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THE SITUATION.

The joint canvass of the county has

tened and fair. With a very few exceptions the closest attention has been given all the speakers, and there is had their eyes opened to the truth. They have been put to thinking. They are beginning to see that they being opened. Good seed have been sown and good fruit will be the result.

Close observation leads us to believe that the Populists are no stron- bread and butter brigade, and is only ger comparatively than they were two years ago. Their only hope of success comes from the negro vote. They are down in the dust courting this but the negro has his eyes open. He knows all the Populists want with him is his vote. They have been fooled often before but the most intelligent of them will not vote at all and many others will vote the Democratic tick-

There is no use underestimating other of those extremes. the strength of the opposition. It is composed of all the disaffected element. Its watchword is anything to beat the Democrats. Its strongest rounced conflicts, aggravate all evils argument is hard times and 5c. cotton. Its appeal is most powerful with | tends to civil war, not peace. the ignorant and the unsuccessful.

Democrats can't defeat this combimate the strength of our enemy we e's as well as others. will be defeated. Defeat is certain if the rank and file of our party fail to \$96,156,000,000, or nine and a half vote. Our greatest danger is that times more money than there is in use Democrats may not voce. If every | in the whole world. Democrat will go to the polls and do his full duty we will win a glorious victory. One thing is certain. All the Populists will be there. If the and it may reach 2,000. Let every Democrat work earnestly to carry it up to 2,000. Vote yourselves and see that your neighbor votes.

WANT THE LEGISLATURE.

recently Oliver Dockery, a life long Republican, who has held positions of honor in his party, said : Our cooperation is solely for the purpose of which would take away the power to of the legislature? Every intelligent man knows the next legislature will -- Concord Times. elect two United States Senators, and the Populists and Republicans want them. There is no reasonable doubt that there has been a trade made by which the Populists are to get one and county by the Democratic candidates it. They can't deny it.

Any man who votes the Populist ticket is voting, for a party that will if it succeeds place a Republican and a Populist in the United States Sen. ate. Will the good people of Meckleaburg sit idly by and see the state

legislative ticket. That is the import-

There is where the fight will be made. Watch the legislative ticket and see that you vote for every one of the nominees. Don't scratch a name. They are all good men and true Dem-

DEMOCRATS of Mecklenburg look to your legislative ticket. Do not allow our enemies to capture the legislature. That is what they are fighting for. They are working like beavers. If Democrats would win they must work too. Let every Democrat work from now till election day, and on that day let all true Democrats go to the polls early and stay till the vic-

RICHMAD PEARSON, the Populist-Republican candidate for Congress in the 9th district boasts that he will send fifteen legislators to Raleigh to vote for Pritchard, (Rep.) and Butler | sight." (Pop.) This is only another cvidence that all the bonest men in the Populist party have been betrayed. ticket is endorsing the treachery.

Republicans Oppose It.

Mr. A. D. Cowles, of Statesville, is a life-long Republican of note and influence. He is opposed to fusion, and closes a letter against it in these

1892 we were in combat with both. not one in theirs on which a Republi- of the State has been destroyed and

with conscience and principle.

publican to the core I can't be a Pop ker. ulist even skin deep-not even for blasts, called Populism. The Chron revenue only. The part of candor | icle writing of its own State says: forces me to make an issue. I shall vote for Republicans nominated; I shal' decline to vote for any other. been completed. Only a few extra Populist friends. They gain noth- how bright the sun is shining when which he has been led to believe will sirable in ing. Republicans, stand by your The discussions have been high- arms! Your principles are to you as dear as life itself. Desertion means reason. Self inflicted death is suicide. Vote for Furches and Faircloth. for Sharpe and Brown for the Senate: no room to doubt but that much good for Morrow for the House. Preserve has been done. Democrats have been your cherished principles and your aroused to activity. Pepulists have honor. Conventions are the creatures of the people, and I deny the right of any such body to control the voter other than by the platform of the party-the only true chart. Let the have been deceived and their eyes are Republican party stand firm and refuse to be delivered as goods and chattels to this unholy alliance. Let not the damning charge be proven to the world that the grand old Republican party has degenerated into a

of public plunder. Remember this fellow Republicans proclaim on the streets, cry it from the house tops, that the national Revote. They are wooing the negro, publican congressional committee states its objections to the Populist

held together by the cohesive power

party in these words: 1. That being based on an assumption of the poverty and destitution of the masses, it is in danger of becomof them will not be fooled again. Many | ing an organized attack on all rights of private property and must end in Anarchy or Communism. No one should enter the party who is not prepared to follow it to one or the

