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REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

**Gets Out a Skeleton Ticket—Their Plan of Fusion With Populists—Some of Them Don't Like Such Surrender.—A Boit.**

The Republicans of Pitt held their county convention here on Saturday afternoon, six white men and about a hundred negroes taking part in it.

The meeting was called to order at 2 P. M. by J. J. Perkins, chairman of the county executive committee.

There was a little squabbling right at the outset of the meeting over the manner in which the business of the convention should be proceeded with.

After a little cross firing between opposing sides, which indicated to the spectators that there was some fun ahead, the secretary was ordered to call the roll of townships, which he did but omitted to call any names of delegates as he went. There was an occasional answer of "present" as he proceeded.

F. J. Johnson moved that the temporary chairman and secretary be made permanent officers of the convention.

G. W. Cox raised the point of order that no committee on credentials had been appointed and made a report.

C. M. Bernard stated that if there was no contest from any township it was useless to consume time by having a committee on credentials, and he moved that the rules be suspended and the convention go into permanent organization.

E. V. Cox raised the point that this was irregular and demanded that the roll of delegates be called. This proceeded very slowly, about thirty answering.

At the conclusion of the roll call G. W. Cox again tried to say something but there was so much confusion he could not be heard. A crowd gathered around the secretary's desk to see how the list of delegates panned out.

About this time a drunken white man crossed the stand in rear of the chairman and made so much noise that policeman Fred Cox put him down in the corner and held him until he got quiet.

C. M. Bernard got the floor again and renewed his motion to suspend rules and go into permanent organization, carried.

E. V. Cox moved that present chairman and secretary be made permanent officers, carried.

C. M. Bernard said he desired to read the convention some proceedings from headquarters. He prefaced the reading with some remarks in which he said "no party can exist without organization, and no party can be long lived unless it heeds the instructions that come from the organization." He wanted them to listen to what came from headquarters and be ready to act accordingly. He then read the address issued by the State executive committee at their recent meeting in Raleigh. It was noticeable that when he reached the part bearing upon the nomination of Russell for Governor there was not the slightest sound to come from the darkies, but when he read the names of McKinley and Hobart they broke out in applause.

After completing the reading he made them a speech of some length in which he several times pressed the point of their keeping together and being ready to heed what came from headquarters. He rehearsed the plan of co-operation between the Republicans and Populists in the last campaign and said "we fused and helped them beat the Democrats in that election, and we pledged ourselves to co-operate with them again in this election if they continue true to the reforms they started out to secure. The great reforms were

these: First, local self-government in the counties; second, the right of every man to deposit one vote and have that vote counted; third, 6 per cent interest." (Applause)

He went on to tell how the Republicans and Populists had got out a joint State ticket this year, the Republicans first meeting and making a skeleton ticket and the Populists later filling it out. But he failed to tell them the Populists nominated a full ticket, and paid no attention to the one the Republicans had nominated—in fact ignored every man they had nominated, and that the way fusion comes on the State ticket is that the Republican Executive Committee just met and filled out their ticket with the men the Populists had nominated, holding on to the few little fellows they had nominated in their own State convention.

Coming down to the district he said they helped to send Skinner to Congress last time and that the Republican committee met in Edenton last Wednesday, the same day of the Populist convention, pledged the Republican vote of the district to Skinner again this time, and he wanted them all to support him, since the Populists had done what they asked of them. He said that the Populist convention at Edenton passed a resolution endorsing Senator Pritchard. We wonder what Mr. Butler thinks of this. The Colonel's hand seems to appear in this. And can it be true that such a silver advocate could cause a Populist convention to endorse the rankest McKinley man in the South?

Then touching upon county affairs he said "you all know that in our fusion with them last election we got only one representative in the county. But the Populist committee met this morning and offered to be more liberal with us this time. They said they will give us the same Representative, the Register of Deeds, the Coroner and one County Commissioner, with committees from each party to confer in reference to a Senator. We are to name who we please for these offices, they are to name who they please for the other offices, we will put them on one ticket and beat the Democrats by 1,000 majority. (Great applause.) We held a caucus just before this convention and accepted the offer of the Populist committee and the caucus selected the names to go on the ticket which I will now ask Mr. Brown to read."

