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BRYAN MAKES A STATEMENT.

Lincoln Neb., Nov 5.—Wm. J. Bryan today gives out the following statement to the public:

"No cause ever had supporters more brave, earnest and devoted than those who have espoused the cause of bimetalism. They have fought from conviction and have fought with all the zeal which conviction inspires. Events will prove whether they are right or wrong. Having done their duty as they saw it, they have nothing to regret. The Republican candidate has been heralded as the advance agent of prosperity. If the policy brings real prosperity to the American people, those who opposed him will share in that prosperity. If, on the other hand, his policies prove an injury to the people generally, those of his supporters who do not belong to the office-holding class, or to the privileged class, will suffer in common with those who opposed him. The friends of bi-metalism have not been vanquished; they have simply been overcome. They believe that the gold standard is a conspiracy of the money-changers against the welfare of the human race, and until convinced of their error, they will continue the warfare against it.

"The contest has been waged this year under great embarrassments and against great odds. The money question has been the paramount issue. The Republican convention held out the delusive hope of international bi-metalism, while the Republican leaders labored secretly for gold mono-metalism. Gold standard Democrats have publicly advocated the election of the Indianapolis ticket, while they labored secretly for the election of the Republican ticket. The trusts and corporations have tried to excite a fear of lawlessness, while they themselves have been defying the law, and American financiers have boasted that they were the custodians of national honor, while they were secretly bartering away the nation's financial independence. But in spite of the efforts of the administration and its supporters, in spite of the threats of the money-loaners at home and abroad, in spite of the coercions practiced by corporations, and in spite of the influence of a hostile daily press, bi-metalism has almost triumphed in its first great fight. The loss of a few States, and that, too, by a very small plurality has defeated bi-metalism for the present, but bimetalism emerges from the contest stronger than it was four months ago.

"I desire to commend the work of the three national committees which have joined in the management of this campaign. Co-operation between the members of distinct political organizations is always difficult, but it has been less so this year than usual. Interest in a common cause of great importance has reduced friction to a minimum. I hereby express my personal gratitude to the individual members, as well as the executive officers of the national committee of the Democratic, Populist and Silver parties for their efficient, unerring and unselfish labors. They have laid the foundation of future success and will be remembered as pioneers when victory is at last secured.

"No personal or political friend need grieve because of my defeat. My ambition has been to secure immediate legislation rather than to enjoy the honors of office, and, therefore, defeat brings me no feeling of personal loss. Speaking for the wife who has shared my labors, as well as for myself, I desire to say that we have been amply repaid for all that we have done. In the love of millions of our fellow-citizens, so kindly expressed, we find full compensation for whatever efforts we have

put forth. Our hearts have been touched by the devotion of friends, and our lives shall prove our appreciation of the affection of the plain people, an affection which we prize as the richest reward which this campaign has brought.

"In the face of an enemy rejoicing in its victory let the roll be called for the next engagement and urge all friends of bimetalism to renew their allegiance to the cause. If we are right, and I believe we are, we shall yet triumph. Until convinced of their error let all advocates of bi-metalism continue the work. Let all silver clubs retain their organization, hold regular meetings and circulate literature. Our opponents have succeeded in this campaign and must now put their theories to the test. Instead of talking mysteriously about 'sound money' and an 'honest dollar,' they must now advocate and defend a financial system. Every step taken by them should be publicly considered by the silver clubs.

"Our cause has prospered most where the money question has been longest discussed among the people. During the next four years it will be studied all over this nation even more than it has been studied in the past.

"The year 1900 is not far away. Before that year arrives international bi-metalism will cease to deceive; before that year arrives those who have called themselves gold standard Democrats will become bimetalists and be with us or they will become Republicans and be open enemies; before that year arrives trusts will have convinced still more people that the trust is a menace to private welfare and public safety; before that year arrives the evil effects of a gold standard will be even more evident than they are now and the people then ready to demand an American financial policy for the American people will join with us in the immediate restoration of the free and unlimited coinage of gold and silver at the present legal ratio of 16 to 1, without waiting for the aid or consent of any other nation.

[Signed] "WILLIAM J. BRYAN."

Bethel Items.

BETHEL, N. C., Nov. 9th, 1896.

Miss Kate Dean spent Sunday and Sunday night in town. She left for her home in Henderson this morning.