2 That being an attempt to organize one class of citizens against another class, laborers against capitalists, it must lead to more proof organized lockouts and strikes and

3. That being based on charges of universal corruption and fraud, it tends to break down all confidence of nation without work. If our people | man in man and begets the very corfail to do their duty and underesti- ruption it charges, in its own follow-

4. The grand total of the money

Remember, Republicans, poor bleeding Kansas and take the advice of the national Republican committee. Hold to your true principles, defend your colors, vote the Republican tick-Democrats do their duty our majority | et and be saved. Sacrifice your leadat the lowest estimate will be 1,200 ers rather than your principles, and bear the ills you have rather than fly to those you know not of. If this be treason make the most of

To Take Away Their Votes.

Colored men, remember that in every State where the Pops. have In a speech delivered at Raleigh gained control they have enacted a more stringent election law than we Democratic party denounces the folnow have in North Carolina. The lowing : Populist platform DEMANDS the "unperverted Australian ballot system, getting control of the legislature." vote from all who cannot read and And why do they want to get control from many others. Do the colored people want to vote in power a party that will fix them so they cau't vote?

Killed by a Republican

John E Brothers, the Democratic registrar of Salem township, Passquotank county, who was shot twice on the Republicans the other. This ex-sheriff and a prominent Republican charge has been made all over the politician, died the next day, as is learned from the Raleigh News and and the Populists have never denied Observer. The difficulty was of a political character.

The statement that the Democrats appointment. He has no need of have raised the price of sugar is false. coming to Mecklenburg, so far as his The wholesale price of sugar is less individual interests are concerned, recent State election has been com- 15, 17 and 19 S. College Street, now than it was a year ago, and jet for the county is for him almost to a pleted and shows that W. Y. Atkiulest? Remember the legislative tick- white under the old law the govern- man and he has a large following in son, Democrat, has a majority of 24, ment got nothing under the new law the city; but for the benefit of the 161 over J. K. Hines, Populist. At- see us. Yours truly, et is what they are after. Then let the sugar schedule brings into the Democracy in general the News would kinson ran about 7,000 behind the

A fine object lesson is at hand. Populism has been tried, tested, ex- of its own party. It says: perienced in Colorado, and the same ed the ideal Populist leader. He is blood shricker, and about as capable was ready to commence as Marion Butler. The Augusta

Chronicle says of him: "He was ready to wade in blood to of Colorado once ranked next to New | the State committee. York, but now it is impossible to bor-

do that throws the needed light to to the extreme. let every one in the South know pre-

Republicans for it is non-partisan. straight Democratic ticket. Many of the members have been also Populists This Business Men's Lea-Against this policy are arrayed the | gue declare that Waite and his gang | the city good government. Democratic and Populistic parties. In have consumed by their folly and madness \$300,000,000 of value in the Populist party would stand, and combined and at one time. The credit values have shrunk. The blight has Expediency is the only bond of been awful, now men with money union. I have tried to reconcile it stay away and will not invest. The other States should take warning and bling dens and policy shops, and I can't do it. Being as I am a Re- avoid blatant, reckless demagogues Governor Lewelling so declares it. and the thing that destroys and

"There is no reason to believe that it Populism will be freer from disas trous results in Georgia than in Colo-Temporary success even would only rado or in Kansas. If men who are be permanent loss. I deeply regret incompetent and fanatical are put in the compromise the party has made, charge of any government they can Populist to know that the political and my sympathy even extends to my wreck its prosperity, it matters not party with which he is affiliated, and Well stocked with all that is new and de-

of the old, "fire-tried" North Caroli | power to prey upon society."

