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MAJ. GUTHRIE'S OPPORTUNITY.

It is our judgment that two weeks from to-day Mr. Watson will be elected Governor. There is one gentleman who can make that result certain, and he ought to be good enough to do it. The reference is to Maj. W. A. Guthrie. He cannot want to see Judge Russell elected—that is not to be thought of. He cannot be elected himself, and he of course knows it. In his campaign speeches he has demonstrated his fidelity to the cause of silver by urging his fellow-partymen to vote for no gold-bug for any office—this notwithstanding that his party has fused on a number of candidates who are either secretly or openly gold standard men. Judge Russell, however, knows to be a gold standard man. Now, desiring, as he does, the defeat of all gold-bugs, and desiring even above that the well-being of North Carolina, he could do no more patriotic thing, could do nothing that would contribute so much to his fame, as to withdraw from the race for Governor and request his followers to give their support to Mr. Watson. He and Mr. Watson are friends; they are in agreement upon a great many questions, primarily the money question; and even if the Governor of North Carolina can exercise no influence upon this, Maj. Guthrie would naturally rather see a man of his own views elected than one of Judge Russell's. He has the opportunity of a life-time in his hands. He can give to the State a good Governor; his candidacy may result in giving it a bad one. He has, as he deserves, the confidence of his party, and if he would withdraw and tell his followers to vote for Watson, the great bulk of them would do so, and this gentleman would be elected beyond peradventure.

Opportunity, like fortune, knocks once at every man's door. It knocks at Maj. Guthrie's now—the opportunity to do his State a great and lasting service and to perpetuate his name.—Charlotte Observer, 20th.

Look After It

Democrats all over the county should examine the registration books and learn what illegal voters are registered. Next Saturday is challenge day. The registrars and judges of election will meet at the several voting places to receive challenges. Democrats should not neglect the important duty of challenging the negroes who have registered illegally. Every Democrat knowing of such a single instance should notify the Democratic chairman of the township and have it fully investigated.

It may be that some illegal voters who have registered will keep out of the way of being challenged. If they do, warrants for perjury should be obtained and if proven, they can be and should be jailed.

Registration Book Stolen.

A sensation has been created in Raleigh over the theft of the registration book of one of the precincts, and the effort, in hatching up a duplicate, of entering the names of several negroes not on the original book. It is significant that the precinct in which the book was stolen is largely Democratic, showing a registration of 265 whites and 72 negroes. The book in question was in the keeping of a negro registrar who never let it be known that the book had been stolen until the fraud of placing wrong names on the duplicate was detected. Great is the new election law, and the Republicans are trying to manipulate all manner of fraud under it.

Something new in season, Buckwheat Oat Flake and Portorico Molasses, S. M. Schultz.

PROMPT PAYMENT

Of \$8,000 to the Administrator of the Estate of Dr. E. J. Pearson, Whose Life Was Insured Only a Month Before.

Alex. Webb, agent of the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company, of Milwaukee, Wis., yesterday paid to Dr. Chas. L. Pearson, administrator, \$8,000, the amount of insurance on the life of the late Dr. Edward J. Pearson in the Northwestern.

Dr. Pearson made application for the policy on the 7th day of July last and died on the 6th day of August, just thirty days after standing the medical examination.

On the morning of July 20, he paid the premium to Mr. Webb, stating that he expected to leave on that afternoon or the day following for a ten days' trip north, as he had been overworked and needed a rest. At that date the policy had not been received in Asheville, but the premium was paid and Dr. Pearson given a binding receipt. Late in the evening of the same day, July 20, Dr. Pearson was taken sick with an acute attack of gripe which afterwards became complicated with other diseases, which caused his death.

If the premium had been paid twelve hours later the policy would not have been in force as the policy provides that the premium must be paid while the assured is in good health.

Fifteen days ago the "proofs of loss" were sent to the company with all the facts in the case and a check for the money was received yesterday.

