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Raleigh, N. C., September 10, 1896.

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RALEIGH ITEMS.

Mr. Dan Stewart, of Barclaysville, Harnett county, has accepted a position with Messrs. Sherwood Higgs & Co. in Raleigh, and will be glad to see his friends and acquaintances.

Wm. H. Fowler, of Rolesville, now with Sherwood Higgs & Co., is ready to greet his many friends from the Eagle Rock and Wakefield sections.

The Peoples Party State Executive committee is in session in Raleigh as we go to press. We will give a full account of their deliberations in our next issue.

To Compete With Biltmore.

Vanderbilt of Biltmore, whose exhibit at the coming State Fair, promises to excel anything seen here up to this time, are not to be alone in their race for the first prize, offered for the best exhibit.

Holt and Homewood, proprietors of the Oak Grove Stock Farm, in Alamance county, near Burlington, have sent their representative, Mr. J. T. Kerr, to Secretary Nichols, and have reserved the same floor space Vanderbilt has taken. This is in the division set apart for the display of agricultural products.

In addition to this they have reserved twenty stalls for cattle, five pens for swine, three pens for sheep, and ten stalls for horses.

They propose to make a display that will measure up to the Biltmore standard, and there is little doubt that the Holt and Vanderbilt exhibits will outshine anything that has heretofore dazzled the State.

An Early Morning's Fire.

Early Saturday morning a fire here almost completely destroyed a wooden building, 220x75 feet, occupied by the Hicks-Ellington Company as a planing mill. The fire originated over the boiler room, and the building, 10 years old, burned like tinder. The cost of the plant at court sale last year was $6,000, and there is $5,000 insurance. The owners say it would cost $8,000 to duplicate the plant. No other property was damaged by the fire. In 1858 a lot of cars for the North Carolina Railroad were built in this mill. During the war it was a State commissary store-house.

A. & M. College Opens.

There are 180 students at the Agricultural and Mechanical college which opened last Thursday. The drill by the cadet battalion began Saturday. There are three companies. Bradley Wooten, of Wilmington, cadet major; Graham Clark, J. L. Knight and C. B. Kendalls, captains of companies; R. M. Merritt, adjutant. There are 100 freshmen present, and a fine-looking lot of boys.

The Fayetteville Military Academy opened last week with a very large enrollment, exceeding last session by fifty. This is very encouraging, but under the excellent management of Col. Drewry it may be expected that this school will increase each succeeding year, and soon rank with any in point of number or management.

SOME GOLD STANDARD PROSPERITY.

Strike in West Virginia.

CUMBERLAND, Md., Sept. 4.—The coal miners along the Wheeling Division of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, where the rate was reduced from 70 to 60 cents a ton last week, held another mass-meeting at Hackett Station yesterday, and the refusal to work for less than 70 cents was reaffirmed. The miners' officials have prepared for a fight, but the indications are that there will be a general break in the mining rate all over the district. Almost 60 per cent. of the mines in the fourth pool are idle, and are likely to continue so for some time. The Jutte miners have struck against a reduction from $1 to 80 cents per 100 bushels run of mine. The other operators are contemplating similar cuts, and strikes will follow.

Bank Fails.

HELENA, Mont., Sept. 4.—The failure of the First National Bank of this city was announced this morning by the posting of a notice that the bank was unable to meet withdrawals demanded of it. The notice was signed by E. D. Edgerton, Vice President and manager, who says creditors will be paid in full. The directors refuse to talk, and no statement of assets and liabilities has been made. It is said the failure is due to the bank's inability to realize on assets to cover demands of Eastern creditors.

It is claimed that the real cause of the failure is due to the high official who went east and espoused the silver cause. Eastern creditors warned him that trouble might follow for the bank if he still continued talking silver. He refused to listen, so it is claimed, and these Eastern creditors demanded their money, and the bank was unable to realize upon its assets and had to close. The failure of the bank caused no panic, the other banks being in good condition.

Goes Into a Receivers Hands.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Sept. 4.—The Columbus Central Street Railway Company was thrown into the hands of a receiver this morning. George Worthington, of Cleveland was appointed. The liabilities are $1,850,194, of which $1,500,000 is bonded indebtedness. The balance is in notes and open accounts. The assets, the property, is in fine condition, and the managers claim it will pay out.