But this is not all. Populism has proved a great curse and blight in spot and knows of what he talks:

business of every kind.

of many bond buyers were present to them." The Republican party has figure on the bonds and make their had a fair trial in North Carolina, and offers. But when it became known every intelligent man knows the rethat Spokane had elected a Populist sults. They were the very opposite mayor, their principals telegraphed of the conditions we now see

mated, 20,000 people left the State dangerous ism has triumphed Its and the very low price we put on shoes is

tor or newspaper say a word condem- would be poor business to intensify and Glass departments you will find natory of the action of these armed our troubles by unsettling affairs at special bargains, and the largest collection non-union men and the owners of been striving so long, and now that ing this has ever escaped from the and fight the battle over again? lips of the Populist speakers or lead-

In view of all this and the great weighs them all. and overshadowing danger that threatens the very existence of this nation, it is the plain and imperative duty of every true and loyal American citizen, wherever opportunity at the polls is offered, to place his seal of condemnation upon the dangerous doctrines and principles of the Populist party .-

This is What it Amounts to.

Every Populist who denounces the

1. The income tax.

Wilmington Messenger.

2. Free Cotton bagging. 3. Free cotton ties 4. Free agricultural implements. 5. A better anti-trust law. 6. Abolition of the sugar bounty.

7. Fifty per cent. reduction on cot-

9. 77 per cent reduction on woolen shawls 10. 72 per cent. reduction on woolen

blankets. 11. An average reduction of twentyfive per cent, on almost every article

that enters into general consumption. fusion, such as the present, will kill it. A Disappointment.

The News last week said: There it a wound from which they will not is no necessity for a quarrel over the resover in many years-News-Observer. matter of Mr. Jarvis' Mecklenburg

The people of Kansas have had a The scene is Colorado. The Drama- taste of Populism and they know what Courier has this to say about the Re-'is Personae are the Populists. The it is. Here is what the Topeka (a publican-Populist deal in Settle's dischief actor is Governor Waite. The Populist paper) of July 21st 1894 trict. Honest men of all parties will lesson is important. It teaches the says about the condition of things in repudiate such trickery. No party people everywhere as to what Popu- that State. It would be well for our deserves success that will countelism is in practice. The thing called people to read what this paper says nance it. Read what the Courier

"Since the inauguration of Governpeople are "sufficiently amused." or Lewelling down to the 3rd of Ju- and Republican leaders called for the The Populists had full sway and ly last he has been busy in carrying direct support of the Republican canwhat a sway! Governor Waite is of out or toying with the contracts made | didate for Congress in this district by that material out of which is fashion- with Democracy at Wichita and since. the Populists. The Republicans in

"Was there ever such political

treachery on record? Possibly he is sorry he has not the up, in part, with delegates elected chance. But what has been the re- under a forged call of the city primasult of the reign of Populism upon ries, and largely by the manipulation the commercial standing of Colorado. of the police department acting un-The borrowing power of the property | der orders from their superiors and | like there would be a square fight be-

row on a gold mine at the rate of one elling, the State officers and Chair- The delay was due to Butler and Set dollar for five dollars' worth of ore in man Breidenthal, encourage them in the. The latter wanted to make a We have information from Colora. | litical method of whipping in, carried | Populists toward him. The test has

cisely how Populism has worked in turned a deaf ear to their sycophantic essary. Butler was notified that a And every Populist who votes this Colorado, how great a curse and dis- pleadings, and refused to endorse a candidate must be nominated; he passappointment it has proved to the peo- single nominee of the so called Pop- ed the word down the line and the ple The growing, flourishing city ulist convention Democracy said, order was promptly obeyed. of Denver has a Business Men's Lea- we have enough of your shams and of gue It has 5,000 members and your frauds; henceforth we will go it Populists met and nominated Dr. they are made up of Democrats and alone, and proceeded to nominate a Merritt, of Person county, as their

"Then why were they removed?

"Because they antagonized the Now we are asked to fight with one that State. Think of that It is interest of the saloons and gambling against the other. Why? There is enormous. It is worse than floods dens of closing them up at 10 o'clock not a plank in our platform on which and fires and "combustions dire" all at night and on Sundays, and there is no escaping this charge.

' Kansas Populism stands for unrestricted operation of saloons and Governor Lewelling so declares it "Kansas Populism stands for gam

"Kansas Populism stands for more bawdy houses and more prostitution, and Governor Lewelling so decares

"Kansas Populism stands for 'moral, financial and material ruin,' and Governor Lewelling so declares it. "It must be humiliating to a true The frantic, rabid cranks in charge | bor, has gotten down so low in the of Porulism worked a great evil also slums of vice fraud and corruption. has professed, pretended and lied to Take heed and flee from the curse such an extent that it is recognized of Populism, made far more danger- among thinking and observing men ous and vicious when united with and as the chief source from which the vicblended with Radicalism, especially lous and criminal classes derive their

