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THE POPULISTS IN SESSION

The following persons attended the call for a populist convention in this city yesterday: J. Q. Reese, Ed. V. Hicks, C. P. Warnock, J. W. Parsons, Jno. S. Perry and W. J. Borden, Oxford; J. R. P. Wall, Rutland, G. L. Agnew, Dowling Park; J. R. Pounds, Ocoee; L. H. Cahoon, Klammiee; Capt. F. H. Lytle, Stanton; Charles Mathews, Ocala; Rev. Harmon C. Martin, Ft. McCoy; Gus Walters, Electra, and St. Vincent, Wildwood. Captain Lytle was made chairman and Prof. Borden, secretary. The call was then read as published in the Ocala papers. Mr. Warnock moved that counties represented by proxies or only one delegate, that they be entitled to two, was carried.

The chairman admitted he was disappointed at not seeing more delegates present. So was Mr. Borden, but he said of the vast array of persons and beasts only a few entered Noah's ark, and the populists were like unto them—they saved the seed to populate the earth, so the Pops would save the nation. Names were in order for electors, and Mr. Warnock suggested that the names of two persons recommended by the West Florida Populists in convention be selected, Judge McKinnon and A. W. Weeks, to which was added the name of W. R. Shields, a former citizen of Marion, who was known to both Prof. Borden and Capt. Lytle. Then came some discussion as to the character of Weeks and Shields. It seems the former had cleared himself of the stigma resting on his character, that he was a brilliant man and an able debater—one to down any democrat in argument. So Judge McKinnon and A. W. Weeks were chosen with power in the latter case for the Central Committee to depose the names of and name another elector if on investigation, his record was not clear as a man and citizen, Capt. Lytle and Prof. Borden both made statements concerning the men. D. O. McGuire of Orange county, was named for elector for the First District; W. R. Peterson, Jr., Jacksonville, second district; third district, A. W. Weeks, Washington county.

Then came naming a state committee—chairman, secretary and treasurer. Capt. Lytle said he was too old and so was Borden and new blood had to be chosen. Captain Lytle resigned four years ago, but refused to accept it. Prof. Borden said something—that he was 79 and Capt. Lytle 80—and new and young men had to take their places. With this preface Prof. Borden launched into a very interesting address, why he was a "Pop." He said since the civil war he had taken a deep interest in his country—at present they called him a pessimist because he foreboded evil and bloody times within 20 years if the wrongs and inequities of the present were not corrected. (Capt. Lytle said 10 years.) It was dark during the war for the nation's life—it was darker now and the only hope lay in the Populists to save the nation. He quoted Patrick Henry and the words of Washington and Jefferson. It all came out of a terrific partisan feeling—people stick and vote for party, ignoring pure unselfish patriotism. In this people aid the bosses to rule.

He then took up Bryan. Said Bryan advocated nearly every principle the "Pops" held and he stood on the Ocala Demands platform and spoke first in Congress. Then all democrats were Pops and stood for Ocala demands. He (Borden) was elected to State senate on Ocala Demands. The Omaha convention endorsed Ocala Demands. Bryan never stood by it. What now—all dropped—Pops are grounded on basic laws of equity and justice—as well ask for new testament or new Bible because times have changed. Bryan had abandoned government ownership of railroads. Is not in Democratic platform. How about national banks? If you vote for Bryan what will he not advocate next year? He has changed eight times. In the Brownsville affair he satisfied the nigger. Bishop Walters urged the negroes to vote for him.

Two things would elect Bryan—Wall street and the nigger. Then he thumped Bryan for refusing to support Speaker Crisp in caucus because he was a Confederate soldier. Deplored that millions voted for party and were blind to principle. By contrast Tom Watson was the man. He never wavered on principle—was the same today as when he began. Said at home was man above reproach—all liked the man, but did not like his honest politics. Those present insisted Prof. Borden go on. Capt. Lytle said he had thought of telling of sentiment he had heard the past four months in Tennessee and Georgia. It was that it would disrupt the old parties.

Then came the naming of the State Central Committee. The three men, C. P. Warnock, Oxford; G. L. Agnew, Dowling Park, and Charles Mathews, Ocala, with power to appoint a man in each county. Mr. Wall moved that Central Committee get Tom Watson to make a speech in Ocala during the campaign. But as he was in hands of national committee it could not be done. The thing to do, several speakers said, was to collect money and send out Tom Watson's Magazine, his Jeffersonian and his speech of acceptance. They were all vote getters and it was cheaper than speakers. Convention adjourned.

