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Caucasian,	Clinton, N. C.
Rural Home,	Wilson, N. C.
Carolina Watchman,	Salisbury, N. C.
Farmers' Advocate,	Lexington, N. C.
Mountain Home Journal,	Asheville, N. C.
Alliance Sentinel,	Goldsboro, N. C.
Country Life,	Trinity College, N. C.
Mercury,	Hickory, N. C.
Rattler,	Whitakers, N. C.

Each of the above-named papers are requested to keep the list standing on the first page and add others, provided they are duly elected. Any paper failing to advocate the Ocala platform will be dropped from the list promptly. Our people can now see that papers are published in their interest.

The Conference Platform.

The following is a correct copy of the platform adopted at St. Louis by the labor conference:

FINANCE.

1. We demand a national currency—safe, sound and flexible—issued by the general government only; a full legal tender for all debts, public and private; and without the use of banking corporations; a just and equitable means of circulation, at a tax not to exceed two per cent, as set forth in the sub-treasury plan of the Farmers' Alliance, or some better system; also, by payments in the discharge of its obligations for public improvements.

a. We demand free and unlimited coinage of silver.

b. We demand the amount of circulating medium to be speedily increased to not less than $50 per capita.

c. We demand a graduated income tax.

d. We believe that the money of the treasury should be kept as much as possible in the hands of the people, and hence we demand all National and State revenues shall be limited to the necessary expenses of government, economically and honestly administered.

e. We demand that Postal Saving banks be established by the government for the safe deposit of earnings of the people and facilite exchange.

LAND.

2. Your sub-committee upon the land plank, beg to submit to your approval the following: The land, including all natural resources of wealth, is the heritage of all people, and should not be monopolized for speculative purposes, and alien ownership of land should be prohibited. All lands now held by railroads and other coporations in excess of their actual needs and all lands now owned by aliens should be reclaimed by the Government and held for actual settlers only.

TRANSPORTATION

3. Transportation being a means of defence and public necessity, the Government should own and operate roads in the interest of the people.

a. The telegraph and telephone, like the postal system, being a necessity for the transmission of news, should be owned and operated by the government in the interest of the people.

While some parts of the above address may seem at a mere glance to make partisan political distinctions, yet upon careful study one will clearly see that it is non-partisan, and further, will be impressed with the truth of its promises, and the ability of the committee who framed it. It was adopted with only a few dissenting votes, and the platform was adopted unanimously, and received with great applause. The conference having completed its work as a representative body, did adjourned *sine die.*

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RICHARD RAZOR

Visits the Watchman's Charlotte Advertisers—They are all Kept Busy.

Correspondence of the Watchman.

We took a walk around town the other day to see what our advertisers were doing in regard to the force bill and the tariff. We called at James Harrison & Co.'s and Mr. Bridges told us that he was selling goods for revenue only. He said he had reduced the tariff on lace from 12½ to 10 cents, and if the poor Irish boy whose mother sent him to this country with socks and who had to pay $2.25 duty on them, would call at his place he would sell him socks at 8½ cents per pair. We know they are selling for revenue only, and we are satisfied that is all they ask. Mr. Bridges is a bachelor of high renown, say 6 foot; in politics he is an uncompromising prohibition, democratic, republican and people's party candidate for matrimony, and will not marry any woman who will ask for any more money than will be really necessary to run family affairs on an economical plan. We asked for a trade report and they told us they had no room for complaint, taking into consideration the low price of cotton and the scarcity of money. They have cut their prices to suit the times. We found a crowd in the store. We don't know a better place to get cheap goods and fair dealings. See their advertisement in this paper. But Mr. Bridges says what is bothering him more than anything else now is a second party and no fusion.

We wended our way into the large emporium of W. E. Shaw & Co. Mr. Shaw has just returned from the northern markets where he bought a large stock of leather, harness, bridles, etc. Mr. Shaw manufactures everything in the harness line. He can fit a poor horse or a fat horse. He will take pleasure in showing you his stock and will not ask what your politics are or what church you belong to; he will not even ask you whether you are married or single. He sells goods for revenue only and finds that it pays to advertise in the WATCHMAN. See his advertisement and go and see him. He is the the only fat man in the city who can ride a bicycle without taking two stout men along to hold it up.

I then dropped in the store of Brown, Weddington & Co. There is no one in that house, fat or lean, that can ride a bicycle, unless the thing has four wheels. Their clerks are all long legged and big footed. They are made expressly for reaching high shelves and walking on the business end of tacks; their shins are all sharp, they are made expressly for running into mowing sythes, wheelbarrows and railroad truck, as they keep a full line of all such goods. Now you talk about hardware, they can sell you anything made of steel, from a cambric needle to a steam engine. They have got the largest stock of hardware this side of Baltimore. You will think the tariff is off when you price their goods, and they are prepared for force bill or any other emergency in politics. I think they are Cochin China variety, warranted, call and see them. There is not a man in the State who is a big enough liar to tell half the truth about their stock.

