that ambitious rivals wish him to remain buried to political pursuits. Perhaps, also, if he can be persuaded in his lectures on political philosophy to "teach the young idea to shoot" in a Federal direction, his party may consider his services more valuable in that way, than in the Senate. We would by no means have inferred that we have any reason to suppose that President SWAIN allows his partisan opinions to sway his official duties; tho', by the way, we could wish that the Log Cabin and Hard Cider party would seek some other place than Chapel Hill for their frolics. We should not be surprised to find Judge SWAIN, in certain contingencies, quite a prominent candidate.

We have not mentioned half the names of the gentlemen, whose pretensions are now in the crucible of public opinion. We may do so in a future number, and throw out some general views of our own on the subject.

Mr. ROBERT W. HAYWOOD, of this City, has been appointed Adjutant General of the State, vice BEVERLY DANIEL, deceased.

THE WEST.

It is stated in the Raleigh Register of the 22nd inst., that certain distinguished gentlemen of our party have determined to canvass the Western part of the State before the Presidential election. We hope the statement is true. It is full time that the minds of the people of that section should be disabused of the monstrous errors which have been so unscrupulously disseminated by "whig" presses and politicians. Their misrepresentations, we hear, are scattered through that region as thick as autumn leaves. We have heard, with astonishment, that hundreds of voters in the West really believe that the President favors a *Standing Army* and *negro testimony*. These wretched slanders have long since exploded elsewhere, and everywhere, when they have been exposed by a simple statement of the truth, a bare recital of the facts of each case. It is astonishing that lies so gross should have lived longer than the hour which gave them birth. The Ithurel wand to dissipate them is *truth*. The press cannot operate among those who are thus deceived; if it could, the delusion long since would have vanished. There must be oral correction—the voter should be addressed and instructed face to face. We trust, therefore, that not only the distinguished gentlemen alluded to in the Register, to wit: Messrs. Saunders, Brown, and Strange, but every Republican accustomed to public speaking, whose pursuits may permit it, will go forth like reapers to this harvest of patriotism and reputation.

We have received several communications, which shall be attended to as early as possible. Some have been on hand since before the last election. Our correspondents may be assured that the delay, or even the omission of their communications, does not proceed from any disrespect or inattention. We duly appreciate and are thankful for their favors—but are always much crowded with matter for some time before an election, and it would be impossible to insert all their favors without excluding all editorial matter—which, we have reason to think would not be agreeable to our readers, generally.

A "WHIG" LEADER.

We have it from unquestionable authority, that Rice Garland, now a member of Congress from Louisiana and who has become notorious for his activity and zeal in conducting the operations of the Federal Whig Committee at Washington, during the recess of Congress, in conjunction with the infamous abolitionist John C. Clarke, ran away from Leesville, Rockingham county, in this State, some time in the year 1825 or '26, for the purpose of defrauding his creditors, having been engaged in practicing law at the time, and to which place he had removed some years before, from Virginia. That he so absconded, and that his effects were afterwards publicly sold at Rockingham Court House, are facts notorious to the members of the bar at that time practicing with him, as well as the people of that county. This man, who then defrauded his creditors in North Carolina, by absconding or concealing himself so that the ordinary process of law could not be served on him, and John C. Clarke, whose abolition doctrines would rob the Southern people of their slaves, have recently had the impudence to issue an address, or sort of "Whig" proclamation to the people of the United States, on the beauties of Whiggery, and filled with abuse and slanders against the administration. Fit instruments of a desperate party, and proper representatives of that motley combination who are determined to "rule or ruin" the country. Although this creature of Whiggery has since made himself scarce in North Carolina, his *frank*, in conjunction with that of his abolition associates of the Federal Executive Committee, has been plenty, by which an unparalleled system of falsehood has been kept

in operation, to mislead honest people in the Presidential Election.