Mortgage Company in Trouble.

TOPEKA, Kans. Sept. 4.—United States District Judge Foster this morning appointed receivers for the J. B. Watkins Land and Mortgage Company of Lawrence, Kans., the largest concern of the kind in the State. The liabilities amount to $4,250,000 in debenture bonds held in the East. The application for receivers was made by the Girard Life Insurance, Annuity, and Trust Company of Philadelphia.

JESSE R. GRANT A POPULIST.

SON OF GEN. GRANT FINDS A HOME IN THE PEOPLES PARTY—NO OBJECTIONABLE PRINCIPLES IN IT.

Says He Cannot Indorse The Platforms of Either The Republican or Democratic National Convention—A California Sensation.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Sept. 4.—At the Populist county convention to-day a great sensation was caused by I. Wade McDonald, one of the delegates, reading the following from Jesse R. Grant, son of Gen. U. S. Grant:

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Sept. 1, '96.

My Dear Judge: I have noted with much interest your withdrawal from the Democratic party and espousal of the Peoples Party. This action meets my approval since I have concluded to enroll myself in the same cause. The financial plank in the Republican platform must drive from that party anyone who believes as I do, and the anarchial plank in the Democratic platform must lose to it any person who believes in the protection of American citizens at home as well as abroad.

The platform of the Peoples Party has, on the contrary, no objectionable principles, and seems to offer a political home that an American can proudly enter. Yours truly,

JESSE E. GRANT.

Mr. Grant has been a resident of San Diego for several years. He has large property interests here, but has taken little part in public affairs. His letter provoked long applause in the convention.

BRYAN FREE TO ACCEPT.

The Populist Nomination for President—Sewall Long Ago Wrote Him To That Effect.

CHICAGO, Sept. 3.—Chairman Jones, of the Democratic National Committee, has made public a letter to William J. Bryan from Arthur Sewall, apparently dated July 25, at which time the Populist Convention was in session. The letter, which is exciting a great deal of comment, reads as follows:

"My Dear Mr. Bryan: In view of the action of the St. Louis convention to-day, I cannot refrain from giving you any thoughts on the situation.

"My advices are that you have been nominated as candidate for President and Mr. Watson for Vice President. I also learn through press dispatches that you are somewhat undecided whether you ought to accept or decline. Now I desire to say to you with the utmost frankness and good feeling, that you must not allow any personal consideration for me to influence you in your action.

"I desire you will do just what you believe is best for the success of the head of our ticket. The principles we are fighting for are so paramount to any personal considerations that the latter should not have any weight or influence whatever with your action.

"I cannot for a moment allow myself to be a factor in any action on your part that would be in the slightest degree hazard an electoral vote for you.

"With kind regards to Mrs. Bryan, believe me, your sincere friend,

ARTHUR SEWALL.

Bath, Me., July 25.

The Democratic managers at headquarters insisted the letter had no further significance than that Mr. Bryan would consent to receive a formal notification from the Populist party in the near future, and the publication was to forestall all rumors as to the attitude of Mr. Sewall toward a ceremony.

Chairman Jones dictated the following explanation as to how the letter comes to be published at this time:

"Several days ago Chairman Jones wrote a letter to Mr. Sewall stating to him that many Democrats throughout the country, and especially throughout the West, were objecting to fusion with the Populists and electoral tickets for the reason that they did not want to be disloyal to Mr. Sewall. In reply to Chairman Jones, Mr. Sewall forwarded a copy of the letter written to Mr. Bryan, dated July 25, 1896:

"The talk about the retirement of our candidate for Vice President is too absurb to be seriously discussed. Mr. Sewall's letter, written after Mr. Bryan's nomination by the St. Louis convention, is a splendid illustration of his loyalty to his associate on the Democratic National ticket. He sees no embarrassment whatever in Mr. Bryan's nomination for President by another party and upon another ticket, but believes it to be an important step toward certain victory for the silver cause. It is a complete answer to the efforts of the gold Democrats to create the impression that Mr. Sewall will retire under any circumstances to say that the Democratic party and its national organizations are just as loyal to Mr. Sewall as he himself is to Mr. Bryan and the great cause of the common people."