Seeing a large sign on the outside of the Davidson building that read Commercial College we crawled up stairs and there is where we struck it heavy. We found a room about the size of a poor man's garden (we have got one about the same size) Well it was filled with chairs and tables. Mr. Day, the manager, showed us around. We found thirty or forty students at their tables. We thought the boys were making labels for tea boxes in China, but Mr. Day informed us that it was short hand or stenography. Well it looked as though a thousand legged worm had got into an ink bottle and crawled over the paper. We found them teaching shorthand, penmanship, book-keeping and typewriting in all the branches that go to make up a business course for either sex. Young man or young lady, if you are taking a business course don't leave the State until you first go and see the proprietors of the Charlotte Commercial College. See the advertisement on the third page of this paper.

RICHARD RAZOR.

To Test the Law.

CHICAGO, September 24.—A special from Martinsville, Indiana, says: "Charles Hamilton, in behalf of the State, has filed a suit against County Auditor Sparta and Treasurer Langwood to test the constitutionality of the democratic apportionment laws of 1885 and 1891. Similar suits will be filed in every county in the State where the districts were affected by these measures.

Bergman, who attempted to assassinate H. C. Frick, of Carnegie & Co., was sentenced to 21 years imprisonment.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Alliance Notes.

There are but three ways of getting wealth. One must either work for it, beg it, or steal it.

Many thousands of men in this country are receiving vast annual incomes. They neither work nor beg.

If money was robbed of its interest drawing attribute, it would lose its power to absorb the wealth produced by productive labor.

"Exploiters" and "promoters" issue bonds and mortgage the future labor of sons of toil. Why should not the people loan capital to labor itself upon its bonds.

Why should labor, which produces all wealth, grovel in abject poverty and toil for a bare subsistence, while the drones, who toil not, fare sumptuously and are clod in purple and fine linen?

How can the nation thrive when the people are compelled, by reason of debt, to pay a higher rate of interest for their medium of exchange than the per cent. made by them in the pursuit of their calling?—*Exchange.*

The real fight to-day is within the lines of hired men. Capital pays some hired men very high salaries for no other service than to beat down other hired men in their wages.—*Nonconformist.*

Scarce money means cheap labor; plenty of money means higher prices for labor and its products. If you are a producer you do not need a map to show which of these propositions you favor. The new party is the only party favoring money.—*Missouri World.*

The first donation of land was made by democrats. There were about 30,430,929 acres given by democrats prior to 1861. The Union Pacific grants, the largest ever made, were given by the republicans, but only two democrats voted against them in the House.—*Great West.*

Delegates to the St. Louis conference will remember the fair treatment we received at the hands of the St. Louis Chronicle. It has recently hoisted the Weaver and Field ticket and will fight for the people's party. *The Cincinnati Post* has also flopped over, and the *Detroit Evening News* has joined the people's party. The Cleveland *Press* hoists the people's party ticket. These are all metropolitan city papers and have a combined circulation of 160,000.—*Winfield Free Press.*

Different Views.

Correspondence of the Watchman.

The democratic party has all the while held that the worst feature of the third party was the danger of turning our State government back into the hands of the republicans, and yet they have done all they possibly could to get out a republican ticket, and for the first time since the war they actually compliment the republicans on having a nice clean ticket.

Now, Mr. Editor, we think it is about time we should change collusion against them. The action of the republicans proves that there was no collusion between us and when we put together those points, viz: 1st. the great desire of the democrats to get out a republican ticket; 2d, the persistency with which they charged us with collusion; 3d, the high compliment they pay the nominees of the republican party; 4th, the rumor current that the democrats had, or would offer Mr. Eaves fifty thousand dollars to get out a State and county ticket; 4, the fact that Eaves above all other prominent republicans was clamorous for said ticket against the better judgment of other prominent republicans and did succeed in getting the ticket, we think makes a case against them. Now if we should fail to elect our ticket and the republican ticket should be elected, as democrats so confidently predict, then may the consequences fall on them.

They now have a choice of what they think are two evils, let them decide for themselves.

Will they throw the electoral vote to Weaver and take their chances before Congress or will they let Mr. Harrison have it and thus face the force bill (so called.) This is a view of it from democratic standpoint.

Our view of it is that we shall carry the State for Weaver, Exum and free coinage, All their reports of backsliding to the contrary notwithstanding.

We pretend not to see a third party in the field, even ignores us in the appointment of judges (probably with the intent to report Alabama on us.) Nevertheless we are in the field to stay and they will see us on election day, although they could not now see a two foot stone on the end of their nose.