The Northwestern had almost a similar case in Asheville, in March, 1893, when J. M. Rickman made application for a policy, paid the premium in advance, and died before the policy was received by the agent. The company paid the claim in ten days after assured's death.—Asheville (N. C.) Daily Gazette, Oct. 8th, 1896.

John B. Cary & Co., Richmond, are agents of this company for Virginia and North Carolina.

How He Figured It.

A gentleman passing the corner of Front and Dock streets yesterday morning overheard part of a conversation between two colored voters. One of these declared his intention of voting the Democratic ticket at the forthcoming election and urged upon the other to do likewise.

"Hu," said the second man, "vote for Bryan and gib \$16 to de white man and \$1 to de nigger. Dat's what it means."

"Well" said the first speaker, "you vote for McKinley and de white man get it all and de nigger doan git a darn cent. One dollar better'n no money at all"—Wilmington Messenger.

A Bitter Speech.

Cyrus Thompson, Populist-Republican nominee for Secretary of State, spoke here today. His speech was quite lengthy, the bulk of it being bitter abuses and denunciations of the Democratic party, though he professed not to be dealing in abuse at all. He accused the Democrats of dishonesty in the advocacy of silver, and dishonesty in everything else, and that they were only trying to get back into power. If the Republicans had been looking for a man to make a speech for them they could not have found one to abuse the Democrats more to their taste than Thompson.

There was a man with a banner,
Who stepped on a peel of banana,
He slipped and he fell,
With a thud and a yell,
And that's what will happen to Hanna.

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Our Clothing is liberally made clothing. Nothing skimpy or stingy about it. The collars on the coats have a broad, full roll. Facings are deep and reach to the arm-holes. No little, stingy savings on cloth are made. After we have given you these points come and see for yourself. Price no object.



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Right in this department is where we are going to save you money this season if you will let us. We are fully stocked with a magnificent line of fall and winter Underwear and Overcoats. We have all grades, all sizes, at bargain prices.

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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER, 21st, 1896.

DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES.

National Ticket

FOR PRESIDENT. WILLIAM J. BRYAN, of Nebraska.

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT. ARTHUR SEWALL, of Maine.

FOR CONGRESS—FIRST DISTRICT. W. H. LUCAS, of Hyde county.

FOR ELECTOR—FIRST DISTRICT. JOHN H. SMALL, of Beaufort county.

State Ticket.

FOR GOVERNOR: CYRUS B. WATSON, of Forsyth.

FOR LIEUT. GOVERNOR: THOS. W. MASON, of Northampton.

FOR SECRETARY: CHAS. M. COOKE, of Franklin.

FOR AUDITOR: R. M. FURMAN, of Buncombe.

FOR TREASURER: B. F. AYCOCK, of Wayne.

SUPT. PUBLIC INSTRUCTION: J. C. SCARBOROUGH, of Johnston.

FOR ATTORNEY-GENERAL: F. I. OSBORNE, of Mecklenburg.

FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICES OF THE SUPREME COURT.

A. C. AVERY, of Burke, G. H. BROWN, of Beaufort.

COUNTY DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR THE SENATE. J. J. LAUGHINGHOUSE.

FOR REPRESENTATIVES. J. B. LITTLE, C. L. BARRETT.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONERS. J. A. K. TUCKER, JESSE CANNON, A. B. CONGLETON.

FOR SHERIFF. G. M. TUCKER.

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS. L. B. MEWBORN.

FOR TREASURER. J. L. LITTLE.

FOR CORONER. O. H. LAUGHINGHOUSE.

FOR SURVEYOR. J. B. KILPATRICK.

ADDRESS TO THE PEOPLE.

An Appeal For Good Government.

Raleigh, N. C., Oct., 16, 1896.

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 and in the nation again calls on those having the sacred right of freedom—the ballot—to sustain its cause.

For twenty years we had victory following victory. Two years ago a division in our ranks lost our Legislature to Democracy. This we must redeem. Twenty years ago, under the masterful leadership of Vance, we went from defeat to victory. Again, with the Democratic banner in the hands of the champion of the people, Cyrus B. Watson, we go again to victory.

