

FUSION AGAIN

The Populists Name a Partial Ticket

GIVE UP SENATOR

Four Populists Bolted the Convention

COEDUCATION

The Populist Convention Agreed on Fusion in Secret Session—Ordo Wilson Controlled the Body—Layton Was Chairman.

POULIST TICKET NOMINATED. COUNTY TREASURER—GUY V. BARNES. REGISTER OF DEEDS—J. J. ROGERS.

SURVEYOR—PITTMAN STELL. COMMISSIONERS—W. H. CHAMBLEE AND RUFUS BARBEE. REPRESENTATIVES—THAD IVEY AND L. N. RAINES.

From an early hour this morning the Populist began to gather in front of the court house and on the street corners in little knots to discuss the affairs of the nation. The occasion for their presence was the county Populist convention called for the purpose of nominating a county and legislative ticket and the selection of delegates to the Congressional and Judicial conventions which will meet here September 8th.

Shortly after noon Chairman Ordo Wilson called the body to order and named State Auditor Ayer as temporary chairman. Auditor Ayer said that he felt confused at this unexpected honor. He said that a speech was necessary since the delegates knew the conditions and what they should do and what ought to be done.

Secretary Guy V. Barnes then read the roll of townships. All townships except "Buckhorn" were represented.

The Secretary announced that there were no contests. A committee on credentials was dispensed with.

Ordo Wilson then arose and solemnly stated that the executive committee, which had been in session this morning had important business to communicate to the convention and the executive committee unanimously recommends that the convention go into executive secret session for the purpose of considering the important matters.

A motion was made that the convention go into secret session and the motion prevailed. Chairman Ayer then requested all who were not Populist delegates to retire. His request was complied with and the spectators reluctantly withdrew to the sidewalk and awaited the ringing of the court-house bell which would announce the beginning of the second act.

THE CAUCUS. The session of the caucus was spicy. Speeches were made by nearly all the delegates. The majority of the speakers urged fusion. However, the session was not entirely harmonious, and when fusion with the Republicans was carried C. E. McCullers, Ed. McCullers, of Paulsboro, J. C. Fox, of Wake Forest, and Robert Wynne bolted the convention.

SECOND ACT.

At 2 p. m. the bell sounded as an announcement that the second act would begin. Chairman Ayer called the body to order. George Fonnoffski nominated Chairman Ayer for permanent chairman. Ordo Wilson put the motion and it was carried. Guy V. Barnes was elected permanent secretary.

Ordo Wilson of the county committee reported from the caucus that the Populist nominate a candidate for treasurer, Register of Deeds, Surveyor, two Representatives and two County Commissioners. This motion prevailed unanimously.

W. B. Ray nominated E. G. Penny for County Treasurer. Dr. Marshburn nominated R. C. Rivers.

Mr. Midland nominated Guy V. Barnes, since he stated his son was not enough for the place. W. H. Hester and H. M. Knight were also nominated. Geo. Fonnoffski and Hill King seconded the nomination of Guy V. Barnes.

The first ballot stood Penny 68. The balloting thus continued until the fifth ballot, when Guy V. Barnes came within two votes of the nomination. On the sixth ballot Barnes received 143 and Knight 64. The nomination was made unanimous. T. C. Council then nominated for

Register of Deeds, J. J. Rogers. J. P. Goodwin was nominated but withdrew and Rogers was nominated by acclamation.

For County Surveyor—Pittman Stell was nominated by acclamation. For county commissioners, William Chamblee, O. G. Ellen, David Honeycutt, and Rufus Barbee were named, but Chamblee and Barbee were nominated.

For the House of Representatives, C. R. Franks, L. N. Raines, J. A. Arnold, Jas. Ferrall and Thad Ivey were placed before the body. Raines and Ivey won.

The convention is still in session at 4:30, and the delegates to the Congressional and Judicial conventions which meet here September 8th, are yet to be selected.

SHE WANTED THE KNOT UNTIED.

A few days ago a colored man obtained a license from Register of Deeds Rogers, and upon it, took for better or worse, a young but dusky damsel as his better half. But married life with the coon has not been gliding over a smooth sea. The little bark canoe, bearing the nuptial waves, "Two hearts with but a single thought, two hearts that beat as one,"

This couple had been joined together by Judge Harry Roberts and had proved to be a case of marrying in haste and the harrowing experience of separating at leisure. This morning the couple presented themselves at Judge Roberts' office and the man looked at the Judge and asked if 'dis was 'de place where he and Nancy wanted up. The Judge informed him it was. "Well, boss, I see called in dis mornin' and brought dis gal wid me to git a 'orce,"

The Judge told him that it was impossible to obtain a divorce save through the Superior court. Then spake the girl: "See here, white man, you done gone harnessed me up to dis nigger to drive double and he done 'ceived me by lying about what he was worth. He told me he belonged to the colored 'lance, had a mule and a crop, and now he wants to hake me come to town and take in washing to support him loafing about de Bowery and Sawyer's Bottom. I jis hain't gwine to do no such thing, and I se got to have a 'orce from dis lazy, being nigger, ess I can gwine to be a second-class coon funeral."

