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STATEMENTS.

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On County, Congressional and State Matters POPULISTS YIELD.

No Arrangement as to Govnor, Lt. Gov. and Auditor.

-----FUSION WITH DEMOCRATS

Is Referred to Populist Central Commit tee-Dockery is Displaced and Revnolds Nominated-Populists get the Best Deal on Congressmen but Swallow the Goldbugs.

After fooling the people for eigthteen months the Republican and Populist Executive Committees agreed to co-operation this afternoon on Congressional and State offices, except the Governor. Lieutenant Governor and Auditor. The proposition is substantially the one submitted by the Republican sub-committee with several amendments. It was originally framed by Chairman Holton, but as adopted today, it was in the handwriting of

Chairman Ayer. In the agreement reached, the Republicans agree to support the Populist nominees, Cy Thompson for Secretary of State; W H Worth for Treasurer; Charles Mebane for Superintendent of Public Instruction. and Col Robert Douglass for Supreme Court Justice. The Poputisty in return agree to support the Bepublican nominces, Zeb V Walser for Attorney General; Walter Montgomery for Associate Justice; Spencer Adams, of Durham, for Judge of the Fifth Judicial District. In the Congressional division, the

Republicans agree to give their sup-

ective committees are pledged to complish the results aimed at in is agreement.	HE
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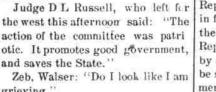
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Chairman Ayer was asked by a PRESS-VISITOR reporter why his party could support Republican candidates for Congress, who are mak ing the canvass for McKinley and gold .

"We made the agreement on the grounds that the Democrats were insincere and no more to be trusted now than in '92 and 94. They have declared for the principle of free silver, but have ' taken no action to show that they are any more sincere now than heretofore. A leading Populist says it is the

sentiment of all of his people that they got all they asked for. Indeed all parties seem to be satisfied.

Chairman Holton said : "I am satisfied.



rieving, Dr J J Mott: "I was for fusion with the Democrats all the time. I wanted to get all silverites together. Have nothing to say. Marshall Mott: "Tip top, RO Patterson: "The best thing we could have done.

Secretary Hyams: "Don't need any campaign fund now. Chairman Manly and Cy. Watson refused to talk.

The Republicans submitted only one proposition, which provided for fusion on all State officers except he Governor, county and Congressional matters.

The Populists made several propositions. The first one was that the Republicans name the United States Senator to secceed Senator Britchard and withdraw Russell in favor of Guthrie for Governor. Fusion on the remainder of the State ticket, on county and congressional matters was included. The Populists insisted on Russell's retirement all the while; and not until after one o'clock did they agree to let the two

What more can I say," spoke Maj. candidates remain in the field. Grant, who has become very indig-At a subsequent meeting of the nant Republican . Executive Committee, "The truth of it is," he said, "Tom Chas Reynolds of Winston was Settle and another Republican are nominated for Lt. Governor in place the only ones who want Judge Rusof Col O H Dockery, whose nominasell to come down. Settle is telling tion was reconsidered. Col Dockery the Populists to insist on Russell's was not consured in any way. retirement, and he thinks that he The Populist Executive Commitwill. I can tell you that every memtee also considered the question of ber of the Executive Committee is electoral fusion. A resolution which unanimous that he shall not withprovided that the Populists do not draw fuse with the Democrats on the Jim Young said that the committee electoral ticket was voted down. It was unanimous at their meeting this was unanimous, the committeeman morning that Russell should never who introducted the resolution votretire from the race. ing against it. Last evening a well known Repub-Chairman Ayer was asked by a lican insisted that Col. Dockery had PRESS-VISITOR reporter for a stateplaced his resignation of the Repubment as to the probability of electoral lican nomination for Lt. Governor fusion. He replied: in the hands of the Republican Exe-"The Populists are determined to cutive Committee in spite of Col. Dockery's denial published yesterday afternoon. Today Col. Dockery was seen and he said that the statement was an absolute and groundless

WILL NEVER RETIRE Convicts Return from Ashboro, Where they have Been Working The Ashboro railroad, the propssell is in the Race to the erty of Mr A F Page, has been graded a distance of 24 miles by

THE ROAD IS GRADED.

