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## Democratic Platform.

Adopted at State Convention at Charlotte, July 14.

We, the representatives of the Democratic party in North Carolina, in convention assembled, rejoice in the call occasioned by the election and the opportunity thus offered to lift up again in the midst of the people of North Carolina the banner of the Democratic party as a sure standard of their rights and the unflinching guide of their progress, and we reaffirm our allegiance to the cardinal principles of Democratic government and congratulate the people of North Carolina upon the wise, progressive and economical administration of the affairs of government since the return of the Democratic party to power in this State.

We commend to the people of North Carolina the consideration of the success with which the affairs have been administered by the Democratic officials and the clean, efficient and economical conduct of the State government from the day of the return to power of the Democratic party, and we reaffirm the declarations of our party upon the questions of the extension and improvement and up-building of the internal affairs of the State and the institutions provided by the State for the care of our citizenship, both charitable and educational, and pledge ourselves to the continuation, upbuilding and development thereof.

We pledge ourselves to the continued development of the internal affairs of the State; to the continuation of the policy of education which has been carried forward with such success under the Democratic administrations; to the further development of local improvements; to the maintenance of the institutions for the insane, deaf, dumb, and blind; and to the extension of these institutions to meet the demands upon the State and the needs of the unfortunate who require the care and maintenance of the government.

We commend and approve this administration of Governor W. W. Kitchin and the other State officials, and commend and approve our Senators and Representatives in Congress for their activity in behalf of the people of North Carolina.

Internal development and improvement tends to the upbuilding of any citizenship and we take pride in the progress that has been made under Democratic government in the building of roads and the extension of means of communication and transportation all over the State, and we particularly approve of the work in this behalf by the Good Roads Association of North Carolina.

We recognize the great growth and improvement of the State along material and intellectual lines under the policy of the Democratic party in the support and maintenance of the common school system of North Carolina, and the pledge of the party heretofore made for a four-months' free school in every district of the State has been fully met, and we promise the continued support and improvement of the public school system of the State and the extension of the same to the institutions of the State for higher education, to the end that these institutions may be placed upon a permanent basis of extension and maintenance consistent with the growth of the school system of the State and the increased population and demands of her citizenship, and we favor in the schools of the State a more liberal instruction in agricultural training and the encouragement and development of the interests in such schools.

The supervision and control of public service corporations is a recognized right of the State and we pledge ourselves to the enforcement of this right in the interest of the people of the State consistent with fair and just treatment of the public service corporations,

## Our Chief Asset.

State Board of Health.

"The first wealth is health," is a profound saying, whose truth is so apparent that it does not halt the imagination long enough to admit of complete assimilation.

[Progress is initiated by quality rather than by quantity of thought. Originality is the made-to-order suit of a mind that won't wear second-hand stuff, and invention is the highlight of progress. These qualities of thought are attained only when the mind reaches full development, and mature development depends upon perfect health. A nation or a state whose average mind has the highest content of these qualities is the most progressive nation. Backward nations—China for example—are characterized by an absence of modern inventions. Financial, social and intellectual advancement are conditioned ultimately on health.]

And what is the value of the average man? Man, like any other animal—like the sheep or cow or horse—has an economic value. A half century ago men capable of furnishing only the cheapest labor—unskilled labor—were bought and sold at from \$750 to \$1,000 each. The average immigrant pays taxes, and produces property on which others pay taxes, thereby increasing the government's revenue to the extent of an amount equal to the interest on a principal of \$875. The value therefore of a newly landed immigrant is \$875. Experts on fixing values, basing their estimates on statistics applying to hundreds of thousands of individual lives, have found that the average American produces \$2,900 more than he consumes. The vital assets of United States then would be 85,000,000 lives multiplied by \$2,900, the value of each or \$250,000,000,000. The material wealth of our country, estimated by a government expert, amounts to \$108,000,000,000.

But, "Is not the body more than raiment, and life more than meat?" Man is more than an animal; man has, in addition to economic value, a higher value—a humanitarian value. Surely, the value existing in all, but in such quantity as to stand out in bold relief in the lives of Washington, Lincoln, Franklin, Lee, Pasteur, Shakespeare and Tennyson, cannot be reduced to cold, dead metal. Who can estimate the world's loss had any of these made one of the deaths from preventable disease which destroys 25 per cent of all people before their twentieth year is reached? Who can compute the world's loss when untimely and preventable tuberculosis cut off in their prime John Paul Jones, Robert Louis Stevenson, John Keats, Schiller, Von Weber, Chopin, Bichat, Laennec, Timrod, Artemus Ward, Thoreau, and many others? And yet how many of such as these do we bury every year with the forty thousand babies dead of preventable disease—the sacrifice of our boasted civilization to the Moloch of ignorance and indifference! Think of the unnecessary infant graves over which might truthfully be inscribed,

"Some mute, inglorious Milton here may rest,  
Some Cromwell guiltless of his country's blood."  
—State Board of Health.