This was a signal for more confusion. Brown (col.) went on the stand to read the caucus names, but objections were heard in various parts of the hall. Finally he was told to go ahead and read it and he gave the following names:

- For Legislature—E. V. Cox.
- For Register of Deeds—J. J. Perkins.
- For County Commissioner—John Thompson.
- For Coroner—B. J. Wilson.

A general hubbub followed the reading of the ticket and before any action could be taken E. V. Cox got the floor. He held a copy of the Winston Republican in his hand and started out like he wanted to pay a tribute to the late Capt. Goslen, editor of that paper, but put paper aside and went in for a speech of an hours length. The main object Mr. Cox had in making the speech seemed to be to warn the Republicans not to be swallowed up body and soul by the Populists. He said he favored fusion but not surrender. That under fusion the Republican vote was diminishing at the rate of 1100 a year, and that at this rate it would soon cease to exist. He fired the negroes a little by reference to their losing their freedom and said if they had to be disfranchised it made no difference with them from which party it came. That such doctrine as that had recently been proclaimed from where he stood, and asked the question if it came from a Democrat. There were loud responses of no.

He then asked if it came from a Republican, and was answered in the negative with greater force. He asked not whether it was a Populist, but every body knew that he referred to Col. Skinner.

All through his speech he continued to utter "but he wants you to forget

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MONDAY, AUGUST 24TH, 1896.

Congressional Convention.

The Congressional Convention of the Democratic party of the First District is hereby called to meet in Washington on Tuesday August 25th at 12 m. for the purpose of selecting a candidate for Congress, an elector and such other business as may come before it.

By order of the Committee.

W. B. RODMAN, Chairman.

THE PARTY PLATFORMS IN A NUTSHELL.

DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM.

The democratic platform reaffirms the allegiance of the party to the principles of Jefferson—freedom of speech, freedom of the press, freedom of conscience, the preservation of personal rights, equality before the law, and home rule.

It demands—

Free silver at 16 to 1,

That bond issues in times of peace shall cease.

That the government, and not the banks, shall issue the paper money.

That the tariff shall be for revenue only.

That there shall be an income tax.

That immigration be restricted.

That the powers of the interstate railroad commission shall be increased. The extravagance of republican congresses is denounced.

Interference by the federal government in local affairs is condemned.

Government by injunction and rule of the courts by contempt proceedings are denounced.

Refusal of congress to refund the Pacific debts is approved.

The ruling of the pension commissioner against arbitrarily dropping names from the rolls is endorsed.

The admission of New Mexico and Arizona is approved.

Sympathy for Cuba is expressed.

Life tenure in office is condemned.

Devotion to civil and religious liberty is proclaimed.

Arbitration of strikes is recommended.

REPUBLICAN PLATFORM.

The preamble is an arraignment of the democratic party, which is charged with causing all the hard times, bond issues, etc.; and the party's record is held up for comparison with that of the republicans.

The platform speaks for—

Protective tariff; reciprocity.

Protection to sugar producers.

Protection to wool growers.

Restoration of the American merchant marine.

Preservation of the existing gold standard and no free coinage of silver except by international agreement, which the party pledges itself to promote.

Pensions to war veterans.

Vigorous foreign policy.

Control of the Hawaiian islands.

Building and control of the Nicaraguan canal.

Purchase of the Danish islands. Active work on the part of the United States to restore peace in Cuba. Maintenance of the Monroe doctrine. Strengthening of the navy. Exclusion of immigrants who cannot read and write. Continuance of the civil service laws. Free ballot. No Lynch law. National arbitration of strikes. Public lands for homesteads. Admission of the territories to statehood as soon as possible. Representation in congress for Alaska.

The platform expresses horror over the Armenian massacres; sympathy with efforts for temperance and approves equal pay for equal work for men and women.

POPULIST PLATFORM.

The populist platform says that through executive power and patronage the will of the people has been thwarted and plutocracy has been enthroned on the ruins of democracy.

It demands—

Free silver at 16 to 1.

Increase in the volume of the currency.

That no more bonds shall be used except by specific act of congress.

That demonetization of lawful money by contract shall be prohibited.

That the government shall exercise its option in paying its obligations in either gold or silver.

That a graduated income tax shall be levied.

That postal savings banks shall be established. That the government shall own and operate the railroad and telegraph lines.

That the Pacific railroad lines shall be foreclosed.