State convicts and the work of laying sills and rails began today. The work will be pushed with all vigor and it is expected that trains will be operating in a short time.

Seventy-six of the convicts who have been engaged in grading the Maj. Grant Says Nobody But Liars and road were carrid to the farm at Fools Say so-Attributes all the tulk Wadesboro today. Twenty six came

to Settle who is Urging the on SAL train at noon. A wagon, the body of which was pad The Republicans and Populist Exded with blankets, was in vaiting ecutive committee were in session at the depot to remove the every few minutes last night. Just

sick convicts. Four of them are how many were held it would be just recovering from severe attacks difficult to state. The two sub-comof typhoid fever and they are unable mittees were kept still busier than to sit up. They had to be carried the executive committees, being to the wagon in blankets, though kept on the go-between. The usual every attention possible was shown amount of bluffing was indulged in the unfortunate men, whose faces at the start and for a time it seemed told the story of weeks of agonizing that the conferences would come to

suffering. One poor fellow, who was almost wasted away still had an iron band around his ankle, which was weded there. The wagon as it moved off with its numerous sick, was in fact a hospital on wheels. These men will be well cared for at the penitentiary hospital.

A small ginger cake negro hob-

as compared with some others which bled along on a stick. He tried to make his escape a short while ago Judge Russell was himself very and the guards shot him in the leg. indignant when he saw that the Nearly half of the prisoners had statement had been made and given iron chains around their ankles to the public as true. He raged which were also attached to their waists. This prevents them from running. The faces of those men had crime written across them. They left here three months ago for Ashboro

FOUR HUNDRED BALES. Lots of Cotton and Good Prices in Town Today.

Wilmington street was full of cotton today, and there was a lively Reading stir. The farmers brought their Des. and Cat. Feed .... cotton to the city at the right time, for the market went up on the bu-D. L. & W. reau report and the staple sold at Jersey Central..... good figures, bringing, eight cents Erie right along and some bales brought Silver .... 84. There was life in the air and it was an inspiring scene. It is good September-October ..... 4.37 j b. for business and the lively air brings

Coote and Long.

"The Other Man's Wife. The lead-

ing character is especially suited to

Mr. Coote's peculiar style of acting.

and is a worthy successor to his

"New Boy." He is small of statute,

and possesses a countenance that

might with equal propriety be worn

by a youth of fourteen or a man of

thirty. It is a particularly mobile

countenance, and can portray child-

like innocence or man-like shrewd-

Mr. Long will play a part directly

opposite to that of Mr. Coote's,

which will give them an opportunity

to bring out all the laughter the au-

The company, it is promised, will

be one of excellence, and includes

Julie Kingsley, Idaline Cotton, Lil-

lian Dix, Carrie Medford, Harry C.

Stanley, Wallace Henderson, Henry

dience can furnish.

ness in the twinkling of an eye.

The Worst Government Report in Twenty Years. ESTIMATED AT 64.2. Calculated from this that the Crop

Will Not Exceed 7.500.000 Bales-Cotton Makes a Spart on the Report.

COTTON TAKES A JUMP

NEW YORK, Sept. 9. Cotton quotations furnished by E. B. Cuthbert & Co., 56 Broadway, New York, and 305 Wilmington street, Raleigh, over their special wire:

MONTHS.	OPEN- ING.	HIGH- EST.	LOW- EST.	CLOS- ING
January,	8 60	8 76	8 57	8 72-
February.	3 64	8 80	8 61	8 75-
March.	8 67	8 83	8 63	8 79-
April,	8 70	8 87	8 68	8 82-
May,	1.00000	in New Y	1222	******
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July,	1222027	10000	11.122	2012222
August,	00000	1110.71		1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1
Sept'mb'r.	8 30	8 52	8 50	8 52
October,	8 49	8 61	8 44	8 57 -
Novemb'r.	8 47	8 60	8 43	8 56 -
December,	8 54	8 69	8 52	8 56

#### New York Stock Market.

Exchange today:

Missouri Pacific.