UNLOADING SICK AND WOUNDED

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor. MONTELUKE, August 20.—The work of unloading the convalescent soldiers who arrived on the Mobile began this morning. One hundred and fifty-six is the total including members of the Eighth, Twenty-second Infantry, and Second Massachusetts. As fast as landed they were sent to the detention camp. Twenty-six additional fever cases were also landed and placed in quarantine hospital. The squads of troops were tattered and begrimed, many needing the assistance of fellow-soldiers to leave the ship. It is one of the saddest spectacles of the war.

SPANISH COMMISSIONERS.

By Cable to the Times-Visitor. MADRID, Aug. 20.—The cabinet council has agreed upon the Cuban commissioners suggested by Captain General Dancos, consisting of General Parrado, Captain Landero, and Marquis Montoro. The appointment of the Porto Rican commissioners has been postponed, although General Macias has already wired his choice. Members of the Spanish Peace Commission have not yet been appointed.

BROUGHTON AND SIMMS.

A telegram from Wake Forest says that classical preside instructed his delegates to the Democratic County Convention to vote for N. B. Broughton, Esq., for the Senate and Robert N. Simms, for the House of Representatives. Mr. Simms is one of Raleigh's brightest young lawyers, and a partner of W. C. Douglass, Esq., in the practice of his profession.

A WASHOUT.

T. B. Bagley, of Wilmington, Grover Little, of China, A. H. Henshaw, of Hatteras, of New York; G. E. Lawhon, of New York; J. N. Rénfrore of Atlanta; J. W. Cahon, of Norfolk; Mrs. D. R. Rice, of Weldon; Mrs. Russell, of Riddell; W. B. Williams, of Montpelier, N. C.; and Mrs. C. A. Sherwood, Mrs. Dunberry, Mrs. A. J. Orr, Miss McClinton and W. G. Fowler, of Portsmouth; W. G. Day, of Georgia, and E. Y. Bliss, of Massachusetts, were passengers on the S. A. L. last night, but in account of a washout on the road near Hamlet were compelled to remain over in Raleigh. They were entertained at the Yharbo by Mr. Leard; the passenger agent here.

LIGHT SHOWERS SUNDAY.

How long, Oh, how long, Mr. Weather Man, will this continue? For Raleigh and vicinity, conditions favorable for light showers tonight and Sunday.

NAVAL PARADE

New York is in Holiday Attire

PROMINENT VISITORS

The Harbor Full of Sailing Crafts and Vast Throngs of People Along the Water Front.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor.

NEW YORK, August 20.—Admiral Sampson's squadron arrived at Atlantic Highlands this morning at 7:30 o'clock and will reach Tompkinsville at 10 a. m. in readiness to start on the triumphal parade to General Grant's tomb. All the preparations have been completed to make this occasion one of the most memorable of the century. The great city is dressed in holiday attire and vast throngs are assembling on the Water front to witness this great naval display. There are many excursion boats, tugs and other small crafts, how in the harbor awaiting the arrival of the fleet.

At 9:15 the squadron was sighted near Fort Mifflin, the flagship New York leading. As they fired aboard the fort they were saluted from the fort by all the guns. No reply was made from the flagship except the dipping of her ensign. Three of the vessels steamed gallantly onward toward the city, when suddenly a puff of smoke was seen which was followed by a thunderous roar from the New York's guns, which told that the flagship was now answering the fort's salute. Gun after gun was fired until the necessary nine gun salute was given.

The squadron then was to be seen in the following order: The New York, Iowa, Indiana, Brooklyn, Oregon and Massachusetts. As the ships approached Tompkinsville, the battleship Texas thundered forth a salute of seven guns, which was promptly returned by the New York. The Oregon was the only vessel in the squadron which was conspicuous by carrying her hunting completely covered.

No stop was made at Tompkinsville, where the Texas, Oregon and Indiana, respectively swung herself into the line for the parade up the river. In passing the battery the reception was most enthusiastic. The Brooklyn saluted from the squadron passed up the river amid great crowds which thronged both sides. Amid the tooting of whistles and deafening shouts of the greatest enthusiasm.

