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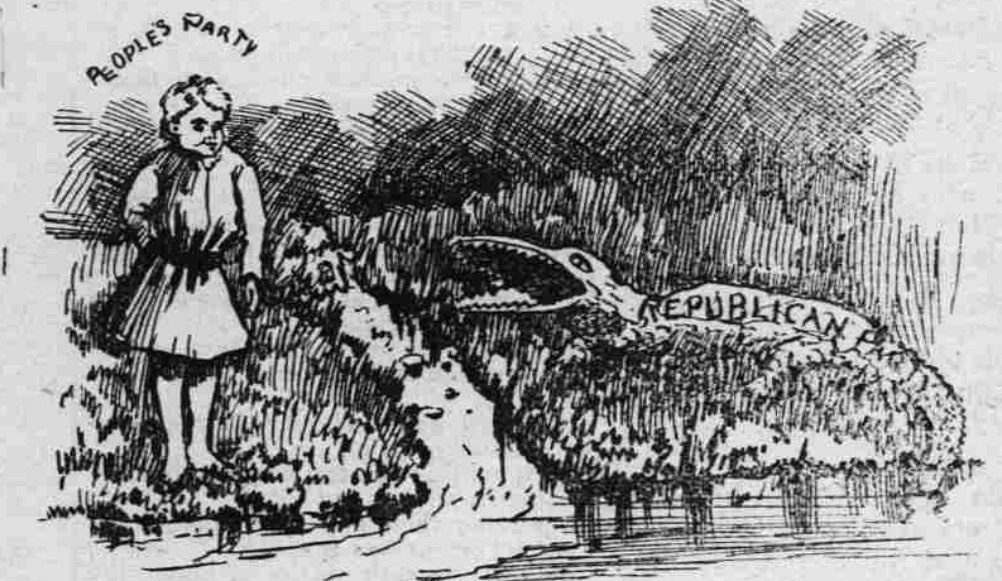
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BILL ARP'S LETTER.

THE OLD MAN IS STILL IN THE "LONE STAR" STATE.

My dear old friend Randall, of the Augusta Herald, chides me for even hinting that if I was young I would go to Texas. He left his good old State when he was young, but he loves her none the less, and his heart went back to her when he tuned his heart and sang, "My Maryland."

LOOK ON THIS PICTURE,



VIEW OF THE YOUTHFUL PEOPLE'S PARTY AS IT STARTED TIMIDLY INTO THE POLITICAL SEA ON THE MORNING OF THE 16TH OF AUGUST.

prices, and I saw a third party paper which had in large type, "Oats \$1.05 a bushel in Atlanta, Ga., and only 20 cents here. The railroads get the rest." Of course this was not true, but it was politics, and politics, they say, is hell. It makes me sick and sad—this war upon railroads by the demagogues of the country. I cannot understand it. But few of them make any money down South—more than half of them are in the hands of receivers. It looks like there is a conspiracy between unscrupulous lawyers and office-seeking editors and prejudiced juries to ruin them, and they are doing it. Railroads are a necessary and they carry civilization wherever they go. If they were to stop running for a week it would shock and paralyze the commerce of the country. Any other business can stop at will, but not railroads. The fiat is, "You shall run and you shall carry at our price whether you can afford it or not."

have passed since then, and the other day while I was in Dublin a man called to see me and said he was the son of an old friend of mine, who went to school with me for many years. I looked at him hard and thoughtfully and said: "You look like Overton Young." "I am his son," he said. What a curious mystery is memory. How strange that those lineaments have been resting asleep for years and years and so suddenly come to life in the face of his son. Their father long since dead and here are his children at home in Texas and married and are respected and prosperous. He accompanied me to Stephenville, where I domiciled upon his roof and several times caught myself calling him Overton—but his name is Lee—Bob Lee, of course.

On my return I came from Dallas to Texarkana and when I reached the timber I saw signs of Georgians all along the route. I saw gopher patches and tall corn with the fodder pulled and old fields grown up in pine thickets and here and there a gully. Texarkana is the gateway for Tennessee and North Carolina and North Georgia. There I took the Iron Mountain route for Memphis, a route I had never traveled, and I liked it. The chair cars recline and are as good as a sleeper and you wake up in Memphis with an hour to spare for the next train homeward. The Memphis and Charleston has greatly improved since I was over it last. It has better cars and makes better time, but the old Western and Atlantic always makes me happy when I board it at Chattanooga homeward bound. Farewell, Texas till I come again. We are banking on the Lone Star as a refuge for our numerous offspring, but I am not going to move—no, not as long as Randall stays.

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The State of Texas, County of Comanche, Before the undersigned authority on this day, personally appeared A. M. Ramsey, who, after being duly sworn, says on oath that the foregoing statement made by him relative to the virtue of P. P. medicine is true. Sworn to and subscribed before me this, August 4th, 1891. J. M. Lambert, N. P. Comanche Co., Texas.

AND THEN ON THIS.



Where is that party now? At the State convention in Raleigh, August 16th, it was swallowed by the Republican party, which is much increased in size. The Democratic axe, "Justice," in the hands of sturdy farmers, will cut off its head in November.