We call on all who wish to preserve our happy system of government, to pause before they consent to commit the destinies of this great republic to the hands of a party, whose means are as desperate as their instruments are unprincipled.

MORE "WHIG" IMPUDENCE.

Our readers will perceive, by the following letter, that the "Whig" Tippecanoe Club of this city, have endeavored to appropriate to themselves the opinions and services of another independent Democratic Republican of Wake. How will the Whiggery like the language of a *real log cabin boy*? It is a thing which they do not allow themselves to expect, to find good sense, discernment, and independence of feeling from those they think to gull and cajole into their service. They will find some little difference between the *real log cabin* freemen of our county, and the humbug *log cabin* gentry of the city of Raleigh:

To the Editor of the Raleigh Register:

SIR:—In your paper of the 4th inst. I see my name, placed on a committee appointed by the Tippecanoe Club to make arrangements for the Whig Convention of 5th Oct. next.

Now, Sir, this is to remind you and your club, of what you all are well aware, that I, so far from holding any sentiments in common with your party, have invariably voted against all your candidates for office. Your mode of electioneering is as pitiful as the general conduct of the Whigs is silly and preposterous; and it somewhat excites my sympathy for the cause and the party that is so desperately in need of supporters. You may collect as many coon skins as you can, and endeavor with them to blind-fold the people and hide the enormity of Harrison's conduct; but in despite of your efforts, his cloven foot of federalism thrusts itself forward; and Sir, poor and obscure as I am, not even the distinguished honor of serving on a District Whig committee, or the exalted privilege of gulping down hard cider in your beautiful Log Cabin, can ever induce me to renounce those Republican principles, by which our government has been so happily administered.

Yours &c., GRAY JONES.

DEMOCRATIC ASSOCIATION.

The Democratic Association for the county of Wake assembled at the Court House in this city on Saturday last. There was a very full attendance giving satisfactory evidence that the Democratic Republicans of this region are full of hope and animation. Forty-seven new members joined the Association. The meeting was first addressed by Gen. Saunders, chiefly for the purpose of introducing to the meeting Burton Craig, esq. Democratic candidate for Elector of the 4th District, who addressed the meeting in a happy style and with much effect. He was followed by the Hon. W. H. Haywood, of whose remarks it is sufficient to say, they were worthy of his fine talents and great acquirements. The next meeting will take place at the Court House in this city, on Saturday the 17th of October. We will not urge our Democratic fellow-citizens to attend—we know they will do so, if in their power; for a noble spirit is abroad in the land.

INTERESTING MATTER.

We have a considerable portion of interesting political matter, in this paper, to which we respectfully call the attention of our readers. The appendix to the "Address to the people of the slave-holding States," is a volume of testimony in regard to the stand of the Northern "Whigs" taken against the South, and also as respects the unwavering firmness with which the Northern Democracy sustains our rights. This, with the Address published in our last, is enough to alarm even the most ultra Southern "Whigs" at the prospect before us.

The letter of Gov. Tazewell, to Dr. Young of Portsmouth, Va., we publish entire, at the request of some of our political friends, having heretofore alluded to it and published it in part. The frankness and candor of this communication must strike every reader, and the political character of Mr. Van Buren, and his opponent, Gen. Harrison, drawn with a faithful and honest hand, cannot fail to convince every republican that his vote is due to the former; and that he will betray the interest of his country, should he become instrumental in committing her destinies to a President by accident.

The letter of Gen. M'Duffie is also dictated in a spirit of impartiality and candor. He does not hesitate to state the points in which he differed from Mr. Van Buren, nor to avow his decided preference for that gentleman as President. As to Gen. Harrison, he clearly answers the important question: "What has the South to expect from such an administration?"

BUNKER HILL MEETING.