A Big Fire At Warsaw.

Warsaw, N. C., Sept. 3.—The town of Warsaw was visited by a serious conflagration last night. Three of the largest stores in the place were burned. Loss and insurance are as follows: L. P. Best's stock $6,000, with $2,500 insurance; C. R. Hussey's store and stock $10,000, with $7,000 insurance; H. R. Kornegay's store, $1,000, no insurance; C. B. Hatch's stock of groceries $300, no insurance. The fire originated in the garret of Best's store and is supposed to have started from a match ignited by rats.

ARKANSAS GOES FOR SILVER.

The Fight Was Made Distinctly on the Financial Question—The State Conceded By Republicans By 60,000.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Sept. 7.—Reports have been received from nearly every leading town in the State concerning the general features of the day's election. The weather was delightful everywhere, and a large vote was polled. In this city 3,500 votes were cast—nearly double that of two years ago. The falling off in the registered vote was not more than 10 per cent.

Special dispatches from various sections of the State indicate an unusually large vote. If the same ratio of votes was cast in all the counties as in this it is safe to estimate that 175,000 votes were polled out of a registered vote of 201,000. Of this number the Republicans claim that Remmel, Republican, has polled from 35,000 to 40,000; Files, Populist, and Miller, Prohibitionist, have received not exceeding 15,000 votes. This will leave Jones' majority over all his opponents from 60,000 to 65,000.

The campaign in this State was distinctly a fight on the silver question. Jones, the Democratic nominee for Governor, taking the extreme position in favor of free coinage and Remmel opposing. The license question was also a prominent issue of the campaign. About three-fourths of the counties have gone Democratic. In this county, where a strong fight was made against the saloon license, is has carried.

Hon. Henry M. Cooper, chairman of the Republican State Central Committee at midnight concedes the election of Jones, Democrat, over Remmel, Republican, for Governor, by 60,0000 majority.

Heavy Failure at Mt. Airy.

WINSTON, N. C., Sept. 8.—L. W. Ashley & Son, a large plug manufacturing concern at Mt. Airy, N. C., has assigned, naming J. M. Patterson as the trustee. Mercantile firms in which they are interested in the same place have also failed. The assets and liabilities have not been given out.

WM. J. BRYAN IS COMING.

He Will Make a Trip Through North Carolina on September 16th, 17th and 18th.

ASHEVILLE TO WELDON.

Speeches at Various Points—Committees on Reception Announced by State Chairmen Manly and Ayer—Let Everybody Begin to Get Ready to Give a Grand Greeting.

Hon. W. J. Bryan, the nominee of the Democratic party and the nominee of the Peoples Party for President of the United States, will visit North Carolina on September 16th, 17th and 18th. The route he will take and the approximate schedule on which he will travel has been arranged by Chairman Manly of the Democratic State committee, and Chairman Ayer of the People Party State committee, and is as follows:

Leave Asheville at 5 p. m., September 16.

Leave Hickory at 9 p. m., September 16.

Arrive Statesville at 10 p. m., September 16.

Leave Statesville at 10:15 p. m., September 16.

Arrive at Charlotte at 11:45, September 16.

Leave Charlotte at 9:30 a. m., September 17.

Arrive Salisbury 11 a. m., September 17.

Leave Salisbury 11:15 a. m., September 17.

Arrive Greensboro 12:45 p. m., September 17.

Leave Greensboro 5 p. m., September 17.

Arrive Durham 5:30 p. m., September 17.

Leave Durham 6 p. m., September 17.

Arrive Raleigh 7 p. m., September 17.

Leave Raleigh 9 p. m., September 17.

Arrive at Selma 10 p. m., September 17.

Arrive Goldsboro 11 p. m., September 17.

Leave Goldsboro 10:30 a. m., September 18.

Arrive Wilson 11:30 a. m., September 18.

Arrive Rocky Mount 12:30 p. m., September 18.

Leave Rocky Mount 2:17 on regular schedule of Coast Line.

Arrive Weldon 3:32, September 18.

The principal speeches will be made at Asheville, Hickory, Charlotte, Greensboro and Rocky Mount. Train will stop for three minute speeches at Marion, Morganton, Mooresville, Concord, Lexington, Burlington, and at no other points.

