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THOMAS J. WATTS, PRESCRIPTIONIST. RALEIGH, N. C., WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 8, 1894. I TAKE PLEASURE IN SERVING THE PUBLIC DAY OR NIGHT. THOMAS J. WATTS, PHARMACIST. NO. 95.

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We have just received a supply of  
**NEW CROP  
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All varieties, which we are selling  
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## CABBAGE SEED

—AND—  
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rooms, wash basins, water closets, &c.  
Possession given for both September 1.  
Price with water furnished \$30.00 and  
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J. A. MILLS,  
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aug 4th.

## N. C. DEMOCRATS.

**THEIR STATE CONVENTION  
HELD HERE TODAY.**

The Supreme Court Justices and  
Treasurer Renominated.

When the city clock struck 12 today  
Metropolitan hall began to fill rapidly  
with delegates. Yellow placards bear-  
ing the names of the 96 counties dot-  
ted the hall. The delegates were in  
great good humor and laughed as they  
fanned themselves, for it was pretty  
warm. The delegates were a fine  
looking and well dressed lot of gentle-  
men. On the stage the newspaper  
fraternity were quite well represented.

It was just 12:15 when chairman Sim-  
mons rapped the convention to order  
and made the announcement of the  
official call for the convention and ex-  
plained its purposes, namely, to nomi-  
nate candidates for chief justice and  
three associates, a state treasurer and  
six superior court judges; also to  
adopt a platform. He then requested  
Mr. Howard J. Herrick to assist Mr. R. H.  
Cowan, the secretary of the state com-  
mittee, as temporary secretary. He  
also called Mr. J. C. Buxton, of For-  
sythe, to act as temporary chairman.

The two largest men in the convention,  
Sen. J. D. Glenn, of Guilford, and  
Mr. John W. Thompson, were assigned  
the duty of escorting the gigantic  
chairman to the chair. Mr. Buxton  
read a vigorous speech. He alluded  
feelingly to the great loss in the death  
of senator Vance and his sentiments  
were loudly applauded; as were also  
his references to Ransom and Jarvis.  
He urged that all matters be subordi-  
nated to the only duty of destroying  
all enemies of the democratic party,  
for now there two are enemies, the old  
time republicans and their coadjutors,  
the populists. There was a great  
laugh when he said that most of  
the populist leaders were disap-  
pointed democratic office-seekers.

He declared that the democrats would  
sweep the field. He then read the  
news from Alabama, and this  
brought out more cheers. He said  
that some one had said that populism  
had now reached the stage of Coxey-  
ism and that this was semi-socialistic,  
under vagabond direction. He said  
we are now at the parting of the ways;  
"We must choose between the republic  
and the commune; between the con-  
stitution and anarchy. There is only  
one party of the people—the demo-  
cratic party." He said the time had  
come to repel the republican insinua-  
tions against Mr. Cleveland. He  
said that shamelessly the republicans  
had looted the national treasury,  
and also that they had endeavored  
to spread falsehoods. Mr. Buxton  
eulogized president Cleveland, saying  
that on the main issue on which the  
democratic party went into power—  
that is the tariff—he had the confi-  
dence and the support of all loyal  
democrats. He added that a campaign  
on state issues was most unwise, as  
would be any cutting loose from the  
national administration, and that the  
most cowardly thing a democrat could  
do would be to do anything to weaken  
Mr. Cleveland's administration. At  
this there was great applause. It was  
12:30 when Mr. Buxton concluded his  
remarks, which were well received.

Secretary Herrick called the roll of  
counties. All the counties save twenty  
were found to be represented.

A resolution was offered by Theod-  
ore F. Davidson, of Buncombe, that  
all resolutions regarding the platform  
be referred to the committee on plat-  
form, without debate. This caused  
some excitement. Upon a viva voce  
vote the resolution was adopted by an  
overwhelming vote. Col. Paul B.  
Means objected to this and wanted an  
expression of opinion as to whether  
there could be a full discussion of the  
matter. The chairman stated that  
any member could offer an amend-  
ment to the platform committee's re-  
port after the latter had been made.

The following committees were an-  
nounced: Credentials, L. L. Smith,  
F. A. Daniels, F. S. Spruill, T. L.  
Peay, John D. Shaw, R. Cole, W. F.  
Carter, R. L. Durham. Organization,  
J. H. Small, W. H. Day, W. B. Henry,  
Nathan Lansford, C. W. McClammy,  
W. C. Newland, R. J. Shipp, R. M.  
Farman. Platform, C. F. Warren, R.  
B. Peebles, A. W. Haywood, John N.

Wilson, Joseph P. Caldwell, S. M. Fin-  
ger, Clement Manly, J. D. Murphy.

