#### TO THE GEORGIA DELEGATION OF THE SIXTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

We, the undersigned citizens of Milton County, Georgia, have resolved to place actions above words and measures above men or party, and to determine our future political alignment by the action taken by the Sixty-fourth Congress on the important subject of Rural Credits.

We, therefore, petition and urge you to use your efforts and influence toward enacting into law a Rural Credit system as promised in the Baltimore platform.

Respectfully,

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## FROM A FRIEND AT GUYTON.

Dear Sir: I wish to congratulate you for the stand you have taken, notwithstanding the fact that our esteemed Brother C. M. Ledbetter, of Guyton, Ga., has not nerve enough to take a stand with our brave leader who has been fighting our battles for us; notwithstanding the fact that he said he was the most obscene man in the State--who is the most vile of the two? A man who can say that he is trying to bring out the truth, and is persecuted for so doing, or any minister of the Gospel, to publish such a thing in a paper that is trying to crush the truth, is not fit to preach to a cow, much less people of common judgment. Play with a skunk and see if you don't smell like the skunk. Who could compare our brave editor with such low-bred things as a skunk?

We who have to depend on our ought to be very careful how we sign our name to any article to be published in The Augusta Chronicle, one of the worst papers in the South. Not that our Brother C. M. Ledbetter

had an idea that it would cause so many people to look at him and say that he is a traitor to the truth-no man of true Christian spirit could do such a thing. Oh, ye hypocrite! If he thought for a moment he would come face to face with our dear friend, T. E. Watson, he would change his opinion of T. E. W.-he would fear the scold that he might receive.

All mistakes in this article are meant as a slam to all our enemies and good will to our friend, T. E. W. Respectfully,

Ga. H. N. CONWAY.

Dear Sir: I, an old Confederate soldier, and M. H. Green, a man with but one leg, obtained the inclosed subscriptions in about two hours' ride through the country, not over six miles from start to finish. Every person approached subscribed except two. One young man said he was out of money to every demand except The Jeffersonian. We failed to see seven men we were sure would have subscribed if they had been at home.

Let the Catholics and men in high office continue to persecute; it only helps you.

By the way, I see that Senator Smith is making another drive at the farmers-not just 12 cents cotton but 20 cents this time. That is, he furnishes the chin music but wants Uncle Sam to take the risk of putting it over the danger line. He fooled a whole lot of people with his 12 cents scheme; he may fool some with his 20 cents scheme, but not I.

Look out, you men high up! You are falling and Watson is rising. P. R. COKER.

#### AN INTERESTING LETTER FROM A FLORIDA FRUIT GROWER.

Dear Sir: I inclose \$1.00 that it may enroll me as one of your readers. I am 58 years of age and have raised a family of five children, all of them out of the way but one boy of 16. I have but one girl. I came to Florida from Baltimore in 1880, founded this place and named it. --- is a small rural settlement with no one who is very well informed, so I have heard of you only when I was off from home or through a paper occasionally; but the past September I spent a month in South Carolina and a few days in Thomasville, Ga., and it was only then that I saw a copy of your priceless magazine. I deem it so for several reasons, the main one being that you are our most fearless and able champion of that hydra-headed personification of Hell and the Devil. the Catholic (so-called) Church and Romanism. I am with you in every word you write upon the subject, and consider the articles in the one copy of the magazine for September as historically valuable. I will not part with it. In Carlyle's French Revolution he states that "Ignorance is the mother of religion," but does not credit the dogma to Pope Gregory, as you taught me he should. Hastily,

G. F. E.

### BAPTIST PREACHER'S DORSEMENT.

Dear Sir: I am a Baptist minister; have been reading after you for some time; do not take your paper on account of continued sickness in my family; have been preaching to weak churches that could not pay much, and the board has never helped them to remunerate me for my services. It takes all they can get to build houses in the heathen lands and furnish pastors, teachers and doctors, &c. My manner of preaching is on Paul's plan-the plain, simple truth, and you know there is but little demand for simple truth in this advanced age. We have got so far ahead of God's plans! As I am not exactly in line with some of friend to fight our battles for us my brother ministers, they keep me worked out.

> Now, I want to indorse and commend your entire speech in your recent trial for law and trute. I have been warning the people from the

pulpit of the dangers of Roman Catholicism getting the reins of our Government. It is time our people were waking up, because the principles of Romanish are creeping into our churches and into the pulpits. The Scriptures say we wrestle not with flesh and blood but with powers and principalities and Spiritual wickedness in high places. It has come up into the legislative halls and senatorial halls, and does not stop there, but has got into the churches and into the sacred offices of the minister. If I could get to preach a few sermons to all the preachers, I would show up some of the evils better than I can show them in writing. This is a fast age. We have laws to protect and control our Government, but it does seem that the law and courts

need some protection at this ag I feel that we find ample abi the person of Mr. Watson. Will a Watson in the pulpit. Yours truly,

J. B. SAYLOEd Ga.

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