

*The Athens Meeting.*—We feel ourselves called upon by duty as well as by inclination, to correct some mistakes which have gone abroad with regard to this meeting. Some of our friends, particularly at a distance, seem to be somewhat surprised at finding the venerable name of Wm. H. Crawford, attached as chairman to the resolutions which emanated from it. Mr. Pemberton was right in stating some time since, that his opponents got the start in appointing anti-nullifiers as presiding officers to the meeting. Indeed, at the time the Hon. William H. Crawford was called to the chair, and Mr. Hull appointed secretary, it was little expected by any one that, before its close, the meeting would assume the character that it did. And as presiding officers, those gentlemen could not do less, however repugnant to their feelings it may have been, than to sign the proceedings of the meeting.

We find in the late proceedings of some of our sister counties, on the subject of the Tariff, the meeting at this place at Commencement, is called the *Clark County Meeting*; and its results set down as declaratory of the feelings and sentiments of the people of this county. Now, for the better information of such, we declare that the people of Clark county had nothing to do with the meeting—either in getting it up or in its deliberations; and consequently are irresponsible for its results. The meeting was called by gentlemen from a distance, who were here in attendance on the Commencement, and conducted almost exclusively by them.

We are not disposed to quarrel with the resolutions which passed this meeting—we have before expressed our acquiescence in the course they prescribe, viz: the call of a convention, because we are confident if it proves practicable, the results of the convention will be very different from what is so anxiously anticipated by the Nullifiers. The amendment proposed by Gen. Glasscock, disapproving of the doctrine of Nullification, and which was lost, would have shared a very different fate if the people of Clark county had been sitting in judgment over it.