That the grants of railroad lines not needed by the roads shall be reclaimed and held for settlers.

That the initiative and referendum by which the people can vote on the enactment of laws shall be inaugurated.

That the president, vice president and senators shall be elected by direct vote of the people.

The platform expresses sympathy for Cubans; favors home rule in the District of Columbia and the early admission of the territories to statehood; favors just pensions, denounces rule of the court by contempt proceedings and denounces ballot-box frauds.

The Value of Vegetables.

An exchange makes the following timely suggestions on the subject of diet during warm weather: "Do not eat too much meat in the summer; a little meat will go a long way, and on really hot days large quantities of meat is decidedly injurious. It is not for nothing that nature has been so prodigal with vegetable growth in the the hot time of the year. We are meant to eat more fruit and vegetables in summer than in winter, for they are better for our health. Meat and fatty foods supply us with heat as well as with actual nourishment, and we do not need to have our temperature increased on a hot day. See, however, that the fruit is fresh and fully ripe, and the vegetables well-cleansed and freshened and in good condition. Over-ripe or green fruit must never be eaten. Do not be afraid of wasting fruit which has begun to decay."

A Georgia editor is responsible for the following: "The editor sat in his office cold, whence all but him had fled, but he wished that every last dead beat was in his grave, stone dead. His mind then wandered far away to the time when he should die, and his loyal editorial soul go scooting to the sky; when he'd roam the fields of paradise and sail o'er jasper seas, and all things glorious would combine, his every sense to please. He thought how when he'd look across the great gulf dark and drear, that yawned between this happy soul and those who swindled here; and then for water they should call and in agony they'd caper, he'd shout to them: 'Just moisten your tongue with the dew that's on your paper.'"

One Man in Debt.

One of our subscribers writes: "I cannot pay for my paper because I have so many debts to pay." A few others have written as though what one owes for a paper, which costs the publishers money, is not a debt like that which one owes for groceries or dry goods. They remind us of a little story; At a revival meeting the evangelist requested every man who had paid his debts to stand up. They rose in a mass. Then he said, "Sit down; and every man in this meeting who has not paid his debts, stand up." One individual raised his arm aloft, "My good man," said the evangelist, have you not paid your debts?" "No," he said, "I have not paid them. I am the editor of a religious periodical, and nearly every member of this congregation owes me for my paper."

Built a House In a Bottle.

A few years ago the writer saw a genuine curiosity which had been made by a little blind boy in Chicago. It was nothing more or less than a miniature house, made up of forty odd pieces of wood, which was placed on the inside of a very common looking four ounce medicine bottle. The general verdict of all who examined the wonder was that it would puzzle a man with two good eyes to put the pieces in the bottle, to say nothing of the task of gluing them together so as to make them resemble a house.—St. Louis Republic.

Where to Plant Watermelons.

Several young farmers were discussing the raising of watermelons, says a correspondent of the New York Post. Many opinions were expressed as to the most desirable soil, the best seed, the best fertilizer and the like, and finally one of the group accosted an aged colored man who happened to pass. The question was stated, and the young man said:

"Come now, Uncle Winter, what is your opinion about all this? You must have made many a fine crop in your time."

The old man's eyes twinkled. He took off his hat, scratched his gray wool and answered:

"I ain't rightly 'bout de 'lowance of fertilizer, neider as to de 'visible kind ob seed what is more better dan common. But I's dead sure able to pick out de best patch for plantin watermillion, whedder de land is een dis county or de 'j'inin [adjoining] one Boss," he added, pausing to emphasize his words, "I done figure it out long time dat de 'perferdest place for raisin 'milions is de patch what faces all de windows een de big house up and down, and neber is lost sight ob."

The Fatal Postscript.

"Are you fond of etchings?" asked a young man who had taken the hostess' pretty niece from the country down to supper.

"As a general thing, yes," she answered, looking up into his eyes with an encouraging frankness that threatened havoc to his heart, "but," she added hastily, as he started to say something pretty, "not any tonight, thank you—it's rather late. A very little lemonade is all I care for."—New York Mercury

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Lv Wilson	2 05	11 44	6 20
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Lv Fayetteville	4 36	1 07	
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A. M. RAMSEY.  
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### TRAIN AND BOAT SCHEDULES.