3 P. M.

Mr. John Nichols, who lives near Pineville, met with a peculiar and painful accident several days since. He, his wife and two children had gone to Sharon to visit his sister, who is quite sick. As they were leaving for home the mule which they were driving became frightened and ran away. Mrs. Nichols fell out of the back of the wagon and was, it is feared, seriously hurt, as she struck her head on a rock. The children were thrown out but escaped injury. Mr. Nichols held on to the mule, but after his wife and children were thrown out he tried to jump out. His foot caught in the lines and he fell heavily to the ground. He had a habit of sticking his tongue between his teeth, and while trying to stop the runaway animal unconsciously restorted to his old habit. As he jumped out, or fell, he bit his tongue nearly in two, it being kept together merely by a thin skin. Both Mr. Nichols and wife have been confined to bed since the accident. Her condition is serious.—*Charlotte Observer.*

Political Status of Congress.

The following official table shows the political status of congress from 1872 to 1890:

Forty-third Congress.—1872—Republican Senate; democratic House.

Forty-fourth Congress—1874.—Republican Senate; democratic House.

Forty fifth Congress—1876.—Republican Senate; democratic House.

Forty-sixth Congress—1878.—Democratic Senate; democratic House.

Forty-seventh Congress—1880.—Republican Senate; democratic House.

Forty-eighth Congress—1882.—Republican Senate; democratic House.

Forty-ninth Congress—1884.—Republican Senate; democratic House.

Fiftieth Congress—1886.—Republican Senate; democratic House.

Fifty-first Congress—1888.—Republican Senate; republican House.

Fifty-second Congress—1890.—Republican Senate; democratic House.

The year named is the year in which the Congress was elected.

G. M. Carter, Chester, S. C., writes: "A negro boy here had a bad case of scrofula. The doctor said it would kill him. I got him to use Swift's Blood Balm. He took a dozen bottles and is now well. He has not used any of it for four months and continues well."

Think About These Things.

More armed troops are now in the field in the United States to prevent war between the rich and the poor than were enrolled in the army of Washington in 1776, when he drove the English forces out of the colonies.

What does it mean? Does it point to prosperity, contentment, peace, brotherly love, intellectual advancement for all the men and women of the country, and a growth in the national virtues that make a people truly admirable and great?

Think about these things honestly and without prejudice.

Remember that in the early days of 1860, the man who would have predicted the horrors of the rebellion would have been thought insane.

If you think there is a real, terrible danger threatening the republic ask yourself what you are doing and what you can do to avert it.

And be careful that you don't make the mistake of adding your weight to the mass of arrogance, assurance, cruelty, indifference, and greed now perched upon the safety valve.

It may not be a pleasant place to sit some of these days.—Deadwood *Independent.*

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" Burkeville	5 40 P M	5 10 PM
" Keysville	6 18 P M	5 44 PM
Ar. Danville	8 05 P M	6 66 PM
" Greensboro	10 10 P M	8 06 PM
Lv. Goldsboro	4 00 P M	10 11 AM
Ar. Raleigh	6 00 P M	12 45 PM
Lv. Raleigh	*6 15 P M	11 30 PM
" Durham	7 2 P M	1 06 AM
Ar. Greensboro	10 00 P M	3 58 AM
Lv. Winston-Salem	*8 27 P M	*10 20 AM
Ar. Greensboro	*10 25 P M	*10 20 AM
Ar. Salisbury	12 10 A M	12 06 PM
Ar. Statesville	*2 35 A M	2 49 PM
" Asheville	8 40 A M	7 00 PM
" Hot Springs	10 30 A M	8 00 PM
Lv. Salisbury	*12 28 A M	2 10 PM
Ar. Charlotte	2 05 A M	3 10 PM
" Spartanburg	5 25 A M	4 50 PM
" Greenville	6 10 A M	5 40 PM
" Atlanta	1 25 P M	10 45 PM
Lv. Charlotte	2 10 A M	
Ar. Columbia	6 00 A M	12 40 AM
Ar. Augusta	9 25 A M	3 25 AM

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Lv. Augusta	7 00 P M	5 35 A M
" Columbia	10 0 P M	8 25 A M
Ar. Charlotte	2 0 A M	12 10 P M
Lv. Atlanta	8 00 P M	7 00 A M
Ar. Charlotte	6 30 A M	2 40 P M
Lv. Charlotte	7 10 A M	3 20 P M
Ar. Salisbury	8 52 A M	4 56 P M
Lv. Hot Springs	4 45 P M	
" Asheville	9 00 A M	
" Statesville	2 5 P M	
Ar. Salisbury	4 10 P M	6 20 P M
Lv. Salisbury	*3 23 A M	7 10 P M
Ar. Greensboro	10 20 A M	11 10 P M
Ar. Winston-Salem	*11 0 A M	
Lv. Greensboro	*11 20 A M	12 10 A M
Ar. Durham	12 17 P M	1 10 A M
" Raleigh	1 25 P M	2 0 A M
Lv. Raleigh	*1 35 P M	3 15 A M
Ar. Goldsboro	3 05 P M	5 05 A M
Lv. Greensboro	10 0 P M	3 55 P M
Ar. Danville	12 15 P M	1 1 A M
" Keysville	2 40 P M	4 15 P M
" Burkeville	3 0 P M	4 50 P M
" Richmond	5 30 P M	7 0 P M

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