

NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC TICKET

FOR PRESIDENT: WILLIAM J. BRYAN, of Nebraska. FOR VICE PRESIDENT: ARTHUR SEWALL, of Maine.

STATE DEMOCRATIC TICKET

FOR GOVERNOR: CYRUS B. WATSON, of Forsyth. FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR: THOMAS W. MASON, of Northampton. FOR SECRETARY OF STATE: CHARLES M. COOKE, of Franklin. FOR STATE TREASURER: B. F. AYCOCK, of Wayne. FOR STATE AUDITOR: R. M. FURMAN, of Buncombe. FOR SUPT. PUBLIC INSTRUCTION: JOHN C. SCARBOROUGH, of Johnston. FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL: F. I. OSBORNE, of Mecklenburg. ASSOCIATE JUSTICES SUPREME COURT: A. C. AVERY, of Burke. GEO. H. BROWN, Jr., of Beaufort.

CONGRESSIONAL TICKET

1st District—F. A. Woodard, of Wilson. 2d "—Frank Thompson, of Oaslow. 3d "—E. W. Pcu, of Johnston. 4th "—W. W. Kitchin, of Person. 5th "—Jas. A. Lockhart, of Anson. 6th "—S. J. Pemberton, of Stanly. 7th "—R. A. Doughton, of Alleghany. 8th "—Jos. S. Adams, of Cabarrus.

"You tell us the great cities are in favor of the gold standard. Burn down your great cities and leave your farms, and your cities will grow up again. But destroy our farms and the grass will grow in every city of the Union."

"I am for McKinley, Russell and Gold," says Oscar J. Spears, one of the Republican candidates for Elector-at-Large.

COCKRAN ON SLAVEHOLDERS. Will you submit to this conspiracy between the professional farmers, the farmers who cultivate the quarters of their neighbors, farmers who labor with their jaws, Populist agitators of the West, and the unrecruited slave-holders of the South? This is a conspiracy between professional farmers, who want to pay low wages, and the unrecruited slave-holders, who would like to pay no wages at all.

THE BUSINESS INTERESTS

Ninety-nine per cent. of the contentions of the opponents of free silver is based on assumption, pure and simple. They assume that free silver would be disastrous to the "business interests" of the country and therefore the gold standard must be adhered to. They have a somewhat peculiar idea as to what constitutes our business interests.

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duces the cotton which the other hands handle for sale in its crude form or in the finished form. When it comes to the matter of the capital invested and employed, there is more money invested in the production of cotton than there is in the manufacture and handling of it by others than the producers.

When we consider our foreign commerce which gives employment to many thousands of men, that makes "business" for the ships and gives employment to the capital invested in ships, eighty per cent. of it consists of products of the business of the farm, which, according to these gentlemen, does not figure in their business catalogue at all, and the rest consists of products of the soil or in articles manufactured from these products.

How does it happen that the man engaged in the lending of money is more of a "business" man than the thousands to whom he lends money? Are not these thousands as much interested in the laws which regulate the issuing of that money and in defining its qualities and powers and uses as he is?

One of the so-called arguments against the free coinage of silver, not only free coinage, but any coinage at all save for subsidiary currency, (for that is what it amounts to) is that the silver dollars will not circulate, that they remain in the Treasury, which issues silver certificates, which some of the gold organs call "warehouse certificates."

The Philadelphia Ledger, gold organ, cheerfully accepts Mr. Bryan's denial, that he had been, as charged by a Chicago paper in the pay of the silver mine owners, which charge was given prominence to by the indirect endorsement of Senator Thurston, of Nebraska, and remarks that "even those who disagree with Mr. Bryan's political views will be gratified to know that he has not been the subsidized orator of the silver mine and gulch owners."

The Democratic candidate for Governor, Cyrus B. Watson, will address the people at the following times and places: Statesville, Saturday, Aug. 29th. Newton, Monday, Aug. 31st. Morganton, Tuesday, Sept. 1st. Marion, Wednesday, Sept. 2d. Raleigh, Thursday, Sept. 3d. Shelby, Saturday, Sept. 5th. Lexington, Monday, Sept. 7th. Lincolnton, Tuesday, Sept. 8th. Salisbury, Wednesday, Sept. 9th. Concord, Saturday, Sept. 12th. Judge Russell, Republican candidate for Governor, has been invited to meet Mr. Watson in joint discussion at all appointments.

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Senator Butler, the Chairman of the Populist Executive Committee, in reply to an inquiry by the World's correspondent, says that "it is the bounden duty of every loyal Populist to support both Bryan and Watson earnestly and loyally."

Magnolia circuit, Trinity, August 23. Bladen circuit, Bethel, August 29. Clanton circuit, Keatch's, September 5. Mission, Haddall, September 13. Onslow circuit, Swansboro, September 19.

Only the sufferer knows the misery of dyspepsia. But Hood's Sarsaparilla is the most stuporacious case of this disease.

THE LOVE LIGHTS OF HOME.

The bird to the nest and the bee to the comb. When the night from the heavens fall dreary. And Love to the light in the windows of home.

The light of the love of my dearie. And Love to the light, like a swallow in flight. When the storm blows and the blue of the night.

And a kiss from the red rose, a smile from the white. In the gardens that bloom for my dearie!

The bird to the nest and the bee to the comb. And never a night shall fall dreary. While the lights in the beautiful window.

Are lit by the love of my dearie! And Love to the light, like a bird from the night. Where angels in lilies Love's litanies.

And a kiss from the crimson, a smile from the white. In the gardens that bloom for my dearie!

SUNDAY SELECTIONS. To preach the Gospel is the duty of every Christian. How are you doing it?

