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The Hon. Wm. Jennings Bryan will make two speeches in Raleigh today. One at 5 o'clock, P. M., the other at 8 o'clock, P. M. Vice President, St. John, of the Sea Board Air Line has tendered the Bryan party the use of his private car from Richmond to Raleigh.

Mr. Bryan has also accepted an invitation to lecture to the students of the University Wednesday night. An admission fee will be charged, the proceeds will be appropriated to the establishment of an annual prize to be given for the best essay on scientific government.

Cotton Sells For Ten Cents in Raleigh.

Yesterday, for the first time in over nine years, cotton sold on the Raleigh market for ten cents a pound.

Ten bales belonging to Mr. E. N. Riddick were sold at that price to Lee & Latta. Ordinary cotton brought only 8 1/2 cents per pound, but that sold yesterday is extraordinary cotton of fine fibre, and is used in making spool thread. Mr. Riddick got the seed from Tennessee two years ago and last year raised four bales on two acres. That's what we call good farming.

When a man carrying a lawn mower meets his grass widow he is justified in cutting her.

Foretold His Death.

Fredrick Meyer, who was killed here last night by being struck by a Fitchburg locomotive, foretold his death less than a week ago. Meyer recently joined a club whose meetings were held in a hotel. He attended his first meeting last week when the roll call disclosed thirteen members present, and subsequently it was discovered that the meeting was being held in Room 13 and that it was the thirtieth anniversary of the organization of the club. During the session Meyer referred to the superstition attached to the number 13 and remarked: "Some of us will die in a short time. I think I'll be the man." His friends laughed at the idea, but today they are seriously considering the tragic realization of his prediction.—Troy N. Y., Dispatch.

Quite A Difference.

Mr. Allen Warren, our weather prognosticator, informs us this morning of the difference in the temperature here today, 13th of February, and the same date one year ago. The temperature on this date of last year was 2 degrees below zero while today it is 55 degrees above zero.

Opera House Talk.

The Lehr & Williams Company held the boards at the opera house last night and will appear before Greenville's theater going population every night this week.

Last night "Reddy The Mail Girl" was presented and the audience delighted. It is said to be the best thing of the season. Tonight "Pugg; or Escaped from Sing Sing" will be presented.

STATE NEWS.

Happenings in North Carolina.

The two negroes who recently murdered Mr. Robert Hester, near Rocky Mount, have been sentenced to be hanged March 15th.

Out of the class of 48 recently applying to the Supreme Court for license to practice law, 15 failed to pass the required examination.

Our congratulations to Editor R. A. Deal, of the Wilkesboro Chronicle. A news item says he surprised his friends generally by getting married last Wednesday night, the young lady of his choice being Miss Mamie Wallace, of Wilkesboro.

A colored man who was building a chimney in Louisburg fell off the scaffold and broke his neck.

Two bales of long staple cotton brought 10 cents in Raleigh Saturday.

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Loans and Discounts : \$91,440.21	Capital stock paid in : \$23,000.00
Due from Banks : : 44,140.88	Undivided Profits less
Cash Items : : : 9,047.89	Expenses paid 5,840.31
Cash : : : : 22,677.48	Bills payable : : : 17,500.00
Furniture and Fixtures : 1,928.85	Deposits : : : : 118,711.57
Rev. Stamps : : : : 313.76	Due Banks and Bankers : 339.56
	Cashiers' chks outstanding 4,157.69
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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1900.

FARMERS IN COUNCIL

CONTINUED FROM YESTERDAY.

A. J. Moye offered a motion to take the sense of the meeting to ascertain if the farmers of Pitt county favored the Jordon plan. Upon putting the motion the meeting voted in favor of the plan.

The following, additional resolutions were then offered:

We, the farmers of Pitt county, recognizing the need of concert of action and of combination for our mutual benefit and protection, make this declaration of purposes and invite all the counties in North Carolina to form similar organizations, hoping this movement will extend to every State in the Union.

1. Whereas, The present depressed condition of agriculture is so great that the independent farmer is fast being reduced to dependence or actual want, and cannot at present prices of farm produce give the necessary comforts of life to his family. The immense and fertile territories being now thrown open to the world for settlement and development give little hope of any permanent or appreciable rise in the price of farm produce for the future.

