

AN ADDRESS TO THE PEOPLE.

AN APPEAL FOR GOOD GOVERNMENT.

The Democratic State Executive Committee Urges the White People to Come Together for Protection Against Negro Rule and Bala.

To the Voters of North Carolina: Fellow-citizens: The Democratic party, now in the midst of its greatest battle for the rights of the people and good government in our beloved State...

For twenty years we had victory following victory. Two years ago a division in our ranks led our Legislature to Democracy. This we must redeem.

Democratic faith lies in those immutable principles which preserve human liberty. It has brought them out of the past as priceless, immortal, and ever living...

Again, that Bryan's administration might not fall for want of silver legislation our party definitely proposed to the People's party a united effort for free silver congressmen in every district in the State.

The colored race has drawn the color line, and seeing the white people in division over the questions of gold and silver...

All these matters have met our consideration. In such a crisis the Democratic party rallies to the support of the people. North Carolinians must come together to protect North Carolina.

ONLY A FEW DAYS MORE. The Big Show Almost Here. Now Exhibiting in North Carolina and coming to

GASTONIA, Wednesday, October 28.

Walter L. Main's 3-Ring Circus, 5-Continent Menagerie, Real Roman Hippodrome and Original European Trained Wild Beast Show in a Circular Steel-Barred, Ponderous Cage.

Only great rival of Barnum & Bailey in size and feature—Lowell (Mass.) Am., May 28, 1895.



THE MIGHTY BOVALAPUS. The Ocean's Awful Treasure. The most frightful, uncouth, horrible, horn-bearing, cloven-footed demon of the trackless and treacherous deep.

JOHN LOWLOW. America's oldest and best-known clown and Talking CLOWN appears at each performance.

CANANDAIGUA. The Smallest Pony (olt in the world, born August 5th, 1896, weighed 8 1/2 lbs., 11 inches high, 18 inches from tip of nose to end of tail).

WALLACE, THE WONDER. The only horse-rider LION. A Circus Champion. Surely the only one of its kind. A beautiful, intelligent, artistic animal.

100 Exalted Champions. 4,000 Men, Women and Children. 300 Finest Aristocratic Horses, Giant Camel, Longest Maned and Tailed Horse, Surprizes, Wonders, Featuers. Grand Free for all Street Parade.

25 Cheap Excursions on all lines of travel. ONE TICKET ADMITS TO ALL. Doors open at 1 and 7 p. m. Performance at 2 and 8 p. m.

Table with exhibition dates and ticket prices for various locations: WINSTON, ELKIN, GREENSBORO, HIGH POINT, SALEM, UNALUTTA, ROCK HILL, STATESVILLE.

people. And we cannot think that the action of the People's party can express the wish of many of that organization who honestly favor silver legislation and good government.

The records of the census of the United States for 1890 disclose 109,346 qualified negro voters, and 233,497 qualified white voters in North Carolina, and the Auditor's office of North Carolina discloses that in 1895 there were 63,391 colored polls and 167,300 white polls listed for taxation in North Carolina.

The committee has not been inaccessible to the criticism of some of its friends, because of its efforts to bring together the silver votes, but they felt sure that the unselfish and patriotic impulse which guided each member of the committee and the good results which must follow its action would be finally understood and approved.

ARP ON AARON BURR.

PATRIARCH CARNOCHAN MAKES THE PHILOSOPHER RETROSPECTIVE.

Writes of Hamilton's Slayer—Son of Princeton's First President—Deceased Christianity—Father Was a Frenchman.

I see that my old friend, Sam Carnochan, of Rome, has recently celebrated his 80th birthday. He is still hale and hearty and loves to talk to his friends about the good old times.

Mr. Carnochan says he had to work diligently and by the time his term was out, the habit of work was fixed upon him and kept him out of mischief.

The old man says that Aaron Burr landed at his shop, and he remembers him as a handsome, courtly old gentleman dressed in the top fashion and with manners like Lord Chesterfield.

There is no story like it in American biography. The young people ought to read it. His father's name was Aaron Burr and he was a very learned and pious preacher and teacher.

From all parts of the Union came assurances of approaching victory. North Carolinians, rally to your standard and place your State in the long column which will sum up Democratic triumph!

Not long before this sad event Burr had forced Hamilton to fight a duel with him, and killed him, not only without regret, but with unfeigned satisfaction. This put him under the ban, and he had to fly to avoid arrest.

ABOUT THE FINANCIAL QUESTION.

Majority Rule Against Free Silver—The People Favor Silver this Year—How the Gold Standard Holds the Balance—Money and Silver the Factors.

As several parties have given their views on the financial question we feel that we should like to give ours, or somebody might think we had none.

We have always been Democrats. We have believed in Democratic principles. We believe a majority of the people should rule. We are opposed to machine rule.

Now let us investigate the conditions. Who is the consumer of the product of the mill? Well 7-10 of the consumers are farmers.

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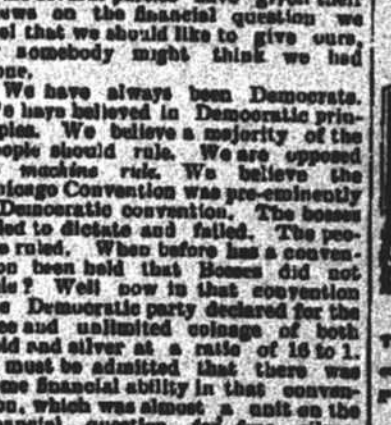
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LADIES WHO SUFFER

Health's Pink Pills for Pale People



This morning the session of the Populist State Executive Committee was resumed. At eleven o'clock the State chairman was instructed to send the communication below to the chairman of the Democratic State Committee.

Dear Sir:—Immediately upon receipt of your communication, dated October 15th, enclosing a resolution embodying a proposition for co-operation by and between the Democratic Party and the People's Party, I summoned by telegram the members of the State Executive Committee of the People's Party to meet in Raleigh on October 14th, 1896, at 3 o'clock p. m.

First—When the proposition for electoral co-operation was submitted to our chairman by your committee on August 1st, 1896, our committee submitted a counter-proposition, looking to a complete and compact union of the silver forces along the line, but said proposition was ignored by your committee.

Second—Should such a co-operation as is suggested and contemplated in your proposition of October 15th, be favorably considered by our committee at this time, we see of the opinion that, owing to the short time before the election, satisfactory arrangements and alignments could not be effected on either side, and, therefore, would not receive such hearty and loyal support as would make success an assured fact.

Third—We entertain no hope of being able to make you a proposition which would be acceptable to you at the same time to be sustained by the full force of both the Democratic and People's Parties, but we venture a suggestion here, which if adopted by you would eliminate at least one of the dangers which you declare is menacing the State, viz: The election of the Republican nominee for Governor.

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ON ASBURY'S WITHDRAWAL.

They seem to have known it in Raleigh beforehand—He was going to come down anyhow—Refused to submit to dictation of Populists' Menace.

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