The Whig celebration of Bunker Hill, near Boston, has called forth many very pompous descriptions from the "Whig" or Federal presses. We are told by them, that the number collected was from thirty to fifty thousand! This is in keeping with all the stories of the Federal Whiggery. The following table shews the number actually assembled on the occasion, and the States from whence they came:

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| Maine, | 100 | North Carolina, | 28 |
| Massachusetts, | 13,900 | Georgia, | 40 |
| Rhode Island, | 816 | Louisiana, | 90 |
| Connecticut, | 358 | Alabama, | 42 |
| New Hampshire, | 600 | Mississippi, | 12 |
| Vermont, | 272 | Illinois, | 12 |
| New York, | 160 | Ohio, | 22 |
| New Jersey, | 100 | Michigan, | 12 |
| Maryland, | 100 | Total, | 16,809 |
| Virginia, | 25 | | |

While the Federalists would induce the public to believe that the gathering from abroad was immense, it will be seen that old Federal Massachusetts furnished at least two thirds of the "Whig" assemblage. The Connecticut delegation was led by Gen. Ellsworth, who with several gentlemen near him mounted the black cockade. Maj. Russell, editor of the Boston Sentinel, a Federal party of the true blue light stamp, was drawn in a barouche at the head of the procession. Daniel Webster, a Federalist who voted against appropriations for defending the country in the last war, and was instrumental in getting up the Hartford Convention, was appointed Chairman of the "Whig" gathering when it reached Bunker Hill. He was supported by five Vice Presidents, every one of whom was opposed to Madison and the War! Gen. Ellsworth, Gov. Pennington and the Hon. David Daggett, and other Federalists, addressed the "Whig" meeting.

On the whole, it was about as pretty a gathering of real old Federalism as has been known for many years. The 28 North Carolinians bore a standard with the motto—"We are here." Yes, there you were—what there were of you—in the close embrace of real blue light Federalism!

CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

We have received a letter from a correspondent in Cumberland county, which gives the most cheering hopes of the progress of our cause in that quarter. When we consider the bank and town influence with which the Democracy have there to contend, we cannot too much admire the energy and spirit with which correct principles are sustained. At the recent election Cumberland stood in the foremost rank, and her people are justly entitled to the thanks of the Democratic Republicans throughout the State.

ELECTION IN MAINE.

The results of the late election in Maine are as yet uncertain, with the exception of the Senate. It is pretty certain that Kent, the federal candidate, is not elected, and the scattering votes may exceed the majority now given to Fairfield the democratic candidate. Should there be no election by the people, the choice falls on the Senate, which being federal, will, of course, elect Kent.

Four Federal members of Congress are elected and two Democrats, and in two Districts there is no choice.

Our friends in Maine are neither disheartened nor intimidated. Those who understand the causes of the present results, do not regard them as any real diminution in the democratic strength of Maine.

The South has lost a firm friend in Mr. Smith, who was defeated in his Congressional District on account of his devotion to southern rights. Fessenden, who is elected in his place, is President of an Abolition Society.

EDITORS' CORRESPONDENCE.

Roxborough, Sept. 22nd, 1840.

To the Editor of the Standard: This being the week of the County Court, Dr. James S. Smith, the "whig" candidate for Elector in this District, appeared and addressed the people at some length. Capt. Berry, the Democratic Elector, was not present, and Dr. Montgomery, our Representative in Congress, who was expected here, being detained at home by indisposition he was (at the request of many Democrats,) replied to by Nathaniel J. Palmer, Esq. of Milton. The effort of Dr. Smith was quite a lame one, and from his former reputation as a Speaker and politician, disappointed both his friends as well as those of the Democratic cause. He lavished much abuse on Mr. Van Buren, and was very personal and abusive towards you. His effort was a signal failure, which will result in no advantage to his party, and if it does not aid our cause in Person I shall be much disappointed. The Hon. Willie P. Mangum was also in attendance and replied to Mr. Palmer at considerable length, consuming nearly all the balance of the evening and leaving no time for a reply, many of the people having left before he had concluded. Mr. Mangum dealt out in the usual style, all the "whig" slang against Mr. Van Buren and the Democratic party, and labored hard to convince the people that Gen. Harrison was a Republican, and that he also was of the true faith. He appears to be much elated at his late success and is disposed to crow over those who were opposed to his party and to him as one of its advocates.

