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Democratic State 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 TREASURER, BENJAMIN F. AYCOCK, OF WAYNE. FOR AUDITOR, ROBERT M. FURMAN, OF BUNCOMBE. FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL, FRANK I. OSBORNE, OF MECKLENBURG. FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, JOHN C. SCARBOROUGH, OF JOHNSON. FOR JUSTICES SUPREME COURT, A. C. AVERY, of Burke, G. H. BROWN, Jr., of Beaufort. FOR ELECTORS, STATE-AT-LARGE, LOCKE CRAIG, of Buncombe, W. C. DOUGLAS, of Moore.

We hardly like the idea of sending men to Chicago who wanted to bolt that Convention until it was plain that it would declare for silver.

An account of a lynching bee is the latest news from Maryland. The Hon. Lloyd Lowndes should see to it that such things are not tolerated in Republican Maryland.

Hon. Jas. L. Webb has announced that he is a candidate for Congress in the 8th district. We hope he will be successful in getting the nomination, and successful in the November election.

The Southern Mill Men in session at Atlanta the other day decided to curtail production 50%. But you know supply has nothing to do with the low prices of goods! Why not ask Marion Butler what to do?

We have heard a great many people remark that the State platform put up at Raleigh the other day is rather rank. It is almost bitter. The most extreme silver men hardly expected such a platform.

The Washington Times speaks of the present administration as the "duck hunting dynasty." All you need to do to be popular these days is to abuse the president, call him traitor, king, or something of the kind.

Senator Harris, of Tennessee, is to be permanent chairman of the Chicago Convention. If the delegates treat him like he usually treats the presiding officer of the Senate, there is fun ahead of the "wet hen of the Senate."

Senator Marion Butler spoke three hours at Wilmington the other night, subject: "The free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1 without waiting for any other nation to move."

Adding to knowledge (?) patience!

If one of those wicked gold bugs should now say, (in his dreams, of course) anything about bolting the State ticket, or any Democratic ticket for that matter, the silver papers would have him executed by sunrise. It makes a great difference as to who gets beat. This only illustrates the difference between the Democracy of some people who shall be "nameless now forever more," and those "North Carolina John-Sherman-gold bug-Republican" Democrats of a few months ago.

The Wilmington Messenger of last Sunday called Marion Butler "the supreme demagogue known to the political history of North Carolina." This leaves out several gentlemen who are worthy of mention somewhere up toward the head of the "supreme" limit.

If THE DEMOCRAT can do no more in this campaign than help to get the silver men to vote their own ticket, and to remind the gold men of their solemn duty of saving North Carolina from the evils of Republican rule, then it shall have done something.

PRESIDENT Cleveland announced this week that he would never vote for McKinley, and straightway the Raleigh News and Observer wonders whether he will vote for 16 to 1, or go fishing, or bolt. The Raleigh paper need not concern itself. Cleveland is a better Democrat than "the enemies he has made."

We call the attention of our silver friends to the ticket at the head of these columns. It is our ticket, and we are going to put in a few licks for it between now and frost, without something unexpected happens. Read this issue of the Democrat carefully and see if you don't think we are coming around!

We have received of the Seaboard Air Line Railroad a very handsomely illustrated pamphlet, "Summer Homes and Resorts Along the S. A. L." The pamphlet contains a neat picture and an account of the Lincoln Lithia Inn. The Lincoln Lithia water is widely known.

Mr. Ed. Chambers Smith, says the Raleigh News and Observer, is at Morehead City this week for his health. His political duties for some time past have been rather onerous, and we are not at all surprised that he needs rest after the neat "set back" he got at Raleigh on the 25th of June.

SENATORS Butler and Pritchard have long ago been invited to speak at the celebration of the Guilford Battle Ground Association July 4th. Now, it appears Walter R. Henry is also invited to speak. Why not invite Cy Thompson, S. Otho Wilson and the whole lay out? It will never do to slight the "patriots" on such a "patriotic" occasion!

THE North Carolina delegation to Chicago are to have quarters at the Sherman House while in that city. We are a little surprised at this! The very name of Sherman puts a bad taste in the mouths of North Carolina Democrats. Our delegates should be careful into whose company they fall. "Sherman House" is not a name to conjure with down here!

The Rockingham Index, an independent paper with Republican leanings, edited by a nephew of Col. O. H. Dockery, says of the gubernatorial candidate:

Mr. Watson is a Democrat because he believes in Democracy. He did not scutter broadcast the most infamous falsehood to secure it [the nomination]. Consequently he will get his party's undivided support.—Landmark.

