

ance of public notice, a large and respectable meeting of the citizens of Clark county was held at the Court House on Friday the 30th March, 1832, for the purpose of considering the propriety of appointing delegates to represent the people of Georgia in the convention to be held in Baltimore on the 4th Monday in May next, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the office of Vice President of the United States. On motion, the Hon. Charles Dougherty was called to the Chair, and Benning B. Moore appointed Secretary. The object of the meeting being explained by the Chairman, in an eloquent and forcible address, a committee consisting of Col. Joseph Ligon, Edward Paine, Esq. Robert Ligon, Esq. William Dicken, Esq. Wm. Humphreys, Doct. James M. Burton, Isaac S. Vincent, L. R. Brewer, and Joshua G. Moore, was appointed to draft resolutions expressive of the sense of this meeting on the subject before them. The committee having retired a short time, reported through their chairman the following preamble and resolutions, which were read and unanimously adopted,

Whereas it is highly important that the Republican party throughout the Union should unite on some distinguished individual to be run for the Vice Presidency of the United States at the next election, with our present Chief Magistrate; And whereas, from the spirit of opposition to the administration of Gen. Jackson in some sections of the country, and MORE PARTICULARLY FROM THE LATE UNNATURAL COALITION IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES, IN REFUSING TO CONFIRM THE NOMINATION OF MARTIN VAN BUREN AS MINISTER TO ENGLAND, this meeting believes it to be the duty of every true friend to the President, to forego his private predilections, and unite in the support of some distinguished individual for the second office within the gift of the Republic, in whose ability and devotion to the best interests of the country, the people, and the President himself, can with safety confide.

Therefore Resolved, That this meeting approve, of the Convention to be held in Baltimore on the fourth Monday in May next, for the purpose of nominating and recommending to the people a candidate for the Vice Presidency of the United States.

Resolved, That Geo. M. Troup, John Forsyth, R. H. Wilde, James M. Wayne, T. F. Foster, Wylie Thompson, Henry G. Lamar, A. S. Clayton, and Daniel Newnan, our delegation in Congress, be requested to attend said convention, to aid in selecting a suitable person to be recommended to the people of the United States for Vice President.

Resolved, That we have undiminished confidence in the administration of Gen. Jackson, and cordially unite in the support of his election for a second term.

Resolved, That this meeting view with mortification and regret, the late rejection, by the Senate of the United States, of the nomination of

MARTIN VAN BUREN as Minister to England, and that they are constrained to believe that it was brought about, more to subserve the views and purposes of aspiring and rival candidates for the first office in the Government, than to promote the honor and interest of the country.

Resolved, That the thanks of this meeting be tendered to our Senators in Congress for their support given to the President on the nomination of **MARTIN VAN BUREN**, and particularly to the Hon. John Forsyth, for the very able manner in which he defended the administration from the assaults of its enemies, in the course it thought proper to adopt in its negotiations with the Court of St. James.

Resolved, That the Chairman and Secretary be requested to sign these resolutions, that a copy be forwarded to our delegation in Congress, and that the editors of the Southern Banner be requested to publish the same.

CHA'S DOUGHERTY, Chairman.

BENNING B. MOORE, Sec'y.