Miss Cornelia Lineback, of Salem, has taken a position as music teacher in Prof. Hassell's school.

Hon. J. H. Blount, of Greenville, passed through here this evening.

L. I. Moore, of Greenville, spent last Thursday here on legal business.

W. Z. Morton, of Robersonville, spent last Thursday here on legal business.

Ex. Keel, of Williamston, spent Sunday in town.

John D. Blount went to Williamston Saturday night and returned Sunday morning.

Rev. Mr. Ricard, the new pastor of the Baptist church, preached Friday night and Sunday.

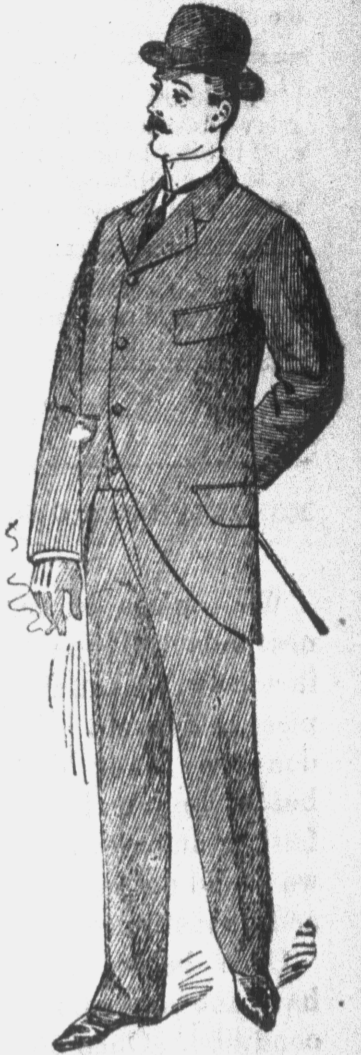
Mrs. Warren Breaks an Arm.

Mrs. Allen Warren met with a very painful accident Monday evening. Early after supper she started to go from her sitting room into the hall, she stumbling over the rockers of a chair and fell to the floor. In trying to catch herself in the fall her right arm was broken near the wrist. Fortunately her son, Dr. W. E. Warren, was home at the time and he phoned at once for Dr. Charles Laughinghouse to assist him and they set the broken limb without delay. While Mrs. Warren is suffering considerably from her injury she is getting along as well as could be expected. Her best of friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Herbert Edmunds is nicely fixed in his new barber shop on the Rialto corner and invites his old customers and a public to call on him there.

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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 10TH, 1896.

MOURNING FOR OUR COUNTRY.

We confess to our mournfulness today. Hope is smothered in sorrow. Exultation has given place to despair. The down-trodden are lower down than ever before in our history.

Once before in our history we have known a somewhat similar condition. Once before, in 1844, Henry Clay met defeat as unexpectedly as did W. J. Bryan on Tuesday. "Pick your flints and try again," said he. God rules in all things and we bow in submission to His will and take His chastisement on Tuesday as a blessing in disguise.

But after all, the race is not always to the swift nor the battle to the strong. Victory is sometimes the handmaid of speedy defeat. As sure as God rules, Democracy has been a chosen vessel in the history of this country. It has been the instrument of its progress and prosperity.

No comment on the defeat of Democracy that we have read so impressed us as the above from the pen of Col. R. B. Creecy, the venerable editor of the Economist. Having already passed his four score years and being familiar with the history of our government through a large part of its existence, no one is so well prepared as he to picture what the rule of the Republican party means.

wickedness and rebellions against God He permitted bad men to rule over them, and often subjected them to overthrows and even to captivity. I feel that way now. There is such great wickedness in this nation, the people are so possessed with a spirit of rebellion, there is so much envy, strife, bitterness and wrong doing, that I fear God will permit us to meet defeat and suffer further punishment before He delivers us from our oppressions.

CARD FROM COL. SKINNER.

GREENVILLE, N. C., Nov. 10 1896.

EDITOR REFLECTOR:—I desire the use of your columns to make a brief and simple statement concerning the unfortunate mention of the name of Gov. Jarvis in the joint discussion at Greenville, Oct. 14th, ult., between Hon. W. H. Lucas and myself.

The rule of debate agreed upon between Mr. Lucas and myself in arranging our joint canvass was that the party closing in his last reply should introduce no new matter, and should confine his remarks strictly in reply.