CLEMENT MANLY,
Chairman Dem. State Ex. Com.
HAL. W. AYER,
Chairman P. P. Ex. Com.

RECEPTION COMMITTEES.

The two State chairmen will meet Mr. Bryan at Asheville, and with the assistance of members of the reception committees announced below, will escort him through the State.

Members of these committees are specially requested to join the party at convenient points, and accompanying Mr. Bryan as far on the route as they can, if they cannot take the whole route.

DEMOCRATIC RECEPTION COMMITTEE.

Col. J. S. Carr, Durham; David K. Wright, Raleigh; John D. Bellamy, Jr., Wilmington; Wm. F. Green, Franklinton; Col. H. C. Jones, Charlotte; Jas. A. Bryan, Newbern; C. D. McIver, Greensboro; Thomas G. Skinner, Hertford; Noah Rouse, La Grange; Dr. Isaac E. Green, Weldon; Lee S. Overman; Salisbury; John W. Hanes, Winston; Fred. Philips, Tarboro; Col. Jno. S. Cunningham, Roxboro; John H. Small, Washington; W. R. Allen, Goldsboro; T. J. Allison, Statesville; Geo. S. Powell, Asheville; Risden T. Bennett, Wadesboro; James E. Moore, Williamston; Benehan Cameron, Stagville; J. Gordon Hackett, Wilkesboro; J. D. McNeill, Fayetteville.

Members of the State Central and Executive committees are respectfully invited to join the Bryan itinerary at such places they find convenient.

CLEMENT MANLY,
Chairman State Dem. Ex. Com.

POPULIST RECEPTION COMMITTEE.

Reception committee on behalf of Peoples Party:

Maj. W. A. Guthrie, Durham; Hon. Harry Skinner, Greenville; Hon. W. F. Strowd; Chapel Hill; Hon. C. H. Martin, Polkton; Hon. A. C. Shuford, Newton; Hon. W. H. Worth, Raleigh; W. E. Fountain, Tarboro; L. C. Caldwell, Statesville; W. R. Henry, Charlotte; J. A. Sims, Concord; Capt. J. H. Sherrill, Catawba; W. L. Henry, Acton; W. B. Gibson, Fancy Hill; Capt. J. B. Lloyd, Tarboro; Theo. White, Hertford; J. M. Early, Aulander; Dr. Cyrus Thompson, Richlands; Hon. O. H. Dockery, Mangum; H. M. Cates, Swepsonville; S. Otho Wilson, Raleigh; J. F. Westmoreland, Thomasville; Dr. J. J. Mott, Statesville; Col. R. P. Davis, Wilmington; Hon. Spier Whitaker, Raleigh; Wm. Bumgarner, Wilmot; J. M. Cutchin, Whitaker's; Dr. J. E. Person, Pikeville; Dr. H. F. Freeman, Taylor; Capt. J. M. Beard, Salisbury; W. O. Stratford, Greensboro; W. G. Vickers, Durham; W. E. Bowers, Brinkleyville; E. L. Summerell, Carysburg; J. E. Fowler, Clinton; W. S. Bailey, Nashville; R. A. Cobb, Morganton; Morrison H. Caldwell, Concord; J. Z. Green, Marshville; S. A. Lourance, Mooresville; Geo. E. Hunt, Lexington; Capt. A. S. Peace, Oxford; J. L. Leiler, Taylorsville; R. L. Sherrill, Lenoir; Thos. S. Folwell, Archdale; J. E. Spence, Haywood; D. T. Massey, Smithfield; L. E. Newsome, Lucama; Capt. W. H. Kitchin, Scotland Neck; C. H. Banes, Nashville; J. F. Click, Hickory.

HAL. W. AYER,
Chairman P. P. Ex. Com.

Terrible Crime Near Hamlet.

A report reached Raleigh Monday that two negro railroad employes went to the house of a farmer near Hamlet, induced him to follow them some distance from the house and beat him into insensibility, leaving him for dead.

They then went back to the house where they attacked the farmer's wife, stifled her screams and outraged her. After this terrible crime they left the farm-house, and ran off toward the swamps.

That occurred, according to the report, Sunday night.