2. The tropical possessions that we have recently acquired by conquest offer a field for syndicate farming with peon or coolie labor and menaces the markets of the American farmer.

3. The great rise in all manufactured products is out of all character and proportion to the advance in raw materials. The great prosperity that is so widely heralded is not being enjoyed by the farmer but it is being felt by him in that the profits of his labor must be wrung from him to pay tribute on these enormously inflated and fictitious values.

4. Great corporations, trusts in defiance of all civil and moral law are strangling the liberties of a free people and swaying the destinies of the republic, naming its titular dignitaries and dictating national legislation.

5. With a developing and expanding market, with decreased production and with increasing prices for manufactured tobacco we find the price of leaf tobacco steadily diminishing until it has fallen to that point where it is no longer profitable.

6. All manufactured articles are rising in price as the farmers profits from his toil grow less and less, and we call attention to the fertilizer trust which, while directly dependent on the agricultural interests of the county is gouging the farmer to the last farthing and making it even more difficult and costly for him to produce his

crops. Therefore be it.

Resolved, 1. That we urge upon the farmers of this county that they reduce their money crops, cotton and tobacco, at least 25 to 30 per cent. in acreage and make an effort to raise all home supplies, pursuing an intelligent system of rotation and stock feeding planting peas for enriching their land and making hay, and that we encourage them to hope that by an intelligent and diversified system of agriculture we may increase home comforts and to some extent alleviate distressed conditions.

2. That we unqualifiedly condemn the imperialistic and insular policy of this administration and request that the representatives in Congress from this State vigorously protest against the free admission of the products of the cheap labor of the tropics in competition with our products as such importation would be disastrous and ruinous to the Southern farmer.

3. We heartily invite capital, individual or corporate, to come among us; we will encourage in every way we can its legitimate investment, giving it absolute protection, but it must come to co operate with our people in up building the country, developing latent manufacturing raw material, working in a spirit of mutual interest developing, not to pillage and oppress.

4. We believe trusts to be one of the greatest curses that afflict this Republic destroying the very life of the nation, crushing all individual effort and independent competition placing the producer and consumer at the mercy of corporations unrestrained by Federal or State laws. While the three great parties declare hostility to these pirates of commerce we petition them to give us some tangible evidence of their good faith by enacting such effective National and State laws as will give the people some relief from outrageous oppressions.

5. That we stand ready to co-operate with the tobacco farmers of North Carolina and other States in the adoption of such plans as will enhance the market price of leaf tobacco, restore competition and deliver the farmers from the blighting, impoverishing curse of the tobacco trust.

6. We believe that the present rise in price of fertilizers is not justified by actual conditions that even if combinations not controlled by the fertilizer trust are arbitrarily raising the price of chemical ingredients that it should not affect the prices for this year to the extent claimed, as we have cause to believe that the ingredients were bought long before present advance in price of chemicals. We recommend to our farmers that they patronize independent factories wherever possible and that they rely largely on home made manures, composts, legumes, &c.

7. That the cotton crop of this county is now selling at living figures, but due to the crop failure and actual scarcity of cotton and these prices are misleading as to profit received from crop by farmers as the price is not high enough to compensate for loss by shortage in yield.

We warn our people against an increased acreage in cotton for the year 1900—the acreage of 1899 was sufficient with a normal yield to produce more cotton than the world would consume at profitable prices to the growers, and an increase in acreage means the irretrievable ruin of the cotton farmers.

After the adoption of the above the meeting adjourned subject to the call of the President.

When a man holds a great many straights in a poker game he is apt to be regarded as crooked.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 12, 1900.

The democratic substitute for the republican gold standard bill is short and plain. It was introduced by Senator Jones, of Arkansas, and it provides for the opening of the mints of the U. S. to the coinage of silver, as provided by the Act of Jan. 18th 1837, upon the same terms and subject to the limitations and provisions of law regulating the coinage and legal tender quality of gold; and that when the silver coin shall be received into the Treasury, certificates shall be issued for them as now prescribed by law. Unfortunately the republicans have the votes to pass the gold standard bill, Chandler is the only republican who will vote against it, but the substitute will give the democrats an opportunity to record their votes in favor of "the dollar of our daddies." The vote will be taken on Thursday of this week.

