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A BRAVE STATESMAN. Mr. Cleveland may never step out again upon the stump as a candidate for the Presidency.

Hill booms may bring the double office-holder to the notice of the politicians for a few short hours.

We have heard it said that Hill is a trickster, that Harrison was mixed up with the blocks of five gung, that McKinley paid for votes in Ohio, and that both democratic and republican politicians have been caught in their delirium.

At the banquet given by the Young Mens Democratic Club of New York on the night of Jan. 8th, in commemoration of the battle of New Orleans, Mr. Cleveland spoke and said, among other things:

"Above all things political fitness should not lead us to forget that at the end of our plans we must meet face to face the honest voters of the land with ballots in hand, demanding as a condition of their support of our party fidelity and undivided devotion to the cause in which we have enlisted them."

"If, inspired by the true Jacksonian spirit, we hold to the doctrine that party honesty is party duty and party courage is party expediency, we shall win a sure and lasting success through the deserved support of a discriminating, intelligent and thoughtful people."

Commenting upon the speech of Mr. Cleveland the New York World, a Hill organ, says: The speech of the Ex-President is sure to command wide and careful attention. It is his first public utterance since the autumn election and it was plainly intended to make known his conviction as to the best policy for the Democrats in Congress and the true issue for the Presidential campaign.

Mr. Cleveland puts the issue and the policy in two words: Tariff reform. To this, he says, the democratic party is pledged. He finds in it "an issue great enough to command the undivided efforts of our party." And in support of it he invokes the steadfastness and courage of the Jacksonian spirit, which "will not permit a premature and distracting search for other and perplexing questions, nor allow us to be tempted or driven by the empty into new and tangled paths."

The speech is in Mr. Cleveland's best vein. It is direct, explicit, forcible and courageous. It breathes a spirit of honesty and sincerity which gives the Ex-President's utterances great weight in the country. Whether his insistence upon tariff reform as the sole issue is disinterested, in view of the fact that his nomination for the Presidency would be the logical sequence of such a policy, or whether it is possible or wise to so limit and confine the issues of the campaign, are questions upon which there will be differences of opinion.

Pluck sometimes gets there on the heels of bad luck. Oh, it so! We have to do you about it. These Mount Airy people have put their heads together, and they have opened their pocket books and are going to build a handsome hotel.

The YADKIN VALLEY NEWS is a winner, and you ought to advertise in it if you want trade.

IT'S GOV. MCKINLEY NOW.

COLUMBER, O., Jan. 11.—Gov. Campbell turned over the reins of State Government to Major McKinley to-day in good form.

Ex-President R. H. Hayes introduced the Rev. Bennett, who offered prayer. Gov. Campbell then said that the last act of his administration was one of the most pleasing ones, and that was to hand to Major McKinley his commission as Governor of Ohio.

"Gov. Campbell, I thank you. Let me say I wish you and yours all success, happiness and prosperity that can possibly fall to the lot of mortals." He then passed his right hand and was by Chief Justice Marshall sworn in as Governor of Ohio.

THE GRAND LODGE. Proceedings of Its Session Now Being Held in Raleigh.

Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 14. The Grand Lodge of Masons met this evening and, in spite of the extremely bad weather, there is a good attendance.

The Grand Master's address was quite long. Your correspondent prepared a synopsis. It says there are 210 orphans at Oxford, well cared for and in good plight.

"The Grand Master's report was regarded as excellent, and was referred to a committee composed of G. W. Blount, S. H. Blount and E. A. Capcharr. The present attendance falls little short of that at the last annual communication."

THE C. F. & Y. V. Some of the New Departures it Will Make. The Roanoke & Southern this week reached its northern terminus at Roanoke, where connection was made with the Norfolk & Western.

A few weeks ago we alluded to the meeting of Dr. Lash, President of the C. F. & Y. V. and other railroad men in Charleston, where they had met to perfect arrangements for putting on a through line, with elegant cars and a fast schedule.

During the year connection will be made with the great coal fields of Pocahontas, Va., via Mount Airy, which will be a big thing for the State. Thus the C. F. & Y. V. is reaching out and getting rapidly in shape to control the freight and passenger traffic between New York and the great west and the seaports of Wilmington and Charleston.

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It is a year's tuition in Oak Ridge Institute, and the winner is one who will do justice to it. Mr. Herring is a Surry county boy and has been for sometime a student at Pinnacle Academy at the same time assisting in teaching.

Something About the Wife of the Great Discoverer. A chivalrous man desires that Mrs. Columbus be not forgotten by the World's Fair women managers.

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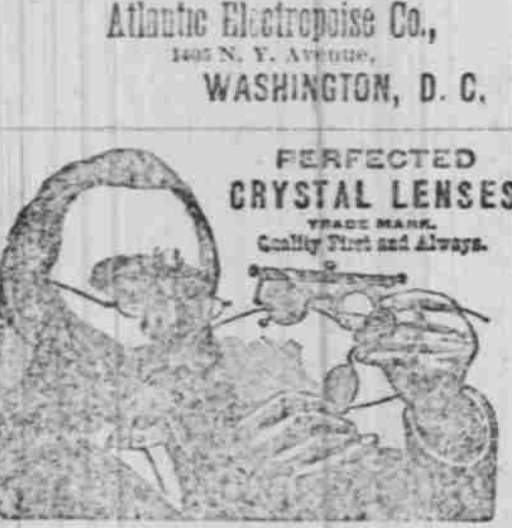
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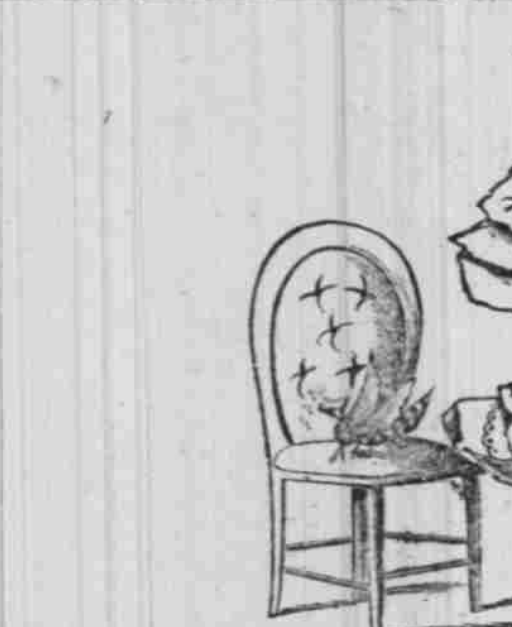
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