

Philadelphia Convention, 1848

That Mr. Lincoln favored the nomination and
 of Genl. Taylor Election, is true, ^{he} ~~yet~~ and not take that active
 and prominent ^{part} against his great leader - Henry
 Clay - which the pretended friends of the latter charged
 him with having taken - before the nomination
 by the Philadelphia Convention, ^{still,} ~~of that year~~
 of Genl. Taylor, ^{yet} in company with John J. Critt-
 tenden of Ky. Sumner Smith of Ohio, Caleb B.
 Smith of Indiana & many other old Union Whigs.
 He was in favor of his nomination - and was a
 candidate for a seat in the Convention - But
 was beaten in a friendly contest by Col. A. G.
 the State of Ill. being then entitled to nine members -
 an equal with Clay & the western Whigs - of the names of the Delegates
 the case. ^{the following} ~~at~~ the names of the Delegates
 from Ill. - who were admitted to seats in said Con-
 -vention - viz: N. Greene Wilcox, - G. Lisle Smith, - Isaac
 Van Swenter, Martin P. Sweet, Churchill C.
 Coffing, James W. Singleton, Ezra Baker,
 Dr. Henrick and ——— Allison.

I Abraham Lincoln and the non-inventive
of Zachary Taylor in 1847

Col. ^{W. H. Wilson}
Sol. N. ^{W. H. Wilson} Wilson

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