This day Mr. Lucas closed the debate. In his last fifteen minutes rejoinder he violated the rule of debate by introducing the subject of "vacation clerks" and said on the subject as I now recall "that Skinner, as I have been informed (naming the parties) heard Gov. Jarvis say that he saw and heard Skinner lobbying for the bill giving vacation clerks salary and in fifteen minutes afterwards he was on the floor making a speech against the bill."

If Mr. Lucas had have introduced this matter in his hour reply to me, he would have afforded me an opportunity in my rejoinder to have met this false charge in a deliberate, orderly and convincing manner, satisfactory to all and offensive to none.

But coming as it did surprisingly, in violation of the rules of debate, arraying the influential evidence of Gov. Jarvis, an acknowledged personal friend, against me in his absence, under an intense partisan excitement and pressure, at a moment when I had no opportunity of reply, I could not have been expected to have controlled my thoughts or expressed them in measured terms. I simply lost my usual temper and employed profane epithets in connection with the name of my known personal friend, Gov. Jarvis, for which I have been and am contritely sorry and take this method of apologizing to him for the personal affront and to the public for using such language.

HARRY SKINNER.

A New Movement.

Jailor—"Come, now! I want you all to understand there will be no insubordination tolerated in this jail while I'm in charge."

Convict—"Get off your perch, old man! We's want you to understand that of you don't treat us easy you'll find yourself out of a job."

Jailor—"What do you mean by talking to me like that?"

Convict—"I mean just dis. Ef our class of citizens takes it into deir heads to respect the law and jine de ranks er morality, dere won't be no jails and dere won't be no jailers, see? So you want to mend yer manners, old chap, or we'll turn in an' reform an' den yer name's Dennis."—Boston Courier.

It Puzzled Him.

A girl who has been in Leipsic brings back a tale from the pension where she stopped. It is much frequented by English and Americans, and thither resorted a young German to learn English as she spoke. He confided to my friend that he got along pretty well with the exception of one word. This word was used constantly, and from the context he judged it was a general term applied to food. He had looked up the word itself in the dictionary and had looked it up under the head of "food," but without success. He noticed it was used when the plates were passed for meat, fish, vegetables or what not. "When I asked what this strange word possibly could be," concluded my friend, "the young German said: 'S'more. Please give me s'more.'"—Chicago Post.

Fitness.

"Please, sir," whistled the boy with two front teeth missing, "Minnie Williams' mother says Minnie can't come to school 'cos she's got a stitch in her side."

"Who is Minnie Williams' mother?" the new schoolteacher asked.

"She's the seamstress."

The teacher turned reflectively to the blackboard. "How wonderful are the influences of heredity!" he muttered. — New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Talking Dogs.

There are but two recorded instances of dogs having been taught to articulate words in such a manner that they would resemble those uttered by a human being. The most famous of these cases was that of the celebrated "talking dog of Zeitz." The owner of this intelligent canine, a small boy living in Zeitz, Saxony, imagined that his dog's voice strongly resembled certain words and sounds made by men. Acting on this hint he soon trained the animal, a big Saxon mastiff, to distinctly utter some twenty odd German words and about a half dozen from the French language. Although the young trainer devoted much time and patience to this queer task, he never succeeded in enlarging his pet's vocabulary above 30 words.

A rival to the famous "talking dog of Zeitz" was exhibited in Holland in 1718. Besides pronouncing several words the Holland beast could articulate the names of all the letters of the alphabet except l, m and n.—St. Louis Republic.

The Phonograph in 1860.

A few months ago, while amusing myself with Cyrano de Bergerac's "Historie Comique des Etats et Empires de la Lune et du Soleil" (Paris, 1660), I was amazed to come across the matter quoted below, which surely foreshadows the phonograph as closely as do Bacon's words the steamship and railway.

The author (De Bergerac) is on a voyage over the moon. Left alone a little while by his guide, the latter gives him to help him while away the hour some books to read. The books, however, are different from any seen on earth. They are, in fact, little boxes, which Cyrano thus describes:

"On opening one of these boxes I found I know not what kind of metal (apparatus) similar to our clockwork, composed of I know not how many little devices and imperceptible machinery. It was a book, certainly, but a most marvelous one which has neither leaves nor characters—a book to understand which the eyes are useless—one needs only use his ears. When he wishes to read this book, he connects it by a sort of little nerve to his ears. Then he turns a needle to the chapter that he wishes to hear, and immediately there emerges from the instrument as from the mouth of a man or from a musical instrument all the words and sounds which serve the grands lunaires for language."