THE Caucasian says the Democratic State Convention was not sincere in its declarations in favor of free silver, because the Convention failed to recognize Ed. Chambers Smith and Judge McRae, two ardent silver men. Of course, the Caucasian wants some excuse to bolster up its side. Wonder whether it would have changed the Caucasian's faith, had the Convention been kind to Smith and McRae? In that event, we expect the Raleigh editor would have kicked because the Convention did not take Dr. Mott and Benj. Franklin Keith under its wings!

THE Charlotte Observer says: There was noticed, among other things, that nothing was said in the State convention Thursday about "senatorial primaries." The Democratic party of North Carolina always knows when it has enough of any one thing.

Yes, we have all had enough of them. If our memory is not at fault, we rather think the man in whose interest this business was first inaugurated has enough too—enough to do to get clear of the odium attaching to that scheme. Now, what do you say about electing Senators by the people? Are there not enough purely elective offices already?

THE DEMOCRAT has a communication from Mr. W. A. Graham, Jr. He says he did not introduce any resolution at the Catawba Springs Primary, reflecting on this paper. In view of which fact, we wish to withdraw our former remarks as to him.

Mr. Graham also goes on to find fault with the policy of this paper and claims this paper has damaged the party in this County. That is an old song. We have heard such talk quite often from men who have thought the best thing for the Democracy to do was to go out of business and turn over the shop to the Alliance and the Populists.

As a pointer, we wish to remark that we think our work for Democracy this fall will be about as effective as some other people's. And as to Populists and Republicans using what we have said about this silver question before the conventions as thunder against Democratic candidates, that is all stuff. Our private views are our own, they do not belong to the party.

THE STATE CONVENTION.

The State Democratic Convention last week was the next largest in the history of the party. All the schemes of the traders have miscarried so far. The ticket nominated is a good one—as good as any one could expect to be put up by the dominant element of the Democratic party of this State. The nominees of the Convention are all men of character and integrity. They have all been more or less prominent in North Carolina politics for some years past. They are all men who will work for the good of the State.

The platform is not what it should be. The denunciation of the administration could very easily have been omitted. Nothing will be gained by such a course. It was expected that the Convention would not endorse the administration's financial policy, but it was expected that the Convention would endorse it in other respects. It does not become Democrats to denounce their own administration and to hiss and jeer the name of the chief executive of 65 millions of people. Such work deserves condemnation. Decent respect for the powers that be ought have prompted a different course. It is a sad fact that there are so many men in this State who think it popular to denounce Cleveland and his administration.

But the ticket has been put up. The State must not be ruled by Russell and his crowd. The silver question is a matter for the national convention. It should not be allowed to interfere with our defeat of Russell and the whole Populist-Republican lay out. Let all Democrats go to work to put the State in the hands of the ticket which the Democrats have nominated. Let "sound money" Democrats act the part of men, let them accept defeat with good grace, let the majority hiss and denounce other Democrats, but let us remember that the most effective rebuke to rudeness and bad manners is a forgiving spirit and a disposition to treat those who may be guilty of such, with forbearance. The minority can afford to wait for vindication. The anti-free silver men must win the admiration of their former opponents by the course they have taken. There are no better Democrats in North Carolina than those men who have been called sound money Democrats, and they do not mean to tarnish their reputation at this time by any failure to support the ticket put up at Raleigh yesterday week ago. Let the good work of defeating Russell begin at once.

THE PENALTY OF HONESTY.

The Wilmington Messenger says of one of North Carolina's ablest sons: Heigho! North Carolina's son in Georgia, Judge Henry G. Turner, who turned goldbug while in the Federal House, declines to stand for re-election. Hardy one-fifth of the voters in his own county—where his home and his neighbors are, would follow him, but voted for free silver. It is a good way to decline to do a thing when you cannot do it. The ex-Representatives cannot be re-elected, so he wisely concludes to stay at home. When he flopped after his election he should have resigned and ceased at once to misrepresent his constituency who trusted him. His entire district went in a whoop against his present principles.—Dingleyism.

The above is, to say the least, uncharitable. Judge Turner is to be commended instead of being censured. It is a bit strange when one of the foremost silver papers in this State deliberately ridicules the honest motives of a man of Judge Turner's ability. In this connection we wish to say that we heard ex-Congressman Dargan, of South Carolina, say this week that in point of ability and character Judge Turner was the peer of any man in Congress. Mr Dargan knew Judge Turner for eight years. And besides there is very little use now to trample on "gold bugs." They recognize that "the war is over!"