Adjutant Gen. Corbin, who gained some notoriety during the war with Spain, through being Alger's tool in carrying out the several schemes devised for the humiliation of Gen. Miles, as well as by lobbying during the last Congress, for legislation to give himself the rank of Maj. Gen., is again playing the role of lobbyist for the same purpose.

The attitude of democrats in Congress, as a party towards the Nicaragua Canal treaty, which the administration has negotiated with England and sent to the Senate, and the Porto Rico tariff bill, which has been reported to the House and will be taken up this week and jammed through as a party measure, is thoroughly American, and consequently right. The treaty gives more than it provides for our receiving. It allows us to build a canal with our money, provided we agree to let every nation in the world, even those we may happen to have war with, have exactly the same privileges we take for ourselves in using it. That isn't the old democratic idea of American control of the canal, and it is really surprising that there is a single democratic Senator who is willing to vote for the ratification of the treaty. Without democratic votes it would be bound to fail. One of the strongest arguments in favor of the construction of the canal, has been the advantage it would give us in war with the foreign power. Under the present treaty we should have no advantage, as our enemies could make just the same use of the canal.

He gave an elaborate Sunday dinner, at a suburban club house to twenty-odd members of the House including the Military Committee. As Secretary Root also attended the dinner, it is assumed that he is helping the effort of Corbin for promotion.

Notwithstanding the indignant denials on the floor of the House, by Gen. Grosvenor, and other administration men, of the charge made by Roberts, that Utah polygamists had been appointed to Federal offices by Mr. McKinley, the House Committee on Post Offices, which has been investigating now has to report to the House that Postmaster Graham, of Provo, had an indictment for polygamy hanging over him, when he was appointed. In order to soften this proof of the charge of Roberts, the Committee accompanies it with a statement from the prosecuting attorney of Salt Lake City, saying that for various reasons it is not likely that Graham will be brought to trial under that indictment. It is probable that the wishes of the McKinley administration, are among those "reasons"

for not trying to convict the polygamist postmaster.

It is only by the magnanimity of Senator Allen, that today's Congressional Record does not place the Senate on record as sympathizing with the Boers and believing that this government should offer mediation. Senator Allen offered a resolution to that effect and through the absence of some Senators and indifference of others, it was put before the Senate and declared adopted without a dissenting vote. As soon as they realized what had been done, the administration Senators flocked upon the floor. The yeas and nays were demanded, but Mr. Allen objected, and the objection was sustained. Later, Senator Allen good naturedly agreed that the vote should be reconsidered and the resolution sent to the calendar.

Imperialism is the real question involved in the Porto Rican tariff bill, it makes one of the issues upon which this years presidential campaign will be waged. The republicans in their report on this bill which imposes a 25 per cent. duty on Porto Rican products, have come out flat-footed in favor ignoring the Constitution, and of having Congress assume the authority to deal with the territory recently acquired by the United States as colonies, and with their people as subjects. The democrat contend that the Constitution is the supreme law of this republic, and that it recognizes neither colonies nor subjects; that every foot of ground belonging to the U. S. is a part of the U. S. and every resident of territory belonging to the U. S., a citizen. The imperialist have the votes to win in Congress; but it remains to be seen whether they can win before the people.

Coloel Bryan stopped in Washington again to talk to democratic Senators and Representatives about what he learned of democratic prospects during his trip East.

