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GREATEST POLITICAL DEMONSTRATION EVER WITNESSED IN THIS MOUNTAIN SECTION

All Madison County and Many Citizens From Other Parts Gather at Marshall to Do Honor to Senator Pritchard.

A Spectacular Parade, With Banners and Music Through the Crowded Streets of the Village—Speeches by Senator Pritchard and Former Congressman R. Z. Linney.

Special to the Gazette.

Marshall, N. C., Nov. 1.—This town, "between the hills and the French Broad," was today the scene of the greatest political demonstration ever witnessed in the mountain section. It has been a red letter day for republicanism. The day dawned bright, fair and crisp, and the dry roads made country travel easy. Before sunrise the people began to pour into town from every direction, in carriages, wagons, on horseback, on foot and by rail from both points. Asheville, Hendersonville and Hot Springs contributed good delegations. By 10 o'clock every nook and corner of the town was filled, and over two thousand people had gathered. The westbound train brought in the First Regiment band of Asheville, and the finest music was discoursed. The crowd comprised men, women and children of all ages and every walk of town and country life.

Every one wore a flaming badge with the inscription: "We are for Pritchard, Protection and Prosperity." At 1 o'clock the cavalcade was formed, and then the patriotic and spectacular were everywhere manifest. Big banners, flags and streamers were on all sides. Chief Marshal J. H. White handled the crowd with the hand of a master, and the order was perfect throughout. Not a drunken man, nor a scrap, nor a brawl was seen or heard. It was an orderly, thoughtful gathering, that had come

Flemish Oak plate Racks, a nice line just in.

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Come to us, we will give them a scientific examination, and grind the lenses to fit each eye correctly. Satisfaction guaranteed.

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Can buy one with Reservoir for \$28.00; or one without Reservoir for \$27.00.

We have sold 45 since advertising our carload. The people say there is nothing that will compare with them. We are talking about.

"Boyce's Perfect Steel Ranges."

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11 South Court Square.

For Sale Or Exchange.

A beautiful modern country home near Bingham school. House 9 rooms, 10 acres of land in high state of cultivation. Will sell or exchange for city property. We are offering splendid value in two business properties on Patton avenue and Main street. These are all choice values.

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there to show their party zeal and loyalty and to hear the speaking, and they were terribly in earnest. Their demonstrations and enthusiasm were such as is spontaneous and not made for show.

The band was driven in a large wagon, gaily decorated with bunting, and drawn by eight horses, beautifully caparisoned in our national colors. Behind them were several wagons bearing scores of little girls and boys, dressed in bunting, and their merry shouts added no little to the great enthusiasm of the day. Prominent in the float was a "democratic donkey," dressed in slouchy cover, led by a clown. Two long traces extended back from his sides and were held up and drawn closely to his sides by another clown who followed closely behind. A wag said it was a Bryan donkey, and the traces represented two democrats trying to keep him from kicking out.

The long cavalcade and procession marched, amid shouts and music, from W. J. Gentry's, near town, across the bridge and through the town and back to the speaker's stand, the front porch of Senator Pritchard's office.

Senator Pritchard began to speak at a quarter till 12, and, though he spoke but 45 minutes, yet he made one of the finest speeches of the campaign. He was at his best, and his speech was pointed, incisive and telling. It was apparent that he was deeply sensible of the great honor paid him by his own people. They hung upon every word he said, and throughout showed the keen pride they felt in their distinguished fellow citizen. His speech made a deep and lasting impression and when he exhorted them to party loyalty and untiring work, there went up a great shout of approval. His presentation of republican principles and his defense of his position were masterful and convincing. It rarely comes to men to stand before such a vast concourse of loyal partisans and anxious and admiring friends as did Pritchard today, and who will say he does not deserve it all?

When he closed he introduced Hon. R. Z. Linney, and the expected treat was happily dished out. For an hour and a half he held the vast crowd in unabated interest and wild enthusiasm. There is scarcely a trait of the popular speaker he did not exhibit. Now with burning sarcasm and cutting wit, and now with pathos and happy narrative, interspersed with rich jokes, he kept the great crowd alternately in deep wonder and convulsive laughter. Not a tenet of republican faith that did not come in for eulogy, and not a foible, or weakness, or incompetence, or extravagance of democracy he did not expose. His arraignment of the North Carolina state democracy was terrific, and every statement was supported by an array of facts.