Judge the Tree by its Fruits. Webster's Weekly in a recent issue Dregon and Washington States. It says: The best test of a tree is its has worked the same mischief there fruit. The best test of a theory is that it has done in Kansas and Cole- its practical results. Corruption canrado. Mr. J. N. Hartley writes from not bring forth purity. If our State Portland, Oregon, to the Lenoir government is corrupt and tyrannical, 1886. Topic. He says, and he is on the how is it that peace reigns throughout the State? How is it that taxes are "Wherever the Populist party lower here than in any State in the have succeeded in electing a mayor in | Union save one? How is it that our any of the towns of the two States | bonds are as good as New York's in above mentioned, it has paralyzed the money centries of the world? How is it that free schools stand open At Spokane last spring a Populist to every child and asylums are promayor was elected. The city at that | vided for the insane and the deaf and time was offering bonds for sale to the dumb? These are remarkable repromote certain public improvements sults to flow from a corrupt scource

of an important character. Agents "By their fruits ye shall know orders withdrawing them from the Populism has been tried in other States, and it has proven incapable Men who possess capital will not and corrupt. Colorado, whose credit States, has been almost bankrupted by Kansas has so felt the injury of Populist rule. It is the same in Populism so that last year, it is esti- Kansas and everywhere else that this for homes in more favored States. theory of government is false; strife moving stacks of them. Letter Kid But-

Mr. Hartley, after seeing the destruc- and disorder naturally flow from it. tion wrought in Commonwealths by The best argument of the Democratic and up to an elegant hand welt at 12.00 the l'opulist craze and incompetency, party is the pratical results of Demo- hand sewed, made by N. Hess & Bro , at cratic rule in North Carolina. What- \$3 50 that would be cheap at \$5 00 We "No man during this political cam- ever may be the failings of the can give so better evidence of the power bought and range in price from \$3 10 to paign has ever heard a Populist ora- administration at Washington, it of dollars than in Shoes. destroying property and murdering It is for peace and order that we have good Hand Saw at 48e Chamber Sets

National questions are important. but good government at home out-

We Can't Afford it. Suppose for an instant that the fu- every one sionists could carry the Legislature of North Carolina, and elect two United States Senators. According to their plan one Senator would be Marion Butler, the Populist, and some prominent Republican would be the

their party platforms, North Carolina and save money. would really have no voice in Legiska-

Butler would vote for free and unlimited coinage of silver; his collergue would vote against it; Butler would tariff reduction, his colleaugue for Me. | we can show you gath Kinleyism; Butler would favor woman suffrage; his colleague would oppose. This dem nstrates the lack of any com-8. 89 per cent. reduction on woolen mon ground for fusion. - Roxboro

The Populist Grave.

The grave of the Populist party is

already dug, no matter what the result in this campaign. It will be laid away to rest in the bosom of the Radical party just as in the case of the Liberal party ten years ago. Dishonorable

Official Count of the Georgia Vote. The official count of the vote at the have been glad to have had him here. others on the State ticket,

and the Republicans will receive from

A recent issue of the Roxboro

The bargain between the l'opulists "These hellish schemes now set- the 4th district were to vote for as extreme as Otho Wilson, the tled, by agreement, the campaign Strowd, the Populist candidate, in return for the support to be given Settle by the Populists in this district. Coupled with the said bar-"Following this, the county con- gain was a provision that if it was his bridle bit, and probably is yet. vention of Shawnee County was made seen in the progress of the campaign that the Populists could not be delivered to Settle, then a candidate was to be put up to keep them from voting for Graham. It began to look tween Graham and Settle at the polls, "They know that Governor Lew- as the Populists held off so long.

their hellish work. It is the old po- practical test of the feeling of the been made and he is convinced that a "But the Democratic convention | Populist candidate is absolutely nec-

At Hillshoro last Wednesday the candidate. Marion Butler, fresh from "The Board of Atchison City had a secret conference with A. E. Holdone their duty as officials and given | ton, the Republican State chairman, was on hand to boss the job and stifle any opposition that might develop.

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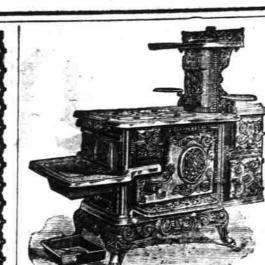
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