L. H. Cahoon, the delegate to the populist convention convention from Ocoee county, was in the city yesterday. He said that he felt it his duty to be present at the meeting and do all in his power to promote Tom Watson's chances for the presidency. That the populists of his county had been quite active in distributing Tom's literature and it was bearing fruit. He said no pledges were exacted of the pops at the late primaries. They voted for their choice and would do so at the general election and had a surprise in store for some of the democratic nominees.

Mr. Gus Walters, a splendid young man from the Electra section and son of Mr. George Walters, the veteran, was in town yesterday and attended the populist convention as a delegate, but had to leave for home before the convention finished its session.

THAT COUNTY FAIR

We are reminded of the needs and benefits accruing to the farmers and promoters of a county fair by the clarion editorial of Editor Storrs calling on his friends of Walton county to come to the front and get up another county fair this fall. Editor Storrs has done herculean work along this line for his county and he sees and other intelligent and observing citizens of his home town. DeFuniak, sees the benefits these county fairs have been and are to Walton county. They have infused new life into the farmer, trucker and stock grower. They are growing better and larger crops and stock and consequently are making more money. Now this is just in line with what Dr. Guerrant proposes to do for Marion if he can get the proper encouragement. He has offers of pecuniary assistance, but he needs the assistance of the farmer and trucker, the merchant and other business men. We are all interested. Let us keep in mind that on Tuesday afternoon, September 1st, there will be a meeting at 4 o'clock at the doctor's new horse hospital of all interested in this move to get together and compare views and go to work on a county fair, the same to be held say in January next. Every man and woman in Ocala should be at that meeting and whoop it up for old Marion. Its worth it.

DO IT TO-DAY

Asher Frank's Philosophy for Panicky Times
The best trust a man can give is confidence. If given to any one, don't shatter it.
If you have any doubts about the correctness of a statement or an utterance, give the man the benefit of the doubt.
If a man owes you a little bill of \$3 or \$4 and same is eighteen months past due, don't let it run six months longer, but collect it now, unless in six months it will be outlawed.
If a man who has never done anything for you before the panic, comes to you for a loan, don't bring up the past, but just tell him that you are not in the loan business.
If a man owes you \$5 and don't want to pay you because he don't think you need it, don't ask him for it, but loan him \$5 more and he will pay you some time.
Live every day so you can look every man in the face and tell him—well you know what to tell him.
Pay your bills and your customers won't trouble you.
Do it to-day.



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FATALLY GORED BY A BULL

Lebanon, O., Aug. 28.—Lieut. Boyd Benham, of Company H, First Regiment of the Ohio National Guards, is dying today from being gored by a vicious bull which he fought off until exhausted and fell unconscious. The young officer resides on a farm south-west of here and was feeding the stock when he was attacked. He fought the animal with a pitchfork and would have been killed outright had not the members of his family heard his screams and come to the rescue. His chest and neck are badly torn. He has been in the militia service five years, working up from a private, and is a crack shot.

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A NEW VERSION OF AN OLD, OLD STORY

Plymouth, Ind., Aug. 28.—Oscar Huff, living near Bremen, lost two valuable steers last week in an unusual manner. His cattle were grazing in the field where Mr. Huff was blasting stumps. While he was absent the steers ate a quantity of the dynamite. When driving them in at evening Mr. Huff threw a stone at the steer. The missile struck one of the steers that has eaten dynamite and the shock exploded the stuff in the animal's stomach and the steer was blown into smithereens. The crash of the explosion jarred the other steer and it, too, "blew up." The shocks were heard distinctly for several miles.

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I am offering ten choice lots for sale at Eastlake. These lots have a frontage of seventy-five feet on New York avenue and 198 feet in depth. Located on the summit between the depot and postoffice and command a view of the entire lake. This avenue extends to the water's edge and is paved from the depot to the property. Buy a lot, build a cottage, occupy it in summer and rent it for the winter. Prices reasonable, titles perfect. James R. Moorhead, owner.

Delay in anything is bad, but it is positively dangerous when there is something wrong with your kidneys. Don't wait until tomorrow. Get something that is to be depended upon to help you promptly at such times. The one remedy above all others that we suggest is DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. They are antiseptic and almost instantly relieve backache, rheumatic pains and all bladder and kidney troubles. We sell them. Sold by Anti-Monopoly Drugstore.

