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## SCENES OF TURMOIL.

### Armed Citizens of Wilmington Turn Out in Strength

### BURN "RECORD" BUILDING.

### Riot Follows.

### Lives Are Lost.

### Twelve Negroes Killed, One White Man Dead, City Government Resigns, New One Formed, Col. Waddell Made Mayor, Aid From Outside.

WILMINGTON, November 10.—The great meeting at the Court House Wednesday night resulted in decisive action today. Resolutions were passed ordering the negro Manly to leave and take with him his printing outfit. Twelve hours were given for a reply.

The meeting was also inclined to oust the city administration. This was prevented by common sense. It was decided that the Legislature would soon meet and make a clean sweep of the City Hall from top to bottom. However the following was added to the resolutions:

"It is the sense of this meeting that Mayor S. P. Wright and Chief of Police Jno. R. Melton, having demonstrated their utter incapacity to give the city a decent government and keep order therein, their continuance in office being a constant menace to the peace and welfare of this community, they ought forthwith to resign."

When at the expiration of the twelve hours, no word was received from the negro leaders promising that the negro Manly would leave and take with him his newspaper plant, armed citizens began assembling at the Wilmington Light Infantry Armory on Market street.

Six hundred men armed with Winchester rifles took up the line of march to the brick building occupied by the Daily Record, situated on the corner of Ninth and Ninth streets in the southeast quarter of the city.

The building was entered and the printing press and other material was demolished.

Fire broke out in the burning, and it soon became a complete wreck. The great crowd stood off and watched the building burn to the ground. The Fire Department turned out and the fire was limited to the Record building.

While this was going on the city was being vigilantly guarded, six hundred men being stationed on each block. The business houses were all closed and traffic came to a standstill.

About an hour after the burning of the Record building, at 11 o'clock, a fight began in "Brooklyn" at Fourth and Harnett streets. This was in the northern section of the city a long distance from the first scene. Two white men were shot. William Moore, a well known and popular young man, was shot and fatally wounded. He died at the hospital later in the day. George Palmer was wounded in the side and Bert Clark in the arm.

The fire was returned and a number of negroes fell. The negro who shot Mayo fell on the sidewalk and was lying there.

The first shot was fired by a negro which is testified to by a sworn statement of a reputable citizen before a notary. The origin of the riot was as follows: A mob of one hundred negroes congregated on the corner, a policeman approached and asked them to disperse, whereupon the negroes fired upon a crowd of white men with the above result.

The Republican mayor, S. P. Wright, the Chief of Police, Jno. R. Melton, and the Board of Aldermen, have resigned. The city was placed under martial control until a new city government could be organized and the Wilmington Light Infantry and the Naval Reserves took charge of the streets.

Armed men began to arrive from neighboring towns as soon as the news spread and delegations of citizens also came. From Fayetteville 83 arrived at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Special trains were provided. Word was sent to Golds-

boro for 500 men but they were all wards notified not to come but to remain ready.

Adjutant General Charles C. Greener, composed of five hundred men with arms from Masson, Kingston and other towns and they were being carried by special trains.

Nine hundred men have been ordered since dark tonight. Twelve negroes arrested with the investigation of the riot were arrested and lodged in jail during the day. The Light Infantry and Reserves with machine guns went through the dangerous section. The negroes are kept in their own sections and are searched for arms when met with.

The new government of the city has been formed. Col. A. M. Waddell has been made Mayor. The aldermen are as follows: First ward, C. H. Gunner, J. W. Kramer. 2nd ward, H. P. West, W. H. Sprunt. 3rd ward, C. W. Worth, P. L. Bridgers. 4th ward, B. F. King, A. B. Skelton.

The old members of the Board representing the ward, B. F. Keeth and C. D. Morrill, were not present at the meeting and remain on the board. E. G. Parraque was made Chief of Police. All quiet at a late hour. Thirteen negroes in all were killed.

### THE RESOLUTIONS.

Believing that the Constitution of the United States contemplated a government to be carried on by an enlightened people; believing that its framers did not anticipate the enfranchisement of an ignorant population of African origin, and believing that those men of the State of North Carolina, who joined in forming the Union, did not contemplate for their descendants a succession to an illiterate people.