Our friends need have no fears of the result of the vote of Person. The great body of her Republican voters will be found true to their principles, and they will tell the no principle party that they are not to be gulled or led away by Bank orators or federalists, who are trying to put on the garb of Republicanism. I trust an intelligent people will yet see, before it is too late, the wily snares that are laid to entrap them. Let but the Republicans of the "old North State" arouse to a true sense of the danger that surrounds them, and go to the polls in the spirit of men determined to be free, then the *idea* of November will find her redeemed and regenerated. Yours &c.

We have been authorized and requested to announce Archibald H. Arrington, a candidate to represent the Counties of Granville, Warren, Franklin and Nash, in the next Congress of the United States.

MEETING IN JONES.

On Thursday 17th inst. a public meeting at the Court House in Trenton was held for the purpose of appointing delegates to represent the county of Jones in a district Convention, to be held at Newbern on the 1st of October next, to nominate an Elector on the Republican ticket in the place of Gen. James B. Whitfield withdrawn.

On motion, Dr. Jas. B. Laroque, was appointed Chairman and Benj. Askew Secretary. The object of the meeting was explained by the Chairman, and on motion, a committee consisting of Elijah Perry, L. H. Simmons, C. B. Cox, Hardy O. Newton, and Abner Green was appointed to draw up Preamble and Resolutions expressive of the views of the meeting, who retired and in due time returned and reported the following, which were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, it is proposed to hold a district Convention at Newbern on the first Tuesday in October next, composed of the Counties of Green, Lenoir, Jones, Onslow, Craven and Carteret, to select some suitable person as an Elector for said district in the place of James B. Whitfield, withdrawn, to be placed on the Democratic Republican Ticket of North Carolina for President and Vice President of the United States. We, therefore, a portion of the citizens of the county of Jones do cordially approve of said Convention, and appoint delegates to the same.

Resolved, That the excitement that now pervades the United States in relation to the Presidential Election, calls loudly upon the Republicans of the Union, and particularly of North Carolina to be vigilant and active, to use all honorable means to sustain the present Republican administration in the principles it is endeavoring to carry out, and to correct the many absurd statements and misrepresentations which have been circulated by the federal whigs to mislead the public mind.

Resolved, That it is the deliberate opinion of this meeting that the election of W. H. Harrison to the Presidency of the United States would be a calamity to be deplored by every friend of the rights and institutions of the South. 1st. Because he is the candidate of the Abolitionists and is supported by them as such, and confesses himself to be one even at the early age of eighteen. That he was uniformly believed and thought to be such, up to the time he became the nominee of the Harrisburg Convention. 2nd. Because of his being in favor of a United States Bank and yet declares it to be unconstitutional. 3d. Because of his refusal

to answer such interrogatories as have been propounded to him, of national importance. Lastly, his incompetency to manage the affairs of Government as the chief magistrate of the United States.

Resolved, That it is the duty of the candidates who aspire to so distinguished an office as President, and it has heretofore been the practice among candidates, to declare frankly and candidly their principles and sentiments upon the great leading questions that agitate the public mind; and it is with surprise that we see, on the part of one of the candidates, the humiliating condition of resorting to a committee to write and speak for him, and who has declared that he will make no declarations of his opinions for the public eye whilst occupying his present position; that nothing can induce him to answer any interrogatories coming from either friend or foe of what he would or would not do should he be elected President.

