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DID THEY DECEIVE ANYBODY.

In its issue of January 25th, when the Republicans and Populists began snarling at each other and appeared to be more pugnacious and irreconcilable than when "Greek met Greek," the PRESS-VISITOR said in its editorial column, under the caption, "They Deceive Nobody."

"The people of North Carolina need not be deceived by the little sounds of discord, and the theatrical gauntlets of bluff which are being exchanged between the Republican and Populist wings of Fusion these days. Nobody need believe for an instant that fusion will not be continued. It has been given out that the Republicans will demand that Russell be given the gubernatorial plum and that such is their ultimatum. They are loud in their asseverations that if the Populists do not yield to their choice for Governor there will be no fusion. On the other hand the Pops with equal bravado fling back the audacious dare of their whilom heterogeneous allies. They will not be dictated to by their say, and will not accede to the Republican demand for the Governorship. They say furthermore that they will make the free coinage of silver the paramount issue, and that unless this is acceded to by the Republicans that there can be no more coalition, and that all negotiations will be declared off.

"Bluffs and counter-bluffs are being given, and discord and rupture would seem imminent. This is all very well for a preliminary hippodrome play before the real circus begins, but anybody who thinks that a squabble or squabbles between Republicans and Pops will result in a breach which will prevent fusion will reckon sadly without their hosts. The hand which has once been reached out to a temporary truce with the Devil will be reached out again, and stolen water which is said to be so sweet is always stolen with less scruple the second time. The combination between Republicans and Pops having been once made in North Carolina and the beneficiaries of the deal having tasted of the sweets and pocketed the pelf of official plunder, are just as certain to repeat the game which will insure the pabulum to their insatiate maws as the habitue of the wine cup will gulp another glass.

"So it may be put down that no preliminary bickerings about the division of the spoils will keep the two wings of Fusion apart, and when the supreme issue of bagging the game arises they will be seen presenting a bold front, inspired by a fixed determination to keep the Democrats out of power."

So much for the prophecy of eight months ago when haughty independence and high-sounding ultimatum were flaunted with sublime imperiousness, each at the other by these make-believe belligerents.

But let us look upon that picture, then upon this, which is the outcome of the deliberations of the conference committee here yesterday as published in these columns:

Below is the agreement as concluded by the sub-committees and which was unanimously adopted by both executive committees:

The Peoples Party Executive Committee and the Republican State Executive Committee, in behalf of their respective parties affirming our devotion and fixed determination to support and maintain a free ballot and a fair count in all the elections

held in North Carolina, and pledging ourselves to the policy of upholding the principle of free and honest elections aimed at and provided for by the election laws enacted by the General Assembly of 1895, for and the purpose of maintaining 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:

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

That the Republicans support the nominees of the People's party for Secretary of State, Treasurer, Superintendent of Public Instruction and Associate Justice of the Supreme Court. That the Populists support the nominees of the Republican party for Attorney General, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court and Judge of the Superior Court in the Fifth Judicial District, etc.

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To J. J. Lawrence, defendant in the above entitled action. Take notice: That on the 29th day of August, 1896, an action was begun and instituted in the Superior Court of Wake County, North Carolina, to October Term 1896 of said court by M. J. Edwards against J. J. Lawrence, yourself, entitled M. J. Edwards vs. J. J. Lawrence, and that summons therein has been duly issued and returned "not to be found." That the purpose of said action is to recover money due from you to the said M. J. Edwards upon and by virtue of a contract relating to the manufacture and sale of medicine known as the Compound Extract of Rosadalis, and to the purchase by said M. J. Edwards of a one-half interest in the Patent Right thereto, and for the recovery of damages from you for breach of said contract, amounting in all to the sum of \$93,000. You are hereby notified of the pendency of said action, and that a warrant of attachment has been issued in said action directing the seizure of your property in North Carolina. You are further notified and required to appear at the October term of said Superior Court of Wake County, North Carolina, to be held in the city of Raleigh, in said county and State, on the 28th of October, 1896, and answer or demur, during said term, to the complaint which will be filed in said action, or the plaintiff will have judgment for the relief demanded therein; when and where the warrant of attachment will likewise be returned.  
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