If we would have God for our companion we should at least be companionable. No amount of possessions can satisfy the man who loves to look upon forbidden fruit.

It has been well said that the only honest and high-minded way of getting to the world by helping the world to get on. A man is ever greater than the service he renders.

The most incongruous character that we know of is a preacher who proclaims the Gospel of meekness and humility and who exhibits in his conversation and deportment indignant egotism and conceit.

There is no house on the shores of time which the waves will not wash away; there is no path here which the feet of disappointment will not tread; there is no stairway here which sorrow will not invade.

There is no prayer for? Not in vain God, nor to move Him, unwillingly to have mercy, as if, like some proud prince, He required a certain amount of recognition of His greatness as the price of His favor.

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WINKLINGS. "It is tough, but true," said the Commissioner, "that a man generally gets no farther in life than he is too old to have anything to look forward to."

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Scoufula

Infests the blood of humanity. It appears in various forms, but is forced to yield to Hood's Sarsaparilla, which purifies and vitalizes the blood and cures all such diseases.

A Sore

Two inches across formed and in walking to favor I sprained my ankle. The sore became worse; I could not put my foot on and I thought I should have to give up at every step. I could not get any relief and had to stop work.

Foot

is now well and I have been greatly benefited otherwise. I have increased in weight and am in better health. I cannot say enough in praise of Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the One True Blood Purifier. All druggists. A. C. H. Hoop & Co., Lowell, Mass.

No Tickee unless you Smoke. LYON & CO'S PICKLE LEAF EXTRA SMOKING TOBACCO.

Wholesale Prices Current

Table listing various goods and their prices, including Baggins, Western Smoked, Dry Salted, etc.

COMMERCIAL

WILMINGTON MARKET. STAR OFFICE, August 22. SPIRITS TURPENTINE-Market quiet at 22 cents per gallon for machine-made casks, and 31c for country casks.

CRUDE TURPENTINE-Quiet. Hard Yellow Dip 1.55, Virginia 1.65 per barrel. Quotations same day last year-Spirits turpentine 25 3/4%; rosin, strained, \$1.10; good strained \$1.20; tar \$1.85; crude turpentine 1.00, 1.50, 1.60.

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COUNTRY PRODUCE. PEANUTS-North Carolina-Prime, 45¢ per bushel of 56 pounds; Extra Prime, 55¢; Fancy, 60¢; Virginia-Extra Prime, 60¢; Fancy, 65¢; 70¢.

CORN-Firm; 33 to 40 cents per bushel. N. C. BACON-Steady; Hams, 9 to 10¢ per pound; Shoulders, 6 to 7¢; Sides, 7 to 7 1/2¢.

SHINGLES-Per thousand, five inch heads and supports, \$1.60 to \$2.00; six inch, \$3.00 to \$3.50; seven inch, \$5.00 to \$5.50.

TIMBER-Market steady at \$3.00 to 7.50 per M. DOMESTIC MARKETS. By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, August 22-Evening-Market quiet. Prime mercantile paper 8 1/2% per cent. Sterling exchange was easy; actual business in bankers bills 48 1/4% for sixty days and 48 1/2% for 90 days.

COTTON FUTURES-Market closed steady; August 9 1/2, September 9 3/4, October 9 1/4, November 8 3/4, December 8 1/2, January 8 1/4, February 8 1/4, March 8 1/4, April 8 1/4, May 8 1/4, June 8 1/4, July 8 1/4.

Flour dull, steady and unchanged; Southern flour quiet and steady; common to fair extra 90¢ to 95¢; good to choice 95¢ to 100¢; wheat - spot and firm; options fairly active, firm at 82¢ advance; No. 3 red, August 64¢, September 64 1/2%, October 65%; November 65%; December 65%; January 65%; February 65%; March 65%; April 65%; May 65%; June 65%; July 65%.

Chicago, Aug. 22-Cash quotations: Flour quiet, steady, unchanged. Wheat - No. 3 spring 90¢ to 95¢; No. 2 red 80¢ to 85¢; No. 2 white 85¢ to 90¢; No. 2 yellow 85¢ to 90¢; No. 3 yellow 85¢ to 90¢; No. 4 yellow 85¢ to 90¢; No. 5 yellow 85¢ to 90¢; No. 6 yellow 85¢ to 90¢; No. 7 yellow 85¢ to 90¢; No. 8 yellow 85¢ to 90¢; No. 9 yellow 85¢ to 90¢; No. 10 yellow 85¢ to 90¢.

Wheat - August 84 1/2% to 86 1/2%; September 85%; October 85 1/2%; November 85 1/2%; December 85 1/2%; January 85 1/2%; February 85 1/2%; March 85 1/2%; April 85 1/2%; May 85 1/2%; June 85 1/2%; July 85 1/2%.

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12 NEW IRON SAFES. weight from 500 to 2,500 lbs. different makes. Also Several Second-Hand Safes. Write or call on Sam'l Bear, Sr., 12 Market Street, Wilmington, N. C.

ARRIVED. Steamer D. Murchison, Robeson, Fayetteville, James Madden. Steamer St. John's via Sapelo, Heide & Co. Steamer J. S. Green, Robeson, New York, H. G. Smallbones.

EXPORTS. Steamer D. Murchison, Robeson, Fayetteville, James Madden. Steamer Steamship Oneida, Chichester, New York, H. G. Smallbones.

COASTWISE. NEW YORK - Savannah - 89 bales cotton, 835 casks spirits turpentine, 56 bbls tar, 7 do rosin, 29 800 feet lumber, 191 pigs mds.