We, the undersigned citizens of the City of Wilmington and County of New Hanover, do hereby declare that we will not recognize, and will never allow to be ruled by means of African origin. This condition we have in part embodied because we felt that the consequences of the war of secession were so dire to deprive us of the far common sense of many of our countrymen. We believe that, after more than thirty years, this is no longer the case.

The stand we now propose ourselves to take is to demand that the United States and will yield to it if it is not met by a more enlightened and more patriotic people. We believe that it is the purpose of more than 60,000,000 of our own race to submit its permanent constitution to the people of the United States.

We therefore demand that the United States and will yield to it if it is not met by a more enlightened and more patriotic people. We believe that it is the purpose of more than 60,000,000 of our own race to submit its permanent constitution to the people of the United States.

1. That the time has passed for the intelligent citizens of this community, owning 90 per cent of the property and paying taxes in its proportion to be ruled by negroes.

2. That we will not tolerate the action of uneducated and ignorant white men in allying with the negroes so that by means of their votes they can dominate the intelligent and thrifty element of the community, thus causing business to stagnate and progress to be out of the question.

3. That the negro has demonstrated by antagonizing our interests in every way and especially by his demand, that he is incapable of ruling and that his interests are and should be against those of the community.

4. That the progressive element of any community to the white population and that the giving of money and the employment of negro laborers has been against the best interests of the country and city and is a safe and reason was the city of Wilmington, which has no advantages less than some cities of at least 500,000 people.

5. That we propose to demand that the white population of this city be given the right to elect their representatives to the State and Federal Legislatures and that the interests of the colored and progressive portion of the community, but are equally prepared to give and much more to enforce what we think to be our rights.

6. That we have been unjustly treated for harmony and peace, honored both to our best interests and our rights. A climax was reached when the negro paper of this city published an article so vile and slanderous that it would in most communities have resulted in the hanging of the editor. We demand reparation and yet there is no punishment, provided by the courts, adequate for this offense. We therefore, owe it to the people of this community and of this city, as a protest against such license in future, that the paper known as the "Record" cease to be published and that its editor be banished from this community.

We demand that he leave this city within twenty-four hours after the issuance of this proclamation. Second, that the printing press from which the "Record" has been issued be packed and shipped from the city without delay.

## THE STATE CAPITAL.

### Good Democratic News Keeps Coming.

### Democratic Celebration on 15th. Reorganization of State Board. Populist Now Say "We Told You So," White's Elec. Hon Regretted.

DEMOCRATIC CELEBRATION ON 15th. Reorganization of State Board. Populist Now Say "We Told You So," White's Elec. Hon Regretted. JOURNAL BERNE, N. C., November 10. — And still the news comes in only good Democratic reports from all over the State testifying to the Democratic victory, and also to the aptness of the election.

As some gentlemen said to me yesterday, everything is so quiet and so sure Democratic reports from all over the State testifying to the Democratic victory, and also to the aptness of the election.

The State is Democratic by at least 25,000 and it may go up even higher. The Democrats in Wilmington have taken things in hand at once and demand the expulsion of Manly, the editor of the negro paper there that published such a vile and slanderous article regarding the white women of the State. They demand also the resignation of the Mayor and Chief of Police.

Preparations are being made for a tremendous Democratic celebration to be held here in Raleigh on the 15th. Surely there will never have been seen or heard such rejoicing in the State as will be given here then. The entire State is invited.

The State Guard is now to be reorganized, and there will be three regiments. There will be to each regiment, one Colonel, one Lt. Colonel, 2 Majors, 20 Captains, 42 First Lieutenants, 12 of whom will be the regimental adjutant and the regimental quartermasters, 10 Second Lieutenants, one surgeon with the rank of Major, 2 assistant surgeons ranking as First Lieutenants, 1 Chaplain, 1 Quartermaster, Sergeant, 1 Hospital Steward, and 100 companies in the First and Second Regiments, and only 9 Companies in the 3rd Regiment.

The Populists now say they knew a month ago that the State would go against them. They now say they want the negroes eliminated from politics. It was suggested that negroes not be taxed and then not be allowed to vote. The Republicans have realized that the negro had ruined their party in the State.

Even the Republicans prefer the re-election of H. White to Congress from the 2nd District, and the election of Isaac H. Smith, of a recent county convention, negro to the Legislature.

Everything is quiet. The negroes are so thoughtful they were dumb except those who voted the Democratic ticket. One of the leading newspapers here here it is said voted the full Republican ticket. If this is true he should be hanged.

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