I will say further that Cyrano anticipated many of the inventions and conceptions of modern aeronauts. No wonder that he was considered by his contemporaries as "somewhat off."—Popular Science Monthly.

ODD RITES OF FAKIRS.

The Curious Religious Ceremonies That Are Practiced in India.

The following interesting description of an Indian fakir is from a correspondent in Lahore: "Two days ago I returned from a short trip with a friend to the sacred city of Ketas, where I had been before. This time I saw several interesting fakirs. There were the ordinary bleary eyed, ash smeared fellows, one with long brown hair hanging about his shoulders. There was one shabby,

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Greenville Market.

Corrected by S. M. Schultz.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Butter, per lb 15 to 25; Western Sides 4 1/2 to 5; Sugar cured Hams 10 to 12 1/2; Corn 40 to 60; Corn Meal 50 to 65; Flour, Family 4.25 to 6.00; Lard 6 1/2 to 10; Oats 35 to 40; Sugar 4 to 6; Coffee 13 to 25; Salt per Sack 75 to 1.50; Chickens 10 to 25; Eggs per doz 12 1/2; Beeswax, per 20

Cotton and Peanut.

Below are Norfolk prices of cotton and peanuts for yesterday, as furnished by Cobb Bros. & Commission Merchants of Norfolk.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Good Middling 7 13-16; Middling 7 9-16; Low Middling 7 3-16; Good Ordinary 6 1/2; Tone—firm.

PEANUTS

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Prime 2; Extra Prime 2 1/2; Fancy 2 3/4; Spanish 60 to 70; Tone—quiet.

GREENVILLE TOBACCO MARKET REPORT.

BY O. L. JOYNER.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. LUGS—Common 2 1/2 to 8; Fine 7 to 14; CUTTERS—Common 6 1/2 to 10; 10 to 18

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AND BRANCHES.
AND FLORENCE RAIL ROAD
Consensus schedule

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

Dated June 14th 1896.	No. 23 Daily.	No. 35 Daily.	
Leave Weldon	A. M. 11 55	P. M. 9 44	
Ar. Roeyk Mt	1 00	10 39	
Lv Tarboro	12 12		
Lv Rocky Mt	1 00	10 40	5 45
Lv Wilson	2 05	11 11	6 20
Lv Selma	3 53		
Lv Fayetteville	4 36	1 07	
Ar. Florence	7 25	3 4	
	No. 49 Daily.		
Lv Wilson	P. M. 2 08		A. M. 6 20
Lv Goldsboro	3 10		7 05
Lv Magnolia	4 16		8 10
Ar Wilmington	5 45		9 45
	P. M.		A. M.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

Dated April 20, 1896.	No. 78 Daily.	No. 32 Daily.	No. 40 Daily.
Lv Florence	A. M. 8 49	P. M. 7 41	
Lv Fayetteville	11 10	9 40	
Lv Selma	12 37		
Ar Wilson	1 20	11 35	
	No. 48 Daily.		
Lv Wilmington	A. M. 9 25		P. M. 7 00
Lv Magnolia	10 52		8 30
Lv Goldsboro	12 01		9 30
Ar Wilson	1 00		10 27
Lv Tarboro	3 48		
	No. 78 Daily.	No. 32 Daily.	
Lv Wilson	P. M. 1 20	P. M. 11 35	P. M. 10 32
Ar Rocky Mt	2 17	1 11	11 15
Ar Tarboro	4 00		
Lv Tarboro			
Lv Rocky Mt	2 17	12 37	
Ar Weldon		1 01	

Train on Scotland Neck Branch leaves Weldon 8.55 p. m., Halifax 4.10 p. m., arrives Scotland Neck at 4.55 p. m., Greenville 6.47 p. m., Kinston 7.45 p. m. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.2 a. m., Greenville 8.22 a. m. Arriving Halifax at 11.00 a. m., Weldon 11.20 a. m. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.00 a. m., and 3.00 p. m., arrives Parrale 8.50 a. m., and 4.40 p. m., Tarboro 9.45 a. m., returning leaves Tarboro 3.30 p. m., Parrale 10.20 a. m., and 6.20 p. m., arrives Washington 11.50 a. m., and 7.10 p. m. Daily except Sunday. Connects with trains on Scotland Neck Branch.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., via Albemarle & Raleigh R. R. daily except Sunday, at 4.50 p. m., Sunday 3.00 P. M.; arrive Plymouth 9.00 P. M., 5.25 p. m. Returning leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 6.00 a. m., Sunday 9.30 a. m., arrive Tarboro 10.25 a. m. and 11.45

Train on Midland N. C. branch leaves Goldsboro daily, except Sunday, 6.05 a. m. arriving Smithfield 7.30 a. m. Returning leaves Smithfield 8.00 a. m., arrives at Goldsboro 9.30 a. m.