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RIVERS CONTINUE TO RISE

Loss in Life and Property Continues in South Carolina
Columbia, S. C., Aug. 28.—Rivers throughout South Carolina continue to rise today, as a result of Wednesday's rains in the upper part of the state and added loss of private and public properties will run into the millions. Estimated loss in the neighborhood of Columbia alone by yesterday's high water is more than \$200,000.

Railroads are almost completely tied up. The Southern's Charlotte line is the only road north of Columbia in operation. Notice has been served by practically every railroad in the state that perishable freight will not be accepted for shipment to points in North Carolina. Three additional lives were lost yesterday. Two negroes were drowned at Saluda, and one at Laurens.

Conservative estimates of the damage wrought by the flood in loss of public bridges through the state is \$1,000,000. In Spartanburg county alone the loss on bridges is estimated at \$500,000, and in some counties not one bridge of importance remains intact.

Corn crops along the waterways are a total loss in practically every section of the state and thousands of dollars worth of cattle have been drowned. Loss to cotton crops is the most severe in several years.

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TAR HEEL REPUBLICANS MUST BE DESPERATE

Climb on the Water Wagon in Hopes it Will be a Car of Triumph
Charlotte, N. C., Aug. 28.—With the election of a state ticket headed by J. Elwood Cox, a banker and manufacturer of High Point, and a platform which indirectly throws down the gauntlet to the democrats on the question of state wide prohibition, the republican state convention completed its work yesterday and adjourned. J. F. Newell, of Mecklenburg, is named for attorney general, and Charles F. Toms, Hendersonville, for lieutenant governor.

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The city of Ocala will pay a reward of \$10 for information that will convict any person or persons of throwing or placing any glass bottles or glass of any description on the streets of Ocala. G. A. Nash, Mayor.

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AN EQUINE ELEPHANT

On the Way from the West to Bear the Weight of Candidate Taft

Washington, Aug. 28.—Hezekiah Loom, of Appleville, Kan., easily wins in the contest to furnish a horse that will be able to carry Candidate Taft.

Brigadier-General Clarence R. Edwards received the following letter yesterday: "I see by the papers that you are looking for a nice large horse for Taft. I've got one that is so big I had to build a special stall to keep him in. He's twenty-five hands high and weighs 2,500 pounds stripped. He's a native of Kansas, where the corn grows three feet over night when the weather is good."

"I ought to ask a lot of money for him, but I am a great admirer of Mr. Taft and would regard it as an honor to have him ride one of my horses. So I am sending this one free by freight. It's addressed to your office and ought to reach there some time soon. "Hezekiah Loom."

"What in the d— I will do with the beast when he arrives is past me," said General Edwards. "The railroad agents tell me it is headed this way and they can't sidetrack it."

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The public is cordially invited to inspect the "Merry Widow," the beautiful launch at Silver Springs that I built entirely from keel to awning. I am prepared to build launches of any style and any reasonable size and completely finish and equip them ready for the water at moderate charges and in the very best workmanship. The work is fully guaranteed. If you want a beautiful model, a strong, safe and well built and speedy boat, place your order with me. Frank Mathews, Ocala, May 18.

STANDARD WAS SHORT SIGHTED

In Not Paying Its Thirty-Million Dollar Fine, Rather Than Let the People Get Onto Its Pet Tribunal

(Tampa Times.)

One of the most remarkable incidents of the day, though it loses much of its prominence as a spectacle by the overshadowing occupation of the public mind by the utterances of candidates for the presidency, is the revolution effected in public opinion by the brief of Attorney General Bonaparte in asking for a rehearing in the now celebrated case before the circuit court of appeals in which that tribunal released the Standard Oil company from a fine of \$29,000,000. The most complete and the strongest review of the brief which has come under our notice is that of the New York Press, an ardent republican paper, but one which has been generally on the side of the people against the encroachments of corporations—and incidentally one which, when Judge Landis imposed the remarkable sentence, doubted the wisdom of it.

The Press says the attorney general has shown the court of appeals to be a tribunal to which the people have looked in vain for justice, and declares it "has ridden roughshod over right to let a great band of criminals go altogether unwhipped." It also says that "When President Roosevelt called the decision of Judges Grosscup, Baker and Seaman a gross miscarriage of justice, and the solemn truth, and would have been right if he had gone much further in branding their act as a blow which the American people could never tolerate."