No such time has ever been witnessed before in this city. The firing of salutes was kept up along the river to Gen. Grant's tomb, where most impressive ceremonies were held. Then the ships slowly steamed back down the river out into the harbor and anchored.

VISITORS TO NAVAL REVIEW.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor. Jersey City, Aug. 20.—Secretary of War Alger, Secretary of the Treasury Lyman and wife, Secretary of Agriculture Wilson, Governor Pingree, of Michigan and Mayor Hopkins, arrived this morning in a private car to attend the naval celebration. Attorney General Clegg, Postmaster General Smith and Secretary of the Interior Bliss arrived earlier in the day.

SPY TO BE COURT-MARTIALED.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor. WASHINGTON, August 20.—Orders were issued today for the transfer of twenty Spanish prisoners, six of them alleged spies, from Fort McPherson to Portsmouth. Five of the alleged spies are to be given their freedom, while one, who, it is said, entered the American army for the purpose of acting as a spy for the Spanish government, will be sent to his U. S. regiment to be tried by court-martial.

ALLEGED RUSSIAN SPY.

By Cable to the Times-Visitor. VIENNA, August 20.—A great sensation is caused by the arrest of an alleged Russian spy at Grosseto. The prisoner is a baron, also an ex-officer of the Austrian army, who, it is said, resigned his commission recently and entered the Russian service.

HOBSON TOO BUSY.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor. New York, Aug. 20.—Hobson, who arrived in this city this morning on his way to Stapleton, to test the air bags for raising the sunken Spanish vessels at Santiaگو, says he is altogether too busy to participate in the naval celebration.

GONE TO THE KLONDIKE.

By Telegraph to the Times-Visitor. SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 20.—Battery "A" of the Third Artillery, under Lieutenant McManus sailed today on the steamer Humboldt for Yukon.

TRIPLE LINK

Grand Secretary Gone to the West.

ODD FELLOWS WORK

The Orphan's Excursion to the Sea Shore—Cranks Can Work Up Interest in Lodges.

The inmates of the Orphan Home, from the superintendent down to the smallest child, have been taking their annual outing at the seaside this week. The left Goldsboro on Tuesday last for Wilmington and Wrightsville Beach, where they were the guests of the Odd Fellows of Wilmington until the 19th. This annual outing is a fixed feature by the Wilmington brethren and is looked forward to by the children as one of the most pleasant episodes of their lives.

Our Grand Secretary left on Thursday evening last for Greensboro, Mount Airy and points adjacent to these places for the purpose of visiting the lodges and encouraging them in their work. He expects to be away about ten days and we hope he may do much good while among the brethren and that his stay among them may be a pleasant one.

At the suggestion of the Times-Visitor's "Dickey Bird" a special department, consisting of members of the "Daughters of Rebecca," "Daughters of the Revolution," etc., will be organized at once to "hold down" the Odd Fellows' column. This joint organization will also have special instruction to "hold" up the Times-Visitor. So the readers of the Times-Visitor and the Odd Fellows' column may expect better reading matter in the future.

Litchford McKee Entertainment, No. 15, I. O. O. F. of this city held a very interesting meeting on Friday night last. The action of the recent session of the Grand Encampment were discussed and the meeting was a very profitable one. The next meeting will be held September 1st, when the degrees will be conferred and frozen watermelon served. Every Patriarch is earnestly requested to be present.

If your lodge seems dead and nothing you can do will bring it to life, try a little crankiness on it. We know of a lodge once that could hardly muster a quorum at its meetings for a long time; there was nothing said or done when they had a quorum, except to call the different heads of business and quit. All present, and they were very few, would wish something would turn up to get a better attendance, or something could be done to arouse new life in the thing; but nobody suggested or could think of anything.

At last two members agreed to play cranks for a while. They agreed to mention the Order in some way to every man, woman, and child that they had any conversation with for a certain length of time and to do it in such way as to seem to be unguarded in it, or rather cranky. Before two weeks nearly all the members were at the lodge expecting to have a trial and expulsion, and the outsiders, well, they talked it up with a whoop. The result was a lively growing lodge.

A COMPLAINT.

The Electric Lights Don't Seem to Light.

To The Editor: Last night about 12 o'clock when people were hastening to their home in order to avoid the storm, which was coming up, the city was wrapped in darkness, except for a little gas street lamp which flickered here and there. One was forced to grope his way along the street. This happens so often that some reason should be given. The company which has the contract for furnishing electric lights, cannot fill the contract then they should turn it over to some company which can.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m., by the pastor, Rev. J. L. Foster. The public cordially invited. The monthly church meeting will be held immediately after the morning service, and every member is requested to be present, business of importance claiming the attention of the church.