Old Madison did herself proud, and in the future her loyal republicans will revert with pride to "the great rally of 1902." There is now nothing to do, except the formality of casting and counting the votes, and Madison will record the largest republican majority in her history.

Blackburn received a great ovation in Caldwell county last night. See page 8.

ANOTHER VISIT TO THE NETHER REGIONS

Wilkesbarre, Nov. 1.—The strike commission visited the Dorrance mine today. Equipped with safety lamps, the party went down 600 feet to the Baltimore veins, among the gaseous atmosphere. They walked a mile, going under the Susquehanna river. The commissioners questioned all the workers they met. Later the party went to Ashley and Sugartoch and inspected the houses of the miners.

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NEW FAST MAIL TRAIN'S FIRST TRIP

New York, Nov. 1.—The new fast mail service to the south began this morning. The first train to make the new schedule left New York at 2:30 o'clock over the Pennsylvania railroad and was due in Washington at 8 o'clock, proceeding thence over the Southern railroad. At noon tomorrow the train will be in Lynchburg, Va., and 3:01 p. m. it will pass through Greensboro, N. C. At 11:01 o'clock tomorrow night the train will reach Atlanta, and at 5 o'clock Monday morning will deliver New York mail in Montgomery, reaching Mobile at 7:30 o'clock. The fast mail will roll into New Orleans, making the journey in 33 hours.

J. H. WOOD GETS MR. DARBY'S PLACE

Frank R. Darby moved into the Battery Park hotel yesterday to begin his duties as manager of the hotel. It was learned yesterday afternoon that J. H. Wood, the city ticket agent, has been appointed to succeed Mr. Darby as district passenger agent. Mr. Wood has many friends here who are much pleased at his promotion, and extend him their heartiest congratulations.

Bernard Anderson takes Mr. Wood's place as city ticket agent.

William C. Morgan has also arrived at the Battery Park, where he will fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Chief Clerk Houston. Mr. Houston will go north for a few days before taking charge of his hotel at Thomasville, Ga.

CROSS EXAMINATION OF MOLINEUX ENDED

New York, Nov. 1.—The cross examination of Roland B. Molineux by Assistant District Attorney Osborne, which was resumed at the opening of court today, was finished within a few minutes of its resumption. Mr. Osborne's first question today was:

"Did not Mr. Barnett pay your wife attention?"

"Not at all," was the reply.

"Did you not so testify at the inquest?"

Molineux's reply to this was that Barnett had paid attention to Miss Chesborough in the spring and autumn of 1898, before she became Mrs. Molineux.

The defendant was in the best of humor. When Mr. Osborne asked him if he gave his wife an engagement ring at the time of his engagement, and his answer was not to the prosecutor's satisfaction, he said smilingly:

"I can tell you better than you can drag it out of me."

"I don't wish to drag it out of you," said Mr. Osborne. Molineux then said he bought an engagement ring on November 18, 1898. Yesterday he testified that he and Miss Chesborough became engaged in September, 1898.

Christmas, 1897, he gave her a "Mizpah" ring, and when he became engaged, in September, 1898, he wished to buy her an engagement ring, but did not do so until November.

Mr. Osborne ceased his examination rather abruptly after several questions as to the prisoner's connection with various medical associations.

As Molineux resumed his seat behind his lawyers, the Rev. Lindsay Parker of Brooklyn shook hands with him and his father, General Molineux, patted him affectionately on the shoulder and said: "Good boy."

J. R. OATS SELLS HIS LIVERY BUSINESS

J. T. Wheeler and F. J. Terry have purchased from J. R. Oates his livery and feed stable at 33 College street. Mr. Oates stated that he sold the stable in order to devote his time to railroad contracting. Mr. Wheeler is from Connecticut but has been in Asheville some months.

Houses For Rent.

A choice list of furnished and unfurnished houses in various sections of the city. Modern conveniences. We will be glad to give interested parties full information and show houses, upon application at our office.

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Real Estate Agents, No. 23 Patton ave.
Phone 861.

NO TURKEYS FOR THE PRESIDENT

Brandy Station, Va., Nov. 1.—President Roosevelt, Secretary Root, Secretary Cortelyou and Surgeon General Rixey hunted for wild turkeys on the historic Bull Run battlefield today, but the wary birds, failing to appreciate the distinguished visitors, did not remain at home to receive them. The forenoon was spent watching behind blinds of brush while turkey callers, using all the contrivance known for imitating the turkey call, sought to lure them within gunshot.