Union Pacific ....

St. Paul

General Electric

Tennessee Coal and Iron

Western Union

United States Leather.....

Southern Preferred .....

Chicago Gas.....

Atchison.....

Sugar ...

Louisville and Nashville

Southern Railroad.....

Manhattan.....

Rock Island

cline to pay out silver dollars ex-The following were the closing cept in exchange for silver certifiquotations on the New York Stock cates or Treasury notes of 1890. The law requires certain amounts of silver to be held in the Treausry to cover outstanding silver certificates and Treasury notes, and when the minimum is reached silver pay-.97 ments would be refused even in ex-201 change for gold, or in payment of 894 warrants on the Treasury. American Tobacco..... 637 Burlington and Quincy .....

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### JOE MYERS' SENTENCE.

Restitution of \$1,900, Six Months in Jail and \$500 Fine. The Charlotte News of yesterday

Savs: ... 1134 Joseph P. Myers, the former cashier of the Seaboard Air-Line in this city, who embezzled about \$3,500 of the company's money and fled 1004 with a woman to New York; where he was shortly afterwards captured and returned to Charlotte, was arraigned before Judge Meares in the Criminal court this afternoon. The court house was packed with people October-November..... 4.35 b. curious to see the outcome. November-December...... 4.33 b.

Myers was neatly dressed and ooked well. He was represented by

for the Many.

Minor Matters Manipulated

SHORT

FOR SILVER DOLLARS.

The Treasury Department Receives Daily

Requests.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.-The Treas

ury officials are in daily receipt of a large number of requests asking for

silver dollars of this year's coinage

in exchange for silver certificates or

other lawful money. Many of these

requests come from persons who

seem to doubt the truth of the monthly

coinage statement, while others ask

for shipments of 1896 dollars with a

view to refuting statements that no

ped at the expense of the govern-

ment, but when smaller sums are

ordered the shipments are made at

the expense of the person ordering.

May Decline to Pay.

There is now in the Treasury \$10,

506,399 in free silver-that is, silver

which may be obtained in exchange

for any lawful money-but the de-

mand just now is so keen for 1896

dollars that it seems probable that

by the beginning of October the De-

partment will be compelled to de-

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor.

AROUND THE CITY.

Pot-Pourri of the News Pictured on Pa per-Points and People Pertinently Picked and Pithily Put in Print.

silver dollars are now being coined. Hon. Cy Watson, Democratic nom-These requests have been complied with as fast as received, and for Governor, arrived here today.

the Treasury officials desire to call Subscribers will please add to the public attention to the fact that when telephone list Mr Edward Fasnach silver dollars are ordered in sums ieweler, 169. of or multiples of \$500 they are ship-

The Seaboard Air-Line has issued large gayly colored streamers announcing the latest stab in rates.

There will be a meeting of Phalanx Lodge, Knights of Pythias, tonight at the armory.

C. Thomas Bailey, of North Carolina, goes on record that Russell is in the race until all the votes are counted on the day of election.

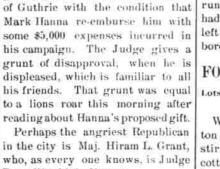
It is stated that every bale of cotton at present loses fifty cents to the bale by the decline in exchange, and that grain is affected in the same way

Mr. J. S. Tulghum, who has been on a visit to relatives and friends in Johnston county, has returned and resumed his position with the popular and enterprising dry goods house of Mr. W. E. Jones, where he will be pleased to serve his many friends,

Mr. C. H. Staley and Miss Louie Hutchings were united in marriage last night at the residence of the bride at 8 p. m., by Rev. J. L. Foster. A number of friends of the contracting parties were present.