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A M	P M
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Ar Rocky Mount	12 55 9 52
Leave Tarboro	12 21 6 00
Lv Rocky Mount	1 00 9 52 6 37 5 40 12 52
Leave Wilson	1 58 10 25 7 16 6 20 2 40
Leave Selma	2 55 11 03
Lv Fayetteville	4 30 12 30
Ar Florence	7 25 2 24
	P M A M
Ar Goldsboro	7 55
Lv Goldsboro	7 01 3 25
Lv Magnolia	8 09 4 35
Wilmington	9 40 6 00
TRAINS GOING NORTH.	
No. 104 Daily	No. 105 Daily
A M	P M
Lv Florence	9 45 7 45
Lv Fayetteville	12 30 9 45
Leave Selma	1 50 10 56
Arrive Wilson	2 35 11 33
	A M P M A M
Lv Wilmington	6 50 9 45
Lv Magnolia	8 20 11 16
Lv Goldsboro	9 27 12 26
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Leave Wilson	2 35 5 43 11 33 11 30 1 16
Ar Rocky Mount	3 30 6 25 12 00 11 11 1 5
Arrive Tarboro	7 04
Leave Tarboro	12 21
Lv Rocky Mount	3 30 12 09
Ar Weldon	4 32 1 04

Wilmington & Weldon Railroad, Yadkin Division Main Line—Train leaves Wilmington 9 00 a. m., arrives Fayetteville 12 05 p. m., leaves Fayetteville 12 25 p. m., arrives Sanford 1 43 p. m. Returning leaves Sanford 2 30 p. m., arrive Fayetteville 3 41 p. m. leave Fayetteville 3 46 p. m., arrives Wilmington 6 40 p. m.

Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 8 15 a. m., Maxton 9 20 a. m., Red Springs 9 53 a. m., Hope Mills 10 42 a. m., arrive Fayetteville 10 55. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4 40 p. m., Hope Mills 4 55 p. m., Red Springs 5 35 p. m., Maxton 6 15 p. m., arrives Bennettsville 7 15 p. m.

Connections at Fayetteville with train No. 78 at Maxton with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs & Bowmore railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad.

Train on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leaves Weldon 3 35 p. m., Halifax 4 15 p. m., arrives Scotland Neck at 5 08 p. m., Greenville 6 57 p. m., Kinston 7 55 p. m. Returning leaves Kinston 7 50 a. m., Greenville 8 52 a. m., arriving Halifax at 11 18 a. m., Weldon 11 33 a. m., daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8 10 a. m. and 2 30 p. m., arrive Parmele 9 10 a. m. and 4 00 p. m., returning leave Parmele 9 25 a. m. and 6 30 p. m., arrive Washington 11 00 a. m. and 7 30 p. m., daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro daily except Sunday at 5 30 p. m., Sunday 4 15 p. m., arrives Plymouth 7 40 p. m., 6 10 p. m., returning, leaves Plymouth daily, except Sunday, 7 50 a. m. and Sunday 9 00 a. m., arrives Tarboro 10 10 a. m., 11 00 a. m.

Train on Midland N. C. Branch leaves Goldsboro daily, except Sunday, 7 05 a. m., arriving Smithfield 8 10 a. m., returning leaves Smithfield 9 00 a. m., arrives at Goldsboro 10 25 a. m.

Train on Nashville Branch leave Rocky Mount at 10 a. m., 3 40 p. m., arrive Nashville 11 10 a. m., 4 03 p. m., Spring Hope 10 40 a. m., 4 25 p. m. Returning leave Spring Hope 11 30 a. m., 4 55 p. m., Nashville 12 15 a. m., arrive at Rocky Mount 11 45 a. m., 6 00 p. m., daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton daily, except Sunday, 11 50 a. m. and 4 42 p. m., returning leaves Clinton at 7 00 a. m. and 2 50 p. m.

Train No. 78 makes close connection. Weldon for all points North, daily, all rail. via Richmond.

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BAPTIST.—Services every Sunday, morning and evening. Prayer-meeting Thursday evening. Rev. J. N. Booth, pastor. Sunday-school 9:30 a. m. C. D. Rountree, superintendent.

METHODIST.—Services every Sunday, morning and evening. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Rev. N. M. Watson, pastor. Sunday school 3 p. m. W. F. Harding, superintendent.

PRESBYTERIAN.—Services third Sunday, morning and evening. Rev. J. B. Morton, pastor. Sunday-school 10 a. m. E. B. Ficklen superintendent.

CATHOLIC.—No regular services.