Resolved, That we have seen in MARTIN VAN BUREN no disposition to withhold from the public his sentiments upon the great leading questions that now agitate the country, but an open, frank avowal of his sentiments and a willingness that the whole country should know what they are. And we have seen with gratification his letter to John B. Carey, Hudgins, Jones and others of Virginia, declaring his opposition to the fanatical schemes of the Abolitionists; his opposition to granting appropriations of public money to any State to aid the emancipation of the slaves; his opposition to a Bank of the United States, and his zeal in effecting a separation of the Government from the Banks.

Resolved, That we look upon the course of the banks in the present suspension as unwarranted and uncalled for, and as done with a view to influence the election to make the people subservient to their will.

Resolved, That the chairman appoint 16 delegates to attend the district convention in Newbern the 1st of October ensuing.

Whereupon the chair announced the names of the following persons as delegates to said Convention: L. H. Simmons, Hardy O. Newton, Nathan Foscue, Owen B. Cox, Abner Green, Benj. Askew, Wm. Pollock, Jno. W. Bryan, Richard Oldfield, Elijah Perry, George Wilcox, Frederick J. Becton, Furnell McDaniel, James D. Kinney, and Wm. C. Murphy, and on motion the Chairman was added to the number.

Resolved, That we highly approve of the course of the Hon. Charles Shepard, our able and talented Representative in congress for his zeal in support of the Independent Treasury as evinced by his speech and vote on that occasion.

Resolved, That the following named persons be appointed a committee of vigilance to act in the several districts herein designated No. 1. Richard Oldfield, Rigdon Hewitt. No. 2. Hardy O. Newton, Benj. Scott, Jacob Fields. No. 3. Benj. Askew, Dr. J. B. LaRoque, George Wilcox. No. 4. James D. Kinney, Alfred H. Reynolds. No. 5. Owen B. Cox, Jonas Williams, Lewis Williams. No. 6. Abner Green, F. J. Becton, Amos J. Koonce, John B. Reynolds, Needham B. Beasley. No. 7. L. H. Simmons, Nathan Foscue, Jno. C. Frost, Amos Shelfo, John W. Bryan.

Resolved, That the proceedings of this meeting be published in the North Carolina Standard and other papers friendly to the cause.

Resolved, That the thanks of this meeting be tendered to the Chairman and Secretary for the discharge of their duty.

On motion the meeting then adjourned.

J. B. LA ROQUE, Chairman.

BENJ. ASKEW, Secretary.

MEETING IN LENOIR.

At a large and respectable meeting of the Democratic Republicans of the County of Lenoir, met at the Court House in Kinston on the 22nd of September 1840:

On motion of Allen Wooten esq. Col. James Cox, was called to the Chair and Jesse Vause esq. and Jesse Jackson jr. appointed Secretaries.

The Chairman explained the object of the meeting in an able and forcible manner, after which the following resolutions were adopted.

Resolved, That the Chairman appoint Delegates to attend the Democratic Convention that is to be held in Newbern on the first day of October for the purpose of nominating an Elector for this Electoral District in place of General James B. Whitfield resigned.

In compliance with the first resolution the chair named the following gentlemen viz:

Gen. James B. Whitfield, Allen Wooten, C. Wooten, Joseph R. Croom, Willis Phippin, James Jones, Jesse Jackson jr. Wm. Greig, Richard King, Wm. C. Loftin, Joshua Mosley, Col. James W. Cox, Parrot Hardee, Samuel Loftin, Wilson Tilgham, Windal Davis, Gasham Wiggins, Jesse Vause, Daniel Daughity, Johnathan Rouse, Wm. Fields, Jesse Jackson, Sr. Noah Rouse, Calvin Rouse, Oliver Herring, George W. Whitfield, Thomas Hill, Linkfield Hill, Jobe Lary, George Jones, Lewis S. Whitfield, Isaac Waters, George W. Wallace, Lemuel Alldridge, Richard Nobles jr. Alexander Hill, Robert Wiggins, Jesse Hardee, Henry Herring, Shepherd Jones, C. Hill, Green Taylor, Shadrack E. Loftin, J. Ashew, I. Nobles, Joseph V. Nobles, L. W. Irvin, Benj. Rouse, Shadrack, Wooten Richard Hill, John Howard, A. J. Rouse, Simpson Harper, James Uzzel.