PROFESSOR ANDRE SIGHTED.

By Cable to the Times-Visitor. VICTORIA, August 20.—Professor Andre's balloon has been sighted by Esquimaux according to reports from the north. The report itself is very meagre, no details being given.

CHRIST CHURCH.

Rev. M. M. Marshall, D. D., rector. Eleventh Sunday after Trinity. Early communion at 8 a. m.; Sunday school at 10 a. m.; divine service and sermon at 11 a. m.; evening prayer at 6:30 p. m. Free seats. All invited.

THE DEMOCRATIC PRIMARIES.

FIRST WARD, FIRST DIVISION. Delegates to County Convention: L. H. Royster, Brown Pogram, C. F. Lumsden, C. W. Newcomb, W. W. Wilson, Thomas Faucett, F. T. Ward and J. L. Faucett.

FIRST WARD, SECOND DIVISION. Delegates—George T. Gill, A. M. Powell, R. H. Jones, V. C. Royster, W. C. McMackin, J. J. Bernard, W. B. Snow, T. P. Sale and Perrin Busbee.

SECOND WARD, FIRST DIVISION. Delegates: R. H. Bradley, A. D. Zachary, J. C. Drewry, M. S. Clark, W. J. Andrews, W. F. McDonald, W. G. Allen, C. C. Crow, S. G. Ryan, William Ledbetter, W. V. Clifton, W. H. Holloway, J. D. Boushall and C. A. Separk.

SECOND WARD, SECOND DIVISION. Delegates: M. T. Leach, A. A. Thompson, Graham Haywood, J. J. Johnson, B. F. Montague, Charles Bretsch, E. A. Womble, C. D. Arthur, Vitruvius Royster.

THIRD WARD, FIRST DIVISION. Delegates: I. P. Gulley, Z. T. Broughton, R. G. Upchurch, C. P. Spruill, J. M. Norwood, F. B. Phillips, J. R. Upchurch, W. H. King and E. A. Adams. THIRD WARD, SECOND DIVISION. Morris, J. M. Riggan, L. C. Bagwell, Josephus Daniels.

Members township committee: R. G. Upchurch, C. P. Spruill and W. H. King. FOURTH WARD. Delegates First Division: W. N. Jones, G. E. Leach, G. W. Thompson, W. P. Whitaker, Frank Redford, W. A. Gattis and C. B. Edwards; Second division, C. B. Barbee and M. A. Bledsoe, Sr.

OUTSIDE EAST.

Delegates: W. H. Harden, Frank Bell, E. C. Sasser, John Sasser, H. E. Hayes and John Glenn.

OUTSIDE WEST, NORTH DIVISION. Delegates: R. C. Strong, B. G. Cowper, J. D. Wilson, R. H. Kehoe, Albert Hay.

OUTSIDE WEST, SOUTH DIVISION.

Delegates: W. A. Howell, C. E. Crawford, L. H. Lumsden, J. C. Thompson, Bryant Smith.

The aggregated vote cast in Raleigh township for the respective candidates for the various offices, is as follows: For Sheriff—Page, 491; Norwood, 215. For Clerk—Russ, 425; Moye, 185. For Registrar—Hood, 391; Fort, 112. For Treasurer—Williamson, 442; McDonald, 118. The other offices were not voted on as there were no known candidates for any of them.

It is pretty well conceded that the Democratic ticket in the county will be for county offices: For Sheriff—Malcom, W. Page; For Clerk—William M. Russ; For Registrar—William H. Hood; For Treasurer—Bailey P. Williamson. The Legislative ticket was not considered in the primaries.

LIGHT THE STREETS.

And there was darkness over the face of the earth. Many of the faithful groined their way along the gloomy, muddy, grassy sidewalks, to the Democratic primaries. A Times-Visitor reporter attempted to make the rounds but hesitated, else in the darkness of the night he might get lost. Away on some distant corner flickered a sickly little gas jet in a dingy, dirty glass box upon a post. Beneath an awning stood a group of workmen, who, hesitated wandering through the darkness to their homes, for all the police were at the primaries.

How long, oh ye guardians of the people's interests, are our citizens to seek their homes in utter darkness? What is the Light Committee of the Board of Aldermen doing to give light upon the streets? Oh, good Lord, with thy mighty hand brush away the clouds in the heavens and give to Raleigh just a little moonlight at night, else we are lost in outer darkness.

COTTON MILL.