Early Monday morning the news of the terrible affair reached Hamlet, only a few miles distant. Hunting parties were organized, and the swamps and woods in the vicinity are being scoured by the hunters. If the scoundrels are discovered, they will likely meet a terrible vengeance.

A Horner Boy Wins First Colors.

OXFORD, Sept. 2.—Willis Peace, from the Horner School, Oxford, on color day at West Point won the first colors, 108 new cadets from every State in the Union competing.

The Norfolk Fire.

NORFOLK, Va., Sept. 3.—The fire which occurred in this city last night burned over an area of about two acres, and destroyed 27 buildings on Nebraska and Water streets. The buildings, together with the stock of S. R. White & Bro., were valued at about $75,000, on which there was considerable insurance. With the exception of White's factory which was a large and imposing one, most of the buildings destroyed were of slight value.

NATIONAL CHAIRMAN BUTLER

IS INTERVIEWED BY THE ATLANTA JOURNAL AND TELLS SOME INTERESTING FACTS.

Why He Favored Bryan as The Nominee For President at The St. Louis Convention—His Position on The Candidates Notification—No Truth in The Reports of a Clash Between Mr. Watson and Himself.

To The Atlanta Journal.]

The Peoples Party national committee is exerting every effort to unite and solidify the silver vote against McKinley and the single gold standard. To this end we have accepted every proposition that was in any way fair and reasonable, and where such propositions have not been made we stand ready to make them and will make them in due time.

As conscious as we are that the Peoples Party has forced the financial question to the front and made it the overshadowing issue in this campaign, yet we are more devoted to the success of the principles which our party was organized to advance than we are to any merely partisan advantage, and whenever the other silver forces are actuated by the same spirit we will have no trouble in effecting a strong and harmonious co-operation that will win.

I did not go to St. Louis for Bryan and Sewall. If I had consulted my personal feelings and the personal feelings of probably a large part of the Peoples Party in North Carolina, I would have gone there favoring a straight Peoples Party ticket. But realizing that the result of this campaign meant more to the people and to the welfare of our republican institutions than the success of any party simply as a party. I went to St. Louis determined to fight for that course that would most surely advance the principles of the Peoples Party and therefore most certainly defeat the gold standard candidates and all that they represent. Therefore on arriving at St. Louis I at once took the position that we should nominate Mr. Bryan because he was probably as good a representative of the people and the principles for which we contend in this fight as any other man that we could nominate; and also because he had already several million votes outside of the Peoples Party already pledged to his support.

In short, I took the position that the Peoples Party should practice what it has preached, that is, to put patriotism and the welfare of the country above party. We did this in the nomination of Mr. Bryan.

If the second man on the Chicago ticket had stood for what Mr. Bryan stands for, then the Peoples Party national convention would have nominated the whole ticket by a much larger majority than it nominated Mr. Bryan. But, inasmuch as this was not the case, it was our duty to the country as well as to ourselves to nominate for the second place on the ticket a man who represents what Mr. Bryan represents. This we have done; we have improved on the Chicago ticket. Bryan and Watson is not only the best silver ticket in the field, but it represents just the opposite of what the McKinley-Hobart ticket represents.

Of course the Democrat who supports Mr. Bryan simply because he is the nominee of his party would not concur with me in this position, because such a man does not support Mr. Bryan because of the principles he represents but under protest supports him in spite of the principles he represents. But the man who supports Bryan because he is on the side of the people in this fight will also support Mr. Watson and for the same reason that he supports Mr. Bryan.

I HAVE NEVER OPPOSED THE NOTIFICATION OF OUR CANDIDATES.

This false impression has no doubt been created by an interview in which I stated that the Peoples Party did not notify its candidates Weaver and Field, in 1892, in the same manner in which the old parties have been accustomed to notifying their candidates—that the matter of notification was simply a brass-band affair and gave an opportunity to party managers to make a political demonstrations. In the same interview I stated that the committee had at that time taken no action with reference to the matter and that whatever action was taken would be governed largely as a matter of political policy, rather that such action would be taken as was thought would help the cause of financial reform.