On motion of Council Wooten.

Resolved, That the Chairman be added to the Delegation.

On motion, ordered that the proceedings of this meeting be signed by the Chairman and Secretaries and forwarded to the North Carolina Standard for publication.

On motion agreed that we adjourn.

JAMES COX, Chairman.

JESSE VAUSE, JESSE JACKSON JR., Secretaries.

MEETING IN ROXBORO.

A meeting of the citizens of Person, friendly to the re-election of Mr. Van Buren, was held in Roxboro' on Wednesday 23d Sept. inst. when suitable arrangements were entered into for a general Democratic Dinner in that place, on Thursday the 29th October next. The above arrangement was agreed on by the democracy of this truly Republican little County, in order that we may have the pleasure of extending to our distant brethren the right hand of fellowship, and urging them on in the good cause. It is expected that there will be a number of the most distinguished orators and statesmen there, not only of the old North State, but from some of the adjoining States.

The corresponding committee consists of Dr. C. H. Jordan, Capt. Taylor, Dr. Hamlet, John W. Williams, John Cunningham, and E. D. Bolton.

Person Co. N. C. 23rd Sept. 1840. 309-2t.

BAPTIST NOTICE—Several Baptist Churches, Flat River Associations, and dissenting with what they are compelled to regard as the misadministration of said bodies; have lately held a preparatory meeting, and ordered, that notice be given weekly, for the space of four weeks, in the Raleigh Register, Standard and Biblical Recorder, that a Convention of Baptist Churches will be held at the *Central Grove Church*, near Wynn's Mill Road, Wake County, to commence on Saturday the 7th day of November next for the purpose of forming a new Association; to protect the Churches from lawless power, by a return to the old paths of safety and peace, and to unite with them in this great work of Reform, by sending to the Convention their delegates, (the more the better;) and they invite their brethren in the Ministry to be present with them on that interesting occasion, to preach to the multitudes that will probably attend.

JOHN B. JOHNS, and MANY OTHERS
Sept. 14th, 1840. 309-4t.

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There will be a meeting of the people at the Store of Messrs. Crowder and Whitaker, on Saturday the 10th of October. Addresses are expected from the Hon. Charles Shepard and other gentlemen of distinction.

Sept. 19th, 1840. 309-2t.

On Thursday, the 1st of October, at 10 o'clock A. M. I shall offer for sale sundry articles of Household and Kitchen Furniture at the residence of Mr. William Thomson, Watch Maker consisting of side board, Bureaus, chairs tables, &c. &c.

WILL PECK, Auctioneer.
Raleigh, N. C. Sept. 28, 1840. 309-1t.

ROANOKE NAVIGATION COMPANY.—The annual meeting of the Roanoke Navigation Company will be held at Weldon, on Tuesday, the 27th day of October next. A. JOYNER, Secretary, September 15, 1840. 309-3t.

COMMITTED to the Jail of Caswell County, on Tuesday the 15th inst., a negro man who calls his name JOE, and says he belongs to DANIEL EDWARDS near St. Stephens, in Alabama. He is about thirty years of age dark complexion, and about five feet four inches high, stout made and has a scar between his eyes and on the upper part of his nose, occasioned, he says, by a burn when he was young. He says he was purchased in Snow Hill, Maryland, some 12 or 15 years ago, and carried by William McGehee, and sold in Alabama, where he has since lived. The owner is requested to come forward, prove his property, pay charges and take him away.

ZACHARIAH LOCKETT, Jailor.
Yanceyville, N. C. Sept. 22, 1840. 309-6t.