Lippard and Shealey Manufacturing Company at Concord Incorporated. Articles of incorporation were today filed with the Secretary of State for the Lippard and Shealey Manufacturing Company to carry on a general cotton manufacturing and mercantile business at Concord, with a capital stock of \$50,000.

The names of the stockholders are J. C. Lippard, R. T. Lippard, M. E. Barrier, S. D. Shuping, W. P. Shealey, L. Godfrey, Geo. B. Hiss, F. L. Fleming, Truman Chapman and D. B. Coltram.

HOME ON FURLOUGH.

Private W. P. Johnson, Company C, First N. C. Volunteer, is home on a ten days' furlough. Mr. Johnson was furloughed to come here to attend the funeral of his child. He reports the boys at Jacksonville as in the best of spirits and really enjoying themselves. They are a little sore that they did not have an opportunity to get into active war. It is expected the regiment will go to Cuba with General Lee.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

Dusty Travelers From Dusty Trains

SHORT STATEMENTS.

Those Who are in the Fabric Eye—Movement of People Who Have or Have Not Gone to the War—Big News in Little Space.

Judge Shepherd returned to Raleigh today.

Mayor John Kerr, of Warrenton, is in the city on business.

Mr. T. N. Bryant is very ill at his residence, 524 North East street.

Governor D. L. Russell left today for Wilmington, where he will remain until Tuesday.

Mr. J. W. Bailey and Rev. O. L. Stringfield left today for Wilson, where they will speak.

Mrs. Pittinger and Miss Louise Pittinger left yesterday for Asheville for a fortnight's stay.

Frank, the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert O. King, is quite sick at the residence of his parents, 555 East Hargett street.

Mrs. Edwin G. Nichols, accompanied by Mrs. Robt. McQuinn, who has been visiting here, left yesterday for a few days' stay at Old Point.

There will be no preaching at Edenton Street M. E. church tomorrow morning or evening, on account of the absence of the pastor.

Col. John E. Duke, of the Tenderloin District, returned home from Norfolk and Baltimore where he has been laying in stores for the Capital Club Cafe.

Mrs. John W. Brown, who has been at Macon a month, has returned home.

Miss Josie Taylor, who has been visiting Mrs. L. T. Brown, has returned to Durham.

Superintendent Mewborne says there are this year nearly 13,000 acres in crops at the penitentiary farms, 6,200 being in cotton, and 4,500 in corn. The wheat crop is 7,000 bushels, oats 15,000.

The Young Woman's Missionary Society of Edenton Street Methodist church will hold its regular meeting tomorrow (Sunday) afternoon at 5 o'clock in the usual place.

Mr. W. E. Affleck, who came here from Liverpool, England, and who during his stay was in the cotton business with Barbee & Barbee, left tonight for the far South, to engage in the cotton trade.

There is a class of sneak thieves around the city who should by some means be gotten rid of. Just a little shot gun exercise on some of these back-door visitors might go a long way in ridding the city of these pests.

Miss Rosa Budd, who has been visiting friends in Raleigh, Moncure, Aberdeen and Southern Pines for several weeks, returned last evening on the S. A. L. train accompanied by Master Van Wyck Hemball, of Raleigh.—Durham Herald.

At the muster-out of the volunteers there will be another medical examination, to determine whether any men became unsound during their terms of service. This can be readily ascertained. There are on file copies of the muster-in rolls. There will also be filed copies of the muster-out rolls.

Eighty convicts are now at work on the Raleigh and Cape Fear Railway and President John A. Mills informs Superintendent Mewborne of the penitentiary that the grading of the sixteen miles of road embraced in the present contract will be completed by September 15. The convicts are now building the bridge across Middle Creek.

A DISTINGUISHED VISITOR.

Mr. N. H. Busey the well known artist, is now in Raleigh, the guest of Mr. John C. Drewry, the portrait of whose daughter, he is about to paint. Mr. Busey has resided in Europe for many years, and has regularly exhibited in the Paris Salon and in London, and has painted a number of portraits in each of those cities. About six months ago, Mr. Busey returned to New York where he has opened a fine studio. Several years ago, during a visit to the United States Mr. Busey painted portraits of the families of Mr. Watts and Mr. B. N. Duke, two large portraits of Mr. W. Duke, a full length life size portrait of Miss Carr, daughter of Col. Julian Carr, and a number of others. Raleigh has from his brush the portraits of Mrs. Devereux, Mrs. Raney and Mr. Holleman. It is seldom that an artist of Mr. Busey's ability visits any but the largest cities, so if any of our citizens should desire portraits of a high class painted, an extraordinary opportunity is presented.