There is no clashing between Mr. Watson and myself. The conference today was not held to settle any difference, but simply to confer about general matters concerning the campaign. The national committee of the Peoples Party only regrets that it cannot have the benefit of Mr. Watson's presence at headquarters in the same way that Mr. Hobart is giving his committee his presence, counsel and advice. Mr. Watson's services in the field cannot be spared for that purpose.

MARION BUTLER.

Resolutions Adopted.

MARY ANN POPULIST CLUB ROOMS, No. 5, Township, Edgecombe County, N. C., Sept. 5.—In view of the questionable action of our national convention in adopting a line of tactics contrary alike to the teachings of our national platform and what we believe to be the best interest of the Populist cause thereby creating a feeling of doubt and uncertainty as to the policy of our trusted leaders, we regard it as a duty we owe to our country and ourselves to express our disapproval of the course pursued by our delegates at the St. Louis convention on the 22 day of July, 1896, in naming William Bryan, of Nebraska, as our standard bearer for President in the face of his positive refusal to accept the same without we would put forward the name of Arthur Seawall, of Maine, in accordance with the nomination made at Chicago by the national Democratic convention, therefore be it

Resolved, That we still hold to the principles of our party as expressed in the Omaha platform, and that we cannot endorse any man with our suffrage whose attitude is so questionable that he cannot permit his name to be associated with the Hon. Thomas E. Watson, of Georgia, while he glories in the presence of Arthur Sewall, of Maine.

Resolved 2nd, That we endorse the stand taken by the Progressive Farmer, a newspaper published in the city Raleigh N. C.

Resolved 3rd, That a copy of these resolutions be furnished the Progressive Farmer and THE CAUCASIAN, two reform papers published in the city of Raleigh, N. C., for publication.

C. H. SPIVEY,
President.

J. B. BARNES, Act. Sec'y.

[We print the above as sent to us, but we believe that this club is in error in regard to candidate Bryan refusing to accept the Peoples Party nomination.—ED.]

Judge Earle Defeats Evans.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Sept. 8.—In the first primary held two weeks ago, 79,000 votes were polled by the three candidates for the nomination of United States Senator. As no one of them received a majority, a second primary was held to-day, Governor Evans and Judge Earle being the candidates. The returns give Earle a majority of 5,125. Each precinct so far heard from gives a larger vote than he got at the same place two weeks ago.

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In Memoriam.

After a brief illness Mr. Malloy McPhaul departed this life on the 9th day of August, 1896, in the 60th year of his age, at his home in Branchville. His kindness and hospitality gave him a warm place in the hearts of all that knew him. He espoused the Alliance cause at its first introduction in North Carolina, being a charter member of Branchville Alliance, No. 14, and ever since has been an earnest and active advocate of its principles, and in his death, both the community and the Alliance, has sustained a serious loss. In memory of our beloved friend and brother, we adopt the following as expressive of our feelings:

RESOLVED 1st, That in the death of Bro. Malloy McPhaul, this Alliance has been called to mourn the loss of a faithful member and sincere friend and the community one of its best citizens, and his family a devoted husband and a kind and generous father.

RESOLVED 2nd, That we feel profoundly grateful to Almighty God in so blessing our Alliance and community with the labors of such a good citizen in whose life were exhibited in a remarkable degree so many noble traits of character.

RESOLVED 3rd, That we tender to the bereaved family our heartfelt sympathy. And may God bestow his covenant mercies in fullest measure upon the bereaved ones.

RESOLVED 4th, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon our minutes, that a copy be sent to the family of the deceased, and also to the Progressive Farmer, CAUCASIAN and Populist with request to publish.

DANIEL MCLEAN,
LUTHER BRACY,
NEWT. PAUL,
Committee.

Moyock Township Convention.

Moyock township Peoples Party convention met Saturday the 29th of August, at Moyock school house, A. T. Garrett was elected temporary chairman, and Thos. H. Fulford, secretary. The names of Thos. I. Chappell, P. C. Garrett and Wm. H. Tell, were placed in nomination for magistrates and were unanimously nominated.

C. D. Ritter was nominated for constable.

The following were elected executive committee: A. T. Garrett, W. S. Mercer, N. D. Sorey, T. H. Fulford, and Wm. H. Lee; and C. B. Mathias chairman.

We heartily endorse the manly conduct of Hon. Marion Butler and other Populist leaders in high and low places and promises to stand by them as long as they stand by the people.