Once a large gobbler ventured toward the blind but he disappeared through the bushes several hundred yards away, when a dog with the party barked. Cortelyou is the proud possessor of the only trophy, a hen turkey, that he shot on the wing. Mr. Roosevelt was doomed to the disappointment of not being able to get a shot all day.

YESTERDAY'S FOOTBALL

At Philadelphia—Pennsylvania 17, Columbia 0.

At Cambridge—Harvard 23, Indians 6.

At West Point—Yale 6, cadets 6. The cadets gave Yale the fight of the season.

At Roanoke—Virginia Military institute 10, University of North Carolina 17.

WOMEN FORBIDDEN TO SMOKE CIGARETTES

Richmond, Va., Nov. 1.—The station master at Union posted orders today forbidding women to smoke in their waiting room. Maids had been frequently sent out to cigar stands for packages of cigarettes and the practice had grown so rapidly in the luxurious apartments provided for the comfort of women passengers that the railroad authorities took this unusual action.

CITY SCHOOL BOARD SUES COUNTY BOARD

A suit has been entered in the office of the clerk of the Superior court by the school committee of the city of Asheville, William R. Heston, treasurer of the city of Asheville and ex-officio treasurer of the school committee, against the county board of education.

The school committee contends that the total amount of school funds received by the county board of education for the school year ending June 30, 1902, was \$38,257.53, and that the county board of education improperly used about \$7,000 of this money for the expenses of the country schools, outside of the funds for the teachers' salaries, before the fund had been distributed.

And that while there were 14,734 children of school age in the entire county, 3,992 of which are in the city of Asheville, the county board so distributed the money that it allowed the children of the county schools 66 cents per capita more for tuition than the children of the city schools, while the law requires that the funds shall be so distributed that all the children shall have equal school facilities. The amount involved is between five and seven thousand dollars. Another sum which the committee wishes to recover is a portion of the fund paid from the general fund to the school fund, no part of which was allotted to the city for school education.

SCHOOL GIRLS GALORE

A car load of school girls arrived here from Centenary college, Cleveland, Tenn., yesterday. The party consisted of 25 girls chaperoned by an instructor, and they came in a private car. They are returning from New York where they have been on a tour on No. 11 and left on No. 35 after having taken in all the sights, including Biltmore. They expressed themselves as being delighted with Asheville and the surrounding country.

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For Sale.

Beautiful suburban house with 60 acres, water and sewerage.

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Agents for the Old Staten Island Dyeing establishment. Established 1819, New York city. Bon Marche, 15 South Main street. Write or call for price list.

THE SHORTAGE OF COAL CARS

WILL BE PROTESTED AGAINST BY SOUTHERN TEXTILE MANUFACTURERS.

Mill Owners of This and Other States Confronted by Problem of Shutting Down.

FAMINE IN DOMESTIC TRADE ALSO FEARED

A DELEGATION WILL BE SENT TO WASHINGTON TO ASK RELIEF AT HANDS OF SOUTHERN RAILWAY OFFICIALS.

Knoxville, Tenn., Nov. 1.—Preparations are being made by the textile mills of the south, which is fed from the Tennessee coal mines, to send a delegation to Washington to protest to the officials of the Southern railroad on account of the unprecedented shortage of coal cars. Mill owners of the South and North Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, Tennessee are staring in the face the problem of shutting down their manufacturing. A famine in domestic trade is also feared and will ensue unless the situation is remedied at once.

"CHILDREN AND THE SCHOOLS" AT Y. M. I.

The general topic to be discussed at the song service of the Y. M. I., Sunday, 5 p. m., will be "The Children and the Schools."

Introductory remarks—Pro. C. A. Powell.

"The Importance of Prompt and Regular Attendance at School"—Miss L. T. Jackson.

"Systematic Use of the Children's Time"—Rev. P. J. Jordan.

"Our Duty to the Children"—Secretary W. J. Trent.

"Does it Matter How the Children Appear?"—Rev. C. B. Dusenbury.

Voluntary remarks by friends and visitors.

GIBSON-WOLF

At Asheville, N. C., on Saturday, November first, Henrietta Cecilia Wolf to John McCormick Gibson.

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