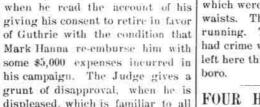
Mr. Stonewall J. Adams, son of our townsman, L. H. Adams, has entered upon his studies at the University at Chapel Hill. Mr. Adams is a bright young man, taking the gold medal at Morson and Denson's Academy the past term, and always leading his classes. We hope and feel confident that the same success will attend his studies at Chapel Hill

The Messrs Berwanger have one I the most elegant lines of boys suits ever exhibited in this city. Their quent plea in his behalf, proposing display occupies the front part of their large store and is entirely convenient to ladies. You should see their famous "facility" suits for which Messrs. Berwangrr have the sole agency in Raleigh. These suits. are the latest things out for boys.



in the city is Maj. Hiram L. Grant, who, as every one knows, is Judge Russell's chief adjutant. "Is there any foundation whatever for the statement that Judge Russell will retire," Maj. Grant was asked.

"I am tired of being insulted by the repitition of such silly questions. Any man who says Judge Russell is going to retire is a liar and a fool.



confidence with it.

a close earlier than was anticipated. Judge Russell will never yield the Republican nomination for Governor in favor of any one else. That is the statement given out from Republican headquarters today and by all the Judge's friends. It may be said also that the above statement is very mild and conservative

were stated publicly today.

Finish.

FRIENDS INDIGNANT

Populists.

port to Fowler in the Third, Strowd in the Fourth, Martin in the Sixth and Shuford in the Seventh. The Populists virtually throw their strength to the Republican nominees as follows: While in the second district, Settle in the Fifth and Pearson in the Ninth. The right is reserved by the Populists to put up candidates in each of these districts

The First and Eighth districts were left undisturbed, the Republicans in the First having agreed to support Skinner (Populist) and the Populists to support Linney (Republican) in the Eighth.

The question of electoral fusion was not touched upon. County fusion is already arranged in most most counties, but it will be promoted where efforts have failed. Below is the agreement as con-

cluded by the sub-committees and which was unanimously adopted by both executive committees:

The Peoples Party State Executive Committee and the Republican State Executive Committee, in be" half of their respective parties affirming our devotion and fixed determination to support and maintain a free ballot and a fair count in all the elec-tions held in North Carolina, and pledging ourselves to the policy of uphoiding the principle of free and hopest elections aimed at and pro-vided for by the election laws enact-ed by the General Assembly of 1895, for and the purpose of maintaing the Act of the last General Assembly restoring to the people the right of local self government, enter into the following terms of co-operation:

First. To equitably co-operate to secure the election of members of the General Assembly pledged to these reforms

cond, That the Republicans ede to the Populists the candidates for Congress in the following districts: Third, fourth, sixth and seventh and the Populists resume the right to name candidates in the second, fifth and ninth; the first and ighth districts having made a satisfactory adjustment through their respective congressional conven-

Third, That the Republicans support the nominees of the People's party for Secretary of State, Treas urer, Superintendent of Public In-struction and Associate Justice of tion and Associate Justice of upreme Court. That the Popusupport the nominees of the ublican party for Attorney Gen-Associate Justice of the Su-me Courtand Judge of the Su-or Court in the Fifth Judicial

Fourth, The good offices of our re-

beat McKinley. If it becomes necessarv to bring about his defeat in this State we will certainly combine with the Democrats on electors.

The matter of putting up an elector to fill the vacancy left open by the State Convention and the matter of arranging co-operation with the Democrats on electors was referred to the central committee with power

# "The Other Man's Wife."

to act.