The various districts sent in the fol-  
lowing as the list of members of the  
state executive committee: W. G.  
Lamb of Martin, W. T. Cross of  
Gates, S. T. Beckwith of Beaufort, L.  
W. McMullin of Perquimans, Fran-  
cis D. Winston of Bertie, J. W. Grain-  
er of Lenoir, J. H. Baker, Jr., of  
Edgecombe, N. A. Sinclair of Cum-  
berland, D. C. Melver of Moore, W.  
H. Oliver of Craven, T. C. Whitaker  
of Jones, J. H. Pon of Johnston,  
E. C. Beddingfield of Wake, F. S.  
Spruill of Franklin, H. A. London of  
Chatham, J. L. King of Guilford, W.  
W. Fuller of Durham, W. W. Kitehen  
of Person, John W. Graham of Orange,  
Heriot Clarkson of Mecklenburg, R.  
B. Davis of New Hanover, S. C. Well  
of New Hanover, W. H. Neal of Rich-  
mond, A. H. Boyden of Rowan, Ed-  
ward Reinhardt of Lincoln, Sam. J.  
Pemberton of Stanly, J. S. Scales of  
Iredell, R. N. Hackett of Wilkes, R.  
L. Ryburn of Cleveland, W. C. Erwin  
of Burke, E. B. Jones of Forsyth, R.  
M. Furman of Buncombe, Chas. D.  
Blanton of Buncombe, Kope Elias of  
Macon and R. L. Durham of Ruther-  
ford. This committee is to meet at  
the close of the convention and elect  
a chairman and a central committee.

Gov. Carr having appeared in the  
hall was invited to a seat on the plat-  
form and was called on for a speech.  
He was heartily cheered and spoke  
briefly. He thanked the convention  
for his nomination two years ago and  
said he was always ready to answer  
any call of the democratic party.

Capt. W. H. Day, chairman of the  
committee on permanent organization,  
made a report as follows: For perma-  
nent chairman Hon. R. H. Doughton;  
for vice presidents, John L. Cunn-  
ingham, W. T. Caho, J. E. Green, A. C.  
Huggins, J. R. Young, T. C. McNeill,  
S. J. Pemberton, Cyrus B. Watson,  
Kope Elias.

Mr. Doughton, on taking the chair,  
made a few remarks, but discussed no  
political topics. Calls were made for  
several gentlemen and Walter R.  
Henry, Esq., spoke forcibly.

The credentials committee made its  
report, showing 20 counties unrepres-  
ented. In none were there any con-  
tests.

At 2 o'clock a motion was made that  
the convention go into nomination for  
chief and justice associate justices. R.  
H. Battle, Esq., of Wake, offered a  
resolution in behalf of the Wake de-  
legation that the convention nominate  
by acclamation James E. Shepherd;  
for associate justices, Walter Clark,  
James C. MacRae and Armistead Bar-  
well. A motion was made to add the  
name of Samuel McDowell Tate for  
treasurer. Mr. Battle accepted the  
amendment and his resolution was  
unanimously adopted. Kope Elias,  
Esq., of Macon, made a motion that  
the six nominations for superior court  
judges be ratified. This was also  
adopted by acclamation.

Efforts were made to secure a re-  
cess of an hour, but these failed. The  
delegates said they wanted to press  
their work and go home. At this  
stage of the proceedings there were  
loud calls for Hon. Alfred M. Wad-  
dell, of New Hanover. He made a  
very practical speech. He spoke of  
the attitude of the North Carolina  
democrats towards the president and  
said the man who meekly submitted  
to an endorsement if he disagreed with  
the president on financial question,  
was worse than a coward. He spoke  
of the president in high terms. He  
felt sure the platform committee  
would do its duty well.

Hon. Lee S. Overman was the next  
speaker. He said it had been said by  
the populists last week that the dem-  
ocrats were whistling to keep up their  
courage. The election results in Ala-  
bama and Tennessee showed that de-  
mocracy is not dead. He said he  
favored free coinage of silver, but on  
all other points agreed with president  
Cleveland.

Capt. Oct. Coke was next called for  
and made a stirring speech, in which  
he pictured the dangers to democracy  
in this campaign.

Mr. S. J. Pemberton offered a reso-  
lution as follows: That section 1, un-  
der the head of "county and district  
conventions," of the plan of organiza-  
tion of the democratic party of North  
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The weather report.

For North Carolina: Fair. Local  
forecast: Thursday, fair, warmer.  
Moderate warm wave next few days.  
Local data for 24 hours ending 8 a. m.  
today: Maximum temperature 78;  
Minimum temperature 66; rainfall  
0.00.

The weather is generally fair this  
morning. But little rain has occur-  
red during the past 24 hours. The  
pressure is high over the south Atlan-  
tic states, which makes it favorable  
for fair, warm weather in this part  
of the country. A small depression,  
however, is seen over Alabama, which  
may develop into a storm; but this  
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