Through three columns of closely woven argument the Press reviews the brief, and when it is finished it does not leave a shred of Judge Grosscup's decision in a condition to stand alone. It analyzes and destroys every reason given by the circuit court for the reversal of the decision of Judge Landis, it convicts the court of unfamiliarity with the record of the case supposed to be its guide, it points out that Judge Grosscup in this finding reverses a decision once rendered by himself in a rebate case. It would have been much better for the Standard Oil had it quietly paid the fine and given no further cause for its violations of law to be discussed by the people. It would have avoided the hideous spectacle of having its friendly tribunal held up to the contempt and execration of the people, it would not have clinched the public approval of Roosevelt's characterization of the reversal as "a gross miscarriage of justice." It is very clear that if the Standard had paid the fine it would have got the worth of its money in its escape from what has come upon it and the judiciary which leans its way when justice is chasing it.

The Press concludes, "It is the American people that pay—pay, pay. The bigger the fine, the more they pay. And so it will always be until cases like this one move the American people to take Rockefellerism by the throat with the strangle-grip that they put on counterfeiters and letter-box thieves." If the American people will heed this good counsel and put Bryanism in the white house they will find Rockefellerism in the grip of the stranger of it and kindredascalities.

BUCKLEN'S ARNICA SALVE WINS

Tom Moore, of Rural Route 1, Cochran, Ga., writes: "I had a bad sore come on the instep of my foot and could find nothing that would heal it until I applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Less than half a 25 cent box won the day for me by affecting a perfect cure." Sold under guarantee at all drug stores.

DIDN'T BEAR INVESTIGATION

A Convict's Story of Cruelty While in a Dunnellon Phosphate Mine

Tallahassee, Aug. 26.—Jordan Henderson, a negro recently discharged from the phosphate camp at Dunnellon, after having served one month's imprisonment for stealing a ride on a train at Fernandina, came up to Tallahassee last week with a pitiful story of cruelty and neglect. Henderson appeared before Gov. Broward, who immediately sent Mr. Edward Fitzgerald to investigate the case. Mr. Fitzgerald's report is substantially as follows:

The negro was lazy and disinclined to work, for which he was punished by receiving three lashes from the overseer's whip. This not proving effectual, a day or so later he received four more blows. As he was dressed at the time, the lashes left no cuts, notwithstanding the fact that while here Henderson displayed the scars which he said were the result of the whippings given him. A physician interviewed here today declares that he saw these scars and found that they must have been made at least a year ago.

Henderson had been at the camp only two or three days when he began to complain of his feet, whereupon medical treatment was given him and he was put at sedentary employment. After his discharge he was offered a cabin, bedding, rations and medical treatment until his feet should be cured, but he refused all and demanded to be taken to Ocala. There he fell in with a white man, John Koon by name, who gave him money with which to come to Tallahassee. Arriving here he presented himself, as has been said, to Gov. Broward and Hon. B. E. McClain, and was given board, lodging and medical treatment, pending the investigation of his case. He refused hospital treatment because he said "the doctors might cut off his feet." However, after two or three days here, during which he told his tale and showed his scars to almost every business man in the city, Henderson disappeared.

His claim was that he had contracted "water poisoning" in the phosphate pit, and that his feet received no attention from the resident physician. The former charge cannot be substantiated, because he complained of his feet almost immediately upon his arrival, and the latter was proven false. The conclusion reached here by those who examined the negro is that he is half-imbecile and is being used as a tool by some one who has a grudge against the camp officials. He told his story as though he had been coached for the occasion. —Times-Union.

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LOOKS LIKE A LIE

This Fish and Firewater Story that Comes From Kentucky

Frankfort, Ky., Aug. 28.—Scores of colonies living in the region of the town of Midway have taken to water and are obtaining their "souas" with fishing poles.

When Greenbauer's distillery, which for some reason or other was situated near the creek, was destroyed by fire, 50,000 barrels of firewater were emptied into Elkhorn creek and the next day every fish that inhabited the creek below Midway had a "hand-over."

It was a glorious day for the fishes, but a sad one for the fishermen. The former were too drunk to see the bait. Crowds lined the creek all day watching the antics of the fish.

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