Trains in North branch leave Rocky Mount 8.30 p. m., arrive Nashville 5.05 p., Spring Hope 5.30 p. m. Return via Spring Hope 8.30 a. m., Nashville 9.00 a. m., arrive at Rocky Mount 9.0 a. m. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Latta branch, Florence R. R., leave Latta 6.40 p. m. arrive Dunbar 7.50 p. m., Clio 8.05 p. m. Returning leave Clio 6.10 a. m., Dunbar 6.30 a. m., arrive Latta 7.50 a. m. daily except Sunday

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton daily, except Sunday, 11.10 a. m. and 8.50 p. m. Returning leaves Clinton at 7.00 a. m. and 3.00 p. m.

Train No. 78 makes close connection at Weldon for all points daily, all rail via Richmond, also at Rocky Mount with Norfolk and Carolina R. R. for Norfolk on all points North via Norfolk.

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The development of art in metal work, as applied to the regular trade of builders' hardware, has been gradual. Some of the old time workers in iron and brass produced patiently and laboriously large and elaborately designed hinges, knockers, locks and latches that were artistic and are valued today by collectors of antiques. The present workers can cast and finish in a few hours many elaborately designed knobs, plates and hinges, and artists are employed to design dainty, graceful and appropriate patterns or to copy and apply the best and most practicable designs that art has produced so that the ornamentation of a knob and plate may be artistic and refined.

The demand for knobs and plates has run through plain finished brass and wrought iron to brass and bronze, with varied finishing. Oxidized copper finish seems to be preferred now for articles of moderate cost, but silver plated brass and bronze, gold plated bronze and bronze with oxidized silver finish or verd antique finish are used in the most costly houses. The demand for cast iron, wrought iron and steel, with dull black finish, has increased to some extent, but they are the only methods that can be used appropriately in some instances. Designs that are in harmony with the colonial style of architecture have been produced, and they are severely plain when alongside some of the designs from the French school.

Polishing and hand chasing make the cost of hardware mount up, but the niceties of casting have been developed so much in recent years that some plates and other articles need only to be cleaned with sand and touched in spots with files and emery paper. The process used in finishing some of the metal is, through the fumes of acids, dangerous for the workmen, but in the foundries and machine shops the smiths and machinists may work for many years without loss of health. In one foundry in Connecticut are smiths who are robust and skillful at 60 years of age, and in the machine shops adjoining are many old workmen, some of whom have made such valuable improvements on machines for making locks that the attachments or devices have not been patented owing to the fear of having them stolen or copied. The company and the faithful old workmen keep the secrets.—New York Times.

The Poets and Thunder.

Byron, in the third canto of "Childe Harold," describes a thunderstorm in Switzerland which occurred at midnight on June 13, 1816. He notices the awful stillness which precedes it:

All heaven and earth are still, though not in sleep,
But breathless,
until
From peak to peak, the rattling crags among,
Leaps the live thunder! Not from one lone cloud,
But every mountain now hath found a tongue,
And Jura answers, through her misty shroud,
Back to the joyous Alps, who call to her aloud!

The description is too long to quote, and, indeed, too well known, but Sir Walter Scott's criticism on it may not be so well known. He says: "This is one of the most beautiful passages of the poem. The 'fierce and far delight' of a thunderstorm is here described in verse almost as vivid as its lightnings. The live thunder 'leaping among the rattling crags,' the voice of mountains, as if shouting to each other, the plashing of the big rain, the gleaming of the wide lake, lighted like a phosphoric sea, present a picture of sublime terror, yet of enjoyment, often attempted, but never so well, certainly never better, brought out in poetry."—Notes and Queries.

Paid the Penalty of Stupidity.