LODGES

A. F. & A. M.—Greenville Lodge, No. 284, meets first and third Monday evening. R. Williams, W. M. J. M. Reuss, Sec

I. O. O. F.—Covenant Lodge, No. 17. Meets every Tuesday evening. R. L. Humber, N. G. E. E. Griffin, Sec.

K. of P.—Tar River Lodge, No. 93, meets every Friday evening; R. M. Moye, C. C.; T. M. Hooker, K. of R. and S.

R. A.—Zeb Vance Council, No. 1696, meets every Thursday evening. W. B. Wilson, R. M. R. Lang, Sec.

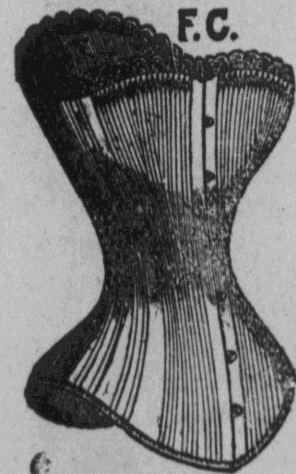
Jr. O. U. A. M.—Meets every Wednesday night at 7:30, in I. O. O. F. hall. J. B. White, Councillor.

A. O. A.—Egyptian Council, No. 6, meets every first and third Thursday nights in Odd Fellows Hall. J. Z. Gardner Worthy Chief; D. S. Smith, Sec

I. O. H.—Greenville Conclave No. 540, meets every second and fourth Monday nights in Odd Fellows Hall. W. B. Wilson Archon; D. S. Smith Sec

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New lot of shirt waist and skirt patterns received today.

Mrs. L. Griffin.

THE REFLECTOR is indebted to John W. White for an invitation to the oratorical contest of the Leazer Literary Society of the A. & M. College, Raleigh, Feb. 23rd.

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Special to The Reflector.

Weldon, N. C., Feb., 13, 1900.

—We had the pleasure of shaking hands at Weldon with Hon. W. J. Bryan. He was in charge of a committee of prominent North Carolinians enroute to Raleigh, where he speaks tonight. He was looking well and in fine spirits. Crowds greet him at every station.

D. J. W.

Democratic Convention.

A convention of the Democratic Party of Pitt County is hereby called to meet at the Court House in Greenville on Saturday, March 31st, at 12 o'clock M., for the purpose of appointing delegates to the State Convention to be held in the city of Raleigh on the 11th day of April, 1900, for the nomination of candidates for the various State offices.

Township Primaries will be held on Saturday, March 24th, at 2 o'clock P. M., to appoint delegates to the County Convention.

All persons who are in favor of the white people controlling the State and County governments are invited to participate in these meetings.

By order of the Democratic Executive Committee of Pitt County.

ALEX. L. BLOW,

W. L. BROWN, Chairman.
Secretary.

Lumber dealers seldom ask for credit. They plank down.

Some people have phonographs because they like to hear themselves talk.

The sled manufacturer and the ship owner may both be said to be in the coasting trade.

NOTICE.

Contracts will be let on Saturday, February 17, 1900, to build two Tobacco Warehouses.

For particulars, call on or address, either of the undersigned. The committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

L. J. Chapman, }
W. G. Garris, } Com.
J. L. Keen, }

Grifton, N. C., Feb. 8, 1900.

The New York Tribune has discovered that the Advance Agent of Prosperity had eight-cent cotton upon the list of good things he intended to shower upon the country, but he overlooked it until this week in the multiplicity of his beneficent labors. Some doubters will insist that "dollar wheat" and "eight-cent cotton" are accidental and incidental blessings over which the Republican leaders have no more control than they have over the state of the weather; but that will be regarded as flat blasphemy. —Philadelphia Record.

A Smile in Each.

Even the most successful bakers are often in kneedy circumstances.

A pessimist is a man who can find a silver dollar and be disappointed because it isn't plugged.

Many a soldier boy makes rapid strides in his profession without gaining shoulder straps.

A man without a palate has poor taste.

Grass widows don't believe in cultivating weeds.

A man's will isn't in it with a woman's won't.

Some fellows' idea of a rattling good time is to throw dice.

When a man works in a crematory he seldom talks about how much he urns.

Say Nice Things.