The Democratic party has ever stood with the masses. Its principles have always been the embodiment of the necessities of the plain people, that class of producers and bread winners whose labors of head and hand represents American manhood and forms the essential structure of the State. Never has this truth been more practically illustrated and exemplified than today, when again it asks the suffrage of the freemen of North Carolina.

If the Chicago platform of 1892 did not express the people's wishes, or if the administration of the principles then enunciated have not been in accord with the popular demand, the Democratic party, as the ancient and well-tried organization through which the people have sought and obtained their rights, is now in the people's full control. The clear and positive expression of the popular will in our State and national declaration of principles leaves no lingering doubt in the minds of a long-suffering people. And this complete assurance of the reforms demanded has satisfied every ardent expectation by fixing as the executive of the laws to be enacted men whose lives are the living issues of the day.

Democratic faith lies in those immutable principles which preserve human liberty. It has brought them out of the past as principles immortal, and ever living, and, in the course of years, as exigencies have arisen, Democracy has gone out boldly to lend its helping hand to the present wants of the people and join with them in the establishment of their wishes. This has been its triumph. Those representing this great Democracy have this day acted in accord with this vital spirit of the party. Today three parties in this great financial crisis, demanding that silver be restored to its proper position with gold as a money of final redemption at the ratio of 16 to 1; an income tax, that the rich may bear their proportion of the burden of taxation, and kindred reforms, have nominated the same candidate for President to carry out these reforms. There was in two of these parties a difference as to Vice President. On account of the constitutional regulations providing for the election of a President and Vice President we must

act together or divide our vote. The Democratic party in North Carolina had no hesitation as to its proper course, but proposed and arranged a composite ticket of electors of three parties, that the people's will might prevail.

Again, that Bryan's administration might not fail 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. This proposition, made August 13th, has been insisted on since by your committee, but declined by the People's party.

More recently it has become apparent that the Republican party was amassing an enormous registration of illegal voters, made possible by an election law of boasted fairness, but the provisions of which plainly permit fraud, as many of those who assisted in its enactment plainly see. The colored race has drawn the white people in division over the question of gold and silver, have, with a few exceptions of the more considerate and enlightened of their race, withdrawn from any participation with the white people in consideration of questions affecting the public interest, and arrayed themselves in an unbroken Republican column, trusting that the apparent division of the white people would give them a dominant position. Not only this, but we have the boastful assurance of the Republican party officials in the press of the country that the illegal registration of the blacks would give the State to McKinley.

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. The intelligence and virtue of the land must control. White men must be asked to unite. In this spirit, the spirit of Democracy, your committee, on October 13th, frankly asked co-operation of others whose interest should be our interest. A co operation ticket was offered to the People's party for a complete arrangement in the interest of silver and the rule of North Carolina by wise and upright officers. This proposition the People's party, through its executive committee, declined.

In this effort at unity, the Democratic committee felt that the heart of the people was with it. If to some this action was without proper authority or humiliating to party pride the answer is plain. The Democratic party acted in this as in all its great movements, regardless of form when it seeks the substance, knowing no pride save its proud heritage of serving the 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. Nor can we think that those who have so long and earnestly advocated the restoration of silver can give their adherence to any arrangement which demands their votes for gold standard candidates. A vote given directly or indirectly to a gold standard Congressman or a Senator, fetters the hand of a silver President, for he can sign no bill for the relief of the people until a bill passes Congress and is presented to him. Mr. Bryan himself has emphasized this important fact by pleading with his friends that they do not, by the election of a hostile Congress, tie his hands to prevent his breaking the chains which bind the people.

(CONTINUED TOMORROW.)

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Stoves and Tinware cheaper than ever before.

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A. P. ELLINGTON.

Greenville Market.

Corrected by S. M. Schultz.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Items include Butter, Western Sides, Sugar cured Hams, Corn, Corn Meal, Flour, Family, Lard, Oats, Sugar, Coffee, Salt per Sack, Chickens, Eggs per doz, Beeswax, per.