The Norfolk Virginian says: "A purely fun provoking comedy skit Superior court of three acts, designed and constructed especially for the purpose of making people laugh, and incidentally of pointing out to the unwary the desperate chances a man takes when he marries his wife and a mother-in-law, was presented at the Academy of Music to an audience which was of complimentary proportions, and utterly enthusiastic. Coote and Long were delightful, as usual, and their support was in every way worthy of them; burn the house in order to recover in fact there isn't a flaw in the cast. insurance. The case will prove a Preceding "The Other Mans Wife' was presented "A Soldier of France,"

in one act, the feature of which was Mr. Long's extremely elever impersonation and dramatic recitation, winning for him in the beginning tremendous applause.

On the Seaboard train this morning there were 100 passengers from Charlotte composing an excursion party to New York city. The fare for the round trip was only \$16.

CONVICT AS WITNESS.

Taken Out of the Pen to Give Evidence i Dare County.

F. Georgie, J. W. Gardner and Sheriff Smith of Dare county arothers. rived here today. He received per-James A. Herne's one act play, mission from Governor Carr to take 'A Soldier of France,'' will precede Wm Taylor out of the penitentiary, the comedy. who is wanted as a witness in Dare

#### Sensation in Richmond,

It is a rather unusual proceeding, There is much interest in Rich because a convict's evidence is not mond over a sensational tragedy very often required. Taylor was there. A man named J E Wimmer sentenced to the penitentiary not stabbed to death a young man named S G Thelhimer for wronging his daughter. It is said that Wimmer stabbed his victim nineteen times with a heavy pocket knife, chopping him almost to pieces. The coroner's jury justified the father in the killing, and examination was waived that Dr. Winshaw paid Taylor to pending trial.

Five Dollar Show Bills.

resembles a very showy show-bill

as much as anything else. It is

much on the order of the one dollar

certificate in its general get-up, only

more elaborate in design.

The Commercial and Farmers Taylor left today for Dare in the Bank was today paying cotton checks over its counter in the new five dol-Scaton Gales Lodge, No. 64, I. O. O. F. lar certificates, of which it had ten Regular meeting of Seaton Gales or a dozen thousand lying within the Lodge No. 64, I. O. O. F., tocashier's cage. The five dollar certificate is decidedly gorgeous and night at 8 o'clock. It is earnestly de-

sired that every member be present. Members of sister lodges are cordially invited to attend A. M. POWELL, N. G. THIM, Sec.

very interesting one.

custody of Sheriff Smith.

January-February ..... 4.33 is. Bert Coote, well-known to all theatre-goers as the "New Boy, February-March ..... 4.34 s Chicago Grain and Provision Market, has associated himself with the Cali-The following were the closing quo fornia comedian and stage producer, Nick Long, and together they will tations on the Chicago Grain and Pro vision market today: present at the Academy Music, on Friday, Sept. 11, their new comedy, Wheat-December, 584; May, 621. adapted from the French, entitled

Corn-December, 211; May. 24. Oats-December 161; May 181. Pork-January, 6.67; May. -. Lard-December, -; May, 3.40. Clear Rib Sides-October, 3, 17: Jan ary 3.30.

Liverpool Cotton Market.

September ..... 4.431 b

December-January ....

New York Cotton Letter.

New York, Sept. 10, 1896. The government report of the conlition of the cotton crop per Sept. lst., is 64.2. This is the worst report issued in the last 20 years. Per Aug. 1st the condition was 80.8 Last year per Sept. 1st, 70.8. This year the condition is 6.6 per cent worse as compared with last year. Last years crop reached 7,100,000 uales. Taking the increase in the acreage in consideration. this crop will not exceed 7,500,000 according to the Bureau report.

Although it is far too early to form a decided opinion as to the final outturn, it is undoubtedly a matter of fact that a yield of only 7,500,000 bales as the report will be construed, will not suffice to meet the demand as the stocks of cotton were very small at the start of this season Futures opened 5 to 6 points higher. remained steady at the advance until the announcement of the govern ment report, which sent the market up 15 to 16 points, then eased off and closed at a net advance of 15 to 17 points, as compared with yester day's closing prices. Spots were marked up, now quoted at 81.