We do not like to be told of our faults.

We do not want to hear references to occasions when we appeared at a disadvantage. Yet we deplore the prevalence of flattery. We make all manner of fun of our friends who display a weakness for that social pest. And yet there are few of us who, if the flattery be not too freely administered, as "with a shovel," do not imbibe it greedily and pine for more.

Every one remembers the anecdote of Dr. Holmes when he was enthusiastically applauded and to a somewhat exaggerated length.

"Don't you get awfully tired of this sort of thing, Dr. Holmes?"

"Not at all," said the dear old man, frankly. "They never clap quite hard or long enough to please me. I presume that I could stand it for hours." —Montreal Herald.

Gorn to Lead.

"You remember young Carpley, who used to have an ambition to be an actor, don't you?"

"Yes."

"Well, he's playing a leading role now."

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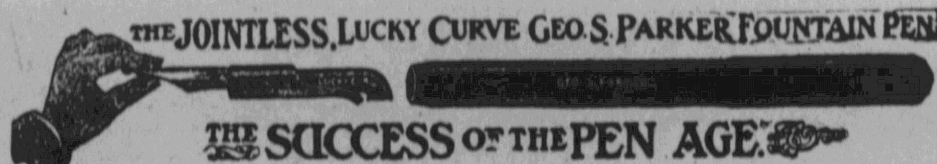
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	Opening.	Close
Feb & Mar	5 02	4 61

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FEBRUARY FOLKS.

Come Few and Ear Between.

C. S. Carr went to Raleigh today.

Hill Horne went to Kinston Monday night.

Ex-Gov. T. J. Jarvis left this morning for Raleigh.

Miss Sue Clark, of Tarboro, is visiting Miss Pattie Skinner.

Miss Mary Alice Moye has taken charge of a school in Greene county.

Miss Etta Heartt, of Durham, who has been visiting Mrs. E. B. Ficklen, left Monday evening.

Miss Lena Carr, of Greene county, who was visiting Mrs. E. A. Moye, in West Greenville, has returned home.

D. J. Whichard left this morning for Greensboro on business. He expects to stop in Raleigh long enough to hear Bryan speak tonight.

J. J. Marshall, Populist, of Vienna, Forsyth county, is out in an open letter to Senator Butler, in which he says he received a circular from Senator Butler, which, no doubt, was sent to hundreds of other Populists. In the circular Butler asked the names of Democrats in each township against the franchise amendment, and who might vote against it if convinced section 5 was unconstitutional; also the names of Populists and white Republicans, who, as Butler says, were fooled or frightened into voting the Democratic ticket at the last election, or did not vote. Butler further asked for six reliable Populists in each township to distribute literature and who could be relied on to assist in other ways later. Butler sent with the circulars his open letter attacking the amendment and election laws. Marshall, in an open letter, roasts Butler, terming him a political leader who does not hesitate to indulge in deals for office and dickers for place at the expense of those who have believed him to be sincere. He says he is not content with selling his own birth-right for a sorry mess of pottage, but attempts to sell also the birth-right of others. He says: "I think you have misunderstood the character and temper of the men composing the Populist party in assuming that they lack that pride of blood which makes the white man everywhere cleave to his kind. I believe the self-respecting Populists will resent as an insult this attempt to persuade him that it is not necessary to transmit to his offspring the undiminished prestige which came to him from his forefathers.

"You ask the names and addresses of six active Populists who can be relied on to work in other ways later? What do you expect them to assist in? Do you think to make them parties to the plan to whip men out of the State—men determined at any hazards to preserve its civilization? I feel sure half a dozen cannot be found who would be parties to any scheme to perpetuate the danger of negro domination in the State by violence. You may stir up bitterness and incite to blood-shed, but as a Populist I warn you that self-respecting Populists will not follow you. You have warped the Populist party from its original purposes; you have betrayed its principles and sold its opportunities for a song; your leadership of what was once an army 40,000 strong has dwindled to a fourth of that number of discouraged and disheartened followers to whom you are offering no alternative save to give up their party or become accomplices with you in the basest attempt against the peace, happiness, prosperity and civilization of the Commonwealth ever made in its history."

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