Cotton and Peanut.

Below are Norfolk prices of cotton and peanuts for yesterday, as furnished by Cobb Bros. & Commission Merchants of Norfolk

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Items include Good Middling, Middling, Low Middling, Good Ordinary, Tone—steady.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Items include Prime, Extra Prime, Fancy, Spanish, Tone—quiet.

GREENVILLE TOBACCO MARKET REPORT.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Items include LUGS—Common, Fine, CUTTERS—Common, Fine.

BLOOD POISON A SPECIALTY. Primary, Secondary or Tertiary BLOOD POISON permanently cured in 15 to 35 days. You can be treated at home for same price under same guaranty. If you prefer to come here we will contract to pay railroad fare and hotel bills, and no charge, if we fail to cure. If you have taken mercury, iodide potash, and still have aches and pains, Mucous Patches in mouth, Sore Throat, Pimples, Copper Colored Spots, Ulcers on any part of the body, Hair or Eyebrows falling out, it is this Secondary BLOOD POISON we guarantee to cure. We solicit the most obstinate cases and challenge the world for a case we cannot cure. This disease has always baffled the skill of the most eminent physicians. \$500,000 capital behind our unconditional guaranty. Absolute proofs sent sealed on application. Address COO. REMEDY CO., 307 Masonic Temple, CHICAGO, ILL.

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Notice. The Town Tax List for 1896 has been placed in my hands for collection. All persons owing taxes to the town of Greenville are hereby notified to pay the same and save further trouble. E. M. McGowan, Tax Collector.

J. B. Cherry J. R. Moye
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J. B. Cherry & Co.

Is the lowest price any object to you? Are the best qualities any inducement? If so come in and see our new stock which we have just received. Our store is full of New Goods and prices were never lower. To the ladies we extend a cordial invitation to examine our stock of

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SHOES. In shoes we endeavor to buy such as will please the wearer, the prices on shoes are much lower than last season. Give us a trial when you need shoes for yourself or any member of your family. We can fit the smallest or largest foot in the county. Our L. M. Reynolds & Co.'s Shoes for Men and Boys are warranted to give good service. We have had six years experience with this line and know them to be all we claim for them.

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Our object is to sell good honest goods at the lowest prices.

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September 10th, 1896.

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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.

Generally fair tonight and Thursday.

MARKETS.

(By Telegraph.)

NEW YORK COTTON.

	OPEN'G.	NOON.	CLOSE.
Sept.		7.58	7.59
Jan.	7.94	7.92	7.93

CHICAGO MEAT AND GRAIN.

	OPEN'G	CLOSE.
PORK—Jan. 7.95 to 7.97½		7.85
RIBS—Jan. 3.92½ to 3.95		3.85a87½
WHEAT.—Dec. 74½		77½

SPEAKINGS.

The Reflector Talks on Many Subjects at Once.

Fresh Carr Butter today, at S. M. Schuitz.

Nice Catawba Grapes at Morris Meyer's.

A new lot of Cranberries just in, at Morris Meyer's.

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

For a choice smoke, try Philadelphia Seal, at D. S. Smith's.

Vermont Butter for sale at D. S. Smith.

Try a pound of the finest Roasted Coffee you ever had, "400 Old Government Java and Mocha," and you will have no other, for sale only by Ed. H. Shelburn & Co.

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"Spanish Twist," great in shape still greater for a smoke. D. S. SMITH.

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E. M. MCGOWAN.

Apples, Cocoanuts, Banannas, Lemons and Oranges just received at Morris Meyer's.

Try my "Jolly Jona!" tobacco, 10 rolls, for both chewing and smoking. Something new. J. S. TUNSTALL.

If you want family Flour of the best see us and get our prices. None can beat us. J. L. STARKEY & BRO.

All kinds of fresh Nuts just received and for sale cheap. MORRIS MEYER.