JUDGE CLARK'S POLITICS.

We have no desire to read any more Democrats out of the party, since the voice of the people has been heard, but we can not refrain from giving some of our friends in this County the following from the ablest free silver paper in the State, the Wilmington Messenger: While we personally esteem highly Judge Clark, we confess we do not like some of his political views. He is too much of a Populist to suit our ideas of a candidate for the Democratic party in 1896. His endorsement for the Vice Presidency will not be so popular as may be concluded from the unanimity in the Convention. We prefer a Democrat of a stricter Jeffersonian type for the high office of Vice President. We confess we would not like to vote for any man for a political office who advocated an extension of Federal Government power by controlling private dispatches of freemen and by ownership of the telegraph lines.

We have gotten a good deal of personal abuse in some quarters for saying the same thing. We hope the above will stop the mouths of some people who continually talk about our unjust attacks on Democrats. We have never attacked Judge Clark any more than the above attacks him, and we felt a little relieved when we found one free silver paper that is not afraid to tell the truth.

Russell's Opinion of Watson.

Judge D. L. Russell, the Republican nominee for Governor, was at the opera house last night to hear Senator Butler's speech, and a Messenger representative asked him what he thought of the Democratic nominee for Governor. He replied: "I know Mr. Watson very well. I have met him at the bar and have tried cases with him, and I regard him as a strong and able lawyer and one of the brainiest men in North Carolina, which is equivalent to saying that he is one of the best minds in the United States."

"God Save Illinois."

The Republicans of Illinois have nominated for Governor John E. Tanner. The Democrats of Illinois have nominated for Governor John P. Altgeld. God save Illinois! The Herald-Times takes to the woods—Chicago Herald-Times.

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THE PENALTY OF HONESTY.

At Canton, Ohio, McKinley's home, the Republicans held a big demonstration last week in honor of their presidential candidate. Chas Emory Smith, editor of the Philadelphia Press, was one of the principal speakers.

Fits Cured. From Dr. J. E. Peckham's Bulletin. Prof. W. H. Peckham, who makes a specialty of Epilepsy, has without doubt treated and cured more cases than any living Physician; his success is astonishing. We have heard of cases cured by him. He publishes a valuable work on this disease, which he sends gratis to a large number of his absolute cure, free to any sufferers who may send their P. O. and Express address. We advise any one wishing a cure to address Prof. W. H. Peckham, P. O. 4 Cedar St., New York.

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Raleigh and its Water Works Company are having a small row about the purity of Raleigh's water supply, says the News and Observer.

Charlotte is having a bicycle craze on a large scale. A dealer down there is selling \$100 wheels at \$87.50, and everybody is trying to get one.

John D Thorne, of Littleton, N. C, in Sunday's News and Observer favors the nomination of Teller. He says he is the only man who can unite the silver forces.

Mr A B Kimball, of the Charlotte Democrat, has been elected professor of Mathematics at Oak Ridge institute. Mr Kimball took the Mathematics medal at Chapel Hill.

Mr. Clarence Sherrill, son of M. O. Sherrill, of Newton, was the successful applicant before the examining board at Salisbury last Thursday for the West Point Cadetship.

Capt. E B C Hamley returned this morning from Baltimore where he has been to see George Vanderbilt. Mr. Vanderbilt last week purchased forty-one fine cows from Capt. Hamley's stock farm at Rockwell.—Salisbury World.

At the opening exercises of the Confederate Reunion at Richmond this week, Gen. Wade Hampton was given an ovation. Gen. O'Ferrall delivered the address of welcome. Gen. John B Gordon presided. Mrs Jefferson Davis and Miss Winnie Davis were among the honored guests.

Cyrus B. Watson was tendered a big reception on his return home last Friday evening. The people of Winston turned out in crowds to meet the next governor. A good deal of speechmaking was indulged in. Watson spoke and said he was going to be the next governor of North Carolina.

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Capt W H Day says the State must not be turned over to Russell and his crowd, that it must be saved at all hazards. Capt Day says that he cannot support a National silver ticket, that he is a Democrat in State politics. He is not so much of a Republican after all.

The Aldermen of Winston have refused to grant any whiskey licenses, and the Republicans who elected the Aldermen there in the spring are astonished. The board has turned away nine applicants. The matter will be taken to the Supreme Court on the point whether the Aldermen have a right to act thus until the town votes to have local option.

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