## The Cotton Crop—Amounts to About 30 Percent of Total Exports.

Washington, July 18.—From official sources, running back to 1790, the Southern Commercial Congress has correlated statistics that show the dependence of the nation upon cotton in maintaining the credit of the United States in world commerce.

The total value of all exports from 1790 to June 30, 1909, has been \$47,991,324,405. The total balance in favor of the United States during this period has been \$6,436,114,566. The total value of raw cotton exported during the same time has been \$13,598,353,086. These figures are for raw cotton alone and at low valuation. They leave out of consideration manufactured cotton and cotton seed products.

The purpose of the compilation is to lift cotton subjects, enemies and cultural methods out of consideration as solely Southern interests and give them their right place as National for without cotton the nation would appear a debtor, instead of a creditor on the world's balance sheets to the extent of \$7,000,000,000.

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Gov. Harmon, of Ohio, has removed from office Mayor Atherton, of Newark, where Detective Etherington was lynched last Friday. The mayor was removed for non-enforcement of the laws and his successor at once removed the chief of police and a police captain for failure to enforce the laws.

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## Let 'Em Endorse the Tariff.

Richmond Journal.

It is to be hoped that the report that the Ohio Republican platform to be adopted this month will endorse the Payne-Aldrich tariff law is true. This because if the Republican party can commit suicide the surest method is by the endorsement by the machine leaders of the measure against which the people of the country are so loudly protesting.

There is no hope for relief at the hands of the Republican party from the exactions of an exorbitant tariff tax; the action of the extra session of Congress, pledged as it was to downward revision, in leaving the schedules substantially as they were, is proof that the Republican party does not intend to abandon its traditional policy of taxing all for the benefit of the few. This being so, it is to be hoped that the Ohio convention will frankly declare this intention, and that other Republican conventions will go and do likewise. If the Ohio convention endorses the Payne-Aldrich tariff law the people will know exactly what to expect, and all those opposing a high protective tariff will vote the Democratic ticket. If the insurgents controlled the convention and denounced the iniquitous measure, democracy's best card would be taken away from them, as those who lean toward the protective theory, but who oppose the high rates of the present tariff law, would vote the Republican ticket. Many who are Republicans will not vote for "regulars," preferring Democrats, so that if the reactionaries are in the saddle in Ohio, as indicated, the Democratic ticket will stand a much better chance of success, and by that success there will be just that many more low tariff men placed in Congress.

Those Pies of Boyhood.  
How delicious were the pies of boyhood. No pies now ever taste so good, what's changed? The pie? No. It's you. You've lost the strong, healthy stomach, the vigorous liver, the active kidneys, the regular bowels of boyhood. Your digestion is poor and you blame the food. What's needed! A complete toning up by Electric Bitters of all organs of digestion—Stomach, Liver, Kidneys, Bowels—Try them. They'll restore your boyhood appetite and appreciation of food and fairly saturate your body with new health, strength and vigor. 50c at Graham Drug Co.

## Spartanburg, S. C., July 12.—

Reports showing that 3,622,000 spindles out of the 3,711,000 spindles represented in the South Carolina Cotton Manufacturers' Association will be stopped at least a portion of the time in July and August were presented at the meeting of the association held here this morning. Some of the mills represented in the association are not now and never have been in operation, thus making the curtailment movement practically unanimous.

It is estimated that the movement will make reduction in output amounting to 2,500,000 pieces of cloth. A meeting of the executive committee has been called to consider further curtailment, to be held the latter part of August or early in September. Coal rates and uniform prices for goods are believed to be other matters considered at today's meeting.

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## Wants Pay For Being Interrogation Point.

Census Taker in Need of the Money Due Him by Uncle Sam.