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The finest Foreign and Domestic Fruits kept constantly on hand. A new supply just received.

J. L. STARKEY & BRO.

Hello central give me 70 please, I want some of Jesse Brown's groceries, they are always fresh.

Just received a big line of Henry Clay Cheroots. I want all of the smokers to try one package.

J. S. TUNSTALL.

OCTUPUS.

The Reflector Catches Everybody it Reach.

R. B. Smith, of Ayden, was here today.

Elias Turnage, of Ormondsville, was in town today.

Col. I. A. Sugg and Bruce went to Raleigh today.

Prof. C. H. James, of Grindool, spent today here.

Miss Anise Jones, of Kinston, is visiting Mrs. J. S. Tunstall.

B. C. Pearce returned this morning from a trip on the road.

W. E. Tucker and John H. Cheek went to Raleigh today to the fair.

Policeman Fred Cox and wife have gone to Raleigh to take in the fair.

J. H. Blount and J. L. Fleming went to Raleigh today to attend Supreme court.

Miss Dugger, of Raleigh, arrived Tuesday evening to visit her sister, Mrs. W. H. Grimes.

J. Hugh Parham went to Raleigh today in which city he weds Miss Zula Hunter this evening.

E. H. Shelburn, wife and children, went to Raleigh today to attend the fair and visit relatives.

Mrs. B. E. Parham, J. H. Parham, Jr., E. R. Aiken and G. J. Woodward went to Raleigh today to attend the Parham-Hunter marriage.

Today has been spring like.

Services in the Methodist church to night.

Durham Bull Smoking Tobacco at J. S. Tunstall's.

CHEAP—50 barrels choice Apples, at S. M. Schultz.

Quite a party left here this morning for the Raleigh fair.

Manager W. S. Atkins is at work on a branch telephone line to House.

Fresh Mountain Butter, 20 cents per pound, at S. M. Shultz.

The tobacco market is jumping lively again, both as to increased receipts and higher prices.

The boy who was struck with a brick yesterday, had recovered enough to be taken home this morning.

I have constantly on hand the finest Foreign and Domestic Fruits, also Cabbages, Onion, and Potatoes,

J. S. TUNSTALL.

The Agricultural Department estimates the yield of cotton in this state at 65 per cent. of the average crop.

From present prospects it is probable that McKinley will carry England by a large majority.

I carry the finest and largest line of Cigars, Cigarettes, Cheroots and Smoking Tobacco in the city. A new invoice just received. J. S. TUNSTALL.

The town of Fayetteville has passed an ordinance prohibiting dealing in "margins" or "futures," under a penalty of fifty dollars fine. The city of Asheville has passed an ordinance prohibiting any person from expectorating on the sidewalks or public streets. In many of the towns in the northeastern part of the State it a misdemeanor to stand around a railroad depot unless you have some specific business there. And in Charlotte it is unlawful for a man to have his boots blacked on a public street after ten o'clock Sunday morning.—Charlotte News.

Some time ago B. H. Griffin threw some old letters in the fire, some one of which contained two \$2 bills. In the ends of the envelope that did not burn Mr. Griffin secured small pieces of the bills which he sent to the Treasury Department at Washington and received therefor on Saturday two bright, crisp \$2 silver certificates of the series of 1896.—Goldboro Argus.

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Everything you want in Dress Goods whatever new and stylish in goods manufactured for the fall and winter trade that's worth looking at may be seen in our stock now. Novelty Suits in great variety. Come and see them and you will be surprised. Prices never beaten.

CAPESES. New plush Capes, silk-lined collars, jet or thibet trimmed and plain. Capes are made extra full sweep. Neatly finished in wool, broadcloth, beaver and kersey. The price lower than ever known. Save 50 per cent.

CLOTHING. We never sell a suit of clothes that does not look well. That is why our average run of customers includes patrons who deal regularly with us. The material is strong, durable and comfortable, and the price is right.

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NEW FALL NOVELTIES.

A brilliant display of FALL & WINTER

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