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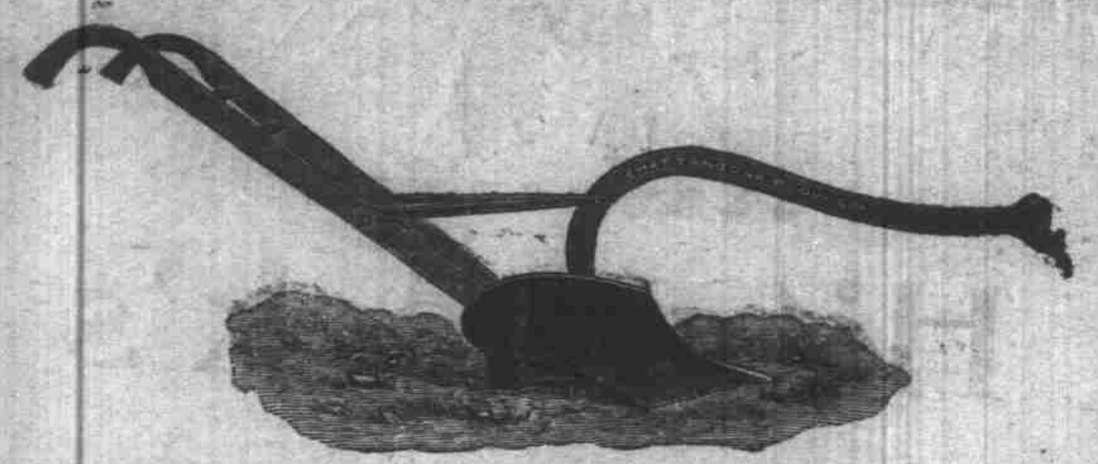
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Danville Register.

Populism, as advocated and attempted to be practiced by the populist party, was a fungus growth, the fate of which was to wither and decay in the sunlight of accurate information.

The Populists, as a party, are in a state of rapid decay. In some States, North Carolina, for instance, fusion is taking away the identity of the People's party, and in other States the organization is simply going to pieces. In no State is the party gaining ground, in most of the States it is rapidly going out of sight. The middle-of-the-roaders may exist on paper until 1900, but after that date the party will be unknown except among historical students.

The party took definite form at the Omaha convention of 1892, and it had in that year in the various States fully a million adherents, and 1894, its vote was still larger. In 1896 fusion was the watchword, and no clear evidence of the party's strength could be gathered. Disintegration set in last year, however, and this year it has become epidemic. Where fusion tickets are not agreed upon, voters practically refuse to further support a Third Party ticket, and the contest of 1900 is plainly to be between the two chief parties of the country, with no distracting side issues or splits.

And this is the Populist party, but who can say it has served a good purpose? Unquestionably it has. The party has called attention to many abuses and many wrongs, and in some cases it has pointed out the true remedy for them. Many of these issues will survive the death of the Populist party. Other parties not weighed down and made ridiculous with foolish and impracticable ideas will take up these worthy issues and carry them through to happy consummation.

The death of the Populist party, and practically it is dead, does not necessarily mean the failure of the good it strove to do or that its work is entirely lost. The Populists were erratic, impractical and unreasonable in many respects, but they had many good points and surviving parties will be wise to utilize the good they left, while repudiating their impracticable and senseless heresies. Peace to the ashes of the Populist party. It has served its purpose.

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Praise For Reidsville.

Danville Register: Holland Harris, a blind colored man, is in the city, having reached here several days ago from Reidsville. Holland speaks in high praise of the little North Carolina city, because of the generosity of its people. Especially kind to him were the city officials and B. F. Davis. All the colored people, he says, showed substantial sympathy to an afflicted one of the race. Danville, he says, is also treating him very kindly.

Suicide in Person County.

Danville Register: According to the report of a gentleman from Person county, N. C., in Danville yesterday, a most distressing suicide occurred at Coffey that county, on Wednesday afternoon, when Mrs. H. S. Williams, wife of a prominent farmer, was found hanging in an old barn near her home.