Nyaek, N. Y., July 12.—Census enumerators all over the country still waiting for Uncle Sam to compensate them for their service will be able to sympathize deeply with William G. Grant, of Rockland county, who has written to Census Supervisor James Kilby, of this district, complaining of the delay. The letter, which reached Mr. Kilby today, says:

"Now that all the danger from Halley's comet has passed and Theodore is home again. I would most respectfully inquire if the government can spare the small amount due me for my service as an interrogation point during March and April. If they really need it, I can wait a little longer, but my wife is arranging for the celebration of our silver wedding in the fall and will need it by then. She believes now that I have received it and blown it in, and nothing but the sight of the check will convince her."

"We had figured on using the money for a trip to the seaside this summer, but the figures were wrong, and now we expect to get it in time to buy furnace coal next winter. For the love of God call an extra session of congress, or something, and get it through. If they can't spare the cash, tell them to send two-cent stamps, for I would like to have some good of it before the family has to use it for a white tombstone to put over the grave of yours truly."

## Banks Curtail Luxury.

Kansas City, July 19.—The bankers of Kansas City and the Southwest, dependent on the Kansas City banks have agreed to lend no more money to any one who intends to use the cash for the purchase of a motor car. This boycott is brought about by the extravagance of the people of this section of the country in the purchase of automobiles.

32,000,000 dollars were invested in motor cars in the last year in Kansas. One million dollars may be added to this to keep these motor cars in repair for these 12 months. One Kansas City banker stated that his safe contained \$2 real estate mortgages, the money for which he knew went for the purchase of automobiles.

## Shocked by Lightning.

Winston-Salem.  
A crowd of 18 men, who had run from the threshing machine to take shelter in a barn on the premises of Mr. Frank Mabe, near Meadows, were shocked senseless by a bolt of lightning a few days ago. The Reporter says:

The lightning struck the corner of the barn and in a second all the occupants were lying flat on the ground. In another moment all but one (a colored man, John Critz, accompanied by a lone dog) were on their feet and almost flying through the rain, which was falling in torrents. One man who was hurt so bad he could not run looked back and discovered the negro in the barn, which was filled with smoke and a terrible odor, and went to his rescue. He was apparently lifeless, but came to after some time, but the dog never recovered.

Most all of the men were hurt in some way. Some had several burns on their flesh; some had headache and some hurt in their joints. They all say it was the most sickening and sad scene they had ever witnessed, and of course, the most frightful. They groaned as people falling in battle pierced with rifle balls.

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His Surprise.  
"I'm going to have a party on my mamma's birthday," said Tom, "and I've invited twenty little bugs."  
"What a nice mamma you must have," said the neighbor.  
"Oh, she doesn't know about it; it's going to be my surprise to her!"

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## Reports From Philippines.

Demand for Tropical Products in America Increasing Each Year.

When Mr. Taft, both as secretary of war and as president, urged that, as a matter of justice to the Philippines, sugar and tobacco from their territory should be admitted duty free in large amounts, some of the cane growers of Louisiana and the tobacco producers of other states—including many in this commonwealth—protested against this policy with vigor, in the belief that it would injure their interests.

This apprehension, though doubtless an honest one, seems to have been unfounded. During all the last fiscal year, with the exception of a period of about 6 weeks, the country has been under the Payne-Aldrich tariff, which permits the free importation of 300,000 gross tons of Philippine sugar, 1,300,000 pounds of tobacco, and 150,000,000 cigars in every 12 months.

Less than 60 per cent. of the number of cigars permitted has come from the Pacific archipelago. Imports of other forms of tobacco have been farcically small. They amounted only to 16,000 pounds. Shipments of sugar to the United States were only a little more than 100,000 gross tons—approximately one-third of the quantity allowed.

Next year may see a marked increase in all these staples. But there is no sound reason for supposing, even if the Philippines should go to the legal limit in sending sugar and tobacco here under the free admission clause, that domestic producers would find themselves hurt thereby. This is a very big and swiftly growing country. It requires an enormously greater amount of tropical or semi-tropical products than it is likely to produce for generations to come. If a larger portion of these shall be supplied by regions which, though remote, are still beneath our own flag, so much the better for all concerned.

## Often The Kidneys Are Weakened by Over-Work.

Unhealthy Kidneys Make Impure Blood.

Weak and unhealthy kidneys are responsible for much sickness and suffering, therefore, if kidney trouble is permitted to continue, serious results are most likely to follow. Your other organs may need attention, but your kidneys must be first. Therefore, when your kidneys are weak or out of order, you can understand how quickly your entire body is affected and how every organ seems to fail to do its duty.

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