THE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATURE.—I shall be prepared to accommodate twenty five or thirty of you with Board during the session of the Legislature. I have enlarged my dining room since 1838, and as I do not expect to take transient boarders, and my house being within two hundred yards East of the Capitol, and no pains or expense being spared on my part, I do not hesitate to say, that you will find my accommodation as good as any other in the city. As regards my table, I can only say that it shall be as well provided as it was in 1838.

Any member wishing to keep his horse or horses can do so, as I am prepared to provide for them also.

JOHN HUTCHINGS.
Sept. 20, 1840. 309-5t.
Star and Register.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.
NASH COUNTY.

Court of Pleas and quarter Sessions,
WILLIAM EARP, vs. Petition for Account and Settlement.
JOHN RICE, Ex'r of JOHN RICE, and others.

In this case it is ordered by the Court that publication be made in the North Carolina Standard, for six weeks, notifying HOPKINS RICE, WILLIAMS RICHMOND, JOHN LESTER and BOWEN RICE, that the Defendants who are nonresidents, to appear at the next Term of our Court of Pleas and quarter Sessions, to be held for the County of Nash at the Court House in Nashville, on the Second Monday of November next, and then and there to answer the Petition of WILLIAM EARP, or the proxy of the Petitioner will be granted. Witness: B. H. BLOUNT, Clerk of our said Court. At office, the 2nd Monday of August, A. D. 1840.

B. H. BLOUNT, C. C. C.
Sept. 28, 1840. (Pr. ad. \$5 62½) 309-4t.

NOTICE TO MEMBERS OF THE APPROACHING GENERAL ASSEMBLY.—The Subscriber would respectfully inform Members elect to the Legislature, that he is prepared to accommodate comfortably with Board and Lodging, from 30 to 40 of their body. Having rented two rooms in the spacious brick building of Mr. B. B. Swain, (where the last Session of the Legislature was held) it will be in his power to furnish eligible rooms to those who apply early. Address, D. MURRAY, City Hotel, Raleigh. 309-4t. Sept. 25, 1840.

PIANO FORTES.—There are many persons who would purchase Piano Fortes, if they could be sure of being suited without having to come to town expressly for the purpose.

To such I would say that there is not the slightest doubt about their being pleased, and all that is necessary ordering an instrument is, just limit the price. I have Pianos at almost all prices and therefore can supply almost all orders.

The character of my instruments is now so well established that it is entirely unnecessary to publish the numerous letters which I am almost daily receiving from persons who have bought and tried them.

Having sold about two hundred instruments, all of which have been fairly tried, I can truly say that their merits have been thoroughly tested.

E. P. NASH.
Book and Piano Forte Seller, Petersburg, Va.
Sept. 20, 1840. 309-1t.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
WILL BE SOLD, on Monday, 30th November 1840, at the Court House, in Currituck county, the following tracts of LAND, or so much thereof as will pay the Taxes due thereon, and cost of advertising, for cash:

| Names of parcels | Acres | Situation | Val'd at | 1839 | Tax |
|----------------------|-------|------------------------|----------|------|---------|
| Joseph Gray's heirs, | 450 | Narrow-shore district. | \$1000 | 1819 | \$ 1 60 |
| | | | | 1820 | \$ 4 80 |
| | | | | 1821 | 2 10 |
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| | | | | 1823 | 2 30 |
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| | | | | 1825 | 2 20 |
| | | | | 1826 | 2 30 |
| | | | | 1827 | 3 30 |
| | | | | 1828 | 5 00 |
| | | | | 1829 | 5 00 |
| | | | | 1830 | 5 15 |
| | | | | 1831 | 3 30 |
| | | | | 1832 | 3 30 |
| | | | | 1833 | 2 60 |
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| | | | | 1835 | 2 60 |
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| John Gordon's heirs, | 4 | Knott's Island district. | 100 | 1819 | 16 |
| | | | | 1820 | 48 |
| | | | | 1821 | 21 |
| | | | | 1822 | 21 |
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