The poor woman was suffering from mental derangement, due to bad health had climbed up on a box in the barn and after tying a rope about her neck, kicked the box from under her and strangled to death. Her husband is almost wild with grief.

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As Seen From Danville.

Charlotte Observer's View.

The Charlotte Observer has sent a man into Africa and found out what it already knew, that when Africans are in the majority they boss the job.

The State fair is now being boomed, and if it is not a big success, it will be no fault of the president, Col. John Cunningham.

The Democratic papers abuse Russell and Butler and every prominent man in office. It is to be regretted that only scoundrels are elected. It speaks volumes against the Democratic party. The Democratic candidates must indeed be tough, when the people repudiate them to elect such awful men as those we mention.

Women are not the only ones who are sensitive about their ages. A man doesn't like to be told that he is getting old. Health keeps a man young. It doesn't make any difference if he has lived eighty years, he will be hale and hearty and won't look within twenty years as old as he is. Good digestion and rich, red blood, make people look youthful. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery makes rich, red blood. It makes health in the right way. It works according to theory and in 30 years of practice, it has proved that this theory is absolutely correct. It begins at the beginning—begins by putting the stomach, liver and bowels into perfect order, but it begins its good work on the blood before it finishes with the digestive system. It searches out disease germs wherever they may be and forces them out of the body. All druggists keep the "Discovery."

Some Good Results of the War.

White's Aid in September Century.

The candid confessions seem inevitable that, not as a matter of policy, but as a necessity of the position in which we find ourselves, we must hold Cuba, at least for a time and till a permanent government is well established for which we can afford to be responsible, we must hold Porto Rico, and we may have to hold the Philippines. The war is a great sorrow, and to many these results of it will seem still more mournful. They cannot be contemplated with unmixed confidence by any, and to all who think they must be a source of some grave apprehensions. On the other hand, there are some good things coming from it that we can already see. It will make an end forever of Spain in this hemisphere. It will certainly secure to Cuba and Porto Rico better government. It will furnish an enormous outlet for the energy of our citizens, and give another example of the rapid development to which our system leads; it has already brought north and south together in a common bond, and has offered a foreign war in which both offered their blood for the cause of their reunited country—a result of incalculable advantage both at home and abroad. It has brought England and the United States together, another result of momentous importance in the progress of civilization and christianity. Europe will know us better henceforth; even Spain will know us better, and this knowledge should tend powerfully hereafter to keep the peace of the world. The war has brought us to a new era, a new epoch, a new era of civilization, a new era of our public men, since it has shown our incredible unreadiness at the outset for meeting even a third rate power; and it will secure us henceforth an army and navy less ridiculously inadequate to our requirements. It insures us a mercantile marine. It insures the Nicaragua canal, a Pacific cable, great development on our Pacific coast, and the mercantile control of the Pacific ocean. It imposes new and very serious business on our public men, which ought to dignify and elevate the public service. Finally, it has shown such splendid courage and skill in the army and navy, such sympathy at home for our men at the front, and such devoted eagerness, especially among women, to alleviate suffering and humanize the struggle, as to thrill every patriotic heart and make us all prouder than ever of our country and its matchless people.

On Spence, Hush!

Just listen to Spence Adams, will you as he expatiates to Fred Olds for the Charlotte Observer. "Judge Adams, Republican candidate for Congress in the Fifth district, is here. He said today: 'I will be elected easily. I do not believe my opponent, Mr. Kitchin, will carry a single county in the district. I really did not desire the nomination for Congress. I am sorry I was not defeated for the nomination, particularly after the attacks upon me. I open my Congressional campaign tomorrow in Person county. I suppose you saw the Populist there had endorsed me. They will do that everywhere.'"

Spence has enjoyed a reputation for sound sense hitherto, but he is about to lose it. He is "developing" at a rapid rate, says the Greensboro Record.

The Case of North Carolina.

Atlanta Constitution.