Moved that this report be sent to THE CAUCASIAN for publication.

A. T. GARRETT, Chm'n,
THOS. H. FULFORD, Sec'ty.

Currituck Convention.

Pursuant to call of county chairman, the Populist of Currituck county assembled in convention the 3rd day of September, 1896.

The chairman stated the object of the meeting to be the nomination of a member of the legislature and county officers. The following persons were nominated, viz:

P. L. Northern, for Representative; Alma B. Midgett, for Sheriff; Noah W. Gregory, for Treasurer; John M. Bell, for Register of Deeds. Office of suveyor to be filled by executive committee. Jeremiah B. Davis, for Coroner; Edward Baum, Alex T. Garrett, John Litchfield, commissioners.

The committee appointed to report the relation to and interest of this convention in the State convention andreform cause &c., beg to report the hearty approval and endorsement by this convention of the action of the National and State conventions.

The National and State platforms as adopted by the respective conventions, and we also voice our approval and endorsement of the senatorial and judicial convention.

BE IT RESOLVED, That we hereby voice our thanks and approval of our patriotic Statesmen.

Senator Marion Butler and Congressman Harry Skinner for their patriotic course as representatives of the people.

RESOLVED, That we hereby tender our thanks and hearty approval to the "Progressive Farmer" and "CAUCASIAN," for the grand work they have done and doing for the reform cause.

RESOLVED, That these resolutions and the proceedings of this convention be published in the Progressive Farmer and "CAUCASIAN."

RESOLVED, That we hereby voice our thanks to the friends of reform in the county, and extend a cordial invitation to all friends of the cause soliciting their aid.

Respectfully submitted,
Dr. J. F. GARRENTON,
J. C. GARRETT,
A. HAMPTON,
N. N. HAMPTON,
J. M. BELL,
Committee.

On motion the report was adopted.

Election of county chairman for the ensuing term being in order, Thos. H. Fulford, the present incumbent was unanimously elected. On motion the convention adjourned.

H. J. DOXY,
Secretary.

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PEOPLES PARTY CONVENTIONS.

Martin County.

The county convention of the Peoples Party of Martin county will be held in Williamston, on Wednesday the 16th day of September, 1896, for the purpose of nominating candidates for county officers, a member of the legislature and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the convention.

Each voting precinct is requested to hold their primary conventions on Saturday the 12th day of September, and appoint delegates.

All voters who are opposed to monopolies, goldbugism, bull-pen and ballot-box stuffing are invited and earnestly requested to co-operate with us in the coming election.

By order of the Peoples Party county executive committee.

W. H. WILSON, Chm'n.

Pamlico County.

The Peoples Party of Pamlico county will meet in convention in Bayboro, on September 17th.

Seventh Senatorial District.

I hereby call the Peoples Party convention of the 7th Senatorial district to meet in Nashville, September 26th, at 11 o'clock, for the purpose of nominating two candidates for the Senate, and transacting such other business as may come before the convention.

Prominent speakers will be present. Everybody invited to attend.

JNO. D. MEARES,
Chm'n 7th Senatorial Dist. Ex. Committee.

Eighth Senatorial Convention.

The eighth Senatorial convention comprising the counties of Craven, Carteret, Green, Jones, Lenoir and Onslow, will convene at Kinston, September 23rd, at 11 o'clock a. m. sharp, for the purpose of nominating Senators to represent us in this district and attending to such other business as may come before the convention. Everybody invited to attend this convention. Dr. Cyrus Thompson or some other GOOD SPEAKER will be present, and speak on the issues of the day—after the convention shall have finished its business. Railroads will give especial rates.

G. L. HARDISON, Chm'n,
P. P. Ex. Com. 8th Senatorial Dist.

Mecklenburg County Convention.

The following fusion ticket was nominated at the Mecklenburg county convention of the Peoples Party:

Senate, W. R. Henry, Populist; House, W. S. Clanton, Republican, Dr. Craven, Populist, M. B. Williamson Republican; Register of Deeds, G. L. Sadler, Populist; Treasurer, Nickolus Gibbon, Populist; County Commissoners, F. W. Ahrens, Republican, H. K. Reid, Populist; W. M. Martin, Republican; Surveyor, —— Potts, Coroner, —— Bancom, Republican.

