

### Worcester County Society.

PRINCETON, Feb. 18, 1841.

The Worcester County Anti-Slavery Society, North Division, met in the Baptist meeting-house, agreeably to notice given for the annual meeting, for the choice of officers, at half past 10 o'clock, A. M.

Dea. Joshua T. Everett, President, took the chair.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Rev. Sumner Lincoln, of Gardner; after which it was

Voted, That all persons present, agreeing with us in the principles of the Society, hereby be invited to take a seat with us in the deliberations of the meeting.

A business committee of five was chosen, consisting of William Lloyd Garrison, of Boston, Rev. Sumner Lincoln, of Gardner, Charles White, of Holden, James Davenport, of West Boylston, and George W. Stacy, of Boylston.

A committee was also appointed to bring in a list of candidates for officers for the year ensuing, consisting of Moses Smith, of Holden, Alvan Ward, of Ashburnham, John Merrick, of Princeton, and Joel Cowee, of Gardner.

Also a committee to take the names of delegates present.

The following resolutions were presented by the committee:

Resolved, That abolitionists ought not 'to for sake the assembling of themselves together, as the manner of some is,' so long as any portion of their countrymen remain in chains and slavery; but they should deem it a high privilege to meet in their associated capacity, to plan and combine for the overthrow of that execrable system, which is alike a reproach to republicanism, and a stain upon christianity.