The late Lord Exeter's father was a Tory of the most bigoted and intolerant type, and he worked irreparable harm to his family by his fatuous opposition to the Great Northern railway.

It was intended to carry the main line through Stamford, but Lord Exeter's senseless pertinacity in obstinately rejecting all proposals caused the directors to change their plans. The line was therefore taken through Peterboro, to the great advantage of that city, which reaped all the benefits that Lord Exeter had declined for Stamford.

The end of the matter was that in a few years Lord Exeter was obliged to construct at his own expense a branch line from Stamford to Essendine on the Great Northern, but this has not proved a lucrative speculation, nor has Stamford or the Burghley estate derived much benefit from it.

Lord Exeter also embarrassed himself by keeping a large and costly racing stud and by a too extravagant mode of living, so that the family estates were considerably encumbered when he died in 1867 and he had alienated the London property. His reception of the queen and Prince Albert at Burghley in 1844 cost a frightful sum, which he could ill afford. Some of the art treasures have been sold, but the stately house still contains Verrio's finest ceilings, the superb carvings by Grinling Gibbons and some noble works by Holbein and Carlo Dolce.—London Free Press and Express.

Perhaps it is more interesting than strictly useful to know that the diameter of trees not only varies from summer to winter, but from day to day. They are larger from noon until twilight next morning than from twilight to noon; they are smaller in winter than in summer. Low temperatures, as well as high, promote evaporation. The trees evaporate from their branches in winter, and so the colder the weather the more they shrink.



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North Bound Freight, arrives 9:50 A. M., leaves 10:10 A. M.
South Bound Freight, arrives 2:00 P. M., leaves 2:15 P. M.
Steamer Tar River arrives from Washington Monday, Wednesday and Friday leaves for Washington Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Fair tonight, increasing cloudiness Wednesday, warmer.

MARKETS.

(By Telegraph.)

NEW YORK COTTON.

	OPEN'G.	HIGH'G.	LOW'G.	ST. CLOSE.
Jan.	8.14	8.19	8.04	8.04
Mar.	8.25	8.31	8.16	8.16

CHICAGO MEAT AND GRAIN.

WHEAT—	Dec.	80½	81½	79¾	80¾
PORK—	Jan.	8.00	8.00	7.95	7.97½
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OVERCOATS AND CAPES.

People Need Them as They Move Around Now.

M. O. Blount, of Bethel, was here today.

L. J. Chapman, of Centreville, spent today here.

W. B. Quinerly, of Grifton, was in town today.

J. N. Gorman, of Richmond, came in Monday evening.

W. F. Harding went to Bethel today on legal business.

B. F. Metzger, of Norfolk, is in town waiting for it to snow.

Revs. A. Greaves and Stewart McQueen arrived from Kinston this morning.

J. G. Rawis arrived from Wilson Monday evening to open his jewelry and optical store here.

Odd Fellows meet to-night.

It was cold a little bit this morning.

Roysters celebrated hand made candies at Shelburn's.

If you want trade get in your advertisements.

You just as well get ready for winter, its coming now.

The weather this morning gave a good foretaste of winter.

The REFLECTOR would be glad to write subscription receipts now.

The Baptist State Convention will be held in Morganton this week.

The county officers-elect will go into office on the first Monday in December.

Richmond all pork link sausages constantly on hand and only 10c per pound at Shelburn's.

The Italian band made more delightful music Monday night. The managers have engaged them for the German on the 18th.

The fall races at the Greenville Driving Association will begin next Wednesday, 18th. Some of the finest races ever seen here may be expected. Up to this time there are thirty entries.

Rev. Stewart McQueen began a series of services in the Episcopal church this morning which will continue four days. Our citizens are cordially invited to attend all services morning and evening.

In a large advertisement today Ed. H. Shelburn calls attention to his removal to his handsome store and invites an examination of the splendid line of staple and fancy groceries which he carries.

Send Us the News.

Now that the campaign is over and so much time is not given to political discussion, the REFLECTOR hopes to hear oftener from its correspondents throughout the county. We would be glad to have a good correspondent at ever postoffice in the county, one who will send us the news items once a week.

TRADE HERE. If you be a man and have needs that this store can supply its square against your interest to miss this week's series of offerings. You can buy without a thought. We carry everything to please the eye and purse. Look at our Dress Goods, Shoes, Notions and Gents' Furnishings, and you will certainly save money.
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