Whenever they talk about fusion in Georgia between the whites and blacks on the platform of a division of the spoils, they are confronted with the results which followed that kind of a political deal in our neighbor State. Messrs. Hanson, Wilkinson, Milkin, and the others, constantly declaring that there is no fear of negro domination in Georgia.

Marion Butler, Dan Russell and other fusion leaders in the North State told the same thing to the white people there in 1894 and 1896 and Governor Russell and Cy Thompson, and others of the Raleigh rule are repeating it this year. But Marion Butler does not say so any more. Major Guthrie, the Populist nominee for Governor of North Carolina in 1896, does not say there is no danger of negro supremacy in that State. On the contrary, he declares that fusion as a conspiracy against good government and the security, prosperity and happiness of the people. The latest thing up there is a result of negro domination is negro road commissioners working white men for the public highways. But that is not near so bad as the negro school commissioners examining and appointing white teachers and directing white schools. Worse than all else up there—worse than the horrible Hancock scandal, and every other unspeakable crime of the fusion regime, are the incendiary utterances of the negro paper at Wilmington, insulting the white women of the State and encouraging the black men to commit the crime the invariably policy for which the South is made out of a Judge Lynch when the fiend is caught. All these dreadful conditions in North Carolina are directly traceable to the fusion between the Republicans and the Populists.

First the fusionists got control of the Legislature and then they passed laws which took away the franchise from the negroes in the white belt and to the Populists and white Republicans in the rest of the State.

That expose set the honest, patriotic, law-respecting and law-abiding members of the People's party in Georgia to thinking. And when a man who loves his family and his State sits down by himself and soberly thinks on this subject, he will not go with Milkin and Wilkinson. He may not see his way to joining the Democrats, but he is not going with the Republicans. He is not going to assist a movement which might fasten on Georgia the same conditions which exist in North Carolina.

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When We Read of a Railroad Wreck

in which a hundred or more are killed and filled with pity and horror. There are other dangers in this life a thousand times greater than that of the railroad wreck, only we do not have them brought so forcibly to our attention. Consumption does not kill a hundred people at once in one train. It does kill tens of thousands for every one that is killed by accident.

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What Fusion Does.

H. E. C. Bryant (of Charlotte Observer).

Tarboro, N. C.—The following story is told: Dr. Mayo, one of the leading Populists of Edgecombe county, had on his place a negro politician by the name of Henry Lancy, of late Dr. Mayo has been, as it were, bootlicking Dancy. He has treated the negro as though he was his equal. As a result, Dancy became unwell. He took the little negro home boy off to one side the other day and told him that he would give him a dollar if he would tell him which room Miss Mayo, Dr. Mayo's grown daughter, occupied. The negro boy told the doctor, the cook told Mrs. Mayo, and the result is that impudent dancy has skipped to parts more distant. The affair is the talk of the neighborhood.

Lee Person is the smartest politician of his race in the South. He is well educated and intelligent, young and active. On the stump he arouses the negroes against the white people. He draws the color line. The other night, in a speech to negroes, at Milledge, this county, he said: "Go to the elections well armed, with rocks in your pockets, clubs in your hands and carrying your pistols, and don't allow any officer to arrest you after you have registered until the day after election, unless you have stolen something or killed somebody. Come to me if they get after you."

Mr. Will H. Falton, being duly sworn before Mr. James R. Gaskill, notary public, says: My name is William E. Felton, postoffice address, Old Sparta, N. C. I was in Old Sparta Monday night, October 25th, 1894, and heard a negro, Lee Person, a Republican candidate for the State Legislature for Edgecombe county, address some of the people of Old Sparta and vicinity. During his speech he declared in substance that the poor white men and the negro were now equal, that the poor white man had already begun to invite the negro into his house, and soon the poor white man would invite the negro to eat and sleep with him. Also in the course of his speech Person declared that any negro who voted the Democratic ticket should be lynched, and he for one would walk from Rocky Mount to Old Sparta to help lynch him. There were present during this vindictive speech probably fifty or more people.

This is the kind of negro that will give the Senate from Edgecombe this year. Person has been holding negro meetings throughout the country for several weeks.

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