Passenger and mail train going north, arrives 8:22 A. M. Going South, arrives 6:47 P. M.  
North Bound Freight, arrives 9:50 A. M. leaves 10:10 A. M.  
South Bound Freight, arrives 2:00 P. M. leaves 2:15 P. M.  
Steamer Tar River arrives from Washington Monday, Wednesday and Friday leaves for Washington Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

### WEATHER BULLETIN.

Local showers tonight. Tuesday fair preceded by local showers on the coast, cooler Tuesday morning.

### WEATHERWISE AND OTHERWISE.

General Mixture of Items—All Hot.

Smoke Henry Clay Cheroots, 5 for 10.

WANTED—Table boarders, apply to Mrs. M. A. Jarvis.

Best Blend Tea, 25c per lb, at S. M. Schultz.

The pay horse was here this morning on its monthly rounds.

Money loaned on 30, 60 and 90 days. Apply to F. C. Harding.

The "Southern Leader," still holds the lead as the best 5 cent smoke. Nothing equals it. D. S. SMITH.

Best Butter on ice at Starkey's.

The entire sale at the Star Warehouse today brought an average of 10 cents. This looks like getting back to old time figures.

You can buy Lumber at Stater's Mill, just 4 1/2 miles from town, at "Single Gold Standard Prices." See C. R. SPEIGHT, Manager.

Vermont Butter for sale at D. S. Smith.

A fresh lot of full Cream Cheese and Vermont Butter, on ice, at J. S. Tunstall's.

G. W. Williams sold a load of tobacco at the Star Warehouse today as follows: 1 lot 18 1/2, 1 lot at 17 1/2, 1 lot at 25 1/2, 1 lot at 8 1/2. Frank Edwards also sold at the Star at these figures: 11—16 1/2—13 1/2—15 1/2.

First of the season—New Mulletts and Potatoes 10 cents a peck at S. M. Schultz.

Fresh Carr Butter to-day, Aug. 12 at S. M. Schultz.

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# REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

your freedom." He counseled the negroes not to listen at the arguments for silver that they would hear during this campaign. He was heartily in favor of McKinley. That he agreed with him in eleven things and only differed in one. That he differed with Bryan in eleven and only agreed with him in one. He favored free silver but he favored McKinley. Whew! "Consistency, &c." Can the Populists swallow this ticket? This speech was heartily endorsed by the whole convention, and yet Populists are asked to vote for a supporter of McKinley, and goldbugism. Will they do it? This remains to be seen. Mr. Cox closed after reading an extract from the Caucasian and quoting a little poetry that ought to be entitled "together." He urged the Republicans with force to stand together. He looked as if he might have said a great deal more but he was fearful of trading on tender and forbidden ground.

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### "HOT SCOTCH."

What These People Catch as They Move Around.

W. H. Barnes is in Suffolk.

J. A. Dupree went to Norfolk this morning.

W. H. Cox went to Tarboro morning.

R. A. Tyson left this morning for Washington.

J. G. Bowling and Wiley Brown went to Washington today.

Miss Julia Foley left Saturday evening to visit friends in Kinston.

W. G. Lang, of Farmville, went to Norfolk this morning on business.

J. J. Cherry and family and J. R. Moye returned today from Ocracoke.

The little child of J. N. Hart is very sick, but shows signs of improvement to-day.

W. T. Mangum went to Washington this morning to attend the tobacco break there.

Ned Saunders is in town selling Henry Clay Cheroots, said to be the best on the market.

Mrs. J. R. Moore and children left this morning for Wilmington to visit relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. A. Dupree and children left this morning for Murfreesboro to visit relatives and friends.

Miss Julia Howell, daughter of Capt. R. P. Howell, of Goldsboro, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. B. F. Sugg.

Mrs. G. P. Fleming and children returned Saturday evening from their summer outing in the western part of the State.

Misses Cornelia and Minnie Moore, of Whitakers, who have been visiting friends at the King House, left yesterday morning, and will spend a few days at the home of R. R. Carr.

There will be a large crowd to go from here to the Congressional convention at Washington to-morrow.

G. W. Hart, of Greene county, had a load of bottom primings at the Star today and brought him \$114.29 which was much more than he expected. Look out, the Star is coming to the front.

# NOTICE

On and after, Thursday, August 20th, we will be in our new store, at the old stand, will be glad to see you all.

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