Cleveland Will Not Say.

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor BUZZARD BAY, Sept. 10.-Cleve land neither affirms nor denies the report that he contemplates the re-

moval from office of Auditor Baldwin and deputy Commissioner Bell. They are accused of offensive partizanship electioneering for Bryan and Sewall.

Secretary John Nichols went out condition for fair week.

Col. II. C. Jones, who made an elothat his client would make full reparation to the company, paying back all the money misappropriated.

Col. Jones spoke briefly but effectively. After hearing him through Judge Meares fixed Myers penalty as follows: He is to make immediate restitution of the balance of the money to the comyany, amounting to \$1,900; and he is to serve a sentence of six months in the county jail and to pay a fine of \$500.

Myers was at once taken back to jail. It is understood that his uncle sent him the funds to make good his default.

## PALMER AND BUCKNER.

#### Gold Democratic Nominees to Be Notified on Saturday.

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor. LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 10.-Genls. John M. Palmer and Simon Bolivar Buckner, the National Democratic nominees for President and Vice President, will arrive in the city Friday to attend the notification ceremonies at the Auditorium Saturday night.

Both gentlemen will be met at their trains by the reception committee, headed by a band, and they will s op at the Galt House during their stay in Louisville.

The notification speeches will be commenced at 7:45 p. m. Senator wait a while before building. It is Caffrey and Col. Fellows, who will our purpose, however, to erect an deliver them, will talk forty-five minutes each.

Gen. Palmer's response will take an hour and Gen. Buckner will speak twenty minutes. A ratification meeting is to be held on the Saturday following, at which Secretary John G. Carlisle, Senator William Lindsay of Kentucky, Senator Gray of Delaware, and ex-Gov. Jones of Alabama are expected to speak. Sunday or Monday Gen. Palmer will accompany Gen. Buckner to guest for two or three days.

The city schools will begin Friday, September 25th, at 9 o'clock. For two days before the superintendent to the fair grounds this afternoon to will be at the Centennial school did not pay up and the axe will see about getting the grounds in building from 9 to 1 o'clock to ex- again be applied if delinquents are whine and classify new pupils.

The "Waif Saving Circle" of the King's Daughters will give a musicale tomorrow (Friday the 11) from 8 to 11, at the residence of Mr. Geo. N. Walters on Newbern avenue. Every effort will be made to make this one of the most enjoyable events of the season. Admission 5 cents. The public are cordially invited to attend and assist in this most worthy cause. Refreshments will be served at reasonable prices.

#### The Inter-State Phone Not Coming Yct.

Mr. C. C. McDonald, of this city, has received the following letter from Mr. W. W. Shaw, of the Inter-State Telephone and Telegraph Company of Durham:

"Your favor of the 7th instant to Mr. E. G. Lineberry has been handed tous by him for reply.

"We beg to say it has been our purpose from the organization of our company to erect a plant at Raleigh, and about a year ago had one of our agents to canvass the town to see what encouragement we could receive towards doing so. His success' was so unsatisfactory we decided to exchange at Raleigh sometime in the

future and connect same with our long distance line from Winston to Wilmington, via. Greensboro, Durham, Raleigh, Goldsboro, which will be erected, but just now can not say when. It will be impossible for us at present to take hold of Raleigh.as we have all we can do towards building at Roanoke, Va., Easton, Md., and other points.

#### To out of Town Subscribers.

The PRESS-VISITOR has just sent out statements to its out of town 'Glen Lily,'' where he will be his subscribers who are in arrears. If remittances are not received in a few days they will be cut off of our subscription list. We have had occasion before to resort to the thinning out process where subscribers not heard from promptly.

#### very long ago on a charge of arson. The crime for which he was convicted was the burning of Dr. Winshaw's house in Dare. Since then charges have been preferred against Dr. Winshaw for having the house burned. It is claimed