Mr. Perkins in his speech at Ayden emphasized the fact that according to contract he was entitled to the Populist vote of Pitt county and boastingly said "I am going to have it."

In the name of our dear old county, my fellow Populists, who has the right to call us to Mr. Perkins or any other man a seat in the -- ? are we seen?

If so by what authority can we claim our votes by right? He says he is entitled to our votes because he led the negro of Pitt county for Populists. Great God! I want an insult to the colored voters of Pitt county. How can a colored man vote for him in the face of such an insult? and yet some it not all of them will do it.

There is not a colored man on earth that I am not friendly towards that I know of, and I hate to see their race insulted in any such a wholesale way. But that is with them, I have nothing to do with it.

As for myself, Mr. Perkins asks have to produce a stronger claim any vote before he gets it, I think. What do you say my fellow Populists? Now I have this to say about his voting the colored men of Pitt county for Populist candidates, that he did or did not, I am free to vote for whomsoever I will. No man has the right to deliver me or my vote to Mr. Perkins or any other man, and I have a better opinion of the colored voters of old Pitt county than to believe that they would be voted against their wills for any man, by Mr. Perkins or any other man, So must have voted for Populist candidates willingly. If not Mr. Perkins ought to be dealt with according to law on his own statement.

Again he said, after running every man present, both white and black, to almost fighting, that he was glad to see the people getting mad and went on to quote, "Whom the gods wish to destroy they first make mad." Well, he succeeded very well in making the people mad, but how he will succeed in destroying them is yet to be seen.

Mr. Phillips said if we would elect him again he would not get drunk like he did before, but I think if we want to save our big gun for future use, and I think we ought to encourage soberness.

That's reason an as a party is awful then let us be thinking and let us be acting, I have confidence in you, my brave men and women, and I believe myself I believe the first thing the 8th of November when the sun comes forth from beyond the waters of the Atlantic, and darts its sly rays across our State from, and to end all forces now in the darkness which have accomplished the work this night and as those beautiful rays penetrate the mist and kiss away the dew, drop from the last rose of summer that has been left blooming alone, and the beautiful cry of the hou with out the State.

INFLICTED NEGROES TO ASSAUL

Laurnburg, N. C., Oct. 21 - Republican county candidates, in company with a white Republican by the name of Henry Covington, are now making the county canvass.

Yesterday Covington spoke at O-Hundred and made a villainous speech. He told the negroes they were the base race of people on earth.

He also told them that when the white girls return from colleges or schools the negroes are usually employed to look after them and drive them about over the country, and added: "If I were in your place I would not put my arms around them.”

Today they were billed to speak at Mrs. son's creek road, near here. The best citizens of Gibson, Laurinburg, Laurin Hill and the community generally, resolved that they would have a repetition of the curriculum. So they were promptly met by the hundred of our most determined element and advised to make no more flaming speeches in lower Richmond. As for Covington, he was made to stand in a buggy and retreat, say he was sorry for what he said, promising never to do so again. Threw that in his bugle and told him the grit, which he did.

It men who call themselves are determined to go round inflicting the negroes, and ashamed good men and women, the people are determined that they shall seek other quarters to carry on their nefarious