Congressman Martin's Appointments.

Hon. Charles H. Martin, nominee for Congress of the Peoples Party of the Sixth District will address the people at the following times and places on this subject: "The Financial System of the United States, the great goldbug robber that has robbed the people of over FIVE HUNDRED BILLION DOLLARS and is still ROBBING WIDOWS AND ORPHANS, or, Hard Times, their True Cause and True Remedy."

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Wadesboro, September	16th.
Morven, September	17th.
Whites Store, September	18th.
Marshville, September	19th.
Monroe, September	21st.
Warsaw, September	22nd.
Benton's X Roads, September	23rd.
Matthews, September	24th.
Charlotte, September	25th.
Huntersville, September	26th.

No Fusion in Alabama.

Birmingham, Ala., Sept. 3.—There will be no fusion between the Populists and Democrats in Alabama. This question was settled to-day when the Populist State Executive Committee met here and put out a full Bryan and Watson electoral ticket.

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Watauga County Convention.

The Peoples Party of Watauga county met in convention at the court house in Boone, Sept. 3rd. Owing to the short time of the notice there was a small attendance. The meeting was called to order by the county chairman, who appointed Henry Green temporary chairman, and J. P. Robbins secretary. The temporary organization was made permanent.

A motion was made and carried to nominate candidates for Representative, treasurer, and one county commissioner; the rest of the ticket to be filled by the county executive committee. The following gentlemen were nominated by acclamation: Hon. W. H. Farthing, for Representative; L. N. Perkins, for treasurer, and H. H. Farthing, for county commissioner.

Resolutions adopted: The Peoples Party of Watauga county in convention assembled declare our allegiance to the principles set forth in the Peoples Party platforms at Raleigh and St. Louis and pledge ourselves to support the nominees of the party from President to coroner.

Resolved, That as we believe in the principles of a non-partisan judiciary; therefore we ask the Republican and Democratic parties each to nominate only one good man for the office of county commissoner.

L. N. Perkins was continued as chairman of the executive committee.

National Association of Peoples Party Clubs.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 2., 1896.—Political Club organization has proven one of the most effective adjuncts to campaign work that has ever been devised. The present campaign has brought into existence more clubs than any other known in the history of the country. The Peoples Party must not lag behind the procession. There should be a Peoples Party Club in every township in America and, where the party is strong, in every school district. There should be one in each village, and in each city clubs should be organized by wards. These clubs can be not only an important help in the present campaign, but they can also be a permanent good to the party.

Here is the plan: Let each State committee recommend, through the public press and through the regular party organization, the starting of Populists clubs in every precinct in the State. No organizers are necessary for this, although State organizers and county organizers may be appointed. But in the main the people should organize for themselves. These clubs are to be open, are to hold weekly meetings during the campaign and after that as often as they see fit. They are to report the names of their officers (Chairman, Secretary and Treasurer) at once to the National Committee, together with a nominal charter fee of, say One Dollar. The National Committee will in turn forward a charter and enroll the club as a member of the National Association of Peoples Party Clubs. These clubs are to have public discussions, are to distribute literature which will be sent to them from National and State Headquarters, are to attend rallies in a body, are to do quiet work, to make converts in the neighborhoods in which they are organized; and are in every way practicable to lend enthusiasm, energy and effectiveness to the campaign. No initiation fee shall be charged, and no dues other than those voluntarily contributed. No dues shall be paid either to State or National Committees other than voluntary contributions, except the charter fee, which is to be turned at once into the National campaign fund. Literature will be sent out from National Headquarters to every club organization, the club in turn becoming responsible for its proper distribution.

At present organizations, such as legions, alliances, Silver clubs, Populists clubs, Bryan clubs, and other organizations which endorse the principles of the Peoples party, should immediately send names of officers, together with charter fee, direct to these Headquarters and become at once enrolled in the National Organization.

The Peoples Party papers should at once advocate this plan of club organization. It has the sanction of the National Executive committee and will be handled directly from National Headquarters. All reports and correspondence concerning this matter should be directed to J. A. EDGERTON, Secretary Populist National Committee, Wormley Hotel, Washington, D. C.

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