AN ABLE SPEECH.

F. A. WOODARD, DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE FOR CONGRESS, AT KINSTON. It is a strong presentation of the issues of this campaign, and met merited applause—Read What our Next Congressman Said.

Mr. F. A. Woodard, of Wilson, the Democratic nominee for Congress in this district, addressed the Cleveland and Carr club of Kinston last Friday evening. He was introduced by Mayor W. D. Pollock. Mr. Woodard is a plain, but logical and forcible speaker. His speech may be characterized as strong. He said: "I am the nominee of the Scotch Neck convention and therefore the regular Democratic candidate for Congress. I feel that I am not among strangers, because I remember with gratitude that it was the vote of Lenoir county given with unanimity on the last ballot that gave me the nomination.

The honor came to me unlooked for, but I felt that I could not decline to serve my party in this hour when our country's greatest interests are at stake. I am not here to abuse any man. I came to reason with you. I recognize that our people are honest and that they will do what they believe to be right and best. I shall show you that division among the white race will be suicidal. If I cannot show you that the Democratic party has ever been true, we will abandon it together. What has it done in and for North Carolina? Our people are told not to listen to Democratic speakers. We boast of freedom of speech as an inalienable right, and has it come to this? Are men to shut their eyes and stop their ears for fear of hearing the truth? Why are they advised not to hear? The leaders of the Third party know that a free and fair discussion will destroy them.

My friends, the Democratic party is going to control the State and the country. This district is to be redeemed. The white race is going to rule. At Wrightsville, where the gallant old soldiers were gathered together a few days ago, it was shown by a poll that there was but one Third party man out of 1,200 men. And that man promised that he would go home and vote the Democratic ticket in November.

In their Raleigh convention the Third party folks denounced the Democratic party, but from their utterances you would never know that such a party as the Republican was in existence. The Democratic party has never failed the people yet. It has always responded to the call of the people in their need, so far as it has been able. In 1870 that party came into power. What was the condition of the State in August, 1870? Some of the young men before me were not old enough to remember, but older men can never forget it. I remember a telegram that came to my town that year, announcing that the governor of the State was waging war against the people. Martial law had been declared in several counties in time of peace. Some of the best men of the State were arrested and imprisoned. The same party that did this, increased the public debt of the State \$26,000,000 in two years. And yet you are told to turn a deaf ear to that story.

But you cannot forget it. Your taxes were increased, and your public school fund squandered and spirited away. What did our people do then when they faced a common danger, when the Republican party was robbing the State of its credit? The white people did not divide, but stood shoulder to shoulder until they had buried the iniquitous Republican party so low that it has never been resurrected. Talk about financial relief! Why, the Democratic party accomplished the greatest financial reform in the history of the country. It reduced our state debt from \$40,000,000 to \$8,000,000, and to-day North Carolina bonds are quoted in the markets of the world as high as any. The Democratic party has never squandered a dollar of the public school fund. The party has made great internal improvements, has built asylums, etc., and yet the State tax is the lowest of any in the Union. The men who are leading this Third party movement are not hon-

est; they are disgruntled office seekers. They are in the movement to aid the Republican party. I believe the record shows this to be the truth. In May the largest Democratic convention ever assembled, composed of all classes of our people, nominated Elias Carr, a farmer and an Allianceman for governor. Holt had made a good governor, and was entitled to the nomination according to party usage, but the convention yielded to the demands of the people and nominated a farmer for governor of the State. Butler said it was a good ticket and the duty of every Allianceman to support it. He said that division meant Republican rule, and yet they have met in Raleigh since and, with Butler as chairman of the convention, they put out a ticket to divide the white vote of the State. Harry Skinner was nominated by acclamation. Why isn't he the nominee to-day? Because he accepted it only on condition that if at any hour he should see that his remaining in the field would endanger white supremacy he be allowed to withdraw. If it had been a convention of patriots, if they had remembered the dark record of the Republican party, they would have endorsed what he said. But they didn't view it in that way. Exum arose and said: "We have made a gross mistake;" and this is the man they put in Skinner's stead. He is willing to jeopardize white supremacy, and willing to run it if it does turn the State over to the Republican party.

I saw Col. Skinner on his way home from that convention and asked him, what it meant. I said, "Are you people willing to do this?" He said, the men who had been Democrats endorsed his words in Raleigh, but the trouble was that that convention was controlled by Republicans. It was the Republican sentiment there that downed Skinner. Are you going to join hands with this movement. Over one-third and I think even half of the men in that convention were Republicans. The Republican party is going to put out a State ticket, and that means negro rule if we divide. Let's think about the results of our action before we make up our minds. You say there is great financial depression. We all know and deplore that fact. You charge Cleveland with being a gold bug. It is a slander. Cleveland is as free from and as independent of the money as any man in America. He is the son of a Presbyterian minister, born and brought up on the farm. His every public act has been in the interest of the people. I am astonished that any Southern man can feel angry against the best friend it has ever had in the North. When he became President, he saw that the South had been ignored and his first act was to appoint three of the ablest Southern men to positions in his cabinet. And when he appointed his foreign ministers he came to North Carolina and took one of the trust and best men our State has yet produced, and sent him to the high post of Minister to Brazil; and he put Lamar, one of the ablest men in the South, on the Supreme Court bench when a vacancy occurred. He had the courage to appoint Lamar, although he knew that Lamar had stood in his place in the Senate the year before and said, after an attack had been made on the South and Jefferson Davis, that as long as he lived he would not sit silent and hear Jeff Davis and the South slandered as rebels. He said he flung the slander back into the teeth of the South's traducers. To return, you charge that Cleveland is a gold bug. Why, don't you know that money defeated him four years ago? When he was installed as President, he said that millions of dollars were piled up in the treasury above what was necessary for the expenses of the government. He tried to stop this robbery and to break down the giant trusts. A bill was passed through the Democratic House to reduce the tariff, but the Republican Senate killed it. And you know what followed. You remember that the money kings raised the largest election fund ever contributed to defeat Cleveland. One man raised \$400,000 in the city of Philadelphia, and as a reward he is to-day a cabinet officer. Cleveland saved fifty-six millions of dollars to the country by vetoing the dependent pension bill—and you know that helped to defeat him. In 1888, just after his defeat, when he had no thought of ever again being

a candidate, he said, "in every public act I have had in my mind one man only—the American farmer."

Cleveland vetoed the fraudulent pension bills, but Weaver in three Congresses advocated the passage of a bill to tax the people \$300,000,000 to pay the Union soldier the difference between greenbacks he received and the value of gold. And yet I hear some men say they can't vote for Cleveland, but will vote for Weaver.

Can honest, patriotic citizens of North Carolina vote for Weaver after he has cursed you and your fathers as he has done?

It Cleveland is a tool of the money power, why didn't New York vote for him in the Chicago convention? You say he is opposed to free coinage. He is not. He stands upon the Democratic platform, which favors the free coinage of silver, but demands that it be an honest dollar containing 100 cents instead of only 68. Before Cleveland would accept the nomination he demanded to see the platform upon which he was to stand. It was telegraphed to him and he approved it.

Why do we want free coinage? There is not an ounce of silver ore in North Carolina. We want it because we believe it will increase the currency. Cleveland is opposed to the Stewart bill, which provides that the silver mine owner could take 68 cents to the treasury department and have it stamped as a dollar. Do you want that? Cleveland believes that is wrong, and it is wrong. Stewart owns more silver mines than any man in America and while the bill was before Congress it was proved that Stewart was lending money to the people of Nevada and taking notes payable in gold only.

The Republican party demonetized silver in 1873. The Democratic party will restore it when they obtain control of the government. Two-thirds of the Democrats in Congress voted for free coinage. It is well known that Harrison is opposed to free coinage and would veto the bill if passed. A vote for Weaver is almost a vote for Harrison. Division means the election of Harrison, and free coinage will never come while he is President. We want more money, but we want something else too. There is more money in the United States than there has been at any time since the war. You can hardly believe it, yet it is true. There was \$15 per capita then, there is \$24 now. Where is it? In the banks of the north. You can borrow it there at 1 and 2 per cent interest, it is so plentiful. But you can't get it here at all. Under the present financial system, the money is all taken from the south to the north through the drainage of the tariff. Out of \$500,000,000 paid into the treasury annually only one-twentieth of it comes here. It makes no difference how much the currency is increased the money will be continually drained to the north, unless you repeal the tariff and the revenue tax.

Why is cotton so low? Cotton sold for 9 and 10 cents under Cleveland's administration; but when the McKinley bill became a law, cotton dropped immediately. The English manufacturers buy three-fourths of our cotton, and seeing that we produced their goods and having therefore to pay for our cotton in money they have put the price of cotton down and will keep it down. They can control the price when they buy three-fourths of our product. When I was speaking at White Hall a man spoke out and said, if you can show me a single law passed by the Democrats in the last congress that would benefit the people I will vote the Democratic ticket. He asked for one, and I pointed him to the bill putting bagging and ties on the free list. The senate, which is Republican, pigeon-holed it. If it had passed it would have been of great benefit to the cotton farmer. He asked for but one, but I will throw in an extra one. The Democrats passed a bill through the house putting wool on the free list. This was also killed by the senate.

When we were building our church in Wilson the contractor said, if you are going to put on a tin roof, buy your tin now, don't wait until next month when tin will go up. We asked him why it would go up and he said because the McKinley bill goes into effect then. And tin did go up and is up yet. The 10 per cent tax on state banks was levied to cripple them and give

the national banks a monopoly. It effected that. Now the Democratic platform favors the repeal of that tax. If it is taken off, it will cripple the national banks and we will have our old banks again. We are agreed on this; the Democratic party can win, if you will give it your votes, while you cannot accomplish anything by dividing that strength.

The speech of Mr. Woodard was listened to with marked attention. About 300 people were present, among whom were many ladies. The names of Cleveland, Stevenson and Jarvis were applauded at every mention of them.—Kinston Free Press, Sept. 1st.

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