

# INCENDIARY SPEECHES

## ENCOURAGING A RACE WAR!!

J. A. Pope, Chairman Executive Committee of the People's Party, of Thomas Co., in what was intended as a secret negro political meeting at an old mill near Duncanville, on Saturday night last, among other incendiary utterances, while speaking of the demands of the People's Party said:

“IF THEY CANT GET THEIR RIGHTS AT THE BALLOT BOX THEY MUST DO IT BY FORCE OF ARMS.”

### AFFIDAVIT:

GEORGIA—THOMAS COUNTY:

We the undersigned having heard accidentally of the above meeting were also present and do solemnly swear that we heard the above quoted language spoken by the said J. A. Pope.

J. M. BLACKSHEAR,  
S. A. RODDENBERY, Jr.,  
J. J. HALL,

M. M. KINCHEN,  
J. M. BLACKSHEAR, Jr.,  
J. L. HALL.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this September  
27th, 1892.

J